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Work of Stamping Out Rebellion in Africa Receives but Little Attention.

Large Numbers of Volunteers Will Probably Settle on Fertile Lands.

Sir A. Milner Busy Drawing Up Scheme of Civil Government.

(Associated Press.) London, June 9.-To all intents and purposes the South African war, so ed, is over with the exception of the capture of President Kruger and the home coming of Roberts. His calendar of probabilities contains nothing of vital interest. Already China is becoming a

tion of the day. The capture of 500 members on the Rioting In Imperial Yeomanry, which a few months ago would have thrown the nation into a fit of despondency, has passed unnoticed. The work of stamping out the rebellion, for such, according to the British point of view, is the

keen rival of Africa, the burning ques-

Nature of the Opposition now encountered, is too prosaic and too common in the annals of the British army to merit the absorbing attention hitherto bestowed on each detail of the

sanguinary struggle. 'What shall we do with it?" is more the topic of the hour than speculation regarding the expenditure in lives and money that seem likely to ensue before the pacification of the Boers shall be accomplished. Large numbers of enquiries are daily made in London anent the prospect of the undeveloped crown lands of Natal, while the rich resources

Vaal and Orange River Colony steady emigration of trained British agriculturists and others to fields on which

fertile land. The British high commissioner Sir Alfred Milner, it is learned. is devoting his whole attention to evolving a scheme of

Civil Government

applicable to the Orange River colony little extent, upon the influence of the British settlers to exercise it. The commissioner is in constant communication with the secretary of state for the colgot the forces of the colonial office hard | but the car was not damaged. thorities.

The contingency of Kruger's still undefeated forces scoring

A Victory of consequence over Roberts is generally regarded as so remote as to be scarcely

worth mention. which Lord Rosslyn's incorrect dispatch | caused last week, it is interesting to note that the aristocratic young journalist is chiefly remembered in London for his diverting appearances in Hyde Park at the period when he had given up the stage to edit Scottish Life. In the height of the well in before midnight. season, at the most fashionable hour of the day, he was always to be seen immaculately dressed and bejewelled, seated number who had exercised their franchise before the time of going to press. and laid it out beside him until he was elections in this city. surrounded for yards with white slips, which never ceased to be

A Source of Amusement to the passer-by, and apparently of im-

The Ascot race meeting, which occurs next week, promises to be largely attend-ed. The Prince of Wales, as usual, will be present, besides many other royalties, Martinite candidate in Chilliwack, withwhile many American visitors now in Eng. drew last night in favor of G. R. Ashland have arranged to view what is well. Conservative.

known as the "Royal Meeting."

The serious condition of Mrs. Gladstone has caused Mr. T. P. O'Connor, M. P., to write some hitherto unpublished reminiscences of the aged partner of the great

She Never Told Anything.

of sweetness and tenderness, took her by the hand as though she were a little child that had to be reminded that it was time to go to bed, and thus led her out of the room. It was a sight that might well have

BOERS CUT THE WIRES.

Strong Force of British Soldiers Sent to Deal With Burghers.

(Associated Press.) London, June 9 .- Gen. Forrestier Walker cables the war office from Capetown under the date of June 8th, as follows: "Kelly-Kenny, at Bloemfontein, reports that the telegraph has been cut at Roo deval, north of Kroonstad, by a body of Boers estimated to be 2,000 strong with six field guns. He is sending strong re inforcements to Kroonstad, and I am reinforcing from Cape Colony. I hope the interruption will be only temporary."

MARINE EXAMINER.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, June 8 .- Capt. Henry Augustus Mellon, Vancouver, Province of cate of competency as master for foreign far as the average Britisher is concern-sea-going ships, issued by Her Majesty's Board of Trade in 1890, has been gamasters and mates in the coasting trade, or on the inland waters of the Domin-

St. Louis

Mounted Police Disperse Crowd Which Had Been Stoning the Car.

Several Persons Shot--One Passenger Fatally Injured During the Fighting.

(Associated Press.) St. Louis, June 8 .- While standing on the rear platform of a north-bound Union Line car last night, John Goettling, a photographer, 20 years old, was shot and fatally wounded.

Only four cars were operated on the Union Line yesterday. The conductors form the basis of frequent articles. Be-fore many months shall pass the steam-ship companies plying to and from South were ordered to turn in their cash at the were ordered to turn in their cash at the Africa, the companies connected with sheds before 6 o'clock p.m., but a have a big body of Windsorites partici-

the blood of Briton and Boer is searcely 8 o'clock when the cars began to move, enraged the committee who had the aran increasing desire on the part of a ed, the shooting began. The police fired large proportion of the irregular and in the air and those in the crowd comcolonial forces to settle down on this menced shooting into and stoning the cars. Goettling was standing on the rear platform of a car when struck by a bullet. The mounted officers finally dispersed the crowd and cars were run into the sheds. A stray bullet, evidently fired at a car on the southern electric division of and the Transvaal, and is relying, to no the Transit Company, while passing near Klausman's grove, struck Miss Em-

ma Nenda. Her injury is slight. A car on the Lindell division ran over a stick of dynamite about 11:30 p.m. The onies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, who has loud explosion aroused the neighborhood,

at work on the problem, though the keen | Three police officers were shot in vasighted officials believe the day is still rious parts of the city. Michael Gibbons far distant when the military administra- was hit in the ankle and knee, B. J. tors will be able to hand the reins of Boland in the knee and W. O. Coats in government in safety to the civil authe back. Coats's wound is serious.

POLLING TO-DAY.

Election Campaign Terminates To-day-Extension of Time for Voting.

One of the liveliest campaigns ever carried on in Western Canada terminat-In view of all the premature rejoicings ed, this morning at 9 o'clock, when a poll was opened for the registration of votes from the free and independent electorate of the city. In the districts the poll opened an hour earlier, but will close at 5. The results will be pretty

under a tree ostentationsly correcting a chise before the time of going to press, mass of proof sheets. As soon as he finone he covered it with four pebbles vote after 6 o'clock-a new feature in

At Nanaimo.

Nanaimo, June 9 .- The elections in the city are passing off very quietly. In North Nanaimo the fight is the most exmense satisfaction to himself. Yet, when citing and the result will be very close he cabled from Pretoria, every paper in between Bryden and McInnes. The re-England, including the Times, believed sult in South Nanaimo will also be close, with Dunsmuir apparently leading.

Martinite Withdraws. Vancouver, June 9 .- A. S. Vedder,

TRADE WITH BRITAIN.

(Associated Press.) Toronto, June 8.-The Globe publishes statesman. "Just after their marriage," the following from London, dated June Iowa, a way station 37 miles from says Mr. O'Connor, "Mr. Gladstone, who Sth: "May trade returns show the following Bluffs, yesterday afternoon, the had already been a minister, asked her:
Shall I tell you nothing and you can say at thing, or shall I tell you everything and you can say nothing? She chose the latter and he told her everything and latter and he told her everything and say thing and you can say nothing? She chose the latter and he told her everything and say thing and tell you everything and say the say that the say the latter, and he told her everything and £9,000; timber, £17,000. The decreases She Never Told Anything. are: Cattle, £26,000; sheep, £2.000; corn, On the aftieth anniversary of their wed- £48,000; butter, £14,000; lumber, £65. ding, Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone went to a reception at an old friend's house. When it began to get late, Mr. Gladstone went creases with the exception of sheet iron."

11 there ever was a specific for any one complaint, then Carter's Little Liver Pills are a specific for any one complaint, then Carter's Little Liver Pills are a specific for any one pills began to get late, Mr. Gladstone went creases with the exception of sheet iron."

Charge Against M.P.P.

Leads to Disorderly Scenes in the Prince Edward Island Legislature.

Fatal Result of Cycling Accident -- Minister Dies From Blood Poisoning.

Methodist Century Fund--Proposed Rifle Competition Between Canada and U.S.

(Associated Press.)

Charlottetown, P.E.I., June 9.-Yester-British Columbia, who holds a certifi- day afternoon's session of the legislascenes of disorder, due to Mr. Shaw, of the opposition, accusing Mr. Cummisky, zetted an examiner for the purpose of of the government side, of having misapexamining applicants for certificates as propriated the poor fund of his district.

Cummisky denied the charge, whereupon a heated argument ensued, and the lead- Over and over again the opinion was exer of the government, unable to restore order, called on the Speaker to take the chair to quell the disturbance. Several members were on the floor of the House ordering each other to sit down, when the spectators in the galleries arose in

Port Hope, June 9.-At Bay of Quinte conference yesterday it was announced that the Methodist century fund had reached nearly \$850,000. Woodstock, June 9.-Rev. A. B. Mil-

ler, pastor of Eastwood Methodist church, is dead, as the result of bloodpoisoning, due to a bicycle accident on Queen's birthday. Deceased collided with another cyclist while descending a

Queen's Bench yesterday afternoon the Joliette station of C.P.R. Members of the Western Press Asso-

ciation, who are touring Eastern Canada, passed through the city last evening en route to Quebec. They will return here by the local association on Monday, leaving for Ottawa in the evening.

Windsor, June 9.—Members of the Canadian club in Detroit The riot commenced in earnest about down the Union Jack the other day so At this time the crowd was augmented rangements in hand, that J. W. Drake, the disorders. the idea that the British flag would

> that arrangements be made to have an swords and some old rifles. take part in an annual rifle match.

NO SPLIT IN IRISH PARTY.

(Associated Press.) Dublin, June 8 .- "This suggestion of a fresh split in the Irish party is absurd," said Mr. John Redmond, chairman of the United Irish parties, to a representative of the Associated Press this morning. "The difference of opinion among their committee on one detail of the arrangements of the convention will not interfere with the representative gathering of June 19th, which I am doing all in my power to promote."

WITHOUT FOUNDATION.

(Associated Press.)

London, June 8.—A special dispatch from Caire says that it is reported, on apparently good authority, that the immediate addition of 7,900 troops to the British forces in Egypt has been demanded. A representative of the Associated Press was informed to-day at both the foreign office and war office that there was not the slightest foundation for such a report.

UNITED STATES TERRITORY.

(Associated Press.) Washington, June 8 .- The secretary of state has notified Governor Dole of Hawaii that on and after June 10th, the date on which the act making Hawaii territory of the United States goes into effect, all of the business of the territory of Hawaii with the government of the United States shall be conducted through and with the secretary of the interior.

FAST TRAIN WRECKED.

(Associated Press.) Omaha, Neb., June 8.-As the fast Chicago train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul was running through Persia, tense heat of the past two days.

Can War Be Averted?

Outbreak of Hostilities Between Russia and Japan Regarded as Unavoidable.

Force of Boxers Surround Chinese Troops and Fighting Still ontinues.

Officials Report That Five Hundred Rebels Have Been Killed.

(Associated Press.) New York, June 8.-The possibility of war between Japan and Russia and the effect of the rumors on the financial world are discussed rather fully in the

Herald to-day. Its London correspond-

Far East spread yesterday still further. pressed that nothing could avert war between Japan and Russia. In diplomatic circles nothing else was talked about. There exists in financial circles all the preliminaries of a panic. Public sentiment is urging the government to take a more active interest in Chinese developments. All day long communications are going on between the foreign office and Tien Tsin."

Surrounded by Boxers, Tien Tsin, June 8.—It is reported from a Chinese source that 4,000 Boxers surrounded 1.500 Chinese between Iofa and Yong Tsun yesterday.

According to the latest news fighting is still going on this morning. Officials Montreal, June 9 .- Evangeliste Joly say that 500 Boxers were killed, but give was placed on trial before the court of no accounts of the Chinese casualties. Thirty of Gen. Nieh's troops encoun charged with having stolen \$7,000, the tered a body of Boxers three miles from the Taku road, and killed 21

No news has been received from Pao Ting Fu for three days, and the situation there is believed to be critical.

It is reported that the Chinese troops

Preparing for Action.

the development of that portion of the grant and it was necessary to summon several defeat of Spaniards by the United States. Far East show apparently no cessation tween the expenditure and revenue on or well informed, lost for a large and squads of police before the cars could be to be held in Detroit shortly, but the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surplus of \$12,531,-31 in the activity of the Boxers, but the dinary account shows a surp to common action for the suppression of

All the letters from the front indicate by 2,000 persons. When the cars start- master of ceremonies, had informed Maj. It is believed that when the Dowager check her connivance in the anti-foreign movement there will be a speedy end to again be insulted if carried, and they say the rioting, as, if the Chinese acted in they don't want to run any chances and good faith, they could easily quell the rabble, which is armed chiefly with will stay at home.

Toronto, June 9.—The World suggests spears, agricultural implements, a few ewords and some old rifles.

annual competition between Canadian A dispatch from Tien Tsin, dated June and American rifle teams. The idea is 7th, at 4 p.m., shows the British reinstrongly approved of by the military men. forcements had not then started for Pe-It is understood that overtures have alkin as expected owing to the refusal of in the bill to amend the Railway Act were back and their laager located, but the ready been received from several states the authorities to allow them to entrain, of the Union towards having Canadians | although the British offered to repair the

line as they went. Additional Russian and Austriau the German cruisers Hansa and Gefion have started from Kio Chou for Taku, with marines intended for the same des-

The fact that much needed rain has fallen is expected at Tien Tsin to give a good effect in accelerating the suppression of the rising, as the farmers in the movement will return to their ordinary

pursuits. Foreigners to be Protected.

Paris. June 8 .- At a cabinet council today, presided over by President Loubet. the minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse, communicated dispatches concerning the situation in China. The French minister at Pekin, he said, was acting in unison with the other diplomats and Admiral Courrejelles, who was at Taku with his squadron, and had been instructed to co-operate with the other admirals to take such measures for the protection of foreigners as the situation should demand,

Moving on Tien Tsin.

Washington, June 8.-The following cablegram was received at the navy de-partment this morning from Admiral Kampff, on board the Newark of the Taku forts:

"Long Kub, June 8.-Battle vesterday between Chinese and Boxers near Tien Tsin. A large number of Boxers are expected to reach Tien Tsin, to-morrow. Almost the only subject before the cabinet meeting to-day was the situation

in China. Secretary Hay stated after the meeting that a reply would be sent to Mr. Conger substantially re-affirming the one sent a day or two age, to the effect that he would be expected to do whatever should be necessary to protect the lives of Americans and their property, and to maintain the dignity of this government. He would be instructed to form no alliance with any govern-

It is understood here that the representatives of the powers in Pekin will call in a body on the Dowager Empress and present the necessity of her taking immediate and vigorous action to suppress rioters. It is assumed that Mr. Conger will join the other representa-

KNOCKED OUT IN ONE ROUND. (Associated Press.) New York, June 8.-Yank Kenny was,

snocked out by Tom Sharkey in the openng round of their encounter at the Broadway Athletic Club to-night. As soon as let go a hard left to the ribs. Kenny tried to return his right and missed, but as Tom came in, drove his right to the body. This blow made Sharkey angry, and he went to Kenny with a rush and let go a wild swing that went over the big fellow's shoulder, and Tom fell into a clinch. When they broke, Tom hooked his left twice to the chin and had Kenny going, but he saved himself for the time being by holding on hard to Sharkey. They face, but could not hold the sailor off, and he went to the ropes from Tom's rush where he took left and right on the head. He broke to the centre with sharkey at

with a short right swing on the jaw the big fellow toppled to the floor. He tried to get up, but was unable, and was on his face when the count ended.

Sharkey tried to help him to his feet, but Kenny was so heavy that after Tom had him half way up, both fell in a heap. "The anxiety respecting events in the With the help of his seconds, Kenny was carried to his corner, where he quickly revived, and was soon able to leave the

How the Country is Progressing Under the Rule of the Liberal Party.

Revenue for Eleven Months Shows an Increase of Nearly \$4,000,000.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, June 8.—The statement of revente and expenditure of the Dominion for the eleven months, ending May 30th last, shows the revenue to be \$45,107,144, an in-May alone of a quarter of a million dol-lars. The expenditure was \$32.575,000, one million of an increase over the elever tion of having a surplus of \$7,500,000 at the end of this month, when the financial year closes, will be fully realized. There are considerable accounts yet to come in. The capital expenditure was \$7,228,000, a decrease of \$600,000 over last year. J. P. Bremner, of New Denver, B. C. has been appointed an officer to watch and report any contraventions of the Alien

Labor Law to the Minister of Justice. AMENDING THE RAILWAY ACT.

(Associated Press.) Ottawa, June 8.-Nearly all the clauses Dalgetty. The Boer outposts were driven passed by the railway committee of the troops returned without a battle, House of Commons this morning, one of the most important of which is that relating to a uniform system of rules and troops have arrived at Tien Tsin, and regulations on Cauadian railways. The clause compelling railways to erect stations at given points, which it was proposed to make retroactive from July. 1899, was opposed by Judge Clark, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who argued that the C. P. R. should not be hampered in its construction of new lines by such allowed to stand for further considera-

DUKE OF WELLINGTON DEAD.

(Associated Press.) London, June 8.-Henry Wellesley, third Duke of Wellington, died at Strathfieldsay House, Mortimer, Berkshire, this morning, in the 55th year of his age.

CHAMPIONS TO MEET.

(Associated Press.) Providence, June 8.-J. W. Glenister, of Providence, champion long-distance swimmer of America, and G. B. La Salle, of Sydney, Australia, champion of Australia, have signed articles here for a 15-mile race for the championship of the world on Saturday, July 14th. The course will be from Providence to Rocky Point.

IMPRISONED IN A MINE.

(Associated Press.) Gloucester, Ohio, June 8.—By an ex- Kruger. The latter wore a black silk plosion of gas to-day in Mine No. 2, a dress and a white cap She composedly colliery near this city, four men are re-ported to have lost their lives and two who notified her of their intention to re-

(Associated Press.)

London, June 8.—The statement of the Board of Trade for the month of May shows an increase of £2,999,000 in imports and £1.485.700 in exports.

RECEPTION POSTPONED. (Associated Press.)

Rome, June 8.—The Pope has post-oned until Saturday the reception fixed poped until Saturday the reception fixed for to-day at St. Peter's. His physician, Dr. Lapponi, says the Pope is not indisposed, but only a little fatigued in consequence of the reception of the Spanish pilgrims yesterday, which lasted two hours and a half.

British Prisoners

NO. 91.

Over Three Thousand Recovered. But Boers Hold Many as Hostage.

Work of Organizing the Government of Transvaal in Progress.

broke and Kenny jabbed his left to the Rumor That Kruger Has Been Urged to Negotiate For Peace.

> (Associated Press.) London, June 8.—The driblets of news filtering from the Transvaal fail to throw much light on the situation in and around Pretoria. Public interest centres largely in the fate of the British prisoners, but it seems that about 3.500 have been recovered, including 129 officers. The Federals, therefore, have re-

moved about a thousand as hostages. The Lorenzo Marquez dispatch to the effect that United States Consul Hollis has been conferring with Presiden Kruger is creating some comment, but in view of the Associated Press Washington dispatch there is little disposition to regard Mr. Hollis's alleged mission as in any wise official.

A special from Pretoria says that curiusly enough the only shell that broke in the town the day prior to the occupa-tion of Pretoria hit the United States

A dispatch from Capetown announces that the work of organizing the government of the Transvaal is proceeding. (A portion of Sir Alfred Milner's staff has gone to Pretoria to start the machinery, so the proclamation of the annexation of the Transvaal may be speedily expected.

ZEERUST OCCUPIED.

Mafeking, May 29.-Col. Plumer oc cupied Zeerust yesterday without opposition. This district is regaining its normal condition, and supplies are arriv-

CANADIANS WITH WARREN

Capetown, June 8 .- Gen. Warren, with a strong force, including the Canadian artillery, is marching through Griqua-land west. He encamped at Campbell yesterday, no opposition being offered. Numbers of the rebels are handing in their arms to the British commander.

BOERS LOCATED.

Hammonia, Orange River Colony, June 8.—Gen. Rundle made a strong demonstration against the Boer position employing 500 of Gen. Brabant's Queen stown Mounted Rifles, two guns and the Cape Mounted Infantry, under Colonel

FRIENDLY ADVICE.

Lorenzo Marquez, June 8.—United States Consul Hollis, who returned here yesterday from the Transvaal by special train, had a two hours' interview with President Kruger at Macadon. It is exparte facto Jegislation. The clause was stated that Mr. Hollis was the bearer of friendly dispatches from the United States government, urging Mr. Kruger to treat for peace.

Ambulance Corps Missing.

Chicago, June 8.-Efforts are being made by Chicagoans interested in the welfare of the members of the ambul-ance corps that left Chicago to serve in South Africa to locate the corps. Col. John F. Finerty, one of the men who helped to form the corps, last night dispatched a cablegram to Pretoria asking for the whereabouts of the Chicago Irishmen. There have been all sorts of disquieting rumors in regard to the corps. One is that several members of

the corps have been killed or wounded. Mrs. Kruger Received Visitors. London, June 8 .- A belated special dispatch from Pretoria describes the visit made by officers of Lord Roberts's staff to the presidency on Tuesday, June 5th. It says: "We were received by a Dutch pastor and shortly were joined by Mrs. hundred men are imprisoned. One hundred and seventy-five have been rescued.

BRITAINIS TRADE,

(Associated Press.)

Who houned her of their intention to replace the burgher gnards by a guard of British troops. The burghers thereupon laid down their arms on the asphalted porch of the building near the lions guarding the entrance."

The Patriotic Fund. Ottawa, June 8.—The Canadian Patriotic Fund to date is \$300,568.

A steam launch, owned by Chinese me A steam launch, owned by Chinese mer-chants at Hongkong, towing four Judge laden with kerosene oil, was attacked on Thursday night by pirates in an armed junk off Cape Sulman, eight rolles from Hongkong. After looting the junks the pirates made off in a westerly direction with the launch and her crew.

Major-Gen. Otis, of the United States army, arrived at Chicago vesterday from San Francisco and Manila, and proceeded to Washington.

Fled Before Gen. Buller

Rusghers Were In Carefully Prepared Positions but Retired Northwest.

Boers Have Destroyed 21 Miles of Railway--Concentrating Around Bethlehem.

Fondon, June 11.—Dispatches from correspondents with General Buller in Transvaal, filed yesterday at Sunset, describes the corps as camping at Ganclose to the point where the fronaf the Orange River country, the ransvaal and Natal meet.

The British marched eight miles yesday," says the Reuter correspondent, The Boers, who had one gun, withdrew head of the camp."

This long range running skirmish will altersly be renewed this morning, General Buller is expected to make and progress now and throw the weight 20,000 men into Lord Roberts's Trans-

The fighting on June 6th, in which were were fewer than 230 casualties, was kept up all day long by artillery and

British Attacking Line,

Tree miles in length, made its way amid precipitous hills. A Boer gun on Kop fired shrapnel at a range of and yards at the British right flank, every shell was buried in the ground before bursting. The defensive power of dern weapons seems less effective in country than upon levels, where spaces can be covered by flat tra-

The war office has received the followdispatch from Sir Redvers Buller: is fully explained to-day by the admis-Headquarters, in Natal, June 10.-With reference to my telegrams of June Boer raiders near Roodeval. Communiwe halted yesterday to get our trains up the pass, which is very steep. The the enemy were about 2,000 strong, a very carefully prepared position, extened not to have held longer than they did. They have all retired about 26 to the northwest. Our casualties were more than I at first thought. They one officer wounded and 2 men killand 13 wounded."

Roberts's vital line of railway be-America siding and Roodeval. It a bold raid and vexatious, but it does disquiet the military authorities, for expect General Kelly-Kenny to Drive Off the Marauders

to reopen the line. The rapidity of the advance of Lord erts cannot have permitted him to late large reserves of stores, for a week must embarrass the and bring the forward operations

hing has been heard from Roberts The three days. This raid on the rail the strenuous opposition to General adle and the nimble escape of Comandant-General Botha's division forced war office observers to the reluctant eclusion that the war is not yet over. General Rundle's and General Bras divisions are still at Hammonia in the Ficksburg district. The latest innce from their headquarters is that Boers are determined to fight to the Mater end. They are concentrating Bethlehem. The country bethere and General Rundle is containous and resembles northern Na-

in being exceedingly Difficult for Military Operations. Ceneral Rundle's present care is to went the Boers getting past him southrard. Major Wood, of Rundle's staff, to a Boer outpost on June 6th and unced that Pretoria had been ocied by the British. How the Boers paceived this news is not recorded. Alther 600 Boers have surrendered to

eral Rundle Ceneral Hunter's advance has occu-Ventersdorp, one hundred miles andthwest of Pretoria. This took place June 7th.

General Plumer's column is on the Bands River, southwest of Pretoria. The British are sending detachments and left to accept the surrender of mandos, horses, cattle and forage, to overawe the sparsely settled country. Thus far only one small com ado has been heard of, a commando at Bait Basch. General Hunter has warnburghers that if the telegraph is behind that he will send back and been the houses near the lines.

Towns Occupied. Corenzo Marquez, June 9.-It is reported that the British have occupied tipoort after fighting. President Exeger is said to have a large quantity

sonal valuables with him. Lichtenberg, June 10.-Gen. Hunter's Attance column occupied Ventersdorp to-day, while the Boers quietly surrendered in small bodies. Considerable looting been done. General Methuen's colhas rejoined Hunter.

Situation Reviewed. Kew York, June 10.-Telegraphing to Tribune from London, Mr. Isaac N.

Buller's operations against to the official circles. One vercredits the Boer commander with tain conditions, and states that Gen. Her declined to treat with him. As eller himself neglected to report, this aformation is probably untrustworthy. There was no official confirmation

day of the retirement of the Boers from the Nek. The dispatches related to events hast a week old, such as the occupaof Senekal by Gen. Rundle and a erifice of life by the Middlesex Yeo-

mary, and details of French's operations gainst Johannesburg. "A fresher detail was the fact that the owner of large property. arrival of Gen. Baden-Powell is expected at Capetown, and an interesting



OUTSIDE BOMB PROOF SHELTER AT KIMBERLEY. (Published by Courtesy of Mr. H. L. Salmon.)

that 36 peers and 27 members of the Commons were serving the Queen in Dealing "The lack of news from Lord Roberts

sion that the wires have been cut by cation will probably be restored without serious delay, but the incident has set military men gossiping about the order The of precedence and seniority in the Orange River colony. Unity of direction is indispensible in operations against President Steyn's burghers, who are making a good deal of trouble in the colony, and this cannot be had when Increased Poll Tax Not the Only Lord Roberts is in Pretoria with the wires cut behind him.

"Lord Methuen, who was left in the corner after opening Lord Roberts's campaign, is now at Lindley, and, by virtue of his seniority, ought to be in command of all the British forces in the Orange River colony. Either Kelly-Kenny or Rundle would be better men for commanding the British forces in the final encircling movement around Bethlehem, and it is not likely that Lord Methuen will be placed over them. Buller's friends assert that the only division commander of the original army corps whose fortunes have been safe is

London, June 11.-The following report

"Headquarters in Natal, June 11.-The force concentrated on the Klip river at its junction with the Gansviel last night. "We anticipated at that defile a force of the enemy, about 3,000 strong, who had, I think, intended to occupy it, and who retreated as soon as our heavy guns open- Was that of Dr. Chase when he discover-Artillery, and Capt. Jones, of the Royal are for complicated diseases of these or-

"The South African Light Horse and the are about six killed and seven wounded." Boers Surrendering.

Ventersdorp, June 11 .- Two hundred and fifty Boers have surrendered to Gen. Hunter, and the remainder in this district have promised to give up their arms.

Message From the Queen (Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, June 11.-The following message from Her Majesty the Queen has been received at Government House in response to one of congratulation addressed to the sovereign on the fall of Pretoria: Balmoral, June 7 .- Grateful thanks for kind congratulations on this most satisfactory event. (Signed) V. R. I."

FAMILY MURDERED.

Four Persons Dead-Murderer Attempted Suicide But Will Recover.

Winnipeg, June 9 .- Alex. McArthur, his wife and two children, aged 10 and 12, were murdered by a hired man named John Morrison early this morning, at far as knewn. Welwyn village, near Moosomin. The murderer was captured. He had shot the posse and taken into the barracks. himself through the chest, but will re-

He is supposed by many in Moosomin to be insane, as he has hitherto borne a good character. H. G. McArthur, of this city, and John McArthur, of Vancouver, B.C., are

brothers of the deceased man. THE IRISH PARTY.

(Associated Press.)

Dublin, June 11.-Mr. Timothy Healy, replying to the letter of Mr. John Redand appealing to him to use his influence to make the forthcoming conven-Nek are described by a correstion harmonious and fully representative ent as brilliant, but few details are of Irish political opinion, says: "I possess no such influence as would in the Nationalists, who have been rejected Fering to surrender on Thursday upon by the committee, to attend the conven tion." He expresses the opinion that Mr. O'Brien will make Mr. Redmond "either a victim or a slave," and adds

PIONEER DEAD.

that he had hoped the "era of intrigue"

had closed.

(Special to the Times.) Vancouver, June 11.-A report from Atlin says James Campbell, formerly of Vancouver, was found dead in bed a few days Campbell was a ploneer here and Cumyow and McLean, two Chinese interpreters, were seriously injured in a of statistics was an official return runaway on Sunday.

With Chinese

To Day Considering an Important Measure.

Barrier to Orientals' Entrance.

al Test Will Also Be Incorporated.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, June 11.-The government had under consideration to-day a proposed Chinese act for the purpose of dated June 9th, says:
regulating and restricting the Chinese. It is understood that in addition to an ed poll tax there will be in the new act a clause similar to the Natal act, providing for an educational test, which will itself be sufficient to largely exclude Chinese

It will only apply to Chinese. A BRIGHT IDEA

ed fire, which were very smartly brought ed a combined treatment for disorders of into action by Major May, of the Royal the kidneys and liver and so provided a gans, which were formerly incurable. Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the 2nd Cavairy brigade were engaged while world's greatest cure for kidney, liver and covering our left front. The casualties stomach troubles, and has an ehormous sale in all parts of Canada and the United Etates. One pill a dose. 25 cents a box.

STRIKERS SHOT.

St. Louis, June 10.-Four men of a party of 100 or more striking employees on the Transit Company, who were returning from a labor parade in East St. Louis were shot into shortly after six o'clock this evening by members of a sheriff's posse in front of the temporary barracks on Washington avenue, One is dead, two others, who

wounded in the head and abdomen will die, and the fourth will lose a hand. Just in front of the barracks occupied by the posse the paraders attempted to assault the crew of a passing street car. A brick was thrown and seven shots were fired by the street car men, when members of the posse appeared on the street with their shotguns and attempted to rescue the street carmen. In the melee at least ten shots were fired by the posse and there were four casualties as

Twenty-one prisoners were captured by One other shooting by a deputy sheriff is reported at the sheds of the Belfontain

"BOUGHT MY LIFE FOR 35 CENTS."

This was one man's way of putting it when he had been pronounced incurable from chronic dyspepsia. "It was a living death to me until I tried Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets—thanks to them to day I am well—and I tell my friends I bought my life for 35 cents"—60 in a box—they're good for any and every form of stomach trouble—safe to use and convenient to carry with you. Sold by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall & Co.

TOWN DESTROYED BY FIRE

Duluth, Minn., June 9.—The total amount of property lost in fire that levelled Virginia on Thursday is now closely estimated at \$450,000. 'The insurance will not exceed \$125,000. About 80 business houses, including 30 saloons and five hotels, were burned. Thirty residences were also consumed. A carload of food, clothing and blankets was sent from Duluth last night to the homeless people in the stricken city, and more will prob

DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE ... ZUC.

sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved, blower, Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanantly cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower All dealers up a Mildelers up a

The Chinese Rising left Pao Fu in later military escort. After traversing 50 miles in safety they missed their way. The boats grounded and the Boxers opened fire up-

Dominion Government is Report That the Dowager Has on the unfortunate occupants, using both Fled to Russian Legation at Pekin.

> The British Minister Tells of the Bexer Movement Against Foreigners.

Government Has Not Taken Any **Energetic Steps to Suppress** Rebels.

(Associated Press.) London, June 11.—A special dispatch to Tien Tsin.

the Associated Press from Peking to Flight of Dowager Empress.

alarming. The missionary compounds Empress has fied to the Russian lega- by Harry Nicholls went up the raise to were all abandoned vesterday evening, tion at Pekin Forty American and English missionaries are gathered at the American Methodist mission, surrounded by 300 native undated dispatch has been received at pupils, whom it was impossible to send the navy department: to their homes. They are waiting, with a few revolvers and guarded by ten Amed by different nations opening communierican marines, for reinforcements to cation to Pekin. Americans joined. (Signed) Kempff,"
Admiral Kempff also reports the ar-

take them to the coast. "Missionaries who returned from the country to the east say the populace are rival of the Moncasy at Taku. asserting that they must have a new em-

British Minister's Report. London, June 11 .- Sir Claude Macdonald, the British minister at Pekin, sent the following telegram to Shanghai on "The movement against the foreigners, which has been allowed to grow to such an extent, has resulted in burning of the railway stations and in the interruption of railway communication for five days. Two British missionaries and several foreign missionaries have been murdered in the district near

"In the country round about a number of converts have been murdered, chapels have been pillaged and destroyed, while in the capital itself the British mission aries have been obliged to leave their houses and take refuge at the legation, which is defended by 75 marines.

"The Chinese government is affected by these events so far as to send high officials to parley with the Boxers, but it does not show any intention of suppressing them. Probably it still has power to do so, but the throne is still strongly influenced by sympathy with the novement and the spirit of the troops is All is well up to the present. More Troops For Pekin.

Tien Tsin, June 10.-Telegraph communication between here and Pekin was interrupted this evening. A special train left at 5 o'clock thi evening with thirty British troops to

guard Tong Shan. It is considered that the number will be inadequate. If trouble prises in Tong Shan all the northern China railways would be at a standstill. Owing to difficulty in securing the Viceroy's permission for a third special train to start for Pekin, the foreign troops occupied the cars, whereupon the Chinese engine driver ran away with his engine

with about 500 men. The force was made up of 350 Germans, 80 British, and the rest French. Official Statement. London, June 11.-The Chinese minis-

On learning this, the Viceroy granted

permission and the train left at 5:15 p.m.

ter in London, Lo Feng Luh, when shown the latest dispatches from Tien Tsin, authorized his secretary to make the following statement: "It is all nonsense to believe that the

Empress is encouraging the Boxers. She is doing all she can to calm them. How can the Chinese government support a rebellion, when China alone suffers? have lost property worth £10,000,000. The Empress at the back of the Boxers? It is absurd!"

The secretary expressed the opinion that the Boxers numbered less than a million of the population.

Attack on Refugees. London, June 11.—Details have been

Blanchard Wounded In An Attack Made on the Brit.

ish Troops by Boers at Roodeval.

Two Officers and Fifteen Men of the Derbyshire Regiment Killed.

(Associated Press.)

London, June 11.-Lieut.-General Frederick Forestier Walker, of the lines of communicatio Africa, reports that in the dis British troops on June 7th at where the Boers cut Lerd Roll of communications, the fourth of the Derbyshire regiment were all ed, wounded or made prisoners six enlisted men. Two officers a men were killed and five officers an men wounded, many of them severel The Boers returned the wounded to fi British.

The officers killed were Lieut.-Colone Baird Douglas, and Lieut. Hawley. The wounded include Colonel Wilkin Lieut. Blanchard, of the Canadian

************* rovincial News ***************

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received from Shanghai regarding the

recent murders of railway engineers by

rifles and wooden cannon. The engineers

returned the fire and the party landed.

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The survivors formed a square with

and ammunition was running short.

They estimated that they killed a hun-

dred rebels. They behaved like heroes,

carying the women and children. Twelve

miles from Tien Tsin three men disap-

The survivors met the rescue party,

and much exhausted they were escorted

Action of Powers,

Washington, June 11.-The following

"Secretary of the Navy: Forces land-

London Times on Situation

menting editorially upon the attitude of

the various powers, says: "America, we

are told, will work on parallel lines with

of action. That is an attitude to which

nobody can object, and if it is supported

contribute powerfully to the attainment

of the immediate object upon which the

powers are bent. Our course is quite

clear. It is to support our admiral. The

time is being lost in preparing reinforce-

Of 1533 Orange Street, Los Angeles, Cal. writes: "I had been afflicted with my

eyes for over a year with such a dreadful itching and inflammation that I could not use them for anything. Physicians

had given me many different remedies which were like using so much water; they measured my eyes for glasses, which I got and wore for some time, but they did not benefit me in the least. My mother desired me to write to Dr. R. V.

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Pierce and explain the collaboration of the eyes. I did so, and after following your eyes. I did so, and after following your

eyes. I did so, and after following your advice, and using eight bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' and eight of the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' can say my trouble is entirely cured. I would advise any one so afflicted to try these wonderful medicines. My health was never so

good as it is now, and I shall never tire of praising Dr. Pierce's medicines." Sick women are invited to consult Dr.

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WRITE TO DR.R.V.PIERCE

BUFFALO, N.Y.

ALL CORRESPONDENCE PRIVATE

advice free of charge.

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London, June 11.-The Times,

peared and were murdered.

Andrew Christophers, the miner who was injured at the Granit mine last week, succumbed to his injuries at the general hospital on Tuesday night. Dethe Boxers. It seems that a party of ceased was 44 years of age and came to 30, including six ladies and one child. British Columbia several years ago from left Pao Fu in native boats under a his native place, St. Just, Cornwall, Eng., where he leaves a widow and

KAMLOOPS.

The death occurred June 6th of Mrs W. J. Curry, the wife of the well known dentist. Mrs. Curry, who used to live One lady and three men who got separ-in Nanaimo, was a Miss Gordon, the daughter of a former M. P. for Nanaimo district. The doctor and his wife have lived in Kamloops for nearly two years. those able to bear arms outside and the women inside, and made off towards
Tien Tsin. They travelled three and a half days, fighting all the way. More than 23,000 carridges were expended and the work of the manual lat the Cold Drop wine.

the tunnel at the Gold Drop mine in Phoenix camp looked as if a small portion of the Boer war had been transferred from South Africa and the Red Cross had succeeded in gathering a small number of the fallen, Medical men and others were hard at work resuscitating ten men who had been overcome by powder smoke. The shift were working in the upraise from the tunnel on the Gold Dropd A round of shots had been lated June 9th, says:

London, June 11.—A special from Tien fired in the morning and about four in the situation is growing steadily more Tsin says it is reported that the Dowager the afternoon Robert Barrow followed see how well the shots had done their work. They made the ascent before the upraise was clear of powder smoke and collapsed. Immediately their co-laborers rushed in to rescue them, and before the upraise was cleared ten men were knocked out. H. R. Blunt was present, and he succeeded in rescuing four men, when he fainted, and it was with some difficulty that he was brought back to consciousness. Drs. Boucher and Gorden were quickly on the scene, and they succeeded in restoring all the

> At a meeting of the council of the board of trade. Secretary Gosnell read a letter from Jay P. Graves in which the other powers to restore peace, but she insists on retaining her independence he expressed his willingness to co-operate with the board in the publication of literature descriptive of the mineral reources of the Boundary district. The board will publish an annual report, which will include a write-up of the by Americans sailors and marines it will mining camps, and the secretary was instructed to write mine-owners requesting them to contribute towards having the report translated into French, so that it message from Hongkong shows that no may be distributed by A. K. Stuart at the Paris exhibition

VANCOUVER. An Indian named August committed suicide at Moodyville yesterday. His nose has been bleeding for two days, and failing to stop it he loaded a shot gun, put the muzzle to his head and pulled the trigged with his toe. The top of his head was blow off. A. E. Carter, building contractor, and Miss Cassie Francis Marsh, daughter of

the late Wm. Marsh, of Dundas, Ont., were united in marriage on Thursday evening, Rev. R. Whittington and Rev. J. F. Betts officiating. Mr. Pellew-Harvey has returned from Benjamin Barringer, the man who bought a revolver in a store and then

turned on the proprietor, has been sent to the asylum at New Westminster. J. Fortes on Thursday received the official notification of his appointment as swimming instructor for the city at Engish Bay. He will commence his duties at once and has already made preparaons to enable him to carry them out with success, having supplied himself with an instruction pole and slings or belts, for holding up the pupil, of the generally approved type.

According to a dispatch to the London Daily Mail from Accra dated June 8th. native rumor is in circulation there that Sir Frederick Mitchell and Governor Hodgson, of the Gold Coast Colony, made a sortie from Kumassi, where he had been besieged by Ashantis, but was orced to retire and to surrender. Mail from Accra dated May 17th. says fifty thousand Ashantis are in arms and the insurrection is spreading.

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For Infants and Children.

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THE OPPOSITION **VICTORIOUS**

Elections on Saturday Resulted in the Utter Defeat of the Martin Government.

THREE MINISTERS RETURNED

The Premier Elected as a Representative of Vancouver-Many Candidates Lose Their Deposits-Hon. Mr. Martin Has Six Straight Supporters.

Although the returns are even yet in-

complete, sufficient is known to demonstrate that the administration of Mr. ing His Honor in the crisis. Martin has met one of the most crusha general assent to the Premier's plat-

the government, that it was hard to convince them that the administration won,

was going to certain defeat. The returns also demonstrate that the ountry is not friendly to party lines. The election of Oliver, in Delta, and of for publication. Smith, in Southeast Kootenay, was the lirect result of the suicidal course pursued by the Conservative party in foreing men into the field. Without these lements in the campaign Messrs. forster and Kidd would undoubtedly have been returned. The same elements assisted the government in Vancouver,

dents in the fight. One of these was the defeat of ex-Speakers Higgins and Forster, the former losing his deposit in Esquimalt, together with the two government candidates there. Mr. Beernment candidates there. Mr. Beernment candidates there with the two government candidates there. Mr. Beernment candidates there with the two government candidates the two governments are two governments. be, the provincial secretary, too, lost interest manifested, or stirring excitement prospects and the majorities of his colhis deposit, and Smith-Curtis in Rossland narrowly escaped defeat at the hands of C. H. McIntosh, the Conservative candidate. The fight there was one Four" were returned, the gain being proof the closest and "bonniest" in the portionately distributed among the can-

In North Nanaimo Mr. Bryden went down before the energetic, unflagging, Saturday evening no official figures were work of W. W. B. McInnes. Mr. Duns- | given by Returning Officer Tubman, and muir will probably hold his own in South | the returns bulletined were approximate

Eberts surprised almost everyone by his | Helmcken 1,663 | the opposition and the Hon. Joseph Mar-stituency which was regarded as one of the closest in the province with the odds against the ex-Attorney-General. In the city the Premier made a sur

risingly good run. At one time it ooked as though Messrs. Martin and Brown would defeat Messrs. Turner and McPhillips. Indeed an old experienced politician this morning expressed the pinion that the magnificent speech or the railway question of E. V. Bodwel on Friday night alone saved these men from defeat.

It is remarkable that of the candidate who were regarded as leaders, all have gone under with the exception of Messrs Ralph Smith and J. H. Turner. Messr Cotton, Mackintosh and Wilson have gon down in the political melee. The fate of the Premier is almost lost

sight of in the general speculation as to what effect his defeat will have on the occupant of Government House. Rightly or wrongly the remarks of Messrs. Mills and Laurier in the Dominion House at the time Mr. Martin was called on to form a government have indicating a determination in Ottawa to the previous election was 50.

ngly enriched.

jority of pledged supporters he would resistion is accepted as an indication that he will at once hand in his resignation to when the separation is accepted as an indication that he will at once hand in his resignation to the Governor. In such an event His ependent ... the Governor. In such an event His stopped. There was, as a rule, however, the best of feeling displayed throughout sor, and government supporters claim that Hon. J. C. Brown is the man who will be entrusted with the duty of advising His Honor in the origin

in the attitude of the electorate generally Semlin, without whose assistance and were most patient, and entertained them

Mr. Beaven said that in these times various questions at issue. Bulletins were when precedents seem to be disregarded posted in the Times window at regular inhe will not undertake to give an opinion

The election on Saturday in this city Hall were drawing ahead in the general resulted in the return of Messrs. Turner, count, the honors being about even be Helmcken, Hall and McPhillips, com- tween these two gentlemen, with the Premonly designated the "Big Four," and mier not very far behind. although the supporters of these gentle-men have expressed themselves in the dates appeared to have the race pretty assisted the government in vancouver, and possibly accounted for the defeat of F. Carter-Cotton.

These things not only helped the government, but they militated against the provincial party. Though they elected our members they would have had result, however, gives a somewhat sub- the hall, and in the majority of cases four members they would have had double that number had the Conservatives kept out of the running.

There were several noteworthy incidents in the fight. One of these was out the count the developments showed In fact, such was the prediction up till

didates—government and opposition.

At the termination of the count on Nanaimo, though Mr. Radcliffe pushed to the actual official result and sufficient him hard. Cory Ryder could not save to demonstrate the standing of the rival parties and respective aspirants to seats in the legislature. A close and careful content and sufficient to demonstrate the standing of the rival parties and respective aspirants to seats in the legislature. A close and careful content are content and sufficient to demonstrate the standing of the rival parties and respective aspirants to seats in the legislature. asy winner in Alberni, and D. M. calculation gives the result as follows:

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IN THE CITY.

1	Turner	1,547
1	McPhillips	1,44
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een accepted throughout the province as The total number of rejected ballots in make the voice of the people of this. Beautiful weather favored the exertions province at the polls decide the attitude of the active supporters of the various H. DALLAS HELMCKEN, Opp. 1663 candidates, who were on the streets at an HICHARD HALL, Opp. 1596 Honor.

The number of candidates who have ling to and from the market building car. A. E. McPHILLIPS, Opp. 1444 lost their deposits is very large, and the rying electors allowed of but one interpre-provincial exchequer will be correspond- tation to even the most unsophisticated ngly enriched.

Locally interest ran very high, and stranger, and that was "there's an election on." With conscious pride many of crowds began to gather in the streets at the occupants of the carriages, hacks and an early hour in the evening. Before 8 other vehicles glanced about them as they o'clock the returns indicated pretty cer- were driven to the place where they were tainly how the tide was going, and, of to exercise their right of franchise, and it course, in Victoria, where the straight is quite safe to say that many of the citi opposition ticket was returned, the result gave very general satisfaction. The

indicated in the subjoined table. In the to Messrs, Irving and Clifford. In a follows:

case of Cassiar, the results will not be number of other seats, such as North From the returns as given above, it is evident that the results have been as sentiment there the seats are conceded next House will in all probability be as

Government. . A. W. Nelll. W. Clifford. A. Rogers...

the crowd that under no law could any At 7:30 o'clock in the evening, when the endorsation he said he could not have selves between announcements by original and forceful debates on the merits of the tervals which followed the trend of the developments as approximately as possible under the circumstances. Gradually it be came evident that Messrs. Helmcken and

fighting chance for the Premier into inevitable defeat. When the last ballot had been counted order of election as above. The poll of the

Majority for Eberts-51.

No returns yet available.

VICTORIA, NORTH

Incomplete: Islands to hear from.

THE MAINLAND.

CASSIAR.

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(Govt.) (Opp.) (Opp.)

Premier was a matter of great general surprise, as it was expected that the lead in the government four would be taken by Nano either Hon. J. S. Yates or J. G. Brown, Well The ballot polled by the Premier certainly Park demonstrated that a number of electors voted for him and not for the remainder of his ticket, the combination apparently consisting in these instances of three of Some very amusing ballots were polled, such as "Turner, Martin, McPhillips," and "Yates, Martin, McPhillips," Gabr and "Martin, Beckwith and Turner," with Exte an infinitude of other similar instances. Alex Some ballots were marked on the back. After the ballots had been counted and the boxes formally sealed, the successful candidates were driven through Government street amid cheers from the crowd, while the band played several patriotic airs. At the opposition rooms on Government street, speeches were delivered, Capt. Clive Phillipps-Wolley presiding, after which the assemblage dispersed That some of them did not immediately retire to rest is amply evidenced by the The fact that the Lieut-Governor and some of | Ced the defeated candidates were serenaded in Bole rather original style, in which ironical S. Saani cheers and groans were easily distinguish- Royal Oak 38

An official recount of the ballots is being made this afternoon, and is now progressing as this paper goes to press. The following are the results throughout THE COAST CITIES.

the province: VICTORIA. Hon. Jos. Martin, Govt. 1353 John C. Brown, Govt. 1261 Hon. J. Stuart Yates, Govt. 1224 Ald, Beckwith, Govt. 1155 Total 4933 Quesnelle sult gave very general satisfaction. The bulletins at the Times and Colonist were eagerly scanned, the general result after and bustle of election. A rather remarkable procedure was adopted by some of the government supporters, which provoked. This evening Premier Martin will arrive from the Mainland, and there will be a caucus of the government committees to talk over the situation. The fact that the Premier asserted on the stump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that if he was not returned with a marking and the sump that is the sump that is the sum of the s Majority for Opposition 1257 Barkerville 29 42 110

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(Opp.) (Govt.)	Port Kells 14 20 4
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Courtenay 55 97	Langley 14 24 31
Cumberland161 94	Brownsville 34 17 13
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Hon, Smith Curtis elected. KOOTENAY, W. (REVELSTOKE) Trout Lake 21 Nakusp Haleyon Springs Albert Canyon 4 Ferguson 29 Arrowhead Armstrong 11 Five places to hear from. Taylor probably elected.

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heard from. YALE, W. Hope Spence's Bridge avona

Six places to hear from, Murphy lead YALE, N. Fulton. Deane. Palmer. (Opp.) (Prov.) (Goods) Stump Lake 6 Kamloops286 Tappan Siding ... 3 Shuswap Prairie. 14 Salmon Arm 35 Quilcena 11 Griffin Lake 4 Nicola Lake 26 Douglas Lake ... 19 Notch Hill 13 Knalt 8 430

Six places to hear from. YALE, EAST. Ellison. Snedgrass. Ra (Opp.) (Govt.) (Prox) Enderby 35 Mara 17 Armstrong 69 Camp McKinney. 22 Rock Creek 18 Sidney 7 Fourteen places to hear from.

EASTERN OPIONIONS. What the Leading Ontario Papers Think of Saturday's Elections.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Ont., June 11.-The Globe and Mail to-day deal editorially with the result of the British Columbia elections. The Mail says that Martin was wind off the face of the earth. The electrical it says, was not only disastrous to Martin, but to Lieut.-Governor McInnes. The Globe says: "The Martin govern-

ment is now defeated, and thus we have a state of affairs under which, as Sir Wilfrid Laurier says, the Lieut Governor will be found to have taken a very serious step. He dismissed a minister which was not charged with dishonesty or flagrant wrongdoing of any kind. The dismissal was condemned by the territory ture. He chose as his first minister gentleman who was immediately de clared by an almost unanimous resals tion of the legislature not to possesses confidence. It is therefore obvious that he assumed a grave personal responsi-bility and took a large risk, staking everything on an appeal to the people. It may be contended that the stake was so large as to include his own official life. and that the people in rejecting Martin have pronounced against the action of the Lieut.-Governor."

The Ottawa newspapers, as well those of other cities, agree that Martin has met with a crushing defeat.

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The buoyant member for Pictou was

somewhat late in taking up the burden of his complaint in regard to Yukon matters at this session of parliament, but he is going to make up for lost time by taking a whirl at the absent Minister of the Interior every day for the remain-der of the time at his disposal. He has been somewhat handicapped for information since he lost the service of his American newspaper friends at Dawson City, and he met with such a rebuff when he made an effort to secure as a detective an officer of the United States army that we fear the heart has been taken out of him, as he was unable to muster enough material for a resolution of more than half an hour's length at the opening round of his fight against Mr. Sifton, and it is said he intends to reel, off the skein of his discourse to the members of the House on the instalwent plan, allowing himself an hour each day for his task. This makes a rather disagreeable prospect for the members who are anxious to complete the business of the session and return to their homes, but we suppose everything else must give way when a Tupper has business on his hands. Major Walsh seems to be Sir Hibbert's bete noire. This unfortunate object of Tupperian wrath, according to Conservative and Liberal statesmen and newspapers from one end of Canada to the other, was at the time of his appointment as administrator of the Yukon Territory the very man for the place, and even some papers in the United States who remembered his record when he was in the Northwest Mounted Police, said if the whole continent had been scoured a better selection could not have been made. The Major has retired from the position, and probably his name has been forgotten by nearly everyone except the sleuthhound who is on his track. He was never a politician, certainly not a partisan, and if he had any party predilections at all he was probably a Conservative. Under these circumstances it is difficult to see what party capital is to be gained by hounding Major Walsh. The government made the best selection possible when they appointed him,-under the peculiar condition prevailing at the time in the territories they were compelled to trust entirely to his discretion as an administrator, and it appears as if they could hardly be held strictly responsible for wrongdoing, if there were any. But, like his father and the leadership of the Conservative party, Sir Hibbert will not give up till he gets there, if he has to stick to it till he is 80 years

The opening day of the Yukon fiasco for this session proved rather unfortun- Probably all the facts have not been ate for this inveterate enemy of Major Walsh. After he had covered the ground in the thorough manner for which the Tuppers are notorious, taking care to sponsible for all the wars that have ever consume as much time as possible as he been waged. We have not a very exalted went along and winding up with a resolu- opinion of Tories ourselves, but we tion which he admitted himself was too | would not like to go so far as that, so long to read, he took up the case of we will compromise by saying that Kru-Major Walsh, said the latter had pro- ger is one of the strongest types of an fited personally by the temporary closing out and out Tory we have read of in of Dominion Creek and that he had the modern times. He caused the present Financial Statement in Connection With evidence of prominent Americans to war. prove that the administration of the Yukon was "rotten to the core."

In the absence of Mr. Sifton the Solicitor-General undertook to reply to Sir A look at the contents of any of the Hibbert, and opened up by reading a letter from the American officer from whom Tupper had tried to collect evi- | Sir Charles Tupper the price of his sildence detrimental to the department. Major Morgan expressed surprise that servatives are anything but a happy jesty's possessions in India: he, an officer in the United States army, should receive a letter from a member of the Canadian parliament on such a subject, and informed the writer that in the United States it would be considered undignified, to put it mildly, for a member of Congress to seek information of this nature from an officer of a foreign country. He also said that he had seen the reports in the papers taking exception to the way in which the affairs of the government were administered in the Yukon Territory, in which the officers were charged with incompetence, corruption and general misbehavior, and added that, considering the difficulties of communication and all the circumstances, the Canadian government had acted upon the best information avail- a large increase in the gold output there. able and that the legislation had been Canada is rapidly assuming the position such as experience had advised. Major Morgan, speaking from knowledge gain- countries of the world. ed during two years' residence in Dawson, in which period he had acquired some twenty mining claims, and had frequently transacted business with the of- been heard from for some time, Mr. Spenficials, testified to the fact that Major Walsh had upheld the dignity of his office as a gentleman, and, as far as the charges of corruption were concerned, that he had no knowledge whatever of wrongdoing on the part of the officials.

This broadside was calculated to take some of the bounce and bluster out of the gallant knight from Vancouver, but the Solicitor-General had more evidence of the utter recklessness which Sir Hibbert has inherited from his distinguished cored the beleaguered garrison was not father. How ill-founded the charge is marked by any signally brilliant strategy. that Major Walsh personally profited by the closing of Dominion Creek is proved by the fact that the Major was not appointed administrator until August, 1897, with watching, Colonel Baden-Powell's and that he did not start for the Yukon men held the outnumbering Boers at bay until September, while the creek was closed on November 13th, 1897, by Mr. Fawcett, before Major Walsh had reachthe most trying conditions.

ed the Yukon at all. It may be well to say that the government does not contend that perfection

it has done all in its power to secure pure government for that rather inaccessible None but men of the highest in- 'E's as cheerful as a robin is tegrity have been appointed to office, and while reckless charges have been made against almost every one of them, that true, but rather that a system of es-As if 'e was a-banquettin' in stylepionage has been set up by Sir Hibbert Tupper and his satellites for the purpose of manufacturing evidence which E as only to go laughin' down the linethey think may be used with advantage against the government. Take the case To make one think starvation's bloody of Mr. E. C. Senkler, for instance. They have laid charges against him, and they are to be investigated. Does anyone in any part of Canada who knows Mr. If 'e 'appens to be eatin' 'orse's meat Senkler believe that he would be guilty As when 'e sits where Pooks and Princes of any corrupt work or that the charges laid against him will lie? We do not think so; and we believe that the fact that the minions of Sir Hibbert made the mistake of proceeding against this official proves that there is an understanding amongst the op- Always ready for w'otever 'as to be, ponents of the government with their Always findin' something hexellent to seefriends in the Yukon to lay charges And of all the 'eroes 'e's the one for me agginst every official with the forlorn hope of eventually finding some fault THIS BREWER BELIEVES IN PRAYER. with the government which will stick.

The famous author of the pamphlet setting forth the dogma that the "sun ! lo move" has been confounded by the recent eclipse. His theory is that is he the proper one to sue, except as an accessory before the fact? the earth is flat, and he is prepared to maintain it against all comers, but he cannot explain that extraordinary shadow looming up in the horizon on a cloudless morning and temporarily intercepting the rays of the king of day. His fertile brain is now at work on this interesting problem, and a waiting world will one of these days be presented with an ingenious theory in regard to this extraordinary phenomenon.

One of the most logical and convincone of the most logical and convinc-ing addresses of the campaign was that do not a way should be found to make delivered by Mr. Bodwell at the theatre 'them." Exactly! But the way-the way? last evening. He was thoroughly familiar with his subject and spoke with a force and directness which compelled the attention even of those who objected to being convinced. It is apparent that the is in a fair way of never emerging from work of constructing a railway into the Kootenay country is a much vaster undertaking than it is supposed to be by

It is alleged that a corporal in A Battery, Kingston, Ont., has been reduced to the ranks for insubordination because. being a temperance man, he refused to drink to the health of the Queen in beer. We do not credit the story, but if it be a of age, and the House of Commons must | fact that such a thing did occur, it is a striking commentary on the stupidity of the officer responsible for the order.

Goldwin Smith says Toryism is re-

The Toronto Mail says Sir Wilfrid Laurier's following is in a state of chaos. Eastern papers since the day when that the recent entertainment at the Victoria "danged scoundrel," Birmingham, told theatre, and to heartly thank those who ence, will convince anyone that the Con- for the sufferers from famine in Her Ma. family. And the trouble has only commenced.

There is a tremendous deluge of spring poetry sweeping over the Eastern press just now. They are singing "sweetly" | Sale of programmes and poems. imprisonment. We are not seized with out-of-door days, thank Heaven!

In spite of the adverse circumstances during the past year, the story of British Columbia's mineral production is one Klondike, too, shows that there will be Advertising and Printingof one of the great mineral-producing

. . . . It has been drawn to our attention that two great war experts have not cer Wilkinson and the military directorgeneral on our esteemed contemporary, the Colonist. This is an extraordinary coincidence.

THE REAL GLORY OF MAFEKING.

Chicago Record. The repulse of the besieging Boers about Mafeking by Colonel Baden-Powell's forces was not in itself an extraordinary military achievement. It is also a fact that the advance of the relief column that suc-The real achievement in the Mafeking affair was the patient, quiet determina tion of the British garrison. Afflicted by disease, distressed by hunger and weary for seven months. The Mafeking incident is likely to stand out in history as an example of Anglo-Saxon endurance under

It is not because of any acquired prestige to British arms that London and all England became ecstatically mad over the rewas then attained, or has yet been at- dinary jubilation was due rather to adlief of Mafeking. The Britons' extraortained, for that matter, in the adminis- miration for the patience, resolution and tration of the Yukon Territory, but it courage displayed by Colonel Badendoes assert, and asserts with reason, that | Powell's men.

Baden-Powell:

Always 'as 'is little pleasantry to say-Baden-Powell: 'E can sit be'ind a rock and gnaw a file does not prove that these charges are With as much contentment and as broad

Baden-Powell-

Baden-Powell.

Baden-Powell! 'e seems to think it jus

Baden-Powell!

Baden-Powell-Laughin' while 'e lunches on a cake of

Baden-Powell!

New York Mail and Express. For praying that lightning might strike a certain brewery, which afterwards was confronted with a suit for damages. But

A CHANCE FOR PAUL. San Francisco Bulletin. If Kruger gets safely away from South

Africa, he will be just in time to visit the Paris Exposition. It might be inter-sting to meet Salisbury or Chamberlain there and tell them what he thinks of

HERE IS A PROBLEM. San Francisco Bulletin. President Wheeler, of Berkeley, is quot

ed as remarking yesterday: A MELODIOUS PARTY.

Toronto Star. Between Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Birmingham the great Conservative party the one harmonious wHole into which I was welded just four years ago,

SECRET OF HIS SILENCE. Chicago Tines-Herald. Dr. Leyds is saying nothing at the present time. This shows that the doctor is possessed of good judgment. There is nothing for him to say.

ONE FOR THE COLONIST. Hamilton Spectator. Bobs has been doing so well recently that we have had to give him very little instruction.

NO CANT ABOUT HIM.

Detroit Tribune. Another thing about Lord Salisbury is that he never rings Providence into the

ANOTHER OPINION OF JOE. 1 Ottawa Journal. If Joe Martin wins in British Columbia reward that sometimes falls to sheer

FOR FAMINE SUFFERERS. the Recent Entertainment in the

His Worship the Mayor desires us to publish the following statement of re ceipts and expenditure in connection with generously assisted in realizing the hand-some sum of one hundred pounds sterling

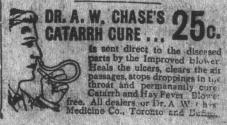
Receipts. Amount received from amateur performance in Victoria theatre, June 5th\$490 00 Sale of programmes and poems.... 31 00 Sale of programmes and poems.... 13 80 of the arrival of their "Out-of-Door ance 67 75 Days" and their "Fishing Days," as if Cash (an anonymous gift) 55 00 the people had been released from a long Cash collected by Miss Stannard. 9 25 Cash collected by Colonist Printing & Publishing Co. 18 00 such spasms out here. All our days are Cash collected by J. A. Northcotte. 100 Total\$685 80 Disbursements. Rent of theatre, etc......\$100 60 Rent of Institute hall, rehearsals.. 3 00 Band 50 00

of steady growth. The news from the Stage carpenter 14 00 Burghers in Western Transvaal Colonist \$13 50 Times 7 20 Cusack 7 50 Transportation bluejackets, etc. .. 2 60 Messenger service Telegraphic draft to Lord Mayor of London for India Famine Fund, Bank of B. C. and C. P. R. telegraphic charges Nil.

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The Great Blood Builder.

Mrs. D. W. Cronsberry, 163 Richmond St., Toronto, Ont., writes: "My daughter, who sews in a white goods factory, got completely run

EXHAUSTED NERVES

down by the steady confinement and close attention required at her work. Her nerves were so exhausted and she was so weak and debilitated that she had to give up work entirely for some weeks.

"She then begun to use Dr Chase's Nerve Food and found it excellent in restoring her to health and strength. She is now greatly im proved and at work again. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food also helped her through a very severe attack of la grippe. I can recommend it as an excellent remedy."

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One Pill a Dose. 25c. a Box.

Mr. Alex. Marshall, 59 Fssex Street, Toronto, Ont., says: "Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are a splendid medicinet and certainly do all that is claimed for them. Both myself and wife have been greatly

> KIDNEY DISEASE

benefited by their use. I had kidney disease and pains in the back for over two years, and at times the pains were so acute that I was totally unfit for work. Among the remedies I tried were English pills, supposed to be good.

but they did not fit my case. "I heard Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills highly praised, and used them. I now feel like a new man. The pains and aches have entirely disappeared and I can now work with comfort. My wife is much

Dr. Chase's Ointment

improved in health and we both endorse Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

Has Never Failed to Cure Piles.

Mr. O. P. St. John, the Dominion inspector of steamboats, residing at 246 Shaw Street, Toronto, in the following voluntary letter tells of his efforts to rid himself of the misery of Itching Piles and of his final

PILES.

success by using Dr. Chase's Ointment; "I suffered for nine years from itching piles, at times being unable to

sleep on account of the annoyance caused by them. After trying almost all remedies in vain I began the use of Dr. Chase's Ointment, which entirely cured me. I cannot speak too highly of it. I have recommended it to several of my friends, all of whom have been cured by

Chase's Catarrh Cure, wonderfully prompt and effective as a cure for cold in the head and catarrh. Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine has by far the largest sale of any remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and asthma. at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

He Can Now Render the Boer Position at Laing's Nek Untenable.

Surrender to Hunter-Treatment of Canadians.

London, June 9.—Buller has taken the offensive and by manoeuvering, he has secured a position west of Laing's Nek, by which he believes he can make children. Rifle shots could be heard the Boer positions untenable. Presum- everywhere. The British soldiers would ably he will immediately follow up his success. Lord Roberts has communicated noth-

correspondents to wire what is going on. London's inference is that he is resting, although he is possibly disposing his army to reach after Commandant Gen-Transvaal are giving up their rifles to one thousand prisoners who were de-

General Hunter. Harold G. Parsons, Federation deleough. This seems a curious return to the war in the mountains." make for the conspicuous services volun- At Lorenzo Marquez station a crowd tarily rendered. I have it on good, un-disputable authority that it is the prac-dent Kruger, as it was reported that he for I should not care to endure the sufferice of the war office to administer the would arrive by special train to gain an ings of last night again for fifty times its colunteers, and for all I know, the regulary asylum on board the Netherlands cruiser price.—G. H. Wilson, Liveryman, Burar army, by means of regulations, draft- Friesland. Middleburg is said to be full gettstown, Washington Co., Pa. This reed and issued in great part on no better of Boer refugees and wounded men. The medy is for sale by Henderson Bros., authority than that of promoted second- railway still delivers goods at Bronkhorst' Wholesale Agents, Victoria and Vancou-

doubt, of irreproachable character, but British column is at Bremen's dory, men by no means adapted by their intel- Swiziland. Eleven British prisoners have ligence or education to be trusted with been taken to Middleburg. The British so great a responsibility. Such a delega- at Beira are moving into the interior in Movement tion of authority, which is unconstituted to the country of the distribution of authority, which is unconstituted to the country of the High Commissioner, with a part of the Constown tion of authority, which is unconstitu- detachments of 200. office from top to bottom must be re- Sir Alfred Milner's staff, left Capetown formed if not reconstructed after the Tuesday evening for Pretoria, possibly,

> The Daily Chronicle referring to the protest of Harold G. Parsons, against details. the treatment given the wounded Cauadians, says: "That Lord Strathcona has investigated the complaint of the men and that the matter has been settled, furlough being granted."

A blockade of wires, owing to the rush of official correspondence may account for the scarcity of press dispatches. Some telegrams filed a week ago are only just now arriving. Among these were four killed and 13 wounded. are the descriptions of the fighting at Elansfontein. According to one of them the stores were filled with women and stop firing and join in the chase after ! chickens. The burghers surrendered to any one, Kaffirs went about looting the Jewish stores and mounted infantry galing for three days, nor permitted the loped hither and thither,

Lord Roberts's army has a new song. It runs thus: "We're marching into Pretoria,

It belongs to Queen Victoria." The Daily Express has the following Nek untenable." The Boers in the western part of the from Pretoria dated Wednesday: "The ported from Waterval were told that they were about to be given up to Lord gate from West Australia, writes to the Roberts. They entrained cheerfully, and Morning Post to protest against the were conveyed to Noitgedeche instead of treatment of wounded Canadians. He Pretoria. General Louis Botha, with a "The invalid Canadians at Shorn- rear guard of 2,000, left Pretoria during cliff camp who have returned from the the night, the British advance guard front complain that they are badly fed, entering on the very heels of the retirunhealthily crowded and refused fur- ing Boers. Botha has sworn to carry on

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as the Cape correspondent of the Daily News thinks, to arrange the annexation

Buller's Dispatch.

London, June 8.-The war office received the following from Buller: "Yellow Boom Farm, June 8 .- On June oth, Gen. Talbot Coke, with the Tenth Brigade and the South African Light Horse, seized Vanwicke Hill, The unemy made some resistance and a good deal of sniping occurred. Our casualties

"During that day and the following we got the 4.7 and two 12-pound naval guns to Vanwicke Hill, and two 5-inch guns on to the southwestern spur of In-

"The attack, which was planned by Hildyard, was carried out with immense dash by the troops, for whom no mountains were too steep to outflank the enemy, who were forced to retire from their very strong position.

"I think we did not have any casualties, and I hope I have obtained a position from which I can render Laing's

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I awoke last night with severe pains in my stomach. I never felt so badly in all my life. When I came down to work this morning I felt so weak I could hardly work. I went to Miller & McCurdy's drug store and they recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It worked like magic, and one dose fixed me all right. It certainly is the finest thing I ever used for stomach trouble. I shall AND THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPER

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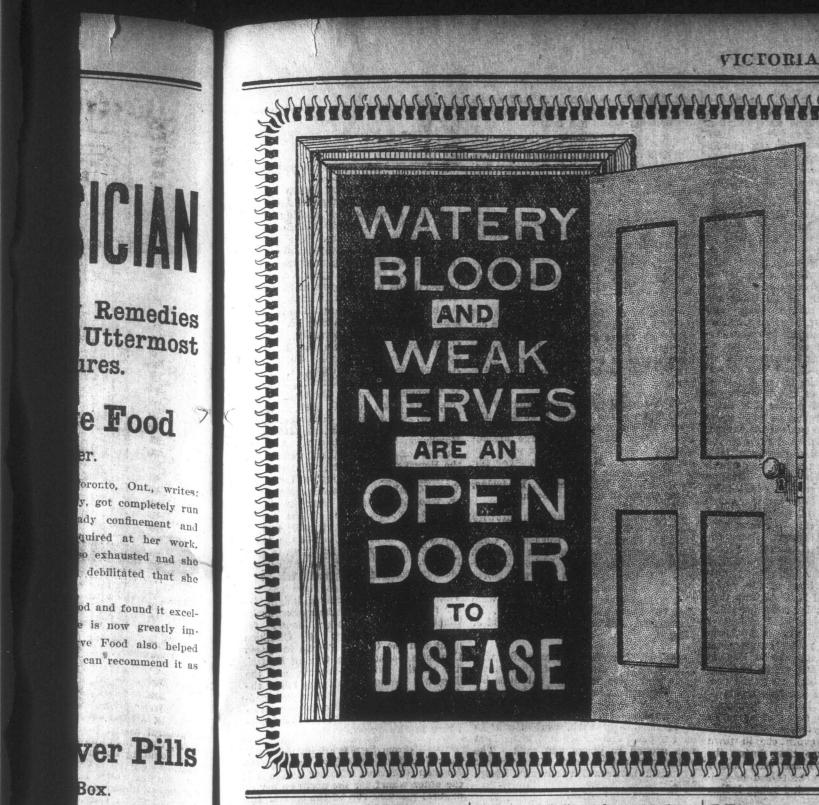
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Good health is the best asset that any man or woman can have; but good health can only be had by keeping the blood rich and red and the nerves strong. If the blood is allowed to become poor and watery the whole system is weakened and falls an easy prey to disease. To those thus weakened the winter months are especially dangerous. A chill may be followed by pneumonia; a cold by consumption. La grippe finds such people easy victims, and its after effects are disastrous and frequently fatal.

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The Eastern Troubles

Foreign Soldiers Are Ready to Take Part in the Fighting.

Powers Are Giving Chinese Government a Chance to Quell Disturbances.

London, June 9.-No definite returns regarding the severe fighting between actions have been very offensive to me. the Chinese troops and Boxers that was going on Thursday, between Tien Tsin ministers and explain, but to-day they and Pekin, had been received at Tien sent and compelled their women to come Tsin, when the latest plegrams to reach and kow tow." ondon, were filed.

ed many Boxers, according to some re-ports, while another account had the government soldiery defeated in an engagegation guards have not yet taken a hand in the fighting, but they are ready to do so at a moment's notice. The Boxers' movement affect some

hundreds of square miles. ful than any political party in China, manipulated by zealous and adroit men. sionaries in China. The board cabled on The representatives of the powers are the day for information, and the reply pears for the present to give the Chi-

down the disturbance alone. pected attack by the Boxers. There is and advising that help be requested from a continual influx of refugees from the the state department. surrounding country, who are now crowding the city. This increases the excitement. Nearly all the villages sur-

and more fanatical character." the situation becomes acute, the only al- tism. It continued to grow worse and I ternative to a European concert, which could hardly get around to work. I went would be effective, only in theory, would to a drug store, and the druggist recombe for England and Russia to act to- mended me to try Chamberlain's Pain gether in a definite agreement. The pa- Balm. I tried it and one-half of a 50-cent per adds: "They alone possess physical bottle cured me entirely. I now reco power near enough to the scene to be of mend it to all my friends.-F. A. Babcock immediate use. England could in this case use her Indian troops. Continuing Bros., Wholesale Agents, Victoria and case use her Indian troops. Continuing, the Spectator strongly opposes any partition of China, and thinks it unsafe to assume that the Chinese soldiers cannot. fight. It adds: "The court of Pekin is, in action, the most imbecile in the world, but it may send a Wallenstein, who would not steal his soldiers' powder and then Europe will have a new problem to solve."

Kempff Report. Washintgon, June 8.-The following

was received to-day: "Long Ku, June 8 .- On June 3 landed forces to protect American interests with consent of China, fifty-six at Pekin and the rest at Tien Tsin. Combined nations sent a force to both cities; no injury so far. British, Russian and Chi nese admirals and twenty warships here. Corps likely to fail, causing more trouble in the near future. The situation is most critical. The Russian forces began fighting, so I landed fifty more men. I have requested U. S. ship Helen be sent immediately to protect interests, or a vessel like her. I consider a battalion of marines necessary, and I need a gunboat. On June 6, the Tien Tsin, Pekin railway was cut. I will act in concert with the naval forces of the other powers to protect interests if necessary. There was a meeting of the foreign senior naval officers to-day, there being present the English, French, German, Austrian, Italian, Japanese and American officers, to arrange for combined ac-

tion to protect life and property if required. One hundred men are ashore There are 25 warships here. (Signed)

Press Opinions. London, June 8.-The morning papers inger over the Chinese situation, publishing long editorial reviews and con-

Claude MacDonald is charming, person ally, but lacks initiative and strength of character sufficient for the difficult post of British minister at Pekin. In its news columns, it tells how Sir Claude claimed a British diplomatic victory, when the legation ladies, escorted by Lady MacDonald, visited the Empress Dow ager, who afterwards, it is alleged, sent this telegram to all the provinces: you are aware these foreign devils have been very troublesome lately. Their Being a woman, I could not meet the

The Chinese troops, however, had kill- 000 Indian troops be dispatched to China to restore order.

The Daily Mail re-asserts its position of yesterday, that the United States, the would be able to impose order without alliances or jealousies.

Missionaries Safe. New York, June 8.-The anxiety which has been felt in regard to the Presbyter-Official dispatches to Vienna from ian missionaries in the Pekin district ceipt of a cablegram from Dr. John W.

still acting in perfect concert, which ap- which came to-day reads: "Still danger." This was taken to indicate that no sernese government ample chance to put iou depredations have been made as yet by the Boxers. The Presbyterian board cent. over last year. The Tien Tsin correspondent of the has 58 United States missionaries in the Daily 'Mail telegraphing on June 7th, Shang Tung province. The board has says: "For the last three days, the whole also received a cablegram stating that community of Tien Tsin has been pre- all United States missionaries are well. paring to defend itself against an ex- but that the government is demoralized

HOW TO CURE A SPRAIN.

Last fall I sprained my left hip while rounding Tien Tsin are joining the Box- handling some heavy boxes. The doctor I ers' movement, which is taking a more called on said at first it was a slight strain and would soon be well, but it grew worse The Spectator says it considers that if and the doctor then said I had rheuma-Vancouver.

The Daily Press contends that Sir The Annual Report of the Minister of This Important Department

> Shows Substantial Increase in Total Output For the Year 1899.

The annual report of the Minister of Mines for the year ending December

\$12.356.555 as against \$10,906,861 for to the returns of one treated or shipped. ment near Paoting. Apparently the le- friend of Russia and Great Britain the previous year, an increase of \$1,449,- The tonnage actually mined, according 694, equivalent to an increase of 131/4 to the report, would be somewhat less,

per cent, over last year. In consideration of the fact that the the mines caused a deficit of \$910,844 which had accumulated, which has helpin silver and lead values alone, the Pekin aver that the sect is more power- was partially allayed to-day by the re- above is a very creditable showing. The embracing no less than 4,000,000 and Hendy, one of the board's oldest mis- to believe that but for this shutting down there would have been derived from these same mines an increase of \$500,000 in place of the present deficit, which would have brought the year's increase to \$2,863,159, or about 27 per

> coke, an increase in coal production over silver, and of \$712,133. last year's of 158,267 tons, with a small decrease of some 750 tons in the production of coke, occasioned by slackness of work at the smelters. The Vancouver Island collieries alone broke all records, without the assistance of the Crow's Nest colliery, with a total output of 1,-191,008 tons of coal, but the greater part of the coke trade-some 26,000 tons, has gone to the Crow's Nest, which is

sumption as to commend the business. The reports says: "As a by-product the Wellington colliery of Union, V.I., produced from its coal mines a very fair quality of fire clay, for which a good in the laboratory during the past year market is found, as it is the only de- with the object of doing quicker and betposit of fire clay worked on the coast, ter work, as well as for the greater acand the increasing demand for fire-brick commodation of students and candidates seems to insure a regular growing mar- being examined for the government as-

Gold.

The gold production for the year 1899, which includes both the placer and lode gold amounted to the very substantial sum of \$4,202,473 and it is gratifying to the province has the gold production has been erected for the lifting of heavy reached the four million mark. The melts from the furnace and this ennearest approach was in 1863, when the sures the pouring of gold bars with little risk of mishap. production was \$3,913,563, the figures this year leading those of any previous equalled within the past twelve years. was done collecting and forwarding mir to the Atlin district, which during the year entered the list as a serious pro-

about \$800,000 in gold. The output of gold obtained from lode mining was \$2,857,573, an increase over last year of some \$656,356, due chiefly to the great increased tonnage of the Rossland camp and the operations of the Ymir mines in the Nelson mining divis-

The amount of fine copper produced in the province during the year 1899 was

throughout the year caused the value of existed; but unfortunately no such genof about 55 per cent, over that of 1898. | made for years to come, as the greater land, Nelson and the Coast. The copper difficult and expensive to survey. Hence, production of the Coast district for the however satisfactory these boundaries produced from some 5,200 tons of ore, never agreed on any two maps, for no

The fact that many of the largest proeither partially or entirely for the great-31st, 1899, has just been received and or July, owing to a question between tural result, the greatest confusion exis certainly a very clear and comprehen- the mine owners and their workmen, ac- isted regarding such records," as some of the mines having concentrators utilized the period of enforced idleness underground, in running through temporary closing down of certain of their mills dumps of second grade ore, ed to swell the tonnage of ore shippel and accounts for the greater proportionreport states that there is every reason ate decrease in the silver and lead contents of ore, there having been no appreciable decrease in the assay value of the ores mined. "This decrease," says the failure or depreciation in the mines themselves, but solely to the fact that they have been worked only a portion of the

Continuing the report shows that the | The total silver production for the year coal mines of the province have again amounted to 2,939,413 ounces, valued at broken all records with an output of 1, \$1,663,708, a decrease from the produc-294,132 tons of coal, and 34,251 tons of tion of 1898 of 1,357,619 ounces of fine

Near Kamloops and on Texada Island | always given the most perfect satisfaction, some 2,000 tons of iron ore was mined in the last year, which was used for fluxing purposes by the smelters.

In June the government opened a branch office in Vancouver for melting so much nearer to the points of con- gold dust, with Mr. Pellew-Harvey in charge. During the year the gold melted in Vancouver amounted to \$156,555 and at Victoria \$62,481.

A number of improvements were made say certificate. A notable improvement is the new bullion melting furnace of such a capacity that one thousand ounces can be melted at a time. plans for this furnace were supplied by the provincial mineralogist, and it is fully up to the requirements. A crane

Specimens for Paris. rear by \$288,910. The yield of placer The report also points out that during gold was \$1,344,900, which had not been the past year a large amount of work This increase is attributed by the report | eral samples to Ottawa for the Paris exposition and considerable time was de voted to collecting and arranging the ore ducer, and, despite the disadvantage of specimens now having been classified aca late first season and many disputes us cording to the mining divisions from to the ownership of claims, has yielded which they were obtained.

Readjustment of Boundaries. The report further points out that there has been a general readjustment of boundaries of the mining divisions be-

cause the old boundaries were found to

be indefinite. The report says on this point: "In many of the old mining divisions a boundary- was described as a straight line running from a point half-way be-

7,722,591 pounds, an increase of about tween two lakes to a certain other point; 6 per cent, over last year. The report in other cases it was described as a cershows that while this increase in the ac- tain meridian or a parallel of latitude, tual output is comparatively slight, the all of which might be easily laid down on exceedingly good market prices ruling a map and correctly, if any correct map such production to amount to an increase | cral map did exist and is not likely to be So far the copper-producing districts part of the country is still unsurveyed, are practically confined to three-Ross- and from its mountainous character is year was 654,972 pounds fine copper, may have appeared on the map, they the product of mines on Texada Island, two were alike, while in the field they on Mount Sicker on the east coast, and were simply impossible; they were never near Alberni on the west coast of Van-traced on the ground and could not be except at a prohibitive expense; no one not even the surveyors, know where they were supposed to run, consequently i was quite impossible for any prospector ducers in the Slocan had been shut down staking a claim near a supposed boundary, to know in which mining record er part of the producing year since June office he should record it, and as a na-

sive review of the mining industry in this counts for the poor showing of the silprovince during the past year. If shows ver-lead producers chiefly in that district. province during the past year. It shows that the total mineral output of the prothat the total mineral output of the prodistrict has dropped from 30,691 tons in cld boundaries in those mining divisions necessary to make them comportable. vince for the year 1899 amounted to 1898, to 21,507 tons in 1899, according where any large number of claims were recorded. The principle adopted was to define their boundaries by the ground, not by the map, to make the natural fea-

tures of the country the boundaries. The report then goes on to give a summary of the year's progress in the various mining divisions. It is illustrated by some excellent views of the different mines, while on the frontispiece contains a splendid photogravure of the parliament buildings.

The clear and concise arrangement of statistics demonstrates fully the efficiency of the provincial minerologist and mentary on the close relationship exgreat vital industry of the province.

A CARD OF THANKS.

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Homeless

Big Fire Raging in Province of Quebec--Many Houses Destroyed.

The Noble Dynamite Trust Buy Shares of Hamilton Powder

Tadousac that the fire, which started at St. Etienne on Tuesday afternoon, is still raging in the forest. There are at present 56 families homeless. Mr. Wm. Price, of Price Lumber Company, Que-

Thomas Harrington, convicted of arson, was yesterday sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary by Justice Bosse of the Criminal Assize court. Montreal, June 8 .- James Kent, manager of the C. P. R. telegraph, left this morning for Manitoba and British Col-

umbia on a tour of inspection of the company's telegraph system. It is understood that a majority of the shares of the Hamilton Powder pany have been purchased by the Noble Dynamite Trust Co., Ltd., London, J. L. Duplat Taylor, chairman. It is said that after watching the developments of report, "is in no way attributable to any his department and is a speaking comdike, for some time, the directors of the isting between the authorities and the English concern decided to take this step in order to secure a share in the

ever growing trade in this country. St. Mary's, June 8.-The London Methodist conference, in session here, has elected Rev. W. G. Henderson, pastor of St. Mary's Methodist church, presi-

Jack Roach, who, it will be remembered, was alleged to have been an accomplice of the Napanee bank robbers. and afterwards acquitted, was this morning found guilty of entering a store of one Donney, a cigar dealer, of this city, and holding up the preprietor and reliev-

ing him of \$100. Port Hope, June 8.—The 17th annual session of Bay of Quinte Methodist conference opened here yesterday, and elected Rev. W. J. Crothers, D.D., as presi-

Ottawa, June 8 .- Major Drummond, military secretary to the Governor-General, who went to Africa with the first Canadian contingent last October, has arrived home. He looks splendid, and appears to have completely recovered from the illness which led to his return from the war.

In an interview to-day Major Drummond, who was at the battle of Magersfontein, said Lord Methuen could do nothing else but make a frontal attack on the enemy owing to the smallness of his force, which did not permit of flanking

Toronto, June 8.—The annual report of the Canadian Bank of Commerce for the past year gives a remarkable record of earnings. The net profits for the year were \$766,587 and dividend \$420,-000, 7 per cent on \$6,000,000. A big balance will be used to add a quarter of a million to the rest fund, and \$100,-000 to clear off the bank premises. The

rest will now be \$1,250,000.
Donald Chapman, of Whitechurch township, York county, is under arrest charged with arson. Chapman is alledged to have been the accomplice with one Riddell, who is serving a 3 years' sentence in the penitentiary for setting fire to the barns of Mordecai Chapman. a brother of the accused, whom he hated. Riddell declared, after the sentence, that he had only been the tool of Donald

Engine 524, while running near Rockford on the Owen Sound branch of the C. P. R., was yesterday struck by light-ning. No damage, however, was done. Engineer Johnson felt the shock.

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ing to one of the most extraordinary political campaigns that has ever been fought in British Columbia. Not only was the government defeated, but the party of which the Premier was formerly one of the leaders, that known as the Provincial party, was almost wiped out of existence, its chief, Mr. Cotton, disappearing from public life, temporarily, at least, along with the majority of his followers. The late Minister of Finance was the only member of the late government offering for re-election, so that not a member of Mr. Semlin's cabinet will have a seat in the House. Mr. Turner will be surrounded, apparently, by seventeen of his former supporters, but it is not thought likely that he will accept the task of forming a government. That appears to be the situation at the present time. It is a difficult matter to estimate the probable strength of the government party, as the events which will precede the formation of a new government may have an important bearing on the effectiveness of the opposition in the new House. For instance, it is not probable that Mr. Neill, of Alberni, Mr. Hayward, of Esquimalt, or Mr. Houston, of Nelson, although opposed to the present government, will be likely to support an administration with Mr. Turner as Premier. Not only the selection of a leader, but many other circumstances, suggest themselves as possible factors in departies in the new House, and apparently only a convention, as suggested by the member for Alberni, or the meeting of the House will effectively set the matter at rest and decide the leadership of the opposition and the future Premier. When we come to look into the appar-

for the extraordinary turn in the tide of public opinion as indicating by the results of the voting, there can be no doubt that primarily the action of the of the voting in this city was announced Lieut.-Governor in arbitrarily exercising his powers, and, secondly, the wrangling quantities. Mr. Smith was carried up and struggling for position among the prominent members of the Semlin government, were the chief forces at work. All rulers of constitutionally governed countries have been given warning dent called on the man whose efforts through the ballot boxes in British Columbia that the people prefer to make defeat of Mr. Foster and also of Mr. and unmake their own governments, and Deane. In his opinion Mr. Martin that any man, even the highest in place sit in the House with only five or six E. E. Leason, D.D.C. in the land, who undertakes to usurp supporters. As to who would be sent for their prerogative is likely to have an unable to conjecture, but he felt posi- the family residence, 128 North Paris Lim from the Seattle, Lake Shore & uncomfortable time of it. We are conjugated that no other power save the vinced that no other power save that the vinced that no other powe sympathy of the electors at the alleged arbitrary treatment of a party which its own organs admitted to be dead and its own organs admit buried, could ever have rehabilitated looked for, but it was not expected that husband, five sons and two daughters. The cuse will be tried in the near futhis defunct organization and placed it his majority would be so small. W. W. one of the latter being Mrs. T. E. this defunct organization and placed it is a position to once more assume the city after he returned from Wellington of the sons and her husband are in the reins of power. It is utterly impossible on Saturday evening, and was showered Hawaiian Islands. for any Liberal newspaper to condone such an act. From the days of William Lyon Mackenzie and Papineau Liberals, under arms and on the bustings, have been fighting against just such asumptions of power as we have witnessed in this province, and it is noticeable that not a newspaper in the Dominion of Canada has printed a word in defence of the action of His Honor. Some have asserted that the people of British Columbia might with perfect safety entrust the management of their affairs in the hands of Hon. Joseph Martin, but not ness of the meeting will be the election one of them that we have ever seen approved of the manner of his attainment to power. We think we are doing no Lodge of the I.O.O.F. for their province injustice to anyone in saying that the present situation has been produced by the inaction of a government divided against itself and the unwise action of the Lieut.-Governor.

PASSING AWAY.

to Non Roman Many of the old familiar figures of the Provincial Assembly have retired from Provincial Assembly have retired from of the business of the year. On Thurspublic life, some of them voluntarily and day evening the dramatized work of Mr. A. Lonfield, leader; song, Miss A. others at the mandate of the people, and the places where they were wont to congregate will know them no more. The form of the venerable Premier who was the last to be dismissed by the Lieut. Governor was seen in the streets of Victoria to-day, but never again will his voice the part in the debates in the Legislative hall. He retired voluntarily, and so did Mr. Hume, his late Minister of Mines, Mr. Henderson, his Attorney-General, and Dr. McKechnie, his Finance Minister. It would have been the wiser part for Mr. Carter-Cotton, the late Minister of Finance, if he had anticipated the will of the people. Mr. Semlin and Dr. McKechnie would undoubtedly have been returned if they had decided to stand in their old constituencies, but, all things considered, it is no wonder they resolved to retire from the perplexities of political life. Mr. Bryden is another old campaigner who has had to pass has produced a loud-speaking telephone under the rod. He had few enemies which can be heard very well by those on either side, and his absence will who are not stone-deaf.

be regretted by most of the old-timers Mr. Higgins, another of the old brigad? Saturday night brought a remarkable, has had to undergo involuntary superthough not altogether unexpected, end- annuation, and he leaves no worthy successor to take up his points of order. His successor in the Speaker's chair, Mr. Forster, also practically a member of the late Semlin government, has had to bow to the will of the people, against whose ruling there is no appeal. Mr. Macpherson has also been given a term in which to cogitate over the unreasonableness of the labor party in opposing one who was one of themselves, while Mr. Kellie, the humorist of the House, will make way for Mr. Hunter and his pawky sallies. When the old frequenter of the galleries scans the floor of the chamber and beholds the gaps that the inexorable decrees of the people have made in the ranks of his old friends he will probably heave a sigh as he remembers that all men, as well as all things, Head street last evening, and received shall pass away. * * *

Mr. Martin, Mr. Brown, Mr. Smith Curtis, and Mr. McInnes, a quartette of the strongest debaters that ever sat in the British Columbia Legislature.

THE OPPOSITION VICTORIOUS.

(Continued from page 3.)

BALLOT BOXES MISSING. Stolen From the Office of the Returning

Officer at Fort Steele. Fort Steele, June 11 .- At this hour

a.m., the town is wild with excitement over the fact that two of the ballot boxes have been stolen. During the celebration over Smith's election, the returning officer was reliev-

ed of the keys to his office, where the boxes were being collected. At 11 o'clock termining the relative strength of the last evening, on his going by the office, the door was found to be open, and upon examination two of the boxes were dis covered to have been stolen. Police were at once notified and have already arrested one man who is suppos-

ed to have been implicated, but who claimed he is not the principal, and interesting developments are looked for, the election being very close. At this hour no trace of the missing boxes has ent causes which have been responsible been found.

IN THE COAL CITY.

Nanaimo, June 11.-Ralph Smith received a big reception when the result on Saturday evening. The band turned out and fireworks were burned in large on a stand where he was draped with the national colors, and then, in a few well chosen words, he thanked his hearers for the confidence they had shown in

Yesterday afternoon your correspon did so much to defeat Martinism. Mr. Smith said that he deeply regretted the would resign his seat, as he would never

with congratulations on the success of his fight.

THE TRIPLE LINKS.

campment of the Province Open To-Morrow.

To-morrow afternoon at 2 p.m. the Grand Encampment of B. C. will meet in annual session in this city, the sessions being held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Grand Patriarch Jos. E. Phillips, of this city, will preside, and the principal busiof officers. This will be followed in the evening by a banquet in the dining hall. On Wednesday at 10 a.m. the Grand will open, with Grand Master D. Welsh, tunate man.

of New Westminster, in the chair, Among the first items on the gramme will be an address of welcome from His Worship Mayor Hayward, who A.O.U.W. Hall both yesterday afternoon is an enthusiastic member of the order of and evening. The various salesladies the triple links. It is expected that were kept constantly busy in attending there will be a very large atendance of to the large number of customers, and as

officers will take place, and on Thursday excellent entertainment was provided, the sessions will be devoted to disposing the programme consisting of the followthe third degree, one of the most impressive rites of Oddfellowship, will be exemplified by the fine degree team of Co-Mr. E. A. Powell; song, Rev. E. G. Mil

the installation of officers and a banquet.

A BUNDLE OF NERVES. Nerve force is the very life of man and every organ of the human body is dependent upon it. Just as soon as the blood gets thin and watery and falls to supply nourishment to the nerves there comes a train of nervous disorders, nervous prostration, paralysis, epilepsy, insanity and fontein, Saturday, April 28th, and the Dr. Chase's Nerve Food rebuilds death. and revitalizes the nerve cells wasted, by disease, overwork and worry. It is beyond doubt the world's greatest restorative. Recommended by your family physician.

All druggists recommend and sell it. The voice of the ordinary telephone too feeble for deaf persons to use it, but M. Dussand, of the university of Geneva.

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(From Friday's Daily.) -The Times has received from the collector of customs and staff the sum of \$57 for the Indian famine fund.

-The regular quarterly meeting of the held on Wednesday afternoon next.

-The funeral of the late A. Carmichael took place this afternoon from the family residence, Rae street, to Ross Bay cemetery. Rev. W. Leslie Clay officiated.

in jumping from the Esquimalt car near some painful injuries to his head and

-All Orange lodges from Puget advised that the lodges at Port Angeles, New Whatcom and Tacoma will send large delegations.

ant street yesterday, resulted in a ver-dict of accidental death being returned. tily decorated with lilies of the valley

crowded quarter.

funeral of the late Mrs. Jane Gordon, which took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, Rae street. The pallbearers were: Messrs. A. S. Roberts, B. C. Pettingill, J. M. Robertson, C. McSmith, D. M. Robertson and D. McLacklan.

-The mayor has received the following telegram in reply to the one dispatched by him on the day of the reported cap ture of Pretoria:

Ottawa, June 7, 1900. Chas. Hayward, Mayor of Victoria, B.C. His Excellency the Governor-General is commanded by Her Majesty to convey cordial thanks to you for loyal congratula-

L. G. DRUMMOND. Governor-General's Secretary.

-A meeting of Victoria Lodge, No. 17 K, of P., was held last evening, when the principal business was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: C. C., Jos. Hilton; V.C., J. W. Hall; Pre-late, F. Applewhite; M. of E., J. T. Pearce; M. of F., J. J. Randolph; K. of R. and S., E. N. Nathan; M. at A., A. E. Greenwood; I.G., W. P. Allen; O.G., W. S. Stamer; M. of W., E. C. Smith. The installation will take place the first meeting in July, which will be conducted by

surprise to the unbiased observer, al- which she was attacked six days before railway, which claims the ownership of

-Last night the body of John Rowley. whose death by exposure was recorded in these columns yesterday, was brought to the city from Sidney in the care of the provincial police. Rowley had been in the employ of a Japanese carpenter at Sessions of the Grand Lodge and Grand En- Provost Island loading props on the schooner Defiance, for use in Mexican mines. He had been drinking heavily and on Tuesday week wandered away and all efforts to locate him proved futile. On Wednesday, however, he was found in a dying condition, and was barely able to take a drink of water, when he expired. The body was brought to Sidney in a boat, and to this city by the V. & S. train. Rowley is known upon the waterfront, having been at different periods a fireman in the various steamers. No inquest will be held over the remains, and a subscription is bein taken up along the waterfront to defra the expenses of the burial of the unfor

-There was a splendid attendance at the grand army and navy bazaar in the a result the receipts were of a most sat-On Wednesday evening the election of isfactory character. In the evening an Stoddart; song, "Mule of Silver Grey rature of the bazaar.

> -H. W. Sheppard, ex-chief of police, has received a letter from his stepson. Pet. Whitely, who is serving with the first Canadian contingent in South Africa. The letter is dated from Bloemwriter says that he had just returned from the front with Colonel Otter, who having received a wound in the neck was brought to Bloemfontein in a cart. The colonel left the regiment at Thaba Nchu, and at the waterworks a Cape cart was secured and he and Whitely arrived at Bloemfontein shortly after noon. The colonel rode in the cart for 23 miles, which must have been a tiresome journey, but, according to Pte. Whitely, the wounded officer did not appear to mind it very much. The writer says

that he was in the firing line on the nett has been enlarged. A staff of 85 Wednesday prior to the date of the letter, when the Canadians were afforded are building scows and boats. the pleasure of seeing the enemy retire from kopje to kopje under the galling fire of the Gordons, whose volleying was like clock work. Pte. Whitely says that the majority of the British Columbia boys were all well.

-The wedding of Miss Katharine Robertson, daughter of Mr. Henry Robertson, Q.C., of Collingwood, and sister of Mrs. (Dr.) Watt, of Victoria, to Dr. J. Robins Arthur of the same place, took place very quietly early on Thursday of last week, in the Presbyterian church, Collingwood, the only guests being the immediate relatives of the bride and bridegroom, Rev. Dr. McCrae performed the simple but beautiful marriage ceremony, and made a special allusion to the long and earnest church work of Miss Robertson, The church was charm--One of the men of Work Point fell ingly decorated by the loving hands of next. the girl friends of the bride, great masses of white and purple lilac being used, with a background of pale green foliage. As the bride entered the church. escorted by her father, and preceded by the maid of honor, Miss Rogerson, Miss Sound will be represented at Victoria Alice Cooper played the wedding march on July 12th. David Moffat has been from Lohengrin. The bride's costume was her travelling suit of cadet blue, with hat to match. She carried a showinquire into the circumstances surrounding the death of the Chinaman, who was killed by the earth caving in er bouquet of lilies of the valley, and the bride's father, the table being pret--The rear portion of Kwong Lee's left on the early morning train for Hampremises on Cormorant street, which had liton, en route for New York and other been condemned, was burned the other American cities. The very many beauevening, the fire department being on tiful gifts sent the young couple from the scene to prevent the spread of the Collingwood and elsewhere in Canada flames to other parts of this rather were pleasant testimony to the numbers of kindly friends of both the young people. The pretty and spacious rooms of -Rev. Dr. Campbell officiated at the that delightful old place, "Struan," hastened thither .ome time during the week to congrat late and offer kindly wishes to one of the best-liked of Collingwood's many charming young ladies. -Toronto-Globe:

> (From Saturday's Daily.) -P. F. Freeman, a Victoria pioneer of '58, died in Seattle yesterday morning. He kept a crockery store in Waddington alley about 30 years ago.

The Times has been asked to ascertain, if possible, the whereabouts of Augusta Louis, wife of Thomas B. Louis, a Welshman, who was employed on the CP.R. in 1883 and 1884. Information is desired by Mrs. Anne Mehlieus, nother of Mrs. Louis.

-The C.P.N. Co. will issue round-trip tickets to the Republican National Convention at Philadelphia, good going June 12th and 13th at a rate of \$88.50, and to the Democratic National Convention at Kansas City, going June 29th and 30th, at the rate of \$65.75, and to St. Paul, same dates, at the rate of \$60.

-According to the Seattle Times of Thursday, Thos, Earle, who has brought few hours before they arrived. Every baggage and freight to the new line. suit in the Federal court to recover a effort was made by friends to combat the to form a government, Mr. Smith was | -The death occurred this morning at large amount of money alleged to be due dread pneumonia, with which he was at the allegations made by the defendant.

> -Pay Clerk W. C. Waldman, of the United States training ship Adams, is at the Dominion. The other officers of the ship are as follows: Commander Goodwin, captain; Lieut.-Commande F. Halsey, executive officer; Lieut. J. H Hetherington, navigator; Lient, S. V. Graham, Ensigns T. A. Kearny, D. S. Mahoney, O. G. Murfin and L. M. Overstreet, watch officers; John Clyde Sul livan, paymaster; J. B. Frazier, chaplain; R. T. Orvis, assistant surgeon, and W. C. Waldman, pay clerk.

-Shortly before the steamer City of was third. Twelve horses ran. Puebla sailed for San Francisco last evening an accident happened to a passenger which at first was supposed to e serious. He was walking about the deck with a bicycle in hand, and did not notice a hatchway open, and fell a distance of twenty or thirty feet onto a pile of trunks. A doctor was immediately summoned and arrangements were made for the man's removal to the hos pital, but examination proved that he was not seriously hurt. He therefore remained on the steamer.

-Passengers who arrived from the North on the steamer Amur this morning report that the Canadian Developr Company's steamers Canadian and Colcompany's steamers Canadian and Consumble are on a sand bank, where the Hays would not be justified in considering an invitation received in such an in-Fifty-Mile empties into Lake Lebarge. A number who came up from Dawson on the vessels and who arrived on the Amur, say that they had been transferred to the Closett and taken on to White red to the Closett and taken on to White regatta is published as follows:

regatta is published as follows: time to save those on the steamers from a disagreeable experience. As it was lumbia Lodge. To this session all ler; song, "Hen Convention Show," they came through to the coast in the days, including a wait of two days at Lieut. Chapman, R.N.; fancy dance, nine young ladies (rainbow effect.) The project of the coast in the days, including a wait of two days at Labarge, rendered necessary by the ice of for this event.

Single sculling race in outriggers, open through to the coast in the days, including a wait of another two days. meetings, terminating that evening with thanking the ladies and gentlemen who adian they state has been slightly damby liberal gifts and other assistance con- aged, but the Columbian is not injured. tributed greatly toward the successful Victor S. Gilmer, of Hootalinqua, who, There will be two prizes for this race if with John C. Hall, of Skagway, is at the Driard, says the Flora, Ora and be given to the ladies. Closett are the only boats to get up from Dawson up to the time they left for Victoria. Mr. Gilmore says that the rivers are rising at a rate of an inch a There will be two prizes given if there day, but that navigation is being looked forward as likely to be exceedingly dif- denated by the Miner in the shape of a ficult this year. This view is entertain- soup tureen and ladle. ed by the Indians, who say there will be ittle water this year.

(From Monday's Daily.) -Twenty dollars have been contributed | race and a 100 yards swimming race. hrough the Christian Endeavor Society of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, towards the Indian Famine

-News comes from the north that the Victoria-Yukon Company's plant at Ben- prohibitive.

-The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, will hold their annual garden strawberry festival and sale of work at the manse Frederick street, on Tuesday afternoon and evening, 19th inst.

-There was a large attendance yesterday at the funeral of the late Mrs. Dods. The services were conducted by Rev. J. G. Hastings and the pallbearers were as follows: William Dalby, W. A. Robertson, W. Snider, H. Cathcart, T. Clyde and H. B. Rendell,

-Rev. E. A. Rowe, the new pastor of the Metropolitan Methodist church, is expected to arrive from his late home in Toronto on Friday. He will, it is thought. have charge of both morning and evening services in the church on Sunday

-The funeral took place yesterday afernoon from the family residence, 128 North Park street, of the late David F. Dumhill, Thos. Megger, A. Booth, S. Fee. There was a very large attendance of friends. The services were conducted by Rev. E. G. Miller. The lowing were the pallbearers: C. Booth, T. Geiger, M. McTiernan, F. Partridge, Wm. Klemburg, a Dawson saloon keep-Capt. Campbell and G. Dougherty.

-The funeral of the late John Rowley took place this morning at 9:45 o'clock from the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Company's parlors, and later from the R. C. Cathedral, Rev. Father Olthoff officiating. Mr. Rowley was a native of North Shields, Northumberland, England, and and smilax. Dr. and Mrs. Arthurs then 41 years of age. The pallbearers were Messrs. Thos. Connor, J. Shaw, J. H. her return she passed the stern-wheeler Meldram, W. Sweeney, J. Hogan and J. Hooper.

-W. H. Tramain, a Dawsonite who arrived on the Amur on Saturday, reports that there were two fatalities below Dawson before the ice had gone Amur down, and both will be well load-down the river. W. N. Seiphert and ed with Klondikers. The northern news which has been the scene of so much Charles Langdon, two former residents, brought by the Amur will be found elsehospitality, were overflowing with lovely of Harlem, New York, were caught in where in this paper. remembrances, and every one in town an ice pack and drowned. Their boat was ground to pieces and sank. The bodies were not recovered. The accident happened between Dawson and Forty-

> The convener of the Soldiers' Comforts' committee has received the following letter from Col. Otter: "I beg to acknowledge the receipt of the clothing, newspapers, etc.; so kindly sent by yourself and friends for the use of the Canadians." I regret to say I cannot yet report its distribution, as all the Canadians save those sick or wounded, are at present at the front and it is impossible to forward the articles to them owing to their constant movement, but on the first opportunity such will be done. In the meantime let me convey to the good friends who have so generously contributed to our wants, our most earnest, grateful thanks."

> -The death occurred at Seattle on Saturday morning of Claude, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McMicking of this city. The news was received a few days ago that the young man was dangerously ill, and Mr. McMicking and Dr. Duncan, the family physician, made a hurried trip to Seattle, but Claude died a ng place this afternoon from the idence and St. Andrew's Pressterian church. He was 24 years of

Sporting News

MANCHESTER CUP. (Associated Press.)

London, June 8.-At Manchester Whituntide meeting to-day the Manchester Cup of 2,000 sovereigns was won by the Duke of Portland's bay filly, La Roche, 3 years old. Mr. J. C. Dyer's Joe Chamber lain was second, and Mr. Oliver's Czarina

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THE NELSON REGATEA.

Great arrangements are being made by the committee in charge of the regatta to be held at Nelson on July 2nd, and at a recent meeting the sum of \$750 was set aside for the general purpose. In the proaside for the general purpose. In the programme as appended it will be noticed that those in charge are counting on the presence of the James Bay crew to participate in a four-oared event against the crews from Winnipeg and Vancouver. As a matter of fact the Bays have received no direct official invitation to attend, their information on the subject being obtained from a gentleman in Vancouver. Consequently, even if it were possible for a direct manner. As it is, however, their two crews are training for the regatta to be held at Portland on July 3rd and 4th.

ouver and Victoria crews. Distance 11/2

to all amateurs. Distance half a mile. Double sculling race in inrigged boats, with lady coxswain. Distance half a mile. there are five starters, and the prizes will Double canoe race. Distance half a

Canoe race, with three paddles. Distance half a mile. Five must enter for this event to ensure theere being two prizes. There will also be a yacht race, a tub

Ladies' skiff race. Distance half a mile,

Wood is very scarce in South Africa. Some time ago it was proposed to import from western Australia blocks of eucalyptus diversicolor for paving the streets of Johannesburg, but the cost was

*********** Klong the Waterfront ***************

(From Saturday's Daily.)

To the C.P.N. steamer Amur be longs the distinction of bringing down from the North the first Klondikers out from Dawson this year. The steamer arrived from Skagway at 5 o'clock this morning with 29 passengers and 14 bags of mail from the upper Yukon, the former being a contingent of 80 miners who came up the lakes and rivers on the steamers Flora and Nora. The list is a follows: F. Norris, Victor E. Gilm Thos. Weir, A. Leaf, Mrs. Geo. Markus C. Swanson, Wm. Klemburg, T. Ward John McClannan, Chas. Nelson, Mrs. I A. Crothers, Mrs. J. Fussell, N. Sc. Jack Gonnan, F. W. Kent, H. Amb M. Thompson, Geo. W. Clinton, J. Pet. son, John Ross, John C. Hall, J. Kings ley, O. B. Kellogg, John Riorden Rowlinson and E. Edstrom. A large number of the passengers went on to the Sound on the steamer Victorian this morning. One remaining in Victoria is er, who has come out from the interior to buy supplies. None of the passengers brought down much gold, and, to use the words of an officer of the Amur. "if they had any they had it all in their pockets." The Amur, on arrival this morning, completed a splendid trip, it being just eight days ago since she left Vancouver with 700 tons of freight, On Glenora in Lama passage, bound for Cape Nome; the Dirigo off Chatham point and the City of Topeka in Queen Charlotte Sound. The City of Seattle. dut on the Sound to-morrow, and the Tees will be the next ships to follow the

(From Monday's Daily.)

At 7 o'clock yesterday morning the Alaskan excursion steamer Queen left the outer wharf for the north on her inaugural pleasure run of the season. She was crowded with tourists, a good many of whom embarked at Vietoria after spending the last few days in the city enjoying the scenic and atmospheric delights of the place. General Traffic Manager Irwin, of the White Pass & Yukon railway, was among the passengers leaving on the Queen. He goes north to get his road in smooth-running order and to perfect the service through to Dawson. The company, by this time it is thought, will have established a daily steamer service between White Horse and Dawson, employing a fleet of ten vessels. It is stated that the twenty-three miles of road connecting Bennett and Cariboo will not be completed for several months yet. The road-bed for almost the entire distance is through solid rock, and is said to be one of the most costly pieces of railroad construction work ever attempted on the continent. Until this portion of the line is finished the road will maintain a line of steamers between Bennett and Cariboo, operating twice a day, They will be used to transfer passengers,

nameran adBIRCHE.

SKRINE—At Vancouver, on June 6th, the wife of Walter Skrine, of a daughter. ANDERSON-At Revelstoke, on the 1st inst., Mrs. Morris Anderson, of a daughter.

MARRIED. TOWNSEND-DE LACY-At Vancouver, on June 7th, James Townsend and Miss Cella De Lacy.

MISS Cella De Lacy.

DUMOND-M'RAR—At Chilliwack, on June
7th, by Rev. F. W. Hall, Mark Dumond
and Miss Gretta McRae.

GALLESICH-NICOLISCH—At New Westminster, on June 6th, Andrew Gallesich and Miss Tomasigna Nicolisch. ANDERSON-BURRITY—At Vancouver, on June 5th, by Rev. A. E. Green, assisted by Rev. J. H. White, William H. B. Anderson and Miss Nellie Dunhom Burritt, daughter of Dr. D. H. Burritt.

RELOAR-WILSON-At Vancouver, on June 7th, by Rev. R. G. McBeth, William Treloar and Miss Fanny Wilson, of Texada Island. SMITH-GIBSON-At the Manse of the st Presbyterian church, Vancouver Rev. R. G. McBeth, Joseph E. lith and Miss Charlotte Gibson, or

7th, by Rev. R. Whittington and Rev. Jr F. Betts, A. E. Carter and Miss Cassie Francis Marsh, daughter of the late Wm. Marsh, of Dundas, Ont. DIED.

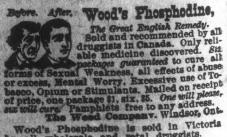
SMITH-At his residence, Boundary Bay, Delta, on the 8th inst., Mr. S. L. Smith, aged 67 years ROWLEY-At Prevost Island, on the 5th inst., John Rowley, a native of North Shields, England, aged 41 years.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

"THE BENTLEY" AND "M'GREGOR" MINERAL CLAIMS MINERAL CLAIMS

Situate in the Victoria Mining Division of B. C. Where located: In Sections 6, 7 and 71 Goldstream District, Vancouver Island. Take notice that I, Benjamin Williams, Free Miner's Certificate No. 28337B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Gertificate of Improvements for the aurpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims. And further take notice that action under Section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. Dated this 17th day of May, 1900.

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Bishop Orth Consecrated

Impressive Ceremony Conducted at R. C. Cathedral Yesterday Morning.

Distinguished Clergy and Large Congregation in Attendance -- Addresses.

The impressive ceremony of the conecration of Bishop Orth of Vancouver Island was conducted yesterday morning, the vast auditorium of St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral being liter ally crowded, while fully 30 of the clergy were in attendance. Most Rev. Archbishop Christie was the consecrating ofheer, and he was assisted in the ceremony by Rt. Rev. Bishop Glorieux, of Boise City, Idaho; Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Dea, of Nesqually, Wash,, and Ray. Father Nicolaye. Very Rev. L. Verhaag, of Baker City, Oregon, and Very Rev. E. Kauten, of Spokane, acted as deacons of honor. Rev. James Rowe, of Portland, was master of ceremonies to the archbishop. The chaplain to Bishop Glorieux was Very Rev. J. McQuckin, O. M. I., of Vancouver; chaplain to Bishop O'Dea, Very Rev. E. Bunoz. O.M.I., of New Westminster; chaplains to Bishop Orth, Rev. J. Althoff, of Victoria, and Rev. J. Donckele, of Kuper Island. Rev. J. Laterme, of Victoria, was master of ceremonies to Bishop Orth, and Rev. J. Van Nevel master of ceremonies of the

Besides the foregoing there were present: Very Rev. Aldelhelm, O.S.B., prior of Mount Angel Monastery, Oregon; Very Rev. Rene, S.J., prefect apostolic of Alaska; Rev. Charles, O.S.B., Clayoquot; Rev. L. Breen, O.P., of Portland, Ore.; Rev. A. Bromsqueest, of the Dalles, Ore.; Rev. A. Lane, Astoria; Rev. Sweere, S.J., Seattle; Rev. W. Heynen, Nanaimo; Rev. F. Verbeke, Comox; Rev. H. Kremers, Wellington; Rev. A. Durand, Cowichan, and Rev. J. Vull-

ingsh, of Saanich. The consecration service was of a very solemn nature, the attending clergy being attired in full pontifical vestments, and the ceremony was opened by the reading of the bulls from the Pope to the new bishop, notifying the latter of his appointment. This was followed by the taking of the solemn oath of allegiance by him as bishop to the Roman Pontiff and his successors. Bishop Orth was then examined on the different Articles of Faith and his duties as a bishop. Mass was then proceeded with as far as the Gospel, when the Litanies of the Saints were recited. The Book of the Gospel was then placed on the shoulders of the newly-elected bishop, to signify the burdens of the Episcopacy. The 'Veni Creator Spiritus" was next recited, and the head of the new bishop annointed. Following this cannot the ceremony of the annointing of the hands of the dignitary; after which the Crozier and Episcopal Ring were blessed and given to him. The morning sermon was preached most impressively by Rev. Father

quent discourse was delivered by Archbishop Christie.

After the morning service the local and isiting clergy sat down to a repast in the library of the Bishop's palace, which was magnificently decorated in honor of

Hughes, while in the evening an elo-

the event. After the evening service a large number assembled in the Institute hall, where brief congratulatory addresses were made by Archbishop Christie, Bishop O'Dea, Bishop Glorieux, 'Prefect Apostolic Rene and Very Rev. Father Verhaag, of Baker City. The hall was beautifully decorated, a large picture of Queen Victoria being at the rear of the platform. The following addresses were then presented to Bishop Orth:

To His Lordship the Right Reverend Bertrand Orth, D. D., Bishop of Vancouver Island:

May it please Your Lordship,-With joy and happiness, and with expressions of true and loyal submission to you, as our Chief Pastor, we extend to you a loving welcome to this diocese and our fair city. which bears the name of our beloved Queen; and, in so doing, wish to make known our love and obedience to the Holy Father, Leo XIII., who has sent you to guide us in the way of the true

We greet Your Lordship with feelings of gratitude, veneration, and attachment. Gratitude for the blessing bestowed upon our diocese in your consecration as Bishop; veneration for the Rock of Peter, the Church established by Almighty God; and veneration for yourself, who so worthily for thirty or more years have borne the labors and burdens of the Church in this Western country; attachment for Your Lordship because of your qualities which call for reverence and also out of regard for the high dignity of your office-your academical training your early missionary work among the pioneers and natives of the then almost unknown parts of Oregon—especially your beautiful parish of St. Lawrence, built from its very foundation by your untiring efforts, where young and old of all denominations have earned to love you, are all facts that speak to us strongly and move our hearts

elt welcome we cannot but recall that the Gospel was first implanted in British Columbia through the instrumentality of are open to receive a spiritual ruler whose main object is to hold out man's only genu-Monsiegneur Blanchet, first Archbishop of Oregon, and the Right Rev. Modest ine happiness as an everlasting reward Demers, first Bishop of Victoria. We therefore witness that the Church in this Deo (for God). We look up with profound liocese has always been closely bound to the province of Oregon, and in this connection we recall the fact that Your and in recognition of his great talents, translated to and became the Archbishop of the Metropolitan See of Portland-and welcoming Your Lordship, it is with sentiments of love and joy that we also welcome again in our midst His Grace the Most Reversal Alexander Christie,
D. D., who is so universally remembered,
reverenced and honored as our Archbishop.

Thanking also the other Right ReverThanking also the other Right Rever-

ored Your Lordship and us by their pre-

L. G. M'QUADE, Chairman of Committee. A. E. M'PHILLIPS,

On behalf of the congregation of St. Andrew's Cathedral, Victoria, B. C.

His Lordship the Right Reverend Bertrand Orth, Bishop of Vancouver Isl-

May it please Your Lordship,-On be half of Young Ladies' Institute, No. 33, Seghers Council, No. 85, Young Men's Institute, and Lootens Council, No. 501, head a prelate whose name, like the Institute hall this evening .

end Lords of the province for having hon- noblest, first and last duty. As children of the Church we reverence our spiritual advisers, and with due respect and deference offer our congratulations.

We pray that Almighty God will multiply the churches and missions under your charge and aid you in the duties which our Holy Father in his wisdom called

(MRS.) T. LEONARD, President Y.L.I., No. 33. W H HARRIS Pres. Seghers Council. No. 85. Y.M.I. FRANK SERE.

Pres. Lootens Council, No. 501, Y.M.I. Bishop Orth replied in appropriate Young Men's Institute, we tender Your terms and upon the conclusion of the Lordship a most cordial welcome to the congratulatory speeches the audience city of Victoria. We also extend our passed to the stage and shook hands congratulations on your elevation to the with the newly consecrated Bishop and office of Bishop of this diocese, and re- Archbishop Christie. Bishop Orth will cognize that the future of the Church in be in attendance at a joint meeting of this portion of the country will have at its the local branches of the Y. M. I. at the



ARCHBISHOP CHRISTIE,

The Province's

B. C. Squadron of Strathcona's a Smart Body-Fleeing Boers Shot.

Corp. C'Dell Describes the Engagement in Which Col. Otter Was Wounded.

Writing under date of "The Waterworks, 22 miles east of Bloemfontein, April 24th," Corp. O'Dell sends the following to the Times:

"On the evening of April 20th we'renext day. Strange how those that are in authority manage to give orders late in the day. In the dark we hustled and be bundled together and left with the

for the sick, they are ever with us.
"Confound those bagpipes! Excuse the interjection, but if you can imagine a man trying to write intelligently while their level best to drive him crazy, tuntheir best, would not save them.' But

at 8 a.m., but were dismissed and re- ways nicer than Green Point. There is turned to our tents, and did not leave plenty of shelter, as there are numbers of wise. until 1 p.m. Our brigade marched out large trees, and in our particular part in the following order: Gordons, Cana- there is a certain amount of turf instead dians, Shropshires and Cornwalls. We of the sand we have had heretofore. The kept this order till we arrived at Spring- men rather resent not being able to go camp. I think our regiment mustered a pass, as here it is quite impossible, on about 600 strong. When we paraded at account of the camp rules which are 8 a.m. 156 men went sick, but at 1 p.m. strictly enforced by a large force of milia large percentage of those were ordered quarters of an hour.

"April 22.-We bivouacked at Springby the Welsh regiment.

field, passed Bushman's Kop to Klip Kraal, west of the waterworks, and bivouacked for the night.

"April 24.-Marched passed the water-To-day we camped at the foot of some

"April 25 .- Marched off at -9 a.m.



the above. Mail just going out. Wili finish letter first opportunity.

With Strathcona's Horse.

rapidly riding off over an open plain to the northeast. It was now nearly dusk,

so after burying Defoe we bivouacked

for the night. The living and the dead

Strathcona's Horse:

"The Strathcona Horse has now been in South Africa just over three weeks, and has not as yet got sufficient horses, which said: seems to be a strange piece of management. They are getting their remounts from a shipload of Argentine horses, which are low set, but seem very hardy and fit for any amount of work, besides being gentle and easily handled. They are alceived orders to march at 8 a.m. the most all in splendid condition, considering the fact that they have only just been landed and that they had not half the atover the horses which were left to 'A' and three or four Gordon pipers are doing 'B' squadrons to fill up gaps, and started fafter being kept standing in the blazing ing "Sandy" bagpipes, you would take sun for 21/2 hours in heavy marching order) pity on him or shoot the pipers. A for a seven mile march from Green Point placard on their backs with the legend, camp to Maitland, where we arrived just Don't shoot the pipers, they're doing at dusk, and managed to pitch camp in a short time. The march was hot and very I have got to tell you something, so if dusty, without any standing for a rest you'll pardon the interruption I'll con- more than once (only for two minutes) the whole way, and the men were pretty tired "On Saturday, April 21st, we paraded at the end. The camp here is in most field at 6 p.m., seven miles from the into the (as at Green Point) town without tary police. We also miss the sea to to march. Twenty-six of them, however, bathe in here, as we only have a small fell out before we had marched three- muddy creek in camp, where it is difficult to get depth sufficient for swimming.

"A couple of nights before we left Green field for the night, and next day crossed | Point two prisoners tried to escape from donga and slept in some tents vacated the race course there, where they are enclosed by a high iron railing and sentries "April 23.-We march from Spring- every 50 yards. They were both instantly shot, which will be a lesson for the remainder for future reference.

"On Saturday last a large corral containing some 800 horses (looked after by some works and shelled some kopjes, the Boers 60 Kaffirs) had the fence round it cut and retiring on our advance. We are now about 500 horses stampeded by the use of about 500 horses stampeded by the use of about 25 miles due east of Bloemfontein. dogs. This was undoubtedly the work of some Boers, or Boer sympathizers, and the kopjes, about 3 miles east of the water- authorities have an idea that one man in works. This place was called Mamana the neighborhood had something to do with it. The dog which did most of the damage has been shot.

"'C' squadron has been on constant fatigue eyer since it arrived here, bring-ing horses from the docks to camp, and Our Colonies have proved to our Queen then from the corrals to their lines, fixing and generally cleaning the camp.

"Assertions as to our starting for the but, needless to say, come from no reliable sources, and from all appearances I do not Rather than surrender they have shown think that we can move for another couple of weeks at least.

"As regards news from the front, we are authorities publish very little on account of spies, of which there are undoubtedly hundreds. Consequently most of the news is wired from here to London and is only published when it has been wired back here from there. "It is said that Lord Roberts intends to

make a general advance about the 20th inst. and strike a final blow on the Boers before the 24th. If this is correct, we may hope to take part. squadron has been raised entirely in British Columbia, and is considered the best squadron in conduct and drill; in fact,

as a rule, the men are rather of a higher "Amongst its ranks are young Lord Seymour, Pte. Beresford (nephew of the Admiral), Pte. Daly (son of the late Minister of the Interior), and about 20 men who have held commissions in the Imperial

armv. "This will give you an idea of what the privates are. The officers are Major Belcher, late N. W. M. P.; Major Laurie, late N. W. M. P.; Capt. Howard, N. W. M. P.; Lieut. White-Fraser, N. W. M. P.; Lieut. Leckie, R. M. C.; Lieut. McDonald; Lieut. Laidlaw, R. M. C.; and Lieut. T. E. Pooley, late of 5th Regt., Victoria, B. C. There is a brother of Mr. Pinder's, of the E. & N. Railway Co., also in the ranks. All the Victoria contingent are well and seem

A French naturalist asserts that if the world should become birdless man would not inhabit it after nine years, in spite of all the sprays and poisons that could be manufactured for the destruction of insects. The insects and slugs would simply

very happy and contented "

eat up our orchards and crops. CANCER TREATED ON SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLES.

The New Constitutional Remedy Supersedes the Knife and Plaster.

Time was when everybody thought cancer was a local disease, that had to be cut out with the knife or pulled out by the plaster. Very few medical men or even laymen think that now.

being cut out to leave any doubt as to the constitutional nature of the disease. The only way to cure it perfectly and perman- many different kinds of medicines, but ently is to permeate the system with a they only relieved me for a time, then I remedy that destroys every particle of the

does. It cures cancer of the lip, nose, a trial, and after taking two bottles and breast, womb, stomach, bowels, or cancer a half I was completely cured, and best stopped at 2.50 p.m.

"Whilst we were discovering the enemy the rest of our brigade were being peppered severely. Fifteen and twelve pounders banged and Maxims rate."

In any part of the body, perfectly and permanent, for manently—except in the last stages, and to the present day I have not had any return of my old trouble and enjoy splendid health. (Signed John Bonnell.

If you are a sufferer or have a friend It is curious to note that the French

Pte. Raymond, carrying ammunition. INDIANS DYING OF INFLUENZA was slightly wounded in the leg. H and G fixed bayonets and charged the posi-Alaskan Natives Succumbing Rapidly to tion, only to see the tail end of the enemy a Severe Form of the Disease.

H. H. Hildreth, of the Sitka Alaskan, who was a passenger for the Alaskan capital on the last trip of the Cottage City, reports the Indians of Kenai pen-"April 29.-Marched and fought since insula, near Cook Inlet, as dying by the score from the effects of a very severe form of influenza, which is evidemic in "SEYMOUR HASTINGS O'DELL." that section. He reports that forty deaths occurred during the week immediately preceding his departure on the Corp. St. George writing from Maitland Bertha, which arrived at Juneau last Camp, Capetown, on May 4th, sends the week, and there was no indication of an latest news from the Victoria boys with abatement. The Indians are thoroughly demoralized and fear seems to be contributing to the fatality. In speaking of the matter Mr. Hildreth

"The infliction seems to be more nearly influenza than anything else, though it is more deadly than is usually the case with such an epidemic. The victim is sick only two or three days before death, and nearly all who are afflicted die. The Indians from the interior had gathered with those on the coast to keep the Lenten season. The result tention paid to them on the voyage that was that they were overcrowded. There the Strathcona horses had, as they only were in many instances fourteen or fifbustled around getting our stuff together. had a few men on board to look after teen Indians living in one small room.

All the nice things from Canada had to them. Still only nine died on the trip, not over ten or twelve feet square. Thus whereas we lost 160 and have had no end crowded together they had fasted for shot since we landed. It was quite a days, so that the system was much weaksick remaining in camp. Query! if we shall see them again—the stuff I mean—borses being led off to be done away with. they had a great feast, overtaxing the borses being led off to be done away with. "On May 1st at about half an hour's digestive system as is customary with notice 'C' squadron packed up all kits and them. About this time there came a paraded in full marching order, handing drop of about forty degrees in the temperature. The result was influenza.

"Another cause that contributes to the fatality is the fact that there is no physician in the country and but little medicine. During the week immediately preceding my departure there were thirteen deaths at Kanan, seven at Saldover, five at English Bay and fifteen at Muni. There are no indications of abatement. and the Indians are so frightened and demoralized that the percentage of fatality is more likely to increase than other-

WHEN THE BOYS COME MARCHING

We'll sing about our boys, throughout our great Empire. Let us rejoice and shout to our greatest heart's desire;

The boys they well deserve it, they've fought so bold and brave uphold our Mother Country, and the Union Jack to save.

There'll be great demonstrations throughout the Queen's domain, There'll be boys from all our Colonies re

Who have fought for Queen and Country and some died like heroes bold, Then give three cheers for the Colonials, whose bravery is untold.

Chorus:

Won't we have a rare old time when the boys return from war, There'll be flags and banners waving, the like you never saw;

Let everyone turn out to see the glori-And there'll be a hot time in Victoria on that eventful night.

we're loyal and true; She has shown to foreign powers what her

Colonies can do. front immediately are made almost daily. They are boys who fear no foe, and would fight until they die.

the reason why. But we don't want to fight; by jingo if we do. kept in almost perfect ignorance, as the We've got the ships, we've got the men

and got the money too; We've also General Roberts, Kitchener and Powell, too, Who made a hot time in the Transvaal for

the Boers, you know it's true. -Words and Music by Harry Hallam, Victoria, June 5th, 1900.

MR. JOHN BONNELL. The Well Known Shoemaker of Truro, Nova Scotia.



Burdock Blood Bitters Permanent-

ly Cured Him of Dyspepsia. The above picture is a very striking likeness of Mr. Jno. Bonnell, Arthur St., Truro, N.S., the well known shoemaker of that town, at work ir. his shop. Mr. Bennell is one of those who have great faith in Burdock Blood Bitters, and it is a confidence based on actual experience. Just read this letter that he recently wrote:

"Some five years ago I was greatly troubled with dyspepsia, pain in my back, and sick headache, besides being very much run down in health.

"I am a shoemaker by trade, and sitting on a bench all day long is a poor cure for dyspepsia, as I do not get much Too many cancers come back again after exercise and bending over constantly interferes with the proper action of the stomach and bowels. I tried a good would be as bad as ever. Hearing so much about the good Burdock Blood Rit-That is what our Vegetable Cancer Cure ters was doing I thought I would give it

If you are a sufferer or have a friend It is curious to note that the French bicycle lamp which, instead of having a storage battery, is supplied with electrical in the neek. Rte. Defoe, of H Company, killed, a bullet entering his mouth all correspondence regarded as strictly the Dutch. Swiss and Germans are fully represented with a generous quota.



to gladness to think that we have been so signally favored.

In tendering Your Lordship our heart. ship is loved by all. Lordship, but the portals of our hearts if we but ever think, will and work pro respect to the guardian of our Holy Church. Our societies teach that it must. be the deepest conviction that to live in

A REMEDY FOR IRREGULARITIES.

LAW INTELLIGENCE. Mr. Justice Drake is the only judge in Speed Trials court this morning. Henry Gant pleaded guilty of stealing

a gold watch and chain. He was sentenced to nine months with hard labor. Miss Valentine Earl elected to take a speedy trial, which will take place next Wednesday. She is charged with stealing \$50 from a man named Sweeney. John Henry Bullock and William Lordship's predecessor in this Bishopric the service of God is man's highest, Jarvis, lads of 11 and 12 years of age, was by the Grace of the Holy Father, with a weakness for breaking into

houses and handling stolen goods, pleaded guilty to the many charges against them. After four years in the reforma-tory they will be given a new start in

An Ohio man has patented an electric | tled.

Halted for one hour at 11.30 a.m., then moved under crest of a hill and halted We may be strangers in name to Your the city, and he held Chambers and until 1.45 p.m. The Royal Canadians now received the order to advance. The enemy had been found by some mounted infantry and were sent forward to engage them, while the remainder of our brigade made the general attack from our left. We attacked in extended line of double companies, ten paces separating the men. H and G formed the firing line, F, and E supports, D C and B A the reserve. We pushed on through a battery of 12-pounders, and were soon met by a dropping rifle fire. The advance

"In our advance Col. Otter was struck and passing out at the back of his head. confidential. Dawson Bound Craft Meet Disaster-Brides Helplessly Witness Loss of Husbands.

Clayson's Body Found With Bullet Holes in It-Indian Confesses Murder.

Steamer Amur brings news to-day of one of the saddest drowning accidents in the history of northern navigation, which occurred on Tuesday morning, June 2nd, in sight of the little town of Lake Bennett and within a hundred yards from

The victims were grooms of but a few their brides stood on the shore powerless to aid them. The two men were Clay- can erect one a day." ton Shocks, of Seattle, and Will Hilger, of Helena. Shocks had claims on the Big Salmon, and was taking his bride in to spend the summer. Hilger, a mining who had been married but a week before Shocks, was en route to Dawson on his bridal tour, and the four young people met on the steamer coming from Seattle, and by the time they had reached Bennett had decided to spend the summer together on the Big Salmon, The men contemplated making the voyage in canoes. They went over to the north shore of Lake Bennett and there camped for the night. Next morning they started back for town against a strong wind for the balance of their outfit. Their brides stood on the shore ties because she had taken on a boiler watching their departure. The men had as freight at Victoria. The officers of not made a hundred yards of the dis- the Ruth did not remember the name of tance when their canoe was overturned the craft, but said the name of her skipand they were struggling in the water. The women started to push out to their assistance with the other canoe, but their husbands told them not to come lest they be drowned. Mrs. Hilger ran down the beach to the steamer Henry Bailey for assistance, but before she had reached the steamer her husband let go his hold on the canoe and sank from sight. Shocks held on for what seemed twenty minutes after Hilger had drowned, and then he, too, was forced to let go and disappeared forever from the sight of his young wife who, while so near him, was helpless to save him.

owns a farm.

thern papers received by the Amur trade. in the eddy just below White Horse rapids. The cargo of one was lost and the other ruined by water. The news of the accidents was brought out by Frank E. Burns, manager of the White Horse tramways. He did not learn the names

came to grief. this time of the year.

speculation as to who the people were.

The accident occurred on Windy Arm last week. According to Dominick Burns, the Bennett butcher, W. G. Morgeau, formerly proprietor of the California market in Skagway, recently built a scow at Bennett and started from that point for Atlin. With him were Mrs. Werner of the Puget Sound restaurant, Joe Ross, Mrs. Plymate, C. E. Peabody and two men whose names could not be learned. Six cattle and a quantity of provisions and feed made up the cargo with which the craft left Bennett. The question is now if this be the scow. Bob of the Yukon Iron Works. heard that two women and five men and a number of cattle were on the scow and all were lost, the craft having been over-

turned in a gale. Clayson's Body Found.

of a doubt, to have at last been found, and the last links of evidence needed in the famous Minto mys-

gram from that officer at Tagish:

to Dawson by first steamer." is supposed to have met his death last

Indian Hansen Confesses.

News comes by the Amur that the trial of the Indians, charged with murdering Bert Horton and his wife last October, has begun in the District court, Skagway. The indictments found by the grand jury were read to the group of Indians, and interpreted to them by Ed.

When asked if he were guilty or not guilty, as charged in the indictment, Jim Hansen replied: "I killed him." He was then asked if he knew that penalty for murder was death? He said: "I do, but God has told me to tell

The indictment was then read in which is charged the killing of Florence Horton. To this Hansen replied: "I killed the man. I did not kill the wo-

Time was asked and granted to plead until to-day. Therefore, about Monday the trial will be fairly begun.

Railway to Caribou. The White Pass & Yukon railway is

reported by a northern paper to be making extensive preparations for the opera-tion of its Caribou-White Horse division. Thirty of the forty-four miles that will comprise the completed division have been covered with track, and it is expected to have the remainder of the track down by the middle of next week. Four engines and sixty cars will be on the division and ready for use by the time the tracks are into White Horse, Supt. J. P. Rogers, who recently return ed from a trip along the line says: "We shall be sending cars to Caribou on every scow now for some time, and purpose to put the road in condition for the dispatch of freight just as soon as the road reaches White Horse. Eighty per cent. of the Caribou division is ballasted, and therefore in condition for fast time right now. To facilitate the handling of freight, we are having large corrugated White Horse. We already have one put up a warehouse at Bennett. Wherweeks, and they met their death while ever warehouses are needed we shall put them up. We have plenty of men and

The Tussler is Held.

Strange luck seems to be overtaking the little steamer Tussler which left here for Nome a couple of weeks ago. vessel is the property of The Frank Waterhouse Stevedoring Company, or at least is under charter to that company. On starting out from Seattle it was found her boilers leaked and she was compelled to come to Victoria for repairs. Now comes the information from Skagway that the steamer Ruth, arriving at that point from the Sound, reported that the Tussler had been held at Ketchikan by the customs authoriper is Kenny.

*************** Klong the Waterfront. THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO IS NOT THE OWNER, THE OW

(From Friday's Daily.) At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the outer wharf, landed 120 out of a total number of 350 Japanese on board, 20 An effort will be made to recover the Chinese and 925 packages of rice and the cost as in the case in Victoria. Clayton Shock is understood to curios and at 7 o'clock or shortly afhave had \$1,800 in his clothes. His terwards passed on to the Sound. This May 8th on Gold Run, when J. F. Soggs, widow was formerly Miss May Putman, is the last trip of the Idzumi to this a jeweler, shot his partner, James Rogof Renton, Wash., where her father coast, for on her return to the Orient she ers. Bad blood had been engendered bewins a farm.

In addition to the above accident, norMaru, a vessel now in the European property, in which each owned an inchronicle many other mishaps which oc- ers, the Shinano Maru, was launched at rel was renewed, when suddenly Soggs curred since navigation opened. Two Glasgow on the 30th of last January, drew a revolver and fired at his partner scows laden with freight were wrecked and it is because of her being now in The builet struck his victim below the of the owners of the scows. There was not enough water for the scows to go through heavily laden and the owners were advised by the pilot to take off part of the freight. But the owners thought they know were the scows to go the conditional transfer to the freight. But the owners the scows to go the condition to the former than the left side and Mafeking. He won three and has not been located, while a fourth should have not been located, while a fourth should thought they knew more than the pilots, Korea. Mr. Judson says he has lived in and acted on their own judgment and Korea for eight years and has become strongly identified with the missionary The water is lower in the rapids now work there. He is one who does not than it was ever before known to be at look for any immediate trouble between Russia and Japan, and says that the Still another scow was wrecked and only bone of contention between the two was lying at the wharf at Dawson when sent out to take command. French was on this, it is reported, that five men lost countries now over Korea involves but a fire broke out in her hold. Despite the sent to relieve Kimberley, which he did very small parcel of land, owned by efforts of a bucket brigade and later of in January. Gen. Cronje was captured reached Skagway on Monday last, and one man. Japan, he thinks, is not prewhen the Amur sailed there was much pared for war just now, although she one of the finest steamers that ever donald relieved Ladysmith on the 1st of Maru, are being forced to leave their nat Wood was her skipper. tive land to gain a livelihood."

far as Hazelton this year, arrived from loan of instructors and in other ways. the north to-day to have repairs made to her boilers and to undergo inspection. Mr. George Cunningham, her owner, and river almost alone, although Capt. Bousor, who navigated her on the Skeena during the past season, was on board, The body of the long missing Fred The trip down was made in the splendid A second instalment of \$30,000 was cable Clayson is believed, almost beyond a time of 60 hours, and that, too, despire ed to Bombay after the meeting. time of 60 hours, and that, too, despice ed to Bombay after the meeting. the worst of weather. The Monte Cristo is a sternwheeler, 113 feet long, and draws but 16 inches of water. She went tery to prove the committal of a murder | north a couple of years ago and was in connection with the mystery is thus just as certainly obtained, says a Skagway-Alaskan received by the Amur.

The reported finding is substantiated draft necessary for navigating the Major Z. T. Wood, of the Northwest | Skeena, the water in which river is now Mounted Police, in the following tele- so high as not to permit of any steamer going beyond the Kitseloss canyon. The "A body, supposed to be your brother's, has been found by the police on a sand bank north of Selkirk. Two bullet holes second voyage the Vallcou, Forty-third in the chest and head; bicycle marks on and Arctic Slope parties, together with the telegraph wire, which, according to From the description given the body is taken to be that of Fred. Clayson, who is supposed to have more his death. point. It is also said that the passen gers on the latter vessel demanded the captain to flag the Monte Cristo on her second trip and make arrangements for them to be sent on up the river without further delay, they being at the time unable to get beyond the canyon.

A letter has been received by Miss Celia Ries from her brother, Matthew Ries, a passenger on the vessel indicating that the British steamer Alpha which sailed from Vancouver April 7th, possibly reached Cape Nome May 25th, despite the ice and the efforts of the United States revenue cutter Bear to prevent her landing at that port in violation of the government customs laws, says the Seattle Post-Intelligencer. It was written from Sand Point, Tomagian Islands, Behring sea, May 18th. In it Mr. Ries stated that the officers of the Alpha felt onfident of being able to push through the ice to Nome within a week.

To get relief from indigestion, biliousness, constipation or torpid liver without disturbing the stomach or purging the bowels, take a few doses of Carter's Little A. B. FRASER, SR., SELLING AGENT, Liver Pills.

Twenty-Five Millions

Such Will Be the Output From Of the Events Which Preceded the Placers of the Klon-

Belated News From the Interior -Shooting Affair on Gold Run.

By the steamer Amur, which arrived this morning, came the first advance iron warehouses erected at Caribou and guard of the great body of argonauts from Dawson and the gold fields of the warehouse at Caribou 500x40, and will Klondike, whose arrival is now regarded begin one at White Horse the first of as one of the features of the Coast spring next week to be 300x35 feet. We have season. True, she did not bring many passengers, but she brought the mail, which has been so eagerly looked for since early in last April, when travel with the interior practically closed. Regarding the output, the editors of

the Dawson papers entertain the same view as Faith Fenton, which was printed in these columns a few days ago. They believe that the total yield will be twenty-five millions of dollars. This increased yield is due not only to the improved methods which have been adopted in working the claims, but to the larger area which is being developed. It is estimated that on four creeks alone-Hunker, Dominion, Gold Run and Sulphur-which last year yielded a little over two millions, there will this year be taken out seven millions of the yellow dust. Bonanza and Eldorado are regarded as good for the remaining eighteen millions.

Inspector R. C. A. Primrose, of the Mounted Police, has submitted his 10port respecting the census of the Yukon, to the council. The result discloses a much larger percentage of British subjects than had been suspected—a feature probably due to the exodus of many Americans to Cape Nome, although citizens of the United States still predominate with 3,361. Outside of Dawson there are 2,843 British subjects, nearly all of whom are entitled to the electoral fran-

It is announced that the Yukon Council is taking steps to have the streets of steamship Idzumi Maru tied up at the Dawson improved on the local improvement plan; those whose property is more directly benefited bearing two-thirds of A serious shooting affair took place on

One of the N.Y.K.'s new steam- terest. On the day in question the quarreadiness for the European business that | collar bone, penetrated the shoulder and the Kamakura Maru can enter the trans- came out at the other side. Rogers turn-Pacific service. The Idzumi Maru car- ed and ran, when Soggs again fired, the then sent out to help White. Under him ried six saloon passengers—Dr. B. Y. bullet passing through Rogers's left served Methuen, Gatacre and French. Wong, at one time a sergeant on a Chinese warship, but now an enthusias—third bullet struck him in the left side and Mafeking. He won three battles—

> at Dawson of a charge of murder aris- town. Gatacre failed through mismaning out of a shooting affair in which Wil- agement and was sent home. French was liam Blair was slain. The trouble arose unable, not having enough men or sunthrough jealousy over an Indian girl.

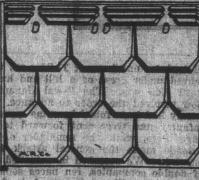
plying on the upper river, was badly at Tugela River, losing guns and men. may have a crack at Russia before the breasted the waters of the Yukon was a March. Roberts proceeded north, capcompletion of the great Siberian railway. blackened ruin in half an hour. The entured Bloemfontein, and proclaimed Speaking of Japanese immigration, Mr. tire interior was destroyed, though the Orange River state a British province. Judson said: "We see nothing but the hull is intact. The loss will be ten thous- A few days before, on the 18th of May, poorest and lowest classes coming to and dollars. She was built at St. Mithese shores. The country is rapidly be chaels from material sent from Victoria Hunter, after a siege of over seven coming overcrowded and those immilian 1897, and was owned by the Trading months. Lord Roberts entered the grants, such as travelled on the Idzumi and Exploring Company. Capt. J. B.

Dawson, with Lieut. Hulme, late of the ends the war, although there will be The little steamer Monte Cristo, the Q. O. R., Toronto, Major Hemming, of many bands of Boers to hunt and desfirst vessel to ascend the Skeena river as the Yukon garrison, is assisting by the troy in the mountains.

The executive committee of the New York committee of one hundred on India Capt. Maddin brought her down from the famine met at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday. Contributions of nearly \$60,000 were reported, although the come of the Empire more closely together, and mittee was formed only a month ago

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Schoolboy's Account

the War in South Africa.

Written From Memory by Pupil of Victoria South Park School.

The following account of events which receded the war, the war itself and a ook into the future, was written from memory by Alfred Edward Redfern, aged 12 years, a pupil at Victoria South Park school. The boy also drew from memory an excellent map of South Africa:

Events Preceding the War.

Cape Colony was an important stopping place for vessels trading to the East Indies. It belonged to Holland. In 1814 Britain purchased it for \$30,000,-

In 1837 the "Great Trek" took place

when some 8,000 Dutch left Cape Colony, and, proceeding northward, founded two republics-Transvaal and Orange Free State. The two causes of the trek (which were creditable to the British) were the abolition of slavery by Britain and her determination to protect the blacks from Dutch cruelty. In 1884 Kruger, the President of the Transvaal, went to London, and invited foreigners to come into his country, prom sing them the same rights as the Dutch there. Next year (1885) the gold mines of the Rand were discovered, and thou sands of Uitlanders (foreigners) flocked into the country. When they got there they found Kruger did not keep his promises. The Uitlanders numbered about one-half of the population; they paid for every foot of ground which they took; they paid nine-tenths of the taxes; they could not say how a cent of this money should be spent; they could not vote; their children were forced to attend Dutch schools; a Boer policeman could disperse their public meetings, and could enter their houses without a warrant; and out of £630,000 raised in Johannesburg for schools, only £630 was spent on English schools.

Britain demanded that Uitlanders should have the same political rights as the Dutch or Boers. Kruger refused, and on the 10th of October issued his ultimatum, ordering all British subjects to leave the Transvaal in two days. War was declared on the 12th.

The War Itself

When war was declared Sir George White was in charge of Natal. He was shut up in Ladysmith. Cronje, the Boer commander, immediately besieged Kimberley and Mafeking. Gen. Buller was Belmont, Graspan and Modder River, failed to relieve those towns. Gatacre On May 6th Charles Hill was acquitted, and French were both sent to take a Buller was severely defeated Steamer Yukoner, one of the vessels while attempting to relieve Ladysmith. Mafeking had been relieved by Gen. Transvaal, took and occupied Johannes burg, the chief city. On the 4th of Jun A rifle company has been organized in he entered Pretoria. This practically

A Look Into the Future.

The effects of this war will be British supremacy in South Africa, and justice and political equality of people in South Africa. This war has drawn the parts has taught the other powers that the British Empire is compact, and that if necessary the colonies are ready and villing to give their sons and money to the Mother Country in time of need. We may be sure that other nations will think twice before entering into a war with Britain. Under British rule South Africa will become prosperous, for progress has always followed the British flag wherever it went.

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quite true that the British have occupied Pretoria. This, however, does not end the war. The burghers are fully deter-mined to fight to the last. They

Will Never Surrender so long as 500 armed men remain in the country. I feel deeply encouraged by the fine work Steyn and Dewet are doing in the Free State."

The correspondent suggested that the war was over, inasmuch as the capital had been taken.

does not consist of any particular collection of bricks and mortar. The capital of the republic, the seat of government is here, in this car. There is no magic about any special site. Our country is invaded, it is true, but it is not conquered. The government is still effective."

Referring to the reasons why he left Pretoria, Mr. Kruger said: "I was not foolish enough to be taken prisoner. I provided this means of locomotion preprovided this means of locomotion precisely for the same reason as our burghers supply themselves with horses when they take the field. It is necessary that

Able to Move Quickly from place to place, that is all. By and by this car will take me back to Pre-toria. For the present it enables me to keep away from Pretoria, where I could be of no service and where I should only play into the hands of the enemy."

"They say, Mr. Kruger," remarked the correspondent, "that you have brought with you gold to the value of \$2,000,000?" "It is not true," replied the President, "whatever resources I may have with me are simply those which we require

templating taking refuge anywhere. I

Shall Not Leave My Country.

There will be no need to do anything of the kind." The correspondent, "Then, sir, there is much surprise at your having left Mrs. Kruger behind." President Kruger. "But why? Mrs. Kruger is quite safe in Pretoria. She would only be put to personal inconvenience here, all comm cation between us is stopped of course, but she will await my return with calmness and courage. She is a brave wo-

ful burghers and are quite safe.'

only now that the real struggle has begun. I fear that there will

Still Be Much Bloodshed, but the fault is that of the British gov-

Then raising his voice to an almost impassionate height, Mr. Kruger explained ing to operate on an extensive scale. "A woman mine operator of the camp have done plenty of that, but it has done known by the familiar title of 'Pop-Corn

poort refused to leave their quarters and made the Boer commandant a prisoner, releasing him at midnight on condition that he would cancel the order for the removal of the prisoners. The Pretoria forts were found without guns. All the artillery had been taken away."
Another dispatch says: "Sixteen hun dred British prisoners were removed.
After the government had removed the stores the burghers were given a free hand to help themselves. All the British ish found was a few hundred bags of coffee and sugar."

South Africa Affairs.

Glasgow, June 7.—The Liberal leader in the House of Commons, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, speaking here today on the attitude of the opposition towards the South African question, said London, June 8.—The executive offices what the war left behind. The members of the Transvaal government are in a of the opposition, he added, were onlookrailway car, which is shunted on a switch at Machadorp station. President Kruger caused the interior of the coach

layed at Cape ports and will only increase the number supported by charity. It must be a couple of months at least before the bulk of those now in the Colony and Natal can be allowed to return or work generally can be resumed HYDRAULICKING IN ATLIN.

Recent Arrivals Tell of Wealth Being Discovered and Work to be Done.

had been taken.

"The capital," exclaimed Mr. Kruger, with energy. "What is a capital? It does not consist of any particular collec-

Then they are erecting a stamp mill on the Anaconda group, which is one of the largest bodies of low grade free miling ore that is known, to which the famous Treadwell is but a baby. The least assays attainable have been \$6 per ton for free milling, besides the values in concentrates.

"One property on Birch creek will make a preliminary expenditure of \$50,-000, another on Boulder will expend in a plant \$60,000 this season. Then there is the property on Wright creek with which Chief Engineer Hawkins is connected. That company will have a plant costing \$90,000, in fact, it is going up now. The whole of Spruce creek, from for state purposes. At the same time, source to outlet, has been leased and bonded for \$3,500,000, the whole of treasure is. Let Roberts find it if he source to outlet, has been leased and plant and starting operations.

"They also say in England, Mr. Krug "There are twenty seven lenses on Pine"

er, that you contemplate taking refuge creek which have been purchased by an on a Dutch man-of-war at Lorenzo Mar-Australian syndicate, which expects to quez." "That again is a lie," retorted spend \$2,000,000 in machinery and he President with vehemence. "I know ditches before they think of getting any of no Dutch war vessel. I am not con- return, Sunrise gulch has been leased by a California syndicate, and at the present has 200 men working, digging ditches and getting ready to operate."

J. H. Russell, formerly of Kamloops, who came out from Atlin, gives more details of the work being done in the rich northern district. He said, in an inter-

"The Bracketts are to run a big flume over their property along bedrock, and have found the earth rich right where they have dug the trench for the flume. They have taken out a bottle full of man. I am here awaiting further in-formation. We are surrounded by faith-Willow this season than was taken from State Secretary Reitz remarked, "You the entire district of Atlin last year, may depend upon it, the war is not yet. Eighty men are at work on the property over. Guerilla warfare will continue making preparations for the season's ex-over the enormous area. We intend to tensive operations. The Brackett group

fight to the bitter end and shall probably retire upon Lydenburg, where we can hold out for many months."

"Yes," observed Mr. Kruger, "it is "De Lamer is putting in improvements on his hydraulic properties on Boulder that will require 470,000 feet of lumber. "The Pen-Dugwig people, on Wright, are spending thousands on their hydranlic proposition. A party of Californians have gotten control of a number of claims well down on Pine, which they term the Sunrise group, and are prepar-

The Revolt Is Spreading

Shanghai Correspondent Says the Boxers Are Now Obtaining Arms.

Chinese General Claims to Have Killed Five Hundred of the Rebels.

on strongly gives great satisfaction The Pekin correspondent of the Times

telegraphing yesterday, says: "An im-perial decree has been issued, but it is of the same evasive character as the preceding one. Throughout it is apologetical in tone, and gives justification to the Boxers for the recent anti-foreign and Description of a Fight With a anti-Christian outbreaks. The edict repeats the accusation against native Christians, saying they 'joined the church for their base end.' This refers to the Boxers as 'a brotherhood,' and not as rebels. It avoids all reference to the murders of missionaries or of national Christians, and implies that the destruction of the railway and missionary party is due to lawless characters who the Rebels.

Is due to lawless characters who have joined the Boxers, to profit by the disturbances. It blames the officials, orders that the lawless shall be punished and condemns the soldlers for assisting the disturbances. Nevertheless its character on the whole is quite satisfactory."

Paralyzes the Native Magistrates. A perusal of current Chinese publica-

Body of Revolu-

tionists.

the region under his direct control to exercise great watchfulness. Meanwhile the Boxers had begun their depredations, not however in the direction anticipated. They sought fresh fields just on the northeast border of the region swept by them last year. They first looted the place of a well-to-do Christian in northeast Yu-cheng, about 20 miles from the Hsien city. The man whose home they attacked was working in his fields. It was shortly after mid-day. He had no intimation whatever of the impending trouble. His attention being drawn by some children who said the soldiers had come (they meant the Boxers), he looked How the Fear of the Dowager come (they meant the Boxers), he looked up and saw the band prostrating themselves before the village temple, prepara-tory to the raid. His wife and children warned by their neighbors had escaped just in the nick of time from their home. Nothing pleases the Boxers better than A perusal of current Chinese publications, copies of which were received by yesterday's Oriental liner, cannot fail to confirm the reader in the view already given currency through cable dispatches of the friendship of the Empress Downard of the friendship of the Empress Downard of the Empress Dow Kruger caused the interior of the coach to be reconstructed some time ago, with a view to configencies that have now arrived.

The correspondent of the Dully Enteron Marquer to see President Kruger, was received yesterday. The President Kruger, was received at the colonial long by the He looked worried, but in bearing was quipped for the interview of the capital for the interview of the capita

On Tuesday following the Saturday on which the governor had been informed of the trouble, the military caught up with the band five miles from the scene of their thieving operations. The mainstay of the force was seventeen of Yuan's regular cavalry, who meant business from the word go. The Yn Cheng official had forty of his Yamen braves and an equal number of worthless Ya-men runners. The Yamen braves were men runners. The Yamen braves were the first on the field, so they said. At any rate they fired into the air three times with intent to scare the Boxers, but the Boxers failing to get scared, the magistrate began to get alarmed. He clambered from his cart, pulled off his long robe, and was assisted to mount a horse, on which he quickly made his way to the front and told his men that they must fight in earnest or there would be must fight in earnest or there would be serious trouble. They replied: "You remember Yuan Shih Tun, who was degraded by Yu Hsien for fighting the Boxers." "No matter about that," the magistrate replied, "I'll take any blame, and if there be glory, it may all be yours." So they fought in their weak way. They were shortly reinforced by Yuan's regulars, above mentioned, and after a skirmish of a couple of hours 21 Boxers were left dead on the field. Not a single leader was captured or killed. They rode horses and when things got

They rode horses and when things got too warm they skipped.

If those twenty men killed had been the leaders of the organization in West Shantung the whole miserable business would be at an end. As it is it will, if it die at all, die a very lingering death. The governor has commended the magistrate for his conduct and rewarded two trate for his conduct and rewarded two of the soldiers who were wounded. He has also issued warrants for the arrest of the four leaders implicated. One Boxer was captured alive.

NOTES FROM OTTAWA.

Mr. Monk's Statement-No Charters for Railways From International Boundary.

Ottawa, June 7 .- Dr. Devlin, Montreal, who got the contract for supplying mergency food to the Canadian soldiers in South Africa, wrote a letter to F. D. Monk, M.P., beseeching him to repeat outside the House what he had stated in it last evening in regard to the food he supplied the government, so that he might have an opportunity of making im prove his statements.

In the railway committee of the House of Commons this morning, Sir Charles Tupper urged the committee to consider bills for the incorporation of the Alaska Yukon, and Alaska and Northwestern railways, but Hon. A. G. Blair insisted that no more charters would be granted for railways from the international boundary. The matter was then drop-

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Montreal, June 7.-Mr. Clouston, general manager of the Bank of Mon at the annual meeting of the corpora-tion, made the following reference to British Columbia: British Columbia has British Columbia: British Columbia has not shared the general prosperity to the same extent as her sister provinces, owing to the effect of injudicious and ill-considered legislation. This has created a feeling of distrust abroad, and the inflew of foreign capital, so necessary to the development of her immense natural resources, has been scriously checked.



ME STAY IN PRETORIA AND SING "GOD SAVE THE QUEEN?" NOT ON YOUR TINTYPE. (St. Paul Pioneer-Press.)

the legation houses.

at Tien Tsin with six guns. A Daily Mail dispatch from Shanghai, which may arise.

dated June 7th, takes a gloomy view of The feeling prevails in British governmore taking matters into their own hands. The Boxer revolt is spreading, and this is rapidly changing its characters on Theodor. The Boxer revolt is spreading, the Characters and Catholic Christians on Theodor. The Characters without antagon-tion of the Characters and this is rapidly changing its character. The Boxers are getting arms, preparing to meet force with force. There has been no communication between Pekin and Tien Tsin since Tuesday, although one miserable half-hearted at-tempt has been made by Chinese soldiers

thousand foreign guards are garrisoning ish minister at Pekin, Sir Claude Mac- as the result of strong pressure by the he legation houses.

Donald and his assistants are still in foreign ministers interested. Not including the hundred international troops are complete charge of the situation and arc ing the two men who were made to suf-

things, which are pictured as going from ment circles that the Boxers' outbreak is bad to worse. The correspondent says:

"The authorities are displaying palpably guilty supineness in dealing with the of the globe.

"The authorities are displaying palpably many former uprisings in that quarter of the globe.

three, one of these as a Boxer leader, the other two for breaking into a pawn shop. These latter two were also Box-

ed nine cannons.

POINTS ABOUT SPEAKERS.

though one miserable half-hearted sttempt has been made by Chinese soldiers
to reach the capital. The troops were
fired upon and the train had to come
back. Another station has been burned
on the line."

A news agency dispatch from Tien

Toin detail vesterday says: "The Box."

The Right Hon. William Court Gully,
Speaker of the Imperial House of Commons, brings up the rear of a long and
dignified procession. As nearly as can
be ascertained, he is the one hundred and
eighteenth of his line, a line which has
continued unbroken for more than 500

relied upon to meet any complications fer the death penalty on account of participation in the murder of Rev. Mr. Brooks, Yuan Shihkai was executed, but evidently thought the provincial judge, General Manager of Bank of Montreal who has appeared most fearfully and wonderfully sensitive as to wounding the eelings or bodies of that honored band. The spring of his sensitiveness was of

There seems to be preponderant evidence that if Yuan, governor of Chinan, had a free hand he would deal far more sternly with the bothersome fellows than The plant pl his associates in the provincial govern-

Prohibition

Premier Macdonald Outlines the Proposed Act in Manitoba Legislature.

No Retail Sale--Manufacture for Home Consumption Will Be Prohibited.

The proposed Manitoba prohibition act was briefly outlined in the Manitoba legislature by Hon. II. J. Macdonald, who, on rising to introduce and move the first reading of his bill, entitled "The Liquor Act." said: "I believe the objection taken in very good nature by my hon, friend to the title of the bill was correct, and rather than be called 'The Liquor Act,' it ought to be named 'An Act for the Suppression of the Liquor Traffic."

An opposition member-"The cold water Mr. Macdonald-"Its object undoubtedly is to move in the direction of prohibition.

Mr. Greenway-"Is that all?" Mr. Macdonald-"We cannot totally prohibit, as my hon. friend knows. I do not intend to go at all into the particulars of the bill at present, keeping any lengthened remarks until it comes up for second reading. Only it is due to the House that I should now indicate the trend of the measure, and I may do so by saying that when they read it they will come to the concluclusion that the government have kept the pledge they made to the electors as part of one of the planks of their platform which stated they would go as far in the direction of prohibition as the powers conferred upon provincial legislatures would allow them to do. In deciding what powers we had we had to take advantage off and throw down boughs, and shake the of the possession of the well known judgment of the Privy Council which, I am sorry to say, is not as full or as clear as I am sure the members of the House would like to have seen it. It decides, however, this point, that the provincial legislature can absolutely prohibit the sale of liquor by retail, that is, in quantities less than five gallons, or a dozen bottles. The bill now presented to the House goes to the full extent of our powers and prohibits the retail traffic altogether. In so far as the ing light, when the howling monkeys wholesale business is concerned, that is wake the forest with their bellowings to more doubtful, as the judgment does not sunset, when the shrill whistle of the gonspecifically deal with that question at all. galoua-a species of grouse-marks the Reading the remarks of the judges, how- hour of six, wild pigeons, macaws, song ever, on the course of reasoning which led birds and monkeys have their turn. All them to decide as they did with respect to night the grunting of alligators, the splash the retail traffic, there is, in my opinion, of leaping fish, the screams of jaguars. little doubt that the provincial legislature and the cries of nocturnal birds and beasts although it has no power to prevent the fill the air. manufacture or sale within the province for consumption beyond our bounds, has power to prevent the sale for consumption within our bounds; and these are the ing through the night air and reverberat-

have had to consider the fact that it is necessary in a province like this that protoxicating liquors for medicinal, scientific ers, in the mysterious wilderness, the dark the vein was found in place for 58,5 or manufacturing purposes. We have con- forests, the unknown jungle, there are when it suddenly faulted, and as the fau sequently introduced provision for licens. numerous objects of interest; great cedar. ing wholesale and retail druggists. The almendra, gauchipilon, celba, and cortez tion a short crosscut of a few feet to the first are to be allowed to sell compara- trees rear their heads far into the sunlight south was all that was necessary to find tively large quantities for the purposes of the day, their bases hidden in a dense the ledge again, and last reports received mentioned; and where druggists hold re- undergrowth. Their entire follage is at here stated that it is a full 15 inches in tall licenses, they are allowed to sell under the top, and their great trunks, reaching width and of an excellent grade of quartz. medical prescriptions, in smaller quanti- up a hundred feet or more without a It is probable drifting will be continued ties; also to sell to ministers of the differ- branch, offer a variety of studies in types east to the side line of the claim, where ent denominations for sacramental par- of columns. Some rise straight and smooth, it adjoins the Fontency. There is over poses. The act, as members will see, is a some send out deep buttresses, while oth 100 feet of available ground to run long one, and the provisions made with a ers look like the muscle-knotted forearm through, so if the vein holds out as exview to carrying out the design which the of a Titan, with gnarled fingers gripping pected it will add a nice stoping area when framers have in view are very many in the earth in their wide grasp. Beneath opened up. number. It is not necessary for me to the shelter of these patriarchs, as comdeal with these at the present time. I pletely protected from scorching sun and siderable improvements for the more think, in introducing the bill and asking rpshing wind, as if in a conservatory, for its first reading, all that will be required is what I have said, which gives a fair idea of the general scope of the bill. When it comes up for second reading. I will deal with it at much greater length, and will do so feeling that a measure of such inportance will be dealt with by the members of the House in a fair spirit, and with a strong desire to make it as good a measure as can be placed on the statute book. I am not trying to avoid responsibility, the government assume that; they fully understand their responsibility: because in all sense this is a government measure on which they have to stand or fall. When I say I hope the members will deal with the bill in a candid, fair spirit I am not attempting to avoid responsibil ity; but I believe the members on both sides of the House will approach the measure with a strong desire to make it as good a bill as possible. I am sure I will consider any suggestions made by our friends on the opposite side or by hon. gentlemen sitting on this side in that spirit, provided that the principle which is odled in the act that I have contended for is recognized. In so far as the principle is concerned, there can be no yield ing on the part of the government; in so far as matters of detail are concerned. however, I shall be happy to receive any suggestions that may commend themselves to my good sense. I hope gentlemen on toth sides will have no hesitation in mak-

Mr. Greenway asked when it was proposed that the act should take effect. Mr. Macdonald answered-"When the present license year ends, June 1st, 1901." He further stated that the bill had been in the printers' hands a few days, and that it was the intention of the government to have it passed at the present ses-He named Thursday next as the day for the second reading of the bill.

ing any suggestions which will make it

pared by Mr. Phippen, acting for the License Holders' Association. The amount of money to compensate the signers of this died immensely rich. The former was rich again started up on May 7th, and the next petition in the event of the prohibition bill enough before he became "chef de claque"

To the legislative assembly of the prov-ince of Manitoba: "Whereas it is reported that the legislature is considering the in-troduction of a measure prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors:

"And whereas under sanction of law and in conformity with the general practice miles of line northwest from Cape Colony throughout Canada and all other British and 1,100 miles southwest from Cairo are

provements, etc., in connection with the sale of intoxicating liquors:
"And whereas it is claimed by those fav oring a prohibitory law, that great benefits will accrue to the people, increased wealth to the province, and a large saving

the cost of administration of justice; "And whereas it would be decidedly unjust for the government to introduce such legislation without providing fair and reasonable compensation to the persons have vested interests as aforesaid; "Therefore, we, the undersigned, elec

tors and ratepayers of the province of Manitoba, having vested interests, do humbly petition: "That any prohibitory act passed by the

said legislature shall have as a basis, compensation to persons who have vested interests, which will be injuriously affected "April, 1900."

Attached to this petition were the signatures of all the hotel license holders in the province, and a number of holders of hotel property and loan companies.

CENTRAL AMERICAN FORESTS.

In the rainy season the rivers run bealote grass, are countless aquatic flowering plants. On bright days every bend of the stream reveals brown mud-encrusted allitheir ugly snouts above the water. After sunset a tapir or manatee may be seen crossing the river, and sharp eyes may detect, every now and then, a huge iguana hugging a branch overhead; or it may be that the first intimation of his prewater from a height and with a force that would seem sufficient to burst him. Innumerable small iguanas, of bright metallic hues and with ugly spinal fringes, bask on the logs and snags near the bank and when disturbed, dart for the shore, moving their feet and talls so rapidly that they fairly walk upon the water. A falling branch

Reveals a Troop of Monkeys

in the trees above. They grimace, break limbs as if in uncontrollable rage. musky odor tells of a drove of wild pigs upon the bank. White and blue herons stand along the river side, or soar lazily from point to point; macaws, parrots, and parrakeets scream in the trees; puzzards circle high in air; an occasional hawk darts swiftly from bank to bank; and black and yellow songsters flit along the banks. The air above the river is never silent, for from the first suspicion of morn-

A Booming Noise.

like the distant report of a cannon, break-Besides the points just mentioned, we ed to earth, carrying everything within its until a short time ago, had not been op

Varieties of Young Trees,

destined, some day, to be glants themthey, like the smaller birds, seek the tops are flowering, and if one can look down plazing patches of crimson, yellow, purple, pink, and white. The river banks are the and sand spits also produce countless vari-Culture Magazine.

PROFESSIONAL APPLAUDERS.

The position of some of the "chefs de claque" at large Faris theatres is a very nviable one from a financial point of view. They are capitalists and speculat-

Before the Minister of Fine Arts, a few years ago, made the claque at the opera into a state institution, they themselves did the very same thing, and I have known nine franc tickets sold at a little office in he Rue Auber by the former "chef de y at five francs each. But when an opera dearly for them.

the legislature by Dr. Nellson. It was pre- de claque" who have died worth hundreds of thousands of francs.

Auguste and Porcher, of the opera, both being passed and the petition being grant-ed would aggregate about \$2,000,000.

The petition reads:

chough before he became the decide at the opera to pay \$0,000 francs (£3,200) for his position. Besides the profit he made on tickets he received handsome presents from actors and actresses.-Wide

There are 10,000 miles of railway now it operation or under construction in Africa. According to The Engineer, already 1,400 countries, large sums of money have been complete, the intermediate distance being invested in good faith in buildings, im-

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Fairview Corporation.

Mr. Richard Russell, president and tin managing director of the Fairview Corporation, has just returned from London, Eng., where he put through a sale of a the snow to get off the mountains. portion of the company's properties. Mr. pective purchasers, entered into a preliminary agreement of purchase and sale, opened up on other claims on North Star which is to be ratified at a meeting of Hill. the corporation, to be held at Fairview on June 14th next.

Under the terms of the deal the price in 150,000 shares of a par value of £1 is in addition to the £4,000 before men-

Mr. Russell points out that this ence of the Fairview Corporation, which still owns other mining properties, as well as a million shares of unissued stock. Now the issued stock of the Fairview Corporation totals in value about It will be seen, therefore \$750,000 that, as the English company is to pay £154,000 for the properties, the Fairview olders are really get-Corporation shareh ting upwards of \$750,000, or in other words dollar for dollar for their original

The English company has ample capatal, and is in a position to operate the Fairview properties to the best advantage. The Stemwinder mine, which has several years' ore supply already blocked out, is now being pumped out, and it is the company's intention to erect a 40-stamp nill at an early date. Further dvelopnent in the way of sinking, etc., will be prosecuted. Mr. Russell has been appointed managing director of the new

There are a few points upon which some of the corporation's shareholders sem to be at sea. Mr. Russell explains that they do not give up their Fairview Corporation stock, which can be dealt in as formerly upon the Canadian market; and on which it is expected dividends will be paid from the profits accruing upon the £150,000 worth of stock in the English company, which will be turned over to the Canadian company.

It is besides the intention of the com pany to immediately commence active de ment of the coal lands.-Toronto In Camp McKinney.

(Special Correspondence to the Times.) Greenwood, June 1.-Recent information from Camp McKinney tells of the finding mits given to the measure now under ing along the water, sounds the death-note of the ledge in the east drift on the 65 of some giant of the forest that has erash- foot level of the Waterloo. This drift reach. Out of the forests come clouds of ed up, the main work being confiend to fol fragrance, and sounds of myriad beasts lowing the rich ore for a distance of 265 and birds and insects. Back from the riv- feet in the west drift. In the east drift occur in that camp in a southerly direc-

Superintendent Graham has in view coneconomical development of the Waterloo. He now proposes the sinking of a new flowers beneath this dense canopy, and jacent a good supply of clear water. The of costume is observable in their vicincollar of the shaft will be sufficiently high ity. This holy year has been productive of trees and banks of rivers, where sun- to permit of the construction of ore-bins, of many odd situations. The other day light and air are abundant. In the tree- so that an abundant supply of ore may al- I was in St. Peter's, enjoying myself imtops, orchids and other flowering parasites ways be maintained; as it is now, the ore run riot. Many of the trees themselves has to be taken up by the old shaft and to the mill direct, there being no ore-bins. on a forest valley in Mhrch or April the Again, the proposed shaft will be sunk in reen expanse will appear enlivened by the centre of the known rich pay chute

and will follow the same down. Present stoping in the west drift is confavorite homes of flowering vines, and fined to an area of 35 feet in extent, starthere they form great curtains swaying ing from a point 165 feet in on the level. om the trees in bright patterns of many The stopes are being pushed surfacewards, ues. The grassy slopes, islands, shallows, and in a short time when the surface is reached all that will be necessary for the etles of aquatic plants.-From the Self new shaft will be to dress up the excavation to the 65-foot level and then resume the sinking. West again of the present stoping ground is another extremely rich piece of ground that will not be touched until the shaft is completed to the present level and the additional larger hoisting machinery, which will then be absolutel necessary to continue the sinking, is installed. A new tramway will also have to be constructed from the proposed shaft to the mill.

At the present time between eight and nine tons a day is being put through the mill, which is of a five-stamp capacity supplemented with a Johnsto laque" of the opera for as much as trator. Since the mill first started no conwenty francs each. This man used to centrates have been shipped out for smelt-eceive fifty tickets, and sold them usuallemonstrated the ore to be freewas a great success and tickets were in demand, he naturally made people pay the mill will also be increased at an early date with an additional battery of five Petition for Compensation.

The following petition was presented to be legislature by Dr. Nellson It was presented to the legislature by Dr. Nellson It was pre the end of January, when the water in the open ditch froze up with the extreme ly cold weather. The gold saved during this period amounted to \$3,300. clean up will be on the 7th of the pr month. The ore is said to average \$15 per on, of which \$12 is saved on the plates The addition of a new pattern concentrat or to replace the present rather antiquated one would also be the means, the super-intendent says, of a larger saving. The mill runs smoothly, is well installed, and foundations are in so that at any time five more stamps could be added in short

> The completion of the new shaft, the installation of a larger hoisting plant and deal an additional battery of five stamps would ter.

East Kootenay. Work on the Black Bear, near Kimber

ey, will be resumed as soon as the new imps and hoist are installed. The French company is working Silver Tip group on Toby creek. The pre sent force will be increased in a short

considerable attention being paid to No. 2 creek, above Horsethief. At least 30 prospectors are waiting for Nothing further has been heard from Russell, on behalf of the corporation, and Mr. Alfred Mori, on behalf of the pros-

The work on the John Bull group has been going on for several weeks with a small force. The property is improving all the time. The shaft is now down forty for the properties to be transferred is feet in ore, some of which will run \$300 £154.000, of which £150,000 is to be paid to the ton. The ledge is eight feet wide. The Sullivan is now a shipper in fact as each, and the remaining £4,000 in cash, well as theory. Henceforth ore will go which will more than pay all existing out at an average of a carload a day, or ween full banks, and dropping wines trail liabilities of the company. The amount more. It will be but a short time now ere upon the water. Along the banks and on set aside as working capital by the Eng- the compressor plant, ordered some weeks the sandspits, among the zacate and gram. lish company is £50,000, of which £16; ago for the Sullivan, will be here and in 000 has already been subscribed. This stalled. This will be followed as speedily as money can accomplish it in proper shap by a tramway on the aerial system, which will enable more rapid and economical gators lying upon the bank, and others lift- not interfere with the continued exist- transportation of ore from the mine to the railroad.

Recently work was recomm ayroll, and starting from the bottom of the 70-foot shaft a drift was run for a distance of 25 feet, the face of which shows a four-foot ledge between two good walls and carrying ore all the way, said to be three feet of carbonates and from eight to twelve inches of clean solid ga ena, giving values as follows, according to assays by C. Johnson: Carbonates (three feet), gold, \$10; silver, \$1.32; lead, \$8.24; total, \$19.56. Galena (12 inches), gold, \$6; silver, \$19.98; lead, \$63.40; total, \$89.38. A new shaft has been started 120 feet further along on the ledge, which is reorted to be six feet wide at that point, and showing concentrating ore clear across, which is expected, from the show ing in the drift from the 70-foot level, will wheel, Smith rode as far as Shawnigan later on reveal a considerable body of lake, where he met the train for Nanalmo.

The Boundary. A strike of a small stringer of very good

ineral has just been made on the Rose Ore is being hauled from the Athelstan o Hartford Junction for a carload shipnent to the Trail smelter. Work has been started on the Great

lopes in Deadwood camp. Recent development on the Evening Star, ljoining the Vancouver and Sibley, shows large body of high-grade copper ore. Recently in excavating for a powder ouse on the Victoria a fine ledge of copper ore was opened up almost on the sur

The new machinery at the B. C. is set ip and has been running several times for testing purposes. The new tunnel under the railway spur n the Snowshoe, is now in over 200 feet nd some of the best ore yet seen on the operty is being encountered.

It is stated that work is to be resumed on the Morrison and Great Hopes, both n Deadwood camp, and on the Dominion Copper Company's mines in Phoenix and Summit camps.

beth faces of the north and south drift at the 300-foot level of the Mother Lode mine, Deadwood camp. It is more silicious than that met with at the 200-foot evel, and carries higher gold values. Work is being resumed on the Winnipe mine, in Wellington camp. Mr. David Oxley has instructions to put on all the men he can employ in the mine to advan-

There are now some 50 men on the pay roll at the British Columbia Copper Company's smelter near Greenwood.

A CURIOUS PENANCE mensely, looking at a group of pilgrims from the Balkans, with their sunburnt faces, unkempt hair, boots reaching to their knees and short petticoats. Suddenly, as one man gazed open-mouthed man aristocracy, came out from one of the latter appeared well away, Hay, spler the chapels and went directly up to him didly supported by the forwards, dribbled and kissed him on the cheek. He, stupe the ball well in Canadian territory before fied, shrank back, but she, without being pulled up for handing forward in rause, went on to the rext, until she had attempting to handle the leather. Half saluted six, when she turned to the time was soon afterwards called. During shrine near by. However, before she the interval, on Almond hearing that the could move two other detached themselves from the group and held down their cheeks. The lady, somewhat taken aback, paused, and then gave the rejuested kiss. The respective wives cf he peasants by this had recovered from heir surprise, and were holding an indignation meeting, which was not quite elled by the explanation of their iest, that she was the Princess X., and had been performing a penance. And what a penance! But, of course, the wives of the good men could not be exected to see it in that light."

THE BAGLE'S HEART."

Mr. Hamlin Garland's most recen work is a vigorous story of Western life, ntitled "The Eagle's Heart." In this rilliant story he draws a remarks trong picture of the adventurous life in owtowns and mining settlements, and lows every phase of the aggressive extence of miner, plainsman and cowboy. An absorbing love story is skillfully woven into the fabric of peril and advenure, "The Eagle's Heart," superbly il-ustrated by Mr. Harrison Fisher, will egin in The Saturday Evening Post for June 16, and run through the summer numbers of the magazine.

Hughes & Long's planing mill at Brandon was burned to the ground yes-terday. The stock of lumber was almost a total loss. Cockshutt Co. have a good deal of stock damaged by fire and wa-

Sporting News

THE RING. BETTING ILLEGAL.

(Associated Press.) Francisco, June 5 .- An ordinano betting on prize fights a misdehas been passed by the board of ennervisors of this city. The penalty for a violation of the law is a fine not exceeding \$500, or imprisonment for not more than six months

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL VANCOUVER WANTS TO PLAY.

nunication has been received by the Victoria Association Football Club from the Vancouver aggregation inviting them to the Terminal City on July 1st to play A meeting of the Victoria club was held last evening, when it was decided to accept the invitation, provided their exenses would be defrayed.

YACHTING. THE DOMINION SOLD.

celebrated Canadian yacht Domin on, which won the Seawanhaka cup two years ago, and defeated the Yankee, of the White Bear Club, last year, has been purchased by Shirley Davidson, and wil be sailed at Cape Breton in the future The Dominion was called a "freak" by the members of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club, on account of its peculiar

THE WHEET.

A LONG RIDE. Three Nanaimoites, C. E. Shaw, Harold Johnson and James Adams, left the Coal City at 4 o'clock on Monday morning on a wheel trip to Victoria, and arrived in Victoria just in time to catch the after noon train to Nanalmo. Another cyclist Purvis Smith, also started with the party, but shortly before he arrived at Duncans his wheel broke down. The wheelmen reported the roads between Nanaimo and Duncans to be in good condition, but from the latter station to this city it is somewhat of an uphill climb and the roads are generally rough. After repairing his and lost in profound reverie, a white

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

CANADA FOR EVER. That the Royal Canadians, besides knowing how to fight (vide Paardeberg), are capable of more than holding their own on a South African football field, is amply constrated by the following account taken from a recent issue of the Bloen fonteln The Friend of a match played at the capital of the late Orange Free State between the officers of the Gordon Highlanders and the first Canadian contingent "A blazing hot day and ground like iron nome might not care to pursue their favor ite pastime. But out here our soldiers take things'as they are with just as much and weariness. He afterwards declared zest as though they were all to their lik- that the fearfully poignant attitude in ing. Thus those who on Friday last found their way out to the Gordon's camp, and there were many who did do so, had the fortune to see a rattling good game of Rugby football between the officers of the 1st Battalion Gordon Highlanders and the was the result of his own modified exofficers of the first contingent Royal Cana-"The match had excited great interest

Scotland has ever been famous for the part she has taken in 'Rugger,' as enthusiasts term it, whilst on the other found and touching significance. The hand to what particular style of play Canadians had adapted themselves was to most of us merely a matter of conjecture; indeed, they were perhaps at a slight dis advantage from the fact that their rules are a little different to our own. But it gave way to admiration when it was diswas remarkable how quickly they appre clated such differences. Indeed, Col. Mc-Bean, who most kindly gave up his time o act as referee, appeared to have quite a pleasant experience, as compared to the metimes operous duties of that official. "As the teams entered the field a great onet tendered Munkacsy in Paris after one disparity in point of weight and size was of his triumphs at an exhibition. Breton at once apparent, the Canadians being an was to propose the toast in his fellow The Rome correspondent of the Lon-don Daily Telegraph writes: "Rome is dons having lost the toss, a matter of looked at Munkacsy, who was at his right, exceptionally fine lot of men, fairly towermain working shaft at a point 165 feet on the present No. 2 shaft. given over to pilgrims. Here, there and small moment when taking into considerations which is a small moment when taking into considerations which is a small moment when taking into considerations about the small moment when taking into considerations are small mo This new shaft will effect a big saving in everywhere, in the churches, trams, cabs, tion that but 15 minutes' play each way scives. Still lower down luxurlate smaller the cost of mining. It will be sunk in streets, they elbow ordinary mortals into had been agreed upon, they started the and cheered to the point of exhaustion. trees, palms, tree-ferns, dense underbrush, dry ground, the present shaft being trougher as it were, in the lordly man- game at 20 minutes to 5, Marshall return and a network of erceping and climbing blesome by reason of the necessity of ner of masters of the situation. As they ling finely, the ball was soon in the High vines. There is not light enough for much pumping. Then to it will be indare nearly all peasants, a cheerful variety landers' quarters, a penalty against Can landers' quarters, a penalty against Can ada relieving momentarily, only to be forced back once more on to the three quarter line, and five minutes from the commencement of play Marshall securing he ball fairly forced his way through the lefence, and, struggling over the line at the extreme left hand corner, obtained the first score for Canada. Burstall, who took the kick, however, failed to convert. "This fairly put the Gordons on their at the bronze St. Peter, a lady richly and mettle. After Lockley had brought Lawtashionably dressed, evidently of the Ro- less most brilliantly to the ground, when

Scotchmen were playing a man short, he most generously withdrew one of his forwards, the game being continued with 14 a side.

"Almost immediately after re ment E. G. Cameron, smartly taking very pretty pass, went off at terrific speed and racing right around his opponents, amidst tumultuous cheering from the Highlanders thronging the ground, seemed certain to equalize scores, when he unfor tunately got within inches of the Canadian boundary. After this brilliant effort some rather loose play was noticeable until Swift made himself conspicuous with sev-eral short runs, the Canadians now doing most of the attacking. Time after time Lockley and the two Camerons raising a cheer for their determined tackling, in-deed, this was the feature of the game.

"By sheer weight of their forwards, the Canadian contingent now forced the Gor-dons back, and Swift, smartly dodging. got in a huge bunt, the ball going far over the Highlanders' goal line, a desperate race ensuing for the touch down, but Marshall's great speed took him clean past the Gordon's full back, and he secured the second try for his regiment, Burstall again falling at a very easy chance. "Time was called a few minutes later,

and a really hard and fast game was over, leaving the Canadians victor by 2 trys to Swift and Lawless played a fine game

whilst for the losers, Lockley and E. G. Cameron were in great form. "Teams 1st Contingent Royal Canaidan Regt.—Full back, Temple; three-quarters, Lieut. Barker (capt.), Lieut. Swift; half

backs, Capt. Almond, Lieut. Marshall, Lieut. Steward; forwards, Lieut. Wills, Lieut. Oland, Lieut. Lafferty, Lieut. Lau. rie, Lieut, Bustall, Capt. Weeks, Capt. Fraser, Lieut. Armstrong. "1st Ratt. Gordon Highlanders-"

quarters, E. G. Cameron (capt.), Lieut Cameron, 2nd Lieut. R. Lockley, Lieut. J. Hay; half backs, Lieut. McLaren, Lieut. W. Marshall; Capt. E. R. Younger, Lieut. Lieut, T. Forbes, 2nd Lieut, Gordon 2nd Lieut. W. Lumsden, Lieut. P. Capt. R. Benson, 2nd Lieut, J. S. L'eut. Marshall, who was und the most brilliant player in the mar one of the finest inside wing pla Canada, and was for many years a of the Hamilton team. He is posse a magnificent physique, and is und as formidable on the battlefield as football grounds. He was the w the great race of 18 miles around Ha Bay in 1894. W. T. Lawless is a well known Ottawa man, while Lieut. Bustall played for years

with the team from the Royal Military College, Kingston. Capt. R. K. Barker played in the Osgood Hall intermediate team in '92 and '93,

BOUND HIMSELE TO A CROSS. Painter Munkacsy His Own Model for the

Saviour in "Christ on Calvary." late Munkacsy's weird methads of conceiving and working out his plctures never had a more startling illustra. tion than in the case of his most famous canvas, "Christ Before Pilate," says the Chicago News. All the figures save one were sketched in with a rapidity almost maniacal between dawn and twilight of one day. The one space remaining empty was that reserved for the figure of Jesus, and it remained so many days while Munkacsy worked on the other figures. As he approached the oasis of white canvas left untouched by his blazing colors the artistic and devotional fervor grew upon him and he shut himself away from the sight of man that he might, in perfect solitude and silence, realize his conception of the

man of sorrows.

When the picture was finished and had brought him world wide fame he always insisted that, while he was sitting alone rision floated before his eyes and passed into the unpainted space on the canvas. The painter, shaking with excitement, sprang forward, and with trembling hands painted in the figure which had come to him like the phantasmagoria of a dream. However, the inspiration for that dead white figure, set amid resplendent crimsons and purples, came to him, we all know what its effect upon the world was. Another theatric incident marked the execution of Munkacsy's subsequent chievement in his great trilogy of the Christus. When he was working on his 'Christ on Culvary," he claimed that no artist could reproduce on canvas even a faint semblance of the anguish Jesus had felt upon the cross, where he remained so many hours that he fainted from pain which he had painted the Saviour, with the chest thrown forward, the body swerving somewhat to the left, the left shoulder lifted, and the head, with its pain scarred features, leaning toward it, rience on the cross.

The first view of the "Christ on Calvary' was granted to a select company of notables on Good Friday, 1884. The scene has been described as one studio and was hushed in silence. All were startled when a shaking voice cried: Glorious! Wonderful! Worthy the old masters!" Indignation at the interruption covered that the speaker was one of the famous painters of Paris, an artist who

had himself frequently depicted incidents in the divine tragedy. The same spirit of here worship had another picturesque manifestation at a banartist's honor, and an address of signal "This is my toast!" The company rase

CRADLE SONG J. G. Holland. What is the little one thinking about? Very wonderful things, no doubt; Unwritten history, Unfathomed mystery,

Yet he chuckles and crows, and nods and winks As if his head were as full of kinks And curious riddles as any sphinx. Warped by colic, and wet by tears, unctured by pins and tortured by fears, Our little nephew will lose two years, And he'll never know

Where the summers go; He need not laugh, for he'll find it so.

Who can tell what a baby thinks? Who can follow the gossamer links By which the mannikin feels his way out from the shore of the great unknown Blind, and wailing, and alone, Into the light of day?

but from the shore of the unknown sea. Cossing in pitiful agony: Of the unknown sea that reels and rolls, pecked with the bark of little souls; carks that were launched on the other side, And slipped from Heaven on an ebbing

What does he think of his mother's eyes What does he think of his mother's hair? What of the cradle roof that flies Forward and backward through the air? What does he think of his mother's breast? Bare and beautiful, smooth and white, seeking it ever with fresh delight, Cup of his life and couch of his rest?

What does he think of her quick embrace? resses his hand and buries his face Deep where the heart throbs sink and With a tenderness she can never tell,

Though she murumr the words Of all the birds, Words she has learned to murmur well? Now he thinks he'll go to sleep; Over his eyes in soft eclipse, Over his brow and over his lip

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*************** Provincial News.

NELSON. Rev. John Robson and Mrs. Robson eft Nelson for Vancouver on Monday

evening, where Mr. Robson will at once assume charge of his new and more imrtant pastorate. During May a total of 1,000 miners' enses were issued at the government dices. The total revenue in the mining secorder's department for the month was

\$9.807.02. Andrew Christopher, a carpenter emloved on the new bunk house at the oorman mine fell from the building Friday and sustained a severe concussion of the brain. He was walking in a ladder with a keg of nails on his shoulders and overbalanced himself.

ALBERNI.

(Special Correspondence of the Times) George Smith, C.E., has left to survey he Iron Mask mineral claim next to \$40. But they missed it, Hayes's group. roperties up there.

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juvenile element receiving a half holilay to celebrate the event. Capt. Robertson, of the steamer Wilie who broke his leg last week, is getting along nicely. He says he will get to the polling on the 9th if he has to be

GREENWOOD.

packed

A largely attended meeting of citizens was held on Friday at the city hall, at which committees appointed for the Dominion Day celebration presented their reports. Arrangements were made for raising funds and advertising the affair, 32x60 feet in size.

Besides the work being done on Greenwood street in the construction of a big water flume down the centre, the city authorities have at work a large force of men grading Boundary avenue, which s parallel and on the east bank of Boundary creek. The grading will make this avenue 60 feet in width.

Every year Kootenay lake claims its tial knot was tied by Rev. T. W. Hall. victims. In the past few days no fewer than five miners are supposed to be drowned. They are called W. Freeman, W. Kenyon, Adam Baird and Harry department of the Vancouver customs Sutherland. The first named couple left here Monday last for some mining claims leagues in registering a strong objection hevond Fry Creek. Lemon went in the against the notification that the departsame direction a day later, while Baird ment and its employees are about to be and Sutherland travelled to Lardo-Dun- removed to Ottawa. Only one man of made, a model host, and a sorrowing averaging about eighty. In command of can in small row boats some weeks since the Vancouver staff is willing to transfer and have never more been heard of. his home to the Capital.-News-Adver-Lemon's boat was found floating in the tiser. but their friends fear for their

out of scores. ASHCROFT.

Ashcroft hotel on Monday, at 9 a.m., came as a great shock to the people of Ashcroft and vicinity, because few knew the Pacific Coast, of the accident that had befallen him and that he was in danger as the result of it. Death was due to injuries redriving from Asheroft to John Wilson's ranch at 8-Mile creek on Friday night, the 25th inst. He had spent most of the day in Ashcroft, and left C. Browne's place on the Bonaparte (the old Harper Wednesday morning in Christ church. mill) late in the evening, and was not seen again until found on Saturday in an unconscious condition nearly opposite the Perry ranch. He was at once M. Tibbits, eldest daughter of Mr. and brought to the Ashcroft hotel, where he Mrs. C. M. Tibbits, of Andover, N.3. was attended by Dr. Williams, who was The Rev. L. Norman Tucker was the with him when he died.

Mr. Glassey was born in Reynoldswas commenced under Marcus Smith, the commissary and later, about 1876, injury. he was appointed chief of the commisried to a Miss McLean of Hat Cresk. When the Ashcroft hotel was owned by was their manager, and continued in the same position under different owners of the hotel until five or six years ago, when he engaged with John Wilson as foreman and bookkeeper on his ranch. He leaves a son, Herbert, and a daughter, Mrs. Robert Borland, of the 150-Mile House, both of whom reached Ash-croft only in time to attend of the city and British Columbia. To When transport

do this effectively very strict regulatransported, it is difficult to identify the particular Smith or Jones mentioned in the croft was foremost in all plans that were or four months. The matter came up telegram. If a man's battation, battery, for the best welfare of the town, and before the board of health on Wednes- or company is wrongly stated it is almo mainly by his untiring efforts in inter- day, when the chairman, Dr. McGuigan, impossible to correct the mistake, but the esting others and his personal gifts, was advised that the council be recommendthe English church commenced and com- ed to communicate with the provincial country name suggests Devonshire Regipleted, for which he received the warm board of health, requesting that the ment, "Mc" may be Scottish, and "O" thanks of the late Bishop Sillitoe.—Ashcroft Journal. ROSSLAND. The case of Albi and Albo, charged mendation was adopted. The health in- both at the seat of war and at the war with attempting to murder Herbert McArthur and for being accessory to the the lodging houses in the Oriental quarsame, in the Columbia lodging house, on ter of the city, and stated that this

First avenue, on the 2nd ult., was resumed on Friday forenoon. The evidence vision during the hot summor months. A accuracy in the roll of men whose health sumed on Friday forenoon. The evidence of Herbert McArthur had already been number of cases of Orientals occupying taken and the testimony of Horace J. quarters in underground cellars and Raymer, Peter Dickie and Dr. Reddick damp, dark rooms, had been discovered,

the Arthur mine, the point broke off his immer and two small pieces of steel odged in his right eye. He delayed naving them removed for several days and the eye ball was seriously injured, but the sight will be saved.

William Nicholson died of pneumonia rather suddenly about 9 o'clock on Monday morning at the Dominion hotel. He had been ill only three days and was on the street on Saturday evening. He was 34 years of age and umarried, his home being in Toronto. He was a drygoods clerk by trade, having formerly been employed at John Heckleman's, till 1st June, 1900, the number of perfour-foot-nothing of boyish ardor at store. After residing here for some time sons dropping in to read reached 16,562. the great Chelsea institution is, consehe went to the Coast, whence he returned about six months ago.

On Sunday night a party of marauders quantity of bottles of beer. They also paid their attention to ransacking the books, ouse for tray cash. One place that was house for stray cash. Both ends of the upper mattrass had been lifted, as like-upper mattrass had been lifted as like-upper mattrass the state in which the bed clothes were left. Had the thieves drank less beer they might have had enough energy to have rolled back the mattrass altogther, in which case they would have found

The late William Sweeney, who died Two mining men went up to China at the Sisters' hospital on the 2nd inst. reek on Sunday to look at some of the and aged 33 years, was a native of Renfrew, Ont., an old employee of the C. Messrs. Newton and Toy have both P. R., a member of the Knights of been at the Golden Eagle, where work Pythias and also a respected Oddfellow. His brother Tom, who is on the The reported capture of Pretoria was run from Revelstoke to Field, was presduly celebrated here by guns, etc., the ent at the death bed scene. Rev. C. W.

meet their trial there. Albo has elected Gaynor took place yesterday from the have to be devised. The one that an-

mit of Spokane mountain, 6,045 feet 1861. He was educated at Trinity Col- uniforms, etc., with a view to their serabove the sea. Messrs, Charles E. Gillege, Dublin, and received the degrees vices being similarly utilized. len, A. O. R. Brown, W. J. Venner and of B.A. and LL.B., of that institution, Situated in the King's road, Chelsea, E. A. Winn, assisting him. A pole was and became also a barrister-at-law. In where it stands in its own grounds, the which gives promise of being a big one. cut some distance down the west sile 1888, Mr. Gaynor left Ireland and came school buildings present a remarkably Pourse & McVeigh, the well known and hauled to the summit. There it was lumbermen, have had completed a big planted, supported by timbers and a pile his residence in this city, where he has founded in the year 1801 by Frederick, two-story addition to Olaf Lofstad's of rocks, and Mr. Robinson made a remained ever since. He first commenced Duke of York, for the education and raised in honor of the capture of Pre-

CHILLIWACK. A very pretty wedding celemony was solemnized on Wednesday morning at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. C. B. Reeves, when Mark Dumond, hardware merchant, of Ashcroft, and Miss Gretta McRae, of Chilliwack, were united in the bond of matrimony. The nup-

VANCOUVER. The clerks employed in the statistical

house unite with their Victoria col-

have searched for Baird and Sutherland office, met with a nasty accident on Mon- the deceased had in this country, are two officers comes a monitor (recruited from that Freeman and Kenyon are still alive window in the "long room" of the cus- Kennyo of this city. omces, when the fastening brok If they have been drowned it is not likely and the window sash fell heavily on Mr. that their bodies will be recovered. McHaffie's head. A long cut was the Kootenay lake seldom gives up its dead. principal injury, and so badly was the In fact until last year it was known as scalp injured that a number of stitches the lake that never gave up its dead, but had to be put in by Dr. McPhillips, who last fall two bodies were taken out of was called. Mr. McHaffie is not danit. These are the only two recovered gerously injured and is now getting along

as well as can be expected. The wedding took place on Wednesday evening of Mr. James Townsend, stage The death of Mr. John Glassey at the manager at the Savoy, to Miss Celi de Lacy, who is one of the best known and most popular vaudeville performers on

A carpenter named Thos. Fox fell on Wednesday morning from a scaffold on are taken from the identification tickets a new building being erected at the ceived by falling from a wagon, while corner of Campbell avenue and Hastings street. His shoulder and hip were bruided, and it is a miracle that he was not seriously injured. He was taken to the city hospital.

A pretty wedding took place early on The contracting parties were J. H. Paull, head watch-maker for several years past with Geo. E. Trorey, and Miss Etnel officiating clergyman.

A rather serious accident took place town, County of Tyrone, Ireland, in on Wednesday afternoon. The horse at-1847. In 1862 he came to Victoria tached to the Perth Steam Dye Works and for some time conducted a grocery wagon ran away on Cordova street. The business on Government street; after- wagon upset on the pavement and the wards he was a reporter on the Standard horse, continuing its career dragged the and later on the Colonist when that pa- upset cart against the two little children sary department with headquarters at Kamloops and was about this time married to a Miss McLean of Hat Creek borse cut its head severely and plunged about for several minutes, during which Messrs. Barnes & Evans, Mr. Glassey dangerous position by a bystander. One of the little ones had sustained a severe is discovered to mean Taylor, the Morse cut on the head, but both were other-

Much attention is being given by the be insisted upon so that the rats and vermin that are always found on board most trouble, but it is a matter of satisfacship may be exterminated. The recom- tion that, notwithstanding the pressure was alone heard. Both prisoners were committed for trial.

While John Anderson was at work at damp, dark rooms, had been discovered, and he would recommend that such places be recorded by the board as unfit for human habitation, as damp and dark-chiefs last year.

ness were known to be most conducive ed a foothold in San Francisco.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

steady improvement. broke into Spring's brewery and stole a to spare are reminded that the public army, however, is not composed exclu-

> ing. He was walking home with Dr. Walker, and suddenly felt faint. He sat on the sidewalk, and when asked if going black before me." Dr. Walker told him to lie down, and Mr. Gaynor in the band, until old enough to did so, expiring a few moments after- his place in the ranks as a wards. He had been unwell for some

trar, in the land registry office. The du. have ties of this position he has continued to discharge with credit to himself and to either on the field of battle or subsethe satisfaction of the government and quently of wounds there received the people. But in his unofficial life the quently of wounds there received. more than he a day's trout fishing, La- has been explained. crosse, billiards, and all legitimate sport At the Duke of York's, the 550 boys was sure of his assistance and support. borne on the books of the establishment In his home life, too, his genial manner lare divided into seven companies, each widow and two young sons and a young these separate divisions (so far as attenddaughter will have the sympathy of a ing to the administration of discipline. very large number of friends. The only etc., goes) is a color-sergeant of the reguake on Wednesday, while people who A. McHaffle, of the Vancouver customs relatives except those by marriage which lar army. After this non-commis

THE FATEFUL LISTS.

How the War Office Receives the Records of Casualties. publishing the casualty list in connection twopence and one penny per week. with the war is done by the British war

The identification of killed and wounded and the calling of the roll after an action 7 a.m., breakfast; 7.30 to 8.30 a.m., are grim duties sometimes done in a hurry band practice, or drill for non-musicians; by excited and weary men. The names 9.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m., school; 1 p.m., fastened inside the soldiers' tunics. A list 5.15 p.m., band practice, and work in through by the soldiers of the Queen to the war office in a telegram from the

general to Lord Lansdowne, the secretary of state for war. To give some idea of the difficulties and esponsibilities attaching to the work, it may be explained that when the list arrives at headquarters the telegram is in what plain. It consists, at breakfast government "code," and the first duty of and tea-time, of cocoa or tea and bread-This done, the sad work commences.

is verified. In the first place, search is boys abundantly proves that it thorough made in the latest rolls received from the ly agrees with them. man's unit. But many changes may have taken place since these returns were despatched. The man may have joined from the depot, from the other battalion of his be evident at first. Later on, however, regiment (India or elsewhere), or from when they shall have come to man's "details" left behind on embarkation of estate and gone out into the world, the the unit from home. He may have joined excellent results of the care bestowed on from the Reserve, from the Militia Re-Ter was controlled by D. W. Higgins and of Mr. White, the photographer. By a serve, or from the South African Reserve. John Robson. When the exploration miraculous chance, the children were He may have been reduced or promoted. serve, or from the South African Reserve. antly demonstrated by survey of the C.P.R. in this province swept off the pavement into the inside of 1f an artifleryman or engineer, he may the cart, which was a closed one with have been transferred to an ammunition to which so many of them rise. the chief engineer, he was in charge of an open front, thus escaping serious column; if a member of the A. S. C. or R. evidence of this there is in the vestibule The horse meanwhile travelled A. Medical Corps, his name may be found of the school a mural tablet on which

hospital. The telegrams themselves are often unintelligible. A careless or overworked oper- in Her Majesty's army. These number names are not separated, and the name reported as "Skelly" is verified as S.

When initials are omitted altogether or name is sometimes sufficient clue. A West

The lists signalled from Ladysmith gave Everything that experience can sugges

or lives are paying the "price of the Empire" in South Africa.

MAKING SOLDIERS.

How Boys Are Trained for the Army at the Military School, Chelsea.

Thomas E. Ladner, who has been very ill lately, is reported to have been some remark of Lord Rosebery on a certain what better during the past three or historic occasion. At the Duke of four days, and his friends hope for York's Royal Military School, Chelsea, however, they go a step further and As an evidence of how the free public make soldiers. Accordingly, the younglibrary is appreciated, even in its un- sters who are being trained there to-day pretentious temporary quarters, it may are a part of the personnel, in embryo, be stated that from the 1st June, 1899, of the army of to-morrow, and many a Donations to the circulating library, the quently, destined to presently develop Columbian says, have somewhat fallen into a dashing Lifeguardsman or staloff recently, but citizens who have books wart Grenadier. The whole British library has still plenty of room for more sively of Household Cavairy and Foot Guards, and thus it happens that every branch of the service is represented in its ranks by one or more of these lads. Indeed, over a thousand of them are at the present moment numbered among the

soldiers of the Queen. When a boy leaves the school (at the he felt better, said: "No, everything is matter of course, to join his father's old negiment. Here he is usually employed

time with heart trouble. He leaves a widow and three children. He is a lf, however, he makes satisfactory pronephew of Dr. Fagan, provincial medical gress with his instrument, he is re-bealth officer.

1890 entered into partnership with diers. Shortly afterwards, the privilege share of the public patronage until, in Priority of consideration, however, has 1896, he was appointed district regis- always been given to those whose fathers

Died in Their Country's Service-

At the present moment, the number deceased was equally popular. He was of these "Sons of the Brave" (as the always a staunch supporter of the local youngsters are happily called) under incricket club, and was an enthusiastic struction here is about 550. They join lawn tennis player. Of late years he at the age of nine, and, five years later, became a keen angler, and none enjoyed are transferred to the regular army, as

and a crown on his right arm), while mmediately below him is a corporal and four acting lance-corporals (who wear but one gold stripe). In recognition of their services, they receive pocket-money The unwelcome task of checking and at the respective rates of threepence,

The Day's Work office in a manner which deserves the ap- at the Duke of York's is a very full one, preciation of all who have friends or re-latives at the front.

and is apportioned in this manner: 6
a.m., reveille (Sundays, 6.30 a.m.), when the boys rise and make their beds, etc.; the tailor's shop, etc.; 6 p.m., tea. After tea, gymnasttic instruction is carried out, and at 8 o'clock a bugle-

blast intimates very plainly that it is The diet on which the above routine is performed is certainly plentiful, if somethe responsible clerks is to de-code it. and-butter, and at dinner-time of eight Each regimental number, rank, and name ding. The healthy appearance of the

The real value of the training that the youthful "Sons of the Brave" receive at the Duke of York's may not, perhaps, them by the authorities here are abund-

The High Positions

on till it was brought up by coming in in the establishment of a bakery or field exclaimed. "Thus do I take possession are recorded the names of ex-"Yorkies" who have become commissioned officers ator in a field telegraph office may have dropped a "dot" or put in a "dash." Ingenuity is now called into play. "Kylor" colonels, two majors and twenty-three captains, who have all once worn the signs for "Ta" being identical with those uniform of the school. In addition to for "K." Similarly, "Cocor" is found to these, a very large number of old boys be Connor. Sometimes initials and surare at the present moment holding responsible positions as warrant and non-commissioned officers, in the regular forces.-London Sketch.

HUMOR IN WARFARE.

In warfare wit has often been reduced into action, and many of the greates commanders have successfully achieved this conversion. An old tradition re-counts that when William the Conquerer landed for the first time on English soil, he slipped and fell on his face. Divining by a swift instuition that his followers might regard this as an evil omen, he rose with his hands full of earth, and exclaimed, "Thus do I take possession of England! I grasp it with both hands."

Not less in war than in other phases of human life, the humorous is constantment. It runs along the line on the current of sympathy—an automatic feat of wireless telegraphy. When the gallant Welsh captain, David Gam, was sent wireless of Sedan after the capitulation, in fact, were much dead) when this marine sanitary inspectors to sympathy—an automatic feat of the heroes of Solferino or the agile Zouaves. When the gallant they saw the Landwehr in person, lining them as nuisances, removed them into his own internal refuse bin."

French army before the

Battle of Agincourt he found that the enemy outnumbered the English by about five to one. His report to the King is historic:—"There are enough to be killed, enough to be taken prisoners, and enough to run away." This quaint forecast of the result of the battle at once spread through the camp. and doubtless every veoman archer of the valiant company felt an inch taller. We know that it was almost literally justified by the event. Poor Gam's dry humor was equalled by his courage, He was killed while in the act of saving the life of his Prince.

"The King is taken!" cried one of the enemy, seizing the bridle of Louis VII.'s horse towards the close of a fierce en gagement. "No, my friend," cried the King, cut-

ting him down, "a King is never takennot even at chess." Sailors have been famous from very

crews. When one of

Blake's Ships was blown up in an obstinately fought action, and the spirits of his crew were somewhat damped, the Admiral at once revived them by an effective little speech. "Well, my lads, you have seen an English health officer.

Andrew Gallesich, an Austrian fisherman from Port Guichon, was married on Wednesday merning in St. Peter's Carbella of the control of the c Hedley officiated at the funeral, which took place from the English church.

Albi and Albo were sent to Nelson on Tuesday in charge of Jailer Boudine to meet their trial there. Albo has elected meet their trial there. Albo has elected meet their trial there. Albo has elected meet their trial there are the funeral of the late Joseph E. Gaynor took place yesterday from the sent when he reported that one per battafion of infantry or regiment of cavalry, and it is not given to every boy to be musical. Consequently, for those who are not harmoniously inclined, of the enemy's short of the enemy's short of the enemy's short of the enemy's short of the enemy's reported that the had "singed the Spanish King's Thomas Elands Langte Wilks, fond they are not harmoniously inclined, of the enemy's short of the had "singed the Spanish King's Thomas Elands Langte Wilks, fond the had "singed the Spanish King's Thomas Elands Langte Wilks, fond the had "singed the Spanish King's Thomas Elands Langte Wilks, fond the had "singed the Spanish King's Thomas Elands Langte Wilks, fond the had "singed the Spanish King's Thomas Elands Langte Wilks, fond the had "singed the Spanish King's Thomas Elands Langte Wilks, fond the had "singed the Spanish King's Thomas Elands Langte Wilks, fond the had "singed the Spanish King's Thomas Elands Langte Wilks, fond the had "singed the Spanish King's Thomas Elands Langte Wilks, fond the had "singed the Sp

by Deputy-Sheriff Robinson on the sum- Meath, Ireland, where he was born in mestic arts of mending and repairing sang of the soldiers who lost both legs in the service of his country: "There he left his second leg, and the 42n1 Foot." But many a good man and true has said something or other quite as "pat" of himself. The army surgeon hears not a few such racy phrases by the brave fellows under his hand. hotel, the Ladysmith. The addition is speech, declaring that the flag was to practice his profession alone, but in maintenance of the orphan sons of solofficer, carrying his own arm, taken off her baby Pretoria May, in anticipation Messrs, R. W. Armstrong and L. P. of admission was extended to boys who, by a cannon shot, into the surgeon's of the month when the British army Eckstein, and continued to enjoy a large might have one parent still living, tent. With the tough "old salt," when would be likely to enter the Transvaal wounded, it used to be almost a point headquarters. Hampstead has also a of honor to enlighten the surgeon's task Cecil Redvers and a Buller. with a well-meant quip. In fact, even A Rotherhithe baby is learning to the horrors of war cannot be entirely answer to Louisa Pretoria, and St. divested of its humors. Some of the good things said at Trafalgar and Waterloo namesakes of the British commander in are a part of the renown of those immor- chief in South Africa. The Central tal battles.

A sailor found kneeling by his gun, as five commemorative babies-Theodore his ship was about to engage the enemy. Alexander Pretoria, Robert George was asked by the first lieutenant if he Redvers, Cyril George Dundonald, Fredwas afraid.

"Afraid!" answered Jack, with an expression of the utmost disdain, "no, your honor; I'm only praying that the enemy's shot may be distributed like the prize money-the greatest part among the of-

The undaunted Corporal Caithness, so conspiciously daring in a "pinch" at Waterloo.

was asked if he did not fear they should ford produces a Harry Glencoe and a can find no trace of them. It is hoped day morning. He was lowering a large cousins, Dr. Fagan, of Victoria, and Dr. among the elder boys). Next in order of lose the day. "No, no," said he, "I that Freeman and Kenyon are still alive window in the "long room" of the customers, are two same and the company is a color- know we could not do that; my only fear company is a color- know we could not do that; my only fear was that we should all be killed before we had time to win it."

Both soldiers and sailors naturally Ladysmith Angram. chance upon occasional opportunities of enduring defenders of our lately beleagnered garrisons have surely been "jolly under the most creditable circumstances." There has been no brighter page in the South African campaign than the splendid good humor of our men. This delightful quality of good humor has been constantly diplayed over the "test case" of the siege menu. To "laugh and grow fat" is an easy course. To grow dinner; 2 to 3.30 p.m., school; 3.30 to and vat it has been cheerfully carried

London Globe. CITIZEN SOLDIERS.

During the past century military histhat the best army is that which conand then sent back to civil life, who are summoned to the colors when war breaks out to supplement those who are still

in training. Napoleon's armies, which were finest veteran forces that the world has seen since the days of Hannibal, suc- outside the walls of a museum. cumbed at Leipsic before the levies of the Prussians, who had adopted the prin- be done. Even from a slow-moving old ciple of the militia-as we may eall it- tramp it would be impossible. And the on the advice of Stein and Scharnhorst, reason is simple—our excellent friend, after their professional troops had seen the shark, is not a fish of speed. The the tradition of Frederick the Great van- novelist makes him swirl along at an un-

itself, the picked troops of the veteran as the blue shark which can touch even army, failed at Waterloo when it came in contact with our militia, fresh from the plough and the anvil, intent on provable a bad name. He is called opprobriously ing the truth of that old statement that the English never fight better than in their first battle. One of the last speeches which the Duke of Wellington made in the House of Lords was a testimony to the achievements of these citizendiers of ours. In the debate on Lord Lansdowne's proposals, Lord Nelson-a fortunate collocation of names—remind ed the House how the Duke of Wellington had then said that "the battle of Waterloo-that battle of giants-was

fought by militiamen." The next important campaign in which long and short service were matched against one another was that of Sadowa.

where the Prussian citizen-soldiers again! came into contact with the profes soldiery of Austria. That was a factor hardly less important than the strategy of Moltke—largely hampered by political in-

terference or the power of the needle

gun in determining the result. In 1870 the lesson was still better marked. At the outset of the war the French laughed openly at the idea of the which may come in his way; but the Prussian Landwehr, whom they put on a level with the National Guard of Paris consisting mainly of carrion of every ly at the heels of the tragic and pathetic. A smile cheers even in the heat of battle, and an apt jest is an actual reinforcement. It rups along the line on the current of the cheers of the cheers flying in dozens from the were not alive (and, in fact, were much

forward by Henry V. to reconnoitre the they could not believe that these stately troops were the despised citizens.

Since that campaign the Prussian

theory of "The Nation in Arms" has been adopted in all countries with any pretensions to military power but our own and the United States. Our Indian necessities account for our adhering to the professional army, while the United States have only just awakened to the fact that they could ever need troops except for civil war or Indian police

Now we also have to recognize that our splendid regular army is unequal to the work which a European war might bring upon it.-London World.

THE BOER WAR BABIES.

Names That Have Been Chosen by Patriotic Parents in London.

of the most interesting consequences of the war has been the readiold days for taking advantage of an oc- ness of patriotic parents in London to casion in their pithy harangues to their give their babies names commemorative of our great generals and our victories in South Africa. From inquiries made at registration offices in all parts of the metropolis it is evident that the prevailing taste in the bestowal of Christian names is martial. New Cross, for instance, has recently produced an Archibald Baden Lay, an Audrey Buller Lily Wallace, a Henry Redvers Doncaster and a Colenso Stuart Dudley Middleton.

for a speedy trial, and it is possible that it may come off at the date already set by Judge Forin, viz., the 14th inst.

A large British flag, donated by Mr.

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B. Mary Tuesday Prompted at their "literary" value. They be dev vers, one Kimberley and one Pretoria. Ladysmith Waghorn, who appears on the Hapstead register, was born on March 1st, and Frank Kimberley Stuckey is the baby son of a Hampstead coachman. The mother of a girl born in the same district on December 17th. "Here's the arm, doctor, that helped me is the wife of a reservist, a gallant cor-

> George's Circus has a brace of sturdy Hackney register contains the names of erick Redvers and Henry Frere George. Shoreditch South can claim a Jas. Spion Kop Skinner, the son of a night watchman, while in the New Kent Road districts there are Phyllis Mary Redvers Halsall, James Albert Redvers Kirkby, Edward Redvers Godsmark and Hector Macdonald Matthew. The register at 128 Kennington road has a William Roberts and a Frederick Redvers, Dept-Lily Colenso, a Redvers, a Kruger, a Tugela and a Pretoria, while the regis-ter kept at 49 Amwell street Claremon Square, E.C., has a Margaret Ellen

Bloemfontein as a Christian name has playing the role of Mark Tapley. The yet to find popularity.-London Daily Mail.

"THE TIGER OF THE SEAS."

An exceptionally interesting article in Pearson's Magazine gives a description of the habits of the shark, and describes the various methods employed in shark-

"If sharks talk among themselves, one thin and still laugh is a more heroic task, of their pleasantest topics of conversation must be the growth of steam traffic in shark-infested seas. In the old days of the sailing ship, when voyages were long and tedious, and delays of indefinite length through calm were the ordinary experience of every sailor, sharkhunting was one of the most popular tory is one long testimony to the fact methods of killing time which the calmbound voyager possessed; and every ansists of men trained for a short period cient mariner had his tale of finny gore to barter for a few 'fills' of tobacco. But, in these modern times of steam-driven hurry and mathematically predicted knottage, it is quite easy to find seamen of

the age and experience who have Never Seen a Shark "Shark-fishing from steamers is not to ish into thin air under the blood-red sun told knottage, but in reality the limit is reached at about four-and-a-half miles an hour: and it is only the species known

> 'The Tiger of the Seas,' or 'The Sailor's Foe,' or any other scurrilous name which happens to be handy. Much mud is thrown at him, and, as he

Seldom Finds a Defender, most of it sticks. Hard lines this ! Be cause in reality this blue water bogie is a humble and useful public servant, who performs uncomplainingly the duties (necessary, but hardly attractive) connected with the sanitation of the seas. "The shark is the comm

and general undertaker of the ocean. He is not, and, for reasons connected with his very moderate speed-limit, never can be, primarily a fish of prey. Open any captured shark and you will find clear proof, that this is so. A few tangled bits of rope yarn, a battered corned beef tin, a corked bottle containing an insulting message to the finder (thrown overboard by some nautical wag), or a sailor's can which has been lost in a gale, all tend to show that the shark is a fish of

Busiresslike habits, with a keen eye to any chance windfalls

Dominion Parliament

Leader of the Opposition's Objections to the London Times Correspondent's Remarks.

Conservative Whip Attacks Premier for Alleged Connection With Twine Monopoly.

Otatwa, May 30.-In the House minons yesterday Mr. Monk (Jacques (Bartier) drew the Prime Miaister's atention to the condition of the people of he village of Pointe Claire, a third of which was burned to the ground a few iven them from the Dominion ex-He represented that property the value of \$14,000 had been dearreyed, upon which there was not more than \$25,000 insurance, while over a handred and thirty people were rendered omeless. He added that private charity was not able to cope with the suffering reason of the overshadowing attention iven to the calamity at Ottawa.

The Prime Minister returned that the matter had been brought to his attention on Monday by Mr. Monk, who had also matter was one for the consideration of ion of any one member. The position in the proud position of being able to say to the person who sent the threat that not give of the public funds for retained that he might communicate everything Lef purposes unless it was shown that he knew to the Prime Minister. the calamity was one of national consequence or that private charity was not large enough to meet the case. All he would say now was that the government would give the subject its sympathetic

Pointe Aux Trembles Lighthouse. In reply to the question put by Mr Mank on Monday, the Minister of Marine intimated that the contract had been

French-Canadian Loyalty.

Before the orders of the day were pro ed with the leader of the opposition aid he wished to call attention to a refnce to Canadian politics sent by Mr. Smalley, the New York correspondent of the London Times, who had recently een on a visit to Ottawa, which referace Sir Charles said was of a nature deceive the English people. Mr.

"I have been in Ottawa since Monday.

While there I met many Canadians entitled by position to speak for Canada, impressive is their language and their attitude towards the Mother Country.

Meedless as it is, I should like to testify to the prevailing spirit. The loyal devo-Mon which the Canadian troops in South Africa are proving by their valiant and skilled soldiership, the Canadian people at home express in no uncertain tones. If there be Boer sympathizers among the French-Canadians, as is alleged, I met none, though I met many eminent French Catholics. Sir Charles Tupper. whem I did not see, is accused of makhimself the mouthpiece of whatever discontent exists, but Sir Charles Tupper is regarded as a politician with next rear's elections in view and playing therefor, sometimes to the local political callery with local political objects in view. Quebec, where if anywhere disment might be expected, is thought to be as faithful as ever to Liberalism and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, her cwn leader, who is also the leader of that policy which has Brought Canada closer to England and dand closer to Canada."

Sir Charles said he need not read the sest as it was not of much importance. Sir Louis Davies-Read it all. Charles Tupper (reading)-"It is not thought that the Prime Minister's hold on the people of the Dominion has Bren shaken. Most judicial observers appear to believe that he will retain his newer, and believe that it is for the in terests of Canada and of the Empire generally that he should do so. That the perial interests entrusted to the Govware cever safer than

now, I found to be the general convic-Sir Charles Indignant.

Statements such as these Sir Charles did not feel justified in passing over without contradiction. The allegations especting himself he proclaimed as ab-countely false, and to this he would add he fact that this was not the first time Mr. Smalley had seen fit to miss sent Canadian affairs as his letter or the Alaskan boundary showed, when he said that our claim to the disputed strip of territory was about as sound as France's claim to the Channel Islands.

The Premier's Views.

The Prime Minister-I am utterly at a less to understand the motive which has induced by hon, friend to bring this mather before the House. I fail to see the metive unless it be perhaps to draw a ed herring across the track and prevent public opinion from dwelling too severely an certain dissentions said to prevail in his ranks at this moment. We are all we with that without discomfort. With regard to the particular criticism taken exception to by my hon, friend I do not knew what may have induced Mr. Smalby to speak as he did of my hon. friend. Perhaps during his short stay in this country he read the speeches which my lon, friend delivered in Quebec and

wars of the Empire to the tune of forty-

Sir Charles Tupper denied that there the slightest foundation for any such assertion. He had never said anything of the kind.

The Prime Minister-I hope the press Paris was to be closed on Sundays. will take due notice of my hon, friend's denial and will duly notify the people of Quebec that he never gave them any such warning. For my part I have only Mr. Tarte, authority had now been given to thank him for the exhibition of wob-bling which he has afforded us to-day.

Quebec to believe that at no distant day at Vincennes Park, used for our agriculthey might find themselves in the position of being heavily taxed for the wars of the Empire. "I did nothing of the kind," said Sir Charles, "I was dealing with Sir Wilfrid Laurier's proposal, made again and again in London, when he represented this country at the jubiice, that after having examined into the best means of attaining the unity of the Empire he had come to the conclusion weeks ago, and asked that some relief be that it would be found in a parliamentary federation in which Canada would he represented. I was dealing with that question, and instead of saying to the people of Quebec that there was the ing carried out I endeavored to show that it was an impossibility. To illus would be obliged to contribute in proportion to her population about forty-six claims for the Walshes.

millions of dollars for the army and Sir Hibbert charged that Major Walsh

newspaper stories which Liberals had

Binder Twine.

Oa motion to go into supply, Mr. Taylor, the Conservative whip, brought to the attention of the House the govern-ment's policy as to the sale of binder twine from the Kingston penitentiary, a posed of by the Hon. Mr. Sifton last subject with which he has dealt before the public accounts committee already this session. He waxed very angry, and statement from the officer of the Inheaped abuse upon the Minister of Jus- terior department who had charge of warded for a steel tower. The steel tice for what he termed an injustice to mining matters that the action had not the work would be delivered in a few days and the work proceeded with without larly put out because Mr. Mills had by Gold Commissioner Fawcett. to vindicate himself he renewed his uninto committee of supply upon the esseemly reflections upon Sir Wilfrid Lautimates for the department of justice. rier and the latter's endeavors to make provision for his wife. It will be renembered that Sir Wilfrid stated, speaking from memory, that he had bought the house in which he resided from the Leslie estate for \$9.500, on which he had paid \$5,000 cash, giving a mortgage for \$4,500. Mr. Taylor thought he was Madame Laurier on April 13, 1897, for point three new judges there. \$9,500, and that on April 17 Madama Laurier executed a mortgage to Sarah K. Gooderham for \$5,500.

for \$17,916 and the other for \$19,45). Whether this bill contained the same pro-He challenged the opposition to have an investigation of everything connected

with the industry from the first days in the public accounts committee and offered all the evidence at his disposal. Mr. Frost (Leeds and Grenville) doied that there was any combine either in Canada or in the United States. The only binder twine combine which ever existed in Canada was under the old every other factory in the country. The ment had aided in any conspiracy to as-

which has been apparant in every habitation of Canada reached by the glad news of the last few days in regard to the triof the last few days in regard to the triumphs of British arms in South Africa,
is most conspicuously seen around the
parliamentary precincts. There was no was reported from committee, but Mr. djournment because of the government's desire to facilitate an early prorogation, but the breasts of members on both sides of the chamber were decorated with the Union Jack, while a couple of larger flags were displayed back toward the rear

A question which has been brought be- from Toronto to Collingwood. been that the government was ready to

The Royal Commission of Enquiry. The Prime Minister announced that owing to the indisposition of the Min-ister of Justice he would not be able to Montreal, in which he warned French- pointment of the royal commission of

Monday next.

Closing of Canadian Exhibit.

Mr. John Charlton renewed his que tion as to whether the report was well founded that the Canadian exhibit at The Minister of Agriculture said he and its purpose was to enable the pubwas happy to be able to say that

through the continued efforts of the Hon. for the closing of our exhibits on Sundays. He explained that our exhibit Sir Charles replied with great warmth, was divided into three parts. The colonirepudiating the Premier's charge that al building, chiefly used by Canada, be had led the people of Montreal and would be closed along with the building tural display. There were, however, isolated Canadian exhibits scattered through the general buildings which could not be closed, as the buildings were under other control.

More Yukon Charges.

On motion to go into supply, Sir Hibbert Tupper rose to deal with Yukon matters. He made another attack on Major Walsh, whom he charged with exploiting Yukon to his own profit. He pared the corruption of the officials in the Yukon to the misdeeds of the Transvaal officials in control of the mining camps there. He charged that one slightest possibility of such a scheme be- Mr. Treadgold, who had written a pamphlet in defence of the Yukon administration, had been well rewarded after-wards for his act. He charged that Iutrate the position we would occupy under wards for his act. He charged that Insuch a federation I said that Canada dians had been brought to the Yukon

Referring to the Prime Minister's creek to allow one Carbonneau and two taunt as to the disintegration of the Con- Indians to locate claims on behalf of resented a petition to the same effect. servative party Sir Charles remarked Walsh's brother. His conclusions were that had then told Mr. Monk that the that Sir Wilfrid probably referred to summed up in a resolution which took the ministry, and that gentleman had been reading with great glee. He was reciting extracts from the report of the great with him that the subject was rot not aware of any disintegration in the one on which the government could be Conservative party. When a threat had garding Carbonneau and Mrs. Koch, and wound up with the statement that the government should be censured for not taking any action on the report of the

Solicitor-General Fitzpatrick replied to this attack on the government's action. He alluded to the fact that the investigation was conducted into these charges by Mr. Ogilvie without Major Walsh being in the Yukon district, or even being represented by counsel. The Koch case was one that had been fully disyear. In regard to the closing of Dominion creek Mr. Fitzpatrick read

said that his statements regarding bind r After the subject had been debated twine were no more trustworthy than into the evening sitting a vote was call hose he had made last year touching the ed, resulting in the defeat of Sir Hib ourchase of a house by the Premier, for bert Tupper's amendment by thirty-eight which he had afterwards apologized, and to seventy-four, the House then going

Quebec Judges.

Upon the appropriation for the salaries of judges Mr. Bergeron protested against going on voting salaries bec when there were only thirty-one judges on the Superior Court bench. Mr. Monk, too, wanted to know when

abstract of the title from the registry the Leslie estate, had sold the house to introduce legislation necessary to ap

Ottawa, June 2.-In the House of Commons yesterday Sir Charles Tupper The Solicitor-General in replying to called attention to the bill now before Mr. Taylor, went very fully into the the House for protecting our rights in whole subject and made clear the con- regard to copyright for which Canada nection of Mr. John Connor with it, He has always contended. The matter was pointed out that the result of the man- one in which we claimed supreme jurisagement of the late government had been diction under the provisions of the a loss in 1895 of \$17,190 and in 1896 of \$Pritish North America Act. Mr. New-\$21,924. When the present government had come into office they had found a had been sent to England a few years change necessary and had adopted the ago to secure in the late Lord Herschell's policy of calling for tenders. In every bill the insertion of a clause to protect case the highest tender had been accepted. He showed how the industry had Now another bill had been introduced in bene burdened at the outset by an ex-penditure to Connor of \$40,000 for in-parliament by Lord Monkswell, and stalling the plant in spite of the fact what he specially wanted to know was that there were two tenders in the deartment for doing the same work, one from the department of justice as to

> vision of protection for Canada, The Prime Minister fully agreed with Sir Charles's view in regard to our supremacy on this question. He thought that the subject referred to, though, hardly entered into the consideration of this bill. However, he would propose that it pass the the second reading and then wait for a report from the Minister

of Justice. The rest of the afternoon's sitting was regime, when in 1890 A. W. Morris & occupied in the consideration of the Minister of Montreal, and bought out ta Act, which is to provide for the apta Act, wihich is to provide for the appointment of full colonels in Canada. opposition had failed to prove either that One clause of this measure which perthere was a combine or that the govern- mits lieutenants-colonels to retire with honorary rank not exceeding that of coltablish one.

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The amendmbent was, after further debate, declared lost by 37 to 71, and further providing for promotions in the active militia to the rank of full colonel, gave rise to a good deal of criticism, and was opposed by Mr. Fraser, of Guysboro', who could see no sense in calling men colonel who could which has been apparant in every habitation of like this idea of honorary apparant.

Collingwood Air Line.

At the evening sitting the hour for private bills was taken up in a discussion exposed to newspaper criticism, but I fore the government's attention on more amendment was proposed by Mr. Clark, believe that life is too short to notice on than one occasion is in regard to the of West Torento, for the insertion of a the floor of this House whatever may be desirability of acquiring for the country clause in the bill giving the government said for or against us in the press. I the historic property known as the power to take over the road at any time on a valuation fixed by the Exched Court. The Minister of Railways stre though it does not always speak of me the Ursulines of Quebec. The Prime Court. The Minister of Railways strong its very kindly terms, I can afford to put Minister's reply on each occasion has ly opposed the insertion of any such con ditions on the ground that they were purchase the property if it could be had not needed, and would interfere with for a reasonable price.

Canadians to look out lest they would enquiry into charges of electoral corsoon be called on to contribute to the ruption to the House and public before which has suspended and resumed business again from passing its notes until the consent of the curator has been ob- their spikes and long leggings plated with

> Copyright Law Mr. Fisher, in moving the second readlisher holding copyright in Canada having made a contract with a writer of a book to be protected from the importa-tion of the same book published and er parts of the British Empire. At in black velvet, who, again saluting the present British copyright extends not be imported into the United Kingdom if an Imperial copyright exists of rible wound, from which the the same work. It seemed only fair streams down the poor beast's hat the same protection should now be emand for this bill came at once from Captain. the British Authors' Society, and from the Canadian publishers. The bill passed its second reading and goes to a spe-

The House then went into committee the salary of G. W. Ryley, of the interior department, who is recomm for an increase from \$1,850 to \$2,500. He did so because of a charge he had to make that Mr. Ryley had furnished the Minister of the Interior with incorrect memoranda and statements in order to enable him to make points against him (Sir Hibbert) in connection with Yukon matters last session.

THE OX IN WARFARE. He Has Proven Effective as a Burden Bearer in South Africa.

the capabilities of the trek, or trans ranks deep, was henceforth never marport, ox, which, after all, despite mules Natal are now busily engaged in buying all the available ox transports they can, as is testified by their numerous advertisements in colonial papers...

more than three miles an hour, or 20 miles a day, which is considered a good trek. The Zulu ox is the best-bred animal, but small and unserviceable when ompared to the bastard Zulu or Natal which thrives on both the "sour" veldt, or coast grass, and the "sweat," or up-country veldt. Oxen, however, require very careful handling and must on no account be overdriven; they must have at least six hours a day for grazing purposes. In the winter, which is coming on now, they can find a picking on the parched veldt where a mule or horse yould fail. They are, naturally, in poor condition till the green grass of spring ppears in September. They are very able to lung sickness and red water and during that season, for, among other does Field Marshal Lord Ro

for trekking. over a ton), loaded to 6,000 pounds, over the South African roads, many of which may be. are little better than tracks across the veldt. Twenty miles a day for a heavy face that his small stature does no baggage column in such a country as South Africa is really good going.

One of the great merits of the ox wagon is the simplicity of the harness. The France in the days when France possesstwo beasts nearest the wagon draw from ed men and virtue. Though I have destackle can easily be made good, as it is on his transport train of 249 buck-wag-free from the complexities of a set of one and thousands of oxen. harness. Prudent transport riders in-variably "out-span" their teams at the very little food he was able to carry

quiet crowd-there was no pushing or stling, but one ran a great risk of hav-

padas in brightly-colored costumes; after these come about a dozen picadors, with steel, riding horses, one eye of which is blindfolded; next comes the banderillos, numbering eight, clothed in very pretty ing of his copyright bill, said it dealt costumes; and finally, some attendants with one particular of the Copyright Act, leading the horses which are to drag off the carcases. The procession salutes the Piracy Still Prevails on West president, and then each man takes up his respective position, except the es-padas, who retire from the ring. The president now throws down the key of printed in other countries, including oth- the bull's prison to one of the horseme

over president, opens the door. the entire Empire and anyone taking a As soon as the bull is released he copyright in Britain has the right undashes out madly into the arena; at first der the Imperial Act to have the books he seems bewildered, but soon he makes printed in the United Kingdom and for one of the picadors, who is ready for copyrighted there, imported into Canada, the attack with his long lance, with though works published in Canada can which he tries to turn the bull aside; sometimes he succeeds, inflicting a tersometimes he fails to turn the bull aside, given to Canadian publishers who are and the bull digs his horns into the horse howing a commendable enterprise. The and throws both rider and steed.—The

OLD-FASHIONED WARFARE.

In the third instalment of his study of Oliver Cromwell in the Century, John of supply, when Sir Hibbert Tupper gave Morley lays stress upon the old-fashion-notice that he would move to strike out ed methods of fighting that obtained in the civil war that preceded Charles's known. fall.

It is not within my scope to follow in

more than a series of confused marches, st random skirmishes, and casual leaguers | China and Japan, and that suitable steam of indicisive places. Of generalship, of ers for the run are shortly to arrive in strategic system, of ingenuity in scientific Hongkong. This is still another branch tactics, in the early stages there was little of the great trunk line of the Nordden or none. Soldiers appeared on both cher Lloyd, which it is contemplated will sides who had served abroad, and as the soon extend its service right across the armed struggle developed, the great Pacific, and may give facilities for passenchanges in the tactics made by Gusta- gers travelling direct from Europe to Sal vus Adolphus slowly found their way At the present moment, when the effic- into the operations of the English war. iency of our army in South Africa larger He suppressed all caracoling and parade ly depends on the stability of its transport, it may not be amiss to consider itself in as many as five or even eight shalled deeper than three ranks, while and traction engines, is the mainstay of the South African transport, says a record issue of the Pall Mall Gazette. The the soldiers tell us. gave prodigious mperial authorities in Cape Colony and mobility, and made the Swedish period the most remarkable in the Thirty Years' War. But for some time training on the continent of Europe seems to have been ol little use in the conflicts of two great Oxen are less expensive than mules. bands of military, mainly rustic, among On the night of May 3rd the town of They are slow but sure, never doing the hills and downs, the lanes and hedges. Kudat and its environs were attacked by the rivers and strong places, of England. Modern soldiers have noticed as one of Sater, the half brother of the late Mat the most curious features of the civil war Salleh, the notorious rebel chief. The town how ignorant each side usually was of itself suffered severely, the government the doings, positions, and designs of its magazine and a Maxim gun being captured opponents. Essex stumbled upon the by the rebels. These were, however, subking, Hopton stumbled upon Waller, the sequently retaken. Two of the British king stumbled upon Sir Thomas Fair- North Borneo Constabulary were killed fax. The two sides drew up in front and seven wounded, including Mr. G. N. of one another, foot in the centre, horse Malcolm, wing officer of the force. Twenof one another, foot in the centre, horse on the wings, and then they fell to, and ty-five Chinese were killed, and the en hammered one another as hard as they could, and they who hammered hardest and stood to it longest won the day.

PEN PICTURE OF "BOBS."

whole spans sometimes perish from these fell diseases. In the winter time they suffer terribly from the cold and on no cised such a complete and general sway nt should be worked in the rain over the hearts of his countrymen as winter. things, the yoke when wet gives them "Bobs" and "Little Bobs" of his devoted A Chinese junk running from here, says sore necks, thus rendering them useless. The ox's best work is done at night had no chance yet to analyze the source cently took six Russian passengers. Half time, and moonlight treks are the usual or secret of his power. I have thus far way between the two ports the junk was things with the "transport riders" after seen in him and heard of him only the attacked by pirates, and in the fight which things with the transport riders after their teams have been grazing all day. They are never kept under the yoke for more than eight hours during the day, two stretches of four hours each. From 4 to 8 in the morning and from dinary kindness, gentleness and sympa- fled in alarm. The owner of the boat was, 6 to 10 at night are the favorite hours or trekking.

A to their hauling capacity, a "span" not try to be too free with him, very amination. or team of eighteen oxen will easily broad in seeking and accepting informadraw a buck waggon (weighing a little tion from all who can give it to him, no matter how humble or unpolished they

He is enriched with such a striking count against him. He has a noble and what is called aristocratic face, such as might have belonged to a marshal of a pole (disselboom), on which the yoke is fastened, and the couples in front are attached to a wire or hide rope, known as the trek-touw, to which the yokes are fastened by reins, or thongs of hide. Any breakage or deficiency in such a delayed by a wholly unexpected attack to be completed as the large results here and virtue. Inough I have designed and virtue and virtue. Inough I have designed and virtue. Inough I have designed and virtue. Inough I have designed and virtue and virtue. Inough I have designed and virtue and virtue

approach of a thunderstorm if their "trek- after his rapidly moving army of 35,000 louw" be of wire or chain, as whole men, ret on the instant that he realized spans have been destroyed by lightning through neglecting this precaution.

In the convoys to the troops not more than 50 wagons are dispatched at one than 50 abandoned. A little later, when his army had made unparalleled marches on a more are driven abreast. The second division usually starts in half an hour after the first. Nearly all the wagons used in the present campaign are built locally, made of strong colonial woods and are constructed without springs. Only two men are required to manage each wagon—a driver and a "vorlooper" or leader of the team—both of whom are nearly always trained Kaffirs.

At present large numbers of these wagons are being hired from the colonists at the rate of £3 to £4 per day, the imperial government making good any los was reported from committee, but Mr.
Kaulbach gave notice that he would propose its recommital to committee.

A SPANISH BULL BIOUR. A SPANISH BULL FIGHT.

damned by his troops, and a Kitchener would have moved amid a stifled chorus of complaint; but whatever Lord Roberts upon the bill for the incorporation of the Canadian National Railway & a small town on the opposite side of Gibraltar Bay. It happened to be their sider whatever he does to be inspired. Transport Company to Construct a line from Toronto to Collingwood. An amount fair day; consequently the town amendment was proposed by Mr. Clark, was crowded with many Englishmen and hardships he imposes on them, and where Spaniards. Great bills were posted up at the street corners announcing a bull fight, so I made my way to the arena, which is on the outskirts of the town. As the bull fight is the Spaniard's national sport, a very great crowd had assembled at the arena; it seemed a very quiet crowd—there was no pushing or

A delegation of British paper makers, The amendment was voted down and the measure stands for a third reading.

The Bank Act.

The bill to amend the Bank Act went through the committee stage and at the suggestion of the Minister of Finance a posterior and great risk of having taken his seat, gives the signal, and forthwith enters the procession, which is very pretty.

First came two men dressed in black

A delegation of British paper makers, Composed of Charles Phillips, James Martson, H. Duxbury, Norman Duxbert, John White, Charles Austin and L. Gaunelly, arrived at New York yesterday. The purpose of these gentlemen is to inspect the machinery used in the making of paper and pulp.

Doings In The Far East

River Despite Efforts of Officials.

Two of British North Borneo Con. stabulary Killed in Attack on Town.

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Contrary to expectations, the Japanes, and Chinese papers received by the Id zumi Maru last evening and the Empres of Japan the day before have contained but little regarding the big Boxer move attention of the world. Among the mo interesting paragraphs appearing in Oriental press were the following: The American minister is now trying negotiations with the Korean go to acquire a gold mine at Kai-cl Phyong-an-do. He is making s ertions with regard to another gold

It is reported, says the China Mail, that detail the military operations of the civil a German shipping firm is to enter into war. For many months they were little competition with the British and Japanese Francisco on the same steamer.

A correspondent writes: "The prevailing idea that Li Hung Chang is not fulfilli his promise with regard to stopping pirac on the West river is wrong. At the pre sent moment there are four gunboats, six well-armed launches and 20 men-of-war junks, patrolling the river between Wong. moon and Kongmoon. On Wednesda there was a public execution of pirates at Chao Shan, the late centre of piracies, and quite a number of pirates have been decapitated at Canton during the month.

a native force under the command of Mat virons of the town were entirely destroyed. Many refugees have arrived at Labuan. The cause of the outbreak and the attack upon Kudat is the general dissatisfaction amongst the natives with the rule of th chartered company.

ed over to the Chinese authorities for ex-

The Great Siberian line may now be said to be nearing its conclusion, though large portions of the road completed have to be reballasted and relaid, numbers of bridges have to be reconstructed, etc. From January 1st, 1900, / the former Western and Central Siberian Railway administrations have been abolished, and everything connected with the construction of the whole line transferred to the newly-estabshed Central Siberian Rallway adminis-

HOW MR. GILBERT WORKS.

Mr. Malcolm Salaman contributes t Cassell's Magazine an appreciation of Mr. W. S. Gilbert, of comic opera fame, from long personal acquaintance. When Mr. Gilbert has gathered all his ideas for a play, his practice is to put them into the form of a short story, which he writes as completely and carefully as if writes as completely and carefully as if and South Kensington stations. The late Miss Marie Litton, who was then manageress of the old Court theatre, asked him to write her a short play, and he left her with the intention of thinkins out something, got into the train, and the whole idea of the piece had flashed through his mind by the time the next station was reached. Miss Litton was delighted with the schemes but with delighted with the scheme; but, with becoming modesty, she considered it be yand her histrionic powers. So it await ed its chance until Miss Mary Andersol played it and made it famous.

Fire was started in the Moon & Kerr Lumber Company's mill at Virginia, Minn., at noon yesterday. The bush ness portion, which was entirely destroy ed before the wires failed, consisted tight blocks of substantial brick build ngs. Approximate loss \$600,000.

The only happiness a wise man ever troubled himself with asking much about was happiness enough to get his work done. . It is, after all, the one unhand iness of a man that he cannot work; the he cannot get his destiny as a man filled.—Carlyle,