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OUR COMPLEXION. ly complexion tells of de-ne liver and indicates the poison in the blood. Dr. Liver Pills set the liver action, purify the blood, m, and assure a healthy pplexion. As a family lase's Kidney-Liver Pills le vaiue.

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HEADQUARTERS

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Progress At Rossland

VOL. XLVII., NO. 8.

In Spite of Water Shortage the Output Continues to Increase.

Over 81x Thousand Tons Is the Maintained Weekly Average.

Over Two Hundred and Ninety Thousand Tons Shipped tor Year.

Rossland, B. C., Nov. 5.—The past week in local mining circles has witnessed the onward march of steady progress, except for the continued shortage in the supply of water for miling at the Le Roi No. 2 and White Bear.

From an industrial viewpoint it annoying to see this deay week after week, but it is, of course, impossible that the dry spell can be continued much longer. Once the rains come, which may happen any day, all will be well. It is gratifying, in spite of all this delay, to see the output maintained so steadily.

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For several weeks it has been considerably over the 6,000 ton mark, and may be expected to amount to 1,000 tons daily before the close of the year.

The tonnage of ore shipped from and crushed at the Rossland mines for the week ending November 5, is as follows:
Le Roi No. 2, 700; Centre Star, 780; Centre Star (milled), 540; War Eagle, 1,140; War Eagle (milled), 210; Le Roi No. 2, 190; Jumbo, 540; White Bear (milled), 60; Rossland View, 20. Total for the week, 6,180 tons; for year, 290, 855 tens.

HELD UP BY THE BELLBOY.

San Francisco, Nov. 5.—Arnold Gundelfinder, a retired merchant, and his wife were held up in their apartments at the Hotel Rochester tonight and robbed of jewelry valued at \$2,500. According to Mr. Gaudelfinder's story, he and his wife were dressing in their rooms. He heard a knock on the door and, answering it, he discovered a former bellboy of the hotel, James Gates, at the door. Gates said he had been sent up to look at the plumbing. He was told that Mrs. Gundelfinger was dressing, and that he could not come in. He insisted and was allowed to enter the room. He then drew a revolver and demanded that Mrs. Gundelfinder surrender her jewels. Mrs. Gundelfinder said they were in another room, and the plumbing and the processory information to have the power to settle all questions of procedure. surrender her jewels. Mrs. Gundelfinder said they were in another room, and at the pistol's point Gates compelled Gundelfinder and his wife to go into the other room. Mrs. Gundelfinder then handed over a bag containing the jewels. Gates made his escape.

U. S. EXCLUSION ACT.

New York, Nov. 5.—A man born in a caropean country of a Chinese father and English mother may not be deorted from the United Stares under the United Stares under the United Stares under the caropean and according to the courted from the United States hader the Chinese exclusion act, according to an opinion handed down today by Judge Holt in the United States District court. The case in which the decision was made was that of San Yuen, whom the federal authorities sought to deport. He is forty years old and had been in this country twenty-four years.

line But Details to Be Settled.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 5.—The terms of the Anglo-Russian agreement on the con-stitution of the commission, as described by articles 9 to 14 of the Hagne peace

VICTORIA, B. C., TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1904. GONE TO HIS REST.

Little Falls, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Edward Knight, aged 50, editor and proprietor of the St. Johnsville, N. Y., Enterprise, propped dead of apoplexy tonight in his face at St. Johnsville. MISTCHENKO PROMOTED.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 5.—Major-General Mistchenko, commander of the eastern Cossack brigade, has been appointed a lieutenant-general and an aide-de-camp to the Emperor for distinguished services. PREMIER BOND'S MAJORITY.

Detroit, Nov. 5.—Michigan is conceded to Roosevelt and Fairbanks. Both Fred M. Warner, Republican, and Woodbridge N. Ferris, the Democratic nominee for Governor, are confident of election. Ferris' election by 40,000 majority is claimed, while Warner's managers say he will have 45,000 and that the national ticket will have 115,000. The election of an entire Republican congressional delegation of 12 members is predicted.

News Of The **Army And Navy**

General Lake Gets Leave of Ab. sence to Proceed to t'anada.

Russia Now Sald to Be Unable to Send Trained Troops to the Front.

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Allege Plot to **Destroy Fleet**

Good Grounds for Belief In Presence of Japanese Boats in North Sea.

Latest Returns Increase the Government's Majority.

St. John's N. F., Nov. 5.—The latest election returns increase Premier Bond's majority. Fogo returns Earle (Laberal) yes majority: Fogo returns Earle (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) yes majority: Fogo returns Earle (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) yes majority: Fogo returns Earle (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Schaumann, father of Eugene Walker (Laberal) Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Helsingfors, Nov. 4.—Former Senator Helsing

Denmark was impressed with the same belief.

London, Nov. 5.—(7:05 p. m.)—Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, asked by a representative of the Associated Fress for a statement regarding a report current at St. Petersburg that the Japanese minister at The Hague has organized an attack on the Russian squadron, emphatically denied that any action had been taken at The Hague. He said: "In their different explanations, the Russians akternately credit us with supernatural elevenness and foolishness. If people would only stop to think they would see that it would be almost suicidal for us to risk the friendship of any power by an attempt to destroy the Russian squadron from a neutral port when it is to our utmost advantage that the squadron should arrive in our waters under its present admaral."

THE GOULD MILLIONS.

Anna's Brother and Sister Arrange Payment' of Festive Count's Debts. New York, Nov. 4.—Judge Lacombe in the United States Circuit court today signed an order authorizing George J. Gould and Helen M. Gould, as receivers of the income of their sister, the Countess of Castellane, to make stated annual payments to the attorneys who are engaged in straightening out the legal affairs of the countess when she was in financial difficulties.

Semi-Weekly Colonist.

Paul Paradis, resident engineer of the bominion government at Calgary, returned yesterday from Ottawa and will begin operations on November 30th on the work of building a government wagon road from Saskatchewan Landing to the Peace River country, says the Winningeg Free Press. For this work the government has appropriated \$25,000 and will build a road through the difficult country north of Saskatchewan Landing with a view to facilitating entrance into the great ranching country to the north. The road will be surveyed and all trees will be cut during the winter, and the grading will be done in the early summer. Two considerable bridges will be necessary across streams, to which names have not yet been given. The road will be completed during the summer of 1905. Mr. Paradis continued his journey west yesterday.

PLANNING WORK FOR RAWHIDE

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Constructing Sixteen Hundred Foo Spur to the Phoenix Mine. Phoenix, B. C., Nov. 5.—W. P. Tierney, of the Canadian Pacific railway, contractor for building the 1,600-foot spur for the accommodation of ore shipments from the Rawhide mine, adjoining the Snowshoe, has 50 men busy on the work, and expects to have the grading nearly completed by the end of this week. When he is done it will take the company's extra gang a week or two to lay the iron and ballast the spur so that it can be put in use. Then the Rawhide will send out regular shipments to the Boundary Falls smelter.

INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION London, Nov. 4.—Regarding the reports of the completion of the Anglo-Russian convention, the foreign offication of the Anglo-Russian convention, the foreign offication of the international commission. The president Stands personnel can be definitely settled until the authorities at St. Petersburg have had an opportunity to examine the text of the draft of the convention which is expected to arrive there tonight.

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Accuses Russia Of Duplicity

London Times Declares Attempt Will Be Made to Buck Investigation

Truth as to the Trawler Tragedy May Never be Learnt by Tribunal.

OFFICERS TO STUDY IN JAPAN. London, Nov. 5.—An order issued to-day says that four officers, not above the rank of captain, will annually be se-lected for a two years' course of study, with residence in Japan.

DALI LLAMA AT PEKING.

WEST SOUTHWEST.

Tangier, Nov. 5.—The entire Russian fleet of warships, accompanied by ten colliers and a hospital ship, sailed from here this morning. They took a westward course. When the squadron finally disappeared on the horizon the warships were heading west southwest.

BEAUDRY RETIRES. Gaspe, Que., Nov. 5.—Beaudry, Conservative candidate in Gaspe county, has withdrawn, and Solicitor-General Lemieux was elected by acclamation. Lemieux now represents Gaspe and

Judge Parker On

Countess of Castellane, to make stated annual payments to the attorneys who are engaged in straightening out the legal affairs of the countess when she was in financial difficulties.

London, Nov. 5.—It begins to seem doubtful, says the Times, whether the world will ever know much more about the North sea tragedy than it knows now. Everything London learns concerning the attitude of the Russians lend itself to the view that the Czar's government has determined, so far as it is able, to suppress the truth touching the horrible affair.

Probable That Innsbuck Authorities Will Proclaim Martiel Law.

Tribunal.

The assertion was made by Judge Parker that the contributions he charged Chairman Cortelyou had received from the trusts are not denied by the President personally, to the effect that he (Parker) had issued a request that no money for campaign purposes should be received, line the horrible affair.

It is not believed those whose opinions are entitled to the greatest weight, that the Russian admiralty is without full information of what took

The Premier At Ottawa

FORTY-FIFTH YEAR.

London, Nov. 5.—The Standard's Shanghai correspondent says it is rumored there that the Dali Llama of Thibet has arrived at Peking.

Sir Wilfrld Laurier Returns to the Capital Amid Great Rejoicing.

The Sergeant-at-Arms Preparing Plan of Seats for New House.

The Latest Returns Show That Frontenac Has Elected a Conservative

From Our Own Correspondent. Ottawa, Nov. 5 .- Sir Wilfrid Laurier had an enthusiastic welcome on arriving. Monstrous Evil

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Democratic Candidate Animadverts on Cortelyou's Equivocal Position.

Gives Roosevelt the Defy but Mr. President Stands
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New York, Nov. 5.—Judge Parker, in a speech made at a reception given to him by the King's County Remocratic Cub in Brooklyn tonight, asserted that the issue "whether the trusts can purchase the election" has not been met by President Roosevelt in his reply of Judge Parker's speech made twelve days ago.

After stating what his position had been in that speech, Judge Parker said tonight that he had made no criticism of the President, after his attention had been called to the relations which might exist between Chairman Cortelyou's former position as secretary of the department of commencer and lator, should have said "I will join overridden by merchandise ballots."

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From Our Own Correspondent,

Lovell (Lib.)

Liberals Will Meet Parliament Hunt (Lib.) . With a Majority Not Diminished.

British Columbia Solidly Endorsed the Party Now In Pawer.

been sustained in a very emphatic points in the Dominion which are published below. In very many instances but the Hochelaga. the figures are incomplete, but the landslide which has overtaken the Conservatives is clearly indicated by the bulletins to hand. The greatest surprise of the campaign in British Columbia was contained in the result in New Westminster, where even Liberals anticipated that T. D. Taylor, the Conservative candidate, would be a winner. The various bulletins which were supplied by the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Company are as follows:

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| Waterloo |
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East Hastings. Northrup (Cons.) London. Hyman (Lib.)20 Majority
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CLOSING SCENES OF PORT ARTHUR SIEGE

Compton, 300 majority At Daylight Yesterday, Whole Line of Russian Forts Were Again Submitted to a Bombardment Preparatory to an Assault.

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OTES FROM
GRAND FORKS

arrived last evening from Franklin camp, where they have been inspecting properties for the past two weeks. They say that the McKinley, Gloucester and Banner are the three most promising properties in that camp. The McKinley and Gloucester in that camp. The McKinley and Gloucester are now being extensively depeloped. On the McKinley property one cut in the lead a face of 19 feet of pay ore, with a gloor over 40 feet, also in solid ore. This being run on this property, and will be continued until the width of the ore body is determined. The Gloucester is owned by Thomas Newby and others, who have

S. S. King. chief, deputy grain institutions.

eased by a Vancouver Cannery—Other Sunk Pride

A local syndicate, composed of Messrs. G. I. Wilson and R. Welch and Messrs. Evans, Coleman & Evans, has acquired a lease of the salmon cannery of the Washington Packing Company, at Bellingham, Wash., and has in view the leasing of some others. According to the reckoning of those engaged in the salmon-packing industry, next year should be that in which the big run occurs, and this syndicate is securing the control of a number of cauneries in anticipation of a big pack. The lease of the Washington Packing Company's cannery will take effect on May 1st next, and will run one year. The plant has a capacity of 3,000 cases daily, and in addition to the payment of a rental, a ropalty will be paid on each case packed.

The members of the new syndicate were formerly connected with the British Columbia Packers' Association.—News-Advertiser.

by Majority Which Surprised

Of Jap's Navy

Should Baltic Squadron Reach Far East Tables Will Be Turned.

An Interesting Disclosure Now Shows That Togo's Squadron Is Outclassed.

Loss of Battleship Long Con. cealed by Tokio Authorities **Evened Matters.**

Blackfoot, Idaho, Nov. 3.—United States Senator Dubois is at home after a thorough canvass of the state. The senator said great interest all over Idaho is being manifested on the subject of Mormonism, and that the sub-committee of the senate will resume investigation of the Smoot case in Salt Lake and Southeastern Idaho commencing about November 15.

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S. Y. WOOTTON.

Ind Registry Office.

nd Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., 30th August, 1904. I GIVE NOTICE that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for oermission to purchase one hundred and S.1.7 acres of land situated on the North there of Douglas Channel (and about twelve miles below Kitamaat village), Range 5. Indefeasible Title to Part (8% acres) Coast District; commencing at a post marked S.E. thence west 40 chains, north 40 chains, east 40 chains, thence 40 chains.

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Touring General.—Among the passes retiring, in 1902, was commandant the School of Military Engineerin Chatham, and in command of t

Telephone Cable.—Theophilus Smith of London, Eng., has returned to Van couver after superintending the work of aying the telephone cable for the line giving Victoria connection with the Mainland. Fortunately, the weather was tine throughout, and the only delay was occasioned by the heavy fog. It is expected that the line will be ready for commercial nurroses inside of a for commercial purposes inside of couple of weeks, some of the land connections having yet to be perfected.

Grain Samples.—Samples of grain and potatoes grown by the Rev. C. Harrison at Massett, Queen Charlotte islands, were yesterday received by the Deputy Minister of Agriculture and are to be seen at the Department of Agriculture. The excellence of these specimens go to show that that part of the province is well adapted for the production of general crops, and probably for fruit. Mr. Harrison says in referduction of general crops, and probably for fruit. Mr. Harrison says in refer-ence to the samples: "The season was very wet and not suitable for a fine crop this year."

West Coast Activity.-Mining condi-West Coast Activity.—Mining condi-tions on the West Coast are brightening according to W. M. Brewer, M. E., who has just returned from that section. The further development of the Hayes prop-erty on Alberni canal indicates the con-fidence of the new owners in that dis-trict. Mr. Brewer also says the timber cruisers and surveyors who have been cruisers and surveyors who have been operating between Centelet and Staney inlet for some time have completed their labors. They are representing a big Seattle milling company, and it is the latter's intention to erect a large mill on the West Coast.

Visited Saanich.—The Rev. Dr. White, superintendent of Methodist missions, visited Saanich and preached acceptable and interesting sermons last Sabbath He was pleased with the pros-pective outlook and congratulated the people for having put forth an effort

Railway Officials' Tour .- Passenger and immigration representatives of the Northern Pacific stations situated in the important centers from Maine to Cali-fornia will gather in St. Paul and leave fornia will gather in St. Paul and leaved this morning in private cars attached to the regular westbound through train on a comprehensive tour of the territory served by the Northern Pacific. The trip is to be made for the purpose of giving the representatives of the system personal knowledge of the West, its cities, its growth and development. It is likely that the party will visit Vic-soria.

Wins the Plate.—President Redelsheimer, Seattle, of the Western Kennel Jeague, has finally decided that Mr. J. W. Creighton, of Victoria, is the winner of the president's plate for the best kennel in the recent bench show in New Westminster. There was some dispute as to the conditions, and the president was called in to decide the matter, with the above result.

An inquiry was held in Saanich yesterday into the death of John Durrance, aged 75, whose body was found in a well. The verdict of the coroner's jury was "suicide while temporarily insane." was "suicide while temporarily insane. Evidence was given to the effect that de Evidence was given to the effect that deceased's mind had been affected for some time past and that his friends had been watching him to a certain extent under the impression that he might endeavor to do away with himself. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 1 n. m. at Church of England Cemetery. South Saanich.

Patrol Wagon.—The patrol wagon is paying its way, according to a report submitted at a meeting of the board of police commissioners. During October the sum of \$36 went into the city coffers, the majority of the contributors being drunks. The hack hire saved amounted to \$21, so the wagon actually saved an expenditure of \$57.

Branded Salmon.—Indian Agent R. E. Laing, stationed at Hazleton, gave Hans Helgeson, fishery officer under the Dominion government, a quantity of smoked salmon bearing a brand in the form of a "W," which had apparently been placed on the fish before the grandform of a "W," which had apparently been placed on the fish before the smoking process. They were taken by the Indians in the Babine river. The specimen will be handed to Commissioner Babcock.

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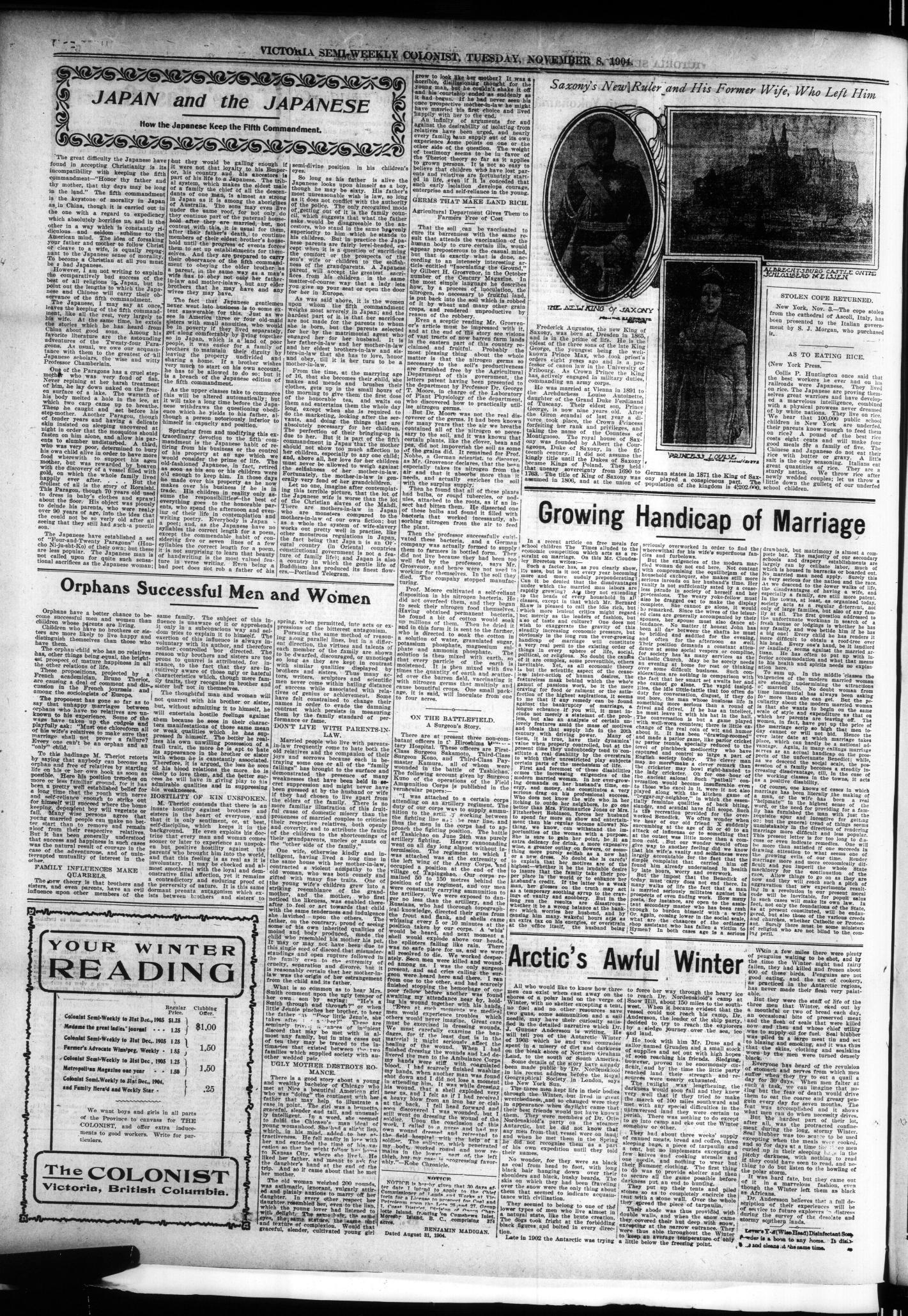
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The Fall Fair

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The Farmers' Advocate, in its October issue, has the following article on the fall fair recently held in Victoria: "To hold a successful show is the "To hold a successful show is the aim of every enterprising exhibition executive; that such had been done was the happy realization pictured on the faces of the officers of the British Columbia Agricultural Association at the close of their exhibition, held in Victoria during the week ending October 1. The attendance was greater than at any previous exhibition in the Island City, so said the 'old-timers,' and in most cases the exhibits were very creditable.

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"The main building, which is large and of artistic design, was well filled on all three floors. On the first was to be found the district exhibits, which proved to be one of the most interesting features of the show. There were three competitors, Chilliwack, Saanich and the Islands, and the winning was in the order named. To anyone who does not believe that British Columbia is one of the most productive provinces in the British empire, an inspection of these exhibits was most instructive. To see the choice fruits, both fresh and bottled; the grains and agricultural seeds of the finest quality; roots and vegetables of immense size; the forage plants, of great variety, that would, please any stock-raiser; and dairy products, the delight of the most fastidious epicure, was a sight not soon to be forgotten by any visitor to the Pacific capital. In the arrangement of these exhibits considerable skill was manifest. The judging was done according to a scale of points, and in some cases a total score was recorded for a particular feature of the exhibit. In this, however, the judging was in error, because although the displays were especially creditable, perfection was, as usual, not to be found.

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"The commercial fruit exhibit in the main building attracted a great deal of attention, and rightly so. British Columbia is already laying credit to the distinction of being a great fruit country, and the wonderful possibilities of the future were well revealed in the try, and the wonderful possibilities of the future were well revealed in the competition for the Stewart challenge cup. Each display had to be of commercial varieties, the product of one exhibitor, packed for market in standard packages, not less than two boxes or crates of each. The exhibits covered considerable space, were very attractively arranged, and all the fruit was grown within a radius of a few miles of Victoria.

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"Another specially interesting feature of the exhibits in the main building was the display of fruit, grains, vegetables, fodder, corn and roots made by the Provincial Experimental Farm at Agassiz. Over one hundred varieties of apples were to be seen, and each one was nicely arranged and plainly labelled, so that persons desirous of becoming familiar with the name of each might readily do so. Altogether it reflected great credit on the farm superintendent, T. E. Sharp, who was in attendance.

"In live stock the entries were larger than in previous years, and in general the quality was well up to the mark. In fact, when it is remembered that not many years ago the first pure-bred found its way into the Pacific province, it was particularly good.

"In the cattle classes Shorthorns led. J. Tamboline, Westham Island, had both the sweepstakes male and female, but in both cases he had close competitors. R. K. Bennet, Rushford ranch, Calgary, went over the Rockies with a few choice representatives of the reds. whites and roans, and deserves credit the for his enterprise. In the aged cow ask class his Imp. Olive Wenlock II. stood the second, and there was not wanting good told

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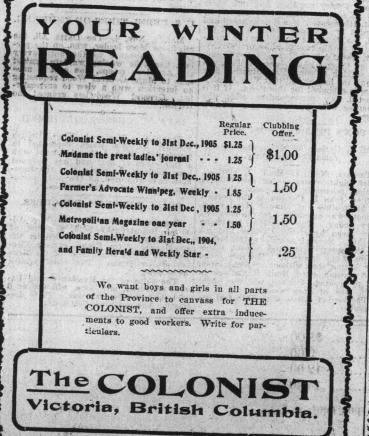
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Steamer Tremont Arrives From Manila and Is Unloading

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Carmanan Point bound for Victoria. She is to come up from quarantine this morning to the outer wharf, where unloading of her Victoria cargo will begin immediately. The Tremont has a large general cargo from the Orient, and several passengers, mostly from the Philippine islands, returning to the United States. The Tremont is expected to get away for the Sound this afternoon or evening.

San Francisco Daily Commercial
News, commenting on the great cargo
taken by the British steamer Algoa
from San Francisco says:
The British steamer Algoa cleared
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most valuable cargo of merchandise on October 29th for the Orient with the most valuable cargo of merchandise on record; the value to Japan was \$623,-487; the largest shipments were leather, cotton, tin plate machinery, nails and manufactured steel and iron; to China the value was \$784.834, and the heaviest shipments consisted of cotton, manufactured goods, lead and canned goods; the value for all other ports was \$4,519.

Master of Tug Sea Lion Proves Hims Every Inch a Sailor.

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Captain Thomas of the British ship Celtic Monarch, which was in tow of the Sea Lion when the tug sauk the Mainlander, conferring with his agents, regarding the disposition of his ship, the vessel having been libeled by the Pacific Coast Steamship Company. The trouble was satisfactorily adjusted and the vessel will probably proceed to sea today, says Tuesday's Tacoma News.

For Captain Manter Captain Thomas had naught but words of praise. Speaking to a friend, he said:

"It was an awful thick night. One could not see half a ship's length. I had the first mate and second officer stationed forward on lookout. We could hear steamers about us, and the call of the West point horn, but of the sound of the collision, not a thing. The first that the hawser had slackened and I realized that something was wrong and instantly ordered the wheel hard a starboard, and the next we knew we were under the stern of the tug and afterboard, and the next we knew we were under the stern of the tug and afterboard, and the next we knew we went to the Mainlander's rescue.

"It was a wonderful piece of work that Manter did. If my ship had come down on him and that other steamer there would have been another story to tell. The way my vessel was going and resulted, no doubt, in a great loss of life."

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Thomas Aifred Lea Smith, of Hornby island, to be a justice of the peace.

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Mrs. Belle Holland Wilson, of Port Essington, M. D., to be acting resident physician, and acting medical health officer and a deputy coroner for the province.

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Strong Plea - For Peace

Lord Lansdowne Makes Appea to the Nation for Arbitration.

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Responsive.

In Absence of Premier at Guild Hall Banquet Secretary

London Nov. 9.—At the Lord Mayor's banqut at the Guildhall tonight, Foreign Secretary Lansdowne, in the absence of Premier Balfour, who, by the advice of

onfidence in success.

Lord Lansdowne, replying to H Majesty's ministers, referred to the authority management of Mr. Balfour, with in spite of his illness had not ceased actively participate in the affairs of the country.

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Lord Lansdowne made a strong plea for peace and arbitration on behalf of the British government. Lord Lansdowne pointed out to a large and rather downe pointed out to a large and rather unsympathetic audience that arbitration was the only way in which the North Sea friction with Russia could have been equitably settled, and almost in the same breath drew a vivid picture of the horrors of the struggle now progressing in the Far East.

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Between the line of every reference the foreign minister made to the Russo-Japanese war was an urgent piea, amounting almost to a demand, that it might be settled by arbitration. It was might be settled by arbitration. It was a carefully prepared statement before what is considered the most representative gathering of leading men of Great Britain. As such it was generally interpreted as a bolder bid for intervention than has yet emanated from any neutral power. America was written largely in his speech, for which Great Britain has been waiting many days.

The foreign minister prefaced all his remarks by saying that the great statesman, John Hay, recently remarked that "war was the most futile and faliacious of human follies."

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Then came an impassioned review of the North Sea affair. Although Lord Lansdowne was unable to announce the signing of the convention, he emphatically confirmed statements made in these despatches, namely, that Great Britain has found "no difficulty in arriving at a solution in principle of the dispute," and only supplemented what is already known by the statement what Russia has guaranteed the punishment of any other officers in addition to those already detached from Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron who might be proven to be implicated.

implicated. By most of his hearers Lord Lans-By most of his hearers Lord Lansdowne's utterances were regarded almost as a plea for Russia. A dead silence greeted him, as after pointing out that the two governments, in good faith, believed in the contradictory statements of facts, he asked them: "Could we have done better than get full apology and compensation and leave the question of facts to an international tribunal with a guarantee of punishment of any who might be found guilty?"

Lord Lansdowne, in connection with the question of contraband, seriously reminded the audience that Great Britain, as the greatest naval power, might some

as the greatest naval power, might some day be the greatest sufferer by a re-striction of belligerent rights on the high continuing the foreign secretary said that while London was principally interested that peace should prevail everywhere, he did not think they should think from the control of the contro

think of peace at any price.

and gallant nations in the Far East can one of us contemplate without regret the legion after legion of brave men being led forth to meet their fate and the ruined homes and broken hearts? We can conceive no more terrible punishment than the remorse of any minister or body of ministers who from loss of temper or desire of popularity brought upon the country the scourge and calamity of needless war.

"At this auspicious moment I am able to announce to you that not only the peace of the country is unbroken, but, so far as I am able to foresee, there is no reason why it should not remain unbroken. Not only have we the good fortune to avoid war, but by the strict neutrality and wise international arrangements, we have done something to restrict the area of hostilities. The country, however, has not altogether escaped anxieties. For the last few days we have been face to face with an incident we have been face to face with an incident which moved the people of this country as few other incidents have done

"The incident of October 21st in the "The incident of October 21st in the North Sea was an attack on British citizens and an affront to the British flag, of which, if intentional, I would rather not contemplate the consequences. It was a deplorable and unaccountable blunder, but I am bound to add that recent evidence has satisfied the British government that the Russian government believed the facts were different from what we supposed and that each ment believed the facts were different from what we supposed and that each party was convinced of the justice of its own cause. Great Britain has adopted the only course in referring the matter to an independent and impartial tribunal and we found no difficulty in arriving at the principal questions, nor in deciding what the terms for their reference under The Hague convention were such as we could accept."

After detailing what would be the pro-cedure of the court Lord Lamsdowne re-ferred to the smallness of the number of Russian officers left at Vigo, and said: sponsibility for the selection of the of-ficers. That rested with Russia and in

would be a great mistake to relieve her of the responsibility."

The foreign secretary added that the government had received distinct assurance during the last day or two that the Russian officers detained, were those who were directly implicated and it the who were directly implicated and if the inquiry showed that others were culpable they also would be punished. He had received full expression of

regret, a promise of ample compensation and a guarantee against a recurrence, with security for all neutral commerce and promise of the punishment of the guilty persons. Was it possible to secure more? Continuing, Lord Lansdowne referred to other questions which st have arisen during the war, especially what of contraband, which had been the largely cleared up, and since July there re