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MANY VESSELS LOST

In the Storm Which Raged On the Coast of Great Britain.

Vessels Arrive at Different Ports, and Report Having Slight Wreckage.

Large Unknown S. S. Camer Founders and All Hands Supposed to be Lost.

Queenstown, Oct. 9.—A fisherman from Bally Cotton reports that he saw yesterday morning a lightship, believed to be the Daunt's Rock lightship, drifting east. The torpedo gunboat Jason, arrived here from Bantry Bay, reports that the force of the gale baffles description. Enormous seas swept continuously over her decks, and tons of water got below. The crew were injured around the decks, several were washed and three boats belonging to the gunboat were lost. A steam trawler, which put in here, reports having passed a large boat yesterday floating bottom side up. The Sea King, a bark belonging to Blackpool, has been totally wrecked and five of her crew drowned. Holyhead, Oct. 9.—A French steamer which put in here on account of the storm reports that she saw a large steamer founder off Bishop Island, Pembrokehire. It is presumed that all on board were lost.

Dover, Eng., Oct. 9.—The Atlantic coast line steamer Manitoba, Capt. Griffith, from New York Sept. 27th for London, signalled No lightsight yesterday evening. She was obliged to anchor in the Downs owing to the gale. The Daunt's Rock lightship reached Tromore Bay safely this afternoon. The crew are all well.

Queenstown, Oct. 8.—The gale which began on Monday continued to-day with increased fury. At the buoy in Queenstown harbor have been shifted, some of them being a quarter of a mile from their positions. The Daunt's Rock lightship, having on board a crew of eight men, has broken drift and is believed to have foundered, while the French steamer which is not visible to-day. The White Star steamship Majestic which left Liverpool yesterday for New York via this port, has not yet reached here, but has been signalled off Bally Cotton.

The Belgian steamer, *Belgian*, which left Philadelphia via this port, has failed to report here. Both vessels experienced the full force of the gale. There are five hundred passengers here awaiting steamers on which to embark for New York and elsewhere.

London, Oct. 8.—The storm caused considerable damage at all points along the English, Irish and Welsh coasts. A number of casualties have already been reported and numerous vessels have been driven ashore. At Ilfracombe, Devonshire, the sea has washed away a hundred feet of the wall fronting the Ilfracombe Hotel and the lower part of the town was flooded, a number of houses being swamped. At Port Cawl the sea was quite heavy and have been coming over the breakwater. Floods are also reported in various parts of Wales. The Rotunda & Swansea Bay railway in many parts is under six feet of water and much of it has been washed away.

From all parts of the United Kingdom immense damage is reported. The south of Ireland particularly suffered badly, the town hall at Queenstown being severely damaged and the country round Cork and the low parts of the town itself being inundated. Traffic in the Mersey has been suspended. A large ship was wrecked at Milford Haven, in Wales, and all on board perished. A schooner with seven hands was lost off Holyhead. Numerous wrecks are also reported, by which the loss of life has been considerable. At latest advices the gale was abating.

VALUABLE FUR CARGO.

Russian Steamer Arrives at San Francisco From the Asiatic Coast.

San Francisco, Oct. 9.—The Russian steamer Kotik has arrived from Petro- panovsk with a very valuable cargo of skins. They are consigned to Alfred Fraser, of New York, who represents the Russian Fur Sealing Company. The cargo consists of 14,418 seal, 131 sea otter, 1,200 blue fox, 1,276 bear, 4014 sable, 419 head otter, 76 wolf, 3187 red fox, 515 white fox, four silver fox, 1 black fox, 4641 seal, 1473 deer, 15,980 squirrel, nine- hundred, 383 marten, 433 dressed deer, 13 beaver, 11 black bear, 15 tax- idgen, 200 ermine and 468 dried seal skins. Besides her furs, the Kotik brought 463 pounds of whalebone, 211 pounds of walrus bone and 100 pounds of fish. The total value of the cargo, as given the customs officials, is \$198,622.53.

—Those who believe chronic diarrhoea to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gears Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhoea ever since the war and have tried all kinds of remedies for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhoea. It is pleasant to take and never fails to effect a cure. For sale by all druggists, Langley & Henderson Bros., wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

IMMENSE LOSS.

Caused by a Disastrous Fire in Guayaquil, Ecuador.

Lima, Peru, Oct. 8.—Late information from Guayaquil, Ecuador, states that it is estimated 20,000 people are deprived of their homes by the destructive fire. The losses to foreign companies are placed at over \$2,000,000.

The fire has been finally subdued. The custom house and its contents have been destroyed, among many other buildings. It is estimated the amount of loss will reach as high as \$6,000,000 sterling (\$30,000,000). The insurance amounts to \$500,000. Thousands of persons are left homeless by the conflagration. The fire is believed to be the work of incendiaries.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Victoria, Australia, Will Allow Women to Vote.

Melbourne, Victoria, Oct. 9.—The assembly, after an all night sitting, passed the second reading of a bill establishing female suffrage and "one man to one vote."

BELL'S CASE.

Several Witnesses Called for the Prosecution.

London, Oct. 9.—Edward J. Ivory, alias Edward Bell, the saloon-keeper of New York, charged with aiding and abetting in the alleged dynamite conspiracy, was brought up again to-day on remand at Bow street police court. Counsel for the treasury department prosecuted and called several witnesses to attempt to prove a case against the prisoner.

THE PARIS IN TROUBLE.

One of Her Engines Break Down After Leaving New York.

New York, Oct. 9.—The Hamburg-American line steamer *Furst Bismarck*, which arrived this morning from Hamburg, reports that at half-past twelve yesterday afternoon, in lat. 41.07, long. 66.06, she sighted the steamer *Paris* with her starboard engine broken down. No assistance was required, the *Paris* signalling that she would proceed under the port engine only. The *Paris* left this port Oct. 7th for Southampton. The breakdown on her starboard engine will doubtless retard her progress.

DU MAURIER DEAD.

Author of "Tribby" Passed Away After a Long Illness.

London, Oct. 9.—George Du Maurier, the author, who has been seriously ill for some time, died yesterday. His life had been despaired of for several days and death was not unexpected. For many years Du Maurier had been known as an artist of merit, largely through his caricatures in "Punch," but he became more widely known through the publication of "Tribby."

CAUSED A SENSATION.

Arrest of a Prominent San Francisco in London.

London, Oct. 8.—Walter Michael Castle, described as an American merchant; Ella Castle, his wife, and Fred Castle, his son, 10 years old, were arrested on Tuesday at the Hotel Critic, and were subsequently arraigned at the Marlborough police court, charged with stealing several chinchilla skins of a total value of \$105 from furriers of this city. They were found in the rooms occupied by the Castles in their trunks, which were marked Mrs. Castle, San Francisco, and W. Castle, New York.

Mr. Castle, when taken into custody, said: "My God, we bought most of those things in Geneva and one skin we bought from a boy in the street."

The United States embassy has taken up, on the instructions of Secretary Olney, the case. The only ground, apparently for the charge was that they had left the store without buying and that furs, said to be the missing ones, were subsequently found in their trunks at the hotel.

San Francisco, Oct. 8.—William Castle, who was arrested in London on a charge of stealing furs, is the senior member of the big tea importing and dried fruit shipping firm of Castle Bros of this city. He is a millionaire and very prominent socially. His firm here is one of the largest in the country and Mr. Castle has always borne an untarnished reputation. His brothers here, when shown a copy of the London dispatch, were overcome with grief and surprise.

The Castles are the leaders of wealthy Jewish society here and the arrest will create a profound sensation.

A Million Cold Dollars.

Would not bring happiness to the person suffering with dyspepsia, but Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured many thousands of cases of this disease. It tones the stomach, regulates the bowels and puts all the machinery of the system in good working order. It creates a good appetite and gives health, strength and happiness.

HOOD'S PILLS act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills. 25 cents.

REVIEWED THE ARMY

Several Hundred Thousand People See the Czar at Camp-de-Chalons

As He Reviews Seventy Thousand Troops, the Pick of the French Army.

Expresses His Appreciation of Reception Accorded Him by People of Paris.

Camp-de-Chalons, Chalons-sur-Marne, Oct. 9.—Long before the imperial and presidential trains arrived here this morning, the vicinity of this immense camp, covering 30,000 acres, was crowded by people anxious to see the Czar and his entourage. The grand military review organized in His Majesty's honor. By nine o'clock nearly 200,000 people had already assembled, and were pouring in from the direction of Rheims, Chalons-sur-Marne, etc. as fast as trains could bring them and with all the cars crowded to the foot boards. The camp never looked better since it was established by Napoleon III in 1850.

The wooden huts and other buildings had been brightened up until they presented as pretty a picture of the kind as one could imagine. The 70,000 troops held under arms here for the Czar's inspection, were spick and span to the utmost, horse, foot, artillery, engineers, etc., vying with each other in their efforts to turn out in the smartest manner possible. The different divisions of the camp had been swept and cleaned until not a speck of dirt was to be found and the implements and accoutrements rendered as smooth as possible for the manoeuvres of the troops. The Czar, who arrived at the military headquarters at 10.15 a.m. was received with all possible ceremony and saluted by 101 guns, after which he reviewed the 70,000 troops and nearly 20,000 horses attached to the divisions in camp, including all branches of the service. Previous to leaving Versailles, it was announced that the Czar expressed thanks to President Faure for the reception accorded him in Paris and Versailles, saying that in spite of the enormous crowds along the route, there had not been any disturbances. This the Czar added, was the greatest honor to the people of Paris, whose acclamations, he exclaimed, touched him greatly. His Majesty was escorted to the train by the French army, which followed the imperial train fifteen minutes later. His Majesty will, according to programme, leave for the frontier on his way to Darmstadt after the military banquet here, and be escorted as far as German territory by General Deleboing. Among the staff, attached respectively to the persons of the Czar and Czarina during their stay in France.

FROM THE CAPITAL.

No Truth in the Report About Dropping the Winnipeg Election Protest.

Ottawa, Oct. 9.—Hon. Joseph Martin is here to-day. When he had anything to say about the dropping of the election protest in Winnipeg he said he had not. Mr. Martin had an interview with Hon. Mr. Mulock and other ministers to-day. His visit has nothing to do with politics. He thinks he has struck a good thing in his gold mine and is going to stick to that for the present.

Commissioner Larkie urges that, with a view of overcoming the matter of railway rates on goods from Eastern Canada destined for Australia, a line of sailing vessels from Montreal should be arranged for.

It is reported that Black Rod Kimber will shortly be superannuated and the office abolished.

Four thousand two hundred and eighty-two vessels passed through the Canadian Soo canal this season up to September 30.

KILLED WIFE AND CHILDREN.

An Indiana Farmer's Troubles Unbalanced His Mind.

Noblesville, Ind., Oct. 9.—Albert Bray, aged 39, a prosperous farmer and very religious man, shot the throats of his wife, nine-year-old son Carl, two-year-old daughter Edna, and himself early this morning. The wife and children died without a struggle, but Bray with a gaping wound in his throat two inches deep and several inches long lived until noon to-day without regaining consciousness. It was done with a razor. Owing to sickness in the family during the past few months and some financial embarrassment, Bray's reason was affected.

There are many forms of nervous debility in men that yield to the use of Carter's Pills. Those who are troubled with nervous, indigestion, night sweats, etc., should try them.

TO BE TRIED CIVILLY.

Decision of Court Martial in Competitor Case Overruled.

Washington, Oct. 9.—It has been officially made known to the state department that the Spanish supreme court at Madrid, after due consideration, has found that the proceedings of the naval court martial which convicted the prisoners taken from the schooner *Competitor* of being filibusters and sentenced them to death, were erroneous. Further than that nothing is known officially, but as this information is so far confirmatory of the original press dispatches on the subject, it is assumed that, as therein stated, the case has been remanded for another trial before the civil court, as is guaranteed by the Gushing protocol.

CANTON'S GREAT FIRE

A Dozen People Perished and Over Two Hundred Houses Were Destroyed.

The Floods in Japan Unabated—Repairs to Steamer *Gaelic* Complete.

Papers received by the Tacoma contain full particulars of the disastrous fire at Canton. The fire, which was caused by the upsetting of a kerosene lamp in a house of ill-fame, started at 9:45 at night. It secured a good headway before any systematic effort was made to put it out, as the gates of the streets leading into the district were shut and it was some time before the local fire-brigade could get to the scene. The inmates (most of them women of the unfortunate class) were in great danger as their street doors were locked. The crowd that soon gathered ultimately took the law into their own hands and broke down the doors in every direction. It seems that the keepers of these houses of ill-fame, of which the main street in this district is composed, locked and barred the doors to prevent robbers, with which the city swarms, under the pretext of going to the rescue, from looting the premises and kidnapping the hapless inmates. That their fears were not groundless was soon made manifest, for no sooner were the doors broken open than the robbers, armed with short swords and revolvers, set to work looting the houses, drinking native wine, and in many instances carrying off the defenceless inmates. A shocking scene of robbery and looting followed, and the district was given up to pillage and the savagery of every description. As usual, when wanted, the imperial troops were either absolutely non-existent or were themselves engaged in the game of plunder and outrage—making hay while the sun shined. The fire, which broke out at 9:45, destroyed 200 houses to the extent of at least 100,000 has been done. It is said at least a dozen persons perished in the flames. The Shambien Brigade rescued many women and children from burning houses.

The U. S. steamer *Albatross* arrived in Yokohama on the 23rd ult. from a cruise in the Behring Sea, having on board Lieut.-Commander Moser and Prof. Stejneger, of the fur seal investigation board, the other members of the party having remained on the Seal Islands to investigate the whole question of fur sealing.

The extensive repairs which the O. & C. steamer *Gaelic* is undergoing in Hongkong will be completed about Oct. 10 and she will leave for Yokohama and San Francisco on Oct. 17. Capt. Pearne of the *Gaelic* was fined \$15 at Hongkong for anchoring his ship on Sept. 14th within the forbidden cable area. He pleaded that he had come in at night with his ship in a disabled condition.

When the *Tacoma* left Yokohama there were 3300 horses still submerged in the district of Minami-Adachi and the Minami-Katsushika Tokyo, in addition to the flooding in Honjo. Communication with these parts is being carried on by boat. Mukojima and its neighborhood present the appearance of an immense lake, the height of the water being five feet. The residences of Marquis Tokunawa (Mito), and Count Enomoto, and the Kanegafuchi Cotton Spinning Mills are all flooded to a greater or less extent. Some 5000 persons are living on food contributed by the government and by generous neighbors.

Derangements of the liver with constipation, induces the complexion, induces pimples, sallow skin. Remove the cause by using Carter's Little Liver Pills. One in a dose. Try them.

MODERN PIRATES.

Crew of a French Ship Secured and the Vessel Pillaged.

Malaga, Oct. 9.—The Spanish merchant steamer *Seville*, which has arrived from French Mediterranean ports, reports that the French bark *Corinthe*, while becalmed near the island of Atanunus, a Spanish prison settlement off the coast of Morocco recently, was attacked by armed Moors in boats. The pirates bound the crew of the bark and afterwards pillaged her. The crew of the *Seville* succeeded in rescuing one of the crew of the *Corinthe* and captured one boat load of pirates. When the *Seville* approached *Corinthe*, the pirates opened fire upon her killing two men. The wounding of four of the Spanish ship's crew eventually compelled her to retire. A Spanish gunboat has been sent to Morocco with instructions to demand the release of the prisoners and the payment of indemnity.

Mrs. Marcus Wolf, Nanaimo, and Miss Sutherland, Truro, N.S., are guests at the Driad.

EX-LIBERAL LEADER

More Press Opinions Regarding the Resignation of Earl Rosebery.

Chief Actor in the Session of the Hour Gives His Reasons for Doing as He Did.

His Speech at Edinburgh Last Evening Was a Disappointment.

London, Oct. 9.—The *Star*, touching upon the resignation of Lord Rosebery, remarks: "Lord Rosebery's fall was dramatic and tragic. The hand which raised him up ruined him down. One result of Lord Rosebery's reign is, it may be said, that the Liberals will never again be led by a peer."

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only deprive Great Britain of all her influence with Turkey, but might drift us into war, and its failure would leave Great Britain in the same position, plus the public humiliation of confessing her impotence. Lord Rosebery also differed with Mr. Gladstone, he said, in his contention that Great Britain was bound in honor by the Cyprus convention to intervene. This convention, he urged, had been a dead letter ever since it was signed and neither the Sultan nor Great Britain had ever fulfilled their pledges, they found it impracticable and futile to do so. He cited an instance in support of this argument, the tripartite treaty between Austria, France and Great Britain, of 1856, guaranteeing the integrity of Turkey, but this has never been carried out.

London, Oct. 10.—Lord Rosebery's speech at Edinburgh last night, revealing his reasons for resigning the Liberal leadership was eagerly awaited, but proved a disappointment. The morning papers to the effect that it was but a feeling exposition of commonplace views on the Eastern question and revealed practically no more than the letter of resignation itself as to what led him to lay down the leadership of the party. The only actual news that his resignation has been in the hands of his colleagues since the general election. The chief interest in the ex-premier's utterance centered beforehand in the attitude he would assume on the Eastern question. It turns out after all that he differs in no essential way with Harcourt and Gladstone. He depreciates isolated action; so do they; he holds Armenia not worth a European war; so do they; he suggests important political advances to Russia, so, at least does Harcourt. Altogether, the speech neither justified his action in resigning, nor is it likely to affect the Turkish situation in the slightest degree.

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FARMERS

Question Taken up by the Dominion Cabinet for the First Time.

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Hon. Messrs Tarte and Davies to Make a Tour of the West.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 12.—Hon. Mr. Tarte, minister of public works and Hon. Mr. Davies, minister of marine and fisheries, leave early next week for Manitoba. They will also go to the Pacific coast. Mr. Tarte will inspect all the public works and Mr. Davies will look into the fisheries. The ministers want to see for themselves how matters connected with their departments are in the west, as everything now reaches them through the Tory spectacles of their deputies.

Messrs. Cameron and McMillan, the Manitoba ministers, will reach here this afternoon.

The question of appointing a judge of the supreme court of British Columbia before the cabinet for the first time this forenoon, so that all previous reports of it have been offered to anybody have been incorrect. Although the matter has not finally been disposed of, it is understood that the position will go to A. J. McCall, of New Westminster.

Mr. Milne, of Victoria, B. C., returned to the city to-day to meet C. Wilkinson, of Victoria, who is on his way to England to float the Victoria Burrard Inlet and Fraser Valley railway scheme.

Grain Warehouse at Edmonton Burned on Saturday.

Edmonton, N.W.T., Oct. 12.—Lines grain warehouse and stable, some grain and furniture and horses were burned on Saturday. There was no insurance.

Parry Sound, Oct. 12.—People in this vicinity are not altogether pleased with the exercise of clemency in the case of Christian Hansen, condemned to death for the murder of one Miller, and whose sentence has been commuted by Lord Aberdeen to imprisonment for life. It is not believed here that Hansen is crazy, but that he has a very depraved mind.

Montreal, Oct. 12.—The committee of conciliation who brought about the settlement of the C.P.R. telegraphers' strike, have given out a statement in which they say they did not discuss the grievances of the operators with the company. The only matter discussed was the best means of settling the matter and having the strike declared off. A proposition was presented to the company by the conciliation committee to leave Montreal, and was accepted by the company.

SHELBOURNE BANK ROBBERY. Robber Makes a Confession, But Will Not Tell His Name.

Lake Mills, Iowa, Oct. 12.—The young man under arrest here charged with being implicated in the double murder and bank robbery at Shelbourne, made a confession acknowledging he was associated in the affair. He says the man killed while resisting arrest near Elmora was his brother. He will not reveal his true name or the location of his home. The confession was secured by his captor, Marshal Ruby. In it he declares his brother planned the robbery and killed the "two men in the Shelbourne bank. After detailing the killing of the two men, he said he and his brother were greatly alarmed lest they be punished in the bank, and both agreed they must work rapidly. He continued: "I went to the money drawer and took out the money, put it in a sack we had for the purpose and then cut the screen of the back window and left town on bicycles. As we got on the bicycles I handed my brother the money. We separated about a half or three-quarters of a mile from the bank, and my brother being the best rider, made south for the state line, and I took another route. We had a pretty hard time getting through. After making the confession under the assumed name, the name first given upon being taken was Jim McCall. He says it is fictitious, but will give no other.

SUBTERRANEAN DISTURBANCE. Causes Quite a Commotion at Dumbar-ton, Scotland.

Dumbar-ton, Scotland, Oct. 12.—Serious subterranean disturbances, much like an earthquake on a small scale, took place here at 10 o'clock this morning. The Circassian, lying off a quay being broken up, was suddenly shaken and vibrated thirty feet by the bank and moved under the stone. The bank heaved up a distance of 100 feet, a ship yard being considerably damaged. The workmen on board the Circassian were panic-stricken.

AN EMBEZZLER ARRESTED. By the Vancouver Police—He Gave Himself up.

Vancouver, Oct. 12.—Some days ago, about Sept. 17, a stranger arrived in the city and registered at a downtown hotel under the name of J. J. Manley. Cincinatti, Ohio. He stayed a few days and then left, returning however, on the 2nd day last, which caused a fall of three hundred dollars in the bank. He was wearing a considerable amount of jewelry. The second time he stayed at the hotel it was noticed that he was drinking heavily and as he was absent for a few days, the bartender notified the police, fearing that some mishap might have occurred. After a while the

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Hon. Messrs Tarte and Davies to Make a Tour of the West.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 12.—Hon. Mr. Tarte, minister of public works and Hon. Mr. Davies, minister of marine and fisheries, leave early next week for Manitoba. They will also go to the Pacific coast. Mr. Tarte will inspect all the public works and Mr. Davies will look into the fisheries. The ministers want to see for themselves how matters connected with their departments are in the west, as everything now reaches them through the Tory spectacles of their deputies.

Messrs. Cameron and McMillan, the Manitoba ministers, will reach here this afternoon.

The question of appointing a judge of the supreme court of British Columbia before the cabinet for the first time this forenoon, so that all previous reports of it have been offered to anybody have been incorrect. Although the matter has not finally been disposed of, it is understood that the position will go to A. J. McCall, of New Westminster.

Mr. Milne, of Victoria, B. C., returned to the city to-day to meet C. Wilkinson, of Victoria, who is on his way to England to float the Victoria Burrard Inlet and Fraser Valley railway scheme.

Grain Warehouse at Edmonton Burned on Saturday.

Edmonton, N.W.T., Oct. 12.—Lines grain warehouse and stable, some grain and furniture and horses were burned on Saturday. There was no insurance.

Parry Sound, Oct. 12.—People in this vicinity are not altogether pleased with the exercise of clemency in the case of Christian Hansen, condemned to death for the murder of one Miller, and whose sentence has been commuted by Lord Aberdeen to imprisonment for life. It is not believed here that Hansen is crazy, but that he has a very depraved mind.

Montreal, Oct. 12.—The committee of conciliation who brought about the settlement of the C.P.R. telegraphers' strike, have given out a statement in which they say they did not discuss the grievances of the operators with the company. The only matter discussed was the best means of settling the matter and having the strike declared off. A proposition was presented to the company by the conciliation committee to leave Montreal, and was accepted by the company.

SHELBOURNE BANK ROBBERY. Robber Makes a Confession, But Will Not Tell His Name.

Lake Mills, Iowa, Oct. 12.—The young man under arrest here charged with being implicated in the double murder and bank robbery at Shelbourne, made a confession acknowledging he was associated in the affair. He says the man killed while resisting arrest near Elmora was his brother. He will not reveal his true name or the location of his home. The confession was secured by his captor, Marshal Ruby. In it he declares his brother planned the robbery and killed the "two men in the Shelbourne bank. After detailing the killing of the two men, he said he and his brother were greatly alarmed lest they be punished in the bank, and both agreed they must work rapidly. He continued: "I went to the money drawer and took out the money, put it in a sack we had for the purpose and then cut the screen of the back window and left town on bicycles. As we got on the bicycles I handed my brother the money. We separated about a half or three-quarters of a mile from the bank, and my brother being the best rider, made south for the state line, and I took another route. We had a pretty hard time getting through. After making the confession under the assumed name, the name first given upon being taken was Jim McCall. He says it is fictitious, but will give no other.

SUBTERRANEAN DISTURBANCE. Causes Quite a Commotion at Dumbar-ton, Scotland.

Dumbar-ton, Scotland, Oct. 12.—Serious subterranean disturbances, much like an earthquake on a small scale, took place here at 10 o'clock this morning. The Circassian, lying off a quay being broken up, was suddenly shaken and vibrated thirty feet by the bank and moved under the stone. The bank heaved up a distance of 100 feet, a ship yard being considerably damaged. The workmen on board the Circassian were panic-stricken.

AN EMBEZZLER ARRESTED. By the Vancouver Police—He Gave Himself up.

Vancouver, Oct. 12.—Some days ago, about Sept. 17, a stranger arrived in the city and registered at a downtown hotel under the name of J. J. Manley. Cincinatti, Ohio. He stayed a few days and then left, returning however, on the 2nd day last, which caused a fall of three hundred dollars in the bank. He was wearing a considerable amount of jewelry. The second time he stayed at the hotel it was noticed that he was drinking heavily and as he was absent for a few days, the bartender notified the police, fearing that some mishap might have occurred. After a while the

police succeeded in locating him, and it was fortunate they did, as when arrested he was verging on the border of delirium tremens. He had lost his overcoat, money and jewelry when found, and stated that he had left them in the bush somewhere near Hastings.

Manley spent some time in Victoria last month.

Work on the Duke of York-Quartz Developments Satisfactory.

Messrs. A. J. C. Galletly and G. A. Kirk returned from Alberni yesterday. Work on the Duke of York mine has progressed satisfactorily, although the low stage of water restricted operations considerably. The ground sluices were cleaned up and will be moved up stream and on to bedrock before the high water sets in, after which hydraulic lifting with two monitors will be employed regularly all winter. The ground thus far worked was old diggings, which Chinamen were supposed to have worked out, and some of the quicksilver used by those miners was recovered in the sluice boxes.

The road to the Duke of York is simply execrable. Every person who travels it mathematizes the government and the cross-eyed surveyor who located the route. Several thousand dollars were spent upon it, although it is difficult to say where the money went. Beyond the Duke of York to the Consolidated Alberni the road is better, but that is due to private enterprise. The development work is still being vigorously carried on, with the result that greater confidence is felt in the ultimate success of the district as an important mining centre.

QUARTZ MINING IN ALASKA. Report of Officers of the U. S. Geological Survey.

San Francisco, Oct. 12.—Among the passengers on the steamer Bertha, just returned from Alaska, were J. B. Spurr, H. B. Goodrich and E. C. Schrader, of the United States Geological survey. They were sent by the department last spring to make a report on the prospects of quartz mining in that region. They spent the entire summer pursuing the investigation and taking observations. They crossed Chilkat pass and reached the Upper Yukon about the middle of June. Then they went down the Yukon to its mouth pursuing their investigations at various mining settlements on the way. They reached Port St. Michael, at the mouth of the Yukon, about three months ago, sailing almost immediately for San Francisco. They report themselves that the prospects for profitable quartz mining are very good, and will make a considerable effect. A ledge runs northwest and southwest through the country similar to the mother ledge in California. They expect to see many big mines opened on the ledge before many years.

LADY SCOTT'S CASE. Counsel for Earl Russell Details His Lordship's Trouble.

London, Oct. 12.—Lady Scott, mother-in-law of Earl Russell, arrested on Friday evening at an hotel on the Strand, on complaint of his lordship, who charges her with criminal libel, was arraigned in Bow court this morning at 10.30 in company with John Cockerton, a marine engineer, and Frederick Kast, a groom, prisoners on the same charge. Counsel for the Earl life of the unhappy married couple under the microscope, in so doing counsel referred to the most serious charges made by the countess, subsequently retracted, and touched upon the reflections cast upon Mr. H. A. Roberts, master of Bath College, who successfully sued the countess for damages as a result. Kast and Cockerton were employed on Earl Russell's yacht in 1887.

BRITISH CRUISER TALBOT. Reported to Have Gone Down in the Recent Storm.

Davenport, England, Oct. 12.—A rumor has been circulated that the British cruiser Talbot, bound for the North American station, foundered at sea during the recent gale. The Talbot is a second class cruiser of 5,600 tons displacement and carries a crew of 433 officers and men. She is a new vessel built here last year, and carries five 9 inch quick firing guns, six 4.7 inch guns, eight 12 pounders and several smaller guns. Her registered speed is 19.5 knots.

REPORT EXAGGERATED. Trouble in Brazil Not as Serious as Stated.

Paris, Oct. 12.—The president of the National Brazilian bank has received a cable message from Rio de Janeiro, emanating from an official source, stating that the report of the financial and commercial panic in a London paper Saturday last, which caused a fall of three quarters in Brazilian funds, was exaggerated. The message adds the rate of exchange has not changed during the last few days and says the Brazilian government knows no reason for declaring a moratorium for six months.

STORM IN NEW YORK. Vessels Unable to Leave New York on Account of the Wind.

New York, Oct. 12.—The fierce gale which began late on Saturday night still continues this morning. The wind, blowing from the northeast, shows no signs of abatement. The vessels left port this morning, and probably none will until more moderate weather prevails.

POLITICS GETTING WARM. Trustees Forced to Retire Their Hall to a Silver Lecturer.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—A heavy row occurred at the Peoples' Hall, 7th Street, when a party of men broke down the doors of the lecture room that Mrs. Helen Gough was to address the audience on the silver question. Mrs. Gough's lecture had been advertised and several hundred people had assembled to hear her, but the trustees of the West Side Christian Church, who controlled the hall, refused to deliver the keys. The crowd grew impatient and burst in the doors. Mrs. Gough's address was not interrupted.

THE WEEK IN EUROPE

Entertainment of the French Royal Family by the Czar and Czarina.

Dispatch of British Naval Force to Zanzibar a Demonstration Against Germany.

Possibility of an Entente Between Great Britain, France and Russia.

London, Oct. 12.—The attention of Europe may be said to have been concentrated during the week upon the visit of the Czar and Czarina to France, and the most enthusiastic reception accorded them in the French capital. In this connection the feature causing the greatest gossip is the luncheon given by the Czar on Wednesday to the representatives of the French royal family. It is true that M. Hanotaux, French minister of foreign affairs, General De Bédouret, chief of the general staff, and Admiral Gervais, who were attached to the person of the Empress during her stay in France, were present, but the other guests included the Duc d'Annam, Duc and Duchesse de Chartres, Duchesse de Magenta, Duchesse de Luynes, Duchesse de Rohan, Duc de Dodeville, Duc de la Rochefoucauld, Duchesse Duses, Princess Mathilde Bonaparte, widow of the Prince de San Donato, and the aunt of Prince Napoleon Victor Bonaparte, head of the Bonaparte family. The presence of Princess Mathilde alone saved the party from being distinctly an Orleansist demonstration. The Duchesse de Luynes presented the Czarina with a bouquet from the Duc d'Orléans, the pretence to the throne of France, and her majesty sent him her warmest congratulations. The whole affair was most cleverly arranged, and even the fiercest radicals have not dared to protest against it.

All sorts of interpretations are being placed upon the incident, but the fact remains that from the hour he landed at Orléans, the Czar behaved in a most conservative and diplomatic manner, pleasing almost everybody, and making very few people. The Czar, previous to leaving Balmoral Castle, after a visit to Queen Victoria, gave \$5,000 for distribution among the servants, and left a packing case full of the most expensive jewelry, bracelets, rings, and necklaces to be presented to all above the rank of servants. All officers of police, received a souvenir, and not one of the Imperial presents were worth less than \$100.

A sensation was caused at the Church Congress at Salisbury during the week at the fierce attack made upon the Pope's bull referring to the Anglican orders by the Archbishop of Cork, the Lord of Halifax, the Bishop of Selis, and other members of the first chance man by people of the sixteenth century promoting unity, and the Bishop of Salisbury suggested that the bull "set as free to do the work which lies nearest at hand, without any regard for the ulterior consequences, and are free to follow the path opened to us by Divine Providence, and create an independent, world-wide communion." The suggestion that the first step Anglicans should take is to create a Union policy with the Presbyterians.

At a meeting of the International Submarine Telegraph Company during this week, with Lord Selborne in the chair, it was decided to inaugurate a submarine telegraph memorial throughout the civilized world, in order to honor three men, Cyrus W. Field, who first conceived the idea; Sir John Pender, who risked the capital; and Sir James Anderson, who captained the Great Eastern. Lord Selborne announced that the scheme had received the sanction and encouragement of the Queen. The form of memorial has not been decided upon, but it will probably be a scholarship and home for engineers. Officials of Scotland Yard believe that the extradition of P. J. Ryan, the alleged dynamite, from France, the alleged sole on whether France desires to most conciliate the United States or Scotland. It is also explained by Haines was because, although it is a crime in Belgium to possess explosives, it is no crime in that country to possess materials for the manufacture of explosives. For this reason, the authorities are using every effort to ascertain if any purchased glycerine or acids. The United States state department has asked Consul-General Collins to report on Irvy's case.

The dispatch of British naval reinforcements to Zanzibar has renewed interest in the situation there, and is universally interpreted as a demonstration against Germany, as the condition of affairs in Zanzibar does not justify such measures. The Arabs, generally speaking, are apparently indifferent to the change in the Sultanate, and Swahili Khalid's partisans are in prison. It is admitted here that Germany had the technical right to remove Khalid from her consulate in Zanzibar, but the ostensible methods adopted, and the veering tone of the German press in connection therewith, openly declaring that the method was a slap in the face for Great Britain, has acted like a blow to the anti-German fire burning in this country. The Spectator urges the government to immediately annex Zanzibar as an answer to Germany's friendly act.

It is stated that the first Lord of the admiralty, the Hon. Geo. Goschen, has decided to make a big increase in the subsidies granted to private concerns on the condition that they comply with the building and equipment of their merchant steamers which, in case of emergency, can be used for the transport of auxiliary cruisers. Nine more large vessels have already been enlisted for this purpose and in future greater efficiency in manning and equipping them will be required. The sum which the admiralty will ask for is less \$400,000, compared with \$130,000 in 1890 and \$240,000 asked for last year.

The Queen and the Pope have exchanged cordial letters upon the occasion of the 60th anniversary of Her Majesty's reign. The Pope, after congratulating her and sending his best wishes, thanked the Queen in grateful terms for the freedom of worship enjoyed by Roman Catholics throughout the British Empire. The reply of Her Majesty was most cordial and complimentary, and to repeat her former assurances of the perfect freedom of Catholics within her dominion, and added that it was her pleasing duty to acknowledge their fidelity to her throne.

An important feature of the British comments on the Czar's visit to Paris has been the enmity with which it was regarded. In fact, newspaper opinion was so unfavorable to the visit, rather than to the Czar's visit, that it may be accounted for by the fact that Great Britain since her estrangement with Germany, has been eager to regard the Czar's visit and the demonstrations of the French people as an offset to the Dreibrund and as a humiliation to Germany. Though it is not believed that an actually signed treaty between Russia exists, people here think that the understanding which certainly does exist is almost as effective as a definite treaty. It is also remarked that the word "alliance" never left the Czar's lips during his stay in France and it was only once mentioned on the French side by M. Baudin, president of the municipal council of Paris, but it is pointed out that the Czar placed unexpected warmth and emphasis upon his references to the unalterable friendship of France and the newspaper correspondents agree in stating that his tone and intonation may be significant in his responses to the French toasts, in marked difference with his cold, colorless speeches in Germany, and Austria.

It is almost impossible to exaggerate the feeling in Great Britain against Germany, at the present moment aroused by offensive articles in the German press. One Berlin newspaper made a virulent attack upon the British army, classing Her Majesty's troops as "drunken soldiers whose greatest victories were won by Prussia and France," while England is declared to be responsible for the Germans killed in the Loire by supplying the French with money and arms. This is supplemented by an article in the Hamburger Nachrichten, reproduced in the English newspapers. The latter replied defiantly, and the Globe epitomized the general opinion with the remark: "If Great Britain is so unfortunate as to incur the enmity of Germany we have no doubt as to the result."

The appointment of Lord Bagot as one of the lords-in-waiting has angered the Tory press. He was appointed without consulting the Marquis of Salisbury, and the order was to please the Princess Louise. Lord Bagot was aide-de-camp to her husband, the Marquis of Lorne, when the latter was Governor-General of Canada.

CUBAN REVOLUTION

Spanish General Resigns His Command of the Troops in Pinar del Rio.

The Insurgents Have Taken up a Strong Position in the Mountains.

Government Report of a Battle in Which Both Sides Suffered Serious Loss.

Key West, Fla., Oct. 12.—The sudden return of General Bernal to Havana from the northern coast of the province of Pinar del Rio, where he was sent by Gen. Weyler, to command the Spanish forces in recent engagements against Antonio Maceo, has caused a profound sensation in Havana. General Bernal returned on sick leave and asked to be sent to Spain, being thoroughly disheartened over the result of the campaign just inaugurated against the insurgents of Pinar del Rio.

General Weyler is fooling General Lee, the United States representative in Cuba. The order prohibiting the American consul-general from visiting the military prison keeps him from personally investigating the conditions of Americans imprisoned there. He has to rely on what Weyler tells him. In their last interview Gen. Lee complained of the unsanitary condition of the cells the American prisoners were in. Weyler replied: "Oh, I have attended to this matter. They have been removed to cells No. 41 and 42."

Gen. Lee retired flattered at his supposed success, not knowing the Americans have always occupied cells Nos. 41 and 42. Those cells, by the way, are gloomy and so damp that the water oozes through the ceilings and trickles down the walls, wetting the floor, which never dries. In one of these wretched cells are Matton, the American newspaper correspondent, and George Aguirre, locked up with a man suffering from smallpox. The disagreement between Weyler and Lee continues, the arrested Americans suffering the consequences.

General Maceo has thoroughly re-organized his forces in the last few months and entrenched himself in a most commanding position in a mountain fastness. Any attempt to dislodge him will be sure to result in failure and the wholesale slaughter of the Spanish.

Havana, Oct. 12.—Dispatches received here to-day from official sources in the province of Pinar del Rio say another battle between the Spaniards and insurgents under Antonio Maceo, resulting in another victory for the former. Gen. Bolagone was in command of the government troops and General Maceo led the enemy. The fighting took place near Santiago. The insurgents, it is alleged, sustained enormous losses. The dispatches also say the loss of the Spanish troops was considerable, and that fighting continues. No details are at present obtainable.

Mrs. D. Navarre, nee Mary Anderson, and her infant son are progressing favorably. It is whispered that she adores the little mite, and seems happier than she has been for many years past. The mother has received a great number of congratulatory letters and telegrams since the birth of her son.

Sir George Newnes has prepared a deed of gift for the cup presented by him to the international chess contest, held last winter by the Brooklyn club. His lawyers have been instructed to make the deed as simple as possible, and to draw such a document as to avoid carefully any vexatious restrictions whatever, and which will be sent to Brooklyn in a few days.

An auction sale of 20,000 orchids, principally consisting of the New Guinea Elephant Moth variety, was held yesterday at 11th Street, New York. The Rothschilds, Baron de Hirsch, Mr. J. M. Chamberlain, and other growers were reported among the buyers.

Before the Winchester city bench on Friday, in the case of the Queen vs. Earl Russell, involving a charge against his lordship in 1887, the prosecuting prosecutor said that the spot where the alleged offence took place was outside the jurisdiction of the court, and in consequence the case failed.

The success of the Norwich musical festival has been complete. Mackenzie's Rose of Sharon drew enthusiastic plaudits from the Prince of Wales, the Princess Louise and the Duchess of Devonshire, who were present in private. The Sheffield and Bristol festivities take place next week.

Mr. John Hare received a great ovation at the Grand Theatre, Kingston, on Monday. It was his last engagement before going to the United States, and he opened in Piner's "Hobby Horse." The engagement of Coningsby Disraeli (Lord Beaconsfield) to a wealthy Portuguese lady of immense wealth is announced.

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RAILWAY TO THE COAST.

Board of Trade Will Be Asked to Endorse the Scheme.

Mr. Gustav Leiser will move the following resolution at the quarterly meeting of the Board of Trade to be held next Friday:

That in view of the probable assistance which will be given by the Dominion government to the early construction of a railway through the Crow's Nest Pass into Kootenay in the interests of the merchants of British Columbia it is desirable that this board should strongly urge the continuance of such a railway to the coast, and that the extension of the same should be simultaneous with that of the main line.

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DESPERATE BANDIT

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at of the Money Stolen from the Sherbourne Bank Found on His Person.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 10.—The history of the robbery of the bank of Sherbourne ended tragically when D. Sair, one of the pair of the murderous bandits about to be captured, killed Marshal Fallon, leader of his pursuers, and sent a bullet into his own brains. The bandit fell dead at the feet of the murderer...

Wells, Minn., Oct. 10.—A telegram received here at a large posse of men on the other Sherbourne robber and murderer has been captured by the Winnebago county posse, at Thompson, Iowa.

How Dearly Opposition Members Love One Another.

The Montreal Star's report of the House of Commons proceedings of Friday last contains the following passage: In explaining the vote of \$28,415 for further amounts required by the customs, Hon. Wm. Patterson stated that the expenses at Montreal custom house were \$87,725 a year. The late controller in his estimates had reduced the estimates, but had not reduced the expenditure.

The officers remained and so did the officers, and this year they had to be provided for.

Mr. Patterson went over a long list of offices where estimates had not been made sufficient to expenditure. This went on for some time, and finally Mr. Bergeron brought up another subject and it led to a bitter quarrel between Mr. Bergeron and Mr. Quinn on one side and Mr. Wallace on the other. The Liberals were the amused audience. Mr. Bergeron again brought up the claim of Mr. O'Hara, deputy collector of customs at Montreal to be paid the collector's salary during the time he acted as collector, and read from documents to prove that it was the intention of the late government to recognize his claim. He cited many precedents for the payment of such a claim. The business community of Montreal were unanimous in the verdict that Mr. O'Hara had performed his duties well, and if it had been left to the business men of the city he would have been chosen. He admitted that the government was to be blamed for not having paid the claim, but hoped the controller would pay it next session.

Mr. Wallace objected to this. The statement was not correct. This was on record that a judge of the supreme court had said that Mr. O'Hara should be removed, and was not fit for the public service.

Mr. Bergeron and Mr. Quinn together—"Name, name!"

Mr. Wallace—"Is it not correct?"

Mr. Quinn—"No."

Mr. Wallace—"He was not with my consent that Mr. O'Hara was not removed."

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Continuing, Mr. Bergeron stated that the merchants of Montreal had been up in arms against the late administration of the customs. This was shown by the last elections and the bye-elections of the winter. The fact was that all Montreal was angry. True, Mr. Wallace used to come down to Montreal, but instead of meeting the business men, he shot himself up in his room and conferred with his brethren of the Orange Order.

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Mr. Bergeron, to the Liberal side of the house: "I hope the new government will investigate the customs department, and they will find many startling things."

Mr. Quinn again took a hand in the fray. He told of the high character of Mr. O'Hara, whom he had met in sixteen cases in which he (Mr. Quinn) was opposed to the deputy collector. Mr. O'Hara did his work well.

This led Mr. Wallace to turn his guns upon the member for St. Ann's. They had not heard of Mr. Quinn's great ability as a lawyer, and probably never would have heard of them if that gentleman had not come up to parliament to tell of them himself.

Mr. Foster turned to Mr. Foster, who was leading the Conservative side of the house, and said: "How long are you going to allow this to go on? Can't you stop it? All this will go on if you don't stop it."

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Three or four different men had sums ranging between \$8,000 and \$20,000, and it is claimed that A. Harrington, one of the Circle City miners, has over \$100,000 worth of gold. He wants to sell his gold to the banks, but they will not take it, and he is considering taking the most of it to San Francisco to dispose of.

Most of the 155 men landed in Seattle, and they were treated well by the city. They were given food and shelter, and they were allowed to go wherever they pleased. They were also allowed to work in the city, and they were treated as citizens.

One of the returned men said that the Yukon miner is like others of his kind. He is fond of excitement and will gamble. If luck is with him he is jubilant and if fortune has failed to smile upon him he finds himself strapped at the close of the season and leaves the country he is most likely to give the country the black eye.

The careful man who keeps his health can make money in the Yukon.

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Taking the exhibition of 1896 as a whole and considering the depressed times and all the uphill fight several of our farmers have had in this valley, it fully equalled the society's expectations as regards the entries and exhibits, but the outside attendance was not as good as anticipated.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

A party of prospectors have left for Pemberton Meadows and expect to be absent some weeks. The quality of prospecting has been in a very good way. Bad weather militated somewhat against the attendance at the ninth annual exhibition of the Delta Agricultural Association, which was held at Ladysmith on Saturday last. There was not very much competition in the live stock department, though some of the exhibits were excellent. Those of dairy and farm produce and fruit were all three very good. The display of flowers was most creditable. The fancy work department comprised some splendid individual exhibits, but here was little competition. The work devolving on the officials was most carefully attended to.

NANAIMO.

The Liberal party of this city and Westminster have had in contemplation, and arrangements are well under way, for a reception to W. W. B. McInnes, M. P., on his return from Ottawa, but the following telegram has caused a regretful cessation of arrangements:

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A. Johnston & Co.'s delivery team bolted when on the way from Wellington, being frightened by a locomotive. The driver was thrown out, and the horses dashed through a crowd of people on the bridge which crosses the collector's race. A Frenchman named Savel and his 7-year-old son were run down, the latter sustaining a fracture of the thigh bone.

A man giving his name as Robert Hutchins Carter was arrested by Constable Thompson yesterday morning for passing counterfeit coins. Carter came up from Victoria on Tuesday's train and stayed at the Central Hotel, registering as George Carter. He was subsequently arrested on a bogus 50-cent coin on several people, and when arrested was found to have 32 similar coins in his pockets. He had besides a number of keys and \$8 in good silver. The counterfeit money is of a very inferior quality and can easily be detected.

Carter is a short, dark man, usually thick-set and heavy build. His chin is covered with a close-clipped black beard and he has a full moustache. His eyes are not in the least prominent and his eyes have an unpleasant though by no means savage look.

At the government office four mineral claims have been recorded as having been staked on the Victoria peninsula. The following are the names of the claimants: E. Foster and S. J. Martin, of Seattle, are the parties.

At the Church of St. Alban the Martyr on Friday evening the ceremony of instituting and inducting the Rev. R. B. Bonnet as rector of the parish, which was performed by the Lord Bishop of Columbia.

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VANCOUVER.

In the supreme court, before Mr. Justice Boyd, Mr. J. H. Senkler, Q.C., applied for the appointment of two commissioners to take evidence in the case of Cranston vs. Bird et al. It will be remembered that during the first part of this year Cranston and his fellow-depositors sued the Canadian-Australian Steamship Company, of which Mr. Huddart is manager, for \$50,000 damages, but this action was non-suited by Mr. Justice Drake. The plaintiff appealed to the full court on the 20th of October. Mr. Davis, solicitor for the defendants, however, applied for the appointment of two commissioners to take evidence, one for Mr. Huddart, who is now in England, and one for Capt. Bird, who had served in connection with the Canadian-Australian Steamship Co., and had become manager of a wool industry in Australia. Mr. Senkler contended that Capt. Bird's evidence was most important, and that they could not be sure of getting him here at the trial, as this was the busy season in Australia in his business. Mr. J. H. Senkler, for the plaintiffs, contended that the application was made only to cause a delay. The granting of the application would, of course, mean a postponement of the trial for a couple of months at least. His lordship, after consideration, granted the application in regard to Bird, but not in relation to Huddart, who apparently had no impediment to attending the trial. The trial was, therefore, postponed until the first Tuesday in January, the 5th.

Vancouver, Oct. 10.—A rumor of some interest in newspaper circles, freely disseminated by pressmen and others, is to the effect that the Colonist proposes establishing a morning paper in this city. Whether the Colonist management is actuated by business enterprise, or has some private political object in view, is not very clear. It is almost incredible that at this time, when the Colonist like other papers feels the pinch of hard times, any prudent business man would enter upon a scheme so hazardous as a second morning paper in this city. True, the News Advertiser is a poor affair and has lost its grip. But it is the field, and it would be hard to place it. Possibly the Colonist people only propose to print a Vancouver edition of its Victoria press, which would be less risky and also less appreciated. There is a danger of the Colonist "biting off" more than it can swallow, although I am bound to confess

that it possesses the stomach of an ostrich and can assimilate anything that it can swallow.

MIDWAY.

Midway Advance. A very rich strike of ore has been made in the Oro claim in White's camp. The claim lies to the south of the Mabel and was acquired by Mr. Douglas and his partners some time ago. They lately started sinking a shaft, and before they had dropped down many feet, they became convinced that mineral was in the neighborhood as every foot in depth gave better and more promising indications. Encouraged by the aspect of affairs they worked away with a will, and at a depth of 12 feet their labor was rewarded, as they struck a four-foot ledge of fine looking ore as was ever mined in any camp on Boundary Creek. The vein matter is quartz, heavily charged with copper pyrites, and the character of the quartz suggests that it may run well in gold. In a few days assays will be made of the ore, and little hesitation may be entertained but that they will be satisfactory. The shaft is now down about 20 feet, and the bottom of the shaft shows nothing but solid ore.

The Victoria claim is situated on Rock Creek, directly east of Camp McKinney, and since its acquisition by Seattle and Victoria capitalists, all the "hard" and "easy" in its neighborhood. The transfer of the property only took place a week or two ago, and already a force of twelve men are at work building roads, bunk houses and fixing up generally preparing to start work on the ore body. The Victoria is an extension of the Old England, and formerly belonged to Mr. Biche, the late Judge Haynes and Mr. Garrachy. Up to the present not a great deal of development work has been done on the property, but enough has been done to disclose a rich body of ore, the extent of which will be pretty thoroughly determined during the coming winter.

On the 24th of December, 1895, a bond was given on the Gold Drop claim, situated in Greenwood Camp, by the owner, Mr. Joseph Hetu, to the Montreal and British Columbia Prospecting and Promoting Company, limited. The operations of the bondholders have been so successful as to result in a purchase of the claim. As soon as matters can be arranged a thorough systematic development of the property will be commenced, which will no doubt employ a large force of men during the coming winter.

VERNON.

Vernon News. Hop picking on the Coldstream ranch was finished last Saturday, the crop being a very heavy one. There were about 350 Stivashes engaged in the work for three weeks, the result being about 1700 boxes of 100 pounds each. A quantity of wild rice imported last year by the Gun Club, which was cut too late for sowing that season, has been put out this week at the head of the lake and on Swan lake, where the muddy shores offer every advantage for its growth. The Enderly creamery committee have been actively engaged during the past fortnight in forwarding the necessary arrangements for the establishment of a creamery in that town. It has been decided to form an association on the cooperative principle, and it is expected that all preliminary details will be settled and the prospectus issued to the public within the next week or two.

It is reported that several cases of typhoid have recently developed at Armstrong, among those laid up in Dr. McLaren's town. The fever cases in this town are all progressing favorably and all the patients are on a fair way to recovery. A very promising mineral claim was located last week at the head of the B X creek by Messrs. O'Keefe, Fuller, Ethier and McMillen. The rock carries heavy galena in large quantities, and looks equal to anything we have yet seen in this district.

It is said that the new station agent at Sicamous, who was put on in place of the old agent on account of the strike, met with a remarkably warm reception at the hands of the inhabitants of that railway town. Rotten eggs and missiles of a more substantial nature were showered upon him, and it must have struck him rather forcibly that he could hardly claim to be thoroughly in rapport with the railway boys.

ROSSLAND.

The Rosslander. Some of the first carload of ore from the Evening Star taken to the Trail smelter assayed eight ounces in gold. The smelter people are well pleased that they have secured the contract for the output. News comes from Salmon river that a strike was made on a property about two and a half miles from Gillam's hotel by a man named Boyd. The room ran \$200, besides a good percentage of copper.

On Friday evening the crosscut driven from the bottom of a prospect shaft on the Mugwump revealed the foot wall of the ore vein. The first round of holes fired on Saturday broke out a fine lot of massive iron and copper ore identical with the high grade product of the Red Mountain producers. Assays of the first material struck have run as high as \$14 gold, 1 1/2 per cent. copper and 5 ounces of silver per ton.

W. Lane has made a splendid strike on the Iron Cliff, situated on the north fork of Salmon, near the Ben Hassan. After running a tunnel of 26 feet, a fine body of ore was struck, which ran from \$80 to over \$100 to the ton. On the Young British America a drift was started on a surface showing, but that proved to be only a stringer. The main ledge has been discovered and stripped for about 300 feet, in which it shows a width varying from 10 inches to 6 feet, assaying as high as \$15 in gold and 5 per cent. copper. A tunnel has been started on this vein, and is now nicely under cover.

About six weeks ago J. L. Wise and A. N. Paterson, of Paterson, Johnson & Co., located a group of six claims on Bear Creek, about two miles from Kootenay river and opposite Slovan river. Mr. Wise, who has been up there doing work on the law, the findings called the Big Four, came in on Tuesday last, bringing solid sulphide ore got from within a few feet of the surface, which assayed \$18 in gold. The ledge is five or six feet thick, and a tunnel is in it.

The demand for stocks this week has been chiefly in Evening Star and Deer Park, both of which are hard to get.

Holders of large blocks of Deer Park have declined anything less than 15, and probably an even higher figure. The stock would not cause much to change hands. Treasury stock is at 25c, and that price will probably be realized within two weeks. Though Evening Star has not advanced the inquiry for that stock is active, and considering that the mine is a steady shipper now at 30 it should be a good investment. Roseland Red Mountain has advanced from 15 to 25 in consequence of the strike made last week. All late reports from Christmas like testify to that country containing strong ledges of very rich ore. D. C. Beach got back on Monday night, after spending most of the summer there. He made in all nine locations, but the one which he thinks most of is the Cracker Jack, and certainly the rich ore he brought in justifies the good opinion held of it. Interested with him in this claim are P. Cunningham and A. McIntire. The Cracker Jack is situated four miles from the foot of the lake and two miles east of it. Mr. Beach sunk a shaft of 12 feet between the well-defined wall enclosing a vein of five feet, which at the depth reached showed a mass of arsenical iron ore and oxidized copper, the same as found around Roseland. No assay had been obtained at the time of going to press, but so far as appearances go the ore looks such as, with transportation facilities of ordinary nature, would stand up to any test.

(Roseland Record.)

Messrs. John Moynihan and W. A. Campbell have for a 70-foot tunnel to be driven on the North-ern Belle. The C. & C. property, on Monte Cristo mountain, has been sold—or at least a controlling interest in it—to O'Leary, W. A. Lott and Capt. Gore disposing of it in a two-thirds interest for the net sum of \$20,000. The sale was made to an English syndicate, and the cash paid was \$5000, the balance of \$15,000 to be paid in 60 days.

SALT SPRING.

Salt Spring, Oct. 12.—The sloop Ellen took an excursion party to Victoria on the 8th.

Rat worrying is now all the go among the boys.

The Salt Spring Island Agricultural Association will hold its annual exhibition on Oct. 14.

Three cottages have recently been built at Vesuvius Bay to rent.

The coal mine at Vesuvius Bay has been abandoned.

The steamer City of Nanaimo made her first trip on the new route to the 6th.

SEALION.

From Our Own Correspondent. Nelson, Oct. 7.—There is a good deal of feeling here over the unfortunate blacksmith who came to his death by the hand of an assassin. It is felt that no means should be spared to bring the supposed culprit to justice, and if found guilty, to the gallows. The murder trial at the last session, which ended in an acquittal, is generally held to have been a fiasco, and now here is a peaceable and popular citizen of order and law, calmly saying in the midst of a trial, "I am a citizen of the province for the personal safety of its inhabitants is at stake, and if through any carelessness of the authorities, this crime is not brought home to the guilty man, the prestige of British law and order will appear a severe shock. At present it is alleged that the identification of the man in custody and the dying deposition of the victim were not properly carried out. By the time the fair comes round again next year, we expect to see bullion from our mines here instead of merely the ore.

Hugh Hunter, the Hibernian gentleman who so ably represents the provincial government at Granite Creek, was in town a day or two last week. He brought up with him some samples of ruber silver ore from claims on the headwaters of the Tulameen river. Some of these claims have recently been made there, and when the proposed railway from Vancouver to Roseland is built they will doubtless be developed, for they lie directly on the proposed line. Mr. Hunter says the mining possibilities in this section of the country are unlimited.

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Assessments on the Victoria group has brought some rich mineral in sight. This claim belongs to the Morning Star group on Springer creek.

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ASHCROFT.

B. C. Mining Journal. About \$3,000 came down from Barkerville and Quesnelle by last Tuesday's stage.

The North Star mine, three miles above Quesnelle, is reported as having made a successful run.

The Cimbar mines on Kamloops lake near Savona, have nearly completed their armace which has a capacity for treating about one-and-a-half tons of ore per day. During the past season with only a prospecting plant, enough quicksilver to supply the local demand and some for export has been manufactured.

A severe epidemic prevails among the Indians living two miles above Cache Creek. It is said to be pneumonia with typhoid complications. Owing to their lack of knowledge in taking care of the sick and the exposure to change of temperature, very little can be done for them, six have already died and many undoubtedly will follow.

Reports from miners just down from the Cariboo mine say that the present wash-up will exceed \$50,000. They say that the work has been very good, but that there would have been a large amount of gold shipped. Shafts are being sunk in the bottom of the pit to reach the richness of the bottom gravel. It is showing very rich. The present wash-up is a little over the previous one makes a total of over \$130,000 of the season.

KAMLOOPS.

Inland Sentinel. At the assizes C. H. McInnes was sentenced to two years' imprisonment for theft committed at Quilchena, and F. St. Amour, a lad of 16 years, was given five years for ill-treatment of a little girl.

The Kamloops exhibition this year, though hardly up in the matter of the number of exhibits to former years, was still full of interest. The feature that attracted the most attention was the mineral exhibit. During both days of the fair it was the centre of attraction. It is on the mineral development of the province that must be based the expectations of progress in the future, and it is pleasant to believe that those expectations are not at all likely to be disappointed. By the time the fair comes round again next year, we expect to see bullion from our mines here instead of merely the ore.

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check for \$1000 as his share of the first payment on the Grover and Stevenson bond, on the Galena Farm. The bond is for \$35,000, and Con will receive \$10,000 of it.

C. B. D. Turner has obtained a working bond on the Dalhousie and Whycough, two well known Ten Mile claims. The amount is \$35,000. The running of 100 feet of tunnel on the Dalhousie will commence this week.

David Bremner has bonded for a Scotch syndicate the Oakland, Bachelor and Fraction, on Twelve Mile creek, about a mile from the lake. The owners of the properties are Charles McDonald and John Campbell. The amount of the bond is \$11,000.

Parties are after the Westmont. This claim is on the north side of Ten Mile creek, nearly opposite the Enterprise. It is owned by Frank Griffiths and George Westmont.

A foot of good ore has been struck in the tunnel on the Thompson group. The Ronette group of five claims, on the north fork of Carpenter creek, has been sold to John Vallance and others. Eastern American capital is behind the deal.

Judge Spinks and others have obtained a working bond on the Willa, and this week supplies were shipped in and work commenced. This claim is owned by Esterbrook, Squires and Brindle. It is on Eight Mile, in the draw between the Little Daisy and the Rockland.

It was said in town yesterday that a claim on the south fork of Kaslo creek had been bonded to English capitalists for \$70,000, and that \$5000 had been paid down.

Finch & Campbell threw up the bond on the Arlington last Friday.

The Two Friends is a remarkable property on account of the variety of rich ores it produces. On the same lead can be found galena, zinc and sulphide ores.

Recent assays from ore taken from across the face of the pay streak on the Skyrack show 460 ounces in silver and \$40 in gold. It is a honeycombed rock, and shows native gold and black metal quite freely.

Henry Haggerty, who lost his life in a collision at 2 a.m. yesterday in California, was a native of Cape Breton, about 35 years of age. He had never visited Victoria, but had made his home with his aunt, Mrs. McInven, on the east side of the city, and was in the East, and later on coming with her to California, where he entered the service of the S.P.R.R. Co. over ten years ago, which position he held until his death. Respected and trusted by his employers, ever kind and thoughtful of others, generous to a fault, and beloved by all who knew him, he has taken his last ride and perished at his duty, leaving a loving wife and one little girl to mourn his loss in San Francisco, while in Victoria are two aunts, Mrs. Wodill and Mrs. McInven, and one only brother, who follows weeping. There are also two sons in Nanaimo, Mrs. Stephens and Campbell, and several relatives in Cape Breton who feel his loss keenly.

John Wessels six months ago obtained a decree nisi for a divorce from his wife, a half-breed, and yesterday Mr. Justice Drake granted him an absolute decree of divorce. The charge of which he was found guilty at the trial was adultery. The co-respondents were two Indians, Frank and Peter. The woman is now living on the Lumli Indian reserve, Washburn, having deserted Wessels some time ago.

Samner Visitor—And are all your sons sailors, too?

Retired Salt—Naw, Bill he took to yachting.

WATERBORN RETURNS TO POLITICS.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 12.—Mr. Waterborn announced that he will return to politics and fight to a finish. The Courier-Journal prints a long editorial from Mr. Waterborn, written at Geneva, in which he says that the action of the Chicago convention was caused him to return to politics, which he had left to enter two years ago. Mr. Waterborn concludes: "There is but one hope for the country, and that is the Democratic party, and that hope lies imbedded in the principles unfolded by the Indianapolis platform and represented by the candidacy of Fairbank and Buckner."

POOR WORKMANSHIP.

Architects Claim That the Defects in North Ward School Building Were.

The Result of Rough and Careless Work—Several Architects Give Evidence.

The North Ward school inquiry was resumed at the City Hall on Saturday evening. Architect Soule continued giving evidence. He presented a communication from Architect E. M. Bayne, in which the latter stated that he had examined the assembly room, and in his professional opinion that portion of the building was not only perfectly safe but in design leaves but little to be desired. He also proved and shows nothing that could be construed into a condition of danger immediately or prospectively. Mr. Bayne also states that proof that the roof is amply stiff and braced is evinced by the practical perfection of the plaster work, the first material to show structural damage. Mr. Soule quotes from the Journal of Proceedings of the R. I. B. A. of July, 1891, to show the relations between engineer and architect in the construction of the school board that the architect does not undertake to exercise the supervision of the clerk of works, but that he is held accountable for inability of mechanics. The appointments of the building were made satisfactorily. Had the stairs been built according to the specifications they would have been perfectly safe and sound. "If men would do such work as was done at that building," said he, "they would take very good care to hide up defects when the architect came round."

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Mr. Soule also points out that while Mr. Wilson and Mr. Northcott maintained that the steel girders should not have deflected five-eighths of an inch, Carnegie, the builder, in his book shows that the girders may deflect one and a half inches with safety.

Trustee Belyea showed by the minutes of the school board that the decision in the matter of the boiler which the contractors wished the board to accept contrary to the wishes of the architect, was not made until April 16. The building was then nearly finished, and Mr. Belyea said that this action of the trustees could not have weakened Mr. Soule's authority with the contractors to any great extent.

Mr. J. C. M. Keith, architect, who was called at the request of Mr. Soule, stated that he had made an examination of the roof and that in his opinion it could not be made any stronger further. The design of the roof is good, and if properly carried out would have been strong enough for all purposes. He attributed the trouble to the work not having been looked after by the clerk of the works as it should have been. In answer to Mr. Belyea Mr. Keith stated that any side deflection in the girders would weaken them.

Mr. A. Maxwell Muir had also examined the roof and thought it perfectly safe and that all the sagging possible had already taken place. The design he considered a good one, and should have given satisfaction. Any defects were caused by the workmen, and should have been shrunk. When he examined the roof, he recommended to Trustee McInnes, who was present, that the roof should be on the lower rafters. He did not think this necessary to secure safety, but thought something should be done to allow public apprehension.

The convention will meet again next Saturday evening, when Mr. Bayne will be examined regarding his statement presented by Mr. Soule and the school trustees will be called upon to give evidence.

BRIDGE TO BE BUILT

Ald. Williams' Motion to Proceed With Pile Bridge Adopted by Council.

Work to extent of \$12,000 to be Carried on by Day Labor at Elk Lake.

Bridge and waterworks matters were discussed at last evening's special meeting of the city council.

Mayor Beaven reported that he had interviewed Mr. Alex. Dunsmuir, president of the E. & N. railway company.

Mayor Beaven also reported that he had interviewed the local officers of the Consolidated Railway Company.

A discussion arose as to whether the city would have to pay for the tramway company's consulting engineer.

Messrs. Yates & Co. informed the council that Mr. Elworthy was willing to allow the Municipal Reform Association's injunction to be dissolved.

Ald. Humphrey suggested that a man could be found in the city capable enough to become the tool of such an organization as the Municipal Reform Association.

Ald. Williams then moved and Ald. Macmillan seconded the following resolution: "That the council deem it expedient that the city engineer should take the necessary steps to proceed to give ample additional strength to Point Ellice pile bridge."

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Plan No. 2 represents the elevation of the second bridge built by the provincial government in 1888. This bridge has two spans of 150 ft. each and two of 120 ft. each, besides the trestle approaches.

The eastern 150 ft. span collapsed on May 28th last. This bridge has a clear roadway under the 150 ft. spans of about 20 ft. above H.W.M., and under the 120 ft. spans of about 3 feet.

Plan No. 3 present the proposed bridges, one for ordinary vehicular and pedestrian traffic and the other for electric tramway traffic only, which are herewith submitted for your approval.

The pile bents are 20 ft. centres; the truss span is 70 ft. clear. The elevation of the bottom chord of the supporting truss is about 10 ft. above H.W.M., and the elevation of the bottom of the stringers of the pile portion about 20 ft. 4 in., excepting at the two bays immediately east of the 70 ft. spans.

From the fact that the last constructed bridge at Point Ellice, which was originally designed for a moving load of about 8 or 9 tons, has been subjected to loads of about 20 tons, many of the members have undoubtedly been strained beyond their elastic limit.

It is unsafe to utilize the standing spans for traffic without the supporting truss with piles or practically renewing the structure, for which purpose the cylinder piers that support the 150 ft. truss would not be reliable.

They are formed by a cluster of piles encased in a cylinder, the voids being filled with concrete. As existing at present the concrete is disintegrated and water leaks into it and out of the cylinders at different stages of the tide.

Under the circumstances it was considered that the quickest and most economical method to adopt for the resumption of traffic would be the construction of the proposed pile structures, which in addition to being much stronger than the bridge that collapsed, even if repaired, would answer every purpose until such time as the construction of a permanent bridge could be undertaken.

E. A. WILMOT, City Engineer, Victoria. The Honorable Minister of Public Works, Ottawa.

In answer to Ald. Partridge, Mr. Mason, the city solicitor, stated that it would be well for the council to notify Messrs. Bodwell & Irving, solicitors for the Dominion government, that they intended to strengthen the pile bridge.

The resolution then carried, Ald. Partridge alone voting against it. A report from the finance committee recommending an appropriation of \$2,000 was then carried on the same vote.

The finance committee also reported recommending an appropriation of \$11,750 out of the water-works by-law; for raising the East Saanich road \$5,000, expropriating land, \$6,000 and building dam \$750.

Ald. Cameron wanted some information regarding the expenditure of such a large sum of money out of a loan which was running low. He thought that the present expenditure should be confined to the least amount of land necessary and the building of the shortest possible pier.

The effort to preserve the water was a right one. Ald. Partridge pointed out that the mayor had ruled out of order a similar motion introduced by him. The mayor explained the distinction between the two motions and also explained why it was necessary that the work should be done in order that the filter beds could be used next year.

Ald. Partridge still remained unsatisfied, and the result was a heated altercation between himself and the mayor. Ald. Williams suggested that if the council build a good road, the provincial government should be asked to assist.

Ald. Macmillan moved that the recommendation of the finance committee be accepted and the work should be done under the direction of Mr. J. G. Brown, with power to employ and discharge men, the whole to be under the supervision of the water commissioner and the city engineer. The resolution was seconded by Ald. Humphrey. The resolution then carried.

Ald. Tiarke's bridge by-law, authorizing the corporation to borrow \$150,000, to build a bridge at Point Ellice, was read a first time and will be read a second time at the next meeting of the council. The council then adjourned.

A MESSAGE TO MEN. Proving That True Honesty and True Philanthropy Still Exist.

If any man who is weak, nervous and debilitated, or who is suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from youthful folly, excesses or overwork, will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect health and manhood, after years of suffering from Nervous Debility, Loss of Vigor and Organic Weakness.

I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely on being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble. Absolute secrecy is assured. Send 5 c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. George G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich.

JAPAN AND PERU. Treaty of Peace and Commerce Between the Two Countries.

Lima, Peru, Oct. 9.—Via Galveston, Texas, Oct. 9.—At a secret session last night, the Peruvian congress approved a treaty of friendship and commerce between Peru and Japan.

Their gentle actions and good effect on the system really make them a perfect little pill. They please those who use them. Carter's Little Pills may well be termed "Perfection."

TALYARD'S CAREER

The Man Captured by Ex-Sergeant Haywood is a Well Known Adventurer.

A Resident of the Province for Many Years—Some of His Mining Deals.

James Talyard, who was arrested yesterday afternoon for obtaining money under false pretences, is a man with a history.

He was known to nearly all the pioneers of the province, had business connections with many of them. He prospected in the mountains, bought and sold mines, but on his shingle is known as a mining engineer, and has been credited with doing a flourishing business in opium smuggling between British Columbia and Honolulu.

As far as can be learned, he made his first appearance in the province about the time Mr. Moberley made the preliminary survey for the C. P. R. through South Kootenay. He worked for Mr. Moberley for some time and afterwards prospected for quartz mines on Kootenay Lake. He was the secretary of the Blue Bell claim when Hammill was shot on June 1, 1885, and was afterwards an important witness for the defence in the case of the Queen vs. Sproule.

Sproule was convicted of the murder of Hammill, after a most bitter and prolonged trial. Talyard struck his friend to the last, doing everything in his power to liberate him. His anxiety to secure Sproule's liberation attracted very general attention at the time.

Talyard afterwards made his appearance on Rock Creek, Yale district. He and others located what was afterwards known as the Luna hydraulic mine. They tried it to some extent, but the parties, Talyard's share in the Alice and Emma quartz mines adjoining being included in the deal. He then located a quartz mine near Yale. He went to work on it, but he was nearly every winter, and would disappear for months at a time, taking occasional trips to Honolulu and the States.

Two years ago he took rooms in the main house, Vancouver, and hung out a shingle as mining engineer. He disappeared from the Perimeter City about Christmas, 1894, and the general public heard no more of him until arrested yesterday afternoon. But there are many private individuals who had lost heavily by his schemes, and were anxious to know of his whereabouts.

Mr. J. A. Coates, of Victoria, was one of the many who went into the company organized by Talyard for the purpose of working the Luna hydraulic mine in Alaska. Mr. Coates invested \$1000, working \$700 to Talyard in advance. Talyard secured about \$6000 in the same way before disappearing. Mr. Coates went up to Anderson Lake and found that although his claim was staked, it had not been recorded and was practically worthless.

The other Victoria directors decided to let the matter drop, but Mr. Coates was determined to capture the man who had so wronged him. He employed Pinkerton detectives in the search, but their efforts were unsuccessful. Evidently considering himself safe after a long absence, Talyard put in an appearance in Vancouver a few days ago. He was at once spotted by the police, and his efforts were unsuccessful.

Mr. Coates went up to Vancouver, intending to secure Talyard's arrest, but the latter had fled to the Warrimoo at 4 o'clock in the morning. Mr. Heywood, however, was watching his man and also took passage on the steamer. Just as the steamer was nearing the outer wharf Mr. Haywood went to Talyard's room and arrested him.

Although about \$1500 was found on the prisoner, he is supposed to have over \$5000 secreted somewhere—money obtained through his mining deals. Several of his victims called at the provincial police station today, all anxious to present their claims.

Talyard was transferred to the city police station this morning, having been turned over to the city police. He appeared before Magistrate Macrae this afternoon and was held by Mr. Coates with securing \$700 in false pretences. The case was remanded until Monday next.

SAANICH FAIR. Closed With the Annual Ball in Agricultural Hall.

The 29th annual exhibition of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society came to an end yesterday evening. The auspicious occasion was celebrated by a ball held in the society's hall, which was thoroughly and effectively decorated. The supper of the ladies of Saanich are on record, so mention of that would be superfluous. Suffice it to say that with the good music, good food and happy throng of guests it would be difficult to prevent anyone who was present from enjoying himself.

President Simpson and the officers of the society welcomed the many guests, the attendance being fully as large as it was during the afternoon. The field sports were the drawing card of the afternoon, and many city people, enticed probably by them, went out by train, bicycle and every other conceivable mode of conveyance to share in the enthusiasm. Several very interesting events were brought off on the society's three-quarter mile track. Local horses only started. The first event was a running dash for home horses, their mounts being pioneers of 10 years of age and upwards. This went to G. Harrison, with W. Thomson second. When the flag dropped Mr. X. Marcotte got away well and was nicked out at once as a winner. He, however, had had luck, his mount proving unmanageable and throwing him overboard.

The trotting race brought out a field of five starters with all sorts and conditions of vehicles. Mr. Fred Tarzoo's mare, the same, by the way, which took the prize for the best buggy horse yesterday, again proved a winner. Mr. T. Tunstead was second; he deserves great credit as his vehicle was not of the lightest.

The next event was on the programme for the benefit of a race for Indian ponies. Four entered, all members of the

Saanich tribe. Sam took first place and Mitchell second. The track was too soft to allow of bicycle races, and a sprinting race took place instead. The result was George Anderson, J. T. Johnson.

FOR CRIMINAL LIBEL. Earl Russell Has His Mother-in-Law Arrested.

London, Oct. 10.—Lady Scott, mother-in-law of Earl Russell, was arrested yesterday evening and taken to Bow street police court. The charge against her is criminal libel, professed by Earl Russell. She was arraigned in Bow street police court this morning in company with two youths, who are included in the charge. Earl Russell attained much notoriety, not only through divorce proceedings, etc., brought against him by his wife, formerly Miss Mabel Scott, daughter of the late Sir Claude Edward Scott. She obtained a separation. Later she sued for restoration of her conjugal rights and was defeated in April, 1895. Later in the day Lady Scott was released on furnishing bail to the amount of \$5,000.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES. Coost of Making the Necessary Repairs to the North Ward School Building.

Appointments to Fill Vacancies on Teaching Staff Caused by Resignations.

The Board of School Trustees held a meeting yesterday evening in the office of the secretary. All the members were present and Mr. Hayward was in the chair. A communication was received from Mr. and Mrs. Sault, who complained that their boy had been severely injured by Principal McNeill. The letter was received and a committee appointed to enquire into the matter and report.

W. W. Northcott, the building inspector, wrote saying that the North Ward school building was now, in his opinion, perfectly safe.

Principal Netherby sent a letter to the board referring to the practice of boys throwing stones at Chinamen. A letter was read from a teacher named Duffey, of New Brunswick, enquiring if the supply of teachers was equal to the demand. This was referred to the superintendent of education.

Peter Hansen wrote saying that he had some 200 cords of wood for sale which he offered at \$2.25 a cord. He referred to the supply committee with power to act.

The resignations of two of the teachers, Miss M. Sanderson and Miss S. Kermode, were received and accepted. A statement was submitted of the cost of repairs to the North Ward school building which showed a total of \$1,826.49, of which \$970 went to the workmen for wages, \$140 to the architect for his services and the remainder for the material used. A balance of \$1,070 will be still on hand after paying all outstanding accounts, which will be required for sundries, etc., until the close of the year.

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Mr. McMeekin, of the repairs committee, recommended that the boiler at the Central school be repaired immediately, the cost to be about \$75. A motion that this be done was carried. He also recommended that the roof of the South Park school be attended to, as it is in a bad condition. This matter was referred to the alterations and repairs committee.

Bills amounting to \$943 were read and ordered to be read. The bill for repairs to the North Ward school building was included among these.

Then with closed doors the board went into committee to discuss the applications for positions on the teaching staff.

Mr. Belyea moved a resolution "that hereafter no application for a position on the teaching staff of the public schools of this city be considered unless the applicant holds a certificate not lower than second class Grade B." After discussion this was carried.

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NEW SENATORS. Men Who Are Likely to Secure the Vacant Seats.

Toronto, Oct. 10.—The Mail's Ottawa correspondent says: The name of Robert McFaray, of Toronto, president of the Globe Publishing Company, is mentioned in connection with the vacancy caused by the death of Sir David McPherson. The general opinion is the appointment would be commended irrespective of party. Another senatorial vacancy attracting attention is that caused by the death of Geo. Ferguson, of Welland. It is said Mr. Lowell, the defeated Liberal candidate in that constituency is the first in the race for the appointment.

It is stated the government proposes to dispense with the services of J. S. Larkie in Australia. Hamilton, Ont., Oct. 10.—Mayor Tuckett was waited on yesterday and asked to become a candidate for the mayoralty for a second term. In agreeing to the wishes of the deputation he said he hoped the majority of the aldermen would be re-elected.

Sir William Van Horne is expected to arrive in Winnipeg to-morrow on a tour of inspection. Kewatin, Ont., Oct. 10.—John Dunsaul, a miner of Rat Portage, was killed on the C. P. R. between Norman and Rat Portage last night. His body was discovered this morning badly mutilated.

Brandon, Man., Oct. 10.—Posters are out calling for a convention at Souris on Oct. 20 of Liberals and McCarthyites to nominate a candidate for the House of Commons in the place of Dalton McCarthy, resigned. It is generally expected that Hon. Clifford Sifton will be elected by acclamation.

Edmonton, N. W. T., Oct. 10.—T. W. Lines' grain warehouse was burned to the ground this morning. The insurance ran out yesterday. There was no grain stored. Loss about \$1200.

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SHOT A PRISONER.

A Life Term Prisoner at Kingston Comes Unruly and is Shot.

Kingston, Oct. 8.—A tragedy was enacted to-day in the penitentiary. George Hewitt, negro, sent from Essex county in 1886 to serve a life term for criminal assault, became very disorderly in his cell in the prison of isolation, where he is confined for an attempt to murder a guard. For insubordinate conduct removed to the dark cell, and to disembowel Macdonald, one of the guards, the guard fired and the ball entered the convict's head just below the left eye.

The dying man continued for four months and impressions with his last breath.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of a gripe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to be cured about a speedy cure.

From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, he concluded to make a first trial of the medicine.

It is putting it very mildly, indeed, it acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.

For sale by all druggists, Langley & Henderson Bros., wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

MORE TROUBLE FOR SPAIN.

Native Soldiers Mutilated and Killed Their Officers.

Madrid, Oct. 9.—A dispatch received here from Manila says that a company of native soldiers at Mindanao Island in the Malay archipelago, and the second largest of the Philippine Islands, have mutilated and killed their officers.

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Causes the Death of a Bishop on Saturday.

He Was on a Visit to His Friend Hon. M. at Hawke.

Her Majesty's Messengers to the Boreas.

London, Oct. 13.—Canterbury was seized after the service on Sunday morning carried to the rectory at 11:30 o'clock. The Rev. Dean of Canterbury, Dean Farrar, in presence of Archbishop of Canterbury, peacefully and suddenly He had attended the Dean Farrar, in presence of Archbishop of Canterbury, peacefully and suddenly.

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