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who came as the representative of mier Yuan Shi Kai, is occupied in changing dispatches with Pekin and receiving callers. He has not yet eived Premier Yuan Shi Kai's final sextlement of the Russo-Persian difficulty, as it is likely to delay the withdrawal of the Russian troops from post perfected. perfected. Within the last few days the econtry has greatly improved.

Honan have replied to a communie that they see no reason necessing retirement from their posts, all

attended by 300 boys. There were five to restore normal conditions loys taken with scarlet fever. The rest ere quarantined, and the order of the ealth officers was that they be kept here till December 29, in spite of their anting to go home for Christmas he principals promised, but after the aldi officers left they dismissed the vs. The health officers say that they had the slightest idea that ere was danger of such a thing they ould have circled the college with They have reported advising ourt action.

MAY CALL STRIKE.

Kansas City, Dec. 23.-A general ompany probably will be called soon, and Hon. Martin Burrell who left last according to a statement made by J. night for St. Catharines. Franklin, international president of ne boilermakers' union, yesterday. The failure of the road and the union settle their differences at the conerence in St. Louis last Monday was

iven as the cause. The road refused the demand of the nions that the carmen's union be

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STATEMENT MADE BY MINISTER OF INTERIOR

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obestving these rules on terms Cossacks Guard Government Buildings at Tabriz—Settlement Delayed

London, Dec. 23.-Fifty Persians were killed during the fighting beinstantinople, signed October 28, 1888, tween Russian troops and the Per-the free navigation of the Suez sians in Tabriz, according to official telegrams received Teherran.

CHINESE PEACE CONFERENCE.

The Russians occupied all of the common offices as well as the telegraph station. They bombarded the governor's place and demolished many the conference will not resume its private buildings with their artillery sions for several days. Tang Shao several Persian officials also were who came as the representative of killed during the fighting at Resht.

According to a dispatch from St.

condition in the interior of the Petersburg to-day, the Russian gov-bas greatly improved. Petersburg to-day, the Russian gov-ernment does not intend to attempt Bank of Montreal Brings Suit to adjust the matter by making a pro-Pekin, Dec. 23.—Several American test to the Persian government, but sionaries stationed in the province will undertake the punishment of those who, it alleges, were responsible from the American legations for the attacks on the Russian troops. Sharp Fighting.

cer of the Chesapeake and 32 Chinese sians and Persians lasted in the streets of the city throughout the day. The time. The claim made against Sir eamer Adam Sturm. The second of- Yesterday's fighting between Rus-

ers reported to the controllers to-day ment has instructed the local authori- investigation. n amazing act on the part of the ties to cease hostilities and enter into principals of French Catholic schools negotiations with the Russian consul

CABINET MEETINGS.

Majority of Ministers Will Remain at Ottawa During the Holidays.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.-The majority of the cabinet ministers will not take any Christmas holidays at all but will remain in the city to attend council meetings. The ministers will foregather for the dispatch of public business on every day during the holiday, but Christmas and New Year. Those who will be out of the city for the holiday will include Hon. Robt. Rogers and Hon. W. J. Roche, who have gone West, Hon. J. D. Hazen, who will rike of the carmen employed by the go to St. John, Hon. Frank Cochrane. souri, Kansas and Texas Railroad who will spend Christmas in Toronto

TURKEY'S WAR EXPENSES.

Constantinople, Dec. 23.-An extraordinary credit of \$2,500,000 was asked for to-day in the chamber of deputies by the minister of war in order to meet the expenses incurred by the continuance of warlike operations against the

PROTEST AGAINST **ACTION OF CRUISER**

Have Been Defeated in Two Engagements

Winnipeg, Dec. 23.—The Hay-Pauncefeet leastly of 1902, between the United
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Against Western Cement and Coal Company

Montreal, Dec. 23.—The health offi- missal and that the Persian govern- based his demands for a parliamentary oghue, barrister; J. J. Ward, merchant; there were to whom the wage increase of the mill operatives at Acerington based his demands for a parliamentary of the mill operatives at Acerington based his demands for a parliamentary of the mill operatives at Acerington based his demands for a parliamentary of the mill operatives at Acerington based his demands for a parliamentary of the mill operative at Acerington based his demands for a parliamentary of the mill operative at Acerington based his demands for a parliamentary of the mill operative at Acerington based his demands for a parliamentary of the mill operative at Acerington based his demands for a parliamentary of the mill operative at Acerington based his demands for a parliamentary of the mill operative at Acerington based his demands for a parliamentary of the mill operative at the mill ope

SOCIAL PROBLEMS

REV. J. W. AIKENS TELLS OF HIS RECENT TOUR

Are Coming in From the

the Turks and Arabs were victorious in an engagement at Homs on December 15, and drove out the Italians and reoccupied Zaniburon on December 17. He reports the Italians as having lost heavily in these engagements.

The London Daily Mail's Constantinople correspondent says the Porte again has announced its determination to maintain its sovereign rights in Tripoli.

A dendal comes from Rome of a report that there are Italian warships at Durazzo, on the Almanian coast.

Steamer Released.

Alexandria, Egypt, Dec. 23.—The British steamer Menzelch was only delayed temporarity by the Italian course in mossible to keep a watch upon them.

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has been moved too, but for thanking rather than moral reasons, as the situation was wanted for wholesate proposed increase.

compare the west of Canada with the east of Canada; better compare the CEMENT WESTER east of Canada better compare the west of Canada with the Western States at the same stage of development. That is a better comparison, and when you make it, things are very encouraging there."

Aikens found in the ministerial association in Vancouver, and one which ould with advantage be duplicated in many other cities in Canada, but which he saw nowhere else, was the organization of the associations to take Ottawa, Dec. 22.—A writ has been is-

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INVESTIGATION INTO SURVEYORS' DEATH

Back—Further Inquiries to

One very fine feature which Mr. Vancouver City Council Wants Explanation From B. C. Telephone Company

STEAMER BURNED AT SEA.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 23.—A dispatch received here from Tabriz Persia, says sied by the Bank of Montreal against the western Cement and Coal Company. The defendants quoted are Sir Sanford Fleming, Joseph Samuels Irvin, Sanford Hall Fleming, Hugh Fleming on December 10 on her voyage from New York to Tangier, were landly from the German of the vesterday from the German Adam Sturm. The second of here yesterday from the German Adam Sturm. The second of the Chesposed in the service of the Canadian Pacific to proposed increase in the rates of the proposed increase in the rates of the proposed increase in the rates of the proposed increase in the service of the proposed increase in the rates of the proposed increase in the service of the Canadian Pacific to enter the service of the proposed increase in the rates of the proposed increase in the service of the Canadian Pacific the whole both particular increase in the rates of the proposed increase in the rates of the proposed increase in th

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MAY ACCEPT NEW POST.

Ottawa Dec. 22.-Hon, F. Cochrane. ninister of railways, to-day has nothing to say as to the report that General Superintendent Gutelius is to leave Vancouver, Dec. 23.—The matter of the service of the Canadian Pacific

rates next March owing to the in- of the department, including the en- the United States, had decided to pre-Toronto, Dec. 23.—Mayor Geary is

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workers, which occurred December 20. Japanese mediation contemplated in-There is little prospects, therefore, of avoiding the lockout of 160,000 opera-archial government is officially denied. tives which is threatened by the Lan- It was said at the foreign office that cashire mill owners, and is to begin on December 27.

DEADMAN'S ISLAND TANGLE.

Vancouver, Dec. 23 .- That the Doinion government will take steps to get Deadman's Island back for the a cablegram to-day stating that the itizens of Vancouver, was the statement made yesterday by George H. Sun Yat Sen as president of the revo-Cowan, formerly M. P. for Vancouver, lutionary assembly at Nanking was who has just returned from Ottawa. It was intimated that the government the crown in any decision that may be vote was taken informally among the arrived at on the coast.

B. C. NAVAL CADETS.

W. J. Beech, Mount Tolmie, and R. W. Wood, Duncan, Pass Examination.

Ottawa, Dec. 23.-Two British Coumbia boys were successful in passing passing examinations,

BELIEVE CONFERENCE RUSE BY PREMIER

Protest Against Proposed Pref- Hon. R. Rogers Says It is to Be Italian Troops Reported to Declares Many Undesirables Young Man Shot Through the Two Hundred Men Were at Imperial Troops Reinforced-It is Feared Armistice May

Chang Hsun has commandeered the ntire northern section of the Tien Tsin-Pukow railway, including rolling

The rebel forces on the other hand hold the southern section. Chang Hsun's force is 10,000 strong, while the revolutionaries number 15,000. A distance of less than 100 miles separates them. Chang Hsun declares that he will retake Nanking, while the southern, or revolutionary forces, are keen

advance on Pekin. Revolutionaries, both officers and men, are convinced the conference at

layed temporarily by the Italian cruiser layed temporarily by the Italian cruiser Puglia. After taking possession of the \$150,000 in cash and the Turkish parcels and goods on board, the Italian warship allowed the Menzaleh to proceed on her voyage.

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they believe witnessed the tragedy. An empty revolver was found by the police.

Tang Shao Yi, his representative at Shanghai. It is understood that Ynan Shi Kai desires to have all the differ-Albert Bolton, until recently, was a ences settled in advance of the form that the sole business of the delegates will be to sanction the decision already reached.

Government officials here insist that the throne will be retained, but there is a difference of opinion as to what form the monarchy will take. Yuan Shi Kal has been endeavoring to propagate the view that foreign in-

According to the reports of the restant and consult general has sent to head quarters a request for reinforcements in the stand men, the Chesapeake caught fire an December 6 and the crew were forced to abandon her and took to the boats, two of which were picked up by the Adam Sturm. Two other boats containing the remainder of the crew have not since been heard of. The chief officer and cook of the Chesapeake died on board the Adam Sturm from burns.

DISOBEYED ORDERS.

Manford Fleming is for \$31,109.59, with Interest at 5 per cent.; against J. S. Irromoto, Dec. 23.—Mayor Geary is against J. S. Irromoto, Dec. 23.—Mayor Geary is against took place in the proposed and do believe, that the government does want. Mr. Gutelius and are prepared to offer interest at 5 per cent.; against J. S. Irre was a tendency to be believe, that the government does want. Mr. Gutelius and are prepared to offer interest at 5 per cent.; against J. S. Irre was a tendency to be believe, that the government does want. Mr. Gutelius and are prepared to offer interest at 5 per cent.; against J. S. Irre was a tendency to be believe, that the government does want. Mr. Gutelius and are prepared to offer interest at 5 per cent.; against J. S. Irre was a tendency to be believe, that the government does want. Mr. Gutelius and are prepared to offer interest at 5 per cent.; against J. S. Irre was a tendency to be believe, that the government does want. Mr. Gutelius and are prepared to offer interest at 5 per cent.; against J. S. Irre was a tendency to be believe, that the government does want. Mr. Gutelius and are prepared to offer interest at 5 per cent.; against Level. The nomination took place in the remaintence of the crew were at the city and so the company was anxious and the crew was a further to the proposed. The rates were already sufficiently high. The company to the proposed that the province and did not warrent the province and did not warren

The retterated report that the Britishthe efforts of the British government in conjunction with the other were directed to assisting China to seure an efficient form of government, based on popular approval.

Not Elected President. San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 23.-The report announcing the election of Dr.

premature. The message, which was in answer delegates showing that Dr. Sun was

strongly favored. SCOTTISH BYE-ELECTION

Glasgow, Dec. 23.-At the bye-elecon held yesterday for the seat in the House of Commons for the Govan division of Lanarkshire, D. U. Holmes, the open competitive examination for Liberal, was elected by a majority of naval cadets, held on November 15. They are W. J. Beech, Mount Tolmie, William Hunter, Liberal, who has been B. C., and R. W. Wood, of Duncan, B. raised to the position of judge of the Eleven candidates succeeded in Court of Sessions. Mr. Hunter's majority last year was over 2.000.

tion With Point Grey Tramway Case

been sitting here since November 1, Gregor, Mrs. Leonard, Miss Morrison adjourned its sittings vesterday after- and Principal Lock. Attention is callneon to resume in Victoria in January. ed to the following patriotic selections: It is not likely that it will sit in Van- Flag of China, sung by the smalles couver again before next April.

Before adjournment the court granted two important applications.

One presented to the pupils who had dismade by E. P. Davis K. C. was for inguished themselves most during the made by E. P. Davis, K. C. was for tinguished themselves most during the leave to appeal to the Privy Council term, and it was interesting to note against the decision of the court of the progress which had been made by the Point Grey tramways fights. The court of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the court of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of the progress which had been made by many of granted the application of the control of the programme which was that the papers for appeal be not taken one part of the programme which was out until Jamuary it. This will enable not given in English, this being made should they confirm it, it is not likely Principal Lock and Mr. More, after that an appeal will be considered which "God Save the King" was sung. Should they turn it down the appeal will go on.

Another application was for an order to stop the sale of the Leigh-Spencer. lock on Granville street, which has been advertised for Saturday next. J. Russell, who made the application, said that he did so because he wished to appeal against the order made by Judge Grant in the matter, R. L. Reid, K. C., opposed, pointing out that the arrangements for the sale had been already made. The court granted the order to stop the sale on the condition that the appeal be set down first for hearing at the January sitting, so that there might be no unnecessary delay in

FRONTAGE OWNERS

Government Engineers and Inner Harbor Association-Hold a Conference

the needs of that portion of the har- itself in future action. the members, all the mills and the other industries along the waterfront of the inner harbor being represented. ber. There was a large attendance of Mr. Coste stated his general views

he matter and the members of the association laid their views before him as to the requirements of the case. Mr. oste asked them to have a plan preared, showing all they required, deep iter lines, wharves, frontages, and a lay before the government at Ottawa and give his cerdial support to. Public nece sties were to be considered in the plan in preference to private require

submit he to the association for approval and transmission to Mr. Coste. Mr. Sorby's general plans for the improvement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the provement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the provement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the provement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the provement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the provement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the provement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the provement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the provement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the provement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the provement of the harbor were before the harbo Mr. Coste at the meeting, and the views of the government engineer and to a school library. The programme ascending track continues, suddenly to a school library. The programme ascending track continues, suddenly the Victoria engineer, who has always was as follows: Chorus, by school; there comes into view the matchless Temporary premises have been secured taken such a deep interest in the development of the port, were found to be in substantial harmony; Medd Liller Medd College (The Fairles); all from Vice-President Bosworth Alberni branch of the matchless tracks and the admiration of all from Vice-President Bosworth Alberni branch of the matchless of Cameron lake seen in its long-test dimensions, and the admiration of all from Vice-President Bosworth Alberni branch of the matchless of Cameron lake seen in its long-test dimensions, and the admiration of all from Vice-President Bosworth Alberni branch of the matchless of Cameron lake seen in its long-test dimensions, and the admiration of all from Vice-President Bosworth alberni branch of the matchless of Cameron lake seen in its long-test dimensions, and the admiration of all from Vice-President Bosworth alberni branch of the matchless of Cameron lake seen in its long-test dimensions. Mr. Sorby's scheme, which seems Medd, Lillian Mercer and Gisle Berton; downwards was elicited by this scenic likely to be the one adopted, contemplates the centering of railway terminals on the reserve, with baseule On Monday evening, the 18th inst., a bridges across the harbon, one about social was held in the St. Luke's the site of the present railway tridge and another from Songhees Point to Cedar Hill Literary and Debating So- and another from Songhees Point to Cedar Hill Literary and Debating So- train approached the summit. 1.285 feet and another from Songhees Foint to Cedar fill Literary and Debating Songhees Foint to Cedar fill Literary an Laurel Point. The latter would give dety. The evening was spent to spen above sea level, with a 2 per cent grade plant early in the new year. The be run to the outer wharves and the taker; song, Mr. Sparks; song, C. ot. length along in the valley below, at-C. P. R. docks. Crossing to the whole-H. J. Cullin; song, Mrs. Hises; s sale district by the bridge at the foot Mr. Yates; song, Rev. H. A. f. The of Cormorant street, lines would run comic musical sketch, Capt. south to the G. T. P. docks and north On Tuesday evening, the inst to the various mills on Rock Bay and a very enjoyable dance was held in ing to the passengers the suggestions seeking separate charters, and leaving Selkirk water. This would obviate the the Cedar Hill Temperance has, under of the wild life of the country.

the entrance would be widened and dered. works department, and leaving it to home for Christmas holidays. private owners to fill in and reclaim wharfage space inside that line.

SECURE LABOR HALL.

ized labor will no longer be homeless in the Royal City negotiations which have extended over some weeks having been concluded by which the Labor Temple Company, Limited, becomes the owners of the present labor hall the owners of the present labor hall building on the corner of Severath of the corner of the

labor unions for some time to come. the Trades and Labor Council did not of any of them is 140 feet. To this end, a concrete basement will know of the plebiscite, or they would Limited to eight miles an hour of be put in, and the large hall on the top floor will be enlarged by taking down they did, for the will of the people is railway, which has been constructed the partitions and including the ante the paramount thing with them. Mayor by Janse, McDonnell & Co., within the vided for the meetings of the other vincial legislature to allow the grant- things of a somewhat heavy character,

issued, and a new building erected | committee.

Imperial Institute held its annu losing exercises, which was atte Application Granted in Connection Chinese residents. There are over 190 tion With Point Grey tion to several English children; three FUTURE FRESH WATER rooms in the institute study English, one room only studying Chinese. The entertainment, which was pre Vancouver, Dec. 22.—With fourteen in the assembly hall of the school, the cases of the Vancouver, list still unprogramme being drawn up from pu-

heard, the Court of Appeal, which has pile of the four classes under Miss Mc-Point Grey ratepayers to vote on by Chow You Jan in his native tongue. by-law in the meantime, and Further short talks were given by

GREATER VICTORIA SCHEME.

Public Meeting Set for Oak Bay Muni eipality on Wednesday Next to Discuss Proposal.

cussion of the proposals of the Vic-toria city council on the amalgama-memorably in the days to come. tion scheme has been set for Wednesday evening next at the Municipal hall, Oak Bay avenue, at 8 o'clock, 494 with Harry Austin driving, and when representatives of the city will Lawrence Davis as fireman, on Wedattend and explain the proposals. In nesday afternoon for the first passage

considered, the better one for the gen-eral body of the electorate, and as it set over till after the holiday. The municipal council is giving this

opportunity to the ratepayers to discuss the matter while personally opposed to any change in the present condition of public business, except to a limited degree in the establishment of a joint authority with restricted The members of the Inner Harbor powers, and is merely following the Association met Louis Coste in the city example of the Saanich council of alhall Thursday and discussed with him lowing free debate without binding

programme setting forth the rotation Pupils of School Give Concert in which they thought the work should in Aid of Funds of Library

Gordon Head, Dec. 21.—On Friday Shades of azure, tinted with the white Sorby, secretary of the associwill prepare a plan at once and
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when the Coder Hill Temperare mountain standing up in its grandeur given in the Cedar Hill Temperance mountain standing up in its grandeur cleared for over 450 acres, one being hall by the pupils of the Cedar Hill amid its fellows, and whose beauties the arrival on the first train of a reschool. The concert was very well at- will be viewed in the days to come from tended, and a dance followed the pro- the chalet just constructed by the to arrange for the opening of the comedy, "The Dissappointed Dutch- gem.

man."

necessity of passing the Causeway with the auspices of the Klick Klub. A swaying cedar rocking with the un- cipal services which are needed, the a line of rails. The harbor would be large number attended, and a splendid steady, motion, of sudden agitation, residents think, can best be dealt with Aikman was dead. dredged out to remove the rocks and programme of dance music was ren- pointed to a cougar scurring up the

deepened. A deep-water line is pro- Miss Kathleen Offerhaus and Miss posed from point to point, marking the Mabel Irvine, who have been attendlimit for excavation by the public ing Normal school in Vancouver, are edge that no gun could for a season

Y. M. C. A. TAXATION.

New Westminster, Dec. 21.-The Y.

members of the Trades and Labor many of which are to be filled in with ms. thus making it large enough Lee said that the plebiscite was taken past two years, use a track which lacks Smaller rooms will be pro- Clauses Act were amended by the pro- of the cuttings are by the nature of

HARBOR OF PACIFIC

Achievement of Great Importance to Future of Vancouver Island

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compensations with even the red and simple."

Serie feat of the shortened days. When the special days while the adults crowded the pletform of the excellent and the trees are founded here and the rees are founded here and the special days with the glistening flakes from the special days. The respective with the glistening flakes from the special days with the special days the special days. The special days with the special days the special days with the special days the s which would attract the most unim-pressionable of travellers in passing through the forest by rail or road, and when to the scalnary pleasures of moverly, point yet reached by raft in Can-Such were the feelings of the small body of passengers which left Welling-To-morrow had been tentatively set over the 26 miles of new road from for the meeting, but it was felt to be Cameron take to Port Alberni. As the and the date now chosen will be, it is ceeded on its way leaving Nanoose is hoped there will be a large attend- to see the freight car barges of the the Salvation Army settlement at Coombs, named after the able excommissioner of the army in Canada, the passengers, who numbered fortyseven, apart from the special car containing Vice-President Bosworth's party, began to enter into the spirit of anticipation of a memorable occasion now to be completed, of a deferred hope

to be at last realized. At the crossing of the Little Qualicum, road and rail meet from Nana- the visitor. lmo, and at once again divide to follow the windings of Cameron lake. The E. & N. track occupies some four and a half miles of the old wagon road where innumerable parties have held on breathless to their seats as the

Trestles, of which no less than 58 are for the line on the precipitous edge of come to disturb the wilderness, and a local jealousies which seem to threaten disturb its peace, came into view, and as quickly vanished. Other examples district as a tourist resort. It is the intimation unofficially conveyed

neighborhood. building on the corner of Seventh free water and light, as it was a busi-building on the corner of Seventh free water and light, as it was a busi-street and Royal avenue. The pur-chase price was \$4,500. The Labor Temple Company was be discriminating against institutions at Alberni, Kitsuksus and Royal avenue, the object of a similar character.

The Labor Temple Company was be discriminating against institutions at Alberni, Kitsuksus and Rogers creeks, otherwise the bridges badly needed, and a deputation to the

for the meetings of the Street Railway under the old charter and that the the unevenness of a new roadbed, and union, the United Brotherhood of Car-council had no power now to grant the the coaches run as smoothly as if the penters and the Trades and Labor exemption, and that if the Municipal line had been in service for years. Many yesterday without incident and reachunions, a heating plant will be install-ing of exemption to the Y. M. C. A. the but the absence of tunnels is in distinct ed and the building otherwise mod-matter would again have to be submit- contrast to the inevitable necessities jelly-like bodies that inhabit the of the Rockies and Selkirks. In order can practically efface itself when in dan-supplementary agreement settles all the window casement as Mrs. Wil- and last spring when her crew was at-At a later date it is probable that The Trades and Labor Council comto make the descent slowly, the track ge by squeezing the water out of its possibility of a long threatened strike the munication was referred to the finance runs in a long detour in order to find bedy and forcing itself into any parrow on the Schenectady Railway Company's weapon was discharged and the bullet Creek she was caught in an ice jam an easy grade, and entering the Al- crack.

ments and the proximity of Alberni. he old town itself, in spite of the alry of the more modern neighbor by no means a back number, ar ated by the healthy emulation ns are going on in its very centr When the train pulled in to Old Al-terni the station platform contained every person in the district who could reach the place, and although the train nly remained a few minutes, the cheering crowd sped it on its way re-joicing at the advent of the locomotive after so many years of patient expec

'At Alberni there was rejoicing, at Pert Alberni delirium no other word describes the occasion. As one witty visitor said: "One-half of Alberni, in the person of Richard J. Burd, was engaged in welcoming dignities, while the Although midwheter in the British other, in the person of Leonard Frank,

perintendent; Divisional Engineer

forward for coal on the E. &eN. proance, the gathering has therefore been Canadian Pacific Railway Company about the fog, for something of a mist on its waters, and waited briefly at had settled down on the city to be, but was assured he had come at an anal was free from that terror of mared to the officials of the road demonstrate that few points were missed by

> the special left, and throughout the little town there was the sense of realization of a long cherished ambition. of the beginning of the end of waiting for transportation. Enthusiasm for the J. P. Jolliffe and their two children, future, confidence in the unrivalled Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Lindstrom, Capt. on breathless to their scattering of the down-stage jostied and swayed on the down-hill grades, and has provided in place hill grades, and has provided in place mineral, timber, agricultural, and in-dustrial possibilities of the district outthe lake at a cost of nearly \$50,000. flowed in the conversation of all. The Then the long climb to the summit event had attracted to town farmers, Then the long climb to the summit shortly commences, the glimmering waters of this most picturesque of mountain lakes showing itself amid the trees, fringed with the rich growth of timber, and towering away in the clouds, rises Mount Arrowsmith, to which a traff is now being made.
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> The continue of the summit shortly commences, the glimmering loggers and fishermen, by buggy, wagons and gasoline launches for fifty miles or more. There was somewhat of a sense of regret that the visitors could not be entertained to a banquet, but on Mr. Beasley's advice this function will be laid over till the spring. presentative of the Bank of Montreal

Another is the activity of the Port Alberni branch of the Canadian-Pacific Lumber Company, which has bought out the old Barkley Sound Cedar Comsocial was held in the St. Luke's miles, bear tribute to the engineer of Ena, and shingles, y joints and floor-

> the steep mountains. Nor were want- seems inclined to go along its own way. apart from one another, although bank from the new factor which had amalgamation must triumph over any little later a deer, safe in the knowl- the united progress of the twin towns.

formed some time ago with the object of a similar character, and a deputation to the of securing a permanent home for or. Ald Dodds said the desire of the usual trestle character, authorities on the matter is spoken of the many of which are to be filled in with in a few weeks time. This would af- cent to the new schoolhouse. ganized labor in the city.

The present intention is 10 after the building in such manuer that it will shown in favor of any one institution is a thousand feet long, and requires the requirements of the various He was convinced that the members of the manuer that it will he was convinced that the members of sky bents, and the maximum height he was convinced that the members of the various He was convinced that the various He was convinced that the was convinced that No one can leave the subject without referring to the magnificent scenery from the Albernis, with their glorious is regarded here as a notable victory uninjured by them, which is a splendid the Giscome Rapids. At this latter than the control of the control of

> tourist traffic. The train returned to Wellington ed Victoria in the evening.

The sea cucumber-one of the curion

EMPRESS OF JAPAN HAS FAIR WEATHER

Steamship Has but Few Pas sengers From Orient-Silk Shipment is Also Small

gip of the R.M.S. Empress of Japan, Company, Limited; Creston Printing Capt Robinson, which arrived in port at 8 o'clock on Friday from Yoko- at 8 o'clock on Friday from Yoko- bams. Honskon, and other Oriental Box Company, Limited; Harrison Collapsible freight rates in the west than in the Box Company, Limited; Hastings Athborts. There were but twelve passengers in the saloon and the passage of Groceries, Limited; Mitchell Motor operation west of Lake Superior. These petitions were sent to Hon. Frank sengers in the saloon and the passage Agency, Limited; Nakusp Hospital petitions were sent to Hon. I cochrane, minister of rallways, dilet. The weather on the whole was ited; Cochrane, minister of rallways, who contains a several sever meridian After leaving Yokohama Union Bay Development Company, when to the ordinary pleasures of movsecretary, G. S. Dew. Among those an
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meet at the wharves. He also passed disembarked. There were over 200 provincial corporations.

The point where prespecting is going Orientals for Vancouver, many of The limits of the city whom are going through to Eastern land have been extended so as to inperty, and returning to his car "Na-canada. No cargo was discharged by clude from January 1st. Block 1, Lot 1, neose," left an hour and a half after-the steamship while she was lying at the steamship while she was lying at volume of complaints made every wards over the road to Wellington to the docks, but she has several hun-subdivision of part of Lot 21, Nelson autumn on this subject make connection for Victoria. The the docks, but she has several hun-vice-president remarked jocularly to dred tens for Victoria, which will be district. Mr. Beasley that he had been misled unloaded at Vancouver and reshipped

freighters. Aboard the white liner was a shipopportune time, and that the Alberni ment of silk valued at slightly over Railway. half a million dollars, which is unners, except on rare occasions usually small for the Empresses. The Throughout Mr. Bosworth expressed his cause of the small consignment is due usually small for the Empresses. The atisfaction and prophesied a great to the fact that silk merchants at tourist traffic with its opening, as soon Shanghai are unable to get any of the meeting of the city council Ald. Busby as the next touring season comes material out from the interior of the round. His searching inquiries direct- Flowery Kingdom owing to the revolution. The steamship had a full cargo of freight, including rice, sugar, porcelain, tea and general merchan-The evening was spent quietly after dise.

Among the saloon passengers who made the trip on the Empress were the following: Dr. J. C. Fyshe, Mrs. G. H. Harris, T. Herd, Mr. and Mrs. T. Pond, of the United States forces at Manila; Major S. K. Rice, who has been serving in India for some time past; G. Stockel, a merchant at Yokohama; J. M. Talt, a tea merchant at Hongkong; A. T. Warrack, a banker, and A. P. Winston, a teacher.

MRS. AIKMAN'S DEATH. for Several Weeks With Headaches.

A coroner's jury Thursday afternoon came to the conclusion that Mrs. J. A. emporary mental derangement.

about II o'clock Wednesday morning. telephone conversation.

Municipally the town progresses ing from headache and mental trouble, she remained fast on the rocks. slewly, arrangements with Alberni not but for the last week she had been | Capt. Archibald had little additionskill which has hewn a safe passage having been consummated for a joint practically well, and he had expressed at to say concerning the wreck and had their machinery removed. scheme of incorporation, and each town hopes of her recovery in another week. floating of the Empress to that already cars containing the steamers arrived He gave the cause of death as carpublished. He states that it will be in Vancouver early yesterday morning several months before the vessel is A the future to settle itself. The muni-

SWEPT BY STORM.

An interesting announcement has that ever passed over the north end of plished. The liner is now at the about 5,000 men, and it is unlikely that the fiercest blow known. The hospital will be made shortly. although bears are frequent to the through the visiting railway officials tent was demolished by a large tree Capt. Archibald with Chief Officer supplies down to Fort George on that next summer it is the intention to falling across it. Fortunately it was Copper were on the bridge when the barges, 20 of which are now New Westminster, Dec. 21.—The Y. Tumbling cascales of glistening make the headquarters for one steamer in the headquarters for one steamer

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VICTORY FOR UNIONS

sunsets and wonderful cloud affects on for trade unionism is marked by the token of her construction. the purple peaks, promising an ever-recurrent pleasure to the resident, and drews of the New York state rallways a magnet to the increasing flow of and President W. D. Mahon of Amalgamated Association of Street and Electrical Employees of America of an agreement whereby all of the Vanderbilt trolley lines throughout New York state are brought under the jurisdiction of the Amalgamated agreement which was signed in New York City. A

PROVINCIAL GAZETTE.

Alexander John McLaren, Moose Lake, County of Yale, to be a Justice of the Peace. Gerald R. Baker, M. D., to be Resident Physician at Quesnel, from the 1st day of January, 1911. William Stackhouse Holden, Liver-

missioner for taking Affidavits within the counties of Cheshire and Lanca-shire, for use in the courts of British Columbia To be Notaries Public-John Mur ray Scrimgeour, Vancouver, barrister-

Chalmers Johnston, both of Vernon, latter part of next month for the Certificates of incorporation have pose of examining into the complaints been issued to the following: Cadboro Bay Hotel Company, Limited; Canada West Development Company, Limited; Central Mission Rescue and Protec-Uneventful in every way was the tive Society; Coquitlam Investment

Among those present to welcome the party were President McNaughton and Secretary R. F. Blands, of the Board of trade has bout 2 octock on Friday, but had to awalt until day of Trade, and injunctively of arrival light to secure her bill of health endy Co.; Matanuska Gold Mines, Ltd.; Pa body of passengers which left Welling of Trade, and insinculately on arrival light to secure her bul of health endy to be gayly decorated engine Mr. Bosworth walked down the track about an hour was spent at the outer to see the point where keel and rail docks, during which time 48 Chinese The also bassed the wharves. He also bassed the wharves the also bassed the commission it

The limits of the city of Cumber-

The municipality of Penticton will apply to the legislature for ratification of a by-law passed on May 27 last, USE TEN BOX CARS to this port on one of the small apply to the legislature for ratificagiving aid to the Kettle River Valley

FORESHORE RIGHTS.

Nanaimo, Dec. 21.-At the weekly on behalf of the legislative committee, reported the committee had investigated the petition of local property holders for foreshore rights on Commercial Inlet and found the city had no objections to such petitions being granted. On motion of Aid. McKinnell the report of the committee was received and the clerk instructed to notify the public works department of the decision the council.

MASTER OF WRECKED

Two or three incidents point to the Had Been Under Dr. Helmcken's Care China, Arrives From Orient camps of Foley, Welch & Stewart, on on Japan Friday

Aikman, whose death occurred Wed- After having placed his ship in ca- commenced on the Aldermere-Tete nesday last, came to her death through pable hands to be repaired Capt. Jeune Cache section of the road, 410 taking carbolic acid while in a state of Archibald, master of the R. M. S. Em- miles long. The problem of getting in press of China, which ran aground on supplies to this northern country has Mrs. C. H. Topp said she had spoken Awa Peninsula, Japan, last July and always been a difficult one and con-Mrs. Aikman over the telephone was floated off - few weeks ago, re- tractors have been forced to find a so-Mrs. Alkman had called her on the turned on the Empress of Japan from work on the section of the new road Trestles, of which no less than 5s are pany, and has just imported \$12 tons, Mrs. Alkman had called her on the required in the space of twenty-six much of it machinery, on the Princess telephone and said she was feeling on to Vancouver. The veteran mariner, ley, Welch & Stewart took in their looked the picture of health despite his river steamers plying on the Skeens. Dr. J. D. Helmcken said he had at- advanced age and the fact that he These earried freight of all sorts access in a straight line along Mon-sloyably in playing games, and a spiral freight of all sorts to the breakwater running did programme was rendered as follows: Song, Miss Marguerite White crawl, with the wagon road winding its over the prospects:

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house by his wife and found that Mrs. work will be a most expensive job, at Tete Jeune Cache, and in April May will begin bringing freight from replaced and most of her interior re- the end of steel on the Fraser down fitted. The captain considers the float- Fort George. ing of the Empress one of the finest The two steamers will have to carry Masset, Dec. 16.-The worst storm pieces of salvage work ever accom- in railroad equipment and supplies for Graham Island struck Masset thiet re- Uraga dockyards being surveyed and they will be able to transport any gencently. The Indians report that it was a report on the cost of the repairs eral freight until late in the season

intend sult the China, which was proceeding a couple of Fort George men are holding a sale of work during the at slow speed, cleared two reefs being another at Tete Jeune Cache Christmas holidays to aid in raising fore being stopped. It was an excep- The Upper Fraser is open for funds for construction. The building tionally high tide at the time and it gation from about the end of A) will be erected on the property adja- became necessary for the salvor to October, though in June, when blast a channel through the rocks in freshets come, it may be necessary order to get the steamship once again the steamers to lay up for a while into deep water. While lying on the The river between Tete Jeune Car rocks the Empress was battered by and Fort George, 150 miles, has Schenectady, N. Y., Dec. 22.-What several tremendous storms but was great rapids, the Grand Canyon

SHOOTING FATALITY.

Les Angeles, Cal., Dec. 22.-Mrs. Louise Wilhelm, mother of twelve proved the Upper Fraser to be naviechildren, was instantly killed when able by making the pioneer voyage up she tried to shoot a rabbit through a to the Cache and back. The enterwindow of her suburban home. The trigger of the rifle caught in in the ice above Fort George Canyon

Unes entered her forehead.

FREIGHT RATES IN

Railway Commission Will vestigate Complaints No.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.-The railway at-law; Charles John Hunt and George mission will go west, probably in

respecting excessive freight rates. During the past month a large num ber of petitions have been received from boards of trade and councils throughout the prairie provinces callmission having power to regulate

lister to take up the question, giving

I was stated yesterday that while complaints are being received respecting

TO TAKE SHIPS IN

New Sternwheelers for Use in carrying Supples on Upper Fraser Leave Vancouver

Neatly packed in ten cars of a special C. P. R. freight train, two steamboats left Vancouver Thursday for a ong overland journey to the northern interior of British Columbia, From Vancouver to Calgary, they will go from Calgary to Edmonton, and from Edmonton to Tete Jeune Cache on the Upper Fraser, some 1200 miles in all. These vessels were made in sections, at New Westminster, and are to be Capt. Archibald, of Empress of used in carrying railroad steel and other supplies to the construction the G. T. P. line.

Grand Trunk Pacific steel is almost through the mountains to Tete Jeune Cache, and in the spring work will be lution of their own.

A month or so ago they were brought to Victoria under their own steam and

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AUTO DRIVER Action Against B. C. Dismissed At

Vancouver, Dec. William Hughes agai company was dismis Morrison yesterday brought action for ground that his aut vrecked in Grand Drive car a month stated that he Tw th ave ue east ection of Park Driv ear travelling at an e southerly direction. brakes, but the step caught the front whe bile and ov rturned was s badly wreck usc'ess for to took \$599.20 to repair that he a s himsel that he had to call i chine and \$10 a day day that it had been

ALLEGED CO Portland, Ore., De Jones, trusted emplo who disappeared se leaving alleged sho counts aggregating Portland to-day, was closeted for the attorney for th and is alleged to l ing that most of him was used fo able purposes. was used to pay for son. Jones was an

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Sofia, Bulgaria, tional assembly he terpellation was the anti-Christian

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TRADE COMM

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These words, during the course address by President A. E. White e Board of Trade at the regular ing last night, gave an Idea of be announced by Mayor Lee as and as they are completed. ed a by-law for fifteen thousand

ars to be spent in preliminary

Action Against B. C. Electric Railway Dismissed At Vancouver.

Vancouver, Dec. 22.—The case of william Hughes against the B. C. E. R. pany was dismissed by Mr. Justice Morrison yesterday afternoon. Hughes brought action for damages on the round that his automobile had been recked in Grand View by a Park price car a month or so ago. Hughes that he was driving along th ave ue east; and at the interof Park Drive noticed a street velling at an excessive speed in a erly direction. He prin wn his day that it had been idle. .

ALLEGED CONFESSION.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 22.—Charles W. ones, trusted employee of a local hotel disappeared several months ago, derable time to religious work.

DISSOLUTION FAVORED.

Christchurch, N. Z., Dec. 22 .- Parties e so evenly balanced after the elecins that the only possible way out of deadlock seems to be to take a vote lack of confidence in the ministers. ny members favor an immediate solution as a test of public opinion.

MARCHY REIGNS IN MACEBONI

Been Assassinated Near Salonica

christians, finding it impossible to obtain redress, are organizing bands with the object of killing the Turks. Bomb Outrage.

llation was submitted regarding last for a month.

and that the persons charged with the is investigating the alleged worldbomb was thrown in a mosque, twelve ready to talk first with the government persons being killed and twenty inpersons being killed and twenty in- prosecutor.

TRADE COMMISSIONERSHIP.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—It is stated officially that the five vacant trade commissionerships, for which a great many applications have been received, will not be filled for the present by iton. George Foster, minister of trade Ottawa, Dec. 22.—It is stated officially that the five vacant trade commissionerships, for which a great many applications have been received, will not be filled for the present by life. George Foster, minister of trade and commerce. There are vacancies at Shanghai, Paris, Amsterdam, Berlin and Itavana. The minister is devising a plan to divide the various commissioners and take root as separate to the various commissionerships. For which a great many applications have been received, will american brethren, have invited a full American brethren, have obtain abrogation of the tray between Russia and Great Britain, and account of a "whooping to contained an account of the tr to the various commiss

EMPEROR FRANCIS JOSEPH

According to the latest reports, Majesty is in excellent, spirits, his cough is much better, his appetite good and his general appearance healthy. He walked to-day for half an hour in the great gallery of the palace and to-morrow is to go out into the open air if the weather should prove

THIRTEEN RURALES KILLED

Tulco, Mex., Dec 22.—A battle be-tween rurales and rebels is reported near Trancingo. Thirteen rurales were Representative of Yuan Shi killed and several wounded, it is said. The rurales are said to have ridden in-

New Westminster, Dec. 22.—"West- FEREN WALLIAMS

30 Per Cent Compared

GRANBY SMEETER AGAIN IN OPERATION

Coke Arriving in Large Quantities-Full Force at Work in the Mines

ficials state that everything is working very satisfactory and that there is an abundance of laborers to fill all positions at many states and control of the dependent of the d

leaving alleged shortages in his accounts aggregating \$4,000, returned to provide better sanitary conditions throughout the province, as well as to prevent the pollution of waters and streams, the provincial government will amend the public health act at the next session of the money taken by him was used for church and charitting that most of the money taken by him was used for church and chariting the purposes. A considerable sum signed to pay for an operation on a complete charge of all sanitation and Toronto, Dec. 22.-In order to take steps

MANY WITNESSES YET TO BE HEARD

Dynamiting Inquiry at Indianapolis Likely to Last Until End of January

plosives were found hidden in a barn the day after the arrest of John J. McNamara in Indianapolis, April 22, was a witness before the grand jury yesterday. He was among those from whom it was said the investigators expected in the script due on December 1 to propose the grand that leaves as to who heatdes the McNam.

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11 we took into consideration that Lawrence, Kas., Dec. 22.—An earth-to learn as to who besides the McNam-aras and McManigal, were implicated to have been in Central and McManigal. London, Dec. 22.—A dispatch from in explosions in Pennsylvania, Ohio Salonica, European Turkey, to a Lon- and Indiana, to carry on which the

Sofia, Bulgaria, Dec. 22.—In the na- investigation will be adjourned to-day hal assembly here yesterday an in-until January 3. Then it is expected to

The outrage referred to by the preday that he had been told that the

London, Dec. 22.—British Jewish associa-

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS ARE AT STANDSTILL

Kai Believes Minister Will Accept Republic

Shanghal, Dec. 22 Tang Shao Yi, vho is representing Premier Yuan Shi Kal and the Imperial government at the peace conference between the imperial and revolutionary delegates agree with his views and accept the

There is reason to believe that a onsiderable number of influential revolutionaries are willing to consider bridge.

Jones was an officer in one of public health matters in their respective It is pointed out that the British interprominent churches and devoted districts. ference is not directed against China's idea in such cases where the practical

ing jeopardized. The extension of the armistice for ian trenches at Tobruk. mier ruan's offer, the only alternative is a continuation of the conflict, with a possible division of the country, with dependencies rallying around the northern empire. The premier has sent 3,000 troops of the twentieth division frontier.

Britain use her influence to preserve peace in the Balkans, prevent Italian admission or no-admission into Russia of foreigners belongs to the province of international legislation in the general principles of the laws as well as on the strength of Article one of the treaty vision to Ching Wing Tao, on the Turks Repulsed. Turks Repulsed. Decast of Pechili, with the object of Derna, Tripoli, Dec. 16,—(Delayed in sembling in the north.

Service Loan.

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Los Angeles Inquiry.

Los Angeles Inquiry. there as the star witnesses for the life. URGE ABROGATION OF TREATY. state. It is understood here that the starvation specialist has subpoensed 66 witnesses.

EXPLOSION AT DEPARTURE BAY

sion occurred at the powder works, Departure Bay, at 10:30 to-day. Three men were killed: Jos. Defreis, Wm. Dee and Wilcox. Several were injured. The explosion took place in the mixing room.

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Being Run Down by Train

Yesterday Tang Sho Hi received a church. When they were on the merce and navigation of 1832 will be so telegram from Premier Yuan Shi Kai bridge they heard the approach of high as to have a prohibitive character high as to have a prohibitive character. Instructing him to reopen the conference of the Buffalo and Goderich passenger and that they greatly exceed the Rustense and present a counter proposition to the revolutionary delegates providing for a limited monarchy.

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cies of Manchuria and Thibet and the serious disintegration of China proper would result from the establishment of a republic. Only, the name of the monarchy is left. Toronto, Dec. 22.—In order to take steps Toronto, Dec. 22.—In order to take steps

Fifteen Thousand Have Assembled Near the Italian Trenches at Tobruk

London, Dec. 22 .- It is said that 15,interests of the entire nation are be- 000 Arabs and Turks have assembled cannot but fulfill the requirements of within four or five miles of the Ital- the Russian law contained in para-

ten days, to which the revolutionists have agreed, has given some hope, but concession of the Sollum district of effects of law and social rights, as long unless the revolutionists accept Pre- Barca to Egypt, stipulated that Great as these remain in force.

Turks Repulsed. preventing republican troops from as- transmission.) -Turkish forces have ed very strict regulations, seriously made several attacks on Italian soldiers, where the latter were engaged Indianapolis, Dec. 22.—Claude Meyers, chief of police of Tiffin, Ohio, where
and Shanghai bank issued a notificatown Reinforcements were sent to the 540 pounds of dynamite and other ex- tion vesterday that owing to the dis- aid of the Italians, and a counter at-

archy throughout Macedonia. Murder, pillage and brigandage are rife.

Twenty-sever assassinations have taken place within the last month, within two hours' journey of Salonica, all the victims being Graeks. The largest around of the victims being Graeks. The largest around of the resolution of the largest amount of all the victims being Graeks. The largest amount of account of the largest amount of all the victims being Graeks. The largest amount of account of the largest amount of account of the largest amount of account of the largest amount of all the victims being Graeks. The largest amount of the largest amount of account of the largest amount of the largest amount of account of the largest amount of the largest amount of the largest amount of the largest amount of account of the largest amount of the largest

in the Hazzard fast cure institute at a orime in Canada to attempt to take a orime in Canada to attempt to take his own life, and not caring to live later was rescued in a critical condition by Miss Conway, and British volver and shot himself through the Wright Lorimer Commits Suicide at the His Home in New York.

MASS IN MEMORY OF SAILORS.

Montreal, Dec. 22.—The Duke of

PROPOSAL SUBMITTED TO RUSSIAN ME

Rates Against Countries Wh Do Not Grant Most-Favored Nation Treatment

St. Petersburg, Dec. 22.-A legi schedules applicable to the United KING SHOOTS BIG tates at the expiration of the Russo-American treaty of commerce and navgation of 1832 has been introduced in ing last night, gave an idea of scheme for the improvement of harbor, the particulars of which harbor, the particular of the particular of which harbor, the particular of the the Duma by ex-President Guichkoff ist and Nationalist parties which con Tang Shao Yi said that Premier Yuan Shi Kai up to six o'clock this evening had not communicated to him his decision to repudiate the suggestion of a republic and does not believe that the completed under the port of New York. Dec. 22.—One of the previous in immigration ever the scheme, will be capable of modating enormous traffic and disease the records at Ellis suggested republic after he has there when the provides and since the port of New York is being written into the records at Ellis suggested republic after he has there when the provides are stablished. rel the majority of the Duma ... The Three Tigers Fall to His Aim when completed under the proposed scheme, will be capable of commondating enormous traffic and her nearly 300,000 deems immissrants and for the present deems of the proposed scheme, will be apable of commondating enormous traffic and her nearly 300,000 deems immissrants and for the present deems of the present deems of the proposed scheme, will be apable of commondating enormous traffic and her nearly 300,000 deems immissrants and for the present deems of the deems immissrants and for the present deems of the deems of t

In China would be jeopardized.

Dr. Sun Yat Sen, the reform leader, is due to arrive here in a few days, and it is believed he will assume the leadership of the south. Large reinforcements of well armed and well trained revolutionary troops are arriving from Canton.

Yesterday Tang Sho Hi received a church. When they were on the received a church of the proposed in the proposed will be submitted to a finantical commission. The necessity for the proposed action is explained in an accompanying declaration in which it is stated that the regular American tariff schedules which will be applicable to Russian goods at the expiration of the treaty of commerce and navigation.

however, were caught midway on the treaty.

The province of fereign affairs lies Both were later found unconscious, outside the competency of the Dunta, Miss Hibson having concussion of the and treaties are not subject to its ap-

"Deeming, in spite of this stipulation, were arrested. that the enforcement of the general the case of American Jewish citizens, "There cannot be any doubt that this view is unfounded. The Russlan government and its representatives abroad graphs 213 to 235 of the passport stat-

"Thus the United States has enactimiting the right of entry of foreigners, and there is no doubt that the fed-

His Home in New York

gan his stage career in Chicago. He begins, was best known in the production of the "Shepherd King" which he wrote with Arnoid Reeves.

RAIDERS ACTIVE.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 22.—After trake, children in the Latin quarter threw four-year-old Jennie Allien into a bonfire. She was so seriously burned that her life is despaired of to-day. lian victims as portrayed by the films and when the story reached the point where the victim is tortured; the other lidren threw her into the flames Her screams attracted workmen who extinguished her blazing clothing and she was taken to a hospital,

HOLDUP MEN IMPRISONED.

Vinnipeg, Dec. 22.—Eighteen hold up men, arrested here during the last two weeks, were sentenced yesterday to terms of from five to seven years in the pentagonal of the penta dentiary. The city has been terroris

Will Present Trophies to Museum

Soldiers Arrested

budget, an influence on foreign affairs.

In the long declaration accompanying the bill the signers deal fully with the Russia-American situation and recount the formal steps taken by the president of the United States.

"The abrogation of the treats to say that a monarchist out the formal steps taken by the president of the following day firing was still heard to the president of the United States.

"The abrogation of the treats to say that a monarchist out the Russian ultimatum, to the terms of which Persia has now acceded, was delivered to the Persia has now acceded to the Persia h

has a direct connection with the Russian agitation which has been energian agitation which has been energed by the government says that the setically conducted in America for the readmission of American citizens of Braga was confined to a few rifle readmission of American citizens of Braga was confined to a few rifle shots. The colonel of the 29th infantry clined at first to comply with Russia's was wounded. The affair arose from Jewish faith. Article one of the treaty shots. The chlorid of the cabinet was establishes the mutual rights of entry was wounded. The affair arose from demands, although the cabinet was but contains a stipulation for the obtained of some soldiers inclined to do so. Yesterday Russia over punishments. Several soldiers threatened to order the advance of the

constitutes an infringement of the treaty, the House of Representatives voted a resolution for its abrogation. damage to property and fishing craft. A number of fishermen were drowned

MEXICO CITY IS

sity-No Loss of Life. Reported

and a vine

Mexico City, Dec. 22.-An earthquake of moderate intensity occurred here at 6.15 to-day. The shock lasted damage to property is reported.

Quake Recorded. ing American shores, it becomes clear tered by the seismograph at the Uni-Salonica, European Turkey, to a London and Indiana, to carry on which the don agency, reports a condition of anarchy throughout Macedonia. Murder, base of supplies.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 22.—Miss Doversity of Kansas here to-day. The rothea Williamson and Miss Margaret blind through the actions of his own archy throughout Macedonia. Murder, base of supplies. tremors began at 6.52 this morning ble that Capt, Scott may be at the

attorney of Clackamas and the vari- reach the pole." more voluminous and the number of witnesses to be called from different cities greater than was expected. The investigation will be adjourned to-day until January 3. Then it is expected to last our investigation and the number of the sister of was first her nurse and later her companion.

The statement of the views of the our officials and detectives who will to many years and found that he may have the temperate and dignified but firm language which is characteristic of under the pole.

The statement of the views of the our officials and detectives who will represent the people at the preliminary of the statement of the views of the our officials and detectives who will represent the people at the preliminary of the statement of the views of the our officials and detectives who will represent the people at the preliminary of the statement of the views of the our officials and detectives who will represent the people at the preliminary of the temperate and dignified but firm language which is characteristic of under the views of the our officials and detectives who will represent the people at the preliminary of the temperate and dignified but firm language which is characteristic of under the our officials and detectives who will represent the people at the preliminary of the temperate and dignified but firm language which is characteristic of under the our officials and detectives who will represent the people at the preliminary of the temperate and dignified but firm language which is characteristic of under the our officials and detectives who will be adjointed to day the temperate and dignified but firm language which is characteristic of under the our officials and detectives who will be under the our officials and detectives who will be under the our officials and detectives who will be under the our officials and detectives who will be under the our officials and detectives who will be under the our officials and detectives who will be under the our officials and detectives who will be under the our off der of the four members of the family ning of March. of William Hill at Ardenwall, a suburb of Portland, last June, are hard at work preparing the case against the accused man. Only enough of the evidence alleged to be in the hands of The outrage referred to by the pretook place on December 3, when a
make the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the make the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the prosecution will be introduced to make the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the main content of the support when he was groped about for support when he was instant to the prosecution will be introduced to make the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the prosecution will be introduced to make the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the prosecution will be introduced to make the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the prosecution will be introduced to make the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the prosecution will be introduced to make the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the prosecution will be introduced to make the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the prosecution will be introduced to make the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the necessary showing at next died here suddenly at the next died here suddenly

"WHOOPING COUGH PARTY"

Durango, Colo., Dec. 22.—The social were arrested.

TREASURER-GENERAL WILL BE DISMISSED

roops Were Ready to Ad--vance in Event of Failure terra vee to Comply CLUBART IN TRADUCTS

Teheran, Dec. 22. The Persian cab-not has given to the Russian minister, Pokleviski-Kozili, verbal assurances of its intention to comply with the demands of the Russian ultimatum.

That serious fighting has taken place between the Persian constitutionalists and Russian troops is stated in dispatches from Tabritz, which state that the governor's palace has been boin-banded. There were casualties on both sides, but their extent has not yet been

nade public.
There was also fighting between the usians and Persians at Ensil, on the Caspian sea, and at Reht, sixty miles est of Engli. Different versions are given as to the cause of the fight. Attacked by Persians.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 22.-According rb of Impahan, Persia, the Persians tracked a Bussian detachment. The ring lasted all day.

I noter dispatch from Tabritz says a

A leeks classics from Taoritz says a mall body of Russians was attacked while schalling a telephone line. Two of the attacking party were killed. Official Confirmation. Lendon, Dec. 22, The British foreign office shortly after noon received of

ficial confirmation from the British minister of Teberan that Persia had yielded herere the Russian threat and had granted all the demands contained in the Russian ultimatum of November 27. These include the dismissal of W. Morgan difficter, the American, who has been acting as treasurer-general of Persia since last June.

the Persian povernment hereafter should be subject to Russian and Bri-tish approval, has been accepted with

of the United States.

The abrogation of the treaty between Russia and the United States as direct connection with the Russian agitation which her hard states are stated as a direct connection with the Russian agitation which her hard states are stated as a direct connection with the Russian protection and states aging agitation which her hard states are stated as a direct connection with the Russian protection and states are stated as a direct connection with the Russian protection and states. 4.000 troops from Kasbin unless Persia acceded within 24 hours. A further Russian laws in regard to the Jews in FRENCH FISHERMEN DROWNED, discussion of the question between the members of the Persian cabinet and the

NEW RECORD FOR FLIGHT.

Providence, Dec. 22.—A flight of more than 130 miles in a hydro-aeroplane was completed when Harry N. Atwood, the Beston aviator, who left AGAIN SHAKEN Point of Pines, near Lynn, Mass., and alighted easily on the waters of Nar-Point of Pines, near Lynn, Mass., and ragansett Bay near here yesterday. Atwood claims that his flight exceeds by 15 miles the best previous record in a nachine of the style in which he flew

SCOTT'S EXPEDITION **TO SOUTH POLE**

about one minute. No loss of life or Sir E. Shackleton Believes Explorer May Have Reached His Goal

andon, Dec. 22.-"It is quite possi-

Portland, Ore., Dec. 22.—The district stories, is the party that will first

PRESIDENT OF ECUADOR DEAD.

Guayaquil, Dec. 22.-Wilco Estrada, president of the republic of Ecuador, same month and went to Europe to recuperate. During his sojourn in Europe a plot to assassinate him was discovered and several conspirators

FIRE SWEEPS THROUGH

tomoble Wheels - No

Fire, doing damage to the extent of

Marling and Jones, burning the dwelf-

lory, broke out at 12.30 a. m. to-day and

Water Pressure

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HUMBUGGING THE PEOPLE!

The political party of which Hon. in power in British Columbia eight roost. We are a long suffering people, paper. years. During that short period it has and it serves us right. established a record for malfeasance trust reposed in it in 1903 which is The logic of the Tory press in seekof taxation which was devised by the enormous freight rates. To permit un- capital, though they did not an but a temporary measure, and accord- burdens of the people."

trayed an antediluvian appreciation of is fliched by the railway corporations, leaders entered into the competition. the requirements of a new and pro- but is it logical to say the farmers They made even higher and more premunicipality there has been a war- singular how a paper heart and soul men, and there is general disaffection

able beyond description, and the bra- lighten the burden-of the consumer. zen effrontery of the friends of the administration in acquiring the most desirable Crown lands for a song while the bona fide settler has been crowded to the wilds has come to be the of all Canada and part of Europe.

The deception which has been pracenactment of the Natal Act they were Here is what he says: the friends of labor. When it was disallowed they made capital against the giving attention to the naval question coast, was the west coast trail. This allowed they made capital against the fin the course of the next few months.

Liberal administration at Ottawa. If it does so at all, it will be after the sult the Imperial authorities before question.

ed in the House of Commons that no Quebec that there is to be no plebithe question of Better Terms, and re- agreed upon the abandonment of the throughout its entire distance. fused to commit himself as to when Laurier naval policy. Mr. McBride and his organs are quite assured its readers that the Borden ment at the expense of the Dominion, content to explain to their dupes that have plans and the the college the content to explain to their dupes that have plans and the the college the content to explain to their dupes that they are confident everything will for abandoning the latter was that a low cost if properly and efficiently ultimately be fixed up to suit Mr. Mc-

about which so much boasting has marine!", been done and for which the electorate fell so readily, has been proved to be an outrage of the public rights and

Late Searchers

For suitable gifts will find out store an ideal place to shoos their Christmas presents. SHOP EARLY, SHOP LATE, SHOP NOW, but SHOP at BOWES. Here is a list of brief sugges-

Real Ebony Mirrors, Per-fumes in fancy boxes, Manicure Sets, Toilet Sets, Laches, Hair, Brushes, Perfume Atomizers, Hand Bags, Safety Razors, Razor Strops, Automatic Safety Razor Blade, Sharpeners, Military Hair Brushes, Thermos Bottles, Shaving Sets and Shaving Mirrors. A full range of

CHEMIST.

any province in Canada, and the sys- of Incorpo tem of penalizing those who fall to confer such rights and privileges on pledge themselves to vote for Mr. Mc- the company that the latter may hon Bride's party has been anathematized orably take very good care that the throughout the province in the rule of province continues to pay that \$840, the most unscrupulous oligarchy of less than thirty-years" of the life of carried in both Daily. A session of the Legislature is to be held shortly, after which Mr. McBride 000 per mile at the end of that time is to dissolve the assembly and make it may possibly get it always "provida fresh appeal to the people of the ed" there is no other hidder. But the Damage \$15,000 and Two Auprovince before the brood of incubated Colonist confession is worth someducks and drakes of the administra- thing. It is the beginning of more of tion have a chance to come home to the same kind, and it is not "waste

RECTIFYING ABUSES.

rifice of every vestige of common sense their proteges when the temptations high tariffs must be maintained even and blandishments of professional poli- pite of cinders in place of the rink. if the reasons alleged for maintaining ticians enter as a factor into their All the buildings destroyed and dar them controvert the argument. The delegated authority over the labor aged by the flames were of wood and justified the election of any party to Toronto World deals with railway vote. office that would undertake the ad- rates in the following paragraph: ministration of public affairs with a "It is in Western Canada that the men is clearly put by Leslie's, which ver street. The fire brigade had to treight rate burden bears the hard-strong hand. This Mr. McBride's additional control of the people of the p strong hand. This Mr. McBride's addess on the people. Over thirty years ministration certainly did. Its grasp ago a Conservative government, in chartering the Canadian Pacific Rail prosecution by some of the politicians. The rink was blazing and practically way Company, took the precaution to Bvery politician on both sides has been lost when the brigade arrived, so Fire power with the deliberate intention of insert a clause that gave control of dissipating the resources of the province, blocking development, restricting, blocking development, restricting developm ing settlement and burdening the peon stockholders, and will prevent the government securing control of rates. The constituted leaders who failed to lead. ple with iniquitous taxation, it could big problem in Western Canada is not Puffed up with an exaggerated notion uity than it has displayed. The scheme produce on the present markets without the profit being taken away by trade with the labor vote. It was their

ingly drastic, has been maintained. While the argument for government broke away from their former aluntil the present and only the press control of freight rates and redress legiance to the Democratic party and sure of the outraged taxpayers has from the abuses specified is unanswer- went over to McKinley on his platform secured the appointment of a commis- able, it must be clear that the remedy of protection to American wages. In sion to revise the laws and advise an thus proposed is but a half measure. its anxiety to recover the labor incompetent government as to read- It is a bounden duty to govern freight vote, the Democratic party offered all rates and penalize the indirect methods sorts of labor legislation, patronage and The educational system has be- by which the money of the producer other inducements. The Republican gressive province. In almost every should not have open markets? It is often bitter and repugnant to the pub- in favor of government ownership of be exempted from the operations of lic sense of decency—between the public utilities can at the same time be some of our statutes and that it should school trustees and the board of aldercloses the door of admission to a sought. In the present moment of reamong the staff of teachers in the neighboring market for the products flection, politicians will have an opporof the farm. The "Protection" idea tunity to do some thinking. They may The administration of the public is evidently a Tory obsession. But it come to the sensible conclusion that lands has been corrupt and discredit-does not protect the farmer nor does it the best thing for both capital and

CANADA'S NAVY.

Scarcely a week passes without the Nationalist element in the Borden succeed or fail, they go up or down cabinet flaunting in the face of the together." val imperialists of Canada the fact of their absolute dominance in the counsels of the government. That a tised on the laboring classes has been naval project is more dead than recishameless and cruel. Mr. McBride and procity is now blatantly announced by his ministers pretended that by the Henri Bourassa in his paper Le Devoir.

"The government has no intention of Now that their own political party is summer holidays and when we meet the district where aid is most likely to in power they are content with Mr. again in November we may be better Borden's statement that he must con- informed; but even that is not certain. The House will not discuss a new project of law in that regard until we dealing with the Asiatic immigration shall have had new general elections." And in addition we have the announcement by Hon. L. P. Pelletier at

GOVERNMENT CONFESSES.

The Times is glad to note in the ditorial columns of the local governnent organ the belated confession of the government that it holds no actual security for the principal and interest of Japan, which reached Victoria from the and a quick response followed. An of the Canadian Northern stocks which it has guaranteed. The confession is it has guaranteed. The confession is chirch who is on his way to New York anything but frank and manly, but Mr. Lindstrom has not been forced out of such as it is it is there. The Colonist China by the revolution, but is on furgovernment can, after paying all its his work lies, at Kiu-chang, has not suf-bonded debts, take over the line from the bond-holders at \$25,000 not wise. the bond-holders at \$35,000 per mile northern provinces, being more under sisted in counteracting the cold. That is exactly what the Times has Manchu domination, have not been able to

As the Canadian Pacific Railway country called for the change, which could not fail to be violent when it came. The house, with the result that the house, although not in danger, and separated forward to better things under the new through a much more sugged railers of China, and believed that there would be greater securify for life and the property.

fault while the province is ually \$840,000 interest on the bor The department of nublic works is the most corruptly administered of What the Times claims is the the Act ration and the Agreement

LABOR AND POLITICS. (From Saturday's Daily.)

The perils of organized labor are ncreased, not by the thoughtful ad-street skating rink building, owned by without parallel in the history of any inclines to rectify the abuses un vocacy of right and justice for the Moore, Fisher and Scott, and the dwellwage earner, but by the voluntary deputing of his destinies to syndies by ing at \$41 View street, owned by Mrs cenious if not ingenuous. At the sac- strong enough to remain true to jo

fanned by a high west wind on to the The case for the American laboring houses between the rink and Vancou

bankers who came to the rescue of the necessary increases in capitalization not control it. The workingman of selves. They proved this when they destroyed. The next house on Fort son Aikman. posterous bids. Out of this situation has arisen demands that labor should labor is to have them brought into harmony. The success of the employer must involve the success of the employee; the prosperity of the one must mean that of the other. Whether they

WEST COAST TRAIL.

One of the most valuable works indertaken by the late Dominion government, at the instance of Liberal nembers representing the Vancouver Island constituencies, for the protection of life and shipping on the west ily reaching any part of the coast in be required in a hurry by vessels in street, occupied by Mrs. Geik, is twenty

The provincial minister of public is not damaged by fire. distress.

The trail was built under the direc-It is only a month since the Colonist tion of the marine and fisheries depart-Laurier plans and that the only reason class order by the province at a very more vigorous policy might be adopt- looked after, it follows the coast line Bride. In other words, McBride will ed. As a "bluffer" the Colonist de-between the points, named and gives now be satisfied with little or nothing, serves a place in the constellation of the points, named and gives now be satisfied with little or nothing. The minister, in his notice, declares The railway policy of the Premier, stars of the first magnitude. "A bas is that all branch trails to the shore the same width as west coast trail, and run from the trail. across, the foreshore to low-water marks time was sauce ton this

White - fatered without LOOKING FOR INTERVENTION.

ing the passengers on the Empress

F. lervie, the occupant of this house, nade, a report to the fire chief this corning that four valuable rings had en stolen from the house during the fire. The furniture is drenched with water and it was thought by the chief that the property might be distributed ong the debris, but Mr. Jarvie naintains there were many people in and out during the night and he believ-FORT AND VIEW STREETS ed they have been robbed.

Mrs. Truesdell was an elderly lady and had to be assisted from her burning house which she occupied with a young son. As soon as she was safe, riends, newly found, entered the house and rescued the furniture, so that her loss is on the uninsured house, The fire department had out ten

from the engines. The water pressure was poor, as the reservoir is practically empty. The streams other than McKenzie, about \$15,000, and destroying the Fort chief this morning are as follows: 940 ber of days Fort street, skating rink, insured in the of \$11,525. \$1,860, in the Phoenix Company for tion of streets for which the con-\$3,000, and in the Northern Company troller and himself were asked to pay loss; 944 Fort street, insured in the a certificate for, and since which deafter raging for about two hours left a Liverpool, London and Globe Company, fects had shown themselves in the for 12,000; total loss, occupied by Mrs. wearing surface, and said he did not Truesdell, whose furniture is insured propose to sign for streets which were for \$1,000 m the Western Insurance not up to specification. empany, loss to furniture \$500. loss on furniture and building, \$500. 945 View street, owned by A. J. Mal-Jarvie, loss on building \$300, on furniture \$100. Insured for \$1500

DIAMONDS STOLEN.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—The report of a theft sequently appeared. flame from the burning rink and heat diamond broker was made to the police used had, it appeared, proved good yesterday. Samuel Scott, the broker, from the building set alight the rear part of the home occupied by Mrs. the police that he lost the jewels last Fullerton came out strongly for Mr Christie on View street.

Tuesday and believed they were taken from his pocket while he was playing whom he had every confidence, and he whom he had every confidence, and he adjoining the rink, was totally lost. Al-

though it is standing at present? it is damaged so badly by the fire with roof - Thirty Scottish curlers left Glasgow province with a loan, intended to be of the great rallways is to increase the the country are thinking of them- and walls gone, that it will have to be to-day for Canada under Col. Robert- the surface had disintegrated would

Mineral Rubber Company Will Be Notified That Liability of \$11,625 Exists

in connection with the proposed im position of penalties on the Canadian Johnston was killed by the breaking Mineral Rubber Company, for failing of one of the wings of his aeroplane to complete certain streets within Before he ascended from the track contract time, for which they were they had passed him a box of candy under penalty of \$25 a day, the city and he shook his head and said he solicitor reported to the city council would have some when he came back streams of water, seven of which were last evening on the condition of affairs and when Mrs. Floto, wife of the Denso far as they affected Faithful, Cook, ver Post editor, asked to be allowed Chapman, Cambridge, Howe, Hilda, to make the ascent with him he laughthe engine streams were useless and McKenzie, Moss, Oscar, Pendegast, ingly said: "If I'm going to have a would not throw the water twenty feet." Pembroke, Ontario, Quebec, Queens, smash-up I'd rather be the only man Richardson, Sutlej, Stanley, Welling- killed " or words to that effect. A few The loss estimates issued by the fire ton, and Yates streets. The total numminutes later, watching from the this morning are as follows: 940 ber of days delay was 425, or a penalty track, they saw one of the wings sudsheld Insurance Company for The mayor also introduced the ques-

After several of the aldermen had

341 View street, owned by Mrs. pointed out that the company was going the same way by train, and for Christie, no insurance on the house, liable under its contract for five years' nearly three days travelled just imguarantee City Engineer Smith made mediately beneath him, his aeroplane a statement in which he said the a little distant blur of white in the lory, Shoal Bay, occupied by Francis streets were satisfactory when accept- clouds. Everywhere they stopped over ed, but defects had developed about a to perform was just by chance the month subsequent to those dates. In place where he chose to alight. passing on the certificates he notified the controller of the facts with regard fond of music, and although none of to the streets where defects had sub- them but Mrs. St. Leon can play any

The samples taken of the asphalt tola workmanship, and Alderman H. M. was also satisfied the inspection has been proper. It appeared that the streets where

be repaired by the company, and after

first schooling, although Ida every summer, during her three or tour months' holiday, goes to school in New York, She has a smattering of several languages, too, and up till the time she was four years of age could speak nothing but Chinese, as the nurse which she had while they were stationed at Shanghal, Hong Kong and Han Kow spoke nothing but her own native tongue to the child, and the mother saw very little of her baby in those early days.

Ida St. Leon recalls the aviation

meet in Denver as giving her one of

the most terrible experiences she has ever known. That was the day that Moss, Oscar, Pendegast, ingly said: "If I'm going to have a denly flop uselessly, like the broken \$2,500, occupied by J. Powell, total cheques which the engineer had given mangled body of the man who had ly of the possibility of accident. Now she says she cannot bear to watch a flight. Once, when Rogers was making his long ocean to ocean flight from New York to Los Angeles, they were

The whole St. Leon family are very instrument but the mandolin, they always carry at least this one musical companion with them

GIRL IS FOUND

Young Manin Custody Charged With Harboring Ward of Children's Aid Society

Vancouver, Dec. 23 .- After a search lasting almost two weeks Jessie Hellier, the girl whose disappearance has aroused so much interest during the past few days, was located last night in the Northern Rooms on Prior street, near Park Lane, and a young man named William Wright, who was with her, is in the police station. harged with harboring a ward of the children's Aid Society.

Last night the Hellier girl was taken back to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvie on Burrard street, where she has been living happily for the past three years. Wright was brought ip in court this morning, but Magistrate South felt that as he had taken so much interest in the girl in his capacity as superintendent of the Children's Aid Society, he remanded the case until arrangements can made to have the man tried before another magistrate.

The manner in which th was found is extremely simple. evening a woman, who refused to give her name, telephoned to Mr. Sout that she had seen a girl who looked like the one whose photograph appeared in the Province on Thursday enter a rooming house on Prior street. The girl was in the company of a Mr. South at once telephoned police and Detectives Thomson and McDonald went over and arrested them The story told by the girl is rather

There, registered as Mr. Mrs. ed that someone did not see them and

she had lived there they never had any

COAL OUTPUT.

To the Editor:-A friend has told And

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 23, 1910. LOGGERS SUICIDE

SCENE OF FRIDAY NIGHT'S FIRE, WHICH DESTROYED OLD SKATING RINK

feet away and beyond slight scorching

works, in whom the administration of Another loss arising out of the fire the road will, of course, be vested, in is a pair of automobile wheels which this week's issue of the B. C. Gazette struck the Douglas street sidewalk as announces formally the establishment the fire chief was returning home after of the trail from Banfield creek to the fire at 3 a. m. this morning. Com-Carmanah point, a distance of about ing round Fort street into Douglas consideration had yet been given to scite because all the ministers are 30 miles, at a uniform width of 66 feet street the wheels skidded and striking the sidewalk together were smashed again next season, will play first base stead of terminating his spring safely once made friends, on the brother completely. The machine remained and will have just as much anthonity on the back of his barse fell headlang account, and then he suggested going there until 8 o'clock this morning when it was viewed by many passers by, and was removed to the fire station where year. This announcement was made to it was stripped of the wrecked hubs and the Province last night by President orders given to John Meston to build a Bob Brown, of the Vancouver baseball new pair of wheels at once. The auto club. The story has been circulated on, that her brother must have been he would marry her, and last night be incapacitated until Wednesday. around that the Vancouver magnate will be incapacitated until Wednesday. Around that the Vancouver magnate when a series of mind she kent her seat and was removed to the fire station where Alderman Moresby and Arthur had decided to manage the team him sence of mind, she kept her seat, and as she passed him heard him say that to trade Brashear off to some other was seen first by a member of Mrs. hristle's family, who, on the way ome, noticed flames in the building. door but the lock resisted his efforts, the best managers in minor league Leon has been doubly anxious about ver and he used to take the girl of the had been employed at the rink as baseball, and he will remain in Vanrink attendant. About the same time couver. I will not consider a deal from was safely over.

There are four children, Elsie, notify the police sooner is one of the the alderman and Mr. Courtney came any one else." gain an entrance were unsuccessfully Ald. Moresby sent the alarm in

The residents in the four adjoining houses were quickly awakened and the inmates hurriedly dressed and then befrom the threatened strong wind, bitterly cold, did not help things, although the raging flames as-

contended, what the Colonist and the threw themselves so thoroughly over to government have persistently denied in the past, and which, now, in the with the Chinese of other provinces. Mr. with the Chinese of other provinces. Mr. with the Chinese of other provinces. Mr. Lindstrom helteved there would be a happy issue out of China's trails to day, happy issue out of China's trails to day, and that the returned development of the houses to help remove the furniture and from Mrs. Italia house they runned the stove and the telephone, and tore out the bath allowing the water to escape and flood the floor. The men who were perpetrating this friendship refused to be hindered by those living in the flood the floor. The men who were rob Greene and kill him in the melee.

BRASHEAR WILL STICK.

Bob Brown Announces That There Will be no Change in Playing Management.

Vancouver, Dec. 23.-"Kitty" Bras hear will manage the Vancouver team and will have just as much authority on the back of his horse, fell headlong account, and then he suggested going in the control of the club as he did last on the ground beyond. His sister was to a rooming house he knew on Price year. This announcement was made to club. President Brown, however, said: "I

HOLD-UP RESULTS IN TRAGEDY.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 22.-Murder, as

road will default. That is not to be expected. It could scarcely arrange it in government in Shanghai when they grower the grower of a reason as soon as possible.

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The sentiment in Shanghai when they in favor of Angio-Japanese intervention, and he notice that the English speaking press in greed of any corporation.

The Times does not argue that the dislocation of business consequent on the property and the people who took the option of the property and the people who took the option of the property and the people who took the option of the property and the people who took the option at the dislocation of business consequent on the property and the people who took the option of the pass three weeks. Nothing is known of his antecedents.

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a water chute, when his horse, not yet grown accustomed to the sudden appearance of the boats under the pathetic. She had been walking bridge, with the flying spray that sud- along Pender street near the Horse denly came upwards, shied. The part Show building when she met a mai had been many times rehearsed, who said that he recognized the girl George, the rider, after a long jump from her resemblance to her brothe from his horse's back alighting again in Victoria. There was no doubt that on the galloping animal's back. The he knew her brother, for he told he result can be anticipated; George, in- several things about him. The two immediately behind on another gal- street. many weeks he was unable to use it, no one around the house has a dislocation of both bones having much of them. He made an effort to get in by the front am satisfied that Brashear is one of taken place. Since then Mrs. St. work of some kind in South Vanco

George, Ida, and Vera (who still wears strange features of the case. her hair down her back), and Mrs. St. 5 Mr. and Mrs. Harvie were greatly Leon has brought them from the distressed last night when they heard Orient with her, all of them having the girl's story, but they said they been born while she was travelling were quite willing to take her back to with her husband's circus company their home, as during the three years the outcome of what was evidently an with her husband's circus company attempted robbery, has been the cli- there. The children's father also max of Seattle's reign of crime, looked back to circus life as the first fault to find with her. such as it is it is there. The Colonist longh till September. In thing which he could remember, as his says should the company default, the The portion of Shan-si province where same the same than t buildings. A when H. T. Greene, a lumbermill hand, profession, being the first man who received a fractured skull which end- took a travelling menagerie to Austhat somebody has written to the editor.—A friend to the received a fractured skull which end- took a travelling menagerie to Austhat somebody has written to the editor.—A friend to the editor.—A fr Many rushed into the houses to help day. A former bartender, giving the remove the furniture, and from Mrs. name of W. T. Curran, and his room-might travel about together. That is correct with the exception of mate, Jack Lannan, are under arrest, the former suspected of attempting to willingly, although now she says that the statement above quoted is inactive to the statement above quoted is inactive. she much prefers acting to performing as the official report will show. perpetrating this friendship refused to There were two other robberies last in the circus. "It is not so tiring," quibbling or juggling of words be himdered by those living in the night. Among the personal effects of easier." She is a very quiet, demure Greene was found letters and con happy expression. It was a very happy tracts indicating that he had money day one of the happiest in my on deposit in a British Columbia bank happy life," she said-when Mr. ThomTEUCER BRING CARGO FRO

Capt. Yarwood mander of Ste lieved Capt

Held in the clutc outheast gale just eridian, hammere seas which we inds and forced lightly in order th eather the storm of the big Blue F Capt. Yarwood, wh outer docks early Liverpool via Or steamship reached tion last night at late for inspection, there overnight. Capt Yarwood,

rst trip to Puget fter leaving weather, was enco first half of the marked contrast w their lot after cros mutheast gale si creased in violence commenced to lift When nearing the Island misty weath teamship was d Capt. Yarwood,

marantine in time in a strange land, a genial spirit, w him many friends in Victoria, Vanc Tacoma. He went came to this coas in 1891 in the Diego, which bro from the United K Ore. After nine ye ed in the steamshi been with Alfred H and is one of his skillful navigator was promoted to cer following the Parkinson from th The Teucer has

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ALBERT'S EN C. G. Wilson, of P cumbs Sudden Vancouver. Dec

aged 47 years, c suddenly aboard from a trip to no bia ports Wednes Mr. Wilson was duties around his the day and gave said nothing abou came on deck al without warning ed his feet and panion way to h few minutes aft he was dead. His in London, Eng., cabled the news of day evening. Mr. coast over a year Albert was brough Country, and has of the Prince All P. Company purch

ACCIDENT

Nanaimo, Dec. 25 panneled to inquir John Stobbart, find to his death while Western Fuel Com was purely accide blame can be attac The above verdic a jury empanneled dale, which held death of John Stob n No. 1 mine on F

WINNIPEG CEME

Winnipeg, Dec. high duty on cer firm, the Lehigh Co the Canadian Cem of Winnines 25.00 spring delivery. was 71.43 cents hags, against the Canadian compani saving of fourtee over the price pa city.

SAVE NIAGA Washingeon, D.

Falls "dry as a bo held up to the An ation Thursday Horace McFarland mental legislation work of the Burton last congress, Mr. Niagara Falls wou of rocks within a The diversion o plants on the Can would be trebled unless a reciproc be reached by the the preservation

Cigar-boxes are ecdar, which is gr

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Built Road.

After a busy three days on Vancou-ver Island Mr. G. M. Bosworth, vice-president of the C. P. R., returned last

night to Vancouver. He found time to

tensive additions to the Empress hotel, inspected the new Alberni branch of

the E. & N. rallway, and transacted a

"The Alberni branch is a splendidly-

built road and will open up a district

rich in timber and other natural re-

sources. "Alberni has a decided future

and possesses an exceptionally good

OBITUARY RECORD

C. Lindley, R. Porter, R. Eccles, J. Mossat and G. McMahan. The ar-

rangements were in the hands of the

The funeral of the late Mrs. J. A.

Aikman took place this afternoon from

the family residence, Fort street. The

The funeral of the late Mr. John

Komula took place this afternoon at 2

o'clock, from the Hanna & Thomson

chapel, the Rev. Gilbert Cook conduct-

SKERRIES GOES AGROUND

British Freighter Strands in Vancouve

Victoria Funeral Parlors.

ceremony was private.

ing the service.

iscuss steamship matters with Captain Troup, superintendent of coast steamers, authorized the starting of ex-

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TEUCER BRINGS LARGE CARGO FROM ENGLAND

SFGOND HALF OF

Capt. Yarwood is New Commander of Steamship-Relieved Capt. Parkinson

Held in the clutches of a terrific outheast gale just after crossing the meridian, hammered by the mountainous seas which were stirred up by the winds, and forced to alter her course eather the storm, was the experience of the big Blue Funnel liner Teucer,

him many friends among shipping men a new up-town line, a line to Millside and one to Lulu Island. acoma. He went to sea in 1885 and skillful navigators. Capt. Yarwood people for the whole amount and wipe was promoted to command of the Teu-

cumbs Suddenly Aboard Ship

ountry, and has been chief engineer cents in this city. of the Prince Albert since the G. T. P. Company purchased her.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

Nanaimo, Dec. 22 .- "We the jury emanneled to inquire into the death of blame can be attached to anyone." jury empanneled by Coroner Drysin No. 1 mine on Friday of last week.

WINNIPEG CEMENT CONTRACT.

Winnipeg, Dec. 23.-In spite of the high duty on cement, an American firm, the Lehigh Cement Co., underbid Carson died at Stanley park by his ownthe Canadian Cement Co. for the city hand while temperarily insane, accordof Winnipeg 25,000 barrel order for ing to the verdict of the coroner's jury, spring delivery. The successful bid A rider was appended to the finding. was 71.43 cents per cwt, including recommending investigation to find

The diversion of water for power the first bomb outrage in the New York.

Chinatown in sixteen years. would be trebled within a decade, and mless a reciprocity agreement could Nelson, Dec. 23.—The police have he reached by the two governments for the preservation of the falls for all arrested Albert Belton in connection

Cigar-boxes are chiefly made from red has also been arrested, but the police claim a strong case against Belton.

CONFIRMS YERDICT.

Vancouver, Dec. 22. - Mr. Justice Murphy has handed down judgment confirming the verdict of \$500 given by Jury in favor of Captain Johnson of idney, Vancouver Island, against ex-Provincial Constables Moore and Ego of that place. Some points of law had een urged by counsel against the nade for reasonable and probable cause. His Lordship holds that it does not apply. He says:

"There is no authority in law that can be invoked to justify the arrest in this case, since neither statutory nor common law provisions that would un-

CITY WILL LOWER

slightly in order that she might better Statement Made at Meeting at New Westminster-Finances of City

Capt. Yarwood, which arrived at the outer docks early this morning from Liverpool via Oriental ports. The steamship reached the quarantine star lion last night at 8 o'clock, just too hate for inspection, and had to remain there overnight.

Capt. Yarwood, who is making his first trip to Puget Sound, reports that lifter leaving Yokohama excellent.

ACICCS OF City

Stranger here.

In addition to the fatalities, two men have been injured, Jas, Leighton, who received injuries to his ribs, being removed to his heme, and Victor Bartlett, who sustained a fractured rib and lett, who sustained a fractured rib and tenders, and only recently brought out his faint cuts about the face. They are reported to work for the Ocean Falls Company, and only recently with street yesterday and soon the fire escapes were filled with screaming women in inglifted the connected the cuts about a year and a half ago moved to his heme, and Victor Bartlett, who sustained a fractured rib and cuts about a year and a half ago to work for the Ocean Falls Company, and only recently with street yesterday and soon the fire escapes were filled with screaming women in inglifted the connected the cuts about the face.

New York, Dec. 23.—Fire broke on moved to his heme, and Victor Bartlett, who sustained a fractured rib and cuts about a year and a

creased in violence until the vessel tary, suggested that the question of a Much damage was done in the victims at the door bile on part of the island of Montreal, the Brotchie Ledge scheme with a recommenced to lift badly in the seas. belt line around the city, municipally ity apart from the complete destruc-when nearing the coast of Vancouver owned, should be considered. The city tion of the ill-fated gelightte mixing Island misty weather set in and the steamship was delayed in reaching department, but should own also their own gas plant. He reviewed the pro-Capt. Yarwood, although a stranger a strange land, is the possessor of genial spirit, which will make for im many friends among shipping men Victoria, Vancouver, Seattle and

With regard to the floating debt of ame to this coast for the first time the city, this he said was \$165,000, and in 1891 in the British barque San \$8,000 per year had to be paid in in-biego, which brought general cargo from the United Kingdom to Portland, cumulation of years, when the councils Ore. After nine years in sail he start- in the past had been in the habit of d in the steamship business. He has proceeding with the work and arrang-een with Alfred Holt for fifteen years ing for the money afterwards. It is nd is one of his most trusted and proposed to present a by-law to the

power at almost what it would cost of hallbut. She replenished her stores the city to manufacture.

Wilson was engaged in various was not yet complete in detail, but ities around his engine room during would be in a short time, and would day and gave no indication and then be presented to the ratepayers. id nothing about being unwell. He Alderman Gray, chairman of the

on deck about 4 o'clock and light department, gave an encouraghout warning collapsed. He regain- ing report of the affairs of the elecd his feet and went down the com- tric light department, and promised a anion way to his cabin unaided, and reduction in the rates for next year. Steamship Men Present Him With few minutes after reaching his bunk What the reduction will be cannot be was dead. His wife and family live ascertained till next year, however, London, Eng., and the company The light rate in Kamloops is 14 cents abled the news of his death Wednes- per killowatt hour, Vancouver 8.8 cents, lay evening. Mr. Wilson came to this and in New Westminster it is also 8.3 past over a year ago when the Prince cents, but the meter rent in Vancouver spected shipping men, Thomas Gold-Albert was brought out from the Old is 25 cents per month, while it is only 15

Alderman Lynch, of the parks and library committee, reported that over 400 new books had been added to the library during the year. The parks ommittee are also well within the estimates, and everything is going on nicely.

John Stobbart, find the deceased came finance committee, confined himself to his death while in the employ of the a statement of the financial condition Western Fuel Company, that his death of the city as desired by the meeting. was purely accidental and that no The total debt of the city is now \$2,087,-900, the total assets are \$2,051,700. De-here. In receiving the gift Mr. Cold-bentures were sold during 1911 to the smith thanked his friends for their The above verdict was rendered by bentures were sold during 1911 to the amount of \$464,689.50, and there are hale, which held an inquiry into the \$14,000 unsold debentures on hand. The death of John Stobbart, fatally injured rate obtained on debentures this year was \$93.10 for street, bridge and fire ebentures, and \$93.75 for school, light

VERDICT OF SUICIDE

Vancouver, Dec. 22. Robert James

ime, the Burton law would be useless, with the murder of Barton and Gould in a saloon this morning. A negro-

jury's finding, the principal one being Cause of Fatality Not Known was his neighbor, was responsible for that the arrest of Captain Johnson was -Investigation Will -Be Held

Nanaimo, Dec. 23.—The cause of the held not proved that the fire had been der any circumstances justify it can be explosion in the gelignite mixing room at the Departure Bay works of the Canadian Explosives Ltd., by which three men were killed, is veiled in mystery. An inquest into the death of the victims, Joseph Defries, 50 years old, Walter Day, 18; and T. E.

LIGHTING RATES Wilcox, 30, with the light that department, and is supposed to have the department, and is supposed to have the charges, as is gone there between charges, as is sometimes done. His body was badly mangled. Defries, who was married leaves a wife and family at North-field. Walter Day was well known in New York.

Swimmer.

Only one man happened to be in the wichnity working on a boat. He heard a noise in the water and rushed with a lantern to the other side of the dock, sonly to see a list floating. stranger here.

Bad Weather in North Hinders Vessel-Long Cruises and Short of Provisions

with the B. C. E. R. expires, in two years, they will be able to purchase kan Thursday with only 2,000 pounds

REMEMBER MR. GOLDSMITH.

Stick Pin This Morning at C. P. R. Offices.

One of Victoria's best known and re smith was this morning made the recipient of a present from the steamship officials and passenger agents of this city. At the offices of the C. P. R. Jovernment street, at 10 o'clock there was a large gathering of local shipping men and Dr. Milne made the presenta tion, which consisted of a stick pin with a oval in the centre and four dlamonds surrounding it. The doctor made a characteristic speech, in which he spoke of the valuable assistance Mr. Goldsmith was to the shipping men

indness. ENGLISH SOCCER LEAGUES

han settetted the London Dec. 23. Following ore the reolts of Association Leagues game played this afternoon: First Division. Aston Villa, 1; Sheffield United, C.

Blackburn Rovers, 2; Sunderland, 2. Bury, 1; Everton, 2. Liverpool, 1; Oldham Athletic, 0. Manchester United, 2: Bolton Wander-Middlesborough, 3; Manchester City, 1.

Swindon Town, 1; Brighton and How Westham United, A; Coventry City, 1,

Miliwall Athletic, 2; Leyton, 1. Queen's Park Hangers, 1; Coventry City Brentford, 1; Crystal Palace, 6. Exeter City, 2; Southampton, 2; New Brompton, 0; Plymouth Argyle, 1 Watford, 1; Reading, I Luton, 3; Northampton, 3010 8 11000 | 6)

Appeal at its sitting here allowed the ppeal in the case of Oldfield vs. Blair nd decided that the trial judge should assess the damages to be given.

assess the damages to be given.
This action arose out of the burning of the plaintiff's house at Lulu Island. Falls From Sawmill Wharf in Darkness and is of sparks carried from a fire lighted by Mr. Blair on to the roof of his house. It was shown that Mr. Blair had a Drowned some 32 fire on his premises across the road,

> Frince Rupert, Dec. 22.-A sad accident occurred at Ocean Falls a few days ago resulting in the death of The company recently installed a new James H. Tibballs by drowning Mr. Tibballs, while acting as night ing three miles of track watchman around the sawmill, evidently made a misstep and fell off the line is also in progress. dock into the water, some fifteen feet below, striking his head against some below, striking his head against some floating logs, which no doubt partially stunned him, because he was a good

He at once gave the alarm and the body was recovered in about two hours. The Minister of Militia Throws works for the proper equipment of the

great variety of other important busi- Panama Maru Clears for Orient With Full Cargo of Freight -Next Week Light

During the year, he said, he has been as regards bad weather, long trips and Alberni as an ocean port for transDesign the year, he said, he has been as regards bad weather, long trips and Design the property of the prope

Besides the steel rails the Maru has him." several thousand bales of cotton and aged 47 years, chief engineer on the city to manufacture.

The funeral of Mrs. Agnes Torrance Cockin took place this afternoon at had been done with the \$15,000 voted by the people for a harbor scheme and rip to northern British Columbia ports Wednesday morning, and like the harbor scheme was, the mayor replied that the harbor scheme was, the was not vet complete in detail but the city to manufacture.

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pallbearers were: Robert McArthur, well filled,

time at home with their families around the freside. On Tuesday the salve to Sado Maru, of the Nippon Yusen branches already in existence will be over Points, but this, too is merely a sug-

steerage passengers and about 300 tons banks.
of freight for Victoria. The Kumeric,

Third Lanark 9; Airdrieonians 1.
Centic & Greenock Morton.
Kilmarnock 1. Clyde 3.
Dundec 2; Hamilton Academics 5.
Falkirk 9; Glasgow Rangers 2.
Motherwen 9; Hearts of Midhiffsin 3.
Partick Thistie, 2. Queen's Park 1.
Paisley St. Mirren, 2; Raith Rogers 0. Motherwell, 6; Hearts of Middothian, 3

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Paisley St. Mirren, 2; Raith Rovers, 0, system is in vogue f selling fowls in sections, and it is possible to buy half chiekers at most of the leading markets. At the province and where it is probably regarded by the people with more friendly sentiments than any other bank in Can add here any portion of a chioken, duck, and here are a portion of a chioken, duck, and here ar

CANADIAN NORTHERN WORK.

couver, Dec. 22.—J. M. Mercer, suintendent of the Northern Construc tion Company, has returned from trip of inspection over the Canadian Northern railway between Port Mann and Hope. The diamond crossing at the intersection of the mission branch of the C. P. R. was laid last week and track-laying east of that point was resumed a few days ago.

The rails are now laid as far as Sumas mountain, eight miles beyond the crossing. Only one or two small cuts between there and Hope remain to be finished before the grade will be in shape for the rails all the way to

track-laying machine capable of day ing three miles of track daily. Ballasting on the completed portion of the

Bouquets at the Nationalists

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Fire Marshal Hughes over his speech delivered in stood that all the railways will find Chief of these is Evelya Baker, embedded and policemen caught thirty for leaving Yokohama excellent was made by Mayor ployed in the wrapping room, who was encountered during the first half of the trip, which was in marked contrast with that which was their lot after crossing the lot after crossing hall. The fire marshal's office in the city and make a choice of fifty suitable sites clamation of the adjoining foreshore to hall. The construct barracks thereon. He in mirably adapted for railway and warevited 25,000 schoolboys to go and make house purposes.

Mr. Coste asked for this plan and was given it by the board, but his proposals will be based on what he condrawn a map of the country as a vast of the port. He stated to the

tary training. He is able, handsome, rants the facilities can be increased, genial, well educated, careful and ener-This winter will probably be a record is regards had weather, long trips and is regards had weather, long trips and in the Drakwater are presentative of the Times in Vancouweighed down to her capacity with getic; in short, he possesses very many which will be built at Ogden Point can be removed and used again in a larger over 7,000 tons of general freight, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Panama
Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Panama The description of the dest.

The Teucer, has a full cargo of freight for the Sound, After 97 Chinese had disembarked here the steamship proceeded to Tacoma to unload the proceeded to Tacoma to unload a personal disembarked here the steamship received to Tacoma to unload a personal disembarked here the steamship and a more readily controlled mind, and an or readily controlled mind, and an or

BANK MERGER

wards of 50,000 pounds in the space of sent. Rev. J. A. Wood, of James Bay brations. The rush of Celestrials from Eastern Townships bank yesterday decident the possibility of harbor improvement. ten or fifteen days. Never before in the history of the company have the steamers secured such small catches.

Methodist church, conducted services ports of the Sound is still going on and ed to enter into an agreement with the ports of the Sound is still going on and ed to enter into an agreement with the proposed breakwater every outbound ship has her steerage canadian Bank of Commerce by which the plan that the proposed breakwater every outbound ship has her steerage the interests of the two banks will be would afford dockage facilities for a It is expected by shipping men that merged after ratification by shareholders large fleet of vessels and ample

morrow. Nothing has yet been received from her and she is now out place in Canada. The basis of the union he provided along the Dallas road, and eighteen days from Yokohama. She is an even exchange of shares, namely, is bringing to this port about two hunters of Bank of Commerce for one claiming 65 or more acres suitable for dred tons of freight and has several of the Eastern Townships bank stock, the rallway and warehouse purposes. thousand additional tons for Vancouver and Puget Sound ports.

Next week will be fairly busy at the locan docks but the officials there are thankful that the wharves will be clear on Christmas Day so that they clear on Christmas Day so that they are the clear on Christmas Day so that they are the clear on Christmas Day so that they captured to the control of the Eastern Townships bank stock, the railway and warehouse purposes.

"If it should be desired to protect the entrance of the inner harbor another breakwater could be constructed as shown on the plan. The area within the breakwaters is 460 acres, of which 300,000. The aggregate assets will exceed 310 acres provide a depth of water of the banks. will be able to spend an enjoyable \$210,000,000 while the territory of the banks thirty feet and upwards.

Narrows Floats Off Again.

Kaisha line, should arrive from the Far Eastern ports, and on Thursday the Osaka Shosen Kaisha line. Seattle Steamer Skerries, Captain Perks, while bound in at 6 a. m. to-day, touched on a mid flat in the Narrows. The tide

On Wednesday next the Blue Fungant of Commerce, as representing the swang her stern around until she was bound in at 6 a. m. to-day, tonched on the Orient.

Is a mud flat in the Narrows. The tide on Wednesday next the Blue Funding west and she steamed out and anchored. She came in again at 10.300 the Canadian Australian of the Bank of Commerce, as representing the present Eastern Townships' shareholders. Sir Byren Walker, the present president of the Bank of Commerce, will be the president of the Bank of Commerce, will be the president of the united hank, and the president of the united hank and the president of the united hank.

The Weir liner Orteric, Capi Findlay, left Yokonama five days lati and will not arrive here until January 3. She is bringing eight saloon, twelve steerage passengers and about 300 tons at a steerage passengers and about 300 tons.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22—A million dollars for the construction and operation of a road to be known as the Atakan Railroad Lines, and for additional Alaskan conservation, is contemplated in a high first conservation. Solved last week after flaving been the high steering gear was smashed, passed troduced yesterday by Representative at Capt Flattery this morning for firmed the report about the reported consolidation of that bank with the Canatana and the commission of the conservation of the measure would place Alaskan the commission of the conservation of the measure would place Alaskan the commission of the conservation of the conservat

was 71.43 cents per event, indealing investigation to find secondaring in the following investigation to find secondaring investigation to fin

COMMITTEE SATISFIED WITH THE PROSPECTS

Louis Coste's Proposals Prodotavide for Immediate and beed a Future

seels (From Saturday's Daily.) A final conference was held yester. day afternoon at the board of trade rooms between Louis Coste and the embers of the special committee on harbor improvements in regard to the commendations which the engineer will make to the minister of public port of Victoria.

Mr Coste went very fully into the reguirements of the outer harbor railway connections along the waterfront. The connection with the railways will be by way of a bridge over the harbor from Ottawa, Dec. 23.—Henri Bourassa last Laurel Point to Hospital Point, which

RALS FROM SUND drawn a map of the country as a vast field for the manoeuvres where he proments of the port. He stated to the poses to enroll the nation and to teach them democratically the art of shooting them democratically the art of shooting sextensive shipping facilities as some of The following statement was handed the principal harbors of the world. His out by Colonel Hughes in answer to the attack of Mr. Bourassa:

"Mr. Bourassa would have been a type greater than exists at Southampmodel fellow if he had only been for ton, and he explained that it will be tunate enough to have received a milt- so arranged that when business war-

be a comprehensive one.

Mr. Pickard, in forwarding the plan which he had prepared to the board of trade, wrote as follows: "Having noticed that you are devoting much attention to the development of the port of Victoria, and that a breakwater from Holland Point to Brotchie Ledge is mentioned, I have prepared from Adthe steamship Strathlyon, under the Eastern Townships bank.

This will mean the consummation of the charter to the Weir company, will reach William Head to-night or tomorrow. Nothing has yet been replace in Canada. The basis of the union he provided along the Dallas road, and

gestion. BRIGANDS STEAL BULLION.

condition of all parts of the country. Many soldiers have deserted from the brigands and now live openly by plun-

THROUGH TRAIN MADE THE TRIP YESTERDAY

Was Enthusiastically Greeted by Population of Twin Towns Vice-President Aboard

which is the highest in the whole line mili and commenced operations.

from Victoria to the coast, and represents the run down the divide to the railroad's Pacific goal. In order to afwagon road was diverted to the opposition of the agricultural possibilities of this Stamp, has a mean flow of 30,000 cubic site side of Cameron Lake. The highest district are attracting widespread and feet per minute, and has a grade of 40 point reached by the track is 1.285 feet. Deserved attention, inquiries coming in

Farming.

uld insure lower rates for just beyond Great Central lake, and is

marine insurance and pilotage a fea-only awaiting capital and transporta-ture of escat importance. tien facilities for its proper develop The development of the coal which ment is known to exist in the valley would Magnetic from ores occur in large also make Alberni a great coal port, bodies in several places on the Alberni The both should also be the distribut- canal and Barkley, Sound, and will be

The chief water powers near Alberti are the Ash, Stamp, Sproat and Somass With the advent of the lumbering in- rivers, all within 18 miles of the town, ford a right-of-way for the track the dustry and railroad communication, The Ash river, a tributary of the wagon road was diverted to the opporther agricultural possibilities of this Stamp, has a mean flow of 30,000 cubic



The largest bridge is 1,000 feet and the by every mail from all parts of the miles; 20,000 h. p. could be developed highest is 143 feet. There are in all 57 world

ALBERNI FROM THE MERMON

be carried on by the company from more easily cleared alder bottoms, the head is low. Over 65,000 h: p. could the first great unand the west coast pioneers. Now that established. A creamery has already been the dream has been fulfilled it is the Alberni offers a very profitable and seven miles respectively from the town, that an intimate connection is established. Of the larger varieties of fruit, lished between Victoria, and what un- plums, prunes and cherries have given

District of Alberni. The district of Alberni consists of on sheltered, southern aspects, are the area drained by the rivers and magnificent in size and color, and streams running into the Alberni luscious to taste Apples, where looked canal; along its northeastern bound-after have always been heavy cropary it is only some ten miles from the pers, with large, well-colored fruit. As east coast of the Island

mass river, where the first townsite by local producers—this same plant the district was laid out in the year might be utilized in winter as a pork-1886, and Port Alberni, two miles dis- packing establishment, tant, the terminus of the railway on the deep-water harbor. Alberni possesses a splendid harbor,

an ideal townsite, magnificent timber which permits of outdoor work being and practically untouched ishing the utilization of material that is often carried on the whole year round.

The Alberni of the Near Futurence The advantages of the forthcoming shad and other fish abound. With an how to make sheets by sewing flour railway connection are enormous, and unlimited supply of fish, a short jour-bags together, or how to provide a Alberni will probably show during the ney to the railroad, a through refriger warm and effective winter bed-cover next few years as great if not a ator car system and a ready market by stitching old socks between two greater, proportional development than in the east, we have combined the elelumber industry, which the railway

Much in the way of improvements will and the wonderfully productive and

chard. Of the larger varieties of fruit, are promising sites for power developdoubtedly will become a very prosper-marvellous returns with great reguous portion of the Island. I have and seem highly adapted to the soil and climate. Peaches, when grown east coast of the Island.

The town of Alberni is divided into a canning plant will be a necessity, if two settlements—Alberni on the So- the great west coast trade is to be held

Fishing Industry.

rounds off the west coast of Vancou-ver Island, where halibut, cod, herring. The students are taught, for instance shad and other fish abound. With an how to make sheets by sewing flour

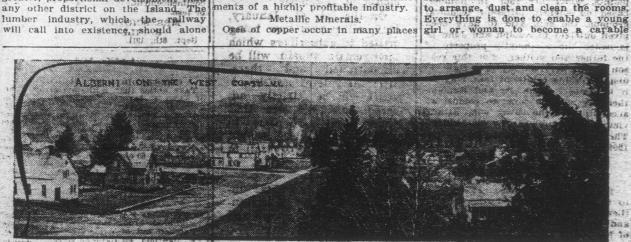
The Stamp river, from this stream. The contractors, Janse & McDonnelle their somewhat distincts and any complementary references to the somewhat and many complementary references to the somewhat t flowing out of Great Central lake, river unites with the Stamp to form the Somass, from which considerable dertaking is done, and Victoria is now which are beaver-made lands of rich, deep, black soils. These latter run in a within a relatively few hours, touch with the west coast of the Island. The importance of the extension, to the Beaver Creek section, the premier of the various water powers further victoria as well as to the water forms. Victoria, as well as to the west coast ploneers. Now that established.

The importance of the extension, to the Beaver Creek section, the premier of the various water powers further various water powers further affeld. There is, therefore, ample water power for the electrical needs of some such rail connection has been try, for which the valley is eminently the dream of the merchants of this city suited. A creamery has already been and the west coast pioneers. Now that established.

ment schemes. The Alberni district as a sports harity, and seem highly adapted to the man's paradise is too well known to require extended comment, and its

COTTAGE SCIENCE. Rural Poor.

successful experiment in the teaching of domestic science in cottages has recently been carried out in Ireland by the Queen's County com- undergo systematic infection from local personally observed since 1891. struction. A one-storeved cottage however, showed a clinical picture like in Texas had assumed notable



pear to be in a fair way tion. It is almost two years since time of the Spanish regime; also that assimilated. Although the "Nastin" she would not again follow her profes-Clegg first announced the prolonged cultivation of the organisms in the streets of New Orleans was so

that made this proceeding one of com- house established for this purpose. This along with amebas and symbiotic teria; after several transplantations there had been a notable increase in inder such conditions, the bacillus be- the number of cases; Dr. Dyer estimatgrowth in pure culture. Duval, how- 500. In 1815 leprosy was known to have is the presence in the medium of trytophan and other free smido-acids—
factors that were furnished in Clegg's
experiments presumably by the action
of the bacteris on dead amebas. Like
up to the present time, there had been legg, Duval found that the bacillus about 150 cases in this settled ed artificially for some times. The or- tury. About the year 1856 great num-ganism was found by both threstigat. bers of Scandinavian immigrants set ors to be extremely hardy; it resisted tied in this country, the major por-a temperature of 70 C. for half an hour, tion of them in Wisconsin, Minne-and Duval and Gurd were able to cul-sofs, Iowa and Dakots. Among these

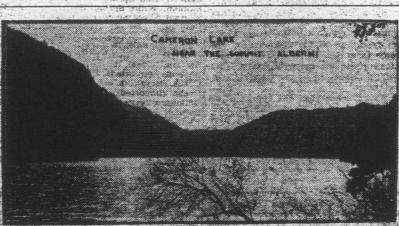
from inoculation of pure cultures, local- ous population were lepers from ized lesions in the guinea-pig closely most every country on the globe.

nake a fair sized town, and farming on both sides of the Alberni canal, on boneswife with the most limited report of the property of the prope

Leproes, existed in the Orient from ments. brought into Italy by the soldiers of the government's leprosy investigation that of the earrier, and particularly compay in the first century, B. C. It station is the first step in the produc-Cases of the Disease in the first century, B. C. It station is the first step in the production of the Disease in the immune carrier. According to this tip of a vaccine or a serum for the theory, all people are not alike susception of leprosy. It is

The first through train form of the control of the successful in 1786 the number of leprous beggars of leprosy on artificial media, and Du-val since then has devised methods and these patients were isolated in a

> ew more readily after being cultivat- was during a period of nearly a cenresembling those in man; and Sugai 1902, 24 living cases were reported. In showed that the Japanese dancing 1907, Dr. Montgomery reported the mouse was sufficiently susceptible to histories of 23 cases which he had



serum of lepers.

mittee of agriculture and technical in- inoculation. Neither of these animals, in recent rears the number of lepers In addition to the business of salmon consisting of a kitchen and bedroom, that in man. But Duval has recently, portions. In 1902, the Marine Hos canning, there is another industry ly—was rented in the poorest quarter of by successive injections of a pure cul-ing dormant, which will undoubtedly Mountmellick, a small town of about ture of the leprosy bacillus, succeeded cases of leprosy in the United States, fertile farm lands, large (though ining dormant, which will indoubtedly Mountmellick, a small town of about
developed) stores of coal, iron, copper, spring to active life with the comple2,400 inhabitants. The total cost of
in producing in the menkey a type of more than half of these (155) in Louisi developed) stores of coal, iron; copper, spring to active life with the completion of the railway to Alberni. It is equipment and finishing including a disease very similar to the human ana. Of these, 176 were males and 102 brick-clay and fire-clay; great water the catching of fish on the banks off bedstead and linen, only amounted to form, and in reobtaining the acid-fast powers, abundance of fish in the adfacent part of the sea, unrivalled shipping them fresh direct by refrigerscenic attractions, a plentiful supply of game, and a mild and equable climate that there are immense given in cooking, washing, sewing and fact that Duval and Gurd were able born. The foreign born came from Of considerable interest as bearing disease in the United States. One hun-on the methods of transmission, is the dred and forty-five were American fact that Duval and Gurd were able born. The foreign born came from to cultivate the organisms from nasal Norway (22), China (20), Germany (12), secretions in two of five cases. They Bahamas (12), Iceland (11), Sweden also succeeded in inoculating mice by (8), Ireland (6), West Indies (4), Engrebbing cultures of the bacillus into land (3), France (3), Mexico (3), Italy. their nares after gentle scarification. (3), etc. In this report 155 cases were Taken in connection with the high re- ascribed to Louisiana, 24 to Califorsisting power of the organism, these nia, 24 to Florida, 20 to Minnesota, 16 Then lead and your son will follow, facts would appear to speak strongly to North Dakota, 7 to New York, etc. in favor of the usually adopted, though If Dr. Dyer's estimate of three to five much disputed, measure of segregation, hundred cases in Louisiana was nearer The same investigators have taken the truth than the official report of 150 up the serum reactions of leprosy. cases in that state, and the estimate of Amboceptor, specific apparently for 40 cases in New York nearer than the the lipoid constituents of the organ- 7 given in the report, and a like disism, they found present in considerable erepancy occurred throughout the list, amounts. Agglutining occurred in one might conclude that the official mall quantities; and the scrum of record of 278 cases was by far less than prous patients was found by them one-half the true number of cases in of to differ from that of normal indi- this country. About ten years ago Dr. in content of complement. A. W. Hitt, after a careful review of Their results as to specific ambocepter the subject, arrived at the conclusion are confirmed by the work of Biebler that there were about 530 lepers in the purchased the property at Yates and entrance gates of Craigdarroch, Fort and Ellasberg, but unlike them. Bifast United States, and this might be re-berg claims to have demonstrated the garded as a conservative estimate. Langley streets known as the Ex-berg claims to have demonstrated the garded as a conservative estimate. berg claims to have demonstrated the garded as a conservative estimate. absence of free complement in the Fram Molokal, the island prison for The purchasers have made no an-

1 tor by Professor Hansen in 1879. much argued question of methods! Three surgeons of the United States the sale. Prisons biggs and sall tails de-

toward solu- that the disease existed there from the use of Chaulmoogra oil where it can be her release was made to promise that treatment, especially in fresh cases, sion as cook, for fear she might infect justifies certain hopes only a continu- others with the disease which she is ous treatment lasting for years can said to harbor. Whether she will at show us whether we can obtain by it a tempt to prove that she is not a disdefinite result respecting a cure. Still, ease carrier is not known; but even if parative simplicity. Clarg's method was the first leper house in the United the reports with regard to it are such she should be convicted of this offence onsisted in first growing the organism States, and was in use for fifteen years, as to warrant a trial of it, and that the general opinion is that she has sufbac- sheltering forty cases. In Louisians has accordingly been authorized at the fered a great hardship, and that the lazaretto.

In July last a case was reported of of New York exercised despotic power came altered sufficiently to permit ed the present number between 300 and a Hindu leper at Kamloops, B. C. He in its treatment of her was taken to Darcy Island lazaretto, ever, has shown that the essential ele-been introduced into New Brunswick and thence deported to his own coun-ed some four years ago was very ment necessary for its artificial growth by a woman of St. Malo in Brittany; try. This was in accordance with his strongly against Miss Mallon. It apown desire.

Aldershot Memorial to Young Canadian Soldier The officers of the Aldershot com mand have provided a handsome me morial, which has been placed over was a buxom, hearty woman, apthe grave in Aldershot military ceme- proaching 40, and was never ill. She fivate it from tissues kept in salt so-there were about 170 lepers; among tery, of the young Canadian lieuten- resented the insinuation that she was hirlon at room temperature for over their descendants it was estimated ant, Roy Morris Gzowski, of the a walking arsenal of deadly germs, eight months. Nor did overgrowth that there were about 30 cases living Queen's Own Rifles, who died during who had caused 26 persons to become

AN IMPERIAL LINK

and many complimentary references to the way in which the many formidable the way in which the many formidable the way in which the many formidable the world, and among its heterogeneyoung artists at the pottery and terra-cotta school which Mrs. Watts case moved the judge to expressions conducts at Compton, Surrey, where of sympathy, but he agreed with the her husband spent his last years, and medical experts that to pennit her to where there is a valuable gallery of be at large would constitute a grave the works of the great painter.

The memorial, which stands about mured.

side is as follows: To the glory of God, and In memory of Roy Morris Gzowski, Lieutenant, Queen's Own Rifles of Canada, Who died whilst doing Duty with his Regiment In the Mother Country Born at Toronto, January 10, 1890. Died at Aldershot September 25, 1910 On another side is the following: This memorial is erected by the officers of the Aldershot command in honor of their

of their fellowship which binds England to Canada and soldiers of the Empire to one another. In the lantern at the top of the figures symbolical of Britannia, Can-

Canadian comrade in token

ping, on which is a small shield bearing the words, "Canada to England," and the following lines: Or follow and I will lead,

And side by side, though the world divide, We'll show by word and deed That you share with me my youth-

fulness And I with you your prime, And so it shall be until the sun shall set On the uttermost edge of Time.

the plague stricken in the Hawaiian nouncement of their intentions regardthe plague stricken in the Hawaiian nouncement of the would be suitable therefor.

It will be seen that as a result of the group, word has reached Washington ing the corner which would be suitable therefor. foregoing work, Koch's postulates have of an achievement accounted second for a large mercantile building or for now been fully carried out for leprosy, only to the discovery of the lepra bacil- an hotel. The Dominion business exan hotel. The Dominion business ex-change Green block, Broad street, made the sale.

The number of pensons killed on the reliverys of the United States during the year ended June 30 last was 10,396

Strange Experiences of Mary Mallon, Alleged Immune Carrier of Germs

One of the most interesting medical

theories relating to bacteriology is

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medical health department of the city

The circumstantial evidence collectpeared that in nearly every home where she went to cook typhoid fever would break out, and with no apparent cause. Wells, food supply and other familiar sources of infection were carefully examined, but in none of them were the typhoid germs detected Finally suspicton rested on Mary Mal lon, although her appearance must have been strongly in her favor. She

court on a writ of habeas corpus, her danger, and so she was once more im-

12 ft. high, is in terra-cotta. In the It is not now stated whether she has lower portion is a beautifully sugges- been purged of germs in the three tive figure of the deceased soldier in years of her imprisonment, or if so, a kneeling position and in the act of whether with her consent. Without the giving up his sword, i.e., laying it indignity of having her personal germs upon an altar. The inscription on one forcibly removed from her, Mary Mallon would appear to have a good case against the city of New York. She has been imprisoned without due process of law, and for no crime, for three years, and has been deprived by threats of her right to make a living in the way to which she has been ac customed. More than that, her case has been bruited through the medical schools and hospitals of the land, until she finds herself enjoying fame almos as great as that of the Siamese Twins. Few respectable people would consider \$50,000 sufficient compensation for what Mary Mallon has endured in the past three years, and for what she is likely to endure in the future, verdict or no verdict.

The case has produced a good deal

of critetism in lay circles of the car-

rier theory. In the opinion of the

Providence Journal the episode is on a par with witchcraft. Others express the conviction that germs that are incapable of doing any damage to nemorial are four chastely designed their hosts are incapable of injuring anyone else, and they declare that ada, Fortitude, and Sacrifice. The crest of the regiment is also represented.

The memorial is enclosed in a coptage of the regiment in the event of the carrier theory. being accepted as fact, and the hostillty of the immune carrier's being established, the host of germs should be handsomely ensed for any restrictions pla upon his liberty in the interest public. People who wish to be from the danger of typh usually, willing to pay for it, and whether they pay a medical man difference to them.

Verdict of Suicide.—Suicide the coroner's jury which sat Real Estate Deal George Stevens afternoon to inquire into the death breast. Letters found in the de ceased's pocket told of his intention to take his life but assigned no cause

MISSIONARY R

FROM SEAT

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sally for the refor Mr. Joliffee told tive that he did n sonally of hostili on their arrival were waiting a wife. Rev. Mr. a: had been knocked adoes while travel the scene of the tsze-Kiang valley that the party had with a mounted occurred at nights had become tired, less, and after bo insensible, the rob ver available whi veyed to the coast, sessions the miss Bloom, it was fear skull as a consequent only case of assau

sionaries of which The news of ne now pending bet troops and the rev peace had reached they approached and to all who kr tions there, he w come. The country a settlement of the had the future of No arrangements

for their return to GIFT FRO

Paris, Dec. 22.another imposing friendship for the terday a public opened for a bronz by the illustriou Auguste Rodin, w on the monument Samuel de Chan navigator, explorer the lake that bears President Fallie subscribers and i foreign minister. Gabriel Hanotaux, France-American development of literary and artisti De Rochambeau. The initiative of taken by Ambassa

DROWNED IN Vancouver, Dec. land, a Scandinav was drowned in th Thursday last, wh with gravel capsize and, precipitating

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Party of Foreigners Are Shut Up in Isolated City in Western China

ife, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Bloom, who the railway. had been knocked insensible by desper-

taken by Ambassador Jusserand.



CONTAIN

POISON

FIRST CAR LINE TO OPERATE IN COVENER

Canadian North-Eastern Permitted to Accept Traffic Over RAILWAY TERMINALS Eighteen Miles of Track

The first bit of Canadian Northern Believed That Comprehensive track to be put in actual commission in British Columbia is not part of the much-heralded line which the Mc. Bride government committed the prove ince to in an immense sum as a guar-

Auguste Rodin, which will be placed on the monument to be dedicated to Samuel de Champlain, the French navigator, explorer and discoverer of the lake that bears his name.

President Fallieres heads the list of subscribers and is followed by the foreign minister, Jules Jusserand, Gabriel Hapatany president of the content Gabriel Hanotaux, president of the France-American commission for the development of political, economic, literary and artistic ideas, and Count De Rochambeau.

papers and general inquiries he has not again been heard of. Edward Osborne is a man about 25 years of age, borne is a man about 25 years of age, is tall and fair with blue eyes. He has been in Canada five years and was at Shoal Lake, Manitoba, and after at Shoal Lake, Manitoba, and at Shoal Lake, Manitoba, and

piece orchestra, Mrs. Hamilton at the plane; the buffet supper, which was provided by Mr. Robinson, was a condessional desirables.

from most of the council, not so much of the Westholme Hotel.—A sale of the Westholme hotel, Government the tent-dwellers being said to be undesirables. provided by Mr. Robinson, was a condesirables.

The discussion ended with the chairSpringer, of Vancouver, who was here reflects the greatest credit on the committee who had the arrangements in hand: Messrs. Arnold, Lort, McKen-zie, Bell, Blandy, Craddock and Paget-North Vancouver; that they represent-

waiting a missionary and his owned by the same interests that own tions of a transcontinental railway in Rolled Oats (E. & K.), 40-lb. sk.

miled right in Regins, the readsome unationaries and Mrs.

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struggle would be welcomed by all who had the future of the country at heart. No arrangements had yet been made for their return to China.

GIFT FROM FRANCE.

Paris, Dec. 22.—France is arranging another imposing testimonial of her friendship for the United States. Yesterday a public subscription was opened for a bronze bust of la France, by the illustrious French sculptor, land is seeking information about her land in the canadian Northern.

This subject was discussed with the heads of the various railway companies some time ago, and since then the decanadian Northern.

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ly voted one of the daintiest ever man deciding that the city solicitor yesterday. Prior to leaving for Van-served by the club. The whole affair would have to be consulted to see if couver Thursday Mr. Springer said in Forde, and it is practically decided, owing to the success of last night's ball, to give another dance early in the Mew Year.

North valiculars, that they represent the owners of the noted but the deal was not closed.

Add. Biss' contention, and added that the pigmy mouse of Siberla is the did not think that the thing could smallest quadruped in the world.

be done legally. He did not think that they were undesirables. On the ground of sanitation, however, he supported Alderman Smith, but he thought that an order could be passed making the owners of the district ob-serve the pity health laws. He did

THE CITY MARKET A PRAIRIE VISITOR

Western China

The the Empress of Jasuan which are for the transmission and the second control and the second cont

WHOLESALE MARKET.

at Shoal Lake, Manitoba, and after ago.

The initiative of the movement was taken by Ambassador Jusserand.

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Another interesting report which has a himondar per it as he moved across the continent to vancouver.

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DROWNED IN THE FRASER.

Vancouver, Dec. 21.—Andrew Soderland, a Scandinavian, aged 23 years, will be observed in this city from Monday, January 1, to Friday, January 3, inclusive. This is one week earlier than the week of united prayer observed throughout the world by invitation of the verification of the world by invitation of the evangelical alliance, but the members of the Ministerial Assonot yet been recovered.

FIGHT OVER WILL meetings will be held in the half of the variety from the statement that the district was short to the river. Subsequent meetings will be held in the half of the variety from the statement that the district was short with its inhabitants undestrance with its inhabitants undes meetings will be held in the hall of the Y. M. C. A. at 3 p. m., from Tuesday, to Friday. The programme of subjects and speakers will be announced next week.

An Enjoyable Dance.—An enjoyable dance was held Thursday evening by the Voto ia Hockey Club in the A. O. U. W. hall, about forty couples turning out for the affair. The effect was very gay, several charming gowns being noticed among the ladies; the hall was prettily decorated with red and white —the colors of the club—interspersed with red and white —the colors of the club—interspersed with evergreens. The music and ca
with evergreens. The music and ca
meetings will be held in the hall of the vacate the stated that there were divided that there were and reported that the tent-dwellers in the city and paid nothing into city enterprises. He moved that a by-law be framed giving the couplants of the tents ninety gay, several charming gowns being notice to the dwellers in that particular section but would included the colors of the club—interspersed with red and white the stated that there were discussed that there were drawn will be announced next the vacate and those of the colors of the club—interspersed with red and white the spianade and reported that the tent-dwellers in the city and the city and the colors of the club—interspersed with red and white the stated that there were discussed in the city and the c tering were both first-class, the form-er being provided by Bantley's five-from most of the council, not so much Deal for Westholme Hotel.—A sale

PROVES ITS REE COS

Tribute to Statesmansh Premier Scott-Saskatcue-

PRINCIPAL NAMED FOR

Principal Hamilton, of Olds, Definitely Accepts Position Offered by Trustees

Owing to Principal Horning having decided to remain at Nokomis, after the invitation extended to him on behalf of the Victoria School Trustees to take the principalship of the Boys' Central school, vacant through the esignation of School Inspector Winsby the post has been offered to, and accepted by Principal J. E. Hamilton of Olds, Alberta.

Week of Prayer.—The usual week of Prayer. The new principal is a graduate of degree, and has been in his present 2.00 post for the past three years. He pos-

it is stated. Claus, jr., and Rudolph therefore ask the court to compel an accounting of the entire sum with a lew to determining their own shares The gifts were made between 1897 and

MANY INJURED.

and Pacific railroad at Kildare, south of here, before daylight to-day. Pas-senger Trains No. 3 and No. 104 were

CRAIGELOWER SCHOOL THIS TISTE HAS "

Historic Building Ceases Its ROOM FOR TWENTY BIG More Than Half Century

day, when Mrs. Harding, the principal, change Luncheon, Following and her staff met the friends of the old is: wan Benefits Much school for the last time in the old is building which has resounded with the recorded with the resounded with the recorded with the resounded with the recorded with the resounded with t voices of children for over half a cen-

their wheat. It is no exaggeration to say that the wheat is lying on the streets of the smaller towns, and there is no opportunity to ship it out. Even in Regina, the capital of the largest wheat growing state or province on the North American continent. Mr. Hill says, he can buy American flour cheaper and better than the local flour milled right in Regina, the reason being that the Minneapolis mills so being that the Minneapolis mills get for development and has foreshore for very large amount of room for development and has foreshore for very large amount of the very large amount of the lift.

NEW RECORD

Nanaimo, Dec. 21.-It was recently innounced that No. 1 shaft of the Western Fuel Co. had broken the dally utput record. This record was not allowed to stand long, for yesterday the old record was shattered when 1,643 ong tons were raised to the surface.

To Subscribers in Arrears

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

both Daily and Semi-Weekly papers. Accounts have been mailed to each subscriber in arrears and in order to secure a continuance of the paper payment of amount of account rendered must be made during the present

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

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

The last public function at the his Speaks, at Real Estate Exbis C. H. Lugrin

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT DISTRICT OF COAST.

Take notice that the Vancouver Timber & Trading Company. Limited, of Vancouver, B. C. lumber dealers, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot-724, men the south coast of Hardwick Island, B. C., which post is situate about one mile and a half north from sald with coast, thence was 30 chains, thence north 28.09 chains, thence south 28.09 chains, thence south 28.09 chains.

THE VANCOUVER TIMBER & TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

WILHAM PENJAMIN VAUGHAN, Agent.

LAND ACT

September 12th, 1911.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT. DISTRICT OF COAST.

Take notice that I. William B. Vaughan, of Vangeguver, B. C., a lumberman, intend to apply for parmission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the north boundary line. C. Lot 724, about 20 chains east of the northwest corner of said Lot 724, near the south coast of Hardwick Island. British Columbia, and about a mile and a hair north from said south coast, thence west 20 chains, thence porth 28.09 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 28.09 chains, thence with Land BENJAMIN VAUGHAN.

LAND ACT

DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE 3. Take notice that Mrs. Sciota Jane Roland, of Ecila Coola, married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the N.E. corner of the Nusscrek Indian Reserve, situated about 10 miles from Bella Coola, thence north 20 chains, thence east to shore line of North Bentinck Arm 40 chains, more or less, thence south 20 chains, thence west 40 chains to post of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less. MRS. SCIOTA JANE ROLAND

B. FILLIP JACOBSEN, Agent.
Sept. 8th, 1911.

LAND ACT

COAST DISTRICT, RANGE 1.

Take notice that William Dalziel Duke, of Victoria, farmer, 1, tends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lanca, about 180 acres; Commencing at a post planted on the southwest corner of Lot 630, thence south 30 chains to northwest corner of Lot 629, thence east 60 chains, thence west 60 chains more or less to point of commencement.

WILLIAM DALZIEL DUKE WILDIAM DALZIEL DUKE.

NOTICE TO FARMERS-For sale, thoroughbred brood mare, sired by king Patchen out of Arabella. Apply to C. . Banffeld, 602 Skinner street. Victoria

DISCUSSED SUBJECT AT GREAT LENGTH

An Illuminating History of the in-

of the police or turns a neat phrase at sion" the fact that the newspapers

of "onserved what is part in the move of the move of the move sentiments through back windows of interrupt." sentiments through back windows of ment as a spontaneous one, although its manifestation was not always the same owing to the variance in conditions, but still, finding its expression in many ways, was simultaneous and spontaneous. In Turkey the movement spontaneous. In Turkey the movement of the spontaneous one of us would want to go to their meetings and listen to their exceeding lence smiled audibly.

The answer to the natural follow-up was for education and the removal of hurst, with a truly feminine touch. some restrictions on the free move-ment of women. The Sultan granted Westminster, following up the consti-that she did not know the facts of the infer a contrast with Premier As- observing the rule that not more than said: with. In countries accustomed to be thirteen persons should be in any called civilized, with so-called repre-deputation. This was the occasion on violence committed a long time

something more than asking because after fifty years of patient demand they had decided to imitate the men and translate their energies into practical methods. In answer to those who woman is accepted in a deputation would counsel patience still she rewould counsel patience still she replied that the movement in England was old enough in matter of time durable was old enough in matter of time durable was only proposed in the demand was being women in the deputations were not ambittous to go to particular methods. In answer to those who is not over 21 years of age. I wish the laws of Canada were as as plied that the movement in England was old enough in matter of time durable was only proposed in their teens as in the demand was being women in the deputations were not ambittous to go to particular methods. In answer to those who is not over 21 years of age. I wish the laws of Canada were as as with upper and lower berth lights. Several rooms have portable wall lamps, Dortable radiators, and both the demand for woman sufficience. The demand for woman sufficience in the demand of the Los Angeles post-men were not ambittous to go to particular methods. In their teens is also untrue; that what you have sent of the storing of part of the oil to be read in newspapers about young girls in their teens is also untrue. No few least of the storing of part of the oil to be read in newspapers about young girls in their teens is also untrue. No of the woman were not ambitious to go to particular methods. In answer to those who is accepted in a deputation for the vessel the tanks solution to the vessel the tanks solution to the vessel the tanks solution to the woman were not ambitious to go to particular methods in their teens is also untrue; that where private members had few fights feet, but would seek to intend the provided as the provided with every confict the storing of particular members had few fights feet, but would as the laws out less few fights feet, but would as the intended as further the provided as few fights f ing which the demand was being the women are who are fighting. The to be granted. During that time the number of enfranchised men had grown from 750,000 to 7. 500,000 but women still remained not even "persons." Judicial decisions had declared them to be "persons." Judicial decisions had declared them to be "persons." Judicial decisions had declared them to be "persons." Where pains and penalties were concerned but not as to the exercise of rights and the women they saw the way their leaders.

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Deans Cameron. The curtain rang tooms being fitted with shaing partitions, card tables and extra seats. All As the steamer has been built on for five years. privileges. The first woman's suffrage were treated." society was formed in Manchester in Another method absolutely constitute early sixties by John Stuart Mill tutional was that of taking part in and among its most notable members every contested election, Mrs. Pankwas Jacob Bright, whom the women hurst said, referring presumably to believed to be a greater man than his by-elections. They worked against

history of the Reform Bill of 1832, to give votes to women and dangerous to refuse. They had done this so well that the government had absolutely lar bill through, efforts always defeated, she claimed, because the government had absolutely ment never gave the bill a chance to on the Irish Labor members. Mrs. the house, taking much valuable be considered. The Bright bill was a beaute whether she expected any succeeding to give votes to women and dangerous made away with \$440,000 worth of plunder a few days ago, says reports received to-day. They bound Mrs. Gillette to her bed. They then murdered the coffee grower and ransacked the considered. The Bright bill was a backed any succeeding the house, taking much valuable heaves one reading. The all settes whether she expected any succeeding tachment reunded up a score of ment never gave the bill a chance to be considered. The Bright bill was a considered of parliament relating to the qualification and registration of views whether she expected any succeeding the relating to the qualification and registration of views whether she expected any succeeding the registration of views whether she expected any succeeding the registration of views whether she expected any succeeding the registration of views when the some thought so unusual there must be a bequeathed a legary of 20,000 to be divided between any two plants of the Bendies and and which led uto these demonstrations so the prefer to be most deserving on considered by the prefer to be most deserving on considered when the franchise and did not say, however, however, however, however, however, however, however, and in the meantine a decrease of the considered whether she expected any succeeding the registration of the cause."

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was extended to agricultural laborers time was not far distant when the in the eighties, she said, Gladstone growth of population in the great killed a woman suffrage amendment cities would make this country feel by dragooning the Liberals who would the need of votes for woman. She have supported it into voting against went on to speak of the need of a it by threatening to abandon the whole healthy womanhed for the mother-

bill.

Generation after generation, she went on, the same arguments had been used and women had been asked to show their fitness—here the men got another Parthian shot in the aside that men never had to show fitness—before asking for the ballot. She continued:

"Workers are made to abandon the whole healthy womanhed for the mother hood of the future, the unhealthy and deteriorating surroundings of child and young female labor in the mills of the did land, the divorce laws, marriage laws affecting somen, the social question and similar subjects.

The men were given credit by the speaker for wonderful feats of engineering but in dealing with human

"Women canvassed for their rela- gineering, but in dealing with human tives and friends and taught men how beings, she said men had made a misto use the vote they could not get erable mess of it. Intelligent women to the men admitted that to-day realized that men had failed New Princess Finely Finished An illuminating History of tile themselves. The men admitted that the miserably in trying to do woman's these were exceptional women but that miserably in trying to do woman's the rest of them, the great majority work as well as their own. The men and Answered of them, could not be trusted with the ballot. So these exceptional women enough money and no time to attend

portunity of hearing Mrs. Pankhurst on her present visit.

Mrs. Pankhurst spoke for almost two hours, never at a loss for a word. Militant as she may be in methods she did not show it in her tones last night. She speaks clearly and distinctly but in the low-pitched and well-modulated tones of the educated Englishwoman, Oldham, the first martyr of the cause, portunity of hearing Mrs. Pankhurst on to describe what sasured that women, who had for so long experienced being outside, would not deprive their brothers of what tactics, beginning with the efforts to have first Premier Asquith and then Sir Edward Grey receive a deputation; proceeding to the questioning of the plucated Englishwoman, Oldham, the first martyr of the cause, capital was a so necessary for themselves. All have desired was to share the right.

Another questioner wanted to know if law-breakers should vote. Mrs. Pankhurst replied that there was a capital way.

tones of the educated Englishwoman, and uses hardly any gestures, for the greater part of the time standing with her hands behind her back, She smiles her hands behind her back. She smiles ther "so-called militant methods, which slightly at times as she recalls some were caused by repression." She evidently included in the term "repression." She evidently included in the term "repression." The fact that the newspapers would never be won. To one who suggested that the high-

of the police or turns a neat phrase at the police or turns a neat phrase at the expense of the government but generally she is grave-faced and carnest, looking out over her audience with the deep-set, dreaming eyes of the zealot. It had been only ministers who were asked questions that the close of her address that Mrs. Pankhurst showed herself at the best replying smartly to all in a manner that displayed long experience in meetings and thus defeated the wider publicity desired. It had been only ministers who were asked questions, she explained, but women had had their rights of free speech seriously interfered with by bands of young men and so they took up the methods of asked and Mrs. Pankhurst replied: "I

his allegations that men were paid to

Next came the deputations to a significant conductivity was the women an audience—and here Mrs. tutional right to petition the govern—assault on the Chancellor and could—pankhurst critically left her hearers to ment (representing the King) and not express an opinion, Mrs. Pankhurst

"I know some of us justify acts of sentative institutions for men, the demand was for full rights of citizenship, because through the vote "in countries that call their government representative" was the only means of securing remedy for grievances.

In Canada women were asking for votes; in England they were doing something more than asking because after fifty years of patient demand. sentative institutions for men, the de- which, the speaker said, she was first even to the taking of life. All I know

MURDERED BY BANDITS.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 21,-Bandits ourdered Frank Gillette, an American. on his large cones prainted the government candidate to make Morada, territory of Tepic, Mexico, and the government feel it was expedient made away with \$40,000 worth of

ALICE EMBODIES ALL LATEST INNOVATIONS

Off-Is Practically an Unsinkable Steamer

of them could not be trusted with the ballot. So these exceptional wome enough more and not time to attend to managing affairs. There was room the address would go Sack to able level of the trusted with the could go Sack to able level of the trusted with the could go Sack to able level of their class so that all might trisc to ester as entranchised women.

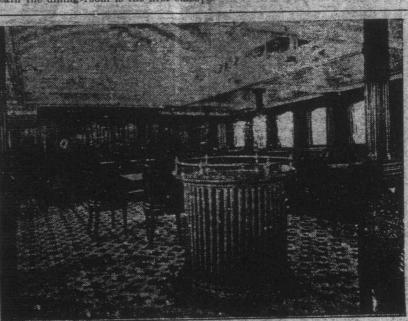
This brought the movement to the cause they could pay their election expenses, could speak well and training to come in and help men. She declared that legislators to day were cheered, because they could pay their election expenses, could speak well for their parts and could be trusted to follow the party leaders and you for their passenger accommodation empopie." Taxation without representation, is transition as she did here. There was by no means a large house, but considering the season and the fact that it was not a mass meeting it would be impossible to judge of the strength of the movement here from its size.

Mrs. Gordon Grant precided and surrounding the English suffrage list practical politics of the movement here from its size.

Mrs. Gordon Grant precided and surrounding the English suffrage leader on the stage were Mrs. Sportord, Mrs. Bromley-Jubb, D. Etta Denovan, Mrs. Baer, Miss Agues Deans Cameron, Miss Christopher, Miss Promley-Jubb, Mayor Morbor.

lower berths are convertible into

on the main deck aft is the diffing saloon, a handsome apartment panelled in benutiful Italian we have. A netteeable feature in this room is also the provision of specially large plate glass windows. The saloon is arranged with small tables, those at the sides being ensconced in bays. At the after end of the dining-room is the pantry, and behind that the galley. Undermeath the dining-room is the first-class pounds working pressure. The engine particularly fine lines and her engines have indicated as high as 4,390 horse-power, a good speed has been attained by the Alice. Her motive power consists of four Scotch bollers, 15 feet 7 inches outside diameter by 12 feet long, with three Morison furnaces 4 feet 1 inch diameter each. The total grate surface in all bollers is 330 square feet, and the heating surface 10,900. The boilers have been built and passed both board of trade and Lloyd's for 180 pounds working pressure. The engine



FIRST CLASS SMOKING ROOM

NEW C. P. R. STEAMER PRINCESS ALICE Which excells all other vessels of the fleet in magnificence. This photograph was taken when the steamer was undergoing her speed trials before leaving for Victoria.

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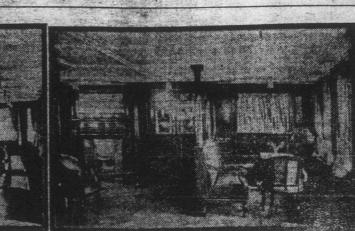


FIRST CLASS DINING ROOM

pressure, she averaged 155 revolutions per minute, and the average horse ower for the four hours was 4,280 Her draft of water was about 14 fee 2 inches, and as the weather was bad here being a fresh northerly wind a heavy swell, and the pitching and rolling, her speed was Richard Waugh, elected a few days slightly under 18 knots, but it is exted in the smooth waters here sh will show a better speed.

Alice Unsinkable.

Equipped with a cellular double bot om and seven watertight bulkheads, the Princess Alice is practically unsinkable. The officials of the C. P. R have made every arrangements to pro tect the lives of the travelling public Sufficient lifeboats, life-rafts, life-preservers and other life-saving device have been placed on the ship so that in case of accident it is almost impossible for a fatality to occur. In the double bottom of the vessel the tanks



OBSERVATION ROOM, SHOWING THE PLACE

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British Columbia Leads Provinces in Value of Its Catch -The Figures

The value of all sea fish caught an. landed by the fishermen of Canada during the month of October was \$1. 422,019. The catch included 165,029 cwts. of cod, 79,167 cwts. of herring, 72,313 bbls. of sardines, 62,865 cwts. of salmor, 45,258 cwts. of haddock, 22,625 cwts. of pollock, 26,416 cwts. of halibut, 17,471 bbls. of oysters, 15,229 cwts. of hake and cusks, 16,429 cwts. of mackerel, 2,278 cwts. of skates, 2,045 cwts. of smelts, 4,213 bbls. of clams, 1,030 cwts. of flounders, 987 cwts. of swordfish, 865 cwts. of tommy cod, 30 cwts. of alewives, 249 cwts. of soles, 73 wts. of albacore, 208 cwts. of crabs ockles and other shell fish and 2,507 bbls. of squid used for balt. .

Mrs. Bromley-Jubb, Dr. Etta Denovan, Mrs. Baer, Miss. Ague Deans Cameron, Miss Christopher, Miss Bromley-Jubb, Mayor Work Deans Cameron, Miss Cameron, Miss Christopher, Miss Rankburst William Cameron, Miss As was to be expected, the catch for

The statistics for the province are given for the northern division, the southern division and Vancouver Island. The value of the fish caught in the Island waters was \$59,825, including \$43,000 worth of salmon, \$4,200 of cod, \$3,866 of Berring, \$5,250 of hali-but, \$1,960 of oysters, \$625 of flounders, \$840 of smelts and \$84 of clams. The value of the fish caught in the southern division was \$560,484; and in the northern division \$4,770. Nova Scotia fishermen in the same

nonth caught fish worth \$517,306, heir fellows of New Brunswick to the alue of \$177,967, Prince Edward Island fishermen to the value of \$49,-195 and the Quebec fishers \$52,472.



WINNIPEG'S NEW MAYOR ago as chief executive of the Gateway City, together with a City Council almost entirely opposed to the purchase of the Winnipeg Street Railway from the Mackenzle & Mann interests on the terms suggested by them.

LAWYER CONVICTED.

Los Angeles, Dec. 21.-Fred H. Thompson, one of the best criminal lawyers in Southern California, vesterday was found guilty by a jury of having accepted \$15,000 from Orlando Altorre, a clerk in the money order department of the Los Angeles post-

year, one jury being discharged be cause of illness of one of their num ber. He was Altorre's attorney, and according to Altorre's testimony Thompson forced thousands of dollars from him by threats of throwing up his case.

"ADULTERATED" PAPER.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.-D ery by the congressional joint on printing that "adulterated" per had been used for years in the ernment printing office led to-day the announcement of a complete set of government paper standards. The paper adulteration was accomplished by the substitution of clay for the more substantial wood or rag fibres, leading to the grave fear that many of the printed records of government would crumble come unreadable in less than a cen-

DESERVATION ROOM, LOOKING FORWARD that bettle ste mente of the production CHILD IN ALWAYS AND CONTRACT CONTRACTOR OF TAIL