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EXILED LEADER

DR. SUN YAT SEN WILL ATTEND PEACE MEETING

Into Canton to Participate in Welcome

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om Canton Dr. Sun will proceed He travelled incog from New to Europe and to China from

REPUBLIC DECIDES

Gems Found in Royal Palaces Belong to Country

leged but they do belong to the re-blic. The cabinet has determined sell the immense collection of pracally priceless creations, rings, words, daggers—all of which are ensted with precious stones. They ests in the past or tributes from the ive rulers of conquered territory the Portuguese kings.

BEQUEST TO UNIVERSITY.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 14.—By the FORTY-TWO MORO ber, who died in Oakland on Wedsday, the University is to receiv \$500,000. The bequest was announced by President B. I. Wheeler. The will stipulates that \$200,000 is to be spent or a granite companile tower 300 feet In height, to be erected in the centre f the university grounds. Twentythree thousand dollars will be used to Shot During Engagement With purchase a chime for the tower. Onehalf the remainder of the bequest is to be devoted to the university's chair of classics, and the remainder to a chair in history.

CARELESS BLASTING.

machine was burnt out at Lake the Americans have been few.

FRENCH AVIATOR KILLED.

Melun, France, Dec. 14.-Lieut. Lan-

mer Mayor of San Freisco May Be Trie! Shortly.

the attorney for i . . . Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz answered "ready" at the survived the graft prosecution, Superfor Judge Lawler yesterday surprised the district attorney's office by orde ing the case to be placed on the calen- THRILLING EXPERIENCE dar for next Saturday with the view For the past four years these cases, which all ged the acceptance of bribes n the United Railroads trolley fran-Thousands of Natives Pouring chise and the gas rate matters, have been regularly set over on the motion of the attorneys, but on December 6, Schmitz's counsel announced readiness to proceed. It is said that this was

cent ruling of the District Court of Appeal, ordering the dismissal of all San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 14.—For cases which the court had failed to 15 years an exile from his native land, ry within 00 days after such a request of the royal party, comprising the ept for secret hurried visits while by the defence.

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will arrive at Canton to-morrow. bribes directly from Abraham Ruef. LADY FOLJAMBE WEDS.

pouring into Canton from the sur-ding country to participate in the constration.

London, Dec. 14.—Lady Constance Foljambe, a half-sister of the Earl of Liverpool, comptroller of the King's household, who created a sensation in Shanghai where a peace conference London on July 3, by failing to aptween the Manchu government's pear at church at the time appointed presentatives and the revolutionists for her marriage to Rev. A. H. J. Haw-

REGULATE OPIUM EXPORT.

new bridge are being subjected to frighte tests in every detail. There is a ques- safely taken aboard,

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

FISHERY OFFICIALS DISMISSED.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.-W. S. Young, fishery inspector of Manitoba and Douhas also lost his position.

American Scouts in the **Philippines**

Lanoa, Mindanao, P. I., Dec. 14 Forty-two More outlaws were killed acouver, Dec. 14.—Between 2 and here today i. an engagement with a clock yesterday afternoon a serious detachment of American scouts. There rruption occurred in the light and were no fatalities on the American side r service of the B. C. E. R. Com- The battle occurred in connection the damage in connection with with the campaign for suppressing oraccident extending to the generat- ganized brigandage among the Moros. station of the company at Lake The disarmament of the entire Moro tzen, where a 1,500 k.w. machine population of Mindanao and Jolo was burnt out and temporarily renordered by the American military authred useless. It was the old story of orities three months ago, following a number of murderous attacks on Amerstings townsite a gang of foreign-had set off a blast close to the nsmission lines, the result being two of the high-tension lines were two of the high-tension lines were ken and the accident being reflect-to the generating station, the 1,500 with bandits. The casualties among

WINNIPEG BANKER DEAD.

Winnipeg, Dec. 14 .- R. S. Barrow, nanager of the Union Bank here died me, a well-known military avi-was killed by a fall from his was born in Quebec in 1865 and was oplane when he arrived at the mili-one of the most experienced bankers aviation camp here from Elmpas. in Canada.

PARTY ARE WELL

One of Daughters of the Princess Royal Nearly Lost Her Life

Gibraltar, Dec. 14.-All the members by the defence.

The absence of James L. Gallagher, the chosen president of the republic, has returned to China will arrive at Canton to-morrow.

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The absence of James L. Gallagher, the chief witness, in the graft prosecution, will not affect the trial of republic, has returned to China will arrive at Canton to-morrow.

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The absence of James L. Gallagher, the Duke of Fife and their two daughters, who suffered such their two daughters, who suffered su Delhi off Cape Spartel, are reported to be well to-day, although much exhausted. Ten of the passengers of the Dr. Sun Yat Sen a remarkable ome. A holiday had been promed and the day will be given up

Marries Clergyman Whom She Jilted Delhi are on board. They and the crew will, it is expected, be taken off by a rocket apparatus. will, it is expected, be taken off by a rocket apparatus.

It is impossible for life-saving boats o approach the wreck because of the high seas. The stern of the liner has shifted further ashore and the vesse

is badly strained. According to later reports from Cape Declares Agitators Will Not Be Spartel, the position of the wrecked in progress. Until recently the kins, again astonished society and her steamer Delhi has now become so ereabouts of Dr. Sun had been kept friends by quietly marrying Rev. Mr. perilous that all on board will be ret by rebel leaders in this counobliged to abandon her. All but five of the passengers have been taken off and have reached Tangler on mul back. The steamer undoubtedly is lost

send the women and children ashore. Ottawa, Dec. 14.—Preparations are One of the boats of the Delhi was lowwell under way for a second start on construction of Quebec bridge. In order to prevent a repetition of the disaster of August, 1907, plans for the grant tow and steamed to the British aster of August, 1907, plans for the property of Edinburgh, where the property of the

structure could be built of nickle steel. cued passengers, arrived here last night. One of the women passengers in describing the wreck, said that there was not the slightest panic after the New York, Dec. 14.—Rev. Dr. David vessel struck. The passengers were New York, Dec. 14.—Rev. Dr. David G. Wylne, sixty years of age, a Protestant Episcopal clergyman, was found in the royal palaces at Lisbon, in a Harlem hotel, which he had engaged earlier in the day. Beside the body was found an empty vial that had contained a sedative. According to a hospital physician, he probably took an overdose accidentally. in conveying some of them aboard the

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French cruiser Du Chayl below the signal station, and had to Mr. Shuster's status, walk drenched to the skin over the rocks to the lighthouse, where the Spanish guardians gave them some sort of dry garments. Most of the

ed one of the Du Clayles' boats, drowning four of the sallors.

A Tangier dispatch to the Times says the royal party had not even time to dress. Some of them wore night-dresses with such clothes as they were able to pick in the boats.

dresses with such clothes as they were able to pick up in the hurry of the moment. The vessel listed quickly after striking. Water poured into the lower cabins. Great difficulty was experienced in getting into the boats. The royal ladies literally had to be dropped and caught. When the boat was still some way from the shore the breakers began to fill it in spite of the fact that the duke himself balled as hard as possible.

filled and sank. The whole party had strapped on lifebelts, which kept them affoat, but they were terribly buffeted by the waves. Princess Alexandra disappeared for a moment under the Throughout States towering waves, but was rescued, and with the others, after all had been washed off shore several times, was

INTERVIEWED ON PASSPORT QUESTION

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REGULATE OPIUM EXPORT.

Dr. Sun, who is credited with hard opium conference has adopted the green of the gree

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huster still retains his position as tended to the present year. has not been given. Official Report.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—State non, N. Y. and at Cleveland. The last department officials here doubted from attempted explosion is recorded in Another Report. the first the reports from St. Petersthe list as having taken place October
London, Dec. 14.—The Daily Mail's burg that Mr. Shuster had been dis16, this year, near Santa Barbara, Cal., London, Dec. 14.—The Daily Mail's burg that Mr. Shuster had been discorrespondent says the Princess Royal, missed. Their view was further at a bridge erected three years ago. Farms Association, which will develop

SIR CHARLES TUPPER

The sudden rising of the sea swamp- slight improvement.

HIS PAPER will be discontinued on

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AT INDIANAPOLIS

ederal grand jury which is to probe off. into an alleged conspiracy whereby exlosives were carried into many states to blow up bridges and other struc-

Years of correspondence taken from the office formerly occupied by John J. McNamara, the convicted secretary-treasurer of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, were in possession of District-Attorney Charles W Miller and former clerks and stenographers of McNamara were ready to go on the witness stand. These include Miss Nora Haley, of Chicago, and Miss Mary Dye, of Pittsburg, who until three years ago, worked as confidential clerks to McNamara. William Holze, captain of detectives of Indianapolis, and Martin Hyland, chief of police.

Trancisco, the federal grand jury in session here continued today its intimate probe into the habits and acquaintances of James B. McNamaras B. McNamaras B. McNamaras B. McNamaras B. McNamaras acquaintances of James B. McNamaras B. McNamaras acquaintances of James B. McNamaras B. McNamaras acquaintances of James B. McNamaras of Los Angeles Times B. McNamara of the dynamiter of the Los Angeles Times.

The object was to secure the prime minister's co-operation in blocking the threatened enfranchisement of women by means of an amendment to the government's forthcoming franchise reform bill, which includes the granting of votes to women.

Mr. Asquith expressed his hearty sympathy with the object of the deputation and agreed with them that to identify a number of telephone call received to-day by Premier Asquith at his official residence.

The object was to secure the prime minister's co-operation in blocking the threatened enfranchisement of women by means of an amendment to the government's forthcoming franchise aposition to know with whom McNamara. Communicated in San Francisco and perhaps the persons with whom he made arrangements to come to Los Angeles. Miss Gill also was able to identify a number of telephone call received to-day by Premier Asquith at his official residence.

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also are to be witnesses. was closeted with Mr. Miller before had frequent conferences with federal the grand jury met, professed not to know the whereabouts of Frank M. may testify.

the government by the National Erectors' Association, was prepared for the grand jury. Beginning with the wrecking of the structural works in Connecticut and Massachusetts in 1905, it cites the damage done up to October 16, 1911 and points out, as October 16, 1911 and points out, as In the minutes of every union, and adds: "Grit your teeth and organize."

indicating participation by others than John J. and James B. McNamara or Ortic E. McManigal that crimes of Portuguese Cabinet Decides tion as to whether or not the super-, The Duke of this nature were perpetrated in 17 states.

Teheran, Dec. 14. — W. Morgan

confession, blew up his first building in Detroit in June 1907, "with twenty and his work exmade by the bureau of chemistry be-

1911.

After the arrest of the McNamaras. explosions took place at Mount Ver-

Association was formed in May 1906, in pursuance of a plan to maintain an "open shop" and detectives were employed to investigate the dynamiting. London, Dec. 14.—The condition of The announcement that W. E. Grif other passengers also were landed. Sir Charles Tupper, who was yester-some of them camped on the beach, day reported seriously ill at his Eng-while others rode or walked into town. Ilsh home, at Bexley, Kent, shows to testify concerning various explosions in Kansas City, drew attention Six Months' Production Likely

to the part which the confession of McManigal is to play in the probe.

Details of the blowing up of five structures in Kansas City on December 24, 1908; April 29, 1909; June 26, 1909; August 23, 1910 and December 30, 1910, which resulted in the partial recking of the viaduct building and derricks under construction by firms employing non-union men, are in the hands of the government. Bearing on these, McManigal in his confession anti-SUFFRAGETTES

saying:
"On August 28, I pulled off the Mc-Clary Marshall job at Kansas City. I did not see J. J. McNamara although he was in town at the time. From Ransas City I went to Peoria. III J Premier Asquith Says Exten-August 29 or 30, 1910, at which time | Sion of Franchise Would Be he paid me for doing the Kansas City

"I told him about the bad luck had had in Peoria and Kansas City jobs, and he gave me H-about not getting back the clocks that did not go

Los Angeles Inquiry. Los Angeles, Dec. 14.—Following the the suffragettes. An important deputrail which leads up and down the tation of the National Women's Antito blow up bridges and other state tures erected by firms employing non-union labor, formally began its de-liberations to-day.

trail which leads up and down the tation of the National Women's Anti-coast with a twist east from San Francisco, the federal grand jury in session here continued today its in-

and Martin Hyland, chief of police, also are to be witnesses.

Let was expected that J. E. Munsey, a labor official of Salt Lake City, would the suggestion that a referendum that the suggestion that the suggestion that a referendum that the suggestion that the s H. S. Hockin, acting secretary of appear in the court today. He has the union workers association, who been in Los Angeles two days and has feared that the verdict of such a ref-

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.-Declar ing absinthe dangerous to health, the The explosion began two years prior to the operation by the McNamaras or McManigal who, according to his first building.

fore the action was reached. Dr. Wiley, Shuster still retains his position as tended to the present year.

There were two explosions in 1905; fore the action was reached. Dr. Wiley, head of the board, expressed the consent of the national council, which consent of the national council, which

"READY MADE" RANCHES.

Nelson, Dec. 14.-The sale is announced of 300 acres of land in the tobacco plains on the Kootenay river near the interna-

IN LE ROI MINE

to Reimburse New Owners for Purchase Price

Rossland, Dec. 14.—Report was current in Rossland yesterday that the Consolidated Company, new owners of the Le Roi mine, had come into a body of fabu-lously rich ore. Since this company took over the Le Roi, this notable mine has proven so satisfactory in its production that it is thought the company will take out enough ore within six months' time to reimburse it for the price paid.

EX-SULTAN ILL.

Abdul Hamid Reported to Have Been Taken Back to Constantinople.

Berlin, Dec. 14.-A special news dispatch from Constantinople reports that x-Sultan Abdul Hamid has been in the villa Alatini since his deposition on April 27, 1909. He is said to be ex-

ANXIOUS TO MARRY AGAIN.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 14.-Mrs. Rose C.

ARE NOW ACTIVE

Political Mistake:

London, Dec. 14.-The Anti-Suffragettes have been roused to action by the recent violent demonstrations of

IN RAILWAY WRECK

Demolished

Ogden, Utah, Dec. 14.-Two trainmen were killed and two injured in a wreck of two freight trains at Castle Rock on the Union Pacific, forty miles east of Ogden, which occurred at 2 o'clock this morning. East of Castle Rock is a heavy grade, down which a westbound train of fifty cars, getting beyond control, ran at a terrific speed, striking an eastbound freight, which was standing on the main line at the station. At this point the canyon through which the railroad passes is nar-row and the debris of the wreck has so completely clogged the right-of-way that the main line will be blocked for many hours, although wrecking crews are working from both ends. There are forty cars in an inextricable tangled mass, of which seven were heavily loaded and thirty-three empty.

NEW POLICY IN INDIA. Changes Necessary to Growth of Local

London, Dec. 14.-The Marquis of Lansdowne, the Opposition leader, and Lord Cruzon, of Kedlestone, Vicercy of India from 1898 to 1905, spoke grayely in the House of Lords concerning the Indian changes and some of the Conservative morning papers followed

The dissatisfaction, however, may be due to the fact that this policy involves a reversal of Lord Curzon's

According to official papers, the new policy was carefully considered before it was adopted as being essential to the growth of local self-government in

NAVAL PRIZE BILL.

Measure Defeated in House of Lords-Earl Selbourne's Views.

London, Dec. 14.-The House of Lords has rejected the naval prize Salonica, where he has been confined bill by a vote of 145 to 53. The Earl of Selborne pointed out that the con-stitution of the proposed international prize court gave the British Empire only the same representation as that accorded to petty Central American republics. Furthermore, he said the bill permitted an appeal from the British Privy Council to the prize court, but St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 12.—Mrs. Rose C. Richmond, 51 years old, has written to Judge Fisher, informing him that "a gentleman is waiting to marry me and take me to another city." and asking the judge for a speedy trial of her suit to diverce Frank J. Richmond.

Privy Council to the prize court, but no corresponding appeal from the United States Supreme Court. It was therefore possible, Lord Selborne argued, to get two sets of conflicting diverce Frank J. Richmond.

WARN RESCUE PARTIES OF DANGER IN MINE

Washington, D. C., Dec. 13:- Canary birds made possible the rescue affive of rebel army of 20,000 men, which has five men who were taken from the lately been engaged in the attack on Cross Mountain mine at Bryceville, Nanking, moved to-day toward Hu-Tenn., the bureau of mines here was Peh province, in which Hankow, now informed to-day by Dr. Holmes, head in imperial control, is situated, acc of the bureau. This is the first big ing to a dispatch received from Shang-mine disaster in which live birds have hai by the Chrng Sai Yat Po. Another played a life-saying role, although ex-division of the rebel troops has been periments have been made with them organized at Canton, it is also stated, in a number of smaller accidents.

atmosphere which will not support life, sent immediately for service in the were taken into the mine by the helmeted rescuers for the purpose of deshow symptoms of dizziness the volunteer rescuers with the helmeted on his way to Shanghai, where he will workers, are not allowed to go far- meet the rebet leaders in a peace conther, and the latter proceed alone. Bodies found beyond this point are

RUSSIAN TROOPS IN PERSIA.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 13.-The Rossia march toward Teheran at an earlier republic.

CARS FOR MEN ONLY

Waterbury, Conn., Dec. 13.-Street cars dispatched yesterday from here to and District-Attorney Fredericks was for men only as a feature of the rush hours in this city are asked for in a petition submitted to the city council by several hundred suburban residents. The petition asserts that it is impossible for women passengers who regard themselves a entitled to seats and subject the men and extended the right hand of fellowho are seated to all kinds of criticism.



SIR JAMES P. WHITNEY Premier of Ontario, successful in re cent election.

WORLD'S GREATEST WOMEN.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 13.-In the opinion of Mrs. William H. Taft, the President's wife, the list of greatest President's wife, the list of greatest women in the world has produced should read as follows: Queen Victoria, Rosa Borhour, Joan D'Arc, Maria Mitchell, Cecil Chaminade, Jane Austin, Charlotte Bronte, Frances Willard, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Florence Nightingale, Susan B. Anthony, George Eliot, Mme. Curie, Elizabeth Barrett Browning, Lucretia Mott, Margaret Fuller, Queen Elizabeth and Queen Louisa of Prussia.

COUNTERFEITERS

Chief of Band Had Plant in Interior of Nootka Island

Chicago, Dec. 13.-Albert Leon, Rudolph Marne and Swanson, who have have been summarily sentenced before manufactured thousands of dollars in the police magistrate at the Bow street counterfeit notes, according to their confessions, pleaded guilty in the Unit-ted for trial at the sessions and were ed States district court yesterday. called upon to answer the more serLeon and Marne were sentenced to ten lous charge of maliciously damaging Leon and Marne were sentenced to ten lous charge of maliciously damaging years each and Swanson to five years. property. The women entered the pris-Leon, the chief, is said to be a Russian refugee, his activity for years having been the thorn in the side of the United States secret service. The of two months in prison were awarded L. Kinman, who has returned from notes were made in a dense forest on to all the suffragettes, with the excep-Nootka island, B. C. From there the tion of two who were discharged. cities of the west, especially the Pacific coast, were flooded with notes. Swanson was the first arrested here, then Marne, and later Leon was arrested in New York, just as he was about to Manp, wife of a civil engineer on the ly changed his former opinion into Ordnance Officer, Four En board a steamer for the West Indies. From Leon's confessions, the loot

near a tree in a city park here. LEAPS TO HIS DEATH.

Chicago, Dec. 12 .- J. F. Greene, a madisrobed, crawled out on a beam and girl, now 15 years old, was to be redropped to the rotunda beneath. His turned to her mother.

FORCE IS MOVING TOWARD HANKOW

the North

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 13.-The The canaries, most sensitive to the commander. This division will also be

Tong Sho YI, the personal represenecting gases. As soon as the canaries tative of Minister Yuan Shi Kai, was reported to have arrived at Hankow

brought back as far as the danger line, America, which has its headquarters was convinced, it is said, of the ar-where they are carried out by the volsecretary of state at Washington and to the ministers of foreign affairs of Great Britain, France and Belgium, were not the only guilty parties. asking them to use their influence to prevent a loan by any of the financiers witnesses and evidence in various says the Russian troops, now concen- of their respective countries to the imtrated at Kasbin in Persia, will not perial government at Pekin. They of the state authorities here to bring advance until eight days have elapsed, stated in the dispatches that such a all the offenders to justice, were readvance until eight days have classed the loan would be construed as an unlated to the president. It was up to the Police Called to New York Russian minister to order them to friendly act toward the new Chinese

Fighting Reported.

Funds for Revolutionists. man to retain a seat during the rush New York's Chinatown, which have in tion was instituted. because of large numbers of the past indulged in prolonged feuds of

of funds toward the support of the revolutionary forces in China. Under the guidance of the Chinese merchant definite programme of indictments can pledged their tongs to larger sums. Chinatown in a proclamation of peace, says: "Brethren we have buried the The department of justice, it is said, hatchet in the breast of the Manchu is anxious to have Mr. Lawler go to

than half of this sum is already in sight.

National Convention. eading republican circles. It is be- acies. ieved that Tang, after conferring with General Li, the revolutionary commander, will be ready to make the best terms possible for the Manchus. terms possible for the Manchus. The revolutionists are prepared to give the most liberal guarantees for the future care of the royal family and for the safety of the Manchu princes. Preparations are now going on for the national convention at Nanking.

Strengthening Guard. ment of 350 men and two guns has ar-

SENT TO PRISON

ARE SENTENCED Convicted of Maliciously Damaging Property cent Demonstration

> London, Dec. 13 .- Twenty-two of the suffragettes arrested with 200 com-November 21, were indicted at the London session yesterday. Nearly 200 of Police Doust, in view of the recent prevalence of crimes of violence.

"REDEEMS" HER DAUGHTER.

Chicago, Panama canal, "redeemed" her own fact. daughter here for \$500. Mrs. Mann alwas found, also several thousand dol- lowed the child to be adopted twelve lars of spurious money was recovered years ago when she was unable to care for it as her husband's death had left her penniless. When she married again and came into possession of comparative wealth, her mother-love sent her newspaper articles and reports anent mander Herbert N. Garnett, of the naon a quest for her daughter. She found candidates to sign the same. The val ordnance department, four engineer floor of the Masonic Temple building, agreement was reached whereby the

FACTS SUBMITTED TO HIM AT LOS ÁNGELES

Birds Play Important Part in Division Organized at Canton Government Investigation Result of Appeal to President for Aid

> dent Taft personally set in motion the government's present investigation both here and at Indianapolis into the dynamiting economic in which the McNamara brothers figured. The president, when he vi-"- Los Angeles on with General Chan Kwing Ming as Lawler, then an associate of Districtstrong case built up by the latter against the McNamaras.

The president's action in the mathere. The McNamara trial was then Peter. The Chinese national association in but five days old, but the president was convinced, it is said, of the array of facts gathered by the state and was told that the McNamara brothers

Details of alleged tampering with parts of the country and the inability people to ask the nation's chief executive to assist them in a matter in which they were being balked on many Amoy, China. Dec. 13.-Fighting is sides. Local federal authorities had reported to have occurred at the north declined to take any steps in the matgate of Chuan Chow. Troops were ter, pending orders from Washington

> the facts. It was through Mr. Lawler, a frien

The investigation here will be finmurderous nature, have combined ished in a few days. This can be stated authoritatively. Indictments will ship to each other in the furtherance not be returned here, however, until of a common cause—the contribution the Indianapolis investigation is well completed before then.

The department of justice, it is said Indianapolis to assist United States He hopes to send \$100,000 to the rebel District Attorney Miller there. Mr. eaders in China next month. More Lawler's familiarity with the voluminous confessions of Ortic E. McMan ical, admittedly the government's star witness, is given generally as the rea Shanghai, Dec. 13.-Tang Shao Yai's son for asking him to go to Indianclaration that the peace negotiations apolis to interrogate McManigal and learned here with much satisfaction in tial facts about the alleged conspir-

Pekin, Dec. 13.—A Russian detach- Chief of Spokane Police Wil Swear in Citizens to Aid Regular Force

> Spokane, Dec. 13.-The county com of \$500 for the arrest and conviction leaders in the Brifish parliament." f the murderer of Chauncey R. Simmons, who met his death at the hands of a burglar on Monday. This offer to carry firearms, if necessary. Every

DEADMAN'S ISLAND.

man's Island for military purposes, it onotonously identical and sentences in any way whatever, according to B. Ottawa with Mr. Theodore Ludgate, owner of the lease of the island. The two went to the capital to oppose such a proceeding as the above, and Mr Oec. 13.-Mrs. Martha Kinman states that the visit has mere-

MUST SIGN ARTICLES.

Melbourne, Dec. 13.-Federal house resterday adopted the clause in the Election Bill compelling all writers of

Father of Chief Justice of B. C. Court of Appeal Passes Away

ost an old resident in the death this afternoon of James Macdonald, brow ther of Peter Macdonald, ex-M.P. of Huron, once deputy speaker and now postmaster at London. A long illness preceded Mr. Macdonald's death. Mr. Los Argeles, Cal., Dec. 18 Prest- Macdonald is survived by a widow and family, including Martha (Mrs. S. tish Columbia legislature, now justice of the British Columbia of Appeal; Margaret, of Stratford; Peter A., of Stratford; Mary (Mrs. W. Lawler, then an associate of District-Attorney John D. Fredericks, of the strong case built up by the latter ampton, now at home. The deceased was a native of Invernesshire, Scotland, being born in 1831, and spent his young manhood in Huron county. In 1876 he founded the Macdonald ter following his conference with Mr. 1876 he founded the Macdonald Thresher Company, which is still be ing carried on by his sens, John and

Gathering in Support of Arbitration Treaties

New York, Dec. 13 -- A riotous outbreak interrupted a large mass meeting held at Carnegie hall last night in New York, Dec. 13.—The Tongs of of the president, that the federal ac- support of the arbitration treatles with England and France. Twentyeight reserve police were hurried to the

The outbreak occurred after Nicholas under way and after consideration of Murray Butler, president of Columbia man sympathy." all the testimony gathered. Then a University, had read resolutions urging he senate to ratify the treaties, and subscribed \$10,000 each and grand jury expires January 8, but it is can Citizens' League of the state of can Citizens' League of the state of Old Tow Lee, so-called mayor of believed the Indianapolis work will be New York, moved that the majority resolution of the United States senate committee on foreign relations be adopted as a substitute for the Butler \$500 for the plaintiff.

"This declaration is not a proof peace, but a deadlock breeder of war," he exclaimed of the war The words were scarcely mouth when men jumped to each side of the stage and raised their hands in an apparent signal, whereupon pandeshall be carried on at Shanghai is just get into the record thereof the essen- monium was let loose in the upper gal-

Catcalls, yells, groans and hisse made it impossible for Chairman Joseph H. Choate to proceed with the meeting. One man on the platform meeting. One man on the platform jumped and shouted. "That packed gallery is composed of a lot of cow

At this the shouts became louder and megaphones were brought into use. In the midst of the noise Chairman Choate announced that the Butler resolution had been unanimously adopted. The Late Sir George Lewis mise in response to the pleadings of his wife and children that he would Choate announced that the Butler resoprogramme as the next speaker, but he sat in apparent amazement at the demonstration, and in his place Rabbi Stephen Wise asked for a hearing. He met with such cries as "shut up" and "throw him out," from the galleries.

"I warn you that no people in the nowls.

Koelbe, whose resolution had precipdoes not apply to the city police force. itated the outbreak, called in vain to At least twenty-five special plain the people in the gallery to show a At least twenty-five special plain the people in the gallery to show a he knew the secrets of thousands of clothes detectives are to be sworn in spirit of fair play. Finally police reformed the secrets of thousands of important persons, yet he never kept for duty immediately, 500 to 1,000 citi-zens are to be deputized and allowed to carry firearms, if necessary. Every

Serves entered the gallery and ejected the leaders, but no arrests were made. Chairman Choate, in announcing the ocarry firearms, if necessary. Every chairman Choate, in announcing the when he was sixty-six years old. His only is to be received a djournment of the meeting, said: "The only son, George J. G. Lewis, is now dark is to be required to give an account of himself. Every available pocause the ratification of the peace ceeds to the baronetcy. liceman in the city is to be dispatched treaty than all the peace speeches. As panions in connection with the demon- to the districts where crime is re- chairman, I declare the meeting ad- ly all the celebrated cases of the last the grand total to date to \$1,224,023 journed without the audience having 50 years and throughout the sitting The top figure of the sale was \$13,500

BRITISH BATTLESHIP

gineers and Fifteen of Crew Injured

Portsmouth, Eng., Dec. 13. comboth oil fuel and coal,

DISCRIMINATION AGAINST AMERICAN CITIZENS

Be No Arbitration of Passport Question

Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.-Abrogaof New York, and Senator Culberson back workings.

Mr. Sulzer is chairman of the foreign received reports of the rapping. affairs committee, which unanimously up to the treaty or to recognize pass-

by Baptist missionaries, Catholic long and each took his turn. Milton priests and Presbyterian divines. Henderson wrote thus to his child-The United States, he said, must ad- wife: here tenaciously to the fundamental principle that the rights of citizens at principle that the rights of citizens at nome or abroad shall never be impaired on account of race or religion. He said the United States government had carefully lived up to its treaty obligations with Russia. I tell you. Bye-bye."

tions with Russia, "The time for action by congress has be arranged in which Russia can find then he wrote: no loophole to enable her to discrimin-

PLAINTIFF GETS DAMAGES.

Vancouver, Dec. 13 .- In the case of Capt. Johnson, of Sidney, against exconstables Moore and Ego for malicious arrest, the jury gave a verdict for by Erwin Smith in the note he left his

At the same time, in answer to ques tions submitted by Mr. Justice Murphy, they said that they believed that the constables conscientionsly thought that Capt. Johnson was insane when they arrested him. Counsel for the defendants stated that he intends to bring the matter up in chambers, as he make the camp pay for my life Ar-

Was Associated With Many Celebrated Cases

London, Dec. 13.-The English newsworld will feel so bedly at the result papers are still commenting regretnissioners yesterday offered a reward of this meeting to-night as the Irish fully on the death of Sir George Lewis. The press is unantmous in calling him His reference brought forth an even the most famous English solicitor. As greater combination of groans and the head of the firm of Lewis and Lewis, founded by his father, James Graham Lewis, more than ninety years ago in the house at 90 Ely Place, Sum of \$1,224,025 Obtained Holsborne, where Sir George was born.

These are precautions taken by Chief listened to the speeches of the other of the Parnell sessions he acted for given for a grand gold chain set with Mr. Parnell. It was he who discovered diamonds and rose diamonds. A neckwas engaged in the great Baccarat brooch set with a mauve diamond sur-

POISONED AT BANQUET.

London, Ont., Dec. 13 .- Thirty-five pected to recever.

RAPPING HEARD BY RESCUE SQUADS

Biratford, Ont., Dec. 18-The city Congressman Says There Can Efforts Being Made to Reac.1 The Princess Royal and Her Workings Closed by Explosion

Briceville, Tenn., Dec. 10.-Haps tion of the Russian treaty of 1832 be- heard in a shaft adjoining Cross moun-Cameron, of Syracuse N. Y.); James
A., former Liberal leader in the British Columbia legislature, now chief tion in the granting of passports to Court American citizens, demanded in resolution to the belief that more men daughters, were placed in jeopardy totions framed by Representative Sulzer are still alive and imprisoned in the day by the stranding of the P. & ()

Under the direction of federal resthe House to-day by Representative cuers; the men hewed at the lateral entries with renewed energy after they paratus also was sent.

It is believed that Samuel Miller and reported this bill favorably. He de-clared that for nearly half a century clared that for nearly half a century twenty or twenty-one. The rescue French cruiser Friant, sent by the party, headed by Dr. J. A. Holmes and Dr. J. J. Ruttridge is now working and landed. ports of American citizens without dis- between laterals 19 and 22. It is crimination on account of race or re- thought they may bring out more livfigious prejudices. He declared it was ing miners within the next four hours. a squestion that affected the rights of all American citizens and that Russia would die, had written messages to Tt is believed there is no immediate PEACE NEETING not only refuses to recognize Ameritheir loved ones. They had but one danger of the vessel foundering. The can passports held be Jews, but those little piece of pencil hardly an inch Princess Royal has sent a wireless

> a good little wife, but if I don't get to ed on account of race or religion. He see you any more on this earth, I have

This was written at 9 o'clock Tues come," said Mr. Sulzer. "There can day morning. Evidently young Henbe no arbitration of this situation and derson's turn with the pencil had gone no more delay. A new treaty should but it came back to his hand again and

"We have to fan with our coats to which President Taft has proposed ate against any class of American citi- live. You know how the coat is yourzens on account of race or religion. The self. If I don't get out of here, get awakening has come with a keen re- your paper to help you get my pay alization of the affronts we have suf- from the mine. If I don't happen to ered for years at the hands of a gov- lay eyes on you again on this earth, I vessel from the sea will be difficult ernment notorious for its lack of hu- hope to see you in Heaven. I am sure I will meet you in Heaven. If they don't send worse on us, I hope we live. If we don't get out I hope to meet you

> "MILTON HENDERSON." Similar thoughts entertained by young Henderson were those written wife. Only blacker were his hopes if

that were possible. He wrote: "Dear Wife and Children:-I don't think we can get out. Me and Dore Irish are burned badly. Let the house go back." He had just bought a home. "The camp owes me \$50. You can contends that the finding belies the thur and Duff started through entry No. 15. I don't know whether they can get out or not. Good-bye to all.

> "J. E. SMITH." In the double dinner, pail carried by Smith was water and although he was burned and almost famished for drink he gave it all to Dore Irish, who was nore badly burned, and who needed water more than the others to mini-

mize his sufferings. forsake mining and find another means of livelihood.

SULTAN'S JEWELS

for Gems So Far Disposed of by Auction

Paris. Dec. 13.—The total realized at Monday's session of the Sultan's sale Sir George was associated with near- of jewels was \$62,808. That sum brings These gentlemen were Andrew Car- that the famous Parnell letter had lace just preceding the chain in the negie and R. Couldee, Among the men on the patform were Chauncey M. Depew, Elbert P. Gary, General Frederick Grant, Bishop H. Greer, Franklin Fort, got entered the witness box. He also rose diamonds, brought \$3,300. A steamer Celtic on West Noble Island case which arose out of the play at rounded with rose diamonds and a row on October 5th, handed down its ile Cranby Croft and he called King Ed- of large brilliants brought \$6,800; a cision this morning. After giving can ward, then the Prince of Wales, as a bracelet set with brilliants and sap-ful consideration to the evidence Renowned for his secretiveness and a gold ring set with one large diamond the case the court finds that safe the extra caution of his speech, before for \$2,120; a set of solitaire diamond proper compass courses were not a he retired from his firm Sir George earrings \$3,285; earrings mounted with and steered from Masterman Island destroyed with his own hands a great brilliants, rubies and rose diamonds and that there were no allowance number of papers relating to secrets \$1,600, and ten coffee cup holders or made for deviation, leeway or the divulged to him. He was an inveterate sarens for \$1,220; a glass for water, in stream. first-nighter, and enjoyed race meet-crystal on a gold stand set with dia- That the vessel was not navigated ings. He was a collector of China and monds and rose diamonds, sold for with seamanlike care by Mr. Caristin pictures and antique furniture. One \$1,100; a gold powder bowl with a cover who assumed responsibility, notwill of the latest cases in which he acted set with one large choselled perial set standing his orders to call the man was the libel action brought by Hon. with one large diamond for \$2,473, and on any change of weather or do bloyd George, and which resulted in for \$2,700 a choselled gold photograph as to his position. The court the a retraction of all the charges against frame with the imperial arms, set with fore, in view of the above circum Mr. George and a verdict of \$54,000 one large diamond and several smaller stances, suspended Stephen Carleon

MAY COMPROMISE.

Berlin, Dec. 13. - A Russo-Persia Dick had to some extent lost sight chinist, believed to have been mentalher daughter with the woman to whom writers' address must also be given. officers and fifteen of the crew of the tended a recent medical school bantelegram from Teheran. It is reported depending too much on what he was medical students and doctors who at- compromise is possible, according to a the responsibilities of a shipmaster Dreadnought battleship Orion were quet are ill with what is believed to that Russia is satisfied with Persia's told of Officer Carlson's abilities and INSURRECTION IN ALBANIA.

Dreadnought Dattieship Orion were be ptomaine poisoning. The classes at apology and that the Russian governant the medical college are practically under will withdraw its demand for the the vessel in such narrow waters and the explosion of an oil tank. The classes at the students are in bed.

London, Dec. 18.—A news agency discontinuous d mangled body was unrecognizable. His body struck the cigar stand in the rounds and injured Harry Evans of Bay City. Mich, who was standing near it. His condition is serious.

Lendon, Dec. 18.—A news agency distinct the explosion of an oil tank. The patch from Vienna says that according to Orien is lying in one of the basins at Oysters are blamed for the poisoning. One student named Scott is exception—the coefficial advices received from Cettinis, Min Mills and the court of the consumption of the consumption of the consumption of the basins at Oysters are blamed for the poisoning. One student named Scott is exception—the correction has broken out in Albania. Twelve thousand pletely fluxed for commission. She is being fitted for the consumption of the court allowed the girl to go wif her mother.

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THE DELHI ASHORE ON MOROCCAN COAST

Family Taken From Steamer in Lifeboat

Gibraltar, Dec. 13.—British royalties. including King George's sister, the Princess Louise, Victoria, with her husband, the Duke of Fife, and their liner Delhi off Cape Spartel, Morocco. Immediately all available tugs and several warships were dispatched at full speed to the scene. Lifesaving ap-

A storm was raging and it was diffithe women and children were taken of

The princess and her daughters were among those rescued and they are now on their way to Gibraltar on a war-

message to Queen Alexandra saying: "All are safe on board the Delhi." The latest reports say the Delhi is lying broadside to the beach. There is

a heavy swell. The Princess Royal and her family were not rescued by the French cruise riant, but were taken off the Delhi a lifeboat and landed at Cape Sparte From there they travelled overland Pangler, where they went aboard warship and proceeded to Gibraltan

Rocket Apparatus Sent. London, Dec. 13 .- The admirals ha ordered a rocket apparatus to be sen by land to assist in the rescue of the passengers on the steamer Delhi which is ashore at Cape Shartel, as feared that communication with the



NEWTON W. ROWELL Recently appointed Liberal leader for Ontario.

BURNS PROVE FATAL.

Walla Walla, Dec. 13 .- Mrs. Mamie Murphy of Pasco died here of injuries re ceived when her clothing caught fire from the kitchen stove. She ran out of her home, the wind fanning the flames Neighbors finally extinguished the blaze and brought her here.

CANCELS PAPERS OF MATE FOR 120 DAYS

Finding Given in Grounding of Celtic-Was Not Navigated With Seamanlike Care

Vancouver, Dec. 13 .- The court of

certificate as mate of a passenge steamer for a period of four months from December 13, 1911.

The court also finds that Captain future and returned his certificate.

Men Saturday B Alive by

Briceville, Tenn., n by last night's vors of Saturday -mountain coa e squads went int his morning, hack with redoubled energ ward, however, was orpse-strewn cham mine. Six bodi wo of the six we was Joseph McInty At Vallalee, who h

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MINERS RECOVERED

RELIEF YOU'K CONTINUES IN TENNESSEE MINE

Saturday Brought Out Alive by Rescuers

Briceville, Tenn., Dec. 12, Spurred of the board of trade, in discussing of the company were set on fire and on Tuesday a report of a special committee appointed some time ago to ascertain the facts as to the prices and the mine. Six bodies were recovered two of the six were identified. One was Joseph McIntyre, the other was yal, Vallalee, who had a wife and four children

Five men were brought alive from the Cross Mountain mine at 11 o'clock is tright. These men had been prisoners since Saturday morning, when The peport of the special committee.

Of the board of trade, in discussing of the company were set on fire and burned, together with five locomotives when a freight train ran away to-day in the Carbondale vard of the Delawars of the Delawars and the cost of generation and transmission. This report, as will be seen, gives some very suggestive figures, and it called forth from the gentlemen present at the meeting under the chairmanship of H. G. Wilson some very emphatic expressions of opinion.

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SIR J. D. POWER DEAD.

London, Dec. 12.—Sir John Dalton Power, the eminent surgeon and naturative the chairmanship of H. G. Wilson some very emphatic expressions of opinion.

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ers since Saturday morning, when the report of the special committee, explosion entombed more than 100 of which J. W. Ambery was chairman, Three were found behind a brat- was as follows: ost given up hope.

ed in the Cross Mountain mine at have been received. words: "We have gone to 28."

try No. 23 pointed out the way. try No. 23 but no miners were found

currents. The rescue party pressin the direction indicated by the alk marks. At 11 a.m. a total of 30 bodies had

INJUNCTION REFUSED.

Vancouver, Dec. 12. - Mr. Justic forrison yesterday dismissed the ap-lication made on behalf of Pobert Telly and associates to restrain the ompany from carrying out the pro sed auction sale of lots in South

Mr. Justice Morrison said he though on," he said, "I must take the view at the railroad will be influenced by sales that the defendants may ke previous to their selling. I canmake any such assumption."

The application is displaced."

O 172C; power, 7c, to 6c.

Calgary.—Steam and hydraulic; 35 miles; light, 9c., discount of 15 per cent; power, 2c. to 1 1-10, with discount of 10 per cent.

Winnipeg.—Hydraulic: 27 miles; light, 1001.

Simcoe is most required by the authorities. It was at the Caplan house that J. B. McNamara, Caplan and "Schmidt" had numerous conferences prior to the blowing up of the Times. The application is dismissed," said Alexander.

s," replied the court. 'Is viin His lordship stated that he would re-

SEEKS CONCESSION FROM UNITED STATES

Another Country Asks for Same Treatment as is Accorded Canada

Washington, D. C., Dec. 12.—Austria-lungary, in addition to Germany, folland, Norway and Sweden, has sulp be permitted under the most favored nation clause of her treaty with this country, to enter the United States free of duty under the same conditions that Canadian pulp and print paper are given free duty under the reciprocity law.

The question of 1,000.

London—Coal. \$3 per ton; gas, 95c per 1,000.

Vancouver—Coal. \$3.75 p

the reciprocity law.

The question of granting this privilege to the foreign countries that have applied is to be decided soon by Presi
Mr. Ambery stated that the inspecstate departments.

KILLED BY RUNAWAY HORSE.

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RODIES OF THIRTY CITIZENS DO NOT

candidates for president and vice-president on Pusedly, June 18, 1912 COST OF LIGHT IS HIGHLY EXCESSIVE

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San Quentin, Cal., Dec. 12.-Gray

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A burglar, serving a fifteen-year

sentence, is their instructor. Few of the 1,900 prisoners at San Quentin

ing notice yesterday, their first day in

prison. They were only conspicuous by their new prison suits and their freshly-shaved heads. The brothers took up the routine of prison life yes-

terday, joining the long serpentine line

Washington, D. C., Dec. 12.-Resolu

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BY GRAND JURY

EVIDENCE NEEDED

cars in the yard.

Five Men Imprisoned Since Board of Trade Council Considers Report on Price Here Compared With Other Cities

That the citizens of Victoria do not last night's discovery of surof Saturday's disaster in the
mountain coal mine, fresh resmountain coal mine, fresh resmountain to the cross entries of the board of trade in discussion. on by last night's discovery of sur- get value for the high price they pay yors of Saturday's disaster in the for gas and electric lighting was the squads went into the cross entries of the board of trade, in discussing of the company were set on fire and

they had erected to protect them- Gentlemen .- Acting on your in es from noxious gases. Two more structions in June last, to obtain infound alive later. The rescued formation as to the rates charged in William Henderson, aged 55; other cities for electric power and iton Henderson, aged 22, his son; lighting and for gas, a question sheet, win Smith, aged 35; Arthur Scott, as per accompanying copy, was preged 30; Doret Irish, aged 30. They pared and sent to Toronto, Hamilton, all married, and their wives had Seattle, Calgary, Winnipeg, Edmonton, Spokane, London and Vancouver, Additional signs of life were discov- and the accompanying particulars

this morning. On the walls of the Attention may be called to the Dohaft were found inscribed these minion Act of Parliament which pro-Marshals Search for Two Of vides for reports upon the illuminat-Immediately the rescue squads re- ing power and purity of gas. There oubled their efforts to reach cross- is also an Electric Inspection Act. The ction No. 23. At first the inscrip- published particulars of inspection on was believed to be a grim humor furnish very little information as to one of the trapped miners, but a whether or not the gas and electric idely drawn "index hand" aimed at light meet the requirements contem-San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 12.—Mrs. David Caplan, wife of the alleged anplated in the acts.

. The citizens of Victoria are paying sufficient to ensure the highest efficithere, but additional directions for their rescue were found scrawled in chalk on the walls. They evidently were compelled to change their point of wantage on account of the altering transport of the altering transport of the altering transport of the result of his inspection. vantage on account of the altering ticulars of the result of his inspection The last trace had of Mrs. Caplan was whenever made. when, in company with Anton Johann-Appended to the report were tables sen, organizer of the state building whenever made.

showing the cost of light and power in trades, she drove up to the Metropoliseveral cities. The first shows the tan Bank building here about four power used in the generation of elec- months ago. tricity, distance of plant from the city, No further information concerning and charges for light and power per the whereabouts of Johannsen and kilowatt hour, as follows:

Toronto.-Hydraulic; 92 miles; light, cer of the state building trades, has 8c. to 8c. with discount of 10 per cent; been discovered to-day by the sub-power, 5c, to 1/2c., with discount of 10 to poens servers. Tveitmoe at last re-20 per cent. Hamilton.-Hydraulic; 32 miles; light,

2%c., discount 10 per cent; installation free; power, \$1.20 per h.p. per month. Seattle.—Steam and hydraulie; 25 and Seattle.—Steam and hydraulie; 25 and 45 miles; coal at \$1.90 a ton; light, 8%c. Johannsen. Mrs. Caplan's testimony to 44c; newer 7c, to 8c.

7½c., now 3c.; power, 4c. to 1c. Edmonton.-Steam; coal, \$3 a ton; light, 8c.; power, 8c. to 3½c. London.—Steam and hydraulic: 150 synosure of curious eyes, James B.

rve the question of costs for the trial miles; coal at \$3 a ton; light, 4½c.; and John J. McNamara, confessed dge. 10 and 10 per cent. Vancouver.—Steam and hydraulie; five weeks, after which they will be 17 miles; light, 11c. to 4c., with disgiven individual machines to operate.

count of 20 per cent; power, minimum charge of 2c. Victoria. — Steam and hydraulic; the 1,900 prisoners at San Quenting light, 13c. to 9c., with discount of 1c. gave the McNamaras more than pass per K. W.; power, 7c. to 2 c.

The cost of gas in various cities is as follows: Hamilton-Coal, \$3 per ton; gas, \$1

per 1,000. Seattle-Coal, \$2.90; gas, \$1.25 per 1,000, discount 20 and 20 per cent.

Calgary—Coal, \$2.62½ to \$4 per ton; gas, \$1.75 to \$1.35 per 1,000. gas, \$1.75 to \$1.35 per 1,000.

Winnipeg—Coal, \$3.50 per ton; gas, ers, but defending the course of organized labor in providing for the de

cent.
Spokane—Coal, \$4.50 per ton; gas. lieved to be innecent, have been adopt.

Mr. Ambery stated that the inspecdent Taft after he has a full report tions provided for in the Dominion law on the subject from the treasury and for efficiency and illuminating power were not now being made, it being explained that in consequence of the very general use of mantles it was not considered necessary. In regard to electric San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 12.—Mrs. light he referred to the very uncertain power supplied and the effect of this on mantles. The act, he said, prescrib-and Miss Eliza Clarke, a daughter, ed a current of 110 volts with a variaas painfully injured. The two women tion of not more than two volts either the struck by the runaway while way. Judging from the erratic manhey were walting for a street ear, ner in which lights acted in Victoria. President Smith, of the United Mine homas McDermott, aged 18, driver of this margin was widely exceeded, and Workers of America, district No. 16 the vehicle, was arrested and charged now that consumers were largely us, and other officials, a strike of 10,000 with manslaughter.

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This margin was which were largely us, and other officials, a strike of 10,000 ing Tungsten lamps, which were very coal miners in the Southern Colorado delicate and had to be paid for by fields is imminent because of dissatistics.

MINER, KILLED. that there should be a constant cur- under which they work. The Southern

dosion in the Emma mine at Oro The members of the council were not the Victor Fuel Company. conservation of electric light was been chosen to be a Bishop in another that while engaged in bulldozing a not increasing worked and only worked had only worked and only worked at the Emma a short time. He leaves at the Emma a short time. He leaves at the Emma a short time. He leaves at widow and large family.

TRAIN FALLS INTO RIVER.

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TRAIN FALLS INTO RIVER.

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WILL MEET AT CHICAGO. II Washington, D. C., Dec. 11. The re-sublican National Committee in ses-

for the place of the meeting of the Na. onal Republican convention to elect Results of the Provincial Elections Held in Ontario Yesterday

Regina, Sask., Dec. 12.—A sequel to long series of thefts in the C. P. R. a long series of thefts in the C. P. R. yards here occurred when Switchmen McAuley and Chirton were arrested. When their rooms were searched a car-When their rooms were searched a car-load of freight was found, including cases of light which are claimed to have been stolen by the men from the ained. The results, including mem hers returned by acclamation follow: Conservatives \$3: Liberals, 22: Labor-ites, 1; Conservative gains, 5; Liberal Sains 11

Conservatives.

Addington, Black, acclamation STOTAL STWO KILLED. Algoms, Griger, 725. Brant North, Westbrook, 150. Brant South, Brewster, 676. Brant South, Brewster, 676.
Brockville, Donovan, 600.
Carleton, McElroy, 600.
Durferin, McKeown, 200.
Durham East, Preston, acclamation Durham West, Devilt, 236.
Elgin East, Brewer, 500.
Elgin West, McDiarmid, 156.
Lesex North, Hop. J. A. Reaume, 500.
Essex South, Anderson, 312.
Fort William, Jarvis, 100.
Frontenac, Rankin, 350.
Grenville, Ferguson, acclamation.

Grenville, Ferguson, acclamation. Grey Centre, Hon. L. B. Lucas, 1,200 South, Dr. Jamleson, 340. Halton, Dr. Nixon, 235, Hamilton West, Hon, J. S. Hendrie, 500.

Hastings East, Grant, acclamation, Hastings North, Cook, acclamation.

Hastings West, Johnson, acclama Euron North, Musgrave, 210. Huron South, Eilber, 470. Kenora, Machin, 200. Kent West, Sulman, 910. Kingston, Ross, acclamation. Lambton West, Iion, W. J. Hanna,

Lanark North, Preston, acclamation. Lanark South, Hon. A. J. Matheson, Leeds, Dargavel, 200. Lennox, Cascallen, 7. Lincoln, Dr. Jessop, acclamation. London, Hon. Adam Beck, acclama-

Mantoulin, Gamey, 700 Middlesex North, McArthur, 50. Muskoka, Mahaffey, 900. Nipissing, Morel, 500. Norfolk South, Pratt, 359. Northumberland East, Nesbitt, 950. Ontario North, Hoyle, 650. Ottawa East, Champagne, 1,300. Ottawa West, Ellis, 250. Parry Sound, Gaina, 600. Peel, Charters, 700. Perth North, Torrance, 400. Perth South, Benneweiss, 180. Peterboro East, Thompson, 235. Port Arthur, Hogarth, 350. Prince Edward, Norman, 400.

Rainy River, Preston, 150. Renfrew North, Dunlop, acclamation. Renfrew South, McGarry, acclama-Sault Ste Marie, W. H. Hurst, acports had left the Victoria hotel in clamation. New York and was said to be follow-Simcoe Centre, Thompson, 97. The marshals office here will have

inits among the stripe-clad prisoners Toronto South (A.), Owens 1445.

Wellington South, Schofield, 700. Wellington West, Chambers, 225. Wentworth South, Regan 200. York East, McCowen, 550. York, North, Lennox, 800.

York West, Godfrey, 1,500.

Bruce Centre, McDonald, 98. Bruce North, Bowman, 135. Bruce Seuth, Anderson, 300. Glengarry, Munroe, 300. Grey North, McKay, 550. Haldimand, Kohler, 450. Huron Centre, Proudfoot, 150. Kent East, Ferguson 220. Lambton East, McCormick, 150. Middlesex East, Sutherland, 200. Middlesex West, Elliott; 400. Monck, Marshall, 230. Norfolk North, Atkinson, 800. Northumberland West, Clark, 350. Ontario South, Sinclair, 200. Oxford North, Newton Rowell, 500. Oxford Sauth, Mayberry 150. Prescott, Evanturel 250. Russell, Racine, 1,800. "Sturgeon Falls, Mageau, 100.
Wellington East, Richardson, 296.
Wentworth North, Dr. McQueen, 25.

Hamilton East, Stubholme, 500.

CANTON REPLIS

DELEGATE INSTRUCTED TO OPPOSE COMPROMISE

Chinese Six Companies Asked to Send Contributions to War Loan

with instructions to hold out firmly for of them limped to their seats. Canton by the Chung Sai Yat Po.

rebel government is sending a punitive soned escort. expedition to put down the pirates who

Simcoe East, Hartt, 359.
Simcoe South, Ferguson, acclamation.
Simcoe West, Hon. J. S. Duff, acclamation.
Stormont, Milligar, 250.
Sudbury, Macrae 1,500.
Toronto East (A.) R. A. Pyne, 2321.
Toronto East (B.) Whiteside, 1712.
Toronto North (A.) McNaught, 3530.
Toronto North (B.) Hon. J. J. Foy,
Toronto South (A.) Owens 1445.

The first instalment of \$25,000 was

Toronto South (B.), Gooderham, sent to Gov. Wu at Canton from here brooch. last Saturday.

Toronto West (A.), Hon. Thomas Crawford, 3527. Toronto West (B.), McPherson 3224. Victoria East, Mason, acclamation. Victoria West, Dr. Vrooman, 88. Waterlee North, Br. Lackner, 200. Waterlee North, Br. Lackner, 200. Waterlee South, Pattison, 700. Wellington South Schooleid, 700. Wellington South Schooleid, 700.

Spectacle at Durban Probably Never Surpassed in Modern Times-King-Emperor Will Donate Large Sum to Promote Popular Education.

Imperor and Empress of India.

The culminating act of the English nonarch's accession to the throne of British barracks, among which are

gifts would be made.

The interval of waiting was beguiled peror of India. by the playing of military music. Soldiers played a large part in the Durbar cities of India, a huddle of mean houses and the guard of honor was composed in mean streets, diversified with splenof 100 picked men and was drawn up did mosques. Chandni Chauk (silver before the central pavilion. Troops of street) was supposed to be the richest every arm of the service surrounded street in the world at one time. Durthe fete in a compact mass and lines of ing the course of its history it was four soldiers extended along the route of times sacked and its roadway has many royal approach.

A band of old soldiers, veterans of abode of jewelers and ivory workers of San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 12.—The forms, strove to keep up a show of military formation as they marched to is the Jama Masjid or Great Mosque, its delegate, Hui Fung Kap. to-day, the private places allotted them. Many erected in 1648-1650 by Shah Jahan. Almost immediately the vice-regal and inlaid with marble and is 450 feet

Shanghai, which he is to attend, ac- guard. The Viceroy and Lady Har- of the walls and roof are lined. cording to a dispatch received from by blooded horses with outriders uniformed in scarlet and gold. The thun-Hui has been forbidden to make any der of the imperial salute announced the approach of the Emperor and Emcompromise with the imperial govern- the approach of the Emperor and Emment that would stand in the way of press. Drawn by four magnificent ceeded with rapidity from 1749. Sindthe republic.

The dispatch also states that the hidden from view by its gaily-capari- king was Shah Alam, son of Alamgis

have terrorized the rebels. A clash purple, a surcoat of purple with white with £120,000 sterling per annum. have terrorized the rebels. A clash took place recently between the soldiers and a robber band on the Suey Hoy river, where many junks have been plundered, with the result that ten of the robbers were killed and a number of others captured and put to death.

The followed and then came the mutiny. Orders of the Garter and the Star of India, and also with the star of the latter order. The imperial crown consisted of a band of diamonds, studded with large emerging and samples.

The first instalment of \$25,000 was tent to Gov. Wu at Canton from here ast Saturday.

The first instalment of \$25,000 was diamond and emerald necklace and brooch.

Carriage after carriage with mem-bers of the suite followed the imperial pair. The guard presented arms and the band burst into the royal anthem. The combined processions proceeded the great central tent, where Their Majestles stood to receive the homage and congratulations of the governors, ruling princes and other representa-

tives of British India When this gorgeously-uniformed line had filed past, the imperial and viceregal parties appeared before the vast assemblage in the Durbar amphitheatre. Vancouver, Dec. 12.—Subsequent to When they took their seats on the the coroner's inquest into the death crimson dais the strains of the Na- last month of Jane Abercromble, Chief tional Anthem were heard and every-one stood silent. A pretty group was arranged around the four thrones of Abercromble last evening on suspicion the Emperor and Empress, the viceroy of murdering his wife at their home and the vicerine, at the back of which near Edmonds. the imperial and vice-regal staffs and the imperial cadet corps, composed entirely of youthful princes and scions of princely families formed in rank. The November 17 and the morning of first formal act of the ceremony was November 18, 1911, by suffocation, and performed by the foreign secretary, the evidence submitted to us throws who advanced to the dais and asked the suspicion on Sam Abercrombie." permission of the Emperor to open the Durbar. At his signal a long roll from Steveston jail, where he will come bethe drums and a thrilling call from the fore the police magistrate for trial. bugles were sounded, followed by a Nine witnesses were examined by triumphant peal of music from the Coroner Jeffs, sessions being held yesbands. Then a note from the heralds' terday afternoon and evening. During silver trumpets rang out plainly.

The City of Delhi. Delhi is the ancient capital of the of the memory of some of the wit-Mogul empire in India. It lies in the nesses who contradicted statements southeast corner of the province of they had made before. Punjab, to which it was added about 1858, and abuts on the right bank of the river Jumna. Modern Delhi dates only from the middle of the 17th cen- Toronto, Dec. 12.—Medical and other a half miles along the right bank of the river Jumna, nearly one third of Said Dr. Struthers, chief medical inthe frontage being occupied by the spector of city schools, yesterday: "One river wall of the palace. The northern out of every 367 in this province is in-wall, famous in the slege of Delhi in sane, About one-eighth of the total 1857, extends three-quarters of a mile expenditure of the provincial governfrom the water bastion to the Shah or ment is for the insane.

Mori bastion... The wall from that "It is given for a fact that at least bastion to the Ajmere gate is one and one-half of the number of cases of in-a quarter miles, and from the south saniay in this province could have been wall back to the starting point about avoided had the patients received the same distance, making the enclos- proper care in childhood," concluded ing wall of the city 51/2 miles. The Dr. Struthers.

Delhi, Dec. 12.-King George V. and Lord Lake in 1808, and its strength Queen Mary were proclaimed to-day was turned against the British in the The imperial palace (1638-1648) is

his vast India dominions took place scattered exquisite germs of Oriental amfd a scene which for richness of architecture. One of its famous buildcolor and magnificence of decorations ings is the Diwan-i-am (hall of public probably never has been surpassed in with chunam and overlaid with gold. modern times.

The crowning was followed by an act of generosity on the King-Emperor's part, of which a slight hint had been given.

The viceroy proclaimed that the King-Emperor was to donate a large sum of money to promote popular education, and that further handsome gifts would be made.

with chunam and overlaid with gold. The Peacock throne used to stand in the recess in the building, and was so called from having the figures of two peacocks standing behind it, their talls being expanded and so inlaid with sapphires, rubies, emeralds, pearls and other preclous stones of appropriate colors as to represent life. The throne and the peacocks were valued by Tavernier, the French jeweler who saw Tavernier, the French jeweler who saw The huge amphitheatre in the Durbar it in 1665, at \$30,000,000. The throne The huge amphitheatre in the Durbar was thronged from an early hour. The sparkling gems and bright apparel of the many Indian princes and the smart uniforms of the soldiers contrasted strongly with the white dresses of the European women and the sober garb of civilian officials. The great feudatory princes and rulers of India, with the leading British officials, occupied seats of honor near the pavilion, located in the centre. proclamation of Edward VII. as Em-

times run with blood. It is now the

The front court is paved with granite a Chinese republic at the general con-stitutional convention to be held at a brilliantly-uniformed native body-Many Oriental relics of Delhi were

> The city has a population of over 200, When Lord Lake overthrew the The Emperor wore a robe of imperial Mahrattas rule this king was pensioned

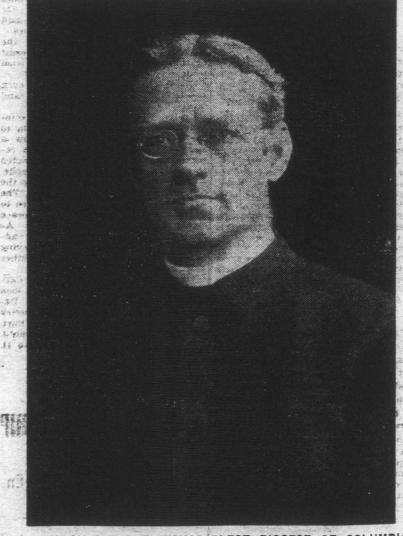
CORONER'S INQUEST

Woman Who Was Found Dead Near Edmonds Believed to Have Been Murdered

the trial the coroner was forced to remark several times on the shortness

INSANITY IN ONTARIO.

tury, when it was rebuilt by Shah circles are alarmed over the statistics Jahan. It extends for nearly two and for the insane in Ontario for the past



Phoenix, Dec. 11.—Tom Williams, a rent to prevent their untimely wearing coalfields are operated chiefly by the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company and REV. JOHN CHAS. ROPER, BISHOP ELECT DIOCESE OF COLUMBIA.

Denoro. The information at hand is satisfied with the official explanation "The strike has been imminent for that the faraway diocese of British at the time with the American church that, the inspection of electric light was several months," said President Smith Columbia should choose as its Bishop in another hat while engaged in bulldozing a not necessary now that mantles were to day, "and while we are doing all we

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THE ONTARIO ELECTIONS.

Incomplete returns from the province of Ontario show an appreciable in- stand we took on the immediate quescrease in the strength of the Liberal tion we discussed. opposition, and small as this increase is it is not wholly without significance. Following so soon after the demoralization of the Liberals in the federal elections, it must be conceded that in pointed by the Mayor to inquire into Ontario they reconstructed their line of the high cost of living in Victoria reattack and dealt an effective blow at veals little that was not already he fortifications of the strongly en- known, and we doubt whether it will trenched government of Sir James will have any considerable effect in Whitney. There have been three bye- remedying the conditions it exposes. elections in Great Britain, at which During the late Dominion election the Unionists have reclaimed the seats campaign the Times pointed out the Address Presented to Her and Unionist papers have not been tendency of business affairs in Vicslow to see in these events the prog- toria and maintained that there was nosis of the fall of the Liberal gov- but one possible effective check-the ernment.

We do not go so far in our inference trade barriers. Our contention was from the results in Ontario Monday. met by the grotesque argument that There were many handicaps under the higher the cost of living the betwhich the Liberals had to contest the ter for the community in general, as of leadership. The former leader suf- wages of workmen were more than fered from the laying of a fake charge correspondingly meagre. The advice of in the courts. The complaint made the Times was rejected, and the penwas one which Mr. McKay thought ple in general have been "left." We involved his personal honor, and he are not complaining at all. We are read as follows: could not force his political enemies to not casting a stone at any individual bring the matter into the courts. He, or institution or interest. The factherefore, pressed his resignation, and tors in the fiscal situation have mere Mr. Rowell had to assume the leader- ly found out after many years the ship, an untried general of the forces, possibilities of that situation and are He did well and must be congratulat- taking the advantage which anyone ed. The elections being over, it may else would take under similar cirbe presumed that the suit against Mr. cumstances. In the case of Victoria McKay will now be dropped. All seems the field of operations is narrow, and fair in war and politics.

ridings, where the French-Canadian But there is a moral which it might vote predominates, the Conservatives be well for all interested in the future held their ground. It would appear that of Victoria to take into account and the hierarchy regards the line of least consider well. This is a residential city. resistance for the present as through It is, in fact, the residential city of the the dominance of the Tory party, northern coast. Hundreds of men en-Again the lion and the lamb have lain gaged in business elsewhere maintain down together, with the lion inside of their families here because of the clithe lamb.

cept from a party standpoint, that curable at a relatively lower rate than should cause gratification because in any other city of the west. The "Ontario and British Columbia" are fact has for some time been apparent Conservative strongholds. The country that one of our attractions or assets

THE BRITISH BORN.

Only a month ago the Times took occasion to criticise a proposal which found sincere support in a British journal well known in the west and properly dignifying both itself and its mission with the name "Canada." The proposal made was to considerably statistics children in England to Canada under the patronage of a projected Royal

the last number at hand says: one of the results of the promised but still unappointed Royal Commission to enquire into the resources of the province, "British," had been of more significance than one would at first best of the two names of the Harry Poley, the San Francisco prospect to the two names of the Harry Poley, the San Francisco prospect to the two names of the Harry Poley, the San Francisco prospect to the two names of the Harry Poley, the San Francisco prospect to the two names of the province, "British," had been of more significance than one would at first best of the two names of the Harry Poley, the San Francisco prospect to the two names of the Harry Poley to the San Francisco prospect to the two names of t the Empire might be the formulation of an Imperial emigration policy; and in this connection we referred with connection we referred with the term un-favour to the idea of emigrating Poor der consideration. These significant their author, to get a clearer vision, Law children at an early age. Our their author, to get a clearer vision, because the propositions were put before them Flynn together fails, Foley will try to per bex; Nanaimo, \$1.10 a box; Scattle, propositions were put before them Flynn together fails, Foley will try to per bex; Nanaimo, \$1.10 a box; Scattle, propositions were put before them Flynn together fails, Foley will try to per bex; Nanaimo, \$1.10 a box; Scattle, propositions were put before them Flynn together fails, Foley will try to per bex; Nanaimo, \$1.10 a box; Scattle, propositions were put before them Flynn together fails, Foley will try to per bex; Nanaimo, \$1.50 to \$2.25 a box.

Figures are surely worthy of the atproval of a Victoria paper called the tention of a government which con- are helrs, we are indebted to you and and had often plunged headlong into anxious for another fight, with the Daily Times. We suspect that its ducted its late election campaign on to you alone. criticism is mainly inspired by a desire the slogan, "Let us have no truck or to 'crab' the Imperialism of the new trade with the United States." The Before large assemblies and distinto 'crab' the Imperialism of the new government, but we will not inquire Liberal party of Canada—and the roblest Queen gave to this city the too closely into that. The point is Conservative party of Canada too up name it is proud to hear, you have de-appointed to see that, no unsound this: Canada wants emigrants, wants till the present year-had always main- livered your message, and told of the this: Canada wants emigrants, wants the present year—had always many them by the hundred thousand, wants tained that the natural market for beauty of this western land. Nor did the scenic beauty of this western land. Nor did them by the hundred thousand, wants that the hundred thousand, wants them of a type which will readily as- Canada, for reasons that are obvious you forget to recount, and dwell upon, similate the essentials of Canadian cit. and because of facts which are stubizenship. If British children satisfy born, was the market of ninety mil- and in which we are privilized to live. these conditions it is the business of lions or more extending across our Therefore, we welcome you on your Canada to see that they do not all go southern border from the Atlantic to return with unfeighed pleasure, indeed, Canada to see that they do not all go southern border from the Atlantic to we should be recreant to our duty if we to Australia. Further, we desire to the Pacific. Nothwithstanding tariff falled to recognize the service you have protest against this perpetual tend- obstructions this trade has grown at rendered to this city, to the province ency to sneer at the British emigrant, the rate of over five million dollars a and to the whole Dominion. He is infinitely superior to the Rus- month, and will continue to grow in In this distinction you have achieved sian, the Pole, or the Italian, smarter a ratio corresponding to our prosper- at home and abroad, you will permit sian, the Pole, or the Italian, smarter than the German, steadier than the ity. On the other hand, trade with to express the hope that you may be Scandinavian, and more honest than Great Britain, for reasons which are spared many years to devote your en-

and are sorry that the criticism of the States, shows a comparatively insignary win even greater renown in the project which we put forward was so in the article referred to to "crab" leading Conservative orators only a the Corporation of Victoria, this 13th ment. (The slang is new to us.) There United States were permitted to inare plenty of occasions, and there will crease annexation must inevitably folbe more arising, to do that as even low. As trade is growing at the rate

The subject of Poor Law child im-The subject of Poor Law child im-a government which stands for "no white carnations to Miss Cameron, Landon Dec. 14.—Mrs. dames Jones migration is delicate and the condimigration is delicate and the condi-tions in Canada and Australia are entirely different. Canadians who

truck or trade" to step it. Tariff walls simple manner, saying that the could her ticket and was required to leave tion of the details in the accompanying entirely different. Canadians who

cannot do this. Experience has de-hardly use the stereotyped opening the train here. She was without money report show how everything has adhave studied the immigration prob- monstrated that proposition. Perhaps to an address in public by saying that and became so despondent that, enterlems of the Dominion at close range Hon. Col. Sam Hughes might solve she was unused to speaking before a ing the baggage room, she stabled increase in wages, which in many callknow something of the history of the problem. Either he or a real large audience; since leaving here two herself to death with a pocket knife. know something of the history of Chinese wall "as high as Haman's Chan 250 public lectures. At the same M. ARTHUR STAP many sincere attempts which have been made to "settle" handicapped Britishborn children in this country. They, have not yielded encouraging results.
The fault is as much in the character of Canadian people who have accepted such proteges as in the proteges as in the proteges them
set to 45 cents per the same to 45 cents per the condition to the same to 45 cents per the condition selves, and when two such impossibles ferential trade must logically be an "bumps," and if she had had them

Published every Tuesday and Friday by Times had in mind in its criticism and some effect in lessening trade with Hill Park, which had pointed to a published every Tuesday and Friday by Times had in mind in its criticism and some effect in lessening trade with Hill Park, which had pointed to a our reflection that such a project must the United States and the process of brilliant career. For that matter, she demand the utmost care in carrying annexation which, according to Tory was not at the present time a gen out had as much application to Can-adian conditions as to the helpless and ing rate. Is there any chance of the unsophisticated children who would loyal government now in power inbecome the victims of such conditions. creasing the British preference?

parisons instituted in the quotation refer them to the Finance Minister, we make, it is not germane to the who is in the government as a reprecase and had no right to be brought sentative of the Canadian trusts. into such a discussion. Our Canand no apology is necessary for the stand we took on the immediate quesadian readers knew what we meant,

COST OF LIVING.

The report of the commissioners apremoval, to some extent at least, of

the consequences are more pro-It is significant that in the eastern nounced and apparent. That is all. matic attractions and because in the There is nothing in the situation, ex- past the necessaries of life were proas a whole is not to be congratulated. has taken unto itself wings. This is a matter the board of trade might dewote some attention to if it were not engaged so largely in passing lauda-

TRADE AND LOYALTY.

Some very interesting and instructive

tory resolutions.

increase the emigration of Poor Law nance department at Ottawa. The trade returns of Canada for the late financial commission. Our criticism was not year show our business with our imwell received by "Canada," which in mediate neighbors to the south during that period were the largest in the tion and research, and that neither its authorities would see that this im-"Some time ago we suggested that history of the country-\$413,812,003,

nificant growth.

mistakenly received. We had no desire The people of Canada were told by hereto our signatures and the seal of the Imperialism of the new govern- few months ago that if trade with the day of December, 1911. "Canada" will in time come to ad- of over five million dollars a month, the process of annexation must be proceeding, and it must be the duty of ed a beautiful basket of crimson and

RECOGNITION FOR SP' SNDID SERVICES

Mayor at Alexandra Club Last Evening

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Dear Miss Cameron: It is with spe cial pleasure that we extend to you the hand of welcome and felicitation at this time. Not as a visitor nor as a stranger, whom we have met for the irst time, do we accord you welcome, but rather as one of ourselves, who, for a brief space, has withdrawn from us, and has returned bearing the stamp honor and distinction, which her own unaided endeavors, and the ac-

claim of older lands have given her. From infancy to womanhood you have been associated with the developnent and intellectual life of this city Those who had the pleasure of your more intimate acquaintance in your early years knew that you possessed mind independent and unfettered in its action by the limitations of conventional thought, and bespoke for you future in which your abilities would play a conspicuous part. In your earlier contributions to the literature of the time, they did not fail to note certain originality of sentiment, and treatment of the subject in hand, which marked the expression of your ideas. Buds of promise they were no doubt, but betokening that beneath the mellowing influence of time and ripening culture they would expand into flowers of rare attractiveness and beauty. Flashing, like sparks heated in the brain, the sentences in which you expressed your thoughts never failed to arrest attention and awaken interest; intences they are, in which one wonlothed, or the vein of humor that, like silver thread, illumined and embel-

lished the setting of the theme. dangers, nor the discomforts of primitive means of travel, could deter you

But your labors did not end here.

quite as obvious as the reasons for the ergy and ability to the work you have increase of business with the United so auspiciously begun, and that you years that are to come.

On behalf of the citizens we affix A. J. MORLEY.

Mayor. W. J. DOWLER, Clerk of the Municipal Council. Miss Cameron's Reply.

After his address, the mayor hand-

are thrown together the results are increase in the British preference. they had not been discovered; there disastrous to both. That was what the Raising that preference might have was certainly nothing about her as a

As for "Canada's" protest against If there are any loyal and deluded a few of the women of the city were "the perpetual tendency to sneer at Tories in British Columbia who be singled out for distinction and public honor; there were three others whom the British emigrant" and the com- lieve in such a possibility, we can but she would like to have seen, at any rate, recognized in similar manner for their brilliant work along this and other lines. There were Miss G. C. where they studied diligently and passthat they appreciated the value of such talent and encourage them to stay cable.

had forever lost the idea of the Eng- line from Montreal to Vancouver. lish as a stiff and uncordial people; everywhere she had some she had been welcomed as a Canadian, the very name seeming to open the hearts of the people to her. She had found Victorians everywhere she had gone, and had had some curious evidences of their ubiquity. On the occasion of the last anniversary of Nelson's birthday, when flowers are sent from all ment. Death consists in Being Faten Mis Agnes Deans Cameron was over the world to decorate the monu- by your environment. A gamboling conored by the people of her native ment in Trafalgar Square, she and dog, gay in the sunshine, is alive; be election. One of these was the change where the cost of living was low the city last evening when a large number her neice had gone around to look at attended the civic reception tendered the wreathes fastened to the rings. The o her at the Alexandra Club. A fear very first one which they examined ture of the evening was the presenta- to their surprise, bore a card from the tion of an address by the mayor on Navy League, Esquimalt, Going a little behalf of the citizens of Victoria, which further they came to a tribute from Salt Spring Island: and still further on they found Cowichan Lake represented. None of these cards bore the name of the province, not even of the Dominion, and she felt that it was a

> personal message which had been sent to them alone. When she went to England, Miss Cameron knew no one. She carried two letters of introduction which she never used, yet everywhere she went

she was feted and welcomed. In lecturing before such a distinguished organization as the Royal Geographical Society, Miss Cameron Salic law of the society forbade it. back to your original atoms.

However, she was glad to be able to The universe wants to be eaten; for their work recognized in

Dominion has for English people, she demanding to be devoured and as-referred to the statement of the Duke similated. The huge design of Nature forge, and hurled from the anvil of the of Argyll that the centre of the em- is to develop your personality; only pire would be within the next ten years so can you repay her. in the wheat fields of Canada, and that Even God asks not that you be British Columbia would then occupy a swallowed up in Him; that is Buddhdoubly prominent position in the Do- ism. Christianity is just, the opcers which to admire most, the vigor of thought they revealed, the striking educational facilities. But this was not drink my blood ye have no life in you." cwt.: Vancouver \$1.25 per cwt.; Nana-resture in which that thought was vesture in which that thought was all that she should be content with She should see that her schools were kept up; the fact that the university was being built at another place should Nor is it to be wondered that your not deter Victoria from having a strong and self-reliant spirit should splendid high school with modern have soight the untrodden wilds of the equipments and a first class staff of great northland as a field of explora- efficient teachers. She haped that the

provement was carried out. would not only be fair to the British gress for some time. capitalist, but to the reputation of our province, if some committee could be appointed to see that no unsound stocks were put forward for speculation

After the applause which greeted Mige To meronie addings had enhelded His Worship the Mayor made presentations of flowers to the two other guests of the evening Miss Muriel Hall and Miss Marguerite Thly. Miss Gladys Spencer, who was to have been the rechient of a similar token, was absent COMPARATIVE COST in Vancouver and consequently unable o be present.

Hon. A. E. McPhillips. The Hon. A. E. McPhillips, M. P. P. speaking for the government, sai work done by Miss Cameron, and that she typified the advance being made by women of the present day, not only in exploration and letters, but in other fields. Miss Cameron had not only per formed a service to this province, but to Canada as a whole, and her work had redounded to the credit of every-one in the Dominion. Miss Cameron will give a lecture

her talk with lantern pictures. VOMAN ENDS LIFE.

-levator.

On an occasion of this sort, said Miss British Postmaster General Replies to Questions in House of Commons

London, Dec. 14. - Postmaster-Gened successfully some of the most dif- barking upon a large capital expendit Sunlight, Victoria, wholesale \$4.10 lb.; Seattle, wholesale 10 to 14 cent ficult examinations in that subject; ture or annual committments involved per 100 bars, retail 25 cents 21/2 lbs., or retail 10 to 14 cents. also Miss Carr who had studied paint- in the laying of the state owned cable. five cakes; Vancouver, wholesale, \$4.15 hig and had had the distinction of Archer Shee asked if the postmaster per 100 bars, retail 25 cents for five lib. wholesale; 12 1-2 to 25 cents per lawing two of her pictures hung in the was aware that Canadian railway telecakes; Nanaimo, retail 25 cents for lib. retail; Vencouver, retail, 14 to 18 Paris Salon. It would be a pity, she graph facility was not controlled by three cakes; Nanaimo, retail 25 cents per lb.; Nanaimo, retail, 16 cents per lb.; Nanaimo, retail, 16 cents per lb.; Seattle, wholesale, \$4.15 per lb.; Seattle, wholesale, \$4.00 per lb.; Seattle, \$4.00 per lb.; Seattle, wholesale, \$4.00 per lb.; Seattle, wholesale, \$4.00 per lb.; Seattle, \$4.00 per l ladies to leave them simply for the company, but was fighting them in want of recognition; they should show fact. Now was our opportunity to ar- \$4.80 per 100 bars, retail 25 cents, 2½ or Mr. Samuel replied that the Pacific

IDEAS OF A PLAIN MAN BY DR. FRANK CRANE

Life consists in Eating your environ

cause he is a gallon, ing water: he is these three elements and making dog, of them A dead dog, by the roadside, is \$1.35 per sack. dead because the air. heat and moisture of the umphing over his spent life-force: he has ceased to eat, and is being eaten.

Even so it is in the subtler realm of always understood that it was an es- are losing your individuality and besential part of the membership that coming a figure among figures, you esearch work; this, however, she your nation, your political party, your tall 4% cents per pound. found was not so, and added to the church, your club, your family, to disappointment which she felt at this make more Jones, you are living. But disillusion was the dashing of her hope if you are fading into the general gray, that she might become a marker. The that she might become a member. The you are dead, and are being reduced

say that the Lyceum Club were form- that purpose it created you. The only tail 50 cents for three packages. ing a branch in geographical research purpose of books is that their conheroes, great men of former time and tail 31/2 cents per lb.; Nanaimo retall In speaking of the interest which the inspired souls of to day, come to you 34 cents per pound; Seattle retail sale to cents; retail 10 cents; Nanai

JOHNSON VS. FLYNN?

Foley Proposes to Have Champion Meet Flynn Despite Jack's Alleged Retirement

lieve in attracting the investors of the Pueblo fireman; in a fight here this naimo, \$1.35 per cwt.; Seattle, ditto. heritage to which the people of Canada said, "British: that must be all right"! tween Flynn and Al Kaufman, who is investments which were thoroughly Pueblo man Negotiations for the cents a sack; Seattle, \$1.50 a crate. unsound. Miss Cameron thought it Flynn-Kaufman fight have been in pro-

IN FOUR COAST CITIES

Situation of the Householder in Relation to Trade

of the ladies' committee who examined Vancouver, cost of cow, \$75 a month on into the high prices of living in the feed and labor, \$10 a month; mils, 30 Monday evening in the Alexandra Club, city, and prepared comparative tables cents a gallon wholesale, and 40 cents telling of her travels and illustrating of the four cities of Victoria, Vancouver. Nanalme and Seattle, proves more conclusively that the citizens are pay- feed and labor, \$14 a month; milk, 60 ing inflated prices for their com-cents a gallon retail. modifies than even the comment by the committee liself on the result of their feed and labor, \$8 a month; milk, 30 vanced out of all proportion with the ings are stationary or lower than they h.: Vancouver, wholesale, 25 to 30 were in the boom days.

buill bear examination, but are cents per doz.; Vancouver,

ather material for editorial comment than in news columns. In only one Seattle, 50 cents. Seattle also quotes ase the schedule shows the wholesal- a wholesale price at 41 cents a doz. ers refused information, and that was Packed eggs; Victoria, wholesale, connection with coal, which is a cents a doz.; retail, 33 to 36 cents ery decided opinions.

The small fruit appears to have been attle, wholesale, 30 cents a doz.; relail taken at the average price of the sum-The small fruit appears to have been Nanaimo, retail, 35 cents a doz.; some peculiar features, notably in the case of parsnips. The schedule follows; Groceries.

\$5.75 per 100 bars; retail 25 cents 21/4 Nanaimo, retail, 10 to 22 cents: lbs, or three cakes; Vancouver, whole- attle, wholesale 10 to 11 cents per sale, \$6.75 per hundred bars, retail 25c. retail, 8 to 18 cents per pound for three cakes; Nanaimo, retail 25. Veal, Victoria, 12 1-2 to 20 Pope and Miss Dier, who have both eral Samuel, replying to questions in for three cakes; Nanaimo, retail 25 Veal, Victoria, 12 1-2 to 20 center returned to the city after studying the House of Commons, said that view-cents for three cakes; Seattle, whole-per lb. wholesale; 15 to 25 cents per lb. retail: Vancouver, retail 17 centers lb. retail: Vancouver, retail 18 centers lb. retail: vancouver, retail: retail: vancouver, retail: retail: vancouver, retail: retail: vancouver, retail: retail: retail: retail: retail: retail: re years in Germany, ing all circumstances, the govern-sale, 14.25 per 100 bars, retail 5 cents a lb. retail; Vancouver, retail, 17 cent per lb.; Nanaime, retail, 18 cents per lb.; Nanaime, reta

> White Swan, Victoria, wholesale per lb.; retail, 8 1-2 to 15 cents per li range through traffic for the Pacific six cakes; Vancouver, wholesale, \$4.80 per lb. wholesale; 25 to 35 cents per per 144 bars, retail 25 cents for six cents per lb.; retail, 18 cents per lb.;

> > retail 5 cents per pound. Sugar, first grade, Victoria wholesale 36.55 per cwt., retail 74 cents; Vanconver 19 1-2 cents, wholesale, 23 Vancouver wholesale \$6.45 per cwt., recents retail; Nanaimo, retail, 25 to 30 tail 7% cents per lb: Nanaimo, retail 7% cents per lb.; Seattle, wholesale \$6.10 per cwt., 5 cents a pound retail.

Coal oil, Victoria wholesale \$2.50 a case, 10 gallons, retail 30 to 35 cents a cents per lb. wholesale; 18 to 25 ce gallon; Vancouver ditto; Nanutmo, re-retail: Vancouver, wholesale, 12 1. tail 30 to 35 cents a gallon; Seattle wholesale \$1.65 per case, retail 25 cents retail 18 to 22 cents; Seattle, whole

Flour, No. 1, Victoria wholesale 37.10 breathing air, ab per barrel, retail \$1.90 per sack; Van-cents per lb.; retail 17 to 25 cents couver wholesale \$6.80 per barrel, re- Vancouver 19 1-2 cents wholesale; heat, and drink tall \$1.85 a sack; Nanaimo retail \$2 per cents, retail; Nanaimo, retail 23 cen sack; Seattle wholesale \$4.80 a barrel, per lb.; Seattle, 18 1-2 cents wholesa laying hold of retail \$1.50 per sack.

Flour, No. 2, Victoria wholesale \$6.20 per barrel, retail \$1.75 per sack; Van- also other quality 30 to 35, wholesa couver ditto; Nanaimo retail \$1.90 per 23 to 25 cents retail; Vancouver 18 1 sack; Seattle \$4.75 per barrel, retail cents wholesale, 23 cents retail; N

wholesale ditto, retail \$1.10 per bushel; universe are tri- Nanalmo, retail, 214 cents per pound; Seattle retail 85 cents per bushel. Bread. Victoria retail 6% cents per retail: Nanaimo 20 cents per lb. one pound loaf; Vancouver retail 5 attle, wholesale 11 cents per lb.; retail cents ditto; Nanaimo 61/2 cents ditto; 12 1-2 to 15 cents per 1b. Seattle 4 to 5 cents ditto.

Cereals, rolled oats, Victoria wholehad experience rather a disappoint- spirits. If your social surroundings sale \$3.20 per 80-lb. sack, retail 31/2 to 4 ment. Before this, she said, she had are making you resemble them, if you cents per lb.; Vancouver wholesale \$2.65 per 80-lb, sack, retail 5 cents per lb.; Nanaimo, retail, 5 cents a pound; Sethe members should do some original are ceasing to be. If you are using attle wholesale \$2.20 per 49-lb sack, re-Ditte cream of what, Victoria whole-

\$5.85 per case, retail 20 cenuts a pack-per 1b. age: Seattle wholesale \$5.50 a case, re-Ditto corn meal, Victoria wholesale which would admit, woman, and tents pass into your mind and be di- \$2.50 per cwt., retail 3% cents a pound; through this some might hope to have gested; and teachers and saints and Vancouver, wholesale \$2.50 per cwt., re-

> Vegetables. Potatoes, Victoria wholesale \$30 a ton, retail \$1.15 to \$1.40 per cwt.; Van- retail, 12.1-2 cents; Vancouver, whole couver wholesale \$22 a ton, retail \$1.10 sale, 8 cents; retail, 10 cents; Nanalto \$1.50 per ewt.: Nanaimo, retail \$1.75 mo, retail 12 1-2 cents: Scattle to \$2 per cwt.; Seattle wholesale \$25 a wholesale, 8 cents; retail, 10 cents.

> cwt.; Vancouver \$1.25 per cwt.; Nana- retail, \$6.50 to \$7.50 a ton; Vancouver Turnips, retail, Victoria, \$2 per cwt.; retail, \$6.50 a load, and Welling-Vancouver, 75c. to \$1 per cwt.; Na-ton, \$8.50 a ton. naimimo, \$1.25; Seattle, \$1.

per cwt.; Vancouver, \$1.50 to \$3 per a cord. Seattle, \$5 to \$6 a cord. cwt.; Nanaimo, \$2.75 per crate; Scattle, \$2 to \$2.25 per cwt. San Francisco, Dec. 14.—Despite the Cabbage, retail, Victoria, \$2 to \$3 per Victoria, 4 to 6 roomed house, \$20 reported retirement of Jack Johnson, cwt.; Vancouver, \$1 per cwt.; Nanaime, \$35 a month; increase in five years

Parsnips, retail, Victoria, \$3 per month; increase of 75 to 100 per cent Fruit.

Apples, retail, Victoria, \$1.50 to \$2.50 Pears, retall, Victoria, \$1.75 a box; 300 per cent.; Nanalmo, \$75 a month

Plums, retail, Victoria, \$1 to \$1.35 a rate of 24 lbs.; Vancouver, \$1.20 a box; Nanaimo, \$1 per 20-lb. box; Seattle, 75 Vancouver, 20 mills; Nanaimo, 32 to 85 cents a crate. Raspberries, retail, Victoria, \$2

o 15 cents a pound; Seattle, \$1.75 to \$1.90 per crate. Strawberries, retail, Victoria, \$1.75 to \$2,25 per crate; Vancouver, \$1.75 to \$2.25 per crate: Nanalmo, 10 to 15 cents Ib.: Seattle, \$1.35 to \$1.75 per crate. Oranges, retail, Victoria, 25 to 50 ents a doz.: Vancouver, 20 to 25 cents doz.; Nanaimo, 35c a doz.; Seattle, 5 cents a doz.

Bananas, retail, Victoria, 35 cents loz.; Vancouver, 4 to 5 cents per 16.; Nanalmo, 35 to 40 cents doz.; Seattle 4. to 5 cents Th. Lemons, retail, Victoria, 35 cents that they all recognized the splendid Striking Figures Demonstrate doz; Vancouver, 25 to 30 cents doz. Nanaimo, 35 to 40 cents doz.; Seattle, ditto.

> Victoria, cost of cow \$85 a month feed and labor, \$15.56 per month; milk, 27 cents a gallon wholesale, and retail, The schedule attached to the report 40 cents a gallon. retail.

> > Nanaimo, cost of cow, \$75 a month Senttle, cost of cow, \$75 a month cents a gallon wholesale; 40 cents retail. Butter and Farm Produce.

Butter. Victoria, wholesale, 28 to 4 cents per th.; retail, 30 to 50 cents per cents per lb.; retail, 27 to 33 cents per As might have been expected, Nanaimo has the advantage of the other D.; Seattle, wholesale, 30 cents per D.;

oduct about which householders have doz. Vancouver, wholesale, 32½ cents a doz. retail, 33 to 35 cents a doz.

Beef, Victoria, wholesale, 7 to cents per 1b.; retail 10 to 25 cent 1b.; Vancouver, wholesale, 10 Soap, Naptha, Victoria wholesale, per lb.; retail, 10 to 20 cents per per lb.; Nanaimo, retail, 18 cents per

Mutton, Victoria, 8 to 20 cents per Lamb, Victoria, 17 to 22 1-2 cents lb. retail; Vancouver, wholesale cakes; Nanaimo, retail 25 cents for six Nanaimo, retail, 16 cents per lb.; In her visit to the Old Country she cable board had already leased its own cakes; Seattle, wholesale \$6.10 per cwt., attle, retail, 15 cents per 10.;

Fowl, Victoria, 17 to 25 cents per b., wholesale; retail 20 to 30 cents: cents per lb.; Seattle, wholesale. cents per 1b.; retail 18 to 25 cents

Pork Victoria 12 1-2 cents to cents: retail 18 to 22 cents: Nanaim sale 12 1-2 cents; retail 12 to 22 cent Ham, Victoria, wholesale, 15 to 2

30 cents retail. Bacon, Victoria, imported 20

naimo retail. 23 cents per lb : Seattle Wheat, Victoria wholesale \$36 per wholesale, 25 1-2 cents per lb.; refail ton, retail \$2.10 per cwt.; Vancouver 26 cents per pound. Lard. Victoria, 10 to 18 cents wh

sale: 15 to 20 cents retail; Vancon 10 to 14 cents, wholesale; 16 1-2

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Cod, Victoria, wholesale, 6 cents retail 10 cents: Vancouver, wholesale cents, retail, 12 1-2 cents; Nanaimo retail 8 cents: Seattle, wholesale, 6 1-2 cents: retall 8 to 12 cents. Herring, Victoria, wholesale, 4 cents

etail 8 1-2 cents; Vancouver, whole mo retail 6 cents: Seattle, retail 10 cents a dozen. Smelts, Victoria, wholesale, 7 cents

Fuel. Coal. Victoria, wholesale, \$4 to \$4.58

Onions, retail, Victoria, \$1.75 to \$2 Wood, retail, Victoria, \$5.50 a cord; Nanaimo, \$5.50

150 per cent.; Vancouver, \$20 to \$45 one-third per cent.; Seattle, \$12 to \$18 being 15 to 20 per cent lower Stores. Victoria, \$150 to \$200 a month, an

crease of 200 per cents Vancous \$300 to \$1,000 per month; increase Vancouver, \$1.30 per box; Nanaimo, 60 doubled in 5 years; Seattle, \$30 to \$3 per month per foot. No increase Taxes On the dollar-Victoria, 24 mil

mills: Seattle, 33.5 mills. Interest on mortgage investment crate; Vancouver, ditto; Nanaimo, 10 Victoria, 7 to 8 per cent.; Vancouver ditto: Nanaimo. 8 to 9 per cent. an Seattle, 5 to 8 per cent. Lumber. Puget Sound mills, rough comm

\$7.50 per thousand; ditto, s.Ls, \$9. Victoria, rough common, \$14 pe thousand; ditto, s.l.s., \$15.50. T. & G., best quality, Puget Sound \$33: Victoria, \$40: second quality Puget Sound, \$26; ditto, British Colum bia. \$30.

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ARTHUR W. CLAYTON DIES FROM INJURIES

NJURED ON NOV. 18TH

Widow and Three Children Survive

(From Thursday's Dally.) Arthur William Clayton, who was injured in a street car collision at the Government and Yates street terminus on Saturday, November 18th, died this morning at the Royal Jubilee hospital as a result of the inuries received in the collision. He

down the slope crushed him between the two cars. The motorneer of the Esquimalt car had set the air brake and was walking through the car to take control at the other end. It was supposed that an escape of air from the brake tube was the cause

of the car starting unexpectedly, The injured man was badly rup tured and was taken to the hospital where an operation was found necessary. He was attended by Dr. George Hall, who pronounced him to be in a ery low state. Hopes, however, were entertained of his recovery until the elapse he sustained this week.

The late Mr. Clayton was born in London, England, and was 45 years of age. He resided with his wife and three children at 614 Bay street. These survive him together with one brother in Victoria and one in Prince Rupert. He was a member of Capital Division, No. 109, Carmen's Union. The funeral arangements are being carried out by the B. C. Funeral

MET AT ROYAL OAK. Branch of Women's Institute Held In-

the children a vastly better opportunity of displaying their ability. The schools which will join in the entertainment are Strawberry Vale, Prospect Lake, Elk Lake and Royal Oak.

This movement is only one of the many which the progressive women of this most progressive branch of the rganization are carrying forward, and it may come as a surprise to many Victorians to learn that the ladies are already making plans for establishing a public library in their district. The is 113, which tops the membership roll of Women's Institutes in the province. The ideal which these ladies have in 3.42 inches. view is to raise the standard of excelence in every department of national. and domestic life, the movement being started by the Department of Agriculture for the betterment of conditions in the rural districts. Cookery demonstrations are carried on by a highly competent woman who is sent out by the government for the purpose of showing the housewives the best and most economical mothods of making sent out who give much valuable information on poultry raising, horticul-ture, and every branch of domestic Thou shalt not marry for revenue or Thou shalt not marry for revenue or strumentalists and singers of leading at the heels. talent are periodically sent out by the

society to the concerts which are given On Tuesday afternoon a really excelent paper on music was read by Mrs.

The institute will give another con cert about the middle of January, when is hoped that all who were to have taken part in the recently postponed entertainment will be able to appear,

MAY GO TO INDIA.

will succeed Sir C. Hardinge as viceroy FLAMES RETARD RESCUE WORK.

Briceville, Tenn. Dec. it.—Work of rescue squads employed in recovering bodies of mirers imprisoned in the Criss-bodies of mirers in the crist-bodies of the military government in China is spreading in Thibet. The employees wages.

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BOY BANDIT BUSY

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 14.-The redhaired boy bandit, who has been ter-rorizing Tacoma the past week, got his twelfth victim, when he held up and robbed Miss Ethel Kelley and her bro-ther, Charles, at South Thirty-eighth

They were on their way to the brother's house at 4121 South J. street. Dundedin Block Prince Rupert year. He is also going to inspect some The highwayman obtained \$12.3 The police have made some twenty arrests BY CAR COLLISION of red-haired young men, only to let each man go as he proved his in-

Relapse Follows Operation REV. T. E. HOLLING TO

ford, Ont,-Rev. C. T. Scott Coming Here

the accident, and although he railled the person of the Rev. T. E. Holling. \$5,000 and \$6,000. He, therefore, deafter an operation was performed he who at the close of April, 1912, will clined to proceed and brought the preshad a relapse this week and sank leave for Brantford, Ontario, to fill chi action to have the arrangement and theory on which hope is based that gradually until the time of his death the pastorate of the Colborne Street nulled.

It is gratifying to know that Rev.



REV. T. E. HOLLING Pastor of Metropolitan Methodist church, who will be transferred to Brantford. Shib

Institute district should all be asked to friends during the years he has spent most unanimous plebiscite had been when Crown Prince.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

membership of the Royal Oak branch 8th, lowest 10 on 11th; precipitation, 46 the owner was ready to give his as by her imperial visitor: Prince Rupert-Highest temperature 46

on 8th; 10th, 11th, lowest 22 on 7th; rain, Atlin—Highest temperature 40 on 12th, if they removed it. As this was the placed them vertically beneath their graduated rate.

lowest 10 on 9th, precipitation, 17 inch. condition under which District Ensum. She added up and gave him the Dawson—Highest temperature 30 on 18th, gineer Keefer was willing to take according answer, 1913.

FESTIVIT

.19 inch. "COMMANDMENTS FOR WIVES."

"Ten Commandments for Wives," pre- amendm They are as follows:

Thou shalt not be a gossip. thee in a trolley car.

thy parties.

In London to-day is that Prince Arthur of Connaught, son of the Governor-Genz libbs is and to be unable to find it ately on their being passed by the eral of Canada, the Duke of Connaught, when thy minister comes.

REPORTED AT PENANG.

Penang. Straits Settlemenet, Dec. M.-Dr. Snn Vat Sen, the Chinese reformer, and General Homer Lea, the American whom it is alleged is to take charge or

Built on Slender Timbers Leased to Capt. Irving

LEAVE VICTORIA SOON lease on the Dunedin block, Prince Ru-BODIES OF THREE sen and William Moscrop. The build-ing was constructed in 1909, but was not strongly built, with the result that Has Been Transferred to Bant- and council gave notice to the owners that it would have to be strengthened or pulled down. Capt. Irving became interested in it through representations made by the dependants, who said it could be put in shape for \$2,000. On that understanding Capt. Irving Victoria is soon to lose one of her entered into a lease, but on arrival at

bers in the building. The Chief Justice sar until late yesterday afternoon hearing the details of the building contract and the esti-mates made by the architect as regards repairs, and resumed the case this morning with Capt Irving still on the stand and under cross-examination by F. J. McDougait, solicitor for the de-fendant. The defence is being heard

presenting the plaintiff. In the county court this morning the dispute over a plastering contract between I. A. Wilson and R. J. Nott is being continued. Counsel for the plain-tiff and defendant addressed the jury

SEEKS EXEMPTION

Case of New Westminster M. C. A. is Now Being

"Ten Commandments for Wives," pre- amendment to the following clause disaster to the present Kaiser, grounds, bridge is to be built. At this point pared by Rev. Albert Hyde, pastor of of the building by-law, that "in the "My calculations, I am told, were Later in the evening their majesties, the river is broad, deep from autumn

Further improvements for Agnes the imperial nativity." Thou shalt not be out of sorts when street were foreshadowed in a petithy neighbor in a limousine smiles on tion from a considerable number of MAY BE FORCED TO residents, that the street be widened Thou shalt not break down the not to 80 feet, they themselves being icense law by serving strong punch at willing to give the necessary, seven feet from their respective properties Thou shalt not forget the age of thy and also recommending that the B. C. Thou shalt not let loose on thy hus-band on wash days or even in the paved, so that they will not have to house-cleaning times.

Thou shalt not spell home as "mail-ommittee was asked to report on the paved, and also on a question of the sake that a strong guard be this, and also on a question of the sent. The ship he sake that a strong guard be this, and to be unable to find it stely on their heins passed by the

> mendation of the engineer. THIBETANS ROUT CHINESE.

CAPITAL FOR ROSSLAND MINES Rossland, Dec. 14. Charles Dempster, manager of the Fife mines, has

arrived in Rossiand after a three months' business trip to New York. He states he has received instructions from his principals to start the Fife mines again, and work will con properties in and around Rossland with a view to operating some one of them, Should he find one which will offer sufficient encouragement to his principals he is assured that money In the Supreme Court Chief Justice
Hunter is hearing an application by
Capt. John Irving for the recision of a
lease on the Dunedin block. Primar Pri

No Hope for Two of Entombed

more men will be rescued alive from the federal government, although a the pastorate of the Colborne Street Methodist church there.

The coroner, Dr. E. C. Hart, said when asked if there would be an inquest that he presumed the fact that he presumed the presumed the presumed the presumed the presument in the cross mountain mine, the scene of the content that the presument in th

this afternoon. H. B. Robertson is re- Editor of Occult Magazine Refers to Some Strange Coincidences

> London, Dec. 14 .- In the current number of the Occult Review Ralph Shirley, the editor of that paper, has a curious note on Germany, in which the coincidences mentioned are so strange as to have attracted a good deal of attention outside the circles appeals. Mr. Shirley begins by Member of Vancouver Rateto which the Occult Review generally speaking of a recent queer happening

in Afteurin, Saxony. Hundreds of inhabitants, we are informed ... band gathered in the large square delich has Bismarck's statue in its centre? when suddenly the sword

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People nad voted against the step. In this case then the result of a request to the period of the Franco-German been recommended by the ward to the period of the Franco-German been recommended by the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port Alberni branch was nearly to the fact that the membership of the Port A Kamloops—Bright sunshine, 17 hours;
highest temperature 44 on 8th, lowest 24 on 7th, 1sth; rain, .22 inch.
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Barkerville—Highest temperature 36 on made by the mayor, who said that One further question was not to her discussed. beneath the other and then repeating next meeting Mr. Gregor proposes to certificates. the end of Fourteenth street was would be the date consultant's death. That the association recommend a made by the mayor, who said that One further question was put to her single or land tax as at present, with the owner was ready to read the ready to re

tion, he was now only waiting for an "I have," added Mr. Shirley, whose answer from Ottawa to be able in own specialty is astrology. "alluded all probability to go ahead with the specially to this incident as it coincides den party was held at the fort last work of removing this obstacle. In a curious way with the date I have evening, King George and Queen Mary and were returning to their headquar-The building inspector submitted a already given in these pages. The being given an ovation by seven thouletter to the council asking for an year 1913 will be a date of special sand guests as they walked through the to cross at the point where the C. N. R.

plain and fancy dishes. Lecturers are the Porter Congregational Church, is absence of definite subdivisions be- not based on numbers, but on astro- wearing their crowns and coronation rains, and full of driftwood. being circulated in printed form here. tween the apartments of different logy. The very threatening position of robes, appeared in a screened balcony. The canoe struck a log not far from the planet Uranus in this year in red on the wall of the fort, which was form midstream and all the occupants except the woman were thrown out. They Thou shalt not be a slave of fashion. building committee for consideration. which is already gravely menaced in passed in review.

ABANDON STEAMER

Monfreal, Dec. 14.—A brilliant start half of the Royal Victoria college, and his associates owned the Le Roi when the first meeting of the association was formally opened by His

panied by the Duchess and Princess Patricia, while on the platform were Hon. R. L. Borden, Sir Lomer Gouin premier of the province of Quebec; Miners Where Signals Were of agriculture, and Mayor Guerin, who all delivered brief addresses.

est in the work of the association Hon. Martin Burrell intimated that a

this city, several petitioners calling at- by applause of approval. tention to the alleged fact that a pint foam or water.

HAS SCHEME TO

payers Association Submits Novel Proposal

Branch of Women's institute Heid Interesting Meeting—Good
Membership.

A special supplementary meeting of the Royal Oak branch of the Women's institute met on Tuesday afternoon to make arrangements for, the entertain-church at the close of the children o

Delhi, India, Dec. 14.-A royal gar- the river,

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 1t.—United States guards on the berder were doubled when the United States army officers were notifed that an insurrecto attack was to be made on Juares.

Reports that a Reyesta revolution is to be launched on December 15, with the seizure of the customs houses are generally discredited.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 1t.—United States waist, but suddenly she sam cry, and never reappeared.

CALL FROM VANCOL Brantford, Dec. 14.—Rev. pastor of Colborne Street church, has received a collection. El Paso, Texas, Dec. 14.—United States

FRONTIER GUARDS INCREASED.

Olympia, Wash, Dec. 14. J. Magekaw, the Japanese suspected of mur-dering Mrs. Sonamina, a Japanese, at Rainier by cutting her head to pieces association, an aggregation of pioneers K. Perkins, for the American Institute London, Dec. 14.—The railways gave with a hetchet, was captured as he of the Red River Valley, including for the Roy Scouts

sident on the Democratic ticket an Attends First Session of Public the appointment by President Taft as a member of the international foint commission on boundary waters, succeeding the late Thomas H. Carter, United BE MADE SUP nounced yesterday that he has accepted States senator for Montana. Mr. Turner previously served as a member of the Alaska boundary commission, also as counsel for the United States fisheries cases before the tribunal at The Government is Said to Favor was given to the inaugural meeting of Hague. He is wealthy, having amassed the Canadian Public Health associa- a fortune in mining operations in the on last night at the Convocation province of British Columbia, where h

Reyal Highness the Duke of Con-haught. PASSES RESOLUTION

berni Branch of Navy League

when asked if there would dear in the presumed there would have been than the presumed there would have been by the Rev. C. T. Scott, M. A. figure was over \$5,000 but he refused him, also expressed his complete support of the conductor of a Gorge car stationary at the feed of a party of the explosion by the prince Rupert gave evidence and Arthur Smith, whose signals were deceased conductor of a Gorge car with had course to the conductor of a Gorge car with had course to course to make the point of the conductor of a Gorge car with had course to a standard like the job of putting the building in shape. His at the head of a party of the explosion ly, but Premier Borden, who followed him, also expressed his complete support to the point. Refreshingly for on the idea of a one-man commended him, also expressed his complete support to the work of the w The Rev. Mr. Scott will come to Victoria with splendid recommendations action in endering repetrs. The block, the walls indicating to rescuers the from medical graduates of McGill and the Esquimalt car was in the act of lifting up the fender in front of his car when the Esquimalt car was in the indicating to rescuers the from medical graduates of McGill and a Radical point of view—"I am a Lloyd Georger," he said—he endorsed to have been inscribed by Duff and Smith.

MANY COMPLAINTS FILED.

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Sask Instead of Per Mission Have the Hudshill because the following the following the following the folive that a new which is word, appears to have been inscribed to New York, Dec. 14.—The analysis of British empire. Mr. Osborn differed question, as well as the question of the 25,000 complaints received by the with the preceding speaker on one New York department of health during point only, but that difference was be considered by the government. the past eleven months of this year, not material to the question at stake. There is also some probability that arrangements may be made for taking shows that the largest number of objections were elicited by barking dogs. Canada's present menace on the Pacific supplies into Pas Mission, Split Lake in at houses. The singing nuisance was the Japanese, and this was a division of the line, during the winter. ond. There were twenty odd com- sideration. The speaker made an efplaints over the quality of beer sold in fective appeal on this point evidenced

The following resolution, moved by of New York beer is often nearly all R. J. Burde and seconded by Mr. Osborn, was enthusiastically and unantmously carried: "Whereas, the Canadian nation has

TAX SKYSCRAPERS

"And whereas, the Mother Country and indeed the whole empire is dependent upon the sea power for its as soon as she is discharged. with the Mother Country:

Institute district should all be asked to co-operate in the entertainment, and repeat part of the programme which they would already have given in their own schools. The Royal Oak hall is much larger than any of the schools, and has a good platform, so that the and has a good platform, so that the and has a good platform, so that the limited in the stablished and has a good platform, so that the limited during the years he has spent in Question was friends during the years he has spent in Question was friends during the years he has spent in Question was friends during the years he has spent in Question was chooled by the years he has spent in Question was a far as Mr. Gregor went into it take such immediate steps as will lead to the creation of a Canadian fleet unit in the Pacific and to the establishment of an average of the interval of the prophetess in question was evidently an employer of cabalistic this aerial taxation scheme appears to take such immediate steps as will lead to the creation of a Canadian fleet unit in the Pacific and to the establishment of an average of the interval of the fact in the prophetess in question was evidently an employer of cabalistic this aerial taxation scheme appears to take such immediate steps as will lead to the creation of a Canadian fleet unit in the Pacific and to the establishment of an analy are and ship building part that the college of France, was storey of a building he would have an organizer of church and organizer of church and organizer of the based of the prophetess in question was taken in favor of this action, but the city solicitor had ruled that it was in the based of the prophetess in question was taken in favor of the sake such immediate steps as will lead to the city solicitor had ruled that it was in the based of the prophetes. The prophetess in question was taken in favor of the sake such immediate steps as will lead to the city solicitor had ruled that it was in the city solicitor had ruled that it was in the city solicitor had ruled that it was i

INDIAN WOMAN DROWNED

surance that he would not hold the "How long,' he asked, 'would the fourth, or to 50 feet, thereafter each drowned in the Coquitlam River here ing either physical violence or marital storey to be graduated as to tax, each while trying to effect a crossing. She Dominion government responsible for Empire of Germany last?'
any liability in connection therewith "She took the last figures again and storey to be based on an increasingly and her young son had been engaged them vertically beneat that by Messrs Henning and Peterson, of the staff of Palmer & Henning, who are grading the Canadian Northern from years, is granted, Mme. Langevin will Hope to Yale, to paddle them across

science. An effort, which has met with considerable success, is being made to raise the standard of music, and in-The suggestion was referred to the the position of the sun at this time, ligious and other native processions filled canoe until she thought she was close enough to the shore to make it Civic Association, in addition to speby wading. To the three watchers she cial delegates appointed by governors seemed to be safe with her feet on the of states, are attending the bottom and the water not above her nual convention which began here yeswalst, but suddenly she sank without a terday. The inauguration of a cam-

CALL FROM VANCOUVER.

Brantford, Dec. 14-Rev. D. Scott paster of Colberne Street Methodist programme including the following hurch, has received a call to fill a SUSPECTED MURDERER CAUGHT pastorate in Vancouver.

> OLD TIMERS TO MEET. Winnipeg, Dec. 14.—The old timers

notice of an advance of ten per cent was driving through Rainier yesterday buffalo hunters and voyageurs now in all excursion and commutation by Justice of Peace C. G. Morris, and prominent in the west, hold their antickets as the result of the increase in brought to Olympia in an automobile nual banquet and ball to-night. Lieut-

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 14.—Hon. Geo. Turner of Spokane, former United States Senator for Washington, and chief justice of Washington in territorial days, who has been mentioned frequently as a candidate for vice— sident. on CONTEMPLATED

BE MADE SUPREME

One-Man Commission for Transcontinental Line

Ottawa, Dec. 14.-Most of the transcontinental railway commission may be reorganized out of existence if plans now said to be under consideration are adopted. The appointment of Major Leonard as chairman of the commission in place of S. N. Parent, who resigned, is to be followed, it is said, by All the speakers showed keen inter- Question Discussed by Port Al- the removal of the three remaining commissioners appointed by the late government, W. S. Calvert, Colin Mc-isaac and C. A. Young. It is believed that the new government does not see the necessity for a commission of four men or even of two and is disposed to At a meeting of the Navy League of Leonard as a practical man with, of Port Alberni, held recently, says the course, a technical staff behind him. News, Mr. Danvers Osborn spoke briefly and to the point. Refreshingly mission, but it is doubtful if such a

'FRISCO'S MARINE NEWS. Henrik Irsen Arrives With Coal From Newcastle-Quiet Day Along

Waterfront. San Francisco, Dec. 14.-The Norwegian steamer Henrik Ibsen arrived declared emphatically for closer union from Newcastle, Aus., via Sydney Tuesday with coal consigned to the J.

"And whereas, Canada and the Mother Country are agreed that it is right and reasonable that all the partners in the empire should contribute towards the naval defence of that empire and on the Sound for New York "And whereas, it is notorious that in the American-Hawalian line. "And whereas, it is notorious that the most valuable assistance which the dominions could give to the cipire would be the creation of fleets units to control and protect the Pacific:

portion to the higher the occupant trade likely to be effected by the com- gevin, also a professor of general examendment to allow these privileges "Placing the same figures in a vertor churches and had been refused the perimental position, and adding them up perimental position, and adding them up perimental physics at the same college. The effect of the speeches and the perimental physics at the same college. The effect of the speeches and the perimental physics at the same college. The effect of the speeches and the passing of the resolution may be estimated by the college.

> to the form of the petition. Mme. Langevin's lawyer submitted documents containing letters alleged to have passed between Prof. Langevin and Mme. Curie, which, he contends,

Maitre Coudroy announced in court that if a separation, which means a divorce in France at the end of three allow her complaint of adultery, which she brought in the criminal court The railway men had been in Hope against Prof. Langevin, to drop, otherwise she will let it take the ordinary course. The letters submitted by Mrs. Langevin's lawyers are all those which Mme. Langevin received surreptitiously from an apartment house where her husband is said to have constantly met Mme. Curie and it is hinted that relations of great intimacy prevailed.

CIVIC ASSOCIATION MEETS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 13.-More than 500 members of the American paign in the interest of the national parks will be the feature of the convention which will last three days. "Related civic advance" was the topic for the openin session, the speakers J. L. Wilson, Toronto, for the Ontario Horticultural Association; W. D. Foulke, Richmond, Ind., for the Na-

tional Municipal League; Mrs. L. L.

Biankenburg, Philadelphia, for the Federation of Women's Clubs; Irving

REASONS FOR HIGH

COMMITTEE PRESENTS **EXHAUSTIVE REPORT**

Cost of Commodities Higher in Victoria Than Any City on the Coast

The city council was engaged for over half an hour, bearing the important report on the high cost of living, on Tuesday. Mesdames Helen M. Grant, Maria Grant and Spofford gave an exhaustive resume of their findings, and attached to their report schedule showing comparative prices in 57 commodities with representative businesses in Victoria, Vancouver, Seattle and Nanaimo. They suggested a movement through the B. C. Union of Municipalities to bring influence to bear on the Dominion and provincial governments to effect a change, and prevent the economic un-

rest of other countries. The council confined themselves accept the report and ordered it to be printed, so that copies might be available to citizens.

Camparative Cost.

"In the present inquiry, the committee undertaking the same has endeavored to secure a careful and accurate comparison between the cost of living in Victoria and in its neighboring cities. To have gone beyond this in the time wiven and with the fund at its disposal would have been impossible, and furthermore would have required an investigation of a different nature, dealing with such questions as industrial, commercial and financial methods and conditions, an undertaking which would require to be dealt with by experts, and would necessitate many months of labor pa large expenditure of money.

"The inquiry, therefore, by way of comparison, has been limited to four cities, namely: Victoria, Vancouver, Nanaimo and Seattle. The object being to obtain a result representing the cost of living, the inquiry as to prices Victoria to-day a six-roomed house was restricted to the main staple commodities, groceries, meats, milk, fruit, light, fuel and included rents, wages, taxes and interest on mortgages, em- while business rents have gone up 200 bracing in all fifty-one commodities per cent. In Vancouver the raise is and for the information obtained upward of one hundred reliable business rents being rated at 300 per cent. In firms were '---viewed. The prices Seattle residential rents have decreased quoted are, in every case, the average. Toronto is sold in Victoria at the same past five years. The whole question of price, by weight, as that locally man- rent hinges on the speculative value of ufactured. It is a question whether or lands, with a small proportion of innot the cost of transportation is not crease due to modern public improveoffset by the higher western cost of ments, such as lighting, paving, etc. labor, and raw materials. In this im- In connection with the matter of rentportant and extensive commodity the ed houses your committee would draw purchaser has enda-In patronizing the home industry.

The cost of flour in Victoria exceeds that of both Vancouver and Se- perience the utmost difficulty in securattle. When in Victoria flour is sold ing houses to rent at reasonable prices, at \$1.85 per sack, the same grade a condition which leads to much hardcould be purchased in Vancouver for ship for families of the laboring class, \$1.75 and in Seattle for \$1.50 -- sack. and also tends to serious over-crowd-"Bread in Victoria sells at from 1 to ing. 21/2 cents more per round than in eith-

er of the other cities.

Meat Prices Advance. dinary rise in the price of which, a ent high price of money, in the price of which, a ent high price of money. "The workingman has been forced the workingman has been forced because of increased prices to demand because of increased prices to demand wide margin between the prices in an increase in wages in order to meet the higher cost of living, yet, notwithcities. In beef, the Seattle market standing the larger wages commanded offers the choice cuts at 18 cents per to-day in all the trades and by the lapound; Vancouver the same at 20 borer, it is conceded by the best aucents, while in Victoria it is 25 cents thorities on economics that the workper pound.

Seattle was 15 cents per pound, in Vactoria vancouver 18 cents and in Victoria vive, that to create a universal balance 25 cents.

was 14 cents per pound, Vancouver 17 one alone. cents and in Victoria 25 cents. A "In the course of investigating food corresponding margin is noticed in supplies it was learned that many other meats. In the opinion of the thousands of dollars on the grocers' branch lines. committee, indications point to a mon- books necessarily add to the cost of supply.

Sugar Expensive.

higher prices than that manufactured principle doubtless applies to the other branches, Sask. in Scotland, even after the raw mater- lines of trade, ial is shipped there and the manuagain is a question of consideration as exist, the prices were lower than in dian, Alberta. and the raw material in British Co-lumbia offsets the cost of labor in Scotland and of transportation there-from, making due allowance for any difference which there may be in the advantage of local manufacture.

necessary articles of food of which an living. abundant supply of a good quality is most importnt; yet at the present price it is almost prohibitvie. Milk at staple articles the manufacturer estabwholesale was laid down in Vancouver lishes a retail price, which price is at 20 cents per gallon and retailed at usually agreed upon by manufacturers 40 cents per gallon. In Victoria the of the same article. Your committee price paid the producer was 27 cents would not wish to suggest that a manper gallon, when it was retailed at 40 ufacturer has not the right to protect cents, yet so limited is the supply that himself by setting an established reat the present time large quantities tail price on his manufactures, but we are being shipped into this city from maintain that no manufacturer has the per gallon, with additional cost of 2 other manufacturers of a similar arcents for transportation and duty at ticle in order to create a combine. An the rate of 17 1-2 per cent. The cost additional evil effect of such agree-of milk to the consumer at the pres-ments is when conditions are created ent time is fifty cents per gallon. For by which all other competition, not in butter the prices seem altogether out the combine, is made impossible. of proportion. When in Victoria 'best 'It is common knowledge that the re-

as in the past \$100 per acre was the equally wide margin which have even outside price for good farming land a greater difference in many lines within market garden distance of Vic- dry goods, wearing apparel, and arfarm products at reasonable prices imattle, and it is a well-known fact that possible. One of the leading Canadian many persons in Victoria go to that this cause as the root of the high cost including the duty.

farmer on the mainland says: 'The in Vancouver and in Seattle in prefer- DE MERRIAM PREPARES farmer is taxed on his cows, and taxed ence to Victoria because of the advanon his machinery, but there is no tax tage which is obtained in prices. dairying products, as many of the of the lighting company down to 7½c. farms are on the market as subdivisions and are no longer producing. was found to be a difficult matter for

sold at 15 cents per pound. "A one pound tin best grade of sal-

mon can be bought in Vancouver or sand and at Viotoria and Voncouver in Seattle at 20 cents, in Victoria the mills at \$14 and \$15 per thousand. price is 25 cents. In many other can- Dressed lumber, on which the duty is ned goods an appreciable difference in 25 per cent. ad valorem, shows a like der to devote himself to private re-"In fuel, one of the costly neces

saries, there is but slight variation in the prices in the three cities. Wood selling in Victoria at an advance of 50 cents per cord above that in the other cents per cord above that in the other on lumber areas in British Columbia places. Coal sells at the same price in is \$1.40 per 640 acres, approximately Victoria as in Vancouver, \$7.50 per The same coal retails in Seattle at \$8.50 per ton, the Vancouver Island coal because of its superior quality, being considered as cheap at that price as the local product at \$6.50 per ton. Vancouver Island coal unscreened is delivered to the miner at \$2.50 per being 25 per cent. Screened coal is sold to the public at the pits mouth

at \$4.50, delivered at \$5.50. "A practical expert miner quotes the cost of the production of coal in the ancoucer Island colleries at the outside \$3.40 per ton f.o.b. It would seem that the coal merchants of Victoria are not responsible for the high prices paid by the consumer, as the mine companies evidently establish a price in common. It would appear in regard to this commodity, a case of utilizing one of the natural resources of the province for the making of wealth for the individual at the expense of the public through selling at excessive profits one of the necessary articles of living.

Rented Houses Scarce.

"The high rentals constitute an im portant factor in the cost of living. In commands a rental of from \$20 to \$35 per month, an increase over rents of five years ago of at least 100 per cent, even greater, the increase in business somewhat: but in business sections "We note that soap manufactured in they have remained steady during the advantage attention to the scarcity of such property in Victoria. Large numbers of people coming to reside in the city ex-

"While there appears to be an unreasonable profit to the landlord, it is after all only in proportion to other phases "In the cost of meat, (the extraor- of the high cost of living and the pres-

ingman has no real advantage of the "In mutton the highest cut price in increase, that in fact his purchasing

cost of bad debts and of the interest Hills branch Sask. on the merchant's overdraft in order 2. From the Estevan-Forward "Sugar in our own province sells at that he may continue his business. This branch to the Weyburn-Lethbridge

difference which there may be in the don Head were delivered in Victoria at quality of the commodity. In the case one instance of many which might be P. 12 or 13, Rg. 12 or 13 W, fourth and came up behind the artist. The cited showing that the middle man meridan, Alberta. "Milk is one of the recognized adds very materially to the cost of

> Suggestion of Combine. "It is worthy of note that in many

toria, it is now held at from \$400 to ticles classed as haberdashery. This is per acre, making the raising of more particularly so in regard to Se inance Journals points directly to city and purchase goods to advantage,

"It is also a fact that some of our "H. Allister Thompson, a well known Canadian steamers get their supplie

on speculation, consequently many ad- Lighting is also an expensive neces acent farms are unworked and their sity to the citizens of Victoria, the cos owners are in the real estate business.' of domestic lighting here being 18 cents Without doubt the present real estate per kilowatt hour. The city of Winntboom in Victoria and vicinity is the peg, with its own plant, has reduced cause of the decline in farming and the cost to 1½c, and brought the cost

"Tomatoes sold in Vancouver by the the reason that all mills do not grade producer at 5 cents per pound, was lumber alike. Comparisons, therefore, retailed at 9 cents. In Seattle 20 pound unless entered into extensively might boxes were sold at 35 cents per box. not fairly represent prices. Rough, In Victoria the same week tomatoes common, lumber, however, on which Canada levies no duties, is sold at Puget Sound mills at \$7.50 per thou margin in prices.

> Helps Timber Speculators. "The average tax per acre on lumher areas in the state of Washington one-fourth that of the state of Washington, making the cost of taxation uch cheaper in British Columbia. "The large amount of Oriental labor employed in British Columbia mills which commands wages amounting to only from one-half to three-fourth the wages paid for white labor by mills in immediately available timber, gives British Columbia the advantage of cheaper one Puget Sound mill last year shipned into British Columbia and east as far as Winnipeg and north to Edmonton about 800 car loads of lumber, paying the necessary duty, and not only met, but undersold Canadian prices. "The lumber industry in British Coproduction are altogether inadequate to the demand consequent on the rapid development of the country; therefore prices are high. With the vast extent! of its timber areas, the facilities which its extended coast line affords for

should not long continue." Alderman Bishop moved that the ladies should be thanked, and the report should be laid over for the incoming council to deal with. He regretted reference had been made to the lumer question, as it was hardly a detail of the cost of living. Lumber was being sent into Canada to-day owing to the depression of trade across the line. Ald. Langley agreed that the report was most comprehensive and valuable and suggested that it should be print-ed, and copies made available for citizens who desired them. He did not know what action they could take in

the matter. It was ultimately resolved that the report should be received, and laid on able for citizels to secure copies.

C. P. R. Applies to Dominion Government for Power to Build

opoly on the coast of British Colum- living, as the person who pays his bills Jaw northwesterly branch, to near

6. From the authorized terminus of

the line from Asquith northwesterly to Battleford, Sask.

MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEABANCE.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 13.-Dete ives are searching for Charles Hallibills, and has not been seen since.

COMMITTED SUICIDE. Vancouver, Dec. 13.-The verdict of

MONUMENTAL WORK

-Specimens From B. C. Used in Preparation

Dr. Clinton Hart Merriam, for rears head of the biological survey of into a bureau in connection with the federal department of agriculture, and from which he retired last year in orsearch, and more particularly to the now in the city. The first volume of is 80 cents per acre. The average tax this work, dealing with bears, is alwinter. The doctor is working under a special fund provided by the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, where he still maintains his headquarters, residing part of each year in California, where he has a summer home. This monumental work has been enton, the estimated loss by screening Washington, and the larger amount of gaging his attention for years, and he is now actually engaged in preparation cost of production, yet not- for publication. Everything that is Mariposa to Become Property withstanding the cheaper cost of tax- known about the animals with which ation and cheaper cost of production he deals will be covered, volume two being destined to treat of wolves and Dr. Merriam's mission to British Col-

> over the specimens of skulls of caribou from Queen Charlotte Islands, which umbia is yet practically undeveloped, are indigenous to that group of islands, the amount of production being only and the doctor has proceeded to photoone-tenth of that of a similar area of graph the specimens in the provincial lumber producing country directly museum while in Victoria, Curator pared for alterations to the Mariposa south of the boundary. The means of Kermode giving him every assistance. The doctor in the course of a converyesterday afternoon said that in his work on bears he had had the assistance of the British Columbia Museum whose specimens of grizzly bears had transportation, and the general pros- been very helpful, and of Warburton plied in order that she may aid in perity of the country, this condition Pike. Bryan Williams, the chief game warden, had also helped with speci- ore from Alaskan ports. mens, and with a large number of President J. H. Young, of the Alaska skulls from various parts of British Steamship Company, announces that Columbia, the collection of the Biologi- the Mariposa will be operated on the cal Survey of Alaska specimens, and Southwestern Alaska route, taking althe collection made by Miss Annie ternate sailings with the steamship Alexander, in connection with the Uni- Alameda. The Mariposa is a sister ship

the country, and the results were of the greatest value to science.

Reverting for a moment to the caribou in the Queen Charlotte Islands, he said it was one of the problems of geographical distribution to say how the caribou reached the Islands, but like others on glaciated areas further north, the table, and the ladies thanked, the it must be supposed they crossed from report to be printed and made avail- the mainland on the ice in some remote geological age. There were many in teresting questions which faced the biologist in dealing with the country from Washington state to the Behring. sea. He needed for his work specimens of the male bears, because these specimens were more characteristic than those of the female, the latter showing the adults he desired to study the skull Solway is Now Three Months

character, and in the young the teeth characteristics. He learnt that day that the chief warden had forwarded for examination to Washington a fine collection of specimens made by James Tait and others to the Cassiar and Stikine districts. Since he first took an interest in the special study of bears in 1890 the

amount of material had greatly multianimal were now well understood. the forest had a wonderful and absorb than it usually takes a sating vessel than the vessel than it usually takes a sating vessel than it usually "It was noticed that in Vancouver subdivision, southerly to Top 39 or informing a friend, the latter with his dom. factured article is imported here. This and in Seattle where public markets 40 range 10, 12 or 13 W. fourth meri- wife decided to take a big plate camera and get another picture at the again is a question of consideration as the prices were lower than in to whether the higher cost of labor shops; showing that the more direct and the raw material in British Co-the dealings between the producer and and northerly to the Saskatchewan labor to the dealings between the producer and and northerly to the Saskatchewan labor to the dealings between the producer and the friend, an artist who

> animal was in such a position that he could have struck the man down with single blow, but curiously refrained, and walked off. The doctor was so frightened that he forgot to get one of the finest poses he ever saw recorded

on his film, and as for the artist, he

collapsed with terror. The ways of ears were strange. One time he knew a bear which broke day, editor of the Uklah Times, who into an Indian woman's cottage and disappeared from a hotel in this city stole sugar, acorns and flour. After he Thursday. Halliday had considerable was gone the friends came and strongshingles and roofing off and dropped on all fours into the room. He found sait

pital.

THE NEW HIGH SCHOOL Mayor Morley Criticizes School Board and Sharp Retorts Exchanged

the expenditure for the new high school asked for in the estimate of extraordinary expenditure prepared by the school board, to be embodied in a money bylaw. The mayor observed that several persons had drawn his attention to the extravagance in the design, and there was a great deal of the Christmas holidays the Y. M. C. A Investigation Into Life of Bruin talk about the amount of cut stone boys, junior and intermediate, will hold Report That She Would Join called for by the design.

Alderman W. F. Fullerton asked who suggested it, and the mayor replied that he did not think it necessary inform the council, whereupon the alderman responded: that a single citizen has spoken to you. seven-roomed house on Grant street, You cannot play that bluff on me!" Al- to H. M. Welling for a chicken house derman Fullerton went on to say the at the rear of his premises on Belmont the United States, which he organized mayor had always opposed the Spring street, and for a dwelling house on Ridge site.

This discussion arose during the consideration of a loan bylaw to raise \$275,000 for the high school. Alderman Langley thought the board was not search, and more particularly to the economical, while Alderman Gleason monumental work he has contemplated expressed the opinion that perhaps too

Alderman H. M. Fullerton said the remarks of outsiders had been to to make the necessary arrangements most ready, and will be published this praise the action of the board, and money must be found for educational purposes. The citizens would sooner the mayor's civic centre scheme.

The bylaw was then proceeded with

DELIVER VESSEL MARCH 1 Alaska SS. Co.-Undergo Extensive Overhaul.

been conducting negotiations for the from various sources before deterumbia at the present time is to look purchase of the steamer Mariposa of mining on the nature of the resolution the Oceanic Steamship Company, and to be submitted to their council. nounced yesterday that the vessel would be delivered to that company about March 1. Plans are being precosting approximately \$50,000, and and Freeman concerned in the Shawwhen she enters the Alaska route next nigan lake robberies, have elected a sation with a Times representative spring she will be one of the finest jury trial. They will be tried at the passenger liners plying in northern next assizes. They were before Judge waters.

> A new steam-heating system will be man Smith acted as advisor for the installed and an additional hatch sup- others who followed his lead in their carrying the heavy cargoes of copper

Alexander had skilled hunters all over Seattle-Prince William Sound service.

The Alameda now holds all speed records between Seattle and Alaska ports, but will have to look to her laurels when the Tahiti liner of the Oceanic Steamship Company, enters the Alaska service and takes posite run to Cordova and Valdez.

FEARS FOR SAFET

Overdue Captains of Three Ships Had Promonition

the safety of the British barque Gulf donald, G. A. Kirk, Major C. T. Du-

Bellef is expressed in some sources

After being blown to the latitude spaniels. Cape Flattery the cargo shifted and vessel turned turtle and foundered. One of the sailors was drowned, but map for November issued by the methe remainder of the crew managed to the reach Umatilla light vessel in a small lowing synopsis of weather conditions

Seattle at a wholesale rate of 30 cents right to enter into an agreement with left the hotel, saying he was going to pay he could not enter by the ordinary way, Captain Taylor, laden with barley the islands and lower mainland was the period of fitting up, was read by so he climbed up on the roof, tore tiles, for the United Kingdom, was lost. At unprecedented for the season of the the president, and received with least there never have been any tidings year. Fortunately its duration was great deal of amusement. from her since the day she left the orief, and the copious rains which folinstead of sugar, and when he had Columbia river. Captain Tayfor was lowed restored the usual seasonal coneaten all there was to eat, and tore accompanied on the voyage by his dirions. Crop reports are very favor-Vancouver, Dec. 13.—The verdict of up the clothing around, he carried a wife, who joined the ship just before able although the fruit crop has been bag of salt away under the impression the vessel cleared from Portland.

| Duxbury Reaches Seattle With the clothing around, he carried a bag of salt away under the impression the vessel cleared from Portland. creamery' was sold at 50 cents, best creamery was sold at 50 cents, best creamery in Vancouver and Seattle was quoted at 32 and 33 cents per pound. It would scarcely seem possible that in 'best' grades there could she that in 'best' grades there could sold in the seattle was proposed in the coroner's jury in the coroner's jury in the was sugar. Finding out his mistake later, he scattered the salt everywhere and tore the bag in two in disgust.

"It is common knowledge that the resulcide while temporarily insane" was bag of salt away under the impression it was sugar. Finding out his mistake later, he scattered the salt everywhere slow passage is beginning to cause wide sociation or by an understanding on Saturday. A medical witness testi-

m the ship the anxiety for her Capt. Salter of the Solway, Capt. of the Broderick Castle, and Capt. Nichol of the Gulf Stream, were ticular friends and had known on A sharp passage of arms occurred at another for many years, having served he city council meeting on Tuesday in several sailers together. It is said when Mayor Morley drew attention to that they had a premonition severa years ago that they were doomed to go down with their ships.

LOCAL NEWS

Y. M. C. A. Paper Chases .- During la series of paper chases.

0 0 0 Building Permits.-Recent permits have been granted to A. J. Thompson "I don't believe on behalf of Mrs. Thompson for Clara street to H. M. Parker. 0 0 0

Organizing in Prince Rupert. resident J. C. Watters, of the Trades and Labor Council, is now in Prince Rupert with a view to organizing the what had been done by the late govon the mammals of North America, is much money was being spent on one have occurred with the men have decivic laborers there. Difficulties which termined them to seek strength in 0 0 0

Ladies' Thanks.-The ladies of St. see the money spent on schools than on Paul's Women's Auxiliary to Missions, information that the report is entirely Esquimalt, wish to thank all those who helped to make the sale of work not been purchased by the Canadian in company with those for sewerage last Thursday a success by sending government and it is now certain she and waterworks extension and fire pro- donations of fancy work, refreshments, never will be. The Aboukir, which is a etc., and for taking part in the con- cruiser of the same size as the Niobe cert in the evening. 0 0 0

Technical Instruction.—The special mmittee appointed by the Trades and Labor Council to look into the question of technical education, and bring up a report met last evening, Seattle, Dec. 13.—Officials of the and decided on the line of conduct to Alaska Steamship Company, who have take. They will collect information

0 0 0 To Be Tried by Jury .- Called upon ment. o elect for a speedy trial or a jury trial, the three men, Smith, Benton Lampman on Tuesday afternoon.

Preparing for Session. - Already there are signs of the aproaching session about the legislative buildings. The chamber, which is always kept as neat and spotlessly clean as it is possible to be, will be gone over thorversity of California, had all helped of the Alameda and will give the oughly by Chief Janitor Ryan's staff him in getting information together in Alaska Steamship Company two of the and placed in order for the coming preparation for the first volume. Miss fastest vessels on this coast for the of the legislators. The sergeant-atsion, which will be practically the same as it was last session.

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000 Obstruction of Victoria Arm.-The ity council has decided to inform the justice thereto a couple of hours were Moore-Whittington Lumber Company that it cannot pass the present plans for wharf extension, but will be willing to accept plans showing a reduced scheme, on the understanding that no the arm near their premises. It was on the continent. Bros. Semple and J. felt by the special committee that the W. Cashmore contributed recitations; OF ANOTHER BARQUE felt by the special committee that the original plans would lead to the construction of an impediment to naviga tion, and create precedent for the songs, and Bro. W. E. Graham mainother mill men on the arm above Point Ellice bridge. 000

Ratepayers' Association .- The Ratepayers' Association met on Tuesday afternoon in the Pomberton block and elected the following officers as a board of management for the year: F. B. Arion Club Have Acquired Very Satis-Pemberton, president; Thos. C. Sorby, factory Accommodation. Grave fear is not only being felt for secretary-treasurer; Hon. W. J. Mac Stream, Capt. Nicol, en route from Stream, Capt. Ni recents.

The windle question must be dealt with sociation is amount of material nad greatly multiplied, and the characteristics of the sociation recommended the construction is sociation recommended the construction of the Vernon block on the characteristics of the sociation recommended the construction of the Vernon block on the characteristics of the sociation recommended the construction of the Vernon block on the characteristics of the sociation recommended the construction of the Vernon block on the characteristics of the sociation recommended the construction of the vernon block on the characteristics of the sociation recommended the construction of the vernon block on the characteristics of the sociation recommended the construction of the vernon block on the characteristics of the sociation recommended the construction of the vernon block on the characteristics of the sociation recommended the construction of the vernon block on the characteristics of the sociation recommended the construction of the vernon block on the v British barque Solway, Capt. Salter, tion of bridle paths in Beacon Hill Government street. For many years, Railway to the Dominion government for power to build the following branch lines.

The doctor was modest about his adjusted from Newcastle, N. S. W., on June 21 for Junin, on the west coast on June 21 for Junin, on the west coast of South America. The Solway is out over 170 days, fully three months longer and for the execution of receiving for the doctor was modest about his adjusted from Newcastle, N. S. W., on June 21 for Junin, on the west coast is method of street paving during we weekly in Waitt's hall. When Waitt & The Moose I was calm scientific observation, and over 170 days, fully three months longer against the destruction of receiving for the execution of the club treatment and the following was not much excitement in field work.

In the following the following the following was not much excitement in field work. It was calm stelled from Newcastle, N. S. W., the following was not much excitement in field work. It was calm stelled from Newcastle, N. S. W., the following was not much excite an execution of the club treatment and the following was not much exci opoly on the coast of British Column and a state person who pays his bills as to the wholesale and retail meat bia, as to the wholesale and retail meat bia, as to the wholesale and retail meat been meeting at the forest had a wonderful and absorbthan it usually takes a sailing vessel formed roads for the execution of a time have been meeting at the Y

> 3. From Sedgwick, on the Hardisty ture of a black bear and cub, and on river to load grain for the United King- Challoner & Mitchell's jewelry store president, who has leased them the in the old Alexandra clubrooms on room at a very low rental. Government street. The object of the that the barque has foundered, and show is to give all newcomers an op- tirely by the members, many of whom that her crew and officers have perish portunity to compare their dogs with have worked energetically by day and ed, unless they managed to reach some those already in the city. As usual by night for the past forthight, and have transformed what was merely a storeroom into a cosy and comfortable then master of the British barque Mate dogs having won first in open class in then master of the British barque Matternorm and his crew had a thrilling escape from death while the vessel was bound from Portland to Queenstown to for orders with a cargo of barley. She left the river on November 28 and no o'clock Friday evening. Judges will be a read on the club colors, and paneled with brown burlap for a height of six feet. When the few finishing touches are done, the Arion Club will have an o'clock Friday evening. the river on November 25 and the open sea be Dr. Meade, terriers; J. S. Hickford, done, the Arion Club will have one open had she reached the open sea be Dr. Meade, terriers; J. S. Hickford, the nicest halls to be found in the city than she ran into a terrific southerly pointers and setters; J. W. Creighton,

boat, covering more than twenty miles in British Columbia for November:

A humorous poem, reciting the real and arriving more dead than alive.

British Columbia.—The weather dur. Thursday. Hallday had considerable by protected the premises, the result it was during the preceding season ing the early part of the month was of numerous incidents which have being that when the bean came again that the British ship Broderick Castle, unusually cold, and the snowfall on happened among the workers during sible that in 'best' grades there could but whether by the Retail Grocers' Assible that in 'best' grades there could be a difference in quality in the ratio of the margin in price. As a result of the inquiry through the evidence of the committee is strongly of the products of dairying is traceable to the products of dairying is traceable to the speculative land varues; for wherebut as the days go by without tidines bright sunshine.

NOT BUY CRUISER

H. M. S. ABOUKIR IS TO REMAIN AT HORN

Canadian Navy is Without Foundation

A short time ago press dispatches from the east announced that the British cruiser Aboukir had been purchased by the Dominion government to join the H. M. C. S. Niobe and Rainbow as the nucleus of a Canadian navy. This announcement somewhat mystified those in a position to know ernment in the way of naval organization and it was taken for granted that the present government would not, for its very life, look at the Canadian navy or at any ship intended for it

through a pair of binoculars. Inquiry at Ottawa has elicited the without foundation. The Aboukir has but of more modern type, was used by the Duke of Connaught when he was ommissioner of the Mediterranean for the purpose of inspecting the various posts, and was considered a ship at his personal disposition. The commission of the Aboukir has terminated and the crew is being paid off as is usual these occasions. The report that the vessel was going to Canada probably arose through her former connection with the Duke of Connaught, but the acquisition of the vessel was never contemplated by the Canadian govern-

A. O. U. W. ROLL CALL. Western Lodge Has Very Successful Annual Meeting-Enjoyable

Programme. Lodge, No. 7, A. O. U. W., of B. C. in Semple's hall, on Monday night last was a huge success. The attendance broke all records, and enthusiasm and fraternal good fellowship pervaded the evening's proceedings. Many visiting rethren were present, among then being Grand Master Workman Cashmore, Grand Secretary McIlmoyl and Past Grand Master Workman Alex Stewart. Bros. D. Miller and J. W. Cashmore, master workmen of Vicoria and Vancouver lodges, also assisted in making the event memorable n the history of Western Star Lodge. At the close of the lodge meeting the ompany sat down to a well-laden table, and after the members had done spent in speechifying and merry-making. In the course of an interesting address on the progress of the order, Grand Secretary McIlmoyl stated that the grand lodge had now the largest per capita reserve of any similar order and Gerald Fagan sang a number of tained his reputation as a story-teller. Master Workman George B. Moir presided and was the recipient of many congratulations on the masterly man

IN NEW QUARTERS.

ner in which he conducted affairs.

factory Accommodation

The Arion Club held their first re-

The rooms have been fitted in en-After the practice, the members wer the guests of the president at an informal smoker when toasts to the suc Weather in November .- The weather cess of the club and to those members

sons for taking the room and a number

LAST NOME VESSEL IN.

Week Out.

Seattle, Dec. 13 .- The last vessel to leave

Few Par

-Marama

Have Rou

Reporting the qu er made from t anadian-Australia pt. Gibb, arrived y from Sydney, N on there were no en passengers and ird classes were eather throughout wing to the few tra s impossible to enga eck games which derable to the enj

After leaving Sydi the Makura had ng the run across th puthwest winds then the steamshir the New Zealand poi around to the north low with any torc Makura had sailed fro Strong north with high seas toss but as she was light its way on to her de olulu the winds wer weather was the he passage. On St lian liner made he covering 371 knots. The passengers fo d the following: Gillard, E. F. Shee and two children, G. wife. L. M. Moon and

eargo for this port ollowing, which when lischarged she proc er: 714 pkgs. of froz of frozen rabbits, meats, 200 boxes bu fee, 10 crates fresh p reserved fruit, 1 cas from Honolulu statis of the steamships w and Sound ports ! badly damaged as a storms encountere Canadian-Australian was delayed the be n making the Haw though not serious! fierce fight with The big Matson oanv's steamship left the Sound rec

shingle cargo, reach having experienced lest weather in her days the steamship ession of fierce ga Pacific and kicked Barrels containing shingles, were ward deck of the the sea. The capt course a trifle which ented a greater lo eath to some stock carried on the the time the vessel of Fuca the Hono with southwest sw ous weather in gen seas broke over the esides carrying the cargo smashed

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Henley Turns to Get Inside an Record Cot

While proceeding Vancouver Narrows ing en route to Tace Henley, Capt. Maste mud flat and was big freighter was way of a big log r went hard and fast Henley's engines we versed, but it was her and she remain tide was at the flo own power she was proceeded on

On her arrival at afternoon the vess receiving a freight. Testerday menced to stow cargo sent from years beneath the She will have 8,000 more than the Os liner, Tacoma Mari day, the record shi ading at Tacoma ceed to Seattle and clearing from the

The Henley is 't Helt Steamship carry about 6,000 Orient. She will thousand tons of siderable machine expected that sh the Far East early completing her comple will load in the When the Henle couver Capt. Mas clearance papers Skerries Fortuna rived at Port Tow ly and no delay

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CALL. Successful oyable

Vestern Star .. of B. C.. night last, attendance usiasm and ervaded the any visiting iong them man Cashellmoyl and man Alex and J. W. es, also asmemorable Star Lodge. meeting the well-laden ers had done hours were merry-makinteresting stated that the largest milar order mple and J. recitations: k, J. Akers raham mainstory-teller. B. Moir preent of many asterly maned affairs.

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any of whom by day and ortnight, and comfortable overed with with fir, the n and gold, aneled with of six feet. touches are have one of d in the city. nbers were nt at an ints to the sucse members llingly to fit in bumpers

ing the reaind a number which have was read by ived with a

BEL IN. de With, 14 Rudder

essel to leave with 18 Iditnan who just of the season wooden craft, after leaving with great dif-

NIVETEST TRIP IN VESSEL'S HISTORY AGAINST PREMIER

MAKUTA HAS A GOOD

Marama and Honolulan Have Rough Passages

pkgs. of frozen meat. 10 crates meant

kicked up a terrific sea ontaining salmon and bundles se a trifle which presumably preed a greater loss of deck cargo and
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k carried on the after decks. From
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heat the Honolulan was greeted
duantity of hustness to be disposed of eather in general. Mountainous argo smashed kerosene oil cases result of the board's efforts, was redid other damage. It fairly blew shingles out of the bundles.

HITS MUD PASSING BOOM IN NARROWS into the Victoria:

Henley Turns to-Let Log Raft Get Inside and Strands— Record Cotton Cargo

Vancouver Narrows on Saturday evening en route to Tacoma, the steamship Henley, Capt. Masters, grounded on a mud flat and was not released until the tide rose a short time later. The big freighter was turning out of the yay of a big log raft when her nose went hard and fast in the mud. The Henley's engines were immediately reversed, but it was impossible to free own power she was floated. No damage was done to the hull and the vesproceeded on her way to the

On her arrival at Tacoma on Sunday afternoon the vessel began to prepare and the May lifted a little. or receiving a monster cargo of

learing from the latter port. The Henley is under charter to the Norberry. Helt Steamship Company, and will arry about 6,000 tons of cargo to the to Vancouver a large shipment of cod night. Howe weighs 290 pounds. Orient. She will take on several from Ketchikan and some pulp from removing his clothing and seaping his thousand tons of flour and also con-Swansea Bay. At the latter place body he was able to wriggle through a siderable machinery and lumber. derable machinery and lumber. It heavy rains have prevailed which hole only twelve inches square. A man expected that she will get away for washed away all traces of early snow. weighing less than 200 was unable to iderable machinery and lumber.

INO REFLECTION MADE TRIP FROM SOUTH OLD ON CIVIL SERVICE

Very Few Passengers Aboard Council of Board of Trade Dis cuss Incident of Recent

Interview

Reporting the quietest trip she has The premier's misconception of the made from the south seas, the remarks made by J. J. Shallcross the Probably be docked at Uruga." dian-Australian liner Makura other day, when a board of trade depu-Gibb, arrived in port on Tues- tation was interviewing the govern- telegram received by L. D. Chetham, from Sydney, N. S. W. In the ment on registry office matters, came city passenger agent of the Co.P. R.

winds being prevalent regard the land registry office and Docks on the steamship had cleared from the court house included a promise by The floating of the Empress of w Zealand port the wind veered the premier that he would communi- China, in command of Capt. Archibald, d to the northeast but did not cate the government's reply to the which went ashere on Awa Peninsula with any force until after the board in writing unless it was found on July 26 last, by the Mitsui Dockhad sailed from Suva for Hon-that another interview was necessary. yard company is looked upon as one Strong northeast trade winds Appended to this was a copy of the re- of the greatest pieces of salvage work was light no water found the Times and which, the committee dertook the task on the basis of "no oher decks. From Hon-stated, conveyed a comprehensive and cure no pay" and after nearly six months of arduous work they have against the correct account of what took place. u the winds were variable and the correct account of what took place. ther was the finest met during Arising out of the committee's report a discussion took place relative looked upon as an impossibility. A liner made her best day's run, to a report which appeared in the London Salvage expert, who was sent ing 371 knots. bassengers for Victoria includ-tation the casting of imputations upon supervised the work.

following: F. E. Noard, Miss the civil service of the province, al. When the salvage E. F. Sheel, Mrs. Marcallino though as the Times report showed children, G. G. Gillard and clearly there was no such reflection ing had been completed, to batten

the steamship battled with a suc- made, by any member of the board ierce gales which swept the there was no reflection made upon any member or members of the civil ser-

gles, were lifted from the for. During the discussion this morning leck of the ship and sent into the officials of the land registry office a. The captain changed his were praised for their generally court-

quantity of business to be disposed southwest swells and tempestu- before the holiday season begins. The restoration of the express rates broke over the forward decks and between here and Vancouver to the es carrying away a portion of figure in force up to September 1, as a

> Mr. Shallcross reported upon the presentation of the board's view before the tax commission. Preparations will be made at once for meeting Louis Coste when he comes. here at the end of the week to look into the requirements of the port of

ported and satisfaction expressed.

BRINGS SOUTH PULP FROM SWANSON BAY

While proceeding out through the Princess May Arrives in Port After Uneventful Trip-Shipment of Salt Cod

her and she remained fast until the Skagway and Prince Rupert. Officers tide was at the flood, when with her of the May report having experienced Skagway the thermometer was low and considerable snow had fallen, but no strong galaw were blowled. During the white times is to be reached at the saggregation of the

Most of the passengers who came freight. Vesterday longshoremen commenced to stow the biggest cotton at Prince Rupert and left her at Vancargo sent from this coast in several couver. Among those who were aboard years beneath the Henley's hatches, the vessel were the following: Capt. She will have 8,000 bales, which is 2,000 Geo. Cunningham, who owns a large nore than the Osaka Shosen Kaisha wholesale business along the Skeena iner, Tacoma Maru, carried on Saturand who is en route south to spend the ine end of February next. day, the record shipment so far. After winter in California; W. Taylor, of the leading at Tacoma the Henley will pro-ceed to Seattle and later to Vancouver, panied by Mrs. Taylor; J. Sword, R. Roache, J. Christopher, and F. W.

As freight the Princess May brought

ENSIED OF DIVIN **ONCE MORE AFLOA**

WHITE LINER COMES OFF JAPANESE COAST

Has Been Ashore on Awa Peninsula for Six Months Accomplish Big Salvage Feat

"Empress of China floated to-day This was the brief but interesting

passengers and the second and classes were also light. The ther throughout was excellent but the deputation through Simon Leiser and James Forman.

These gentlemen reported that the games which usually add confirmed and attorney-general on December to the read attorney-general on December to the results of the council recity passenger agent of the C.P. R. detynation the council recity passenger agent of the C.P. R. detynation and the council recity passenger agent of the C.P. R. detynation to the council games which usually add conrable to the enjoyment of the
fire leaving Sydney on November
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complished what many shipping men

When the salvage expert arrived a M. Moon and P. G. Cox. The ner intention to reflect, and when the down the hatches and pump the holds this port consisted of the premier caught at a remark used full of air, forcing the water out. As which when the Makura had everyone hastened to remove the idea the vessel struck at an exceedingly she proceeded to Vancou- on his part that any imputation was high tide she cleared two reefs before kgs. of frozen meat, 10 crates rabbits, 105 cases cooked rabbits, 105 cases cooked boxes butter, 50 bags cofboxes butter, 50 bags coftes fresh nine applies 6 cases were lefter applies for the United Kingdom. Besides the cases were lefter the cases and mumps were the cases and mu

NEXT HARRISON SHIP FELT IN VICTORIA DUE CHRISTMAS DAY

Crown of Glacia Arriving From Carpenters Held Up for Want Report on Inspections of Ocean Europaen Ports-Blg Cargo for Her Outward Bound

of Material—Competition of American Mills

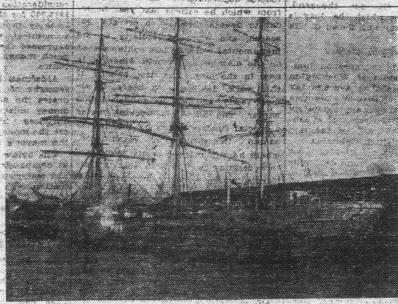
Next of the Harrison liners to arrive here from the Old Country will be the Crown of Glacia, and the agents for the company expect that she will reach Victoria about Christmas day.

The steamship is making the trip via Honolulu and is reported having left the Hawrisan port last Thursday for the Hawrisan side is on the intreduction of finished material, as sashes and doors from the Hawrisan port last Thursday for the Hawrisan port last Thursday for San Pedro. About next Monday she will reach San Francisco and after spending about three days there will come north to this port to discharge about 150 tons of European freight.

On her outward trip from the Sound in the March San Brancisco and after the duty and by the help of modern material about 150 tons of European freight.

On her outward trip from the Sound in the March San Brancisco and after the duty and by the help of modern material spending about three days there will come north to this port to discharge about 150 tons of European freight.

On her outward trip from the Sound in the March San Brancisco and steril and the agents the day are being held up for material on account of the shortage of lumber. The local mills are not able to meet the demands made upon them by the public health. Dr. A. T. Watt, superlines on the introduction of finished material, as sashes and doors from the American side is on the introduction of finished material, as sashes and doors from the American side is on the introduction of finished material, as sashes and doors from the American side is on the introduction of finished material, as sashes and doors from the demands made upon them by the public health. Dr. A. T. Watt, superlines, thus refeater part is given up to reports on public health. Dr. A. T. Watt, superlines, thus refeater part is given up to reports on public health. Dr. A. T. Watt, superlines, the demands made upon them by the fell up for material on account of the shortage of lumber of the storage of lumber part is given up to reports on the demands meet to meet



FRENCH BARQUE GENERAL FAIDHFTRE

Now discharging cement at the Outer Docks-She will clear shortly for Tacoma to load grain for the United Kingdom.

QUARANTINE WORK FOR TWELVE MONTHS

Passengers Made at Wildiam Head Station

Next of the Harrison liners to ar- A number of the earpenters of the city. In the annual report of the depart

which number there were 5,215 Chinese and 2,550 Japanese and 134 other Mrs. Thomas Walker, of this city. Mr. bered 4,734 and the steerage 14,392, of Gillard has been ordered to British these 11,655 were Chinese and 1,628 Columbia by his medical adviser, and Japanese. Other nationalties numbered 143, of whom 9 were Hindu. Some three months.

There were 24 stowaways reported, He brings news of the serious out-There were 24 stowaways reported.

During these twelve months there break of smallpox on board the British scenario of the ish steamship Willesden, which is ungraver quarantinable diseases on any der charter to the Blue Funnel line to of the vessels coming from foreign load for the Orient. The position was ports, and it has, therefore, been an a serious one for the owners of the exceptional year in that respect.

From Vancouver, the steamship olulu a week ago. amongst the recruits, who had been picked up subsequently to leaving the taken on two days before. The ef- peninsula at Funchal. fects of all the recruits, to the num- These miscellaneous immigrants apcruits bathed.

encountered en route. The L. Drury, Hon. E. G. Prior and Simon as November was the month of high to stow all the cargo offering in her had been falling and it was intended and the better part of a day ing the Hawiian port and almost a feared that she would never be floating the adoption of the following resolution. The Empress of China left here on steamship Honolulan, which is due here early in the delayed at San Shovember was the month of high to stow all the cargo offering in her holds. Following the Glacia in the credit to the Island, with its unrivalled that there had been falling and it was flavored that the epidemic. The ship had been specially adapted for the trade in which it was engaged. Magican, which is due here early in January.

The Empress of China left here on July 12 for Yokohama and other ports in the Orient. When approaching Francisco in discharging her freight, as Columbia market, and the result is the steamship Honolulan, which the members present at the interview in the members present at the interview of the members present at t experienced some of the dirtto land registry office matters were and on July 26 she ran ashore. A may celebrate the occasion the way it in defining what is manufactured lumber, after in her history. For seven made are satisfied that in the remarks

north China, more especially in Man-board are recorded to have done splen-churia, a severe epidemic of pneu-did work for the sick during the long monic plague has continued for the voyage.

were fatal, occurring before the dis- the whole question of dealing with inthis outbreak has not been explained, dragged into prominence. It is sugbut has been attributed to infection gested that the territorial authorities

pipe to replace a stretch of defective proper attention. piping and to give better fire protection. General repairs about buildings were made, also to plumbing, and the putting in of earthenware laundry tubs in steerage buildirge was effect-

Last August I accompanied Dr. Montizambert, director-general of public health, to Prince Rupert, when the reserve for the quarantine station was, in company with Dr. Tremayne, Hon. Hugh John Macdenald Succeeds quarantine officer, carefully gone over and the location of buildings settled, more particularly that of the hospital Winnipeg, Dec. 12.-At the conclusion now under construction. Beds, bed-

government, had been appointed police Evelyn, equipped with 25 H. P. gasomagistrate of. Winnipeg, succeeding line engine, was built in Victoria during the year for the Prince Rupert station, building and equipment of launch being under the supervision of myself and the staff at William Head sta

'The bacteriological laboratory has been more fully equipped, and under This was the statement of Mrs. Dr. Walker's charge is in readiness

cupied by but one leper during the San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 12.—At. II. Swope, when examined by Prose-cupied by but one leger during the A half month's pay was also granted tacked by two footpads early Sun-cutor Conklin in Judge Porterfield's twelve months. This case was that of to subordinate civil servants and cera Hindu found in a railway construcday, as he was entering the apartment court to-day. The woman was sum- a Hindu found in a railway construc-house where he resides, Charles F. moned after officers had searched dili-

SERIOUS RESULTS

SMALLPOX ON BOARD STEAMER WILLESDEN

News Brought by Makura Passengers of Problem Confronting Immigration Officials

(From Tuesday's Daily.) Passengers on board the Canadian-Australian liner Makura, which reached the outer wharf this morning included Mr. and Mrs. L. Gillard and family, who are coming here to visit Mr. and

vessel when the Makura was in Hon-

Princess May was remanded May 13 It appears that 1303 Spanlards joined by the provincial board of health, as the Willesden at Gibraltar, Captain C. ine of the passengers, from the north, E. Cox, master of the British steamwas found to have smallpox on the day ship, being an experienced hand in the he landed there. At the request of the transport of southern Europeans to provincial authorities, this steamer the plantations of the South Sea Islwas disinfected and the crew vaccin- ands. Many of them are deserted ated. On December 1, H. M. C. S. Rain- soldiers from the service of King Al ow reached the station, and the re- fonso, and some of them being excelwas made that the sickbay be lent fighters will prove useful settlers. fumigated, as a case of diphtheria had On board already when the Willesden een put in the city hospital in Van- reached Gibraltar were 417 Portuguese, This case had occurred who embarked at Oporto, and 124

ber of 23, were disinfected and the re- peared to have received good treatment, and the decks and sleeping quar-

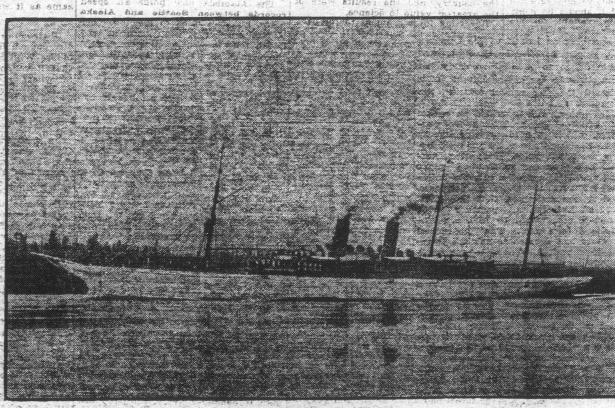
inquired into. In one case the illness carry such a large passenger list, and was thought to be suspiciously like when the Makura left it was freely yellow fever by a physician in one of predicted that the owners would not the ports touched at. This case died escape without the infliction of a fine at sea the following day, and a week or penalty for alleged infraction of later vessel arrived here. An inquiry some of the numerous provisions stip-brought out the fact that the patient ulated in the U.S. regulations. Forty had been poorly for some months and guards and employees had been placed was addicted to overdosing with drugs, in charge of the contacts on shipboard and that his death was superinduced and those removed to the quarantine by a fever which appeared to have station. When the liner left there were 20 cases of smallpox and 36 of measles There were in the hospital last being treated in the quarantine hospital two cases of smallpox which pital. A Spanish child had died. had been admitted at last of the pre- Thorough washing of the bodies in a vious twelve months' period. These medicated bath, and washing in disincases were convalescent, and were dis- fectant of the clothing have been recharged during the month of April last: sorted to by the immigration author-The cases of plague in Hongkong ities. All garbage and refuse from the and vicinity of Canton have not been ship are being loaded on a scow and numerous during the past season. In towed out to sea. Two lady nurses on

last three or four months. Fortunate- The whole question of the infected ly, there is no direct communication Willesden, and a recent case in the with north China with any of our Orteric, where disease developed in a ports. During the past month there similar way among a large body of was a sharp outbreak of Asiatic chol-immigrants, has roused keen feeling in era in Honolulu-31 cases, of which 22 the Hawaiian Islands, and it is feared ease was stamped out: The origin of migrants in the territory will be brought from Philippine islands by should secure a steamer of their own, properly equipped, to handle similar The work undertaken during the year, in the nature of repairs and improvements, consisted in repairing wharves and roads and putting in new purple to replace a street of defeature proper attention.

SEAT OF GOVERNMENT

Announcement Made at the Durbar-Grants to Officers and Men

Delhi, Dec. 12.-After the coronation of King George as Emperor to-day, Lord Hardinge announced that the King-Emperor had resolved to devote immediately fifty lakhs of rupees (about \$100,000) to the proomtion of popular education in India, and that further generous gifts would be made. He also announced that a half month's pay would be granted to the commissloned officers and the men, as well as the reservists of the British army in India, and that officers and men of the native army in India would be eligible hereafter to be awarded the Victoria Cross for bravery in the field of battle. A half month's pay was also granted tain classes of prisoners were to be re-



After being ashore since July 26 the White liner was floated from the reefs of the Japanese coast by the Mitsui Dockyard Company Monday and is now on her way to dry dock.

BANK ROBBER ESCAPES.

soap aided Jas. Howe, a bank robber, through the bars of the jail here last night. Howe weight as

high tide prevailed at the time and the should be. It is just possible that the steamer slid over two reefs before Bank liner Orteric, Capt. Findley, may striking. The sea was caim and the reach Victoria on Christmas day, but a striking. The sea was caim and the reach Victoria on Christmas day, but passengers and mails were taken off by Japanese fishermen and forwarded by Japanese fisher Daniels, and some of the engineers Orteric is using all her steam power to WINNIPEG POLICE MAGISTRATE. stood by the wreck while the rest of make port in time to participate in the

The white liner is to be repaired at been imposed by the U. S. department strong gales were blowing. In the open sounds coming south there was a heavy swell rolling in from the Pacific C. P. R. is at present badly in need of the department characterized as the May lifted a little. the Empress of China the work is to be rushed with all speed and alsenger set of 1882. The penalized vestors are the passenger act of 1882. The penalized vestors are the passenger act of 1882. The penalized vestors are the passenger act of 1882. The penalized vestors are the passenger act of 1882. The penalized vestors are the passenger act of 1882. The penalized vestors are the passenger act of 1882. The penalized vestors are the provincial capture meeting held ding, furniture and furnishings for this morning, announcement was made this hospital have been selected, and will be on hand when this building is complete. merous places and hundreds of new sel was employed to carry Spanish and plates and frames will be needed, it is Portuguese immigrants through Maexpected that the steamship will leave gellan Straits to Honolulu, before go-Yokohama on her homeward trip about ing on to Seattle for the trans-Pacific the late Hon. T. Mayne Daly. trade. Among the 424 passengers there were in the eight weeks of her voyage fifty-eight deaths, fifty-seven being of children. The general unsanitary con-

FOOTPAD SHOT.

Funnel line it is understood that she will load in the Orient for England. When the Henley cleared from Vanture Capt. Masters was given the clearance papers of the steamship charance papers of the s

the Late Hon. T. Mayne Daly.

of the provincial cabinet meeting held ding, furniture and furnishings

JUROR STILL MISSING. Kansas City, Me., Dec. 12 .- "I believe tion.

that keeping my husband away from Harry Waldron, wife of the missing for such work as may be required to juror in the trial of Dr. B. C. Hyde, the done there.

Darcy Island lazaretto has been oc

VOTERS' LEAGUE

CITIZENS ARE ASKED TO UNITE IN APPEAL

Earlier Closing of Saloons and Compulsory Saturday Half-Holiday Suggested

The Voters' League is circulating for later. signature in the city a petition dealing He had gone up river to hunt not tion, which was widely signed by bullet tearing an ugly would in the church members on Sunday, being lower part of the hunter's body. With submit to the electors at the next mu- to take him to Rupert. in the accompanying language:

opened not earlier than eight a. m. and closed not later than six p. m. on any from Alaska. day except Saturday, when the hour of closing shall be twelve o'clock noon, remaining closed until eight a. m. on the Monday following?"

The reasons for the change set forth in the petitions are fivefold, and are as follows:

Whereas it is admitted that there has been a considerable increase in the number of arrests and convictions for drunkenness in the city, the urgency Steamer to Continue Her Run diate attention.

"Whereas the excessive facilities for obtaining liquor is a potent cause of intemperance, we submit that the experience of other cities has proved that the earlier closing of saloons, hote bars and liquor stores has been invariably followed by a remarkable de crease, not only in cases of drunken- which struck at Dunsmuir Point Tuesness, but also other offences.

"Whereas it is evident that the present hours impose an unnecessary burden upon the employees, it is in their parently little damaged, and she is to Interests that the hours be reduced continue her trip to Clayoquot, returnand that they thereby be assured of a ing to this port about Friday or Satmore reasonable workday and of a urday. Joseph Clark, head carpenter weekly half-holiday on Saturday.

"Whereas the sale of intoxicating liquors is of less importance than the the tug Czar, failed to find any seribe granted any special privileges in re- of the coast service. gard to opening or closing. 'Whereas it is generally conceded

after six o'clock in the evening and until pulled into deep water by the after twelve noon on Saturdays." influentially signed and present it to Robertson attempted to get into comthe city council at an early date, so munication with the Leebro immedi-

the January election.

cipal council on Saturday the usual number of subdivision plans were dealt referred to the sanitary officer.

offer of R. Ledringham of five acres for PRIZE FIGHTS AND a gravel pit, as no provision has been a gravel pit, as no provision has been made in the estimates for this pur-

The council decided to approach the attorney-general's department in con nection with the Carroll case, which has recently been before the courts. The road superintendent will remove a fence on Tolmie avenue which is the English subject of complaint by Mr. Walker. The road superintendent reported that the sum of \$2,042.40 had been ex pended on the roads during the past

Mr. Pearse of Cadboro Bay, asked that the gradient on Sinclair road be When is a prize fight not a prize that the gradient on Sinclair road be When is a prize fight not a prize sand dollars would likely have to be improved. He will be incorred that no fight? When it's a boxing match, of found by the city. funds are available for this work. others petitioned to have Pollack road England the fighters or boxers are tryput in order, offering rock for same, ing to discover just how far they can Ald. Jackson, seconded by Ald. John- Miss Mollinson of Glencoe It was agreed to send the crusher there go in a boxing match without enat the earliest opportunity.

NEW MUNICIPALITY.

North Vancouver, Dec. 13.—The pro- was forbidden by a Birmingham court, submission of the by-law," the idea posed division of the District of North on the ground that it was a prize fight being to frame the by-law that Vancouver through the secession of West and would constitute a breach of the the debentures will be readily dis-Capilano and the formation of a new municipality is in a fair way to becoming an accomplished fact. The residents of the discontented area are taking active decision of which hangs the fate of steps towards that end.

At a meeting of the North Vancouver decided are: District Council a letter was received mittee having in hand the proposed sep-aration and incorporation of the West Vancouver District to request the council to withhold the \$250,000 Burrard Inlet Tun nel & Bridge Company bonds from sale until some arrangements had been made for the assumption by the new district of its proper proportion of the loan by the tion that the request should be complied with was carried.

Ratepayers! Association of West Capino suggesting that the river should be ting?" the boundary of the new municipality. It was moved and carried that the property owners in the proposed mun should write to the council in regard to

Owen Sound, Ont., Dec. 12.—The United: Broxburn vs. Heath; Falkirk vs. elevator plant of the C. P. R. was Queen's Park; Celtic vs. Dunfermline; totally destroyed by fire last night, with one million bushels of grain, both elevators being levelled to the ground. The C. P. S. steamers Keewatin and Athabasea were saved, slightly damaked. Other buildings were more or less badly scorched. The less will or less badly scorched. The less will or less badly scorched. The less will of the grain and wastern and a haif dollars. Kilmancek vs. Hamilton Academicals; had dislodged when he slipped off. He washington, D. C.; Dec. 13.—The House circus touring the Canadian provinces any other case where a couple wno marked to fire of fire of the case where a couple wno marked to the ground. Haith Rovers vs. Airdriaonians; Palsley attempted to grip the log with his oparite their golden when he slipped off. He washington, D. C.; Dec. 13.—The House circus touring the Canadian provinces and disloded when he slipped off. He washington, D. C.; Dec. 13.—The House circus touring the Canadian provinces at the case where a couple wno marked to the ground. The less will off all the golden missed to the case of the discrimination by agreed yesterday on the Sulzer resolution.

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FATALLY WOUNDED WHILE HUNTING

Man Succumbs to Injuries Sus- But "Fruit-a-tives" Cured Me tained by Accidental Discharme of Rifle

Prince Rupert, Dec. 13.—Hurried

with the earlier closing of saloons, far from the Grand Trunk Pacific hotel bars, and liquor store premises and was accompanied by a fellow on each day except Saturday, when countryman. While going through they ask the city council to enforce a the bush carrying his rifle the trigger compulsory half holiday, and this peti- caught and the gun went off, the available at many of the places of wor- difficulty he was packed to the railship in the city, will ask the council to way track and the train was flagged

nicipal election a referendum couched At the general hospital no hope was held out from the first for his re-"Shall the hours of the liquor trade covery, though he was a young man be reduced as follows: Saloons, hotel bars, and liquor store premises be

CITY NOT SERIOUS

to Clayoquot-Survey Reveals Few Injuries

steamer Queen City, Capt. Gillam, Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa. day morning, at Alberni Wednesday it of the C. P. R., who left yesterday on sale of foodstuffs, there is no valid rea- ous injuries to the steamer and reportson why the liquor license holder should ed to that effect to the local officials City Council Asked to Submit

The Queen City struck on Tuesday that excessive drinking takes place morning at 5 o'clock and remained fast steamer Leebro, under charter to the It is the intention to get the petition marine and fisheries department. Capt. grounded. He sent a wireless to Pa-city. chena and as the steamer passed there

Knight with regard to the insanitary thought that the Queen City might be low the listed price. Inspector Dundrainage of the University School was seriously damaged and be forced to nell had promised to forward plans "sweltered" yesterday, under a Decemabandon her present trip.

BOXING MATCHES

Know How Far They Can Go

course. There are various shadings of croaching in the realm of prize fights, which the law does not allow.

pugilism in England. The points to be

Does a big purse make the difference

a legal boxing contest?

ted at a legal contest? Are side bets legal?

SCOTTISH CUP DRAW.

Glasgow, Dec. 13 .- The following is the draw for the first round of the Scottish Football Cup to be played off on Satur day, January 27, 1912: Hearts of Middle-theinan vs. Hibernians; Leith vs. Ayr Kilmarnock vs. Hamilton Academicals; had dislodged when he slipped off. He

"Moorfield, Ont., March 25th, 1910. "I suffered from severe Indigestion and dyspepsia for nearly two years. could not take food without fearful

"I could not do any work and beward for death in a short time.



"At this time my son asked me to try ers. FRUIT-A-TIVES, and from the out-

weight. "HENRY SPEERS, J.P." "Fruit-a-tives" is sold by all dealers Following a survey of the C. P. R. 25c .- or sent on receipt of price by was granted.

By-law for Purpose of Raising \$6,500

city limits. Mr. Gurd stated that the trade in the Island and the Lower Main-Aboard the steamer when she struck board had already obtained an option land. were a large number of passengers, but on portion of block 41, for school purthere was no danger as the vessel lay poses, which the townsite company in an easy position. It was at first were offering them at 20 per cent. beand specifications of a suitable build- ber wave unprecedented in the history ing for manual training purposes, of the local weather bureau. Men and it was estimated that the total walked the streets in their shirtsleeves cost of installation, together with and several ventured to give their lixtures, etc., would be in the neigh- straw hats an airing. The mercury borhood of \$6.500. The board of rose to 68 degrees. trustees had decided to ask the council to submit a by-law to the rate-

further sum of about \$7,000 would be December 12 here in forty years. The Pugilists Want to required early in the new year for mercury rose to 60 during the afterthe purpose of completeing the pre- noon, with a humidity of 90 per cent. sent public school building and of putting the grounds in good shape. He hoped, however, that the provincial government would come through with a liberal grant in aid of this work, but some two or three thou-

Another lengthy discussion W. C. Grant, Gordon Head, and nine difference between the two, and in the outcome being the adoption of

That a committee Alderman Jackson and the city clerk The proposed boxing match between be instructed to ascertain particulars Owen Moran and Jem Driscoll, which re sale of debentures, prior to the peace, has been made the subject of posed of at the best figure avail-

BRAKEMAN KILLED.

from John G. Farmer stating that he had between a boxing contest and a prize at Spence's Bridge George McLeod, a been instructed by the adjustment comfight? Kamloops, Dec. 15.-While switching If so, what is the maximum limit for was instantly killed. He was hanging brakeman running out of this city, What is the size of a crowd permita signal to the engineer when the las street and Elliott street, and to and A. R. Wolfenden, the one alteraMiles building, Fort street...

Miles building, Fort street... latter noticed the lantern fall to the increase the accommodation of the tion from the previous year being the ground. The train was at once private hotel now being conducted substitution of Rev. W. Baugh Allan R. T. Elliott, Cormorant St. 2 How must a blow be delivered so as stopped and the unfortunate man's there by William Lovefoy. to keep within the law that a contest- body was found lying across the rail, The transfer of the building will take ant is not trying to "subdue" his op- two wheels having passed over his place from January 1, and building place next Tuesday at 4.30 at the city chest. It is presumed that McLeod operations are to commence immedi-What strength must a blow have so was knocked from his footing by a stely plans can be prepared for the ed together for the purpose. as not to constitute "illegal hard hit- switchstand. The deceased was a additions. single man, about 23 years of age and Miss Mollison sent an agent to Vichad been in the employ of the com- toria this week who returned yesterpany about eight months, coming here day to Vancouver, and prior to leavfrom Winnipeg, where his parents re- ing said that the deaf had been put side

Merritt, Dec. 13 .- Ole Olsen, a lumberjack, was killed by a log which he

TRAMWAY PROPOSAL

Representative of Company to Pay Visit to Nanaimo Next Week

came so run down and weak that I received word from the B. C. Hyinto the hospital from the train with could hardly walk. I was attended by draulic Company that a representative Reports of President and a serious wound in the abdomen two experienced doctors and they both of the company will visit the city Moncaused by the accidental discharge pronounced my case incurable, that day evening next and discuss with the of his rifle, Musike Rajkovich, a they thought my disease was HEART the close of the regular meeting last young Montenegrin who resided in FAILURE AND INCURABLE. The night the council met in committee and the Cetinje hotel, died a few hours dectors gave me up and I looked ferit and the company and it is understood the council will insist on 79 pound rails being laid within the city guarantee bond on the part of the com- president, occupaving the chair,

At the regular session a communiby S. Jemson, superintendent of moral education, follows:

"The Women's Christian Temperance Union of this city, desire to protest most strongly against the practice of displaying on the bill boards of the city pictures of women so scantily clothed as to be suggestive of evil to the year of some of the deferred payments on account of the sale of a certain property have placed a considermost respectfully urge that you in the sale of a certain property have placed a considermost respectfully urge that you in the sale of the board. On motion of Ald. Wilson, seconded by Ald. Shepherd, the communication was referred to the police commission-

On motion of Ald. Wilson, the coun was better, and gradually this medi- Water Works Regulation Amendment cine completely cured me. I took a Bylaw, with his worship in the chair. dozen, and now I am entirely cured and amended fixing the rate to consumers have gained over thirty pounds in outside the city limits, 35 per cent.

FORMAL APPROVAL ONLY.

E. & N. Extension to Alberni May Be Opened Any Day-Service Eagerly Waited. The extension of the Esquimalt & Na-

proval of the Board of Railway Commisline having been inspected by a representative of the board several days ago. As soon as the approval has been given a passenger and freight service will be commenced, and therefore trains may be

the ratepayers in the ordinary way at city, stating that the vessel had ing a manual training school for the no further delay once the necessary permit has been issued.

There will not be any formal opening Speaking on behalf of the trustees,

WARM WAVE IN EAST.

Boston, Dec. 13. - Boston all but

New York, Dec. 13.-After the local payers for the purpose of raising this weather bureau officials had gone through their records last night, they a said the day had been the warmest

CRITERION HOTEL PROPERTY IS SOLD

Lodge, Vancouver, to Double Capacity of Premises

for the sale of the Criterion hotel and if they would take more interest and Negotiations were closed on Tuesday land adjoining on the corner of Elliot The suggestion met with approval street, for the sum of \$50,000. The pur- The following committee of manchaser is Miss Jean Mollinson, pro- agement was elected by acclamation; St. James hotel prietress of Glencoe Lodge, Vancou- A. J. Bridgman, Rev. Leslie Clay, Prince George hotel

Miss Moil non intends to add to the Hayward, H. Dalias Helmcken, James Brown building building by the construction of a dup- H. Lawson, Rev. E. G. Miller, Rev.

through, and that the additions would

PASSPORT QUESTION.

COUNCIL DISGUSSES M DISCUSS AFFAIRS

Ladies Committee Were Satisfactory

The B. C. Protestant Orphanage held its annual meeting Tuesday limits, a rate of 5 cents within a radius afternoon in the Council Chamber of of five miles to miners and a \$10,000 the City Hall, Chas. Hayward, the

The proceedings were opened with a At the regular session a communi-cation was received from the local branch of the Wimen's Christian nual reports were then read, the branch of the Women's Christian president reading the report of the ommittee of management. The report shows that the home is in a very pros-perous condition financially, and the institution is extending its work, the number of children now in its care being fifty-one, an increase of fifteen during the year. The receipts during the year of some of the deferred paystruct the police to prevent the practive Everything, in fact, connected with the institution is in a most satisfactory and flourishing condition

In the report of the ladies' comm tee read by Mrs. McTavish, a very full account was given of the treatment of set of taking these wenderful tablets cil went into committee to consider the the children in the home, and of the improvements and changes which had taken place in its management. large number of boxes, perhaps a Clause 2 was struck out and clause 4 Eighteen children have been removed during the year by parents and guardians or have been placed with re above the regular rates. The commit- sponsible employers. During the sumtee rose, reported progress and asked mer an epidemic of measles and tonsileave to sit again at the next meeting litis broke out among the children, at 50c. a box-6 for \$2.50, or trial size, to further consider the bylaw, which which led to the establishment of an open-air ward in charge of a professional nurse. Grateful reference was made to the capable services of Miss Allen, who acted as matron for two NINETEEN BUILDINGS years: she has been succeeded by Mrs. Kaye in this position, who will be assisted by Miss Seggie as assistant matron.

Reference was also made to the naimo Railway from Cameron Lake to resignation of Dr. D. B. Holden, who Growing Time of Capital City it necessary to take this step. Grateoners at Ottawa to be inaugurated, the ful mention was made of the medical attendance and advice proffered by Dr. Fagan and Dr. Bapty. A resume of the happy holidays spent by the children on different occasions led one to running by Christmas. The event is one believe that the orphans are well which is eagerly waited in the twin towns looked after in this respect. Mr. and struction in Victoria, that is those on -Alberni and Port Alberni-as several Mrs. S. R. Newton were again the rears of agitation seem now likely to see recipients of the thanks of the comneir realization, and the west coast of mittee for the picnic which they gave part, from basement excavations to fin-Crambrook, Dec. 18.—A delegation the Island will be brought for the first the children at their home at Oak ishing work, were stood one on top of the rom the school board waited on the time in touch with the settled districts by Bay in September last. Through the other there would be a building eighty that the referendum may come ately after news was received in this city council at its last meeting regard-dule has been prepared, and there will be the referendum to the referendum may come ately after news was received in this city council at its last meeting regard-dule has been prepared, and there will be the reference in the stories in height above ground, and nine inmates of the home who were able to teen stories below ground. attend saw the pictures of the Coronation pageant shown at the Vic-SAANICH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

She was signalled. The Banfield lifeboard also went to the assistance of the Was placed and some hardly yet bearing the Carroll Case Not Finished Yet.

Detail Matters Before Local Authority—Carroll Case Not Finished Yet.

At the meeting of the Saanich municipal council of the Was successful in pulling the Carroll Case Not Finished Yet.

At the meeting of the Saanich municipal council of the was successful in pulling the Carroll Case Not Finished Yet.

Speaking on behalf of the trustees, and as the steamer passed there she was signalled. The Banfield life-boat also went to the assistance of the weather, the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful page and the children from the council of the weather, the cereboat also went to the assistance of the weather, the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful page at the first the circular form of the weather, the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful page at the first the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful page at the first the carry which gave the children from the council of the weather, the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful page at the council of the weather, the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful page at the council of the weather, the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful page at the children from the council of the weather, the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful page at the council of the weather, the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful page at the council of the weather, the cereboat also went to the assistance of the weather, the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful page at the title carry that the cereboat also went to the assistance of the weather, the cereboat also went to the assistance of the weather, the cereboat and stories and some hardly yet beautiful page at the title carry that the cereboat almost completed and some hardly yet beautiful pupils of St. George's School, contri- The largest of the new buildings is the buted largely to the pleasure of the Belmont building, for which rock excavabuted largely to the pleasure of the Belmont building, for which rock excavation in the committee rejoiced in the fact that the Right Rev. Bishop Cridge was still among them, happy and well, and are looking forward to the return of the looking forward to the return of the Victoria's already splendid hotel achonorary secretary, Mrs. A. Toller, who was obliged to temporarily dis-buildings are finished, which will be in

as treasurer. Acknowledgement was struction that is now in progre gratefully made to the two daily With the exception of the apartmen different churches; the Duncan's

comfort of the children. perous balance of \$1,161.53.

Owing to some question which arose perly cared for, Mrs. McTavish, reply is proceeding. ing on behalf of the ladies' committee, assured the meeting that there was no ground, the contractors now being Rev. E. G. Miller made the suggestion that it would lead to much personal satisfaction, and would also place members of the men's committee in a position to refute any rumors as to Belmont the mismanagement of the Orphanage

Right Rev. Bishop Cridge, A. D. Challoner & Mitchell Crease, Lawrence Goodacre, Charles B. C. Telephone in the place of Bishop Perrin.

The election of officers will take half, when the committee will be call-

ANXIOUS TO RETURN HOME.

St. Paul, Dec. 13.-The two 18-year-old Cree Indians, Earl Daniels and Julian Wood, held in the county Jail, have bebe made as soon as the transfer is between the United States and Canada. They are finding it much more difficult to get home to the Cree Indian reservaleave last summer to join a travelling Washington, D. C.; Dec. 13.-The House circus touring the Canadian provinces

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

On Christmas Morning as on any other winter day. you can make your home more comfortable and cheery by using a Perfection Smokeless Heater.

Its genial warmth is quickly at your service, ready for use in emergency. You will need it as a supplementary heater when those extra cold spells come. Later you will find it just the thing for the changeable weather of early spring.

The Perfection Heater is light and easily carried. It is safe in the hands of a child—the safest and most reliable heater made. Drums finished either in blue enamel or plain steel, with nickel trimmings - an ornament to any room.

A special automatic device makes smoking impossible. All parts easily ned. Gallon font; burns nine hours. Cool handle; damper top. Dealers everywhere: or write for descriptive circular to any agency of

The Imperial Oil Company, Limited

EIGHTY STORIES IN

ARE OCCUPYING LABOR

Shown by Tier on Tier of Bricks and Concrete

If the buildings at present under con which the work is being done in some

continue her services in the committee the first months of the new year. The work. Mrs. W. R. Higgins has also office accommodation will be greatly enbeen enabled to return to her duties hanced by the modern and fire proof con-

papers; to the Jubilee Hospital; the houses, the telephone building and on building of two stories, the construction Christian Aid Society, and others who have contributed in any way to the Progress on the office blocks is notice Mr. A. J. Bridgman read the trea- street for Bradshaw, Martin and Mary surer's report. The total receipts for mont, which is up to the lifth storey. The the year have been \$13,730; total ex- McPherson and Fullerton block is built penditure, \$12,568.47; leaving a pros-perous balance of \$1,161.53. building on Blanchard street is almost completed. the Prince George hotel is Owing to some question which arose during the discussion which followed the reading of the reports, relative to rumors which had come to the knowledge of certain members of the knowledge of certain members of the knowledge of certain members of the street, are completed and the initial work board that the children were not pro-

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> Storeys. Price. Building. Empress hotel Bradshaw, Martin & Mary McPherson & Fullerton 85,000 55,000 27,500 Hong Sing Tong 23,000 23,000 Dinsdale apartment house .. 3

GOLDEN WEDDING

of golden weddings are not rare, but there were unusual features about the golden wedding that was celebrated at the of Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong of New West minster on Sixth street on Saturday Fifty years ago, on the ninth day of

cember, Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong were

married and settled down in a home on the spot where they are still living. His nonor, Judge Howay, asked if he knew of ried and settled down in Westminstein had which were extended to the coupl lived to celebrate their golden wedding Saturday evening. Relatives and from the place where their married life begathered to felicitate them and to gan, said he had not heard of any, and tend all the good wishes which go

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FOR CHILDREN TO ENLARG

RELIEVE FEVERISH HEAT. PREVENT FITS, ETC.

and preserve a Healthy state of the Constitution. These Powders contain NO POISON. Manney Commencer of the Commencer of the

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF COAST. Take notice that the Vano south coast, thence west 80 cha north 28.09 chains, thence east

thence south 28.09 chains.
THE VANCOUVER TIMBER & TRING COMPANY, LIMITED.
WILLIAM BENJAMIN VAUGHAN September 12th, 1911

LAND ACT

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

Take notice that I, William B. Viof Vancouver, B. C., a lumberman to apply for permission to purch following described lands: Compared to the control of the at a post planted on the nort line of Lot 724, about 20 chains orthwest corner of said Lot outh coast of Hardwick Isla columbia, and about a mile orth from said south coast, the chains, thence north 28.09 cha WILLIAM BENJAMIN VAUG

LAND ACT

DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE \$400,000 intends to apply for p Commencing at a post planted E. corner of the Nusscrek I 190,000 E. corner of the Nusserea 2 serve, situated about 10 miles Coola, thence north 20 chains to shore line of North Bentin 125,000 chains more or less, thence chains, thence west 40 chains commencement, containing 80

> or less. MRS. SCROTA JANE ROLAN B. FILLIP JACOBSEN, Age

> > LAND ACT

COAST DISTRICT, RANGE Take notice that William of Victoria, farmer, intends 21,000 permission to purchase the following d scribed lands, about 180 acres: Commening at a post planted on the southwater to northwest corner of Lot 620, thence south 30 chain ations there west 80 chains, thence north 30 chain thence west 80 chains more or less to polloden

October 9th 1911. October 9th, 1911.

> NOTICE TO FARMERS—For sale, oughbred brood mare, sired by Patchen out of Arabella. Apply F. Banfield, 402 Skinner street West.

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conditions hare Since the present el salaries . the low have advanced by the first year firen The present rates to The present rates to so stand in all clas who have been as month, and are no October 1 last.

The salaries paid deputy chief, \$1,800 smith, \$105 a month, fourth year firemen \$80 a month, head chaffe chaffeurs \$90 a month, and electric.

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lictoria Fire Brigade is Not Highly Paid in Comparison With Other Cities

Municipal authorities in the East are gaging in several cities in discussing salaries to be paid firemen, and the ce the present chief was appointed the ies of the lowest class of firemen advanced by degrees \$15 a month, first year firemen receiving now \$70. have been advanced another \$5 a ernment street. and are now \$1,200 a year since r 1 last.

salaries paid are: Chief, \$3,000: chief, \$1,800; captain and black-\$105 a month, captain \$95 a month men \$80 a month, second year \$75 a month, and first year \$70 a and electrician \$90 a month. are few cities which do not pay iremen a minimum of \$1,000 a year, is above the minimum for this city, oite of this being perhaps the most The firemen of the fourth class

are general everywhere. iven above are difficult to contrast, as lites of this size are few on the Pacific sast, while Tacoma, for instance, pays solvier a lawar solary than the solvier of the paid by Ede. its chief a lower salary than the deputy chief of this city, with less than half the

TO ENLARGE PRINCE

Plans From Architects in the City

the proposal made that the government be approached to grant a contribution of \$10,000 toward the building

38,000 or \$10,000, and that the new wing be employed in the yards. would cost less than the present build-

committee of the board will arfrom the architects of the city.

The flames, which originated in but was never used locally. the kitchen, spread with such alarmng rapidity that in fifteen minutes Gustafson losing 360 in cash, while will decide at the meeting on Wednes\$250 in loose cash belonging to the day the four members to retire from proprietor was destroyed. From the first it was seen that the place was doomed, and all efforts was destroyed was seen that the place was doomed, and all efforts was all offerts was all offe to prevent the flames from spreading to the adjoining property. The buildloss at about \$7,000.

LACROSSE CUPS PRESENTED.

Ladner, Dec. 11 .- The annual banquet of the Delta Lacrosse Association was held in McNeely's Hall, and After suitable responses the gathering no introduction to Yietoria was finished with dancing.

for of the Herslo for some years. | commence sharp at & s'clock.

LOCAL NEWS

Y. M. C. A. Directors.—A meeting of he directors of the Y. M. C. A. was sold on Tuesday when it was decided ons for the use of the association rooms for meeting purposes. The con-sensus of opinion was that the assolation should not be regarded as indorsing or fostering any political or factional party or controversy and the use of its rooms should not be permitted for such purposes.

000 New Development League. - The Campbell River Development League Thornhill, F. R. G. S., secretary. The league will establish a branch office

000 Election Expenses.-W. H. Langley, agent for Hon. Wm. Templeman, in the Dominion election, has published the statutory advertisement of expenses incurred by the candidate. These are set down as follows: Rent of theatre, head chaffeur \$90 a month, other hall and offices for meeting, \$485; telephone in connection therewith \$29.55; lighting, \$13.55; chairs, furniture, carpenter work and sundries, \$313.45; transportation of same, \$23.85; stationery, \$34.30; printing and advertising, \$373.50. Total, \$1,274.90.

000 ontreal gets \$625 a year, and \$575 in to, and with the extra cost of liverer it cannot be claimed that the sare spending too much on the fore Judge Lampman in connection are spending too much on the fore Judge Lampman in connection a verdict of \$35,000 against Mrs. Matters of their brigade. The only other with a charge of assault committed at wances are quarters and uniform, where general everywhere.

The spending too much on the fore Judge Lampman in connection a verdict of \$35,000 against Mrs. Matter wances are quarters and uniform, which are general everywhere. pleaded guilty and was allowed to go Phillips' former husband, John W. pleaded guilty and was anowed to so pleaded guilty and was another guilty and gui the ring of the fire alarm may be the against whom he held the grudge opened yesterday. Mrs. Thomas is 61 the pay should be high enough to act the best class of men. The figures was compelled to seek medical as a month from Seattle real estate

U. C. T. Dance.-The United Compopulation, but the City of Destiny, how- mercial Travellers' dance will be held circles in Alexandra Club rooms on Wednes- worth, fermerly a messenger boy in the poor salaries paid the fire fight-day evening, December 27, and will no this city, was killed yesterday morn-of the community.

doubt prove to be the dance of the ing while riding on the top of a pasdoubt prove to be the dance of the ing while riding on the top of a pas- sterling. At its head is Sir George enforce a working law so as to produce season. Tickets are limited as to num senger coach from Seattle to this city. ber in order to avoid overcrowding. Ashworth, with two companions, was who is prominently identified with the wrong in principle, their decisions can who is giving out this information." Tickets are on sale from any of the stealing a ride on top of the coach fishing industry in the North Sea, and mot be just and at the same time in the refusive members and several prominent stores. When his hat became of it and his head out to Victoria as managing director.

Tickets are on sale from any of the stealing a ride on top of the coach fishing industry in the North Sea, and his son, Wilfred V. Doughty, is coming out to Victoria as managing director.

The refusive members and several prominent stores. When his hat became of it and his head out to Victoria as managing director. members and several prominent stores. When his hat blew off. He stood up to Special attention is being paid to see what became of it and his head out to Victoria as managing director. Two steam trawlers are to be sent out from Grimsby almost at once, coming nations of labor and capital, but agree that the law ought to recognize and protect all legitimate combinations of labor and capital, but agree that the law ought to recognize and the roof of the car the body remain-RUPERT HOSPITAL music and a good orchestra in charge struck a bridge beam. He fell dead to the roof of the car, the body remainwill be a feature of the ball. 0 0 0

Board Will Call for Competitive concon Hill on Saturday afternoon be- by the police. tween the J. B. A. A. and Y. M. C. A it is hoped there will be a large turnout. On Friday night a meeting of the
Y. M. C. A football alark Y. M. C. A. football club will be held when officers will be elected. This Prince Rupert, Dec. 11.-The most im- evening at 9 o'clock the members of portant item in the business of the the Harrier Club will go out for hospital board at its last meeting was run. On Wednesday night, commend

Woodworkers Organize .- At the orof a new wing to the present hospital, ganization meeting of the cabinet and and the city be asked for another \$40,- woodworkers of the city at the Labor and the city be asked for another \$40.

The hospital board holding themselves responsible for the furnishing and equipment of the new wing.

The woodworkers of the city and the city are the city are the city and the city are t Mayor Manson was present and as appointed. In view of the statements of the Snohomish high school came made at the meeting that Orientals overnment would most assuredly give are handling machinery at some of the handsome grant, and that he would local mills the need of co-operation saved the lives of Tracy Cox and his his own best influence to get the was felt to be urgent, and the while wife, who had been overcome by gas 000 to be asked for. As for the civic men so engaged are determined to in their new home. ant he was not prepared to say commence an agitation in favor of the ich beyond that he believed the city displacement of the Asiatics from meafford next year to give, say, chanical work, even if the latter are to

000 The first new flag of the Chinese revo- ler, of that city, the culmination of an range to call for competitive plans lution has made its arrearance in the old romance. On their return they local Chinatown, and the white sun on were treated to a surprise party by the reported this morning in the election before you and your response was work. A motion by Messrs. Palmer and the considerate. But conditions have boys and girls of the school with returns from those sent in last night considerate. But conditions have boys and girls of the school with and those only in size of the different of the past two years, that we find ournight ten of the girls called on the past two years, that we find ournight ten of the girls called on the Rainy River reports are uncertain selves in virtually the same condition. aring services in getting subscrip- white and blue standard might ten of the guild services in getting subscrip- white and blue standard might ten of the guild standard might ten of the constant services in getting subscriptions and organizing the establishment been flown by the sympathizers with Cox couple and Mrs. Cox went to the Preston, the former member, is said as before the constant of the couple and the constant of the couple and been flown by the sympathizers with five John Houston ward was passed manimously.

Cox couple and Mrs. Cox went to the former member, is said to have a majority of 150, although ments on the gas stove. She is unflag was introduced a few weeks since flag was in Denoro the other day destroyed the flag in existence, the first having been Mr. Cox went back to the kitchen He most column Pacific hotel, owned by Exel Gustaf- a white one with little ormentation,

000 Decision by Lot.-As the contingency the inmates were unable to save their upon which the new elections of April doomed, and all efforts were directed "In case the elections, to be held puring and contents were a total loss, no shall retire before, and four persons insurance being carried by Mr. Gus-shall be elected in their places, at the Commissioner Rees Visited Victoria taison. A recent estimate places the annual elections in 1912. The persons to retire shall be determined by lot by the trustees before the thirty-first day of December, 1911." Lots will accordingly be cast by the members to

select the four who retire. of the evening was the presentation of tennial Methodist church, in which all the evening was the presentation of tennial Methodist church, in which all the Mackenzie Cup and the Agriculthe Bible classes of the city will take the Agricultural Society Cup. The eration, will speak on Federation work winners were warmly congratulated on the wonderful control work during the season, and will tell of the wonderful control work during the season, and quests in moral reform that Bible small percentage of the whole. The words of commendation were spoken classes have won when federated to for the other teams in the league, gether. Rev. I. W. Williamson needs Biblo adjourned to the Delta Hotel where classes and his address on the subject, a banquet was served. The evening "Vision, Vigor, Victory" will be a

TOTAL MILLION

Canadian Nort ern Payments for December Will Show Increase Over November

Vancouver, Dec. 13.-According to a Will Appropriate \$200,000 for statement given out at the executive has been formed and application has offices of the Canadian Northern railbeen made to the Vancouver Island way, the total disbursements of the Development League for affiliation company for the month of November James McBean is president and John were \$708,000. This amount was disbursed to the Northern Construction present rates took effect in May, and either at Duncan or Campbell River, Company and Welch for railway contand in all classes except engineers, while the head office is at 517 Gov- struction work, and also includes the

to reach nearly \$1,000,000 and will each nonth show a gradual increase for the ext twelve months.

AWARDED \$35,000.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 12.-Mrs. Eliza E. Phillips, of Spokane, has obtained

INSTANTLY KILLED.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 12.-Harty Ashing there until the train arrived in Portland. The two companions who Y. M. C. A. Athletics .- A practice guarded the body after the accident football game will be played at Bea. were taken into custody afterwards

OVERCOME BY GAS

Rescued in Unconscious Condition by High School Girls

Snohomish, Wash., Dec. 12-The girls promptly to the rescue last night and

Mr. Cox. who was a noted football

coach of the Snohomish High school eleven. Last week he went to Walla New Chinese Revolutionary Flag.- Walla and married Miss Pearl Schalalso failed to re-appear. Promptly personal belongings, a sister of Mrs. were based has occurred, the board up bodily and rushed them to the open doctor. Mr. Cox was soon revived, but ton, North Wentworth.

LOOKING BACKWARD.

Twenty Years Ago-S. A. Progress.

sioner Rees, then as now head of the in South Ontario, A. Aubin in Sturgeon ing her purchases. Great Bible Class Rally.—The Bible Salvation Army in Canada, who was Falls was opposed by a very strong "Consequently we feel that she should real. visiting in Victoria at that time as he and popular man, Magean, and Col, be on the same schedule as the man, for a free enthusiastic investment of influence. The singing will be under such as the leadership of one of the best song that they parade through the streets of the feeling in Toronto is well illusated the feeling in t

SCORES GOMPERS AND FEDERATION OF LABOR

COMPENSATE SEALERS

the Purpose—Long Standing Question Settled

U. S. CONGRESS MUST

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be regulated by the four countries, Congress will have to appropriate

ENGLISH COMPANY TO JEVELOP FISHERIES

Big Concern Which Will Fish Northern Waters

With the object of engaging in the deep- fessed." round the Horn to these waters, and it is intended to follow them with several more. The company's prospectus sets legitimate is difficult." forth that it will establish fish depots, cameries, curing and cold storage plants on Porcher Island, and that arrangements have been made with the Grand Trunk Pacific for a site for these and for all trackage facilities that are required. De-Skidegate and at Cumshewa Inlet, \$250,000 being the estimated cots of these works. The works of the Queen Charlotte Islands General Development Company at Skide-gate are to be taken over and greatly Petition Has Been Forwarded

The company plans, according to its prospectus. to engage extensively in canning, curing and packing of fish, manufacture of fishe fish food, extraction of fish oil, manufacture of fertilizer and cognate industries.

LATEST RETURNS

Number of Well-Known Canplayer, is a teacher of history and didates Defeated in Provincial Elections

both Mr. and Mrs. Cox unconscious on (acclamation), East Simcoe, Stormont, the increase in cost of living, during the floor, and the room filled with West Wellington, South Wentworth. the hotel was burned to the ground. Owing to the rapid spread of the rapid spread of the fire, owing to the rapid spread of the fire owing Prescott, Sturgeon Falls, East Welling- ada,

Liberals 22; at disolution, 12.

Labor, 1; same as last. This shows eleven gains for the Lib- of ours.

President of National Association of Manufacturers Also Attacks the McNamaras

McNamara brothers, were the subjects scheduled for discussion to-day at the second session of the National Business Congress. The bitter attack Franklin, an investigator employed by against union labor made yesterday the defence in the murder trial of Washington, D. C., Dec. 12.-Ratifica- by Henry M. Wallis, of Wisconsin, was James B. McNamara, just ended, was Company and Welch for railway construction work, and also includes the salaries of the engineering staff. II is certain the salaries of the engineering staff. II is contractors and then in turn to their men, gets back into circulation in Vangets and iVctoria in nature of support of sup plies and other necessaries.

As the working force has recently been greatly increased the total payments during December are expected ment of the fisheries.

Congress will have to appropriate gramme at the morning session also, for a speech on "State Trust" as he called the federation, was sharp. He called the federation of Labor "Samdes and Japanese scalers for the abandon ment of the fisheries.

Congress will have to appropriate gramme at the morning session also, for a speech on "State Trust" as he called the federation, was sharp. He called the federation of Labor "Samdes and Japanese scalers for the abandon does not seek an early trial. tin, of New York, was on the pro- may replace grand jury proceedings, behind the left ear showed how he called the federation, was sharp. He called the Federation of Labor "Samuel Gompers' Monopolistic Labor Maof the country" which left no shadow of doubt that its policy is to employ ny means, no matter how brutal, un-

of their guilt, but because they con- about me."

capital of a quarter of a million pounds partment or industrial committee car Namara case.

HIGHER SALARIES

to Vancouver Board of Trustees

Vancouver, Dec. 11 .- An effort is beng made by the teachers in the high same be properly protected. schools of Vancouver to have their salaries increased. In a letter to the board of school trustees the teachers not been dealt with by the board; it is still in the hands of the management committee, which is making a thorough investigation preparatory to reporting to the hand. It is expected bruised and otherwise to the hand. It is expected bruised and otherwise to the hand. It is expected bruised and otherwise to the hand. It is expected bruised and otherwise to the hand. FROM ONTARIO set forth their claims. The matter has not been dealt with by the board; it in full:

The Conservative gains are East Ot- according to a very conservative estithe girls went to investigate and found tawa, South Perth, North Renfrey mate, have advanced so as to make

"Moreover the cost of living in Van The following figures shows the couver is very much higher than it is standing of the present house with that in Toronto, where both the minim and maximum salaries are higher. It Conservatives 83; at dissolution, 87. is considerably higher than in Win-

erals and seven for the Conservatives. "Again, male and female teachers re-Among the Conservative members of quire the same time and have equal ing several days' stay in that city. the former parliament who went down expenditure in acquiring an education. Turning over the files of the Dally to defeat were Phil Bowyer at East. The lady teacher does her work as goes to Montreal to take part in the Prince Rupert, Dec. 11.—At "Hole in Proceedings of the public health control well as the man, and there is no dispersion. He will be the guest of the Wall," Mile 59, work has begun on is given on February 10 with Commis- largely into the fight, Charlie Calder crimination in ner favor when mak-

army has established several, rescue in the French counties of Stormont cordingly submit to you the unanimous tion of voters, were made yesterday by homes for fallen women in the Domin- and East Ottawa. The latter account- requests formulated at a meeting of Jesse H. Wice, of Waynesburg, Pa., ion, including one in Victoria, besides ed for by the candidature of L. J. the combined staffs of the King Ed- a defeated candidate for congress be-"Vision, Vigor, Victory" will be a army is constantly growing, and we strong appeal to Bible class members are sending out branches in all directions of a free enthusiastic investment of tions. It is not long from the time a gual schools.

letter, the attached memo., compiled from various authoritative sources. "We thank you in anticipation for he careful consideration we are con dent you will give our requests." The attached memo. referred to i the communication is a tabulated statement dealing with the cost in Vancouver, Calgary, Winnipeg and Toronto. The teachers claim that dur-ing the past two years the cost of living has increased 25 per cent., and that there has been no radical change

LOS ANGELES BRIBERY CASE.

in the wage schedule.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 12.-Burt H.

Attorney Darrow flatly denied any jail sentences or to be run out of complicitly in the affair.
"I do not know what words had pass-

awful or unreasonable which would ed between Franklin and Lockwood," produce a condition where workers he said. "I had nothing to do with him be "absolutely at the mercy and dic-and the jurors. Lockwood, I am told, Sir George Doughty at Head of labor trust." said later in the day that he spoke to Franklin about the big fellow, saying H. Simmons, on Boone avenue, by a Again, he characterized the labor that he supposed I was meant, and organization as "a cold, merciless or- Franklin replied, 'I did not mean Darganization with no regard for the flag row, I meant Captain White.' It looks A. H. Simmons, N. P. depot master. "and said labor leaders asked punish- as if Lockwood might have used my ment for the McNamaras, not because name when Franklin was not talking town and as she let herself into the

sea fisheries of this province a strong. Speaking on a proposed amendment was asked yesterday about a box recompany has been formed in Great to the Sherman anti-trust law, to proceived at the United States marshal's the girl's uncle Chauncey entered the was asked yesterday about a box re- was struggling with the intruder when Britain under the title of British Co-lumbia Fisheries, Limited, and with a Tork, said: "No court or executive de-gathered in connection with the Mc-"Who told you that? Who told you

Doughty, M.P. for Grimsby, England, the right results. As long as the law is that?" he demanded. "I want to know He refused to say anything more Asked as to the termination of the

grand jury investigation, he said it "might be two days or several years," before the end came. It was said to before the end came. It was said to be fairly certain that the local investigation would not last long

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

Nanaimo, Dec. 11.-In the Provincial Court House Coroner Drysdale held an quiry in connection with the death of John Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Y. M. C. A. Boys Council Met Fred Hunter, Gillespie street, who was un over by a locomotive.

The jury brought in a verdict that the cause of death was purely accidental and no one was responsible adding the recommendation that the age of boys employed on locomotives in any capacity be not less than 16 that no person be allowed to ride on the front of a locomotive until the

YOUNG MAN INJURED.

reporting to the board. It is expected bruised and otherwise injured. He of the Australian and local Y. M. C. A. that the report will be forthcoming at was picked up by a companion and boys will be held on Sunday afternoon, some of the board meetings in the near afterwards taken to the hospital. He December 30, and that the visitors will some of the board meetings in the near future. The text of the letter follows in full:

was operated on to find the extent of be entertained in the gymnasium on his injuries, and it was found that he Monday morning. Of course no definite "Two years ago, we teachers found had a badly dislocated hip. Leo and steps can be taken by the Y. M. C. A. Toronto, Dec. 12.—Few changes are demands upon us. We laid the matter

TRIAL DELAYED.

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 12.-After a year and a half in the Hudson county lows: General arrangements commitjail awaiting some definite disposition tee, Rev. Brewster, chairman; Marshall of having slain his wife at Lake Como. Italy, in June, 1910, is facing another year and a half of inaction. All the ing that the case shall take its tedious stop at the homes of the Y. M. C. A. course. The young man's father, Judge Paul Charlton, of Porto Rice, and others of the man's family have made life-saving and first-aid. Warren Long o movement to hasten judicial action, will take charge of the classes in life Monck, North Norfolk, South Ontario, cent, higher here than in Eastern Can-Supreme court.

Ottawa, Decv. 12.-The Duke and of the basketball season indoor basket-Duchess of Connaught, accompanied ball will be inaugurated. nipeg, where the minimum is \$180 by Princess Patricia, Major Lewther higher and the maximum is within \$60 and several aides-de-camp, left for to hold a series of fireside talks, be-Montreal to-day, where they will oc- ginning early in January. cupy Lord Strathcona's residence dur-To-morrow morning Premier Borden Thomas Shaughnessy while in Mont-

VOTE BUYING.

washington, Dec. 12.—Charges that washington, Dec. 12.—Charges that and the Salvation Army in Canada has one of the strongest characters in the land lacrosse team, champlons of the teresting ever held in this city. Alleague. C. Trim presided. H. J. bert Stabler, who is the teacher of the land Valentine Stack of Sauth Borth. ote-buying and selling is done in the Hutcherson presented the Mackenzie largest Bible class in British Columbia of his remarks he said: "As to the strength of the Army in Canada I have the dignity and honor of our product of the Venezuer Fed.

Trim presided. H. J. bert Stabler, who is the teacher of the said: "As to the and Valentine Stock of South Perth, lieve we are right when he say that largest Bible class in British Columbia strength of the Army in Canada I have and president of the Venezuer Fed.

The bilingual question did not help the dignity and honor of our product of the Venezuer Fed.

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The bilingual question did not help the dignity and honor of our product of the Venezuer Fed. and Fig. Mackenzie, M. L. A., and president of the Vancation work ion, including one in Victoria, besides ed for by the candidature of L. J. the combined staffs of the King Ed- a defeated candidate for congress be- that steps to reorganze the United doing much for charitable work. The Kehoe, an Irish Roman Catholic, from ward and the Britannia high schools, fore the house committee on elec- Wireless Telegraph company, which

WITHIN FOUR DAYS

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Union labor, President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor and the Court.—Attorney Darrow's Home—Bookkeeper Shot Home Bookkeeper Shot Dead by Burglar

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 12.-The third

Following the dozens of holdups, chine" and said organized labor had chief of counsel for McNamara, was a "determined policy either to control brought into the case twice by without ruin the commerce and industries nesses at the preliminary hearing. rounding up suspicious characters for

keeper for County Auditor Butler, was shot and killed about 6 o'clock last night in the house of his brother. A. burglar, who had attacked Miss Libby Simmons, the 16-year-old daughter of

The girl arrived home from down house with a latchkey she was con-Special Investigator Oscar F. Lawler fronted by the armed burglar. She room and shot Chauncey, leaving the dead body on the floor as he fled.

The girl was a prisoner in the closet for nearly two hours, when she finally managed to release herself, and gave the alarm. No trace of the murderer

AUSTRALIAN BOYS

Monday' Night to Make Arrangements

At the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. years, and a further recommendation Boys' Council Monday evening the big item of business was the arranging of all details in connection with the reception to be accorded the Australian boys, who, forty in number, will reach

of appointing committees and assign ing each to the various tasks of pre-

paration. Committees were appointed as folof the case, Porter Charlton, accused Henderson, Beckworth, Jimmy Cammittee, R. W. Clark, chairman, and Freeman Harding.

It was arranged for the visitors to Other business of last night's meeting was the formation of classes in

have to be conducted. A schedule for inter-class basketball will be drawn up and the game started as soon as possible. On the close The educational committee decided

G. T. R. RAILWAY BRIDGE.

Exchumsick river. The sub-contract for the work has been secured from Messrs, Foley, Welch & Stewart by Messrs. Johnson, Carey and Helmers. bridge building engineers of St. Paul. Washington, Dec. 12.-Charges that A start has been made on the easings for the concrete piers. There will be three of these to span the river. The bridge will be a strongly built steel

WILL BE REORGANIZED.

New York, Dec. 12 .- It is announced got into financial difficulties as the re sult of the misconduct of former ofthe maximum should be at least \$130 OXFORD DEFEATS CAMBRIDGE. ficials, are to be taken at a meeting

INVESTIGATING THE **CAUSE OF BERI-BERI**

Director - General of Public Health Describes Work Being Done Elsewhere

Occasionally trans-Pacific liners from Japan have been held up by quarantine officials on the American Pacific side owing to cases of beri-beri among the gastritis could be obtained. Com-Japanese passengers or crew. In this missary officers, prison wardens and connection the report of Dr. F. Monti- others who were directly charged with director-general of public health to the minister of agriculture, ished rice, were constantly besieged

will be of interest. Dr. Montizambert with complaints, and it was but nasays of recent investigations into the tural that they should take the cours cause of berl-beri; of least resistance, and recommended Food theories as to the origin of that its use be discontinued. To add to beri-beri are strongly held in the east, the difficulties of those who were inand on the whole seem to be gaining sisting on the use of unpolished rice, ground. The bacteriological evidence the rumor spread that unpolished rice which, when first brought forward by when stored in bulk soon spoiled, thus Baclz and Scheube, seemed so convinccausing great financial loss. Investiing, has not been confirmed, or at least gation of this matter showed that there there has been so much conflicting evi- was no reason to believe that unpoldence, that up to the present no spe- ished rice, when stored under the same cific organism has been proved to be conditions as polished rice, spoiled more One of the latest views is quickly. that it depends upon over-complete "A campaign of education was the shelling of the rice. Thus, Osler states begun. Dr. Aron frequently went to that in Java the proportion of cases is the rice mills in person, and was in-1 to 39 where the rice is eaten comvariably able to demonstrate that rice pletely shelled, and 1 to 10,000 when could be rendered clean and free from the grain is eaten with its pericarp, husks without polishing it to a degree while in some places the disease has that would be harmful. Similar work,

disappeared after the substitution of with like results, was accomplished by unshelled for shelled rice. This ques- Highet in Slam, so that it may now be tion has been investigated by Dr. said that clean, unpolished rice, satis-Henry Fraser, director of the Institute factory in appearance, can be obtainfor Medical Research, federated Malay ed in the Philippines and abroad, and states, and Dr. A. T. Stanton, bacteri- that the original objections to its use ologist to the institute. They claim no longer exist that the theory originated by Braddon "By January, 1911, so much evidence now rests on a solid body of evidence, had accumulated that unpolished rice as it is supported by the observations was an important factor in the prevenof Fletcher and Lucy in the Malay tion of beri-beri, that it was deemed states, of Dubreuil in French Indomost desirable to bring about its gen-China, and of Gilmore Ellis, whose eral use in the Philippines, for a few paper was published last year in this years at least, in order to test the Journal (October 2, page 935). Although theory thoroughly. At the most, no there has been the consensus of opin- harm can result, and on the other hand ion respecting the power of white rice there is every promise that many hunproduce the disease, the mechanism dreds of lives may be saved and a still with the product the milkman brings dral, complained that the congregation by which the result is effected has re- greater morbidity avoided. Experimained obscure. Some attribute it to mental investigations made by Dr. diseased rice, others to the presence Aron showed that a rice which has only of a supposed poison in the rice for been polished to a point where it still wish to taste a better article, and he months, on Burdette avenue, Ray St., which an equally hypothetical antidote contains 0.4 per cent of phosphorus exists in the pericarp. Following thesa pentoxide may be regarded as inlines of thought, Fraser and Stanton, capable of producing beri-beri. Almost of whose investigation we gave som pincidently, similar conclusions were account in our issue of April 16, have experimented on fowls, and found that

rice was unable to produce the disease

contracted polyneuritis. Following

the polishing process has been omitted

or has been carried out to a minimal

pounded or, in other words, unpolished

rice is commonly used, there is little

if any, beri-beri; whereas in districts

used as the staple article of diet, beri-

berl is common. An apparent excep-

tion to this general rule is found, how

ever, among the residents of the Ba-

tanes Islands. It may be mentioned

that these are isolated islands north of

Luzon and south of Formosa, which

have communication with the outer

tent as it is elsewhere in the archi-

"Considerable difficulty has been en-

countered and much opposition has re-

sulted from the attempt to introduce

Philippines. When the army and the

insular government entered the market

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pelago.

polishings from white rice.

Journal as follows:

announced by Highet. For purposes of convenience, then when fed on white rice they suffer from rice that contains less than 0.4 per a form of polyneuritis, which they becent of phosphorus pentoxide is regardlieve to be analogous to beri-beri, and ed as polished rice, and that which conwhich, at any rate, serves as an inditains a greater percentage of phoscator of the beri-beri producing power phorus pentoxide is regarded as unof a given sample of rice. On the other polished rice. hand, if the rice is parboiled the fowls

remain quite healthy. Unhusked rice is spoken of in the east as "padhi" from 40 parts of padhi when cleaned, 25 parts of rice are obtained, 10 of staple article of diet. After considerusks and 5 of polishings. Twelve able discussion with physicians, law- dairy, fowls fed on padhi remained healthy; vers, legislators and others, it was of twelve fed on white rice six suffered deemed advisable to attempt this with from polyneuritis; of twelve fed on a law that would impose a tax of white rice and polishings all remained healthy; lastly, of twelve fed on the ilo on all polished rice sold, whether padhi husked in the primitive Malay method by a native woman, all re-

"Owing to the fact, however, tha mained healthy. Although parboiled the legislature adjourned during the if it was extracted with alcohol and then dried in the sun, fowls fed on it

suggestion made by Dr. F. W. Mott, it was decided to determine the amount of phosphorus calculated as phosphorus pentovide in the various kinds confirm the work of Fraser, Stanton, of rice in use. It was found to be greatly deficient in white rice. The as reported at the last annual meeting the draft agreement which was read signing office he wrote the two-volume not evidence of cruelty in that act and Halibut (Vancouver), lb. Aron, Kilbourne, de Haan and Highet, greatly deficient in white rice. The by Dr. H. Schaumann before the Ger-Tropical Medicine, it is believed that favorable to the city. man Society of Tropical Medicine, in the time has come for the medical prowhich he had advanced the conjecture fession to aid in completing the last that beri-beri is a disease of metabolstep in the test which promises to place ism associated with a diet deficient in another weapon in the hands of pro- feet recess to the dock from the street organically combined phosphorus. They phylactic medicine for the eradication end, parallel to the western line of conclude that the prevention of beriof another of the world's serious and beri may be achieved by substituting costly diseases." for ordinary white rice one in which

BICYCLE RACERS INJURED.

extent, or by adding to a white rice New York, Dec. 13.-Eddie Root and diet articles rich in these substances in which it is deficient; such an article, Manus Bedell, both injured in a spill build new ones, including an eight-foot cheap and readily obtained, is the in the six-day bicycle race early to-slip on the western side of the dock, Dr. Victor S. Heiser, director of day, retired from the grind before 8.30 or, in other words, to make two smallhealth and chief quarantine officer for the Philippine Islands, writes in The John Bedell, a brother of the retired the right-of-way. In case of Journal as follows: rider, announced that they would im-"Extensive inquiry made throughout mediately form a team combination the Philippine Islands has invariably and take up the race with the usual shown that in districts in which hand penalty of one lap.

WELCOMED TO MONTREAL.

in which machine or polished rice is Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia Pay Visit to City.

world only a few times each year, and four days.

owing to their inaccessibility they generally escape visitations of cholera and were driven to the city hall, where the in this city. On Saturday they will be many other dangerous communicable civic address of welcome was read, to- shown the city from an automobile as "The Batanes are poorly adapted to British army and navy veterans and the evening will be entertained at the rice culture, and for this reason con- the Canadian army veterans. siderable polished rice is imported each The royal party then drove to the stag dinner. year, and it would seem reasonable to Royal Victoria college, where a special

encountered. An investigation of the ness. dietary of the inhabitants of these isl- Following this the Duke and Duchess features. ands shows, however, that meat and entertained a small party at dinner, and potatoes are more commonly used than last evening attended a public recepin other parts of the Philippines. In tion in their honor at the city hall, brief, food of various kinds, other than which was attended by several thourice, is so plentiful that rice is not the sand citizens anxious to welcome the

staple article of diet to the same ex- new governor-general to the city. SENT TO PENITENTIARY.

unpolished rice on a large scale in the Olmstead a short time ago as the lat- region will be tapped with a line from ter was trying to capture him after Hamilton to Brantford to the Pacific he had broken into a cigar store on coast across the Peace River district. to purchase large quantities of unpol- Granville street, appeared before Mag- through the Northern Rockies, which ished rice it developed that the dealers istrate Shaw and pleaded guilty to will run from Edmonton or Athabasca were unable to supply the demand, be- shop breaking. He had no excuse to Landing, and eventually terminate at cause managers of rice mills refused to offer, and was sentenced to two years' Stewart, on the Portland canal, Can-

used that came from the mills immediately after it was husked. "The machines that are used locally for this purpose let many of the small-ENDAIGE HAR er rice grains pass through without the sks being removed from them. Pre-

viously such rice went directly to the

polishing machine, which not only pol-

ished the rice, but removed the husks

from such grains as still retained them

so that the finished product was clean.

ipolished rice that was issued in the

It was apparent then that much of the

beginning was not very clean and con-

tained many husks. This gave rise to

much complaint among those who were

required to use it. It was frequently

throat and often caused gastritis. On

investigation, no reliable evidence as to

carrying out the orders to use unpol-

CONSUMERS CAN GET IT AT SIX CENTS A QUART

alleged that the husks tickled the Used in Armies and Navies o Several Countries and Found Excellent

> Since the last increase in the price figure.

Another substitute for milk is to be out upon the market here shortly, arangements being already under way showing for a city of the population of Those of the forty-one who lined up or the establishment of a delivery navy and also has a great sale in Eur-

from fresh milk it contains all the food constituents of its base in conentrated form. Those who have used they have tasted in the line of lacteal fluid, and that it has the great advantage of being always fresh and pure, which is sometimes not the case around. A Victorian who has been was suffering from the bad condition in the U. S. army in the Philippines of the streets all round, which had assured the Times that he could not been continuous for the past three expressed no doubt that if introduced and other approaches, and also the bad priced milk a shock and the public relief in the way of a temporary side-

delivered in this city, and that of a of the lighting. The letter was requality better than a good deal of the ferred to the city engineer. luid that passes with the milkmen which had for its purpose the bringing der can be speedily built up. With working days. about of the general use of unpolished this and the condensed form the conrice in those places where rice was the sumers of Victoria would be practically independent of the lords of the

MAKE THEM COME THROUGH. centavos (21/2 cents U. S. currency) per Board of Works at Vancouver Adopt an Agreement With G. T. P .-Is Stiff One.

s to dredge out the whole slip ten feet dist Church in Canada. below water, and is to provide twenty Gore avenue. The company is to be allowed to bring in big steamers, which are not, however, to occupy space more than twenty days in the year. the smaller vessels to come in and unload and go out again. The company is to pull down the present slips and city the right to unload on their docks The agreement was adopted and

AUSTRALIAN BOYS ON TOUR

ecommended to the council.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 13 .- The forty Australian boys sent out by their gov ernment on a tour of the American continent will arrive in Seattle Friday They will be met at the depot by 150 Montreal, Dec. 13.-Their Royal Boys of the Broadway High School Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of and escorted to the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A., where Mayor Dill-Connaught, arrived in Montreal yester- ing will make an address of welcome day for a visit which will extend over The visitors will then be assigned to the homes of the Seattle boys, where Immediately on their arrival they they will be guests during their stay gether with loyal addresses from the guests of the Commercial Club and in Y. M. C. A. boys department with a

The Australian boys have their own infer that if the present theories with convention of McGill University was band and will give an entertainmen regard to the etiology of beri-beri are held and the honorary degree of LLD. at the Broadway High School on Moncorrect, cases of this disease should be was conferred upon His Royal High- day evening which will include literary and musical numbers and athletic

RAILWAY EXTENSION.

Toronto, Dec. 13.-Information of two mportant new lines of railway proposed by the Canadian Northern in widely separated places in Canada was given out to-day. One of these is the extension of the Toronto and Western Vancouver, Dec. 13.-George Brown, road which has been authorized from who was shot in the hip by Constable Toronto to Niagara, while the western adjust their process of manufacture to imprisonment. Brown appears to have adian Northern railway branch in Brimeet the new requirements. This re-aquite recovered from his wound,

ONLY ELEVEN CASES OF TYPHOID SO FAR

Medical Officer Reports on Extent of Disease for Year-Condition of Church Hill

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

It was decided at the city council last

evening to submit a bylaw to close up a street-end on Rock bay, at Twiner street, for a sub-station for dealing thoroughly with the dumping of garbage, Ald. Okell remarking that the sub-station, upon which the medical fficer, Dr. G. A. B. Hall, reported, f milk, grocers report that there has would cost about \$5,000. A bylaw was keeps on growing at the same rate the originated from outside the city. Of stench and odor that Ald. Moresby, defence to restore the price for their had been involved, and two of that with stabbing, refused to see the acproduct, now become a luxury which number, he was inclined to think, came cused last night because of the unthe rich indulge in, to a normal from a spring from which they were sanitary state of the place when he

Victoria.

on the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the manufactured of the manufactured of the manufactured of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the difference of the motion of Ald. H. M. Fuller man who is awaiting that the difference of the

Alex. Muir, secretary of the board of ing. management of Christ Church cathehere it would give the vendors of high-lighting. They asked for immediate much-needed relief from a combine, walk on the north side of Burdette It is understood that for six cents avenue, and also on both sides of Ray quart, milk in this form can be street, and for immediate improvement

It was decided to let the contract for here for pure fresh milk. If this can the fire chief's automobile to the Vic-be done and a distributing depot is toria Motor Company for \$4,859.50, as that filled it. He felt sure that had pressed Fowl, per lb. established in this city there is no they gave a guarantee for two years the sanitary officer of the city known Ducks, per lb. "Accordingly, a bill was drafted doubt that a large trade in milk pow- The machine is to be made within sixty

RYERSON COLLEGE

Vancouver, Dec. 13.—The Methodist and closely connected with the educa- those of the alderman. tional development of Canada. At a "On account of the successful exper- avenue street question, and the ques- first president of Victoria College. From no other course than to dismiss the Beans, lb. ience with unpolished rice in the pro-phylaxis of beri-beri in the Philippines It had previously been suggested that tendent of Public Schools for Upper C. A. Society, said it was the horse Potatoes (Island) during the year, and since these data the company place the new wharf ten Canada and after 1867 of Ontario. He that was lame and that he had found and then twenty feet back from the practically founded the present excel-street end, but it is considered that lent system of that province. After reof the Far Eastern Association of yesterday will provide terms more history of the United Empire Loyalists, the owner of the horse offered an ex-Dr. Ryerson was the first president of planation that certainly went to show Herring, lb. Under this agreement the company the General Conference of the Metho- that it was the horse and not the Finnan Haddie, lb.

To Subscribers in Arrears

The Times, Daily and Semi-Weekly, are sent by mail to subscribers only when paid in advance. This rule not having been rigidly enforced for some time past, the result is that a number of subscribers to each paper have overlooked the necessity for remitting the yearly subscription price and are now indebted to us in sums from \$1 unwards. We are now going to enforce the rule of prepayment in respect to both Daily and Semi-Weekly papers.

Accounts have been mailed to each subscriber in arrears and in order to secure a continuance of the paper payment of amount of account rendered must be made during the present month of December. On the 1st of January,

1912, all papers now being mailed to subscribers which then remain unpaid, will be discontinued, and thereafter the rule of cash in advance will be strictly adhered to. We are thus giving plenty of time to subscribers and they cannot feel offended if they fail to receive paper after 1st of January.

Of course accounts unpaid when paper is discontinued will be collected subsequently.

WALLERINGE

THE "BACK HOLE

FORTY-ONE CROWDED IN FRIGHTFUL STENCH

Solicitor Refuses to Enter-Attorney-General is Being Approached in Hobbis Case

(From Wednesday's Daily.) been a jump upwards in the demand necessary to close the street-end. The Black Hole of Victoria, as the for condensed milk and cream, and it or condensed milk and cream, and it is indeed to be a superior of the interval have given up taking milk, either men of the city, and found there had a disgusting state of unsanitation been bleven cases of typhoid in the last night when forty one men were largely or altogether. If the demand for these substitutes for fresh milk present year, five cases of which had confined there and so bad was the endors of milk will be forced in self- the six others three different families having business with a man charged taking water. As to the others he had called there after the council meeting by the origin. He to get his instructions for the origin. no idea of the source of the origin. He to get his instructions for the de Robin Hood, per sack considered the figures a remarkable fence.

in the court this morning from the garlan, per sack for the establishment of a delivery centre in the city. This is milk powder, which is largely used in the army and lumble and Dominion analysis and no an unwashed very large in the last this court this morning from the city. Ald. Okell said the milk samples had cells included one dity drunk with a gurian per bbl. been analyzed by both the British Co-very black eye, a tussied haired Sweder. Lake of Woods, per lumble and Dominion analysis and no an unwashed very large. lumbia and Dominion analysists, and no an unwashed vagrant in the last Lete of Woods, p. bb. navy and also has a great sale in Europe. It has taken the place of the ordinary supply in many cases in the wished the press to take notice of this countries. All the wished the press to take notice of this countries are the teamster, a couple of Chinese opium Calgary Hungarian, per bbl. ... ordinary supply in many cases wished the press to take fact, as much misunderstanding explains the price of milk has been taken ing" the price of milk has been taken isted as to the causes and extent of well-dressed, cleanly appearing young well-dressed, cleanly appearing young showflake, per sack well-dressed, well-dressed, cleanly appearing young showflake, per sack well-dressed, well-dressed,

which showed a deflett of \$784.92. Those making up the balance of Wheat, chicken feed, per ton.. \$5.00@45.00 due to extra cost of lighting and other the forty-one, and who did not appear, Wheat. per lb. expenses, and to the wet weather of were the flotsam of soapless life who the last three days of the fair, and sought shelter from the exposure the last three days of the last, and cold over night. Entered against they have tasted in the line of lacteal George Sangster forwarded a report them in the record is "safe-keeping." They were liberated early this morn- Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 20-lb. sk.

Ald. Moresby, referring to the matter when he spoke to the case called against his client said the place was stinking when he entered it. Drunken "snakes" and with three flasks in his graham clour, 10 lbs. ossession entered the charge room at Graham Flour. 50 lbs. the time and was confined with his menegerie, but without his flasks, and Hay (baled), per ton made number forty-one. The air said Straw, per ton the lawyer was "impossible." He the lawyer was "impossible. The ran, per ton told the magistrate that imagination Ground Feed, per ton could not picture or realize the disof the state of the prison he would Geese (Island), per lb. have ordered that no more men be placed there. Referring to the matter after court

the chief of police said that fortunately there were no women in custody Canteloupes, each Vancouver, Dec. 13.—The Methodist ately there were no women in custors.

College at Point Grey will bear a name last night. His remarks on the state preactive, its continuous preactive forms of the lair were to the same effect as watermetons, its continuous of the alderman. Of the charges that came before Grapes, ib. neeting of the Board of Governors it Magistrate Jay, William Cowan, on was agreed to give the institution the summons, was charged with "unlaw- Beets, ib. ... name of Ryerson College. The late Dr. fully driving a horse while suffering

> driver that was possibly suffering Bloaters, lb. from lameness, but he maintained the Shrimps (alive), lb. William Nicholis responsible for the Shrimps (imported), lb. depositing of hand bills on Broad Crabs (local, lb.street was fined \$5; J. E. Smart for Crabs (imported), lb. automobile speeding was fined \$20; Dollchans (salted), lb. Chin paid \$21 fine and costs for Soles, lb. smoking opium. Leo Palletti, who is Kippers .. charged with stabbing a man with a Mackerel, fresh Eastern, lb. Smelets, lb. was remanded until Friday to give Mr. Moresby time to receive the instructions he was unable to obtain last

> Mr. Moresby also appeared for H. Bananas
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> E. Hobbis the young man who is Beets, per sack defence witness, J. Bristol, who was to have paid \$200 into Hobbis' account to have paid \$200 into Hobbis' account Cucumbers (hot-house), per doz. which Hobbis drew the cheques and where he had an account. He said that in all \$170 in cheques had been ggs (Eastern). drawn by the accused under the be- Fiberts, per lb. llef that the money was in the bank Green Onions but that \$90 was the amount totalled Grapes (Malaga), barrel in the five charges against the client Grapes (Winter Emperor) The telegram from Bristol read that Grapefruit, per box The telegram from Bristol read that he had been unable to make the deposit cs promised out that \$200 would be forthcoming at the end of the month. Mr. Moresby informed the court that all the cheques Issued Onlons (California) would be honored, and a remand was Parsiey
> ordered for the purpose of presenting Peanuts, masted the case to the attorney-general this Pomegranates permission to have the charges against the accused withdrawn.
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> Sweet Potatoes
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> Turnips, per sack
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> Wainuts, per lb.

each fined \$20 and gave information Butter, Comox that the Chinese had been playing fan tan. The evidence of these men will be used against the sixteen Chinese who yesterday were fined \$40 each should an appeal be taken. There were twelve drunks this morning the fortunate among whom had been able to obtain ball overnight.

Wancouver, Dec. 13.—A special jury sitting in the Supreme Court yesterday rendered a verdict of \$1,200 dam-ages in the case of Miss Haxel Jean Bordlen. The Bordlen and difference is accounted.

Bagnell against the B. C. Electric

lating the Canadian prize fight law. was due entirely to the negligence of come the non-commital, negative minded, referee and seconds were dismissed on the plaintiff, who tried to get off the leader of the Government. suspended sentences.

THE CITY MARKET WILL TAKE PART

Cowichan and Victoria Creamery butter have both dropped to 50c, a lb., and Snow-lake foul has gone up 10c. There is no cal hallbut on the market and that from Vancouver is praced at 15c. In the whole sale market only one change is recorded turnips having dropped 25c. per sack.

Ulim.

Pratt's Coal Oll Meats. Bacon (B. C.), per lb. Hams (Ame. lcan), per 1b. Bacon (American), per lb. Bacon (long clear), per lb. Pork, per 1b Mutton, per lb.
Lamb, hindquarter forequarter 1.50@ 2.00 Suet, per lb. Farm Produce Fresh Island Eggs

Butter, Cowichan Hungarian Flour. Ogʻivle's Royal Household, per

sack Vancouver fill g Co., Wild

Whole Corn Cracked Corn . Oats Rolled Oats (C. & K.), 7-lb. sk.. Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 40-lb. sk. Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 80-lb. sk. Oatmeal, 50-Ib. sack Rolled Wheat, 10 lb. racked Wheat, 10 lbs.

Bananas, doz. rapefruit each, 10c., or 2 for.. Oranges, doz.

23.00

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Apples, 1b.10@ .15 Vegetables.

WHOLESALE MARKET. Almonds, per lt

Oranges, Japanese

B. C. E. R. MUST PAY

remarkable transformation. car after it had started.

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IN JOINT DEBATE

ALDERMEN TO ATTEND SAANICH MEETINGS

City Council Seeks to Fix Responsibility for State of Superior Street

At the meeting of the city council last vening a communication was received .75 from the Saanich council with referen to the Greater Victoria scheme, and the council, after some discussion, decided t leave the matter to the special comm tee to arrange to be represented at t two meetings this week, and similarly 1.90 the meetings next week, arranged in the 7.26 Saanich municipality.

Alderman Langley regretted that the had not more definite information abo 1.90 the scheme, and said the first question which would be put to an alderman at tending the meeting would be, what we 1 on the city's terms? Of these terms they ha o concrete information.

The mayor said their object in

1.85 meetings was to elicit information, and from the gatherings assemble a commit to draft a feasiale scheme. Ald. H. M. Fullerton thought the res 7.25 | would be adverse. However, as the st 1.90 gestion came from the city council it v 7.25 felt to be the duty of the Victoria cour 1.80 to explain their position, and the meet 7.10 ings in Saanich will accordingly be at ended by representatives from the co

A letter from A. Christie, of 410 Supe ior street, complaining of the disgusting state of Superior street for weeks pas ausing him direct loss of rents, de ation of his property and inconvenie the residents in common with hims .023 led to a discussion, and all the ald xpressed sympathy with the application or redress. The street of which he 35.00 is perhaps in worse condition than 37.00 in the city, and he was easily at .35@ .40 multiply instances of the serious to pedestrians. For weeks the rehave been without even sidewall have been unable to get in material and supplies.

Alderman Langley suppo uest of the writer for immediat on, speaking of the abominable on of Menzles and Superior stree ticularly, but of all the streets to outer wharf. The other ward five al man, Ald. Peden, united in similar

Observations that the B.C.E.R. had layed proceedings through track lay and that when the street was torn up Mineral Rubber Company really the hey could go ahead did not explain tearing up of sidewalks by the city wo place, and the chairman of the str .25@ .30 committee, Ald. Gleason, came into flict with Alderman H. M. Fullerton, later with Alderman Moresby, over ck of a definite policy on street worl Alderman Gleason was criticized Ald. Moresby for not keeping him ouch with the engineer on questions policy, while the alderman was given very credit for unremitting attention to he construction side.

The question was referred to the city engineer to suggest some temporary re A discussion took place on the mayor oposal, to introduce a by-law for ond public convenience, the plumbing nspector agreeing that the intersection of Douglas street and Yates street, a lite to the east of the intersection wor ford the best situation in the freedom from rock excavation and underground works, and if of siderable size would be self-sustain. The site was objected to by several all men, and while it was agreed that her conveniences were necessary, felt not more than \$15,000 should be pare a by-law, leaving out for the sent the location and cost.

BORDEN NON-COMMITTAL.

Montreal Herald Describes Vacillation of Premier and Explains Why It Transpires.

When he was in Opposition, Mr. Bord when he was in Opposition, Mr. Botto used to act like a man whose mind walways made up. He was like Char Lamb's Caledonian; he would have esidered it a weakness to let anybody fer from his manner that he was in about anything. When, for example first navy resolution was brought his mind was so made up that he w .20 "speedy" organization. When, a 2.00 later, he had to speak his some 2.50 troubled mind, he told Sir Wilfrid .19 on; he put his seal on the prop.
.051 When he came to argue for money 2.00 tribution, Imperial federation and .35 old one. He doesn't know what shot 1.25 be done. He is going to take months 1.75 find out. That is what comes of going .65 into a coalition the component elemen 45 of which represent opposite extremes. .35 have lost, in the making, the man .15 made it. They say a coalition shou 40 well shaken before taken, and erals at Ottawa have tried to .15 the precaution. But who was 4.00 that the shaking would have su .13 fect on the Prime Minister? Take another example. Six ago, if Mr. Borden had been asked 4.50@ 5.50 an opinion on any question of 1.25 would then have come down with .021 full of books, all carefully marked.

.50 have given his opinion and would .10 backed it up with all the known 2.00 some unsuspected authorities. But a 30.00@35.00 he has become head of a coalition .03 net somebody has asked him the 1.00 question about the marriage law at 21 Ne Temere decree which Mr. Ayles 3.25 was asked and which Mr. Ay .55 frankly answered. But Mr. Borden .47 not frankly answer; not he. He ceased to have opinions. He gravely the Houe, what every law studen ready knows, that the law on t fortunate among whom had been able to obtain bail overnight.

PRIZE FIGHTER FINED.

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Windsor, Ont., Dec. 13. — "Spike" Kelly, who knocked out Peter Shaughnessy and promoters Glasgow and Richards, were yesterday fined \$50 each for violating the Canadian prize fight law.

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Dr. Sun Yet Ser dent of New Revolu

London, Dec. 18 spondent of the Tir olded that the consul-generals at as mediators in

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Revolutiona San Francisco. received here to-d Sun Yat Sen has h of the new Chines olutionary conver the Chinese Free I paper.

This news appar by another messag ing from Shangha the cabinet minist ernment. Dr. Sun. ports, received hal by the delegates of inces. Wong Hing supporters, came was made ministe graduate of the Tokio. Tong Far L ary governor of H named as minister Chinese in Americ the appointment as colonial ministe Yokohama yestero from San Francisc November. He is enese university an revolutionary pape hama and Hongkon

FERNIE BO Disappeared a Proves I

Fernie, Dec. 18 .-

Hegtor F. Nicholso

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