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a Safe Journey.

Continues-Another Conger Dispatch.

(Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 11 .- A special dispatch from Shanghai, dated Friday, August 10th, says the British consul-general replying to protests of the Chinese merchants against the landing of troops, explains that this is merely a precautionary measure, due to the fact that the

disturbances north are spreading and coming daily nearer to Shanghai, He also says Kiang Su is already in a state of revolt, and that at Ta Tung there has been serious rioting, the tele-

graph station being burned. The Russian government's permission to M. de Giers and his staff to leave

Pekin under Chinese guarantee, while the United States and other governments tell their minister to hold out till relieved, is the subject of much comment in London, where the supposed Russian designs are closely scrutinized.

A special dispatch from St. Petersburg attributes to Russia the intention to fill Manchuria with troops and not to let go of that territory when the present ebullition is over. The Russian

War office expects to have 142,000 men and 342 guns in Siberia by the end of September.

The total number of allies in the pro-Vince of Pei Chi Li is 38,000 with 114 10th, Tsi Nan) answering my message guns. The total by August 30th is expected to be 78,000 with 280 guns.

Appeal to the United States. Washington, Aug. 11.-The viceroys

of China, including Li Hung Chang, have addressed a request to the United States government to use its good offices with the powers to stop the landing of

interests of foreigners and maintain landing of troops will incite disorder.

Will Leave Pekin. Messenger to-day publishes the follow-

"The foreign office received a telegram to-day direct from M. de Giers, the Rus-

sian minister at the Chinese capital. The dispatch was evidently taken by a special courier to Tsi Nan from the capital

> of Shan Tung and was thence telegraphed on August 7th by the local Yamen. M. de Giers announces that the siege of the legations continues, the besieged still have some provisions left. The Chinese government proposes to transmit ministers' messages and that they leave Pekin. As the ministers had not sufficient guarantee they replied that they must

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receive the permission of their government before leaving the city." The Messenger then announces that the Czar's approval has been given for M. de Giers to start for Tien Tsin with

his entire staff and the marine guards, nese escort from Pekin. on conditions the existing government at Pekin and the Emperor afford them sure guarantee that the journey can be

undertaken without danger. At the same time M. de Giers is instructed to call attention to the heavy responsibility the Chinese government would incur should there be the slightest infraction of the inviolability of the

persons accompanying him to Tien Tsin. "Situation Desperate."

Washington, Aug. 11 .- The following dispatch, communicating an additional message from Mr. Conger, was made public this morning by the state depart-

"Canton, Aug. 11 .- Secretary of State, Washington, D.C.-Conger (date Aug. says that the legations are under siege by the Imperial soldiers. The situation been addressed to him by the department is desperate. The losses of the legations of state

is sixty killed and about one hundre wounded. There is some sickness, nevertheless the general health continues good. He concludes: 'Whatever may be the outcome, we will hold on indefinitely.' McQuade." It is believed that the date assigned arrived there all, well. The cable is

foreign troops at Shanghai. The state this dispatch by the consul refers to the signed by Dr. Hart, who is superintenddepartment received the communication file date when the message left Tsi Nan, ent of Methodist missions there.

ward in the mission of relief. The discussion with the President led order. The viceroys also urge that the to the determination to reply to the Conger message at once, and accordingly Secretary Root and Assistant Secretary Adee conferred on the terms of reply. St. Petersburg, Aug. 11 .- The Official The text was ready by 3 o'clock, and it

was forwarded late in the day. It was announced officially and positively that half. the message would not be made public. It was made plain, however, that the message was sufficiently guarded as not to increase the jeopardy of the United States minister in case the Chinese have access to the cipher. As to the terms of action has yet been taken.

the message, they are believed to make plain that the government will not ad vise, much less direct, that Mr. Conger leave Pekin under Chinese escort, when Force Under Col. Burroughs Defeats the minister had advised Washington that this would mean certain death Moreover, the reply doubtless lets the minister know that there is an unaccountable error in the statement of the Chinese government as conveyed to him

through the Tsung li Lamen, that the foreign government had charged repeatedly that the minister be sent out of Pekin under suitable escort. The government has assurances from

the other powers that they have not advised their representatives to accept Chi-It was officially stated at the close of the day that no further representations

have been made to the Chinese government since the Adee note of the 8th, and that none will be made until the Chinese government gives some indication of the attitude it will assume in complying with

or denying the demands of the United States. several defeats are still needed to clear While the state department is continuthe country south of the rebels. ing to dispatch messages to Minister

Conger upon the assurance of the Chinese government that communication is uninterrupted, it is doing so with com-

Judge Trout Hold that Mrs. Craven is paratively small hope of their delivery. This assertion was borne out to-night when Secretary Root said that there was no convincing evidence that any of the dispatches had really reached Minister Conger. This indicates that the minister had not given a direct and satisfactory. answer to any of the queries that have

Canadian Missionaries. Toronto, Aug. 10.-The Methodist mis-

sion board has received a cable from Hankow, dated August 10th, to the effect that all Canadian missionaries had

has been discovered. It was clumsily council has been provided that each apconceived. The ringleaders and all conplicant who proves to the satisfaction cerned are now under arrest." of the department of the interior that

London, Aug. 11 .- The Lorenzo Marhe staked the claim applied for prior to the 15th of November, 1897, be permitquez correspondent of the Daily Exted to receive an entry for 250 feet press telegraphs that President Kruger. frontage thereof in accordance with the n the course of an interview last Wedprovisions of the regulations in that benesday, said that the report that he intended to surrender was without founda-The report sent here from Vancouver tion. He declared that the war would

that the royalty has been abandoned in last a long time yet. the Yukon is not correct. A proposition "A Boer bulletin," continues the coris before the government to adopt export duty in place of royalty, but no respondent, "announces a big battle be-

FIGHTING IN ASHANTI.

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(Associated Press.)

FAIR'S MILLIONS.

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Senator's Money.

(Associated Press.)

Losses.

tween Lydenburg and Middleburg, in which the British had 500 killed and wounded. It also announces the capture by the burghers of Heilbron, Devillersdorp and Frankfort."

Boer reports via Lorenzo Marquez lately have proved worthy of little credence

The Pretoria plot is the theme of many editorials this morning. All the papers Bakwai, Aug. 11 .- A column of 700 decry the idea of treating the Boers too men, under Col. Burroughs, has returned leniently. "Examples, and stern exfrom Kumassi, having reinforced and reamples," says the Daily Mail, "are necrationed the fort for two months. The essary. Although we may not agree force attacked and destroyed three old with Sheridan's fierce maxim, 'Nothing stockades after a desperate bayonet should be left an enemy but eyes to weep charge, in which four officers and 34 nawith,' yet this was the conclusion of a tive soldiers were wounded and three not inhuman officer, who thoroughly unkilled. On the night of August 7th, Col.

derstood war." Burroughs attacked an Ashanti war It is rumored in Lorenzo Marquez, accamp near Kumassi, surprising and baycording to a dispatch to the Daily Teleonetting the enemy, Great numbers were graph dated yesterday, that Mr. Steyn slain without a gun being fired. A lieuhas committed suicide. tenant was killed and two men wound-

Boer Rumors

Other flying columns are going out and Pretoria, Aug. 10.-It is said that it is believed that the punishment in-Lord Methuen has arrested Gen. Dewet's flicted will not soon be forgotten, though march

> mor circulated by their leaders, that Lord Roberts is dying. Roberts, however, is now in excellent health, is displaying a wonderful energy and rides long distances daily.

DOMINION FINANCES.

Ottawa, Ang. 10.—The statement of revenue of the Dominion of Canada for the month of July, the first month of San Francisco, Aug. 11 .- Mrs. Nettie O. Craven has agin suffered defeat in the present fiscal year, issued by the dead.

her battle for the millions of the late Senator James F. Fair. A decision rendered by Judge Trout holds that she is not the widow of Fair, and is not entitled to any allowance from his estate. Judge Trout declared the pencil deeds and the alleged will, conveying to Mrs. Craven much of the late senator's estate, to be forgery.

William Young, baggageman on the all sources. The capital expenditure was A. H. & B. railway, was overcome by \$150,000, as against \$174,000 for July T. H. & B. railway, was overcome by ; heat on Thursday, dying in an hour. 1899.

Sir Chin Chen Lo, the Chinese minister to England, was the solitary member of the diplomatic corps who did not hold a lighted candle at the requiem mass for King Humbert in the Italian church on Thursday. Lord Salisbury seemed at home with his torch. The Duke of Devonshire looked thoroughly uncomfortable, perhaps having in mind the severe views of Lord Portsmouth and Wimborne. His Highness blew out his candle too soon and then looked sorry. It was noticed that the Chinese minister shook hands with all the diplomats except the Japanese minister.

"The American colony." as the fleet of white yachts flying the Stars and Stripes at Cowes is called, alone saved the historic yachting week from being a dismal failure. The Prince of Wales himself did all possible during the last two days to enliven the situation, but a Prince in mourning just nome from the funeral of his brother is not the liveliest merrymaker and Cowes hopes to wait many years before it sees a duller season.

CANADIAN BRIEFS.

(Associated Press.)

Toronto, Aug. 11.-Morris Goldstein, manager of a second-hand store at Queen street, west, died suddenly yesterday. A doctor was called in. His suspicions were aroused and on investigation found carbolic acid in the dead man's stomach. An inquest is to be held this afternoon.

Montreal, Aug. 11.-The steamship Lake Megantic brought 163 immigrants here to-day, 36 of whom were for the United States. They were not allowed to land at Quebec. Among the Lake Megantic's cabin passengers was Dr. Attes, the celebrated Greek explorer, with his bride, who has already made a tour of the globe on foot. Dr. Attes is now on another of his famous excursions. which is to be made in a motor car, starting from this city. Montreal, Aug. 11.-Wm. E. Sharpley,

head of the well known jewellery firm of Messrs, Rice, Sharpley & Sons, is

In view of the continuous rains that threaten to do damage, to the crops, Archbishop Bruchessi has authorized the priests of his diocese to make processions and public prayers for more favorable weather.

Halifax, Aug. 11.-Mrs. Richard Slat-tery fell from a four-story window this morning and was instantly killed. Her husband died in the hospital at Sydney, C. B., a short time ago. She leaves five children.

department to day, shows the revenue to be \$3,800,230, an increase of \$578,698 over July of last year. The expenditures were \$2,618,453, an increase of \$264,-

647 over the same time last year, there

being a betterment in the finances for

July of 1899. There was an increase

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ITALY'S NEW KING.

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Rome, Aug. 11.-King Victor Em-

During the ceremony of taking the

oath the King stood erect and pronounc-

ent broke out into loud acclamations,

take was discovered many American sol- General Barry: diers had been killed or wounded by the Russian shells. Part of the casualties to the 14th infantry was the result of the Russian fire. cellent. Will proceed to Taku on the

"As the Chinese fled the regiment en- Indiana. "Barry." tered and occupied one of the Chinese positions. A Russian battery some distance off did not notice the movement. It opened fire on the postion and planted shells among the American troops. The Russians were quickly notified and ceas-

ed their fire. The Americans captured FELL THROUGH A BRIDGE. the Chinese works. Their casualties are

70 altogether. Most of these are in Engine Driver Killed and Many Persons the 14th infantry. 36 40080

"The long march and the heat played havoc with the troops," continues the St. John, N. B., Aug. 10 .- This morncorrespondent, "40 per cent of the 9th ring's train from Chipman to Norton regiment being completely exhausted as broke through the trestlework of the a result of the march and the fight that 8 61 *** 1850 - 101 ** Senior - 101 ** followed. "The allied forces are resting at Yang or 80 feet into the gully below. Driver at an early date. The writer describes a rush forward on Pekin. The Chinese rison, fireman, probably fatally hurt; are demoralized by their defeats, and

no rest or chance to recover from their demoralization is to be given them by Mrs. Isaac Van B. Helpering, of Cody's, the allied troops."

Shelling the Legations.

Briarty, seriously hurt; Sectionman Ber-Tien Tsin, Aug. 6, via Shanghai, Aug. | nard, badly hurt. 13.-The army advarced 12 miles to-day. Two reliable couriers, who left Pekin on the 1st, arrived to-day at Tien Tsin. They say that the Empress Dowager fed | shattered to pieces on the rocks below. the foreigners for a few days. The for- Fortunately the passenger list was small, mer viceroy of Shan Tun, who is bit- for everyone on the train was injured.

terly anti-foreign, arrived with new troops, according to the couriers, and planted two batteries on the wall near the legations. The enemy began shell- manuel III. took the formal constitutioning, and opened a fierce rifle fire, which al oath to-day before parliament. The was kept up for two days.

The head of the missionary board with a party, while trying to get provisions, was killed. The army took Yang Tsun to-day. ed the words in a loud voice. As soon

They suffered heavily. The American as His Majesty had concluded, all presloss was small.

Reply to China's Appeal.

then read his address and the royal Washington, Aug. 13 .- The depart- party returned to the Quirinal through ment of state to-day made public the re- the still crowded streets, the people vigply of the United States government to orously shouting for and cheering the Minister Wu's communication, delivered part as follows: "My first thought is for on Sunday morning, notifying the de- my people, a thought of love and gratipartment of the appointment of Earl Li tude. The people who wept by the cas-Hung Chang as envoy plenipotentiary to ket of the King whom they loved are negotiate with the powers. This reply brought in close touch with me and they Sunday afternoon, and is as follows: Chang envoy plenipotentiary to conduct pices for my reign."

negotiations on the part of China with The burial of the remains of the late the powers, and the request for a cessa- King Humbert will take place at the gest that this would be intimidation. The the powers, and the request for a cessar Ring Rumbert will take place at the whole trouble arises out of the Steveston Britain. sion of hostilities pending negotiations, Pantheon at midnight Sunday. The in-strike, when the militia were orderd out. Britain. This government decided, however, communicated to Mr. Adee by Mr. Wu terment will be strictly private.

due to bad water and the number of "Nagasaki, Aug. 12.-Adjt.-General. Washington: Transport Sumner arrived flies and bad transportation facilities. He at this port on August 10th. No casualsaid the charges, to a large extent, are ties occurred. Health of command exuntrue. 112692

Invalided Canadians.

The Sumner carried a battalion of the Ottawa, Aug. 13.-It is understood one 15th infantry. The Indiana also will hundred and twenty invalid Canadians take aboard siege guns and Maxim field guns, which Gen. Chaffee requested, and will sail from Liverpool on the Beaver which Gen. Macarthur sent from Manila. liner Lake Ontario on Thursday. It will take about three days for the In-

COLOMBIA REVOLUTION.

Rebels Again Defeated With Heavy

Loss-May Attack Colon. (Associated Press.)

Kingston, Jamaica, Aug. 13.-There was heavy fighting last week south of Carthegena, Colombia, according to mail advices from Colon. The rebels lost negotiate for peace. The German press heavily and retreated. ... Letters from | coincides therein. bridge ion the Central railway at a place called Sargeson's bridge, ten miles from | Colon say the rebels were rallying and The news cabled here that the United Norton, King's county, and plunged 70 that an attack by them was feared there States is now desirous, of bringing about a clear diplomatic understanding Tsun for two or three days. Then it is Fohn Duncan was killed; William Mor- the suffering of people as very great. regarding the intended extent of the ex pedition is received by the foreign office One says that a disorder resembling bufavorably, since the aims of the United Frank Campbell, brakeman, fatally inbonic plague had developed at Panama. States, viz., the re-establishment of orjured; Conductor Ryan, badly cut; Rob-So many were killed in the last battle der, the awarding of damages to Ameriert V. Barker, of this city, leg broken; at Panama that some of the bodies had cans for injury and guarantees against to be burned. the recurrence of similar events, tally slightly injured, but her child received

THE OLD FEUD.

It is here surmised, however, that such Messrs, Martin and Bodwell Have Warm diplomatic negotiations will not meet the Words in Committee. approbation of Great Britain and Rus-

sia, whose enormous sacrifices in men There was a scene in the railway com- and money owing to the Chinese troumittee this morning, the old animosity bles seem indeed worth some equivalent. between Messrs, Martin and Bodwell Regarding what are considered here breaking out over some interruptions Great Britain's designs upon the Yang made by the latter while Mr. Martin Tse valley, particularly Shanghai, Gerwas discussing the Pacific Northern & many will not allow their realization,

Omineca railway. Mr. Martin insisted and in this France supports Germany, on the rule of committee being observ- and it is hoped the United States will ed which forbids counsel so interrupting do so, since such action contravenes and some warm words were used. Finalsenate chamber was hung with mourning ly, Mr. Bodwell was asked to withdraw draperies. The chamber was filled with to allow the matter to be disposed of in private. Upon his returning he was informed that the rule must not be infringed and the incident closed. The standing committee on agriculture

hai for that purpose and to protect Gerhad a sitting this morning, J. R. Anderman commercial interests in the Yang son, secretary of agriculture, being sum. Tse valley, notably at Shanghai and which lasted several minutes. The King moned as a witness. He was the only Han Joi. official examined.

THE STEVESTON STRIKE.

begging the United States to use its in new King. The King's address was in Militiamen Will Probably be Expelled fluence against the landing of British From Vancouver Trades and troops in the Yang Tse valley, was Labor Council, transmitted to the state department this

> (Special to the Times.) Vancouver, Aug. 13 .- There is a hot

serious consequences that would follow was sent to Minister Wu at 5 o'clock have demonstrated the racial foundation dispute on between labor unionists and the landing of a British force at Shangwhich a liberal monarchy has in the the militia. Prominent labor men said hai, and represented that the prepara-"Memorandum-Touching the Imperial country. From these manifestations of this morning that on Friday the Trades tions already made had caused a panic edict of August Sth, appointing Li Hung sorrow, I draw the most favorable aus- and Labor Council will take action to ex- among the resident Chinese and would pel all their militiamen members, num- paralyze commercial activity in that bering about 50. Military officers sugpart of the empire almost as much as a

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allied forces in China-the United thrown in every direction. Only States and Japan unreservedly, and Pullman car remained on the track. The Great Britain conditionally on all the cars were nearly all thrown into the mud other powers agreeing to the appoint and water of the Lacasine Bayo. The trestle was completely demolished Railment. road men on the train declare it was the The German Policy

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the British schemes there. The cor-

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China's Appeal.

Washington, Aug. 11.-The memorial

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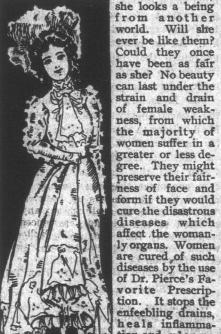
the German programme.

Berlin, Aug. 11 .- The belief still premost complete smash-up they ever saw, On board the train were about 130 peovails here that the allied forces have ple, and the fact that only one, a boy, not undertaken the Pekin advance, and was killed, is beyond explanation. Mrs. that the recent actions at Pei Tsang M. Shattina, the boy's mother, was seriand Yang Tsun were solely meant to ously hurt on the head secure the strategic tenure of Tien Tsin against the Chinese troops sent from

MILLMEN ON STRIKE.

dominates both railroad and river com San Francisco, Aug. 13 .- The Millmunications. The military authorities men's Union, backed by the Building bere also maintain that an advance Trades Council, to-day began in earnest upon Pekin with the present forces and its fight for an eight-hour day. A strike lacking one officer in chief command has been ordered and the strength of would be equivalent to failure and enorthe movement will soon be known. The mousy losses. The foreign office wholly union men ask for the same pay for eight distrusts the reliability of the news that hours as it is now given for hine hours. Li Hung Chang has been empowered to The millmen say they cannot grant the demand and meet eastern competition.

> How Will She End? Just budding into womanhood, so freah, so fair and fine that we turn to watch her as she passes, she trips along the street a picture of health and beauty. Among the passing crowd of worn and wrinkled women,



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caine or other narcotic.

last few weeks were blown to pieces and burnt. Also, the officers' kits were destroy. ed by mistake, g M. J. B. Following this letter came another containing the news of Capt. Blanchard's death:

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Rhenoster River, June 19, 1900. Dear Mr. Blanchard:-I enclose a letter which I wrote for your son and my officer and patient, Lieutenant Blanchard. It is with deep regret that I have to report to you that he has passed away. I cannot express my feelings now as I feel like a ship without a rudder now that poor Mr. Rlanchard is dead. You will see by the letter which he dictated to me and which he himself signed, that he was as plucky as ever, even though he was in great pain. It is useless meattempting to describe the whole business. I can only say that the Boers cocped up one hundred and fifty-two officers and men of different regiments in coodeval station, 32 miles north of Kroonstad (Q. R. C.) They sent in a messenger o ask us to surrender, but Capt. Grant of the Cornwalls said "No." Then they started to shell us, first with one gun. gradually increasing the number to five. We could not reach them with our rifles. but held out, until shortly after mid-day (we started at 5:45 a. m.), and then sur-

rendered. Mr. Blanchard was hit (before we hoist ed the white flag) in four places, and lingered on until 5:30 a. m. on the 15th, when he died in the Yeomanry field hospital, 15 miles from Kroonstad. He was buried in Kroonstad military

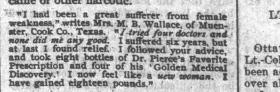
cemetery with full military honors, and well deserved them. At the time he was hit he was standing without cover and with his face to the enemy; more can not be said for any man. I did my best to pull him through, but it was not to be. He was cheerful until the last, and took his misfortune like a man, insisting on the other wounded being attended to first, and never thinking of himself.

If I am able, on my return to Canada. to call upon you and give you any more details, or if you want any more information from me, my address is Private E. N Hughes, A Company, Royal Canadian Regiment, or care of R. B. Hughes, Winnipeg. You will excuse my rather vague and rambling note, when you consider I have been with him since the beginning of the march from Pardeberg till the finish. Most of his kit and personal effects were taken by the Boers, but a few of his things I have saved, and handed over to our store tion and ulcerakeeper and to Lieutenant Kaye. Colone Otter will, no doubt, arrange all his af fairs out here to your satisfaction, and ing-down pains. strengthens the send his things out to you. nervous system, and restores the gen-Yours respectfully, E. NORMAN HUGHES. eral health. It contains no opium, co-

LT.-COL. STONE RESIGNS. (Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Aug. 13 .- The resignation of Lt.-Col. Stone; inspector of artillery, has been accepted. Stone claimed precedence over all colonels of the Canadian militia

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Spruit. 119190 Armed Only With Martini Rifles, While Boers Had Mausers and Artillery.

How Private Waldie Escaped From the Burghers-Shot Two Dead.

(From the Toronto Globe.)

dian Mounted Rifles.)-The Canadian Mounted Rifles are at the moment scat-<text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text> tered along the failway track. Colonel tered along the failway track. Colonel odd who had been prisoners for so many Lessard with B Squadron and what re- weary months, and whose dramatic re-

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A Desperate Pursuit. But the fact is their horses were done line came rattling down about our ears.

as they drew close enough to their tween us and Kroonstad, and the tele- a sad wreck of it. They still continued

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Inglis was shot through the thigh, but shut his jaws and clung to turned a decisive No, and the Boer loped round to the left. A few of our me Capt. Blanchard's his horse. In the same volley or subse- back. who had been thrown out in that direc quent ones Corp. T. R. Miles, Private We were certainly in for it. Col. Bul-information of the same voires of the Thirty-Mile river, and to have the advantage of the benefits that er, June 19, 1900. Aspinall' and Private Burney were lock knew that the foe had one piece of riflemen. Two of them attempted to run blame for sending off these men, with breeze to indicate that here the 60th -I enclose a letter Aspinall and Frivate burney were for artillery at least-perhaps more. They in for shelter and the big gun took up obsolete rifles, black powder, cart- degree of north latitude is reached, and son and my officer their saddles until their comrades could were sure to be armed with Mansers. He the game. A shrappel burst in the air Blanchard. It is help them into camp. They had taken knew that we had no artillery, and that above them and they seperated. A lithave to report to help them into camp. They had taken knew that we may the intervence the present in the obsolete martini, with the obsolete Martin d away. I cannot ow as I feel like a mark for the enemy as possible. As its limited range and black powder. Col. Just then his master fell and lay ther. it was liable to be attacked again? I here on they are constantly at our elnow that poor Mr. they 'neared the camp therefore' each Bullock's first idea was to bring the train The puppy ran ap curiously and licked suppose that the answer is that in oper- bows. On the train, on the steamer, at on will see by the man found himself pursued by a little down to the camp where the Canadians his face unrebuked. "They've done for ating this vast war machine a cog is d to me and which group of the enemy." Private Waldie, and Shropshires were. These were with- him," we all exclaimed. His companion, bound to slip occasionally. This was cowboy-hat and riding boots are omnihe was as plucky was in great pain old man Waldie, as he is called, saw out big guas, but they had a stronger po- reached the veranda utterly blown and certainly one of the slips, and we doubtting to describe the that his horse was titterly exhausted. sition, and having been some time there mortal terror expressed in every feature. less owe it to Col. Bullock that another only say that the and that two bearded burghers' were had entrenched their camp. The locomo- The gunner even trained on the house unpleasant paragraph has not to be civil government. At this point to overtaking him at a hand-gallop. Well, if he had to die, he determined to do it battling. He is a noted shot, and trust-ed to his skill to see him through. He indred and fifty-two overtaking him at a hand-gallop. Well, fferent regiments in iles north of Krooned to his skill to see him through. He were thousands of Boers in that direc-sprang from his horse, and threw him- tion the engineer in his alarm exagger-in the see that missed the engine, got alive, who had already been in the another sprinkling of the internal cays enemy's hands for months, were again to law and order, even by those who sent in a messenger but Capt. Grant of self flat on the ground. The man-hunt-r ating the numbers. There was nothing ers did likewise, and Waldie found he for it therefore but to defend the posi-Then they rst with one gun, could not get a shot at them. The Boers tion we had with our antique, weapons, e number to five. ance company would think of their risk encloses his captive war-eagles. I have were in no hurry, but Waldle was, for and trust that the message to Kroonstad if they could see it now. In the battles already intimated that a few of the men the price of all commodities soar skyhem with our rifles, he knew that his pursuers were likely would bring us aid. No time had been ortly after mid-day to be reinforced at any moment. He lost in throwing out a skirmish line and accordingly rose up to give them a good in digging a few shallow pits in a semim.), and then suropportunity, and they had to rise to aim circle on the east side of the track, the it (before we hoist ger. Here we could imagine the feel- column, capturing town after town, and our places, and lin-They blazed away, but that side from which attack was threatened. at him. . on the 15th, when was the last shot they will ever fire, for The earth was as hard as South African ry field hospital, 15 Waldie shot both men dead as neatly as soil usually is, and not much progress a good sportsman picks out a couple of was made in trench digging before the felt that the thin board house was a ing mealie pap and reading The Stand-Kroonstad military partridges out of a covey. He remount- firing began. The hostile riflemen had mark for the enemy it was useless to, and and Diggers' News, with its conilitary honors, and step outside, for there were hundreds of, stant accounts of battues of Britishers, ed his horse and was able to help two of posted themselves, both in front and on rifles just yawning for a chance at a omitting to explain how it was that, in his wounded comrades into camp the left flank, so that trenches which had hit he was standing Waldie has had enough misfortunes been constructed either parallel to or at h his face to the to kill two ordinary men, but he is still right angles to the track had soon to be said for any man. the iron determination of the Colonel neve, on the very town in which it was pub-er to surrender, began to waver. Could we lished, the last number announcing the alive to discuss them. He was one of abandoned, for no one could lie in them l him through, but the unfortunates who made their way and live. But the rifle-fire was only the er to surrender, began to waver. Could we was cheerful until endure this till dark, still three deathful surrender of the town to this astonishing to the Klondike by the Edmonton route, prelude to a more stormy terror. By misfortune like a and got both feet badly frozen on the half-past eight the enemy had got their ther wounded being hours away? journey. He recovered from that and two 15-pounders in position, and began never thinking of joined this expedition. When the the liveliest shelling that anybody among British Guns Heard, Pomeranian arrived at Capetown he fell, the besieged had experienced turing the off the deck on the dock. He was hn- course of the war. Col. Bullock soon say What was that? A deep-mouthed best case to represent British valor, no return to Canada, double boom was heard away off to the one can deny that inspired by their comve you any more deon saw conscious for six weeks and was con- the fatuity of firing the Martinis. They more information south. Were the enemy blowing up mander and his officers, they fought a fined for a long time in the hospital. He other portions of the line? or was it discouragingly uphill fight, held the prois Private E. N could reach neither the gunners nor the eventually joined his battalion, and re-Royal Canadian Regithe British guns from Kroonstad? The perty of which they had been put in riflemen, and the black powder smoke mains a good enough man to perform the Hughes. Winnipeg only served to show the artillerists where feat of Friday. Mark's rather vague and one allowed himself to believe it, ex-, the sort of game you like, Mr. Boer. You the journey. we were. He accordingly issued an orcept for one blissful moment. But why can stand off there peppering us to your If any of your readers has ever rid- hoea Remedy was highly recommended Boers Turn Tail. ou consider I have der that our men should only fire in case In the meantime the men in camp the enemy came to close quarters, in an he beginning of the were apprised of what was going on, attempt to rush the position. Indeed, till the finish. Most effects were taken and sallied out to the assistance of some of the Martinis became practically few of his things I their comrades, and a third Boer met useless. In many of them the shells had d over to our sto his death from their fire. This is not to be shoved out with the ramrod and nant Kaye. Colonel the sort of game that Oom Paul's boys like to play, and they turned tail and others jammed so that the breach would arrange all his afur satisfaction, and not close again. So there they lay, makfled. They were not able even to caring no reply to the pinging bullets that ry away their dead, as is their custom. played such deadly tunes about them, The Boer losses have generally to be ORMAN HUGHES. and the bursting bombs, whose varied never occurred to him for a minute to the planet. guessed at. On theis, occasion the Canadians were enabled to be sure of three projectiles struck every note in the imitate our example. I have no doubt NE RESIGNS. gamut, from the deep bass of the angular at any rate, for they buried them. he thought we were the stupidest lot of When noses were counted the folsegments to the whistle of the roundrooineks he had ever come across to enthe Times.) -The resignation of lowing was found to be the casualty list: Killed-Corporal, Morden, Pincher leaden pellets. dure the death storm that had beat on ant taste and prompt and permanent tor of artillery, has us for eight hours for the mere foolish "cures, have made it a great favorite with A Trying Situation. reason that "not through us should Eng-Creek; Pte. Kerr, Pincher Creek, and claimed preced It was certainly a situation to try the he Canadian militin, land come to shame." Sergt. Pattison, MacLeod. stoutest hearts, and it need not be con-The guns and their escort, the Mid- toria and Vancouver. he could not get. Wounded-Lieut." Inglis, Calgary, cealed that when about noon the boomto his regiment in Corp. T. R. Miles, Pincher Creek, Pte. dlesex Yeomanry and the 17th Lancers, Aspinall and Pte. Burney. ing and cracking and blasting and ven- our saviours pursued the retreating omous humming ceased, and our friend burghers, and it was an amazingly ter county by the discovery of what is Missing-Pte. Vernon, Pte. Bell, Pte. on the loping horse, with the white flag, pleasing sight to see our shells burst- thought to be a case of leprosy. The vic-Ermatinger and Pte. Hobbins. Sergt. Pattison was first put among came in again there were hopes in many that unholy mixture which we call tim is a man 21 years of age.

No Surrender.

the missing, but his body was subse- hearts that the Colonel would surrender. war. The Boers' horses are in better quently found on the kopje, his fall not The English spirit burned low in the condition than ours, he has unrivalled having been observed. Vernon and hearts of some of these lads. All of knowledge of the country he is operat-Hobbins, it is believed, got into Kroon- them had been months in the hands of ing in and he generally gets away. In stad. Bell and Ermatinger are believed the Boers, some of them as much as this case the shades of evening helped be in the hands, of the enemy. eight months, fed on mealie pap, and him and he got away: Ermatinger is a son of Judge Ermat- broken with that deferred hope that

inger of St. Thomas. The only satisfac- maketh the heart sick. Fifty per cent. tion our men had was that they had of them were fitter for the convalescent. In the meantime we had begun the

But while this was enacting another onel Bullock was quite aware of the un- surgeon, was on the train. He is a drama was unfolding itself at Honing equalness of it. Indeed, he had made splendid fellow-young and active. As Spruit station, some three miles away. up his mind that there was to be a great soon as it was seen that an engagement A train left Pretoria on Wednesday killing, but he hoped that something was imminent he took up his quarters morning, June 20th, its chief passengers would come from Kroonstad, twenty in the house of a Jewish storekeeper being 400 men sent down under Colonel miles away, in answer to that message, Bullock of the Devons to guard Hon- flashed there almost as the wires were ing Spruit, a station which hed been being cut. It had been received all' centre of the fire, and a shell did plungealready attacked by the enemy. The right, for Kroonstad had replied "O.K." through the wall during the afternoon, men under Colonel Bullock were of vari- If he could even stand them off till dark ous regiments-the Lancash're Fusiliers, it would give the whole night for the the Northumberland Fusiliers, the West arrival of aid. Could we endure this Yorks, the 2nd Lancashire, the Con- mishandling till night. Those who saw i naughts, the Royal Irish Rifles, the Colonel Bulock's face when he told the Wilts, the Goucesters, the King's Roy-al Rifles, the Devons, the King's Own, the Commandant to "Go to Hades," saw the good woman's sheets. Two of the the good woman's sheets. Two of the largest. In the pioneer days of '87 the low water at Caribou this year is due

The Colonel's Example.

have all got clear away, for even a boer, as the transvant and ortange. The shrapnel, and men began to roll over in sharpshooter connet, make good practice Colony railways are now called. The their mortal agony. They had been payshrapnel, and men began to roll over in ing occasional attention to the engine the bridge the telegraph wires along the and water tank all day, but failed to plant a shell on either, although one

Bennett to

BANGAR AND IN PROPERTY AND

VICTORIA TIMES, TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1900.

The Mourful Task.

Story of Gallant Stand Made by killed as many of the enemy as the ward than for the battlefield. The fight mournful duty of gathering up the dead Lake Bennett, the River and Adwas a pitiably unequal one-there seem- and wounded. By the merest chance ed nothing for it but to give up. Col- Dr. Cheatle, Lord Roberts's consulting within a few yards of the station. It was not a good place, for it was in the but there was no choice. All the other buildings were subject to the same objection.' He had no stores, but he made a Geneva flag out of a pillow slip, with Kroonstad, June 28.—(With the Cana-ian Mounted 'Rifles.)—The Canadian Jounted Kifles are at the moment scat-tounted kifles are at the

A list of the dead and wounded may not he uninteresting, even to colonial readers:

Killed-Major H. DeC. Hobbs, West Yorks: Pte. Levett, 2nd Lancashire Fu-After a ten days' st

and there narrow streams have cut deep White Horse channels through the sand and gravel, jacent Country Graphically Described. The Ride on the First Train to White Horse-How a Lake

Was Lowered.

(Special correspondence of the Times.) Lake Bennett is a magnificent sheet of

some of these "veyagents provide from selves, to administer to their personal comforts are interesting and instructive. To "live well" on the trip was evident

up and spur them as they would the Singularly enough the enemy was some enemy easily gained on them. As soon what slow in cutting communication be-as they draw close enough to their tween us and Kroonstad, and the tele-as ad wreck of it. They still continued enemy easily gained on them. As soon as they drew close enough to their quarry half the burghers would dis-mount, and taking steady aim throws a volley into the ratreiting Canadian lads, immediately remount and continue the chase those who had remained in the No Surrender.

shipping point for all steamers down the charming afternoon, the delightful trip river, the terminus of the railway from Skagway. With all this in its favor, it should be a good point, providing always that the railway does not go farther and ful expectancy of continued pleasant exfar enough to avoid the delays in the periences in the journey ahead of us. carly spring at Lake Lebarge, the dan-Half way down the lake is an island on gers of the Thirty-Mile river, and to would accrue at a point where navigation opens earlier than at White Horse. Selkirk is the limit to where the road Yakon Territory. We are now in the can be extended under its present char-

gradually reducing in velocity as the water level of the outlet is reached. To drain a body of water covering thousands of acres in extent, and in some spots 75 feet deep, would seem almost impossible. This was accidental rather than intentional. The builders of the road in order to avoid an expensive detour around the lake determined to lower the lake three feet, if possible, but so soon as the capacity of the outlet was increased the sand and gravel offered very little resistance to the everincreasing volume of water, and in an incredibly short space of time the lake was gone. A man who had seen the whole thing told me that towards the end it was a wonderful sight to see the millions of Arctic trout rushing hither water 28 miles long; it drains a very and thither to keep in deep water, and the brilliant red of a Kaffir's blanket large area of country and is fed by nu- that in spots they could be found lying water route to Dawson commenced here. in any way to this rush of sand and rective assistance, and the Geneva cross is such a pleasant thing to be under that the had only to speak to obtain a large staff of recruits. But he did not speak. The bardships and tribulations of the passes over. new difficulties faced the argonauts; boats, rafts or scows had to be falled and the bard to be falled and the best water this being the first favorable spot for silting, is not for me to say. But the millions of yards of gravel which have been displaced must have found a

months ago a magnificent sheet of water

covering a very large area, was to-day

a large area of sand and gravel; here

To "live well" on the trip was evident in many cases, whilst in others "pork and beans" and coffee would be the and beans" the whole trip. The next day was an ideal one, and we proceeded to make a survey of the new city. We were most fortunate for new city. We were most fortunate for

son, N. Fusiliers; Pte. Partington, K. O. L. Lancashires; Pte. Spencer, South down caused us to soon forget the ex-Lancashires; Pte. Sweeny, South Lan- | tartionate drayman and our enforced decashires; Pte. Clelland, Middlesex; Pte. lay. We were soon filled with a delight-Harrie, K.R.R.

Who Was Responsible ?

ridges and no guns, without stretchers we cross from British Columbia to the or medical supplies, to defend a point As soon as the dividing line is crossed we had been through when the projec- were discouraged at the inequality of wards. A smokeable Havana is 50c.

now, and as we hunted the steward to satisfy a longing for a little "Special and soda" that had unconsciously crept over ings of the rat when the housewife's trap' seeing president and dopper alike take us, we found that the size of the glass closes down on him. There was no es- to their heels. They had not quaffed decreased in inverse proportion as the cape. Death was everywhere. If you the wine of success. They had been eatneedless to say we are prejudiced against liquor permits.

After a pleasant run we reached Caribon-a sandy tract. Whilst train arrangemoving figure. Even those of us who in spite of these overwhelming disasters, ments were being completed we had the earlier part of the day had admired, the hated rooinek was rapidly advancing, time to go over and pay a visit to our old friend, Mr. M. King, whom we found "busy as a bee," his sawmill working overtime and a large number of scows army, which was constantly advancing under course of construction, and a big summer's work ahead of him.

in the fact of annihilation. Yet in spite of the fact that they were not in the To get a seat in the train was next to impossible; the ladies had first choice medicines. Last summer my little daughand after that a scramble for the remainder. It is on such occasions that We thought she would die. I tried avoirdupois counts; the lack of it compelled me to take all the comfort I could latter was too good to be true, and no charge by simply saying: "Yes, this is in an upright position for the whole of

is the rifle fire slackening? Why, for heart's content. We can't reach you or den an a "first through train," and for and sent and got a bottle at once. It fully five minutes, has no bird of flame , do you any hurt, but to take this train ten miles on a road on which the ties proved to be one of the very best mediand death lighted the air? Again you have got to come within range of and rails have only just been laid, they cines we ever had in the house. It saved that deep-mouthed double boom. "By these old blunderbusses, and we heartily will know what the sensation is like. In an anxious God, is it the British guns," exclaimed invite you to come and do it." But he The first twenty miles was comparatively a Tommy fervently. It was not pro- didn't, and he ran like a yellow dog at fanity-it was a prayer. The enemy the first bark of that blessed old bull- on and keep upright was not an easy first it would have saved me a great deal had heard it as soon as we did and was dog from Kroonstad. Railway travel task. Of course this condition is only already busy in limbering up his two, in the Orange River Colony just now is temporary, and the division crews will war dogs, getting ready to trek. It one of the most exhilarating sports on soon make a perfect roadbed of it. JOHN A. EWAN. Pioneers must expect to get a jolt occa- Henderson Bros., wholesale agents, Vicsionally. From Caribou to White Horse, toria and Vancouver.

The soothing and healing properties of and through a level country, thickly tim-"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its pleasthe people everywhere. For sale by Henderson Bros., wholesale agents, Vic-

Alarm has been occasioned in Glouces-

We walked up the river for two miles and saw White Horse rapids and two every landing place the scarlet tunic, scows piloted through. The whole thing was done so quickly that it nearly took present. The manifold duties in which our breath away. One thing is certain, they are engaged covers every branch of sit takes consummate skill and cool judg

> Since that date Capt. McMaster has piloted the steamers Bailey, Clifford, Sifton, Nora and Zelandion (late Reaper) safely The latter had a slight mishap. not very great. Capt. McMaster seems to charm every steamer when he takes control; he is the swift water steamboat captain par excellence on the Yukon.

The railway on the west shore on Lake Bennett was graded in many places and very little work remained to be done excepting to tie and iron the road, and to construct the bridge at Caribou. The 15th of August ought to see the train running through from Skagway to White Horse.

How much further it will be sunning on August 15th, 1901, I would give a great deal to know.

CHARLIE VARDEN.

A MOTHER TELLS HOW SHE SAV-ED HER LITTLE DAUGH-TER'S LIFE.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with ter had the dysentery in its worst form. everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by an advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrfor every mother to know what an excelon and keep upright was not an easy first it would have saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering. Yours truly, Mrs. Geo. F. Burdick, Liberty, R. I. For sale by

Lord and Lady Mount Stephen go to

there, but for miles through an undulating, park-like country. The speed aver-aged eight miles an hour; twelve months from date it will be run in one and a half hours. About midway between Caribou and About midway between Caribou and White Horse you come to a spot which is of very great interest. The lake tkat was, as a co-traveller called it, twelve

hered in places, sandy stretches here and | Bombay in October to visit the Norththere, but for miles through an undulat- cotes. They will then make an extensive

40 miles, the line runs in a straight line

BOER TREACHERY.

slow, dogged nature could be made to

comprehend the fact that the magnanim-

The discovery of the plot to assassinate the commander-in-chief of the British army and his staff lends force to the contentions of those who have consist-The Dominion government has doubled ently maintained that the Boers are not so constituted as to be capable of comrelief, and when the commission which prehending magnanimity or generosity. is to be appointed to ascertain the exact The history of Britain's dealings with state of affairs reports to the govern-Oom Paul and his people cannot be read ment as to public opinion in this without implanting the impression that province and the conditions which Chithe Boer nature is incapable of undernese competition is producing, then the standing the views of life of those who members of parliament in the East will appreciate honor and uprightness and have no reason for contending that there straight dealings in all things. Residents of the Cape have held that the is no evidence of the necessity for more only way in which the dull wits and stringent exclusion laws.

YUKON ADMINISTRATION.

ity of the British was not occasioned by We are prepared to admit that the fear of the warlike qualities and the prowess of the burghers was to execute people of the Yukon country have grievsummary justice on those who had been ances. They will have them as long as caught red-handed in rebellion. These they are compelled to pay for the high advocates of stern measures were not cost of the administration of that territory and for the maintenance of order listened to then, nor will they be now. but conspiracies of the character of that along the lines that we like to see in just reported are not calculated to en- force in all parts of the Dominion. But courage the commander-in-chief in the we understand that all the objections policy which he has hitherto pursued of that are taken to the laws and regulaaccepting as truth all the professions of tions under which the territory is govloyalty of those who surrender to the erned are to be placed before the Otvictors. If steps are now taken to tawa government, and our friends in the sternly repress the guerilla and other north may rest assured that their contactics which the Boers are being en- tentions will receive careful consideracouraged to persevere in by their friends tion and that all unjust exactions and on the continents of Europe and Ameroppressive laws will be removed or abroica the blame must be placed in the pro- gated. We scarcely comprehend the neper quarters. Oom Paul commenced the cessity of raising a fund of \$50,000 for war and it is the determination of those the purpose of giving an object lesson ing section, that the enemy has been recasion it is the intention that there shall be no possibility of missapprehension. When the work is finished South Africa will be British from Capetown to the Congo State. Then there will be no sur-reptitious importation of arms, and when the to institute incuries of the state there will be no sur-reptitious importation of arms, and when the to institute incuries of the state there will be no sur-reptitious importation of arms, and when the to institute incuries of the state there will be no sur-reptitious importation of arms, and when the to institute incuries of the state there will be no sur-reptitious importation of arms, and when the to institute incuries of the state there will be no sur-reptitious importation of arms, and when the to institute incuries of the state there will be no sur-reptitious importation of arms, and when the to institute incuries of the state of the stat real freedom and responsible government have to institute inquiries of the ward ast great exploit of this doughty war, ours, many gossips founded on what is are bestowed upon the people there will Pacific breezer, that fan these western rior, which shows that in spite of the very doubtful. I have heard myself peobe no inducement to' rebel, for their shores ald full explanation of this statefriends who emigrate to the United ment will be found in the report of an States will tell them that on no part of | interview our representative at Ottawa the earth will greater liberty than they had with Judge Dugas a few days ago. enjoy under the British flag be found The Yukoners desire representation in Parliament and several other rights and ANTONIA CONTRACTOR DESCRIPTION

CHEAP LABOR.

sympothy and accord. The first they will get in due time. There are pre-We have perplexing economic problems to selve in British Columbia, but we are scribed forms which must be gone not alone nor even singular in that real through in this country, just as there spect. The question of cheap labor are in the United States, before certain seems to be agitating nearly the entire boons can be granted. The representaseems to be agitating nearly the entire world, and just as soon as one phase of decennial census. Preparations are now

the question appears to be finally dis- being made for one to be taken next. posed of a more distracting feature pre-year, and if our American friends really sents itself. So it will probably continue desire the privileges for which they are until the millenium arrives or until the so clamorous they will comply with all great final catastrophe which will solve the conditions, such as naturalization, forever, not only the labor problem, but etc., which in this country and the the mystery of life. Here we are pro-United States must precede admission testing against the competition of Oriento full citizenship. At the present time, tals; in other parts of the world cheap it may not be amiss to state, the Yukon female labor is looming up as the bug- is not by population entitled to reprebear of the male workman. In the West we are practically unanimous that the Chinaman and his methods should be confined within the limits of Cathay, and yet when we come to examine into the total population of the Klondike counmatter thoroughly all candid men will try is but 16,463, 4,555 of whom are admit that the immediate deportation of British subjects and about 3,500 are en-Cheap John from the country might pos- titled to vote. Not one of these is dissibly bring results which should be care- franchised at the present time, and if fully contemplated before we take irre- those who are so loud in their denunciavocable measures for his perpetual ban- tions of taxation without representation ishment. Perhaps the industries in which will take the trouble to qualify in the the Chinese are principally employed usual way they will have just as much would not be killed by legally debarring voice in the government of the country the Mongolians from taking part in them as their neighbors. The people of this in any capacity whatever, but there is country have their own views as to the no doubt of the possibility of their being measures necessary to make permanent seriously crippled, and in the interests and law-abiding the population of any of those who have invested their money part of it, and they are not to be moved therein such a thing is not to be con- in the slightest by the incendiary appeals templated without misgivings. The sal- and threats of those who at the present mon canners have to compete in the time have no sympathy with the methods British market with the products of canneries in the United States, where cheap labor is employed, principally Chinese. we believe. At all events, those Eastern gentlemen come down in great numbers from Alaska in the autumn when the fishing season is at an end. It is no doubt true that the great wealth of our rivers and seas would not be allowed to go to waste for any great period of time even if the present arrangements were upset on the instant, but if by accomplishing the same object gradually we can abate the evil without serious injury to any one, surely such a course should be satisfactory to all reasonable men. Mr. Turner says the canneries cannot be conducted without cheap labor, and all the other gentlemen interested in that industry are of the same opinion. It is said that if men could be secured at Eastern rates the matter could be speedily settled. That assertion has often ben made, but as long as Chinamen are employed almost exclusively in any calling white men will never be found alongside of them. Once the yellow man is · removed his place will soon be filled by a more desirable class-by men who have in the press and otherwise. an interest in the country and who will contribute not half but the whole of the wealth they produce for its permanent enrichment. All that has been said about developing this country, what we have missionaries in China. The Mikado evicanneries applies to other industries in done in the way of promoting trade, this province. Our public men, Dominion and Provin-

cial, have now been made aware of the successfully settled, one of those dancial, have now been made aware of the successfully settled, one of those dan-fact that the people are in earnest in gerous and burning questions divid- Affairs in this matter. The provincial legislature ing religious denominations of one is of one mind as to the menace that kind from religious denominations of hangs over the province on account of another, dividing race from race, setwhat has been called the yellow peril. ting province against province-we have settled that, and settled it so successfulthe head tax as a measure of temporary | ly that I do not believe to-day in Manitoba that either party takes the slightest notice of the former discussion and dispute over the separate schools in that region. We have shown that we, at any rate, believed in the unity of the Em- The Baseless Charges Against pire, and we have done more in the way of developing a wholesome Imperial sentiment between Great Britain and her colonies than has been done by all the talk, all the bluster, all the jingoism, with which this place and others resound-

ed for the last twenty years. When we gave a specific preference to English manufacturers we showed that the Liberals were prepared to do what Conservatives had only been prepared to talk departments. The judge was asked as about.' * * *

"The census," said Judge Dugas, "was We have heard of jailers in Brittaken a few weeks ago, and the report, ish Columbia who were very lenient souls, of which 4,555 were British subin their views and permitted much lib- jects and of these 3,584 were qualified erty to those who were placed under to vote. The exodus to Cape Nome did their charge to expiate minor offences not contribute very much in diminishing against the law of the land, but never the population. There were a number of such a curious complication as in a of people who went there, and although case reported from Kansas. A man in the large majority were not. In this way town of Pratt. in that state was con- Dawson was relieved of a number of victed of selling liquor without a license people which she could get along very, and sentenced to serve a term in jail, well without. Private letters were re-The sheriff, whose name was Gibbens, ceived from Cape Nome before I left, adseems to have been of a lenient dispo- vising others very strongly not to g there, as there were but if couple and the sition, as he allowed his prisoner to re- there, as there were but a couple not creeks of any ordal value. There, was a main with his family most of the time great deals of herdship to entend with a who were attacked to bring it to a con- of the most forcible kind to the people and did not confine him in the place pro- and as good prospects. Wages aggregat clusion as quickly as possible for the per- of Canada. If it is intended to add it vided for such people, probably because, edifform \$2:00; to \$2:per day; and L must is manent well-being of Boer and Briton, to the campaign fund of their old friend as in a celebrated instance in Camadan sayothat Diprefer to rely upon such let-All the world regrets to hear, and no and fellow-conspirator, Sir Hibbert Tup- such immurement might be injurious to theistatements of All the world regrets to hear, and no part of it more than the English-speakbut a sum of that dimensions will scarce- however, took another view of the math the judicious class of citizens in Dawused to dire straights and that he is suffering severely for his folly; but many duced to dire straights and that he is suffering severely for his folly; but many valuable lives have been lost to the world through misunderstanding of our intentions in the past, and on this oc-casion it is the intention that there shall

opposition of Hutton, Sam was still ham- ple, some of whom pretend to be leaders. Boers in a manner which threatened to in a couple of instances, quelled a respeedily end the war. Here is the first part: Trei Int "Magaga-a-Phire, Bechuanaland.

privileges with which we are in entire "My Dean Jack .- Well, the show is reports went around openly enough. As over! With Capt. Mackie and 17 men it is, with the exception of a few agita-I have just concluded the surrender of tors, as always will be found in any com-General de Villiers and all his corps of munity, a more law-abiding people would about 300. men and 15 great ten-team be difficult to find anywhere else than ox-wagons, 9 carts, tons of ammunition are the people of Dawson City and disand thousands of animals. The terms trict. Outside these agitators, the othare signed. Thus the war is over except | crs are quietly advocating certain changes in remote corners of the Transvaal and in the regulations and the general im-Orange River Colony." provement of the territory, which they But the second shows that even this consider desirable.

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Gold Commissioner Senkler, whom every-R. Hyland, who for 26 years has one who knows greatly respects. Th ined, farmed and kept stor

sentation in the House of Commons. The 'The summer was at August. unit of representation in the House The sea was in a lull. which will probably soon be dissolved is From Scituate to Gurnet. From Mahommet to Hull. in the neighborhood of 22,000, while the "It was the tranquil hour Of earth's expectancy. When we lay on the wishing sands Beside the sleeping sea. 'We saw the scarlet moon rise And light the pale grav land: We heard the whisper of the tide. The sighing of the sand. I felt the ardent flutter Your heart gave for delight; You knew how earth is glad and hushed Under the tent at night. 'We dreamed the dream of lovers. And told our dream to none: And all that we desired came true Because we wished as one.' A RIVAL OF THE COLONIST. Bobcaygeon Independent. which we have chosen to pursue in deal-"sphere of influence" of this great ing with the problems of the north. But journal is simply boundless. This week all these matters will adjust themselves copy of our esteemed contemporary, the in time. An alien population of nearly Amrita Bazar Partrika, published in Calcutta, has been received, in which an arseventeen thousand people-most of them hardy, sturdy, independent men, who ticle from the Bob. Ind. is quoted, and commented upon. When the thunder peaks have been used to living in regions where proceed from Bobcaygeon's astral heights, every man was a law unto himself and the vibrations roll through limitless space where the strongest and most daring and are lost in infinity. That's what's would be almost certain to carry off the the matter. And when the gentleman on the back concession has his barn raising lion's share of the wealth-is not parreported in the columns of this great jourticularly amenable to law and order exnal, he should lay the mighty thought to cept of the kind it hastily makes for ithis soul, that the fit of his purloin joists self. But if we persevere it will in is discussed by the angels themselves. course of time fall into our ways, and That's right. by the time the Conservatives attain HOW THE CHINESE TELEGRAPH. to power their present allies in the north New York Commercial Advertiser. will all be converted into good Liberals The curious part of the Chinese teleand loyal British subjects. graph system is the fact that even in the interior, where there are no foreigners, all the telegraph blanks are printed in Eng-The Cardiff Mail, which since the visit The Chinese language being idiolish. of the Minister of the Interior to the graphic, having a character for each word, Old Country has been one of his strongest admirers, says: The friends and admirers of Mr. Sifton's manly personalits and his statesmanlike speeches made while in Cardiff will rejoice in the total dissipation of the unworthy charges at all likely to be used in a telegraph diswhich his foes have levelled against him | patch.

Sir Richard Cartwright: "Over and above what we have done in the way of fact that in the present crisis she has no what we have done in the way of reducing taxation, we have settled, and cartridge belt.

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"There is no doubt that what is most be desired is the open country by bridging the Klondike, the charge was one of the most unscrupulous "I forgot to say Gen. de Villiers at construction of trails and interior roads, and baseless kind. So much was this the the last moment backed out from sur- for the miners have great difficulties in rendering and escaped after the agree- many instances in reaching their claims. ment was signed from the Boer camp Machinery is now beginning to be used the day before they came into me." instances impossible to have it carried THE WISHING SANDS. Bliss Carman in Ainslee's Magazine. count of the entire absence of roads in the valley. I really believe that miners would prefer that the royalty which is complained of in many quarters should be retained than that there should be no roads. Their complaint as to the royalty is more as to the amount charged and the principle upon which it is imposed. They admit that the government is entitled to obtain some revenue sard. in order to meet the expenses in connec-

> will be done which will better adjust this system of taxation. "A change is also desired in the ampresent a discretionary power is left to the gold commissioner to cancel titles upon a simple infringement. It is said, and I believe rightly, that a fine should be imposed instead of cancellation when there is no fraud.

"The experience of this year more always rely upon the sufficiency of the encouragement of a system which would secure, at reasonable rates, water to the miners generally would be well received." "Now, Judge, what about the complaints which were brought before pariament last session?"

"When I started for the Yukon Territory I have to acknowledge that I was, like many others who did not know better, very suspicious that something had heard again some gossips' talk. It Dawson newspaper, more particularly, which was very aggressive and very persistent in its accusations. This paper was then the property of two young Ambe personal, but it should be known here others. All these have borne high repuproprietors, who, by the way, was so- why should they be subjected to suspiccially a pleasant fellow, was obliged to ion when arriving in Dawson?

siar district, has arrived from Telegraph on the Stikine, on his way to Ottawa to case that after four or five sittings of the investigation McTavish was not to be spend the winter on his old Eastern homestead. found, and was supposed to have disapgenerally, and it has been found in some peared from the territory either out of Mr. Hyland left Telegraph creek on the first of the month, coming down the shame for the course he had taken or

to the place where it is required, on ac- afraid to be prosecuted for a malicious river on the Hudson Bay steamer Caledonia and leaving his sons, Robert and "I have read the different letters which John, both of whom have resided many parliament had patiently listened to. years in Victoria, in charge of his North-Does it not strike anyone that they had ern place of business. When he left the been written by either soured men or Cassiar Central Railway Company was hysterical persons? The writers are pushing work forward on their claims on known in Dawson and there is one to Tibet creek in an expeditious manner. which I more particularly refer, and About 40 men were engaged for the comwhose letter covers a few pages of Han- pany cutting lumber, prospecting and building a flume through from Berry "When the investigation was ordered creek in preparation for the hydraulic

tion with the administration of the ter- in the charges against the late officials machinery to be set in motion next searitory. Their hope is that something every opportunity was given to prove son. Telegraph communication with Atthem, but when they came to the serious In has been established and the line now point they found that what they had extends a distance of twenty or thirty heard was only gossip invented by peo- miles to the southward of Telegraph bay. The party of surveyors in the country endment of the regulations, better as- ple who had been dissatisfied, and who, selecting a route for the railway from suring the titles of claims, because at after asking for a bit of the moon, found fault because it was not given to them. the Coast to Dawson via Hazelton had No witnesses could be found. The fact returned to Telegraph some time before is, I believe, that there never were any. Mr. Hyland left for the Coast and were What was more noticeable, to those who working their way towards Hazelton. Cassiar, Mr. Hyland reports, will not were in Dawson at the time of this in. vestigation, is that the parties who tried ship much gold this year, but he thinks

to establish the accusations were exact- that next season considerable of it should particularly has shown that one cannot ly the same class of persons to whom I arrive on the Coast. He is of the opinhave already referred. At all events, ion, however, that McDame creek is richwater in the creeks for a clean-up. The as matters stand, I think it is only fair | er even than Tibet and in fact the richto those who have been accused, to say est in the whole district. Years ago, he that they all stand well in our commun- prospected over, the whole Cassiar disity and are respected, just as they were trict, and worked with miners who have before going to the territory. The re- made as high 'as \$30 a day along Mcspectable portion of the people, who are Dame creek.

asking for change of policy, object strong- During his long sojourn in the North. ly to be classed with the agitators. They Mr. Hyland has had an interesting exconsider themselves honored when in the perience. He was one of the first proscompany and enjoying the friendship of pectors to ascend the Stikine as far as the accused. Just take the names of the Glenora, having made the voyage on wrong existed. I did not knew then the officials who are now there, beginning Capt. John Irving's steamer, the Glenora, people who were accused. On the spot with Commissioner Ogilvie, his secretary after which vessel the port was named. Dr. Brown, Fred Wade, Crown prosecu- The Indians in those days were wild. will be remembered that there was a tor, Controller Lithgow, Gold Commis- They knew no whites and dressed in furs sioner Senkler, Legal Adviser Clement, and skins. A then powerful tribe, they Registrar Mr. Girouard, Land Agent are now greatly reduced in number. Gosselin, Postmaster Hartman, Major kind of consumption is killing them off Walsh, Major Steele, who is now in very rapidly and it will perhaps be only ericans coming from Seattle, and their South Africa, Capt. Norwood, James D. a short time before the tribe has become editor, and those who were responsible McGregor, Capt. Bliss, Major Perry, extinct. They are not as they were 26 for the contributions appearing it it, who has just been appointed in command years ago, says Mr. Hyland. They now were also foreigners. I do not like to of the Mounted Police, Major Wood, and speak English well and furthermore dress in civilian's clothes. The love for as well as in Dawson that one of the tations before going to the Yukon, and hunting they have never forgotten and at certain seasons of the year make a great slaughter of animals. This practice has eave suddenly for parts unknown, after "There have been some frauds com- greatly reduced the amount of game in having received, according to statements mitted, no doubt, to the detriment of the the country and in consequence precious skins are becoming more scarce every outside, and for which he has failed to see whose position permitted them to be year.

give account; that the editor in question, dishonest without the knowledge of those who was the leading spirit of the at- who were over them. As soon as it was tacks, after having been obliged to run ascertained that this was so, they were away from Dyea, in order to escape ar-rest, and bearing in all places in the that whatever they acquired in such a United States where he had been prev- way will be taken away from them if iously a bad reputation, continued in the law so permitted it, and they would

to be a blackmailer, who used his pen to offences were discovered.

The intense heat prevailing in Toronto was the cause of the death of James Cassidy, one of Toronto's oldest citizens, on Thursday. He was 87 years of age.

A dispatch from Ottawa says the Dawson to live in the same way that he be criminally prosecuted besides. These Postmaster-General has decided to estabhad done elsewhere. He was well known officials were dismissed as soon as their lish throughout the cities of Canada a system of boxes for newspapers such as obtain money under threats, and did "It should not be lost sight of that are now in use for letters,

t is impossible to transmit it by the ordinary Morse signals. It is, therefore, necessary to telegraph either in a foreign anguage or by using Arabic numerals. By the latter method a Chinese dictionary is taken and a number given to each word JAPAN'S WAR GOD.

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San Francisco Call.

Japan is congratulating herself on the dently believes that the most convincing argument to be used in the reformation

Chinese is that which is carried in a

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made, about \$30,000 from miners to send few miners, but these were by employ-

Provincial Parliament

Heavy Debating in the House Yesterday Afternoon--Game Bill Defeated.

Strong Fight Waged and Unanimous Decision Reached on Fair Wage Motion.

Thursday, August 9th. Two important contributions were

the amendments of Messrs. McInnes McPhillips thereto. The labor leadspoke with even greater force than or-

much of the weight which it otherwise pedite affairs. appeared in the role of being more or and dry until next session. (Laughter.) question. less an apologist for Mongolian labor.

Mr. McInnes's Game Amendment Bill was thrown out, while the House show d its good sense by refusing to accept Capt. Tatlow's purely political motion.

Prayers were read by Rev. E. S. Rowe. Petitions and Reports. The Minister of Finance presented petition from the Board of Trade of Phoenix supporting the Grand Forks & Kettle River' Railway Bill, while Mr.

of lessees. etc.

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ted by Mr. Brown:

The motion carried.

for amendments to the Game Act.

Acts, and Mr. Oliver one amending the

Municipal Act. The latter was refer-

red to the municipal committee, as the

Attorney-General intimated that the city

of Vicoria wished some amendments and

Hon. Mr. McBride presented a return

to an order of the House for all hydrau-

lie leases granted since 1st January,

1898. in the Atlin district, with names

Mr. McInnes introduced a labor bill,

"That an humble address be presented

to His Honor the Lieut.-Governor, pray-

ing that he will cause to be sent down to

this House a return showing the number

of ballot papers actually issued to voters

in each riding of the province at the gen-

eral election held on the 9th day of June,

Questions.

Mr. Curtis's questions of the Finance Minister were laid over the Monday.³¹

Mr. McInnes asked the government

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tions: 1, Why was Mr. Thos. Wilson his position clear. He was not prepared, dismissed from the horticultural board? he said, to support any principle that 2. Who has been appointed in his place? had the appearance of exercising power which the Legislature had not in its and 3. At what salary? possession. Moreover, he would not sup-Hon. Mr. Turner replied as follows: 1. Mr. Thos. Wilson was not dismissed; his port any principle that was revolution- the good graces of the Emperor of Jap- per capita tax to the sum of \$500, or by duties under the act. term of office expired on 30th June, 1900. ary in regard to the industries of the province. 2. The vacancy on the board was filled Hon. Finance Minister-Hear, hear. by Mr. Thomas Cunningham. 3. Men-If he felt that Mr. McInnes's amendbers of the board of horticulture are paid ment was outside the jurisdiction of the five dollars a day when actually employ. House he would not support it. But until this was shown he would support The Lien Bill. every kind of legislation up to the hilt Mr. Helmcken, upon the debate on the that aimed at the exclusion of a class Mechanics' Lien Bill being resumed, so detrimental to labor interests in the said he had looked into the matter, and province. as he found the workingman was pro-The junior member for Victoria had perly protected in the contemplated not proven to his (the speaker) satisfaction that this amendment was ultra measure, he would support it. Mr. McPhillips wanted the bill drop- vires. This was simply an order to the ped, to expedite matters, as he had been government not to make provision for and this afternoon to the debate arising asked to allow a bill to lapse; and he this restrictions in contracts. It did not nt of Mr. Helmcken's fair wage motion thought the opposition should do so too. form a part of any statute and he would Mr. Brown announced that he would give it his support. not oppose the bill, although he had op-He 'supported it also because he be-(Ralph Smith) spoke with his accus- posed admitting "material" men to the lieved it was the duty of the House to tomed clearness and cogency, while Mr. benefits of the bill in former years. He do all in its power in regard to any Curtis, member for Rossland, who has was assured by the promoters that the matter of this charcter that did not afalready established a reputation as one mechanic was properly protected. Since fect in a revolutionary way the indusof the most valuable men in the House, he thought Mr. Curtis might allow the tries of the province. The expressed

bill to stand over. The government had opinion of the House would have greater dinarily. The reply of the Minister of not pushed matters, had not a night ses- weight at Ottawa than anything else. If Finance was evidently delivered with a sion, etc., and were not taking advan- a faction of the House took ground great deal of suppressed feeling, and tage generally of the opportunity to exof at Ottawa: It was very important Jos. Hunter advocated passing the esthe fact that the respected ex-Premier timates and leaving all these bills high that the House be unanimous on the

If might be true, as claimed by the The Attorney-General chaffed the junior member for Victoria, that the Domember from New Westminster on his change of attitude since 1891, when the minion government had not done its duty Davey government introduced a clause in the premises. But he did not symbayey government introduced a dause in the Mechanics Lien Act to protect the Mr. McPhillips that such a state of af-"material" man; and when it had been fairs absolved him (Mr. McPhillips) strenuously opposed by Mr. Brewn, who from his duty. finally carried his point. Such a clause

If this provision was a restriction upprotected the young contractor. The on this kind of labor in all the indusmember for New Westminster was los- tries of the province, he might agree ing his memory, and forgot his former that it should be modified. But such principles. was not the case, and the passage of Helmcken presented five petitions asking Mr. Brown said he had never opposed the amendment would have the strong-

protecting the "material" man, but he est possible influence on the Dominion Mr. Helmcken introduced An Act redid not favor such a clause in an act for government, lating to employment on works carried the protection of the mechanic. Until it could be shown to him that on under franchises granted by Private

The bill was read a second time, on a such action was outside the jurisdiction vote of 18 to 10, Messrs. Eberts, Pooley of the House he would support it. Pledgand others on the government side suped as nearly all the members were to porting it, while the Finance Minister oppose Mongolian labor he thought should meet general support.

Mr. Curtis expressed surprise at the attitude of the fourth member for Vic-Mr. Hall's Investment and Loan Sotoria, who declared his opposition to cieties Bill was again laid over at the the amendment because it was ultra request of the Minister of Finance. vires of the Legislature. How could Mr. McInnes explained that his amthis be? The amendment was not to be endments to the Game Act were for the burpose of further protecting game. It allowance. It was merely an expression incorporated in an act, and thus risk disprovided minimum penalties, where of opinion. Such an attitude meant that when the government gave leases

It forbade boys under sixteen years of and grants it was powerless to impose age carrying firearms, unless accompa- any condition. nied by their parents or guardians, ex-If the speaker had any confidence in Mr. McPhillips's opinion on a matter of

the the amendment went as far as the

Another provision was to prevent birds law, it would be upset on reading the being stored in cold storage, which was amendment to the amendment, which contrary to the spirit of the act. The embodied a portion of the same princibill also removed the power which now ple as laid down in the amendment itlay with the Governor-in-Council to sus- self. He had admitted the principle to pend the regulations of the act. be proper in regard to bonuses. Why Mr. McPhillips was afraid this was should it not apply to other privileges

encroaching on the prerogative of the or grants? government, but the leader of the opposition pointed out that the penalty and hands of the government, the power the following questions: 1. When and the question of revenue involved was being purely discretionary. He was it would not. He added that the member for what reason was A. W. Walkley, merely auxiliary. The penalty was not glad to see that no other member had for Rossland had said that the govern-Esq., removed from his position in there for revenue but as a deterrent. At taken the same view as Mr. McPhillips. He was sory to notice that the Minister of Mines and two members for Vancouver held that the amendment to

Mr. Oliver asked the Hon, the Min- to was then resumed. Mr. Ralph Smith He ridiculed the statement of the Minister of Agriculture the Vollowing ques- took advantage of the debate to make ister of Mines that the Mikado's prohibition of emigration resulted from a mild spectfully urge upon the Dominion govan. He strongly supported the amend- the passing of an act based on the lines ment. (Applause.)

of the Natal Act, known as the 'Immi-The Minister of Mines was proceeding gration Restriction Act, 1897." to reply to Mr. Curtis when Mr. Brown A. W. Smith wanted the word Monpointed out that he had already spoken to the amendment. Mr. McBride-Oh. the opposition are

as the former. afraid to hear me. (Laughter.) Mr. Brown agreed with the opinion expressed by some members that the Mr. Gilmour said that if the remarks of the Minister of Mines were to be real way in which to secure action by along the same lines as on the previous Ottawa was to take unanimous action in day, he didn't think that the country some such way as had been indicated. wanted to hear them. The speaker Since the question must be disposed of made an appeal for an assertion of the some way, he would withdraw his rights of the province. Messrs, Garden amendment in favor of that of Mr. Heland Tatlow, he said, claimed to be stand- mcken, as it was free from political coming on their leader's platform. They plexion and in every way preferable to must be on his or some one else's, for the | the motion. party to which they owed allegiance had

Mr. Smith's amendment was lost and no platform on the Chinese question. the word 'Mongolian' stood. The remark of Mr. Smith that he The amendment of Mr. Helmcken would not support revolutionary meas- then passed and the motion, as amendures, in relation to business, formed the ed, passed unanimously. text for the speech of the Minister of Finance. Such would be the case, he The debate was then resumed on the held, if the amendment of the member motion of Mr. Smith relating to comfor North Nanaimo were adopted. In the cannery business it practically meant pulsory arbitration. Mr. Turner, while explaining that the prohibition of the trade. The mover

brandy.

country.

government was fully alive to the imporhad said that he didn't care if it did have that effect. But the people of tance of the question, felt that it was Great, Britain would hardly like the too late in the session to be considered. abolition of an industry that meant such The government a few years ago intro-1 food supply as salmon constituted. duced a labor conciliatory act which had Take an output of \$00,000 cases. The been generally endorsed by laboring expenditure on such a pack for wages classes, but when finally introduced it to Chinamen would be \$400,000, while had provoked a great deal of opposition. the revenue that would go into the pock. The government was prepared to take what it was in other parts of the proets of white people would be \$1,500,000; the matter up and investigate it thor- vince. The questions in dispute how It was a mistaken idea that the Chinese, oughly before another session. It was were purely questions of ownership. It did not expend money in the country, impossible to do so satisfactorily at the was dangerous to give the commissioner They expended a large sum in supplies. present session. It would be taken up such power. It was not alleged that Honorable gentlemen opposite smiled, shortly.

Cariboo road and went into a China- resolution on that understanding, and al- volved the boundary dispute and lease man's shack, the first thing he would do so on account of the fact that the Do- record. These had all been cleaned up, would be to offer them a drink of minion government was making an ex. He did't thing this would give the inperiment on similar lines. Mr. McInnes-They were jolly good

Compulsory Arbitration.

fellows. (Laughter.) Continuing, Mr. Turner said that if the pledge of the Finance Minister was power. Judges often gave ridiculous deworkmen were brought from the East not a promise of a compulsory arbitri- cisions, but ordinarily a man was prothey would probably be French-Cana- tion act. A promise had been made, but tected by the ordinary avenue of law. dians, who at present received lower it did not specifically promise such an All this was removed in this case. wages than were paid Chinamen in this act. He was preparing a bill along these

lines, and he did not want the matter Mr. Curtis-Excuse me. Do I undershelved. stand the hon. gentleman to be making Mr. Smith-Give them a chance. a plea for introducing cheap labor to this Mr Brown-But we will have to wait

province? (Laughter.) until next session. Mr. Turner retorted, with heat, that Mr. Curtis also stamped the promise the member for Rossland could twist his of the Finance Minister as insufficient

remarks as he liked. to warrant the withdrawal of the resolu-He added, "He would sweep away one tion of the big industries of this province, Mr. Hunter wanted to know what brief and what would he have in its place? the opposition had to instruct the govern-Nothing. After it the deluge!"

ment upon the character of the bill, Let Further considering the amendment he the government draft it, and when it contended that the principle contemwas submitted to the House it could be plated would have to be incorporated in amended by the House. statutes and would be disallowed. Mr. Green said the member for Cari-

The amendment was a noisy declamaboo had the right end of the argument. tion, but the amendment to the amend-The opposition were not willing to allow ment was practical. It would certainly the mover to withdraw his bill, and instop some Chinese being employed. Mr. Curtis-We do not ask for an act, Mr. Turner-In case of concessions it of the provisions of the bill. The Minister of Mines thanked the Atlin.

would require an act; in the other cases House for the way in which the government need not carry out such a resolution. Of what use, then, would it be? many years a member of the House, had there to straighten out difficulties. He

these lines. ther amendment

Capt. Tatlow's Motion.

address be presented to His Honor the 'taken up with Mr. Munro in the chair,

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Lieut.-Governor, requesting him to re-, It was reported with amendment. The second reading of the Succession expression in the speech from the throne. ernment that the effective mode of deal- Duties Bill was moved by the Attorney. (Laughter.) Everyone knew that it was ing with the question of restricting Mon- General. Under one of its provisions he due to the exigencies of war, and he did golian immigration into Canada would be said a judge instead of the sheriff deternot want the country to be dependent on by either increasing the amount of the mined what property was subjected to

Mr. Curtis pointed out the jump in duties on a trifling difference in value. For instance, on \$200,000 duty would amount to \$5,000, while on \$201,000 it golian changed to Chinese and Japanese. would jump to \$10,050. This was an The latter class was as big a nuisance advance of \$5,050 in duties on \$1,000 of property.

The Attorney-General said that 'one provision repealed the clause which limited succession duties to \$25,000. owned in the province. Now it could be collected if that sum was owned in and out of the province, or in the aggregate. Mr. Neill said that there was a great discrepancy between the rates in this country and in the Old Country. The leader of the opposition thought

the old clause was superior to the amendment. The bill passed its second reading.

On the second reading of the Bennett-Atlin Commission Bill the Attorney-General explained that the bill was to facilitate the appointment of another commission to inquire into the condition there. Claims had been staked over and over again until it was impossible to tell who were the owners. It might appear that the commissioner had wide powers, but he hoped Atlin would soon have courts of its own so that future commis-

sions would be unnecessary. The leader of the opposition complained that the bill was rather drastic. People in Atlin had conceived the notion that it was proper to jump claims repeatedly. But the law there was no different to there were any matters remaining over but if they had ever been up the old Mr. Smith spreed to withdraw the from the former commission which investor confidence in a country where he Mr. Brown opposed the withdrawal of might be required to come and show his the resolution at this stage, especially as title before a judge who had absolute

> The Attorney-General referred to the new territory which had come under British rule in Porcupine. The United States and Canadian commissioners had reached a modus vivendi on the boun dary of that district. Many had staked under Alaskan law and had staked their claims 200 feet in length, Mr. J. D. Grahame had been sent there and he recommended that the matters be adjusted by a special commission. Such an arrangement existed in Cariboo, when all these disputes were adjusted in a similar way. The case was peculiar from the fact that Porcupine district had lately come under British law. Mr. Eberts then read a letter from J. D. Grahame describing his visit to the district and enclosing his recommendations.

Mr. Eberts added that an officer had been sent into the Porcupine district, sisted that they should be the arbiters and steps thus taken to prevent the muddle that took place in the case of

Mr. Clifford was not aware of the conment's promise had been received. The ditions in Porcupine district. It was member for Westminster, although for most important that a judge should go Mr. Curtis-You needn't carry out not introduced any legislation along had believed the judge was going to Atlin as the same difficulties existed there

from Telegrapy way to Ottawa to his old Eastern

elegraph creek on coming down the Bay steamer Calsons, Robert and have resided many arge of his North-When he left the yay Company was on their claims on peditious manner. gaged for the comr, prospecting and igh from Berry for the hydraulic motion next seaunication with Atd and the line now twenty or thirty of Telegraph bay. ors in the country the railway from via Hazelton had some time before he Coast and were rards Hazelton l reports, will not ear. but he thinks lerable of it should He is of the opin-Dame creek is richd in fact the richct. Years ago, he hole Cassiar disminers who have a day along Mc.

ourn in the North, an interesting exof the first pros Stikine as far as de the voyage on amer, the Glenora, port was named days were wild. and dressed in furs werful tribe, they ed in number. A is killing them off ll perhaps be only tribe has become t as they were 26 yland. They now and furthermore thes. The love for er forgotten and at year make a great This practice has mount of game in sequence precious more scarce every

vailing in Toronto death of James nto's oldest citi-He was 87 years

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question.

charge of the reconstruction of the Vic- Ottawa and in the Imperial House pritoria court house? 2. By whom has he vate members had much wider scope succeeded? 3. If by George Jeeves, than this Esq., is he the same person who by him-The Speaker agreed with the leader of self, or in partnership with others, held the opposition, and so did the Attorneya contract in connection with the con- General, seeing which Mr. McPhillips struction of the Legislative buildings? withdrew his opposition. 4. Did the government have difficulty in Mr. Oliver strongly opposed the bill. settling accounts with the said George | The maximum fine of \$50 for any one Jeeves, or his partnership, over the said who shot a hen pheasant in mistake for contract? 5. To what extent did Govera- a cock pheasant was outrageous. It was ment Architect Rattenbury refuse to en- also ridiculous to impose prohibition in dorse the demands of the said George | regard to firearms on boys under sixteen Jeeves, Esq., or his partnership? 6. Did years of age. Some of the best bear the government arrange a complete or hunters in his constituency were boys partial settlement with the said George of thirteen to fourteen years. If farm-Jeeves, Esq., or his partnership, in 1894 ers were prohibited too from putting out and 1898? 7. Were there general propoison to kill , cut worms for fear of poisoning pheasants they would find that wincial elections in 1894 and 1898? these birds would be poisoned more gen-Hon. Mr. Wells replied as follows: 1 On 31st July last, because his services erally than was now the case. In Mr. Neill's opinion the bill was one were not required. 2. By George Jeeves. involving contentious views, and he The government had no contract with moved the six months' hoist, Mr. Jeeves, or his partners; they merely The leader of the opposition protested continued the work in the names of the against this "non-contentious" arrangelegal representatives of the deceased conment between the govenment and its tractor, Frederick Adams. 4. No. 5. supporters being forced upon the House. To no extent, these persons not being They were all doubtless anxious to get recognized as interested under the contract. 6. No; a complete settlement was members had no right to consult their made in 1898 with the Adams estate. 7. own convenience. The mover of the bill reminded the Mr. McInnes pointed out that the an- House of the demand for this legislation, swers could not be considered satisfac- as evidenced by the petitions before the tory. The answer to the first question House. He protested against the intiwas that Mr. Walkley's services were no mation to shelve this bill. The session longer necessary, while the answer to the was going to cost the country a certain next showed that the services of such a sum whether it was long or short, and man were required. Mr. McInnes asked the government the personal predilections. Game, he following questions: 1. When and for aded, was becoming very scarce, and if what reason was A. R. Sherk, Esq., re- it was wiped out it would seriously afmoved from his position as warder at fect the tourist trade, as well as prosthe Victorial gaol? 2. By whom has he pecting, for prospectors required game been succeeded? 3. If succeeded by a for their sustenance. Mr. Jeeves, is he a brother of George Jeeves, Esq., who was rcently placed in last statement. He opposed the bill as charge of reconstruction of the Victoria unnecessary. He particularly opposed court house? Hon. Mr. Eberts replied as follows: 1. A. R. Sherk never occupied the position that now lay with the Governor-in-Counof warder at Victoria gaol. He was cil. He favored the preservation of

opposed it.

one existed before.

cepting in rural districts.

Game Act.

the members should not consult their The Attorney-General ridiculed the the clause relating to cold storage, and withdrawing the discretionary powers employed specially from May 30th to game, as it attracted tourists. Maine June 30th; his services were then no state had preserved its game so that it longer required, and were dispensed with. brought a revenue of two millions of 2. On the 12th July, owing to the absence dollars annually. An amendment might of one of the guards, it became necessary be introduced forbiding the sale of game birds. That would take away the occuto employ a special guard, and Mr. Jeeves was employed. His services will pation of pot hunters. be dispensed with in a few days. 3. I Mr. Neill's amendment was carried am informed that the Mr. Jeeves above by a vote of 20 to.14 on the following division: mentioned is a brother of the Mr. Jeeves who is employed upon the reconstruction Kidd, Neill, Green, Hall, Turner, Dunsmuir, A. W. Smith, Clifford, Hayward, Mr. McInnes asked the government the Garden, Prentice, Wells, Pooley, Murfollowing questions: 1. How many liphy, Rogers, Taylor, Dickie and Mounce censes have been issued under section 14 -20 of the Game Protection Act, 1898, and Nays-McInnes, Gilmour, Stables, w much revenue has been derived from Brown, Martin, Curtis, Munro, R. the issue of such licenses? 2. How many Smith, McPhillips, Helmcken, Eberts, convictions have taken place under the Fulton, Tatlow and Hunter-14. said act, and what is the total amount of Bills Laid Over. the fines which have been imposed? Hon. Mr. Turner replied as follows: 1, Bill" was laid over. Mr. Brown's bill reception which the removal of Mon-respecting grants in aid of private en- golians from the Premier's mines had \$350. 2. It will take considerable me to prepare a return that will furnish the information requested by this terprise also stood over. Anti-Ohinese Debate. Mr. Oliver's question regarding returns from hotel licenses stood over.

leader of the Conservative party contemplated. He read the following extract | ment which would mean the killing of from one of Mr. Wilson's election an industry in this province. (Governspeeches to prove the fallacy of the conment applause.) tention. Mr. Wilson said: "He proposed a perfect remedy. They should take the matter out of legisla- words proposed to be struck out stand tion affairs and affect the contract; that was a proposition that would work out resolved in the negative on the following well, legally. For instance, if a corpordivision: ation came to the Legislature the con-Yeas-McInnes, Gilmour, Stables, E. stant practice had been to insert anti-Chinese clauses in the private bill. This Curtis, Munro, Green, R. Smith-12. was absolute nonsense. The Lieut.-Governor-in-Council should be empowered to place this in contracts, not acts of parliament, which somebody would declare ultra vires. The law should be so fixed that every privilege ter, Taylor, Dickie Mounce-24 should be abrogated if the terms of the contract were not carried out. He had thought out this proposition very thoroughly and was certain that it was the the affirmative unanimously. true solution of the difficulty." The amendment, as amended, carried, This, added Mr. Curtis, was the principle and the original resolution, as amended. laid down by Mr. Wilson, and it was carried. perfectly sound. It covered all that was included under the amendment of the The debate on Capt. Tatlow's motion member for New Westminster. He asked those who fought under Mr. Wilson's was then resumed by Mr. Helmcken, banner to be true to their pledges. who advocated a conciliatory policy in The country was indebted to the senior regard to the Ottawa government. Some member for Victoria for introducing the valuable information was contained in resolution. He was sorry though that he | the preamble of the resolution, but he was not prepared to go further to exwas not prepared to go to the extent of clude Mongolian immigration. censuring the Premier of Canada. He The application of a standard wage had always favored increasing the tax would do much to shut out Mongolian from \$100 to \$500. He read the letter, labor, as it was never accepted on the of Hon. Jos. Chamberlain setting forth same basis as Caucasian labor. Why that there could be no objection to an could not Mr. Helmcken go further when he himself laid down the following in one of his pre-election addresses: "When we have the sympathy of the people of the Empire we may count on getting a measure of protection that will be our due. This was one view of the matter, and another was that we should not use this class of labor ourselves. Why cannot we legislate that in all cases British labor should be given the Japs. preference? A measure which would do this would help to do away with this burning question." He was surprised to see some government supporters who said they were tired of the question. They would be more tired before it was properly adjusted. In the interior it was a burning question, and would not down. In Greenwood the merchants had joined hands with the laboring classes and had ceased employing Chinese, with the reamendment: sult that there had been an exodus of Mongolians from that city. (Applause.) He still hoped to see unanimity on this question. He didn't want to see it made a party question. Unanimous action by the House would have a great effect at Ottawa. The government must be aware of the country's feeling on the Mr. Curtis's "Deceived Workmen's matter. They must have seen the warm met in the country at large. He hoped to see the government take this course this House, the said act is ineffective because he had the good of the country and inadequate to prevent Chinese immiwage motion and the amendments there- more at heart than any mere party ad-wage motion and the amendments there- wantage.

Mr. Turner concluded by urging that motion. the House suspend action on an amend-License Bill.

On the third reading of the Liquor License Bill Mr. Eberts moved that the The question proposed on the amendword Mongolian be substituted for Chiment to the amendment-"Shall the nese and Japanese in sub-sections 9 and h of section 2. It might prevent the dis-

part of the question?" was then put and allowance of the bill. Mr. McInnes said that the classifica tion Mongolian included Fins and Laplanders.

C. Smith, Oliver, Neill, Brown, Martin, The member for New Westminster suggested that every latitude be allowed Nays-Kidd, Hall, McPhillips, Helthe Attorney-General to avoid disallow. mcken, Turner, Dunsmuir, Eberts, A. ance. The change was therefore order-W. Smith, Ellison, Clifford, Fulton, Hayward, Garden, Tatlow, Prentice, Wells Mr. Brown offered another amendment McBride, Pooley, Mruphy, Rogers, Hunto the bill, and moved that it be recom-

mitted, but this was voted down and the The question-"Shall the words pro bill was read a third time and finally posed to be inserted in lieu thereof stand passed. part of the question?" was resolved in The House then rose.

Victoria, Aug. 10th.

Special interest was lent to the pro-

ceedings this afternoon by the an-

nouncement made by the Attorney-General that Mr. Justice Martin was to be that a jury could be empannelled in Atdispatch as a special commissioner to dispose of disputes which have arisen on August 29th. in regard to mining claims since the acknowledgment of British ownership of junior member for Cassiar to say he the Porcupine district. His Honor will

be clothed with similar powers to those lin? exercised by Mr. Justice Irving as Atlin commissioner, and it is expected the result will be equally happy.

Prayers were read by Rev. E. S. Rowe, after which a number of petitions, sub-

educational test for Mongolians. mitted yesterday by Mr. Helmcken, were Coming to the question of numbers, read and received. Petitions were also the senior member for Victoria stated that in the last three years there had been an immigration of 7,367 Chinese Kettle River railway. and 12,106 Japanese. From July 1st to June 30th, 2,440 Chinese had entered the province, while in the same time 7.875 Japs had come in. Since July 1st

Mr. Oliver asked the Hon. the Attor-452 more Chinamen had arrived and 894 ney-General the following question: How many hotel licenses at \$100 per year, Proceeding, Mr. Helmcken quoted the and how many hotel licenses at \$200 a action which had been taken in Ausyear, were in force under the "Liquor tralia. He said he would not support License Act, 1899," on the 23rd day of the resolution, but submitted an outline April. 1900?

of one which later he intended to sub-Hon. Mr. Eberts replied as follows: mit, and which would be less likely to "Two hundred and forty-nine and one antagonize the Premier of Canada. If hundred and fifty-seven, respectively." such a conciliatory course were adopted Mr. McInnes asked the government the he felt, especially in the light of recent following questions: 1. Did the contract colonial developments, that relief would for the reconstruction of the Victoria be granted. He submitted the following Court house provide for the putting in place of a marble stairway with iron

"Whereas resolutions have been passed railings? 2. Has permission been given by this House from time to time rethe contractor to substitute therefor a questing the Dominion government to instone stairway with wooden railings? crease the poll tax on Chinese immi- If so, why, and at the instance of whom? grants into Canada; The Hon, Mr. Wells replied as fol-"And whereas the Dominion governlows: "1. No. 2. No."

The House went into committee on the ment has passed an act, known as the 'Chinese Immigration Act, 1900,' increas- Land Registry Bill, with Mr. Gilmour ing the poll tax from the sum of \$50 to in the chair. The bill was reported comthe sum of \$100: plete without amendment, reported and "Be it resolved that, in the opinion of adopted. Mr. E. C. Smith took the chair for the

consideration of the Judgments Bill. Progress was reported. "Be it further resolved that an humble The Official Administrators' Act was

Leave was granted to withdraw the as last year, excepting that then it had been over placer claims, while this year it was over quartz claims. He referred to the dispute over the Yellow Jacket claim, which, had not these disputes arisen, would have been operating a fivestamp mill. Mr. Clifford said that a judge would be fully occupied in the Porcupine country without attending the Atlin district.

Mr. Stables said that after the statement of the Attorney-General he would support the measure. Had it applied to Atlin he would not have done so. In the latter country Mr. Justice Irving had given general satisfaction. This year there were no difficulties that did not exist in other districts. It would be very unwise to give again a judge with such extensive powers as Judge Irving had. The miners studied the law, and it was unfair that a judge should be sent in who was obliged to sometimes give a decision which conflicted with the law. He urged promptness in dealing with the matter, and didn't see why a judge shouldn't have been sent in before.

In reply to this the Attorney-General said he had to alter the Jurors' Act so lin. Assizes would now be held there

Mr. Clifford-Do I understand the doesn't favor a judge being sent to At-

Mr. Stables-Certainly; but not with special powers.

Mr. McInnes-Is a judge appointed? The Attorney-General-Mr. Justice Martin.

The Minister of Mines endorsed the remarks of the Cassiar members in reread from the Phoenix Board of Trade. gard to the satisfaction which had been as presented yesterday, relating to the given by Judge Irving. Neither of the Cassiar members had represented the Mayor Garden introduced a bill to need of two judges-one for Atlin and regulate immigration to British Colum- one for Porcupine. If these were necessary the government would be ready to meet the request.

The bill was read a second time.

His Honor here entered the House to assent to the Liquor License Act. the act relating to the Liability of Trustees and the Westminster Relief Bill. Having done so he withdrew. The Mechanics' Lien Bill was then

taken up, with Mr. Oliver in the chair, and the member for New Westminster was subjected to further chaffing by the Attorney-Géneral on his change of opinion on this matter, Mr. Brown, however, explaining his position satisfactorily. Progress was reported.

A request was handed to Mr. Speaker before adjourning, asking that the members be photographed. A division had to be taken as to whether the group should be secured outside or inside. Mr. Green explained that Mr. Kidd's anxiety to have the photo taken outside was due to a desire to bring his bicycle along. (Laughter.)

Mr. Kidd repudiated the suggestion, saying that he had not yet purchased a bicycle.

It was decided to have the photograph taken on Tuesday at 11.50 and the House

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(From Friday's Dally.)

-Elizabeth Rose, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Rose, died. at the Jubilee Hospital yesterday. The funeral is taking place this afternoon from the family residence. ------

-Teachers in search of positions are requested to communicate with the department of education, which will make inquiries among the schools in the different portions of the province with a view to obtaining information of the present vacancies and supplying them.

-0--A meeting of the parishioners of Saanich, presided over by the Lord Bishop of Victoria, was held in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Wednes- hitch or flaw in the entire outing affordday, to decide upon a site for the new ed a satisfying commentary of the manrectory. The locality of the present rectory was chosen by a large majority. His were conceived and carried out. It is Lordship was accorded a unanimous vote doubtful if more delightful weather has of thanks.

-0--A large number attended the funeral the enjoyable character of the trip. Fulof the late Mrs. Margaret Fox, which ford Harbor, the destination of the extook place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 cursionists, was reached shortly before 5 o'clock from the family residence, 36 Ma- o'clock, and after an hour and-a-half's son street, and later. from St. John's stay the steamer started on her homechurch., Impressive services were con- ward trip. During the excursion the ducted by Rev. Percival Jenns, and the Cecelian orchestra rendered a splendid pallbearers were as follows: Messrs. H. programme, adding greatly to the gen-O. Litchfield, C. Lombard, E. H. His- eral pleasure. cocks, E. J. Hewlings, S. Wilson and H.

H. Roperting steer dw and in sheat. 1 1276

-His Worship Mayor Hayward this bled in the varieus school this morning morning received the following telegram morning received the following telegram from the Governor-General's secretary in staff, while various improvements have reply to that dispatched by His Worship on the 31st ultimo to Balmoral on the occasion of the death of the Duke of school opening are the same as on form. The gold is owned by the Canadian Bank Edinburgh: "In obedience to the Queen's er occasions, and the air of desclateness command, His Excellency the Governor, and loneliness that has pervaded the General desires me to convey through you class-rooms has been broken, and study bank from numerous Klondike miners, to the citizens of Victoria Her Majesty's will until next December rule supreme. and will probably be the largest single sincere thanks for their sympathetic mes- The majority of the schools closed at shipment from the district during the sage sent through Your Worship."

A phenomenal feat in swimming is re- they were dismissed in order to make ported by the officers on the steamer Garland, says the Seattle Times. While ance at North Ward this morning was crossing the Straits from Victoria to Port | 42, while that at the other schools was Angeles a horse which had been confined also very fair. At South Park this afon the boat jumped overboard and swam | ternoon opening exercises are being held, around in the swells for five or ten min- an excellent programme having been preutes before he could be brought aboard. When within five or six miles of Port Angeles the animal snapped the halter strap, took a flying leap through the open port and was hundreds of yards behind, playing all sorts of tricks in the water before the boat could be stopped. When an effort was made to capture the horse he swam around the boat two or three times before he let the men get near him. He finally became tired out and allowed slings to be placed under him. In that way he was hoisted aboard.

(Fram Saturday's Daily.)

-The London Grocers' Gazette says that the market is advancing both for spot and Alaska. Fraser river and Skeena river fish.

-In a letter to D. McConnan, of this that he has had a relapse of typhoidpneumonia and that he has received medical advice to take a change of climate. He will accordingly leave Nome en route to Southern California by the first steamer leaving after the writing of the letter.

of the operation and died on Friday at causing the deck load to shift and the the Chemainus hospital. The deceased ship to lie on her beam ends. They had to heave a considerable quantity of deck was 23 years of age and a native of to heave a considerable quantity of deck lumber overboard to straighten the ship

the cabin, damaging all the stores. It

also stove in and filled the forecastle,

carried away jibstay and all jibs off the

jibboom, also a boat off the after davits,

and started the afterpart of the deck

house and flooded the sailroom. The gale

of the heaviest storms that Capt. Neil-

son remembers ever having met. To add

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season.

Ontario. The miners of the New Vancouver Coal company have demanded an increase of 10 per cent. over the present rate of wages, and have given the company thirty days' notice that such an increase is required.

-The following is the resolution passed by the Dawson Board of Trade, and lasted for four days, then changed from which is self-explanatory: "That the the east to southeast, then south to Board of Trade send a telegram to the southwest. The cargo consisted of 575, government at Ottawa to the effect that 000 feet of lumber. "Water got below. press reports state that the Yukon is to and the crew, when the vessel reached be attached to the Alberta district for port, were exhausted by continuous representation. The people of the Yukon | work. The master speaks in high terms irgently desire direct representation in of his men, all of whom stuck manfully the Dominicn parliament, but not to the ship in the hour of extreme peril,

through the extension of the Alberta or and performed splendid service in one other district" ------The excursion on the steamer R. P. Rithet on Saturday afternoon to Fulford Harbor under the anspices of the ladies

fresh water was said to have become so of St. John's Guild was an unprecedented success, and the utter absence of any other port." ner in which the various arrangements

ever favored an excursion, and the resultant calmness of the sea contributed to 11862 0

-After six weeks' emancipation from ' better cope with the opposition on the studies the teachers and children assemilyroute. bled in the various school this morning

noon, the pupils have taken down their lists of new books required, after which

the necessary purchases. The attendpared. A feature of the exercises is the presentation of diplomas to the successful candidates at the High school en-trance examination, by Inspector Burns. To-morrow morning work will be com-was made by Chief, Officer Evans in menced in real earnest, although there is a faint suspicion current that some of who gathered on the promenade deck. In the children would not be at all incon- a few well-chosen remarks Officer, Evans venienced if the thermometer were to expressed, on behalf of every member of suddenly jump to 90 or 95 in the shade the crew, their regret at losing a comwhen the doors would in all probably be mander whom they fully appreciated. Mr. Evans also referred to the commanda destrict a

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(From Friday's Dally.) Steamer Cottage City arrived from

of Whitley up. The sea was breaking over her, staving in the cabin doors and flooding

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His Comrades Have Started Subscriptions for a Headstone Over His Grave.

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pondent, Writes From Johannesburg.

have been the recipients of a few letters to the discomfort of the weather, the and newspapers, and to-day we hear that fresh water was said to have become so two weeks' back mail-probably some cap-impregnated with salt that it was quite tured by General Dewet-will arrive by

unpalatable. Everyone on board speaks the evening train. Cornwall had a letter from Gamble yes-terday, in which he said he had been in of the Wrestler as a remarkable sea boat, or she would never have made anthe barrack hospital at Bloemfontein for a and " shinking and month. He had had fever, but was now On Tuesday, the 14th, Dodwell & Co. sufficiently convalescent to enable him to proceed to Capetown to recuperate. He will introduce a change in the schedule of the steamer Victorian. Leaving Seathad been well nursed by some Australian tle at 7:45 a.m. the vessel will arrive at nurses.

The boys, since we ceased marching. Port Townsend at 10:30 a.m., and sailing from there a quarter of an hour later will be due to arrive here at 1:30 p.m. have been feeding up and are all looking well and getting fat. The daily sick parade is very small now, those who are sick On the return she will leave Victoria at are usually men with yeldt sores, which 4:15, Port Townsend at 7:15 and will be are rapidly healing. The regiment, after due back at 10 o'clock. On Sunday and being housed for some days in the round Thursday she will extend her service house near the station, is now living in through to Tacoma. The change of serthe village concert room, school room and vice is to be brought about in order to nearby houses.

Betting on the date of our leaving here for the Cape has already started, the favorite date being the 16th prox. Capt. A single shipment of \$1,000,000 worth Rogers left to-day, presumably to collect of Klondike gold is to be made from stragglers and our baggage left at Bloem-Dawson in about ten days via the Alasfontein. Lieut. Winter, who came out with the draft, is much liked by the men-Sid. Harrison, Vancouver, has started a subscription for a headstone to be placed of Commerce of Dawson and is to be over Whitley's grave in Johannesburg, consigned by that concern to the Seattle with a suitable inscription. His death and that of Capt. Blanchard were unlooked for and a great loss to the British Commbia contingent.

This morning Court and myself went (From Monday's Daily.) down the Great Eastern mine, about a mile from here, and spent an interesting Captain Geo. A. Lee, late commander hour 350 feet below the surface. But, as of R. M. S. Empress of Japan, now at the reader knows more about coal mines Vancouver, was the recipient the other than the writer and lives within easy disday of a handsome marble clock, inlaid tance of them, it is needless to write with gold and inscribed with the folmuch regarding this one. However, I may lowing, which is engraved on a silver plate: "To Commander George A. Lee, R. N. R., with best of good wishes from the presence of the members of the crew. sion that there was a distinct absence of doubtedly the votaries of tennis were afcoal gas. The mine is well lit with elec- forded a magnificent demonstration of its placed in dark nooks and crannies.

Mr. Evans also referred to the command-er's faithful service while in charge of the vessel. Captain Lee, who was taken entirely by surprise; thanked Ch ef Offi-cer Evans and the crew for their kind we expected a tew days ago an at-tack from some Boers who are in laager 17 miles away. Some of the Gordons with an armored train carrying a 6-ia. gun, pom-poms, and Colt's automatic guns, came We expected a few days ago an atwishes and the token of esteens. The down for a day, but nothing traispired. captain incidentally remarked that on I believe that many of the enemy would account of his ill-health he was about to give up the game, only they fear they may leave for Montreal, and from there on be sent out of South Africa, and that they a visit to the Old Country, but expected | do not desire,

to return at some future date. .Captain | With best wish

fielding being and forced Rublin to the ropes. THey the clinched, and after the break sparfed a made a running catch of exceller moment for wind. Ruhlin landed right and bringing loud cheers from th left on Fitz's face, but Fitz did not seem thusiasts present. Holness, for to mind them. Both men seemed very tired, pitched his usual steady game, k but Fitz sent his left to Ruhlin's stomach, hits well scattered. The featu making him wince. The men came to a work was displayed in the nint clinch and walked to the ropes. They were when Nanaimo's best batters not fighting so fast as in the former rounds. Ruhlin could hardly raise his hands. A left on the jaw sent him to his termined that they should no knees, and was almost out. He waited till The first man up could the last count and staggered to his feet. grounder to him, and he was The round decidedly in Fitz's favor. at first with ease. 'The second fa Round 5.-Fitz feinted, and they clinch- the third man, the well know ed, fighting slowly. Ruhlin missed a right Gouge, hit the ball to second any Corporal O'Dell, Times Corres- swing and nearly lost his balance. He out. McLeod, for Victoria. then sent a fierce one to Fitz's face and himself at first by accepting received a stiff left-hander on the body. that came his way. Burns, at Ruhlin seemed to be waking up a little in the game from start to the and landed several blows on Fitz in quick the most sensational play of succession, but did little damage. Ruhlin double play, unassisted-by catchin Springs, near Johannesburg, July 2nd, continually clinched to save himself. Fitz drive and touching second base

1900 .- During the last few days our boys followed him up and pummelled him with occupied by a runner. right and left. Ruhlin saved himself with Holness had nine strikeouts a clinch. Fitz landed right and left as the five; Nanaimo had seven hits to bell rang. Shind C. Ruhlin C. right was neatly his accurate empiring, it l

countered by Fitz, who landed. Ruhlin tory to both teams and the was fighting cautiously, but Fitz put him The game was clean throughout off his guard and landed a right on Ruhlin's nose and by a left hook drove Ruhlin a gentlemanly, lot of ball players to the ropes. Fitz landed left on jaw, and and their manager, Mr. McMahor knocked Ruhlin down and out. The round | ed the utmost courtesy toward the Vic lasted two minutes and ten seconds.

> RUHLIN'S CONDITION. (Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 11.-Ruhlin, the pugilist, who was knocked out in the 6th round by Fitzsimmons last night at Madison Square Gardens, was said to-day to be re-

covering from the terrible punishment of champion of Canada, and Cotter, of Van the fight. For several hours after he re-ceived the knock-ont blow his condition was serious and medical aid was summon-three. Spelling of the contest, the Newcovering from the terrible punishment of ed. Ruhlin had violent hemorrhages in the Advertiser mellitains that there had bee ashed from the ears. Water was so much dirty work in the profession dashed finto Rubin's face and smelling races this season at Brockton Point, the

After an examination, the physiclens field outside of the dispute over the pace-mak clared that there were no, internal ind ing the riding of the two contestants we uries, and no serious results will follow. passably integra and decidedly on square. The pacing of the various he LAWN TENNIS. : 138 RD wasi far from satisfactory. The arran NARROWLY AVERTED DEFEAT. ment in this regard was that McLeod and

Cotter were each to choose a rider to may the two-seater. Alf. Boake, of Toronto In yesterday's matches at the Seattle tennis tournament, Foulkes, the champion, was compelled to exert supreme efforts to escape defeat at the hands of the Seattle player, F. C. Newton. The latter was eventually defeated, but nevertheless every player, F. C. Newton. The latter was eventually defeated, but nevertheless every well, as either representative could, point was stubbornly contested, grudgingsuit his principal in the race, become m ly given and resolutely won. The Victorian captured the first game of the set ly a passenger and give deadweight to and Newton the second. team-mate the other fellow's represe tive) to pedal along. After the sec Finally the score stood 4-5, in favor of heat, a movement was set on foot to se

Foulkes, when Newton took the net three say that the mine has been worked for five games and the set, 6-4. The next set was years and can be worked for another five captured by Foulkes, and after twenty-five before the supply of coal will be exhaust- minutes the match was resumed and a ed. The seam is 70 feet through, and the regal contest ensued. Both men played main drive three-quarters of a mile long, with wonderful accuracy, dash and per-25 feet high and 15 feet broad. There is no sistency, and it was only after a grand need to timber it, and as we were provided struggle in every particular that the chamwith naked candles I came to the conclu- plon took the third set and the match. Un-

tric lights, but occasionally I found candles niceties, and, as exponents, both victor and loser won additional laurels. This afternoon Foulkes is down to meet Fransioli, and the winner of that contest

fairly beaten so far as speed was conce ed, in the second and third heats of race, McLeon is anything but satisfied will meet the winner of the Freeman-Hurd match, to decide the all-important the tandem dropping out at the three-q ter mark in the second heat, when he question of state championship. Yesterday the Victorians, Foulkes and depending on it carrying him to the sev Goward, were not successful against Hurd and Russell, who won the doubles in 6-2, eighths mark. After a long discussion was agreed that in the final race the 0-1. However, it is only just to mention dem should drop out at the flag pole. that this event was played immediately The first heat was w after the Foulkes-Newton match, and the half a wheel; time 2:16. champion was somewhat exhausted. The sidedna heat went to Cotter by Russell and Miss Riley beat Foulkes and inches; thad 2:20 1-5. Miss Holbrook, 6-1, 1-6, 6-4; while Malcolm and partner beat Goward and Miss Tyler, The finel and deciding heat was won Cotter by two lengths in 2:08 1-5. 6-5. 6-5. The other races were decided as follow In the doubles in the forenoon, Foulkes One mile boys-1, A. J. Oben; 2, All and Goward beat Tidmarsh and Reming-King; 3. Fritz Ringle; time 2:50. ton, 6-2, 6-4. Goward was beaten, how-One mile Chinese-1, Charlie Fan; ever, in the singles by Fransioli, 6-0, 6-4. Mah Yontry 2, Ah Sing. No time taken. Speaking of Goward's play, the Post-In-(Note : Everbody laughing too much telligencer says: catch théatime.) "Goward plays tennis after the style of Five mile amateur handlcap-1, R. Ha his brother, who made a fine showing at don, scratch; 2, J. Edwards, scratch; last year's tournament, using his racket with both hands. He is the possessor of Hert Woods, 350 yards. Time 31.59. an old, battered racket, and with it he WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIPS. smashes the ball like a knight of the (Associated Press.) baseball diamond. If he would hit it Paris, Aug. 13 .- The three days' meet such slaps as he does with a new, tightly the world's bicycle championship conte strung racket he would knock it a distance began yesterday with the trial heats a almost beyond calculation. Goward also Prince's park. Lake won his heat in puts a tremendous slice on the ball, which amateur championship over a course of not only causes it to curve in its flight, but metres in 2 minutes 491/2 seconds. In t makes the rebound very deceptive." professional championship, Tom Coope FOULKES DEFEATED. was the only American winning a be McFarland finishing third. Cooper's tim A conspicuous feature in connection with was 1 minute 43. 1-5 seconds. The cours the tennis tournament, which was concluded at Seattle on Saturday, was the defeat run was 333 metres. Cooper and MeFar in the match for the championship of the land were second in their heat in the ta state of Washington of J. F. Foulkes, of dems, but will have no place in the find this city, victor of hundreds of hard-fought Tomasself and Meyers won the heat. battles and possessor of trophies innumer-Women with pale, colorless faces, who feel weak and discouraged, will receive both mental and bodily vigor by using Car-ter's Iron Fills, which are made for the blood, nerves and complexion. able, at the hands of Freeman. The latter is the champion of Southern California, and is necessarily a great exponent of tennis. True to his record, experience and local renown, Foulkes put up an able struggle, but his opponent's play was irresistible, particularly when he installed himself at the ABSO net, from which he worked his own sweet will. He won the first set with comparative ease, but lost the second set, Foulkes taking it with 6-3. The next two sets were SECURITY. captured by Freeman, 6-2, 6-3, who is now champion of the state of Washington. Hurd and Russell took the finals in the men's doubles from Freeman and Newton, 6-4, 4-6, 6-2, 6-1. In the ladies' singles Miss Riggs beat Miss Schram, 6-0, 6-0. Russell and Miss Riley were defeated by Genuine Mrs. Rollins and Malcolm in the mixed doubles, this result coming in the nature of **Carter's** a surprise. The score was 6-3, 7-5. The ladies' doubles were won by Mrs Riggs and Mrs. Burliff, of Tacoma, whe beat Miss Banks and Mrs. Rollins, of Sent-Little Liver Pills. tle, 6-1, 6-4. The consolation singles were won by R. G. Hudson, of Tacona, who beat Smith, of Seattle, 10-8, 5-7, 6-8, 6-4, Must Bear Signature of The prizes were distributed by M. Pelly after the match. Grent Sood BASEBALL. THE VICTORIAS WON. The Victoria and Nanaimo teams met in See Pac-Simile Wrapper Below. a match in Nanaimo on Saturday, which resulted in a victory for Victoria by a Yory small and as easy score of 6 to 5. The game was very inter-Se tales as sugar. esting from beginning to end, being any-CARTER'S FOR HEADACHE. body's victory until the last man was put out in the ninth innings. Had it not been for the few errors, which were excusable, FOR BILIOUSNESS. however, on account of the rough condi-FOR TORPID LIVER. FOR CONSTIPATION. been faultless. Both teams were in fine FOR SALLOW SKIN. form, Nanaimo having been strengthened and improved in their playing since they FOR THE COMPLEXION met the Amities here on the 7th of July. Con Purely Togetable, Manifin Spargo and O'Connor, the Nanaimo bat-

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SW. MEEOD DEFEATED

The match race between Angus McLeo champion of Canada, and Cotter, of Va salts were frequently applied between the Safurday's anatch race between McLes alternate stages of waitpeet and revival. and Cottes was guite a refreshing change

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but the idea was given up, when an agr

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cipals to have a battle royal for the en

last quarter. Whilst admitting that he

final heat was arrived at.

Serios States

-0--Steamer Oregon, which returned to no treasure except one of the regular the Sound the other day, reported that shipments of gold from the Treadwell evidences of a prehistoric race have been mines. Among the Victorians aboard found in Alaska. Two prospectors while, were Messrs, A. W. Bannerman-and J. in the foothills of Mount St. Elias, the Stephenson, both of whom had been at tallest peak on the continent, found a Bennett. On the down trip the D.G.S. copper mine which had been worked Quadra with the Governor-General and ages before by some people, presumably party aboard were passed in Granville early Russian, possibly natives, who had channel. inhabited the district. Numerous ar-

ticles of practical use, such as spear heads, cooking mensils, tools, etc., were to the Orient from Seattle, was interpicked up. 1. 18 -0-

-At the recent meeting of the Provin- the urgent necessity for taking advancial Society for "the Prevention of tage of all space for cargo in loading Cruelty to Animals, the question of es- transports, an experiment was attempted tablishing branches in the various dis- in the case of the Pak Ling. Water baltricts in the interior of the province was last was removed from forward tanks brought up and favorably discussed, and the space filled with oats. The ex-The secretary, C. J. South, read several letters from different points asking that branches be established there. President Dallain, of the local branch, has received another letter, from a gentleman in Nelson, asking for information regarding the establishment of a branch, and stating that there were many cases of cruelty to horses in the vicinity of Nelson. This matter is receiving particular attention from the society, and in all probability as soon as the necessary funds are available the wishes of the applicants will be acceded to.

-In the report of the meeting of the council of the Board of Trade appearing in these columns last evening, a typographical error made Tuzo rock read "Zero" rock. Capt. Cox's recommendation was in favor of removing Tuzo rock, which he considered a much greater obstacle in the course of vessels entering and leaving the harbor than Dredger rock. In another column of this paper will be seen a notice with the information that the department of public works proposes to commence operations for the removal of the latter rock. Four piles will be driven at each corner of the rock, and a white light will be exhibited on the southwest corner pile from sunset to sunrise. Steamers will be required to pass on the south side, and slow down while the work is in progress. Both the mining resolutions introduced near the conclus ion of the meeting yesterday were carried by a unanimous vote, and the min ing committee in acting upon the request contained in the last clause of the second resolution will in all probability gather some very useful information regarding the situation and operation of smelt-

(From Monday's Dally)

ers.

-In an accident which occurred couple of weeks ago at the Chemainus mill, a young man named McDermott had his arm crushed. In spite of the efforts of the doctors mortification set in and the wounded man's arm was amputated, but he could not stand the shock

Skagway and other Alaskan ports at noon to-day with a large number of passengers, but few from Dawson. Those aboard were principally tourists, while the major number of others aboard are from Ketchican, Juneau and other points north of Skagway. This latter port the ship left just one week ago. She brings

U. S. transport Pak Ling, on her way cepted at Port Townsend the othr day and sent back to port. On account of

periment proved unsatisfactory, with the result that the vessel was ordered back | ing to E. S. Bushby, supervising agent and a readjustment of the cargo is now in progress.

(From Saturday's Dally.)

The barkentine Wrestler, which arrived at Sydney, N.S.W., on July 10th, with lumber cargo from Chemainus, had a structed by the commissioner of customs most eventful voyage. in referring to that spirituous liquors may be transthe trip the Sidney Morning Herald ported through Yukon Territory to posts says: "She loaded at Chemainus with or sub-ports in Alaska from Skagway a cargo of lumber for Melbourne, and via White Pass and Dawson, Y. T., via on July 5, in latitude 32.03 south, longi-

tralia, encountered several heavy gales, Spavins, Ringbones, Splints Curbs, and All Forms of



Works thousands of cures annually. Eadorsed by the best breeders and horsemen everywhere. Fries, \$1; sin for \$5. As a liniment for family use it has no equal best Orecters and intersement for family use it has no equal. West Lone, Ontario, Cat., Dec. 14, 1898. DER. 5. J. KENNALL CO. Dear Sirs. — A year agoT had a valudble horse which got lame. I took him to the Veterinary Surgeon who pronounced it Gecralt Spavin and gave me little hope, although he applied a sharp blister. This made matters only worse and the horse beckme se latue that it could not stand up. After trying everyling in my power I went to a neighbor and told him about the case. He gave me one of your books and I studied it carefully and be-ing resolved to do the tumost in favor of my beast, went to the nearest drug store and got a bottle of your Spavin Cure and applied it strictly according to directions. Be-fore the first bottle was used I noticed an improvement, horse good care and did some light work with him, wish-ing to see if it had effected a cure. I then started to work the horse bard and to my entite staffaction he never showed any more lameness through the whole summer. Tean recommend Rendall's Spavin Cure not only as an scolent, but as a sure remedy, to any one that it may concern. Your struly, Shavin Cure not coly as an scolent, but as a sure remedy, to any one that it may

Ask your druggist for Kendall's Spavin Cure, also "A Treatise on the Horse," the book free, or address DR. B. J. KENDALL COMPANY, ENOSBURG FALLS, VT.

Lee is an old-timer on this Coasty having all in Victoria. I conclude been originally in command of the old SEYMOUR HASTINGS O'DELL. Abyssinia, when that vessel was running on the present Empress routes, When

The latter was presented with a valuable

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For Infants and Children.

the Japan was placed in the company's service, Captain Lee proceeded to Glasgow, to bring her out, and has been in Sporting New charge ever since. Fourth Officer Smart has also handed in his resignation, as well as Dr. Cavanagh, the ship's surgeon, and Mrs. Rennie, the stewardess.

THE RING. FITZSIMMONS WON THE FIGHT.

silver tea and coffee service. She has been on the ship four years, and is leav-New York, Aug. 10.-At the Madison Square Garden to-night Bob Fitzsimmons. ing the vessel to conduct a lodging house in Vancouver. She is being succeeded met Gus Ruhlin, the Akron giant, and won by Miss Hewitt, late nurse in the Vicby knocking the Ohioian down and out in the sixth round. Fitzsimmons conceded

about 32 pounds to Ruhlin, and this in it-Steamer Tees and Princess, Louise self was a serious handicap. From the went north yesterday evening, [] the forword "go," the men started in with hurrimer with all the freight she could carry. cane-like force. Both were wild at times. Her decks were piled with lumber for but Fitz was always the quicker to steady White Horse, while her hold was filled himself. Ruhlin clinched a good deal and so for three or four rounds was the aggreswith miscellaneous guantities of merchandise. The Louise receives cargo at sor. He landed some hard straight lefts on Fitzsimmons's face and swung his right Vancouver, and will have freight for all to the body and head with fearful force. northern points. Liquor cargo can now Several of these blows staggered Fitz, but be bonded through British Columbia and none of them landed on the mark, as Fitz Yukon Territory from Skagway, accordwas too shifty. When Ruhlin's nose began to bleed, the sight of the blood seemed to of the Canadian customs at Skagway. have a deterrent effect on him, and Fitz The delay in establishing the order, he was quick to see this. At the first sign of says, is attributed to the lack of infor-

weakness on Ruhlin's part, Fitz began his mation by the Ottawa government of attack on the body, and each blow he the change in the Alaskan prohibition landed there made Gus wince with pain. Round 1.-They began sparring rapidly. Fitz missed right swing. They clinched; another breakaway. Ruhlin shot left to wind. Fitz got left to nose and received a right twice in succession. Ruhlin then rushed Fitz to ropes with lefts to head. bonded carriers. Each package shall be Both were a little wild, but Fitz finally tude 153.09 east, off the coast of Aus-tralia, encountered several heavy gales. Spirituous liquors in transit to Alaska landed a right jolt on Ruhlin's face, but received a stiff right hand in return: Ruhand transported in bond through the Yuin rushed Fitz to ropes and fired right and kon Territory, shall not be allowed to go left to head. Fitz finally rushed Ruhlin to into consumption in said territory. There ropes. Ruhlin landed three lefts in rapid has been unavoidable delay owing to the succession. Fitz was groggy and fell to necessity of communicating with the his knees as the bell rang. Fitz's seconds United States government for informarushed to the ring and cried foul, but it tion with respect to the laws restricting was not allowed.

or prohibiting the importation of liquors Round 2 .- The men rushed in and spar red for a moment. Sublin ducked a flerce right in the greand. Fitz came back with Steamer Willapa returned from the three victors switch in Ruhlis's eye. Buh-lin came tech with a stiff right hander and the design, was terrific. Ruhlin's West Coast on Saturday afternoon, af-ter an uneventful passage. She brings news from Deer Creek of a good strike nose was diseding; both men were tired made there recently on Mr. Ward's proand Ruhlin hugged Fitz, trying to real perty. The passengers to arrive on the He seemed groggy, and clinched on steamer were E. Dewdney, Mrs. G. W. ally, and on a stiff right hander Fits foor-Woollett, H. Davis, H. J. Donelly, G. ed Ruhlin, who stayed down siz seconds Thomson, Mrs. Selz and children, E. The round closed with Ruhlin very much H. Braden and Jas. Maitland-Dougall worried.

Round 3 .- Ruhlin started with a righthander which landed lightly. Fitz retallat-Prompt relief in sick headache, dizziness, nausea, constipation, pain in the side, gnar-anteed to those using Carter's Little Liver Pulls. One a dose. Small price. Small sose. Small pill. ed with a light touch which he followed up and made Ruhlin wink. The men sparred at long range for the moment, and then Fitz rushed in with sharp blows. His face was covered with blood, but he seemed CASTORIA strong. Ruhlin made an apparent attempt to butt with his head. Fitz got a left to ear, and Ruhlin countered with a right on then of the ground, the match would have the jaw. Both men were very tired. Ruh-lin missed several hot swings, Both clinched and staggered to the ropes. Just as the bell rang Fitz got in a right with a little Left Platchers mappe - h u steam behind it. This round was slightly in favor of Fitz.

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

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of the passengers is as follows: Clif-

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ohn Caskell, C. M. Grahame, D. G.

Berges, J. M. Nicholson, Mrs. Nicholson,

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teed during the season of 1900.' The sale of through tickets from British Columbia and Puget Sound ports to Dawson and Atlin will be discontinued September 1st, 1900. Tickets sold prior to Septem-ber 1st should be limited to not later Supplies than September 10th." The city council of Skagway is serious

ly discussing levying a tax on all foreign ships, but as yet has taken no definite steps in the matter.

According to advices from Dawson dated July 13th, Jack Carr, the well known Alaska mail carrier and explorer, has at last struck it rich. He got in among the first on the Tanana discoveries and secured upwards of twenty valuable claims One of his properties on Faith creek is turning out from \$1.25 to \$1.75 to the pan. Carr is now whipsawing lumber to build sluice boxes for

active work on his property.



Brothers Serving in the Above Corps.

En Route Through Northern Natal to Join General Buller.

renew old acquaintances. A complete The following letter has been received by Mrs. Fraser, Esquimalt road, from her three sons, Harry, Hugh and Wil-Mrs. Maynard, M. Wilkinson, H. Wilkinfrid, who are serving with Strathcona's is asserted that some time ago the mem-Horse in South Africa: liam Shields, N. S. Ofsthun, C. Lund, Durban, June 16 .- We got back here McMillan, L. Gagner, E. B. Stafflet, last night and went to the upper Tugela river by train, and from there marched to Eshowe and stopped there two days. ployees who become sick or who had Bowden, W. H. Watson, George We then marched back 100 miles been injured. When the matter came to Murphy, H. Naylor, Mirs. Naylor, F. through a very pretty country and the the ears of some of the medical men, Jas. S. Lancaster; Jas. Whit settlers brought us baskets of oranges however, it is said that they threatened E. McCartley, Vun McCartley, E. Holmes, V. Labrucherie Peter as we passed. From here we go to Newas we passed. From here we go to New would withdraw their patronage from the institution and that the matter was we are to do there. We hear the war is accordingly dropped. E. Makels, Mrs. James McNamee, all over, and that peace is about to be . In regard to the work of the second s McNamee, Henry Wagners, Miss declared. Wonder if you see anything committee if the scheme is carried out, Dubais, Miss Rose"Dubois, D. A. in the papers about us. We are doing wonders out here. Am writing this out-titled to medical attendance not only for Miss Alice Fairbanks, W. M. H. O. Wright, Mrs. J. H. Wardside, sitting on my saddle, and will have himself but for his wife and children al-J. H. Clark, John Slater, F. Smart; to saddle up in a minute. "A" troop so on payment of his benefit dues. It is Uchide, Jas. E. Devine, A. F. Dunhas gone and we are waiting for re- expected that this will necessitate the John L. Willcox, A. D. Norton, R. mounts. The South American horses employment of six lodge doctors instead rge, A. Nilsen, P. H. Palmer, J. Kerr. are of no use, and can't stand anything. of three, as is the case at present. The Danube left Skagway on Tues-On our march down we left about two calling at Wrangelpen route down, dozen of them along the trail, played e the Strathcona, three days over

The main industry here is sugar, and we passed through nine miles of sugar It is believed that the government will cane and banana patches. The fruit take action, but should they fail to do so tastes quite different here to what it does resort will be had to private members, in British Columbia. Must stop now to and if necessary to the opposition. clean my rifle, as there is to be an arm At the gathering at Nanaimo on Sat

News is also given by the passengers inspection in a few minutes. Am finishthe finding of the Body " of Walter lonastes, one of the victims of the Flor-S. disaster, which was recovered at Hootalinqua, 13 miles below the scene of the accident. The body has been shipto Dawson, where the inquest will held. From there it will be forwarded present. The men I have not yet seen, Skagway for interment. No news, wever, has been received of the reso don't know whether I know any of them. We are just ready to start, and ery of the bodies of Mrs. Stewart or it will take us 16 hours for our trip to her daughter, who were also victims of Newcastle

"Whereas, the powers and privileges so unail recently with Sir Charles Warren was bearing down on the scene of the same disaster. Newcastle, June 17 .-- Got here last C. Tache, engineer in charge of the ight at 8 o'clock, having passed through conferred were for the purpose of qualiwhile that energetic soldier was engaged ublic works of the Dominion govern-Ladysmith at 8 a.m. We stopped there fication and the protection of the public inequelling the rebels in Cape Colony. ment, in the Yukon basin, had returned about two hours, fed our horses and got interest, and, o Skagway from Ottawa by the Danube. our own breakfast. This is a little fool "Whereas, the action of certain profesannounces that this dall a dam will of a place and, barring the town hall, sional classes has been directed against there are no signs of it having been be-the accustomed and legitimate active be built at the head of Lake Lebarge to during their tour of subjugation through confine the waters from spreading over seiged, but that has been pretty well uses of benevolent societies and immical northern Cape Colony. the shallow area there and coursing blown up with Boer shells. About two to the best interests of the public wel-It appears that one night Boers The unfortunate vessel, which for severthrough several channels. It is expectstealthly crept within striking distance al hours took in no water, now began dozen bridges between here and Ladyfare, and, ed that the water thus confined will of smith have been wrecked, and they look of the pickets and before the unfortun- to leak. Rocking and plunging about, it "Whereas, difficulty exists in obtaining itself clear out the remaining channel, like the pictures in the Graphic. The medical practitioners to carry on the and so obviate dredging. At Five Fingate fellows could defend themselves the train goes round them at present. majority of them were placed hors de ers the passage will be further improved work of benevolent institutions, and, We heard one of the generals here blasting out the rock and increasing "Whereas, the B. C. Medical Act excombat. The entire camp was soon aroussay we would be one of the finest regiwidth of the channel. At Thirtycludes from practice in British Columbia ed, however, and Sir Charles himself was as was the Minnie, and when the crew ments that ever came to South Africa. Mile river, 156 boulders were removed seen to emerge from his tent attired in left her she was pretty well battered to graduates from all colleges and univer-On our way down the girls and men sities, unless they pass the examination rajamas and helmet'and wearing the inlast year and this work is to be resumed. used to hand us in fruit through the Mr. Tache will establish his headquarters vitable monocle. In spite of the serious provided by the B. C. Medical Council; windows; one lot gave us two sacks of at White Horse. Paul Mercier, son of "Therefore, be it resolved that the comharacter of the proceedings the specoranges and plantains. the late former premier of Quebec, is bined benevolent societies of British Cotacle presented by the general was most We passed through Colenso in the assistant to Mr. Tache, and accompanies amusing, and while none dared to laugh lumbia, here assembled, protest against daytime. The first place on the line where a battle was fought. They are him. After establishing his headquart, ers at White Horse he will go on to Dawthe unjust discrimination of the B. C. outright there was considerable subdued Medical Council and memorialize the chuckling. all small places. The fargest bridge blown up is about five minutes from British Columbia Legislature to"repeal There was a general melee and two offi-Although all travellers between White during the present session obnoxious cers with whom Sir Charles was con-Colenso. Iron bridges, with stone piers, Horse and Dawson have been enjoying clauses in the Medical Act and admit versing were struck down at his side. were completely destroyed. Buller has cut rates which are less than, half the upon the provincial medical register all The attack was repulsed with considermade a proclamation that all Boers who regular tariff, there is a feeling that they will not be maintained. The Yukon Fly-er Line, which made the first open de-claration as to the cut rates, and which practitioners possessing a medical able loss to the enemy, who must have diploma from British or Canadian colbeen convinced of the fact that experileges or universities holding a license to ments of this sort were, to say the least, Kruger, that old Oom has skinned to practice in any province of the Domin- extremely costly. has been selling for \$15 from White ion of Canada; and be it further resolved 31 8 the hills. The Boers doult want to fight, Horse to Dawson, has given notice it will BACK FROM ROD HILL. that we vigorously protest against class but they keep on the run from one place hereafter sell at no less than \$20. legislation and ask that equal privileges General Manager E. C. Hawkins, of 'to another. Think we are going to join Buller the be given the members of the legal and the White Pass & Yukon, wired from other side of Laing's Nek, a march of dental professions; Dawson to General Traffie Manager Ir. win at Skagway that the low rates an- 30 miles, so we ought to be with him "Be it further resolved that copies of this resolution be presented to the Premnounced by the company were not to be soon. Orders have just been given that considered a reduction In tariff, but a we are to be ready to march at 9 to- ier, Hon. Jas. Dunsmuir. and also the morrow, but they don't say where. So local press." cut, and therefore likely to be changed this may be the last letter for some time. For the purpose of bringing the matter at any time. The present rate quoted by the W. P. We would not care to stop in South more generally before the people of the R. C. R. have returned to barracks at & Y. to Dawson is \$30 first-class and Africa, as there is hardly any water, Province and Dominion the following Africa, as there is hardly any water, Province and Dominion the following Hospital Point. Naturally the return cers commanding the latter that passage about the return about th \$20 second. The Klondike Corporation s still taking a lively part in the fight, about ten miles apart. In only some newspapers, and to the leading Eastern and expects to do better when the low places you can keep horses or cattle as and United States papers, accompanied water comes and the larger boats canthe wood ticks are so bad. There are by the resolutions just given. The atnot operate to as great an advantage as plenty of lemons and oranges, but tention of the Grand Lodges in the East quently since Friday the men have been vegetables are scarce-in fact there are is also being drawn to the matter, with a All records for fast travel up the Yukon view to Dominion legislation on the from Dawson to White Horse were broknone. subject: en by the steamer-Yukoner, on the run WHAT to Miss Beer M. rigs Reases of Miss " ig Mrs. Solar and " 03 119 "At the second annual re-union of se ending Sunday morning, a week ago yes- FOOT ELM cret societies held at Nanaimo on the terday. The time was three days, fif- DOES. 11th day of August, 1900, when prominteen hours and fifteen minutes. For a It cools a burning bunfon. ent workers of the mystic craft had part of the way the Lightning raced up It soothes a sensitive corn. gathered together from the cities of Nahe river with the Yukoner. The pass-It relieves smarting feet. naimo, Vancouver, Westminster and Vicingers on the Yukoner took the greatest It rests tired feet. toria, an opportunity was presented interest, and when the steamer would stop to take fuel, they would rush out and carry wood with the deck hands It eases aching feet. and reference made to the action of the It dispels perspiration odors. representatives of the British Columbia It "breaks in" new shoes. Medical Association residing at Victoria, that their boat might be helped along in the race. The Yukoner belongs to the It preserves the leather. in refusing to attend the members of the It cures sweaty blistered feet. various secret societies of that city. It Canadian Development Company, and is There is nothing like "FOOT ELM" for appears that the societies have been payone of the largest steamers on the upper all troubles of the feet. iver. In anticipation of the close of navigaing \$3 a year for each member in stand-THESE ARE FACTS. ing to the medical officer appointed by ONE BOX WILL CONVINCE YOU. ion on the Yukon river and tributary Foot Eim is 25c. a box at all druggists, the lodge in consideration of his attend- Engineers, who initiated the men into or by mail, Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, ance and medicine to the members. No lakes, the White Pass & Yukon has issued circulars that through tickets will not be sold nor through bills of lading issued from the Sound or British Columreason has been assigned for the action bridge construction, and this was conthe term and strate we Ont: bia to Dawson or Atlin after September 1st. The circulars contain the following: Through bills of lading issued after August 20th, 1900, must bear the following notation: 'Delivery of shipments covered by this bill of locie groot guaran-

For Larger **Benefits**

Federated Society Board Contemplate an Extension of the Fraternal Principle.

Asks Also for Hospital Accomodation and for Medical Act Amendments.

Although the members of the Victoria medical council have apparently agreed lodges, the matter has by no means been the fight is ahead.

families, failing which they are requested to submit a scheme for the establishment of a societies' hospital next year. In connection with the latter point it bers of the Jubilee Hospital board approached the large employers of labor in the city and suggested that they contribute a certain sum each month for the maintenance in the hospital of their em

The legislative committee will inter view the government and further press

upon them the necessity for a modification of the clauses of the Medical Act.

urday the scheme was explained by ing this at the station while waiting Phil R. Smith, and by President' Price. to put the horses on the train. The last of the Federated Board. The result was fifty Canadians that came out are here; the passage of the following resolution, they brought us some remounts, and which was moved by W, J. Gower, of from what I have seen of them they are Victoria, seconded by W. Bennett, of better horses than those we have at Nanaimo, and supported by S. H. Williams, of Vancouver: "Whereas the Legislature of the province of British Columbia have enacted

On the other hand, it is claimed by so- would be taken, and every detail essenciety men that the privilege of choosing tial to the consummation of an organized lodge physicians, and it is a practice that plan of sudden attack, or a reconnaisthe societies have enjoyed for many sance, carried out. In this manner and years, has proved the most satisfactory, in other branches of training, the mem both to the lodges and the members bers of "A" Company at Rod Hill have hereof. The small sums set aside passed the last rew weeks, and both the monthly from the individual member instructors and the instructed are satisprovide for those who may fall for the fied with the progress made. The men are somewhat bronzed, but are looking Fraternal Organizations Have a time being from the ranks of wage earnremarkably "fit" and in the best of ers, and it certainly seems reasonable that the producing classes would be in a spirits, and their prestige as a corps is decidedly increased by the knowledge better position to contribute toward such and experience they have received during sickness than the afflicted one. Another their stay at Rod Hil. great objection which the lodges have to

the practice the Victoria physicians wish to establish is the confidence existing between patient and doctor. Certain prescribed illnesses will nulify not only the medical attention but also the sick benefits payable to members. Lodges have been refused by private doctors to disclose the condition of certain members,

to cease the public discussion of the dif- urging that such would be a breach of ferences between themselves and the etiquette and of no concern to the lodge. Details of the Wreck of Well It will be easily seen how difficult the dropped and recent occurrences would such evils. The Victoria societies have seem to indicate that the stiffest part of been fortunate in securing the services of three physicans to carry on the work

At a recent meeting of the Federated in face of the oposition created by the Societies' board, three committees were Medical Association, but are unable to Interesting Letter From Fraser appointed. One of these is for the pur- obtain additional assistance until the pose of securing the repeal of the obnox. present Medical Act is amended, conferious clauses in the Medical Act, which ring as it does the powers of examination the members feel are an injustice to of new arrivals by a now very interested them. Another is for the purpose of board. The matter has been placed in Five members of the crew of the lost formulating a plan to extend the benefits the hands of the government for over a of the lodge to the families of members, month and as yet there are no signs of instead of to members only as is now the dealing with the subject. Representa- they had been taken by the Nome steam- crowds were also in attendance from Vancase. A third will devote its energies to tions have again been made within the securing accommodation in the Royal past week, that the matter may be dealt Oscar Lindquist, C. de Grind and John Jubilee Hospital for members and their with before the present session is end-Williams. They left Ounalaska a week ed. To strengthen the hands of the com-

mittee appointed by the federated board of secret societies, the following set of resolutions were read by the president of trance to Unimak Pass, one of the gatethe federated board of secret societies, ways through the Aleutian Islands to Mr. J. Price, and was carried by the meeting unanimously." KILLED IN ACTION.

Capt. Donat O'Brien, Cousin of Provincial Constable Hoskins, Met Death Near Standerton.

made it without difficulty. Constable S. Hoskins, of the provincialpolice, has lately received the news of 11.15 o'clock on the night of July 26th the death in South Africa of a gallant A thick fog prevailed. The sea was consin, Capt. Donat O'Brien, of the quiet but a strong current a phenomina Warwickshires, but who had recently, nowever, been attached to the mounted nfantry under Lord Dundonald.

According to the information a detachment of mounted infantry, under the immediate command of Major Herbert Gough, was making a reconnaissance at Alanond's Nek, near Standerton, when they came in touch with the enemy, and in the fight that followed Capt. O'Brien received a wound in the abdomen. Upon sexamination it was discovered that made for all to get ashore. his hurt was fatal, death occurring in wenty-four hours.

Capt. O'Brien served with the Warwickshires in the Fifth Division of Gen- what was in store for their craft with eral Buller's army and under the com- the first wind that blew. That night mand of Sir Charles Warren. He par- the personal effects of all and some proticipated in the battle of Spion Kop and visions were taken ashore. It was an the subsequent operations resulting in exciting time. No one at first could the relief of Ladysmith. He was highly speculate on how long he would be left esteemed by his fellow officers, not only at the mercy of the elements on the unof his courage which never failed under | hospitable bleak and lonely point. But the most trying conditions, but also for they were not kept long in suspence. many fine personal qualities.

Mr. Hoskins's brother, who is serving and the bomb gun, which they discharg-with the Cape Mounted Police, and who legislation conferring special privileges was one of the garrison in Kimberley lookout man on the schooner Walter L. upon the learned professions, and,



Gala Gathering at the Coal City.

Interesting Programme of Sports and a Throng of Happy Visitors.

The second annual re-union of the soieties of the Pacific Coast was held at Nanaimo on Saturday, and was characterized by the same success that attended the initial celebration of the fraternal organizations in this city a year ago. The brethren in the Coal City were tireless in their exertions, and the manner in which the arrangements were carried out will Five of Shipwrecked Crew Arrive form a standard for future demonstrations. The city was lavishly decorated for the occasion, a general disposition being shown to mark the re-union as a gala event. Victoria sent up a big contingent of visitors, the bulk of whom made the trip by the City of Nanaimo. Unfortunately the vessealing schooner Minnie arved here from sel mentioned was a little late in reaching the Sound yesterday morning, where the city, thus delaying the procession. Big

er Alliance. Three of the men are couver and the islands of the Gulf. Addresses were to have been delivered by Rev. Elliot S. Rowe and Dr. Ernest ago last Friday and report that the Hall, of Victoria, but both were unable to attend from pressure of other duties. Minnie, which they deserted some days Mayor Manson made a short and witty speech, and a brief address was delivered by Phil. R. Smith, secretary of the Federafed Society Board of Victoria, upon a matter referred to in another column. The trades procession was a great sucess, some handsome floats being paraded

Rich, and the five men now here were by the different organizations. the only ones who struck out in open Among those who took part in the pro boat from the wreck, heading for cession were: St. George's Society, the Ounalaska. The distance is 45 miles, Eagles, Native Sons, K. of P., Orange Sobut the men, favored by a calm sea,

ciety; A. O. F., I. O. O. F., and Rebekaha, To the latter society fell three out of the five/prizes for floats, the Eagles and Foresters, securing the other, two. The latter also secured, the special prize, and the Eagles that for the best decorated float, common to the locality-was running. while the Rebekahs captured those for the Captain Jacobsen was below and a mem² best represented society and for marching. ber of the quintette, one who did not In the archery competitions Mrs. Hamilcare to give his name, was at the wheel. ton won first place and Mrs. Dykes The vessel had most of her canvas second among the ladies, while of the nen spread and consequently struck hard. T. Smith, of Victoria, and Henley and She ran bow on to Ukimat Island, the Baxter, of Nanaimo, took the prizes in the most southerly in the Aleutian group. order named. The team from Court Northdriving her nose high out of water and ern Light, Victoria, were first in the team leaving her stern to swing with every competitions. The cup trophy in the tugsea that rolled. The fate of the schoonof-war event was captured by the Forester seemed sealed from the commenceers from the Orangemen. The successful ment, and hurried preparations were team comprised Townsend, Gordon, Henley, Thorburn, Mesher, Thompson, Grice, Around on every hand lay rocks of the Greenhart, Redgrave and McDonald.

most jagged and precipitous character. In nail driving the successful competitors and captain and crew knew only too well were Mrs. Booker, Mrs. Hubbard and Mrs. Horth.

> Clara Meston and Effie Moves took prizes for Highland dancing for girls, Milton Douglas securing the coveted honor in the boys' class.

The greasy pig prize was captured by Jimmie Atkin, the greasy pole by J. Hudson, and the tub and floating barrel contests by the same contestants.

The sky rockets, which were sent up 'The society team race was won by the Nanaimo Native Sons, represented by J. C. McGregor, Frank Martin and Moses Martin.

Results in the other events were as for lows:

The Minnie Disaster Known Schooner at

Unimak Pass.

From Gunalaska on Steam-

er Alliance.

previously, is a total wreck at the en-

Behring Sea. Captain Victor Jacobsen

and part of his crew, as heretofore an-

nounced, are on the schooner Walter L.

The wreck of the Minnie occurred

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handicap-1, R. Had Edwards, scratch; 3 rds. Time 31,59. IAMPIONSHIPS. ted Press.)

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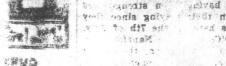
onship, Tom Coope ican winning a heat third. Cooper's time seconds. The course Cooper and McFar their heat in the tar no place in the fina s won the heat.

colorless faces, whe couraged, will receive ily vigor by using Car-ich are made for the nplexion.



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Mr. Hoskins, in a letter to his relatives, gives the particulars of a rather exciting which Captain Haan had at his comevening experienced by Warren's force mand. It was a fortunate hour for the

> "A" Company Royal Canadian Rifles Have Returned to Barracks.

immense crew would be prepared, on en-After a practical course of valuable intering the sea, to make amends for all struction at Rod Hill. extending over a tardiness on the voyage North. At period of three weeks, Col. McKay and Ounalaska there were in port two of the his smart detachment of "A" Company United States revenue cutters and H. M. S. Icarus, and it was through the offione month, of about sixty men, means shipwrecked ones. considerable activity in the details in-TROUBLESOME TO THE ARMY. cidental to re-establishment, and conse-During the civil war, as well as in our busily employed in "straightening up." late war with Spain, diarrhoea was one

There is certainly no question but that, of the most troublesome diseases the the past few weeks to those of the comarmy had to contend with. In many instances it became chronic and the old soldiers still suffer from it. Mr. David Taylor, of Wind Ridge, Greene Co., Pa., pany who have been in camp at Rod Hill have proved most profitable, for under experienced and competent instructors they have acquired the rudimentary is one of these. He uses Chamberlain's principles in a department of training Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, that must undoubtedly prove invaluable and says he never found anything that to them. Each day has been devoted in would give him such quick relief. It is this way, the hours being usually from for sale by Henderson Bros., wholesale 7.30 till 12 and 12.30 p.m. At times the agents, Victoria and Vancouver. instruction was resumed in the after-Harsh purgative remedies are fast giving way to the zentle action and mild effects of Carter's Little Liver Pi's. If you the them, they will certainly please you. noon, and with British persistency was continued until the men had mastered the

various details upon which their attention was concentrated. The instructors were Sergt. Jeremy and Corporal Galligher, of the Royal the principles of trench digging and

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100 yard amateur-1st, Wm. Good; 2nd, Coming to an anchor off the Minnie the H. Connor. shipwrecked crew were received aboard Standing long jump-1st, Connor; 2nd, and provided with all the comfort Herford.

was a matter of a short time before the

work of destruction had been completed.

Captain Jacobsen and the remaining

four of his white crew will go to

Ounalaska after the former has distri-

buted his 21 Indians among the different

sealers in Behring Sea. At Dutch Har-

bor they will embark for Victoria on

Those of his crew who have arrived

already do not account for the vessel go-

ing so far astray, except through the

struck. Utimak Pass is about twenty

miles wide, so that the Minnie was far

She had a very tedious passage North,

being 15 days out from Dodge's Cove,

on the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

when the accident occurred. She was

one of the last of the sealing fleet reach-

ing as far North as she got, but with her

fog, which prevailed at the time she

some south-bound vessel

out of her course....

Married ladies' race-1st. Mrs. Kennedy, of Wellington: 2nd, Mrs. Dawson, of Na-Minnie's crew, for next day the wind naimo; 3rd, Mrs. Trehern, of Nanaimo,

rose and the sea became very rough. 220 yard amateur handicap--1st, Jos. White; 2nd, A. Challoner.

Girls' race-1st, Olive Dawson; 2nd, Louise Fielding; 3rd, Lilian Smith. Running long jump-1st, A. Challoner;

2nd, J. Martin.

Nothing would last in the surf. situated The Victoria contingent reached home shortly after midnight.

BIRTHS.

GRANVILLE SMITH-On August 7th, at Esquimalt, the wife of Commander H. Granville Smith, Royal Navy, of a

daughter. HORN-At Revelstoke, on Aug. 7th, the wife of Mr. Thomas Horn, of a daugh-

FREEMAN-In this city, on Aug. 11th, the wife of J. H. Freeman, of a son. MARRIED.

WRIGHT-THOENTON-At Vancouver, on Aug. Sta, Harold Wright, of St. John. Nev B., and Miss Ethel Thornton, of Montreal.

Montreal. TIERNEY-O'KEEFE - At St. Anne's church, Okanagan, on Aug. 8th, by the Rev. Father Roy, Dr. J. A. Tierney and Miss Helen Mary O'Keefe.

STITT-BLACK-At Vancouver, on Aug. 9th, David Stitt and Miss Ellen Black, daughter of Walter Black, of Mount Fleasant.

Fleasant. POLOK-CSERVAK-At Twin Butte, on July 30th, by Rev. S. J. Thompson, Stephen Polok, C. P. R. section fore-man, and Miss Melana Cservak.

BROWN-MUNRO-At Kamloops, on Aug-Sth, by Rev. J. C. Stewart, George D. Brown and Harriet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Munro.

DIED.

ROBINSON-At 810 Powell street, Van-couver, on Aug. 8th, Habnah Edith, year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lames Robinson James Robinson.

JONES-At his home on Nineteenth Ave., Mount Pleasant, on Aug. 8th, John Jones, a native of London, Eng., aged 71 years.

FOX-At the family residence, 36 Mason street, on the 7th inst., Margaret, relict of the late George Fox, a native of Leeds, Yorkshire, England, aged 74

PAINTER-At Vancouver; on Aug. 6th, Lucy Adeline Painter, aged 74 years and eleven months.

and eleven months. RIVES-At St. Paul's hospital, Vancouver, on Aug. 6th, Mrs. Minnie Evelyn Rives, wife of G. T. Rives, of Lillooet, B.C., and daughter of Major P. Burnet, aged 24 years 24 years.

BUKER-At Revelstoke, ou Aug. 9th, the infant son of Fayette and Agnes Buker, aged 41/2 months.

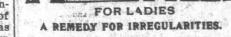
DRYSDALE-At Vancouver, on Aug. 10th. Douglas Gordon, son of Gordon and Douglas Gordon, son of Gord Maria Drysdale, aged 10 years.

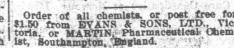
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Proposed Reforms

Dawson Board of Trade Pass Important Resolutions Affecting the Royalty Question

Skagway Chamber of Commerce Will Petition Dominion for Bonding Privileges.

The regular Alaskan and Yukon mail Among other important northern adbrought by the Cottage City contains the vices just to hand is the decision of the information that there were early last Skagway Chamber of Commerce to_apmonth an aggregate of 525 passengers peal to Canada in order to secure certain came to an anchor off the port and in all anxious to get as far from Nome as possible. They were in quarantine for kan of August 5th says: 14 days, and it was reported to them that there were 17 cases of smallpox at

An innovation in the steamboat business is contemplated by the Klondike ed by its committee on trade and com- the British Columbia trade between Hon-Corporation which promises to be extremely popular with the public. This as General Spaulding, assistant secretary the action has produced very keen rivnew departure is nothing less than an of the treasury, indicated, it will prob- alry between the Oceanic steamship line excursion trip up the Stewart river to ably be referred to the state department. running out of San Francisco and the the head of navigation on that stream . There it will furnish the foundation of Canadian-Australian line. The latter is All those who desire to do so will be megotiations between the United States being supported by the Australasia colonallowed the privilege of taking a small and Great Britain, which the latter counboat or canoe on board and can suit try will probably refer to the Canadian taliation on the American line. The themselves about returning on the Flora high commissioner, who in turn will sub- New Zealand government has already or enjoying the trip back in their own mit it to the Ottawa government. "The object of this memorial will be boat.

The trustees of the Dawson Board of Trade have been authorized to raise the merchants to retain Canadian goods sum of \$50,000 for the purpose of bringbond at this city with the privilege of ing before the people and government of Canada the true condition of affairs shipping them across the border as sold and in quantities to suit the purchaser; in the Yukon territory, and for the prose-cution of the work of securing needed to secure a more equitable method of appraisement at Bennett, to get a system legislative reforms. of bonding between Bennett and the

At a meeting of the Board of Trade American Yukon not more expensive or held last month the committee appointcumbersome than that existing between Skegway and Bennett, and to have re-gulations adopted so that goods can be ed to wait on Gold Commissioner Senkler reported as follows on the royalty shipped from Skagway to their destina-

Dawson, Y. T., July 17, 1900. E. O. Senkler, Esq., Gold Commissioner, tion, in bond, without the necessity of sending an agent to Bennett. There will probably be other privileges asked Dawson, Y. T.: for, but these are the most important.

Sir:-The board of trade of Dawson beg that you will, on your approaching visit to Ottawa, represent to the Honorable Minister of the Interior the necessity of the following recommendations of amendment of the mining laws of the Yukon country: First-That the royalty be abolished and in its stead there be substituted an export of not to exceed two per cent. on all gold taken out of the country.

Second-That concessions be granted these privileges, it must also be underonly on condition that the amount of work to be performed by the concessionaire in from Canada that the United States has each and every year of the life of the connot already freely granted to Canadians cession, including the year in which it is in Alaska. granted, shall not be less than double the present figures, and that no concession be adians grant the requests, and if so, granted without the recommendation of when? the Gold Commissioner of the Yukon Territhat the existing conditions are satisfac-

tery. tory to Canada, either refuse to grant These changes appear to us to be vital the concessions asked for or delay actto the needs of the country. The substiing upon the request indefinitely? tution of an export tax in place of the present royalty will, beyond question, not per of Alaskans, they will not hesitate diminish the amount of revenue to be to grant the request and that without drawn from the product of the mines. It will distribute the burden of taxation more equitably.

We cannot hope to discover and open up, nor can we increase the output beyond the figures of the present year unless the widest possible opportunity of prospecting and development is given to the prospector himself.

and the people of Canada the true position of industries, resources and administration of the Yukon Territory, and to obtain such necessary reforms in the present regulations, law and administration as to insure the development and prosperity of the Yukon Territory in the highest degree.

Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Ottawa, Premier of Canada: Resolved, That the board of trade send a telegram to the government at Ottawa to the effect that "Press reports state that the Yukon is to be attached to Alberta district for representation." The people of the Yukon urgently desire representation in the Dominion parliament, but not "through the extension of the Alberta or other districts.' BOARD OF TRADE OF DAWSON,

F. W. Clayton, Secy.

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Remarkable Experience With Sub-Marine Volcano--Rival

angi Brings Story of Great

Damage in Queensland.

Floods and

Steamship Lines. On the voyage of the R.M.S. Aorangi completed yesterday, no formal call was made at Honolulu, although the vessel bonding privileges. The Skagway Alas- this way received her mails and pas-Owing to the recent action of

sengers. "The Skagway Chamber of Com- the United States government in setting with their neighbors who fortunately merce will probably adopt the memorial in operation a law prohibiting British with reference to the Alaskan and Can- bottoms from carrying freight between opposite side of the railway line. Many adian customs regulations being prepar- the Hawaiian islands and a British port, merce to the treasury department, and, olulu and this port has been killed and ies, which will likely, it is said, take redone so, having refused to renew its sub-

sidy to the American line, as announc+d, to induce Canadians to permit Skagway and this plan was being seriously discussed by other governments when the Aorangi sailed. early last month.

The account of the Aorangi's passage, as given by her purser, is as follows: Left Sydney on the 16th July at 1:15 p.m. and Brisbane was reached at 3:15 a.m. on 18th July. In consequence of the mails being delayed from Sydney to July 11th, that there remained in the ship had to remain at Brisbane 24 hours beyond the usual period and left at 2:30 a.m. on 21st July. The ship arrived at Honolulu at 10:20 a.m. on 2nd inst., and left again at 9 a.m. on 3rd been thoroughly disinfected. inst. Passed and exchanged signals The Brisbane Courier of July 12th,

6:45 p.m. on the 3rd inst. On the 8th of August at 8 a.m. signalled British ship London intimating that the joint prelim-Riversdale from Hamburg to Astoria in latitude 41.20 north, longitude 138 west, Pacific cable have instructed their agents Canadians in the North, and would prob-670 miles from the entrance to Columbia river, and asked to be reported "all the cable immediately. A few days since ent conditions. It would make it so that well." At noon on the same day sig- the Premier wired to the Victorian Dawson, and other Canadian ports, on nalled German ship Arethusa of Haman equality with others. In asking for burg from Montevideo to British Columbia, 79 days out. She reported "all stood that we are not asking anything well" in latitude 42 north, longitude 137 west, 650 miles from Cape Flattery. The passengers on the Aorangi includ-

ed the celebrated Newsky family of Russian singers and dancers, and they dur- July 12th: "Notice was given by the ing the voyage gave a most interesting Will they, acting upon the idea entertainment. Some members of the McAdoo Georgia minstrels, who were this house will on Thursday resolve itpassengers, assisted by giving vocal se- self into a committee of the whole to conections. Judge Hartwell and the Misses sider: 1. That this house approves that Hartwell, of Honolulu, were among the the government of New South Wales be most notable arrivals on the steamer. The passengers for Victoria were: Mr. P. Fitzgibbon, Mr. A. Newsky, Mr. C. J. toria, Queensland and New Zealand in delay, because there is another remedy McCarthy, Mrs. G. C. Ballentine and five raising the required capital and adopting entirely in American hands that will in children, Miss Hartnagel, Miss Ogilvie, such other measures as shall be found all probability be applied if a refusal is Mr. J. C. Sayers, Mr. Van Loben Sels, best calculated to give effect to the conlong delayed. Many of our people, and Mr. Chapman, Miss Poston, Mr. and struction and maintenance of an allsurely all those of Seattle and other Mrs. Zaretzki, Miss Schonowa, Miss British submarine cable between Cansouthern points, now favor the closing Filipowa, Miss Krassilnikowa, Miss ada and Australasia across the Pacific of the port of Skagway entirely. Such Loudovitsch, Mr. Vassilief, Mrs. Norrie, ocean. 2. That the New South Wales

at submarine work. His explanation was

that where he went down there was a

volcano, and the water there was boil-

ing hot. This was doubted by people on

the Ringarooma, though the diving dress

to considerable heat. The man had to

up even more suddenly than the first.

Yet still a third would venture, and re-

turned bleeding at the ears and nose, so

it would be useless to make further at-

tempts. No doubt it was due to the ac-

tion of the submarine disturbance that

From one of the islands, distant many

degrees from the New Hebrides, comes

the information that the steamer Archer,

of Sydney, had arrived at the chief sta-

tion in the Gilberts, Butaritari, with a

number of natives who had been employed

on one of the guano islands. It appears

that scurvy and fever had broken out

amongst them, and that 14 of their num-

ber had died prior to the Archer's visit.

There were one or two Europeans in the

island, but these had not been attacked.

The Archer embarked all those who

wished to leave the island and took them

When the Aorangi left the South great

floods prevailed in Queensland. During

the previous nine weeks 25 inches of

water had fallen... The fertile district

on to the Gilberts.

the torpedo sank beyond recovery.

Freeman's Reach, M'Grath's Hill, Corn-wallis, Enfield, Pitt Town, Richmond Bottoms, and the low lands of Windsor, together with the neighboring districts of Riverstone and Mulgrave, appeared a Destruction vast sea of water, stretching east and west for miles, with the tops of houses here and there visible. A strong current in the centre indicates the winding Canadian-Australian Liner Aorcourse of the river, down which float stock, produce, household furniture and effects, and even in one or more cases the house itself, while men, women and children, comprising over 200 families, who were safely housed in their own homes, are now compelled to accept the hospitality of the townspeople, by whom they were rescued in boats, many in the darkness of the night, from positions attended by the utmost peril. Viewed from the windows of the rail-

way carriage on the eastern side of the district could be seen a vast body of water extending in all directions, and surrounding many buildings, including hotels and a church, indeed, almost covering some of the smaller dwellinghouses. The occupants had taken refuge lived on the more elevated land on the of the residents, with careworn faces for something better to do, gathered on the railway station as the train stood there. From some of these people was elicited the fact that this was the biggest flood since 1867, and that the water had risen 35ft. above the summer level. In the Royal hotel, a two-storied build ing, the water reached as high as the ceilings of the first floor. The inmates were living on the top floor, but were ready to leave at a moment's notice if

the water should rise any higher. The floods are the greatest on record for 30 years. At Bathurst and Penrith, an unprecedented snow fall took place

The board of health at Sydney reports that the territorial area of Sydney had alone been infected with plague, no death from plague and no new case of pla occurred within it on and from July as strict isolation at the maritime quaran tine station 48 persons convalescent after plague, and that the premises from which these patients were removed had

with the company's R.M.S. Miowera at says: "The Premier is in receipt of a telegram from the Agent-General in inary committee in connection with the to invite tenders for the construction of Premier stating that his government were so favorably impressed with the recommendation of the joint preliminary committee that they had urged the Imperial government to call for tenders immediately."

A Sydney paper says under date of postmaster-general in the legislative assembly of his intention to move-"That authorized to co-operate with the governments of Great Britain, Canada, Vicaction would not only shut out all Can- Mr. W. P. Frazer, Mr. J. Landes, Mrs. proportion of the cost thereof shall not



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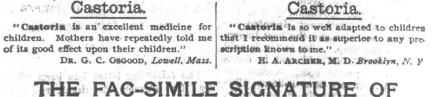
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We believe that the granting of conditions on affidavit "to the best of the knowledge and belief" of the applicant, whose sole objects is to gain large tracts of ground to be held for speculative purposes. and whose financial standing is not sufficiently investigated to demonstrate his ability to proceed with the work, is an absolute menace to the interests of the territory in particular, and of the Dominion in general.

We believe that concessions should be granted only after the most thorough patient investigation as to the character of the ground, and then only after the Gold Commissioner of the Territory is personally thoroughly satisfied that the ground cannot be worked by ordinary placer methods. Having in the main secured your approhation to these items, we beg your co-operation in obtaining the changes herein reguested.

We are, sir, your obedient servants, EDWARD B. CONDON, DEROY TOZIER. J. A. SCHUTE

Committee on Mines. Mining and Smelting of the Dawson Board of Trade.

At the same meeting the following resolutions were also passed: Whereas the Yukon Territory is without

of Canada and is administered by officials of the government of Canada; and

Whereas the wishes and interests of the people of the Yukon Territory are not represented in any parliamentary or legislative body making laws or regulations for the governing of the Yukon Territory; and by the dozen. Mutton is selling retail Whereas the development of the Yukon Territory is dependent upon the development of the mining industry in said territory and the discovery of rich mining areas converts what has hitherto been wasted and valueless portions of this territory into great resources of wealth, not only to

this territory, but the Dominion of Canada as a whole; and Whereas the greatness of the resources of the Yukon Territory are undoubted and | wrist.

the certainty of an ever-increasing population assured if the territory is granted wiser and proper administration and laws; and

Whereas the richer portions of gold placer claims on Bonanza and Eldorado Treasurer, W. J. McCormack, Toroncreeks have been largely worked out and the mining industry is no longer able to bear the burdensome restrictions and imposts now levied, and the existing administration and regulations must be promptly remedied in order to avert financial disaster to the territory; and

Whereas the true condition of the mining industry and the necessities of the Yukon Territory are but little known in Eastern Canada, and the parliament and government of Canada have not hitherto appeared to be fully informed in regard to the said conditions and necessities (or, if so, heedless of the results), and the laws and regulations enacted by said parliament and government for the governing of special industries of the Yukon Territory, and should be immediately changed; now, therefore, be it

Resolved. That the board of trustees do take immediate steps to raise a fund of \$50,000 to be used as the board of trustees effects are a positive pleasure. In vials, shall direct, to place before parliament 40 pills, 10 cents.

Cape Nome. Americans would then get the entire Yukon trade. "It would also be well for Canadians

"There is no doubt but that the grant-

ing of these privileges would produce a

better feeling between Alaskans and

ably be an equitable adjustment of pres-

Skagway merchants could do business in

"Now the question, is, will the Can-

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to understand that this is not a bluff nor an idle threat. Gen. Spaulding told our people in so many words that he stood ready to help them to administer the medicine if it were necessary to complete the remedy. He preferred that it practice off one of the island in the New be brought about in another way, and Hebrides on June 22nd-Sou-west Bay out of deference to his wishes, the appeal is said to be the locality-when one of will be made to Canada. But any hesi-

tation or an undue delay to comply will be followed by an earnest appeal for failed to keep the surface after being disthe other remedy." charged from the tube, and owing to some defect sank in 17 fathoms of water. Harry Woods, an employee of the As the value of a torpedo of the kind White Pass & Yukon railway, met with used is about £250, a diver was sent a painful accident on that road last down to recover it, but he had not dismonth. The engineer backed the train up about four feet and caught his leg in appeared beneath the surface more than a minute before he tugged at the life-line such a manner that two wheels of an to be pulled up. It was found that he empty flat car passed over it. His heel was bleeding from his ears and nose, and was caught in some manner and torn was evidently suffering from something loose from the socket. unusual, as he was an experienced man

A Dawson paper of July 28th says: "The meat market is badly demoralized; so much so that no dealer will quote a price to hold good for a longer time than representation in the House of Commons, the immediate present. Beef is quoted this morning, by the side, at 30c., which is said to be about 5 cents less than had the appearance of being subjected cost. It can be bought retail at 40c. and

upwards. Veal is scarce and is held at be treated in the ship's hospital before 70c. and 80c. retail and 50c. wholesale. he came to himself. Another diver vol-Eggs are quoted at \$18 per case, or 65c. unteered to get the torpedo, but he came at 50c. and pork about the same. Potatoes can be had at Sc. and cabbage at 15c. and 25c. Raddishes are offered at the captain of the cruiser decided that two bunches for a quarter.'

A Toronto dispatch says Goldwin Smith met with an accident yesterday afternoon while ascending the steps of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club house at the Island; he fell, fracturing his left

The Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F have elected officers as follows: Grand Master O. L. Lewis, Chatham; Deputy Grand, C. C. Lyman, Brockville: Grand Secretary, J. B. King, Toronto; Grand



As a System Renovator and Blood Builder, Dr Agnew's Liver Pills Are Supplanting All Otkers.

So Great Has Been the Demand That It's Hard to Supply It.

Cure Constipation or Nervous Headache, clear the complexion, rid it of eruptions, yellow skin, coated tongue,

adian ships from coming to Skagway and three children, Mrs. Burges, Mrs. involved. 3. That the above resolutions Batchelor, Mr. Lundell and Mr. Nessing. be communicated by address to His Ex-Among the mail advices received here celleny the Governor.' " by the Aorangi is a rather interesting

account of a somewhat novel discovery GLOOM AND DESPAIR made by a diver in his quest for a recreant torpedo. It appears that the Ringarooma, one of the auxiliary squadron and sister to the Wallaroo, now en route to China, was carrying out torpedo GIVE WAY TO VIGOR, HEALTH

AND HAPPINESS.

the messengers of destruction and death 'An Attack of La Grippe Left the Sufferer Weak, Nervous and Enfeebled-A Victim of Insomnia and Heart Trouble.

> Naturally every sick person to whom help is promised, will ask, "has the remedy been successful? Whom has it helped?" 'We cannot better answer these questions than by publishing testimonials received from grateful people who are anxious that other sufferers may profit by their experience. One of these grateful ones is Mrs. Douglas Kilts, of Perry Station, Ont. Mrs. Kilts says: "Three years ago I had a very severe attack of la grippe, and the disease left me in an extremely worn out, nervous, and enfeebled condition. The nervousness was so severe as to have almost resulted in St. Vitus dance. Sleep forsook me. I had bad attacks of heart trouble, and the headaches I endured were something terrible. I had no appetite, and was literally fading away; I was not able to work about the house and was so weak that I could scarcely lift a cup of tea. I was treated by a good dector, but

with no benefit. Almost in despair, I resorted to patent medicines, and tried several one after another, only to be disappointed by each. I lingered in this condition until the winter of 1899, when a friend prevailed upon me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I began taking them. From the first the pills helped me and I could feel my strength gradually returning. I continued the use of the pills according to directions until I had taken eight boxes, when I was again enjoying perfect health. My strength had entirely returned, my appetite was splendid, the heart trouble and nervousness had ceased, while the blessing of sleep, once denied, had again returned. I had gained over thirty pounds in weight, and was able to do all my housework with ease. In fact I had received a new lease of life? I believe my cure

known as the Valley of the Hawkesbury, stretching, as it does for miles around, the old-established towns of is permanent, as more than a year has since passed and I feel so strong and Windsor and Richmond, and possessing well that I venture to say there is not a healthier woman in this section; indeed thousands of acres of what are regarded as the most richly cultivated lands of I am enjoying better health than I have the colony, presents a remarkable sight for twenty years and this has been by reason of the floods, at the same time | brought about by the use of Dr. Wilinvolving disastrous consequences to liams' Pink Pills. I feel that I cannot hundreds of settlers. What was a pic- say enough in their praise, for I believe turesque prospect as viewed from the they saved my life. My son has also etc. Act easy-never gripe, and after heights, with its farms and homesteads received the greatest benefit from the borhood of the Kurrajong, Wilberfore, fever."

It shows that the customer "knows what's what," and we keep nothing but that which is right both as to QUALITY and PRICE. We are offering for this week the following exceptional values: SNOWFLAKE FLOUR \$1.05 sack THREE STAR FLOUR \$1.10 sack IUNGARIAN FLOUR .\$1.35 sack GRANULATED SUGAR 17 Ibs. \$1.00 CONDENSED MILK 10c. tin DIXI H. ROSS & CO.

loys, Toys, Toys, Samples of American, English and European Toys for the Fall and Christmas Trade. Orders taken and indents executed. J. PIERCY & CO., Wholesale Dry Goods and Clothing Manufacturers. 21, 23, 25, 27, 29 YATES STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.

ESQUIMALT MANOEUVRES.

Boats Fail to Get Past the Torpedo Searchlight.

As referred to somewhat briefly in the Times last evening Her Majesty's forces bor was illuminated. The Virago was in Esquimalt had a most interesting re- running at a tremendous speed, travelview on Wednesday afternoon and even- ling 21 miles an hour and the torpedo ing, demonstrating beyond doubt the impregnability of the harbor from a naval standpoint. Three torpedo boats and the Virago tried in vain to enter the harbor unobserved. Under cover of darkness the three torpedo boats approached the harspreading in all directions in the neigh- use of these pills in a case of spring bor as quickly as possible, but the sentry at Rod Hill, alert to his duty, gave the 30 knots.

alarm and soon flashlights from Rod and Black Rock were brought to bear on the invading craft. This was at 10 o'clock. The sentry had heard the sound of the torpedo launches on the still waters and in remarkably short order the whole har-

boats at 16%. Once detected, they had to retreat. This they did going far out into the straits under the glare of the powerful searchlights A test of speed was also made between

the torpedo boats and the Virago, the former outsripping the destroyer, although the latter developed a speed of

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Casualties At Yang Tsun

Two Hundred Killed and Wounded in the Capture of the Towr.

Present Movement of Allies Supposed to Be a Reconnaissance in Force.

And That Column Will Be Followed by Fifty Thousand Men.

Another dispatch to the same paper, start for Ohina, going probably by the

dated Tien Tsin, August 6th, recounts a way of San Francisco, in a short time, reconnaissance that morning by the Jap- I am fully aware of the great difficulties

anese beyond Hsi Ku, the result being I shall have to meet in China and of the

that the enemy was developed in strong force, well entrenched and fortified at there. But I only say that I shall do

Wei Jou. The Chinese were superior in my best to prove myself worthy of the

numbers, and after facing the fire of honor and confidence placed in me by seven guns, the Japanese retired on Hsi the Kaiser. Countess yon: Waldersee Ku with three killed and 37 wounded, will accompany me to the United

With the exception of these messages, It is understood Emperor William

published by the London morning papers, the chief command to Count von Walelling of the capture of Yang Tsun. dersee personally, basing his proposal The collector of customs at Shanghai upon the condition that all other powers

has received a routine message from Sir should acquiesce, in the appointment. Robert Hart, director-general of imper. As to this latter point, diplomatic nego-

rial customs, showing that the latter is tiations have been going on during the still conducting the business of imperial last few days. Emperor Nicholas,

customs, a rather curious change of af- with whom the Count is a special favor-

concluded in the dispatch, which was and Italy quickly consented. The ac-

Commenting upon the Washington Great Britain will next be solicited.

government's latest communication to The German foreign office told the Asso-

the Chinese government, the Daily ciated Press that the consent of the

Chronicle describes it as "idyllic diplo- other powers had virtually been secured

vinced everybody, except the Washing- the German legation in Pekin, not dated,

macy," and it declares the Chinese at- for Count von Waldersee as chief.

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some weeks ago broached the subject of

quiescence of the United States and

The government has another telegram

from Herr Buelow, first secretary of

London, July Aug. 10 .- An edict em-

London, Aug. 10 .- A dispatch to the Daily Express, dated Chee Foo August Sth. says the losses of the allies in the held by 1,500 Chinese, was well en- | rival in Berlin. trenched to the east of the river. After four hours of heavy fighting the Chinese Waldersee, "is due entirely to the initia-were driven from their defence works. five of the Emperor William. I shall

having captured 200 horses.

dated Pekin, July 27th.

understand.

Gen. Chaffee's report is the only report [

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An Important Capture.

Washington, Aug. 9 .- The capture of

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the international forces was the supreme their own building. The French legathe international torces way of the chinese situation. The first word of the Chinese situation. The first word of The number of volunteers from the this capture effected last Monday, came to the signal office at the war department from Col. Scriven, the general of 120,000. From this number it is under-ficer at Chee Foo. Half an hour after stood that a corps not exceeding 20,000 this message a cablegram came from will be formed. Gen. Chaffee, giving additional details of the capture and showing that it had been at the cost of about sixty casualties among the United States troops.

A dispatch from Gen. Terauchi, sec- ers for peace, has, it is reported from

of 50,000 to follow on the 15th.

the fast maturing military plans.

oughly indicates the urgency of the mes-

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in danger.

decline positively to say.

of State, Washington: On the morning body that the various foreign govern-Reb I telegraphed Governor Ya, ments have repeatedly asked, through Here From pondence with Conger and requesting immediately depart from Pekin under the governor to forward to Pekin. The suitable escort. The Yamen asks us to governor telegraphs: 'I received a note fix a date for our departure and to make from the Tsung Li Yamen, dated Aug. the necessary arrangements to do so. 5th, saying the Yamen had just issued Our reply is that we will seek instrucan edict permitting ministers to have tions from our government, and that in peaceful secret communication with the absence of such instructions we cantheir countries. All ministers at Pekin not quit our posts. I must inform you have telegrams for transmission to their that in order to insure our safe departure

governments. It is proposed after dis- foreign troops only can safely escort us, patching same to send the originals to and they must be in sufficient force to safely guard 900 foreigners, including consuls for verification." 200 women and children, as well as 3,-Troops From India. 000 native Christians, who cannot be

Simla, Aug. 9.-Including the Fourth abandoned to certain massacre. We Brigade, the strength of the force pro- cannot accept a Chinese escort under ceeding to China is 446 white officers, any circumstances.

"All my colleagues are dispatching the 1,064 non-commissioned and native officers, 13,970 men, 11,850 followers, 1,150 foregoing to their respective governdrivers, 2,520 horses, 4,300 ponies and ments.

mules, 12 guns, 14 Maxims and 1,800 Im-"Of American marines, seven have perial Service troops. It is expected that been killed and sixteen wounded, among steamer having reached port from Skagthe entire force will have sailed before the latter Capt. Myers and Doctor Lippett, who are getting along well. Conthe middle of next month.

ger. New Commander Interviewed. This message is not dated, but is sup-Berlin, Aug. 9.-Field Marshal Count posed to have been sent on or after von Waldersee, recently appointed to the August 5th, when the Imperial edict resupreme command of the German forces moving the inhibition against these mincapture of Yang Tsun were 200, the ma-jortiy of these being killed. The allies marched on Yang Tsun, says this re-port, at dawn on Monday. The position, a solution of the associated Press, shortly after his ar-the position. The position of the associated Press, shortly after his ar-the position. The position of the associated Press, shortly after his arkon to Dawson, was among the passengovernment, which was made public in gers, while other arrivals were J. Pink-

"My appointment," said Gen. von Paris yesterday. - Russians Defeat Chinese.

erton, a pioneer miner of Cariboo; F. Deval, who has spent several years in the Klondike county, and O. Redpath, one of those who made his escape from St. Petersburg, Aug. 10 .- The Russian war office has received the following dispatch from Gen. Grodekoff: the Florence S., when she capsized in "Khabaroitsk, Aug. 9.-Gen. Rennen-Lake Le Barge. kampf on August 7th overtook and de-feated the enemy beyond Amur river, capturing two guns. The battle was continued as far as Jgest. "During the evening of August 7th the Chinese assumed the offensive on both our fanks. They were driven back with great loss.

"Rennenkampf, has been reinforced with infantry, artillery and cavalry. The railway north of Tashi Tsao is in the hands of the Chinese, who destroyed the station at Hai Sheng on August 6th and damaged the line. Hai Cheng was recaptured after an obstinate fight. "The mountain floods interfere with the reconstruction of the line." It is officially announced that the Rusfairs, when taken in conjunction with ite, consented, and France following sian troops captured Kharbin on August the words "happily still alive," which he somewhat reluctantly, Austria, Hungary 3rd.

More German Troops. London, Aug. 10 .- About 10.000 more German troops are going to China. The government at Berlin is negotiating with the North German Lloyd and the Hamburg-American lines for eight transports.

Missionaries Murdered. Shanghai, Aug. 10.-Five Catholic

missionaries were recently murdered near Chinanff.

ton officials, that a steady application of which says: "The French legation buildforce is the only argument Pekin can ing, destroyed by Boxers, not only afforded shelter to the members of the French legation, who are all in good health, but also to, the members of the Austrian legation, who sought refuge Austrian legation, who sought refuge there after the complete destruction of And Eighty army reserves who have signified their willingness to go to China is said to be Action for Breach of Promise of

Marriage Against a Farmer.

anating from Pekin and authorizing Li Hung Chang to negotiate with the pow-Wife of Dead Man Gives about boats also.

nection will be made between the fire houses and the waterworks, and, by a signal, the engineer may be warned to turn on full pressure, or, in greater emergency, put on both engines. By an application of **Dawson** valves, also, the water may be turned off all other portions of the town and the

Many Klondikers and Much Treasure on Tees This Morning.

Capt. Barrington Exonerated From Blame re Florence S. Accident.

A crowd of wealthy Dawsonites de- and will probably thereafter keep the hill barked from the Tees this morning, the pipes open summer and winter." The complete list of passengers is as fol way at 9 o'clock. There was treasure lows: Mrs. De Grai, E. Anderson, A. Dr. Troves. to the value of several hundred thousand Lorne, R. Highet, N. H. Tahlgren, W. H. dollars aboard; of which Purser Minnie Nevath, A. Sanbor, Mrs. Sanbor, F. Deval, carried over \$200,000 in his care. One Mrs. Deval and child, L. Brien, J. J. passenger, Mr. R. Highet, who is per- Mathews, Mrs. Mathews and family. M. haps more of a speculator than a min- G. Wimer, J. Foster, O. Bedpath, J. Pinker, had \$100,000. Joe Heaney, who with erton, J. Lobby, M. Hobbs, F. Larsen, H. Mike Conlin, has had a big contract in L. Sorret, H. Morton. getting out logs for shipment up the Yu-



as the council may elect. An, electric con-

whole force concentrated on the point of

permanent system which will be perfected

without regard to cost this summer and

fall. We will not attempt to keep the hill

service open this winter. The pipes there

will be drained and kept free from ice

Mr. Redpath performed a most hereic act, in attempting the reacue of Mrs. act in attempting the rescue of Mrs. Stewart from drowning. He plunged in-

way home to England on holiday. Les was requested to resign on account of trouble with pilots in Oriental waters and the delays of the steamer in conse-quence. The trouble is said to have Annie Schmeer, a passenger, testified that the boat had been listing for half an hour before she finally went over. She was on the hull until taken off by a boat. cost the Empress \$15,000. Mr. Smart, Kittie Crosop, another passenger, saw fourth officer of the Empress, has also and heard Capt. Barrington trying to

resigned.

ly a quiet woman, she remained so until WARM IN CHICAGO. taken off the wrecked hull in a boat. Mr. Redpath testified that in his belief Mercury Has Passed 90 Mark-Nine the boat was overloaded, there being a Deaths Reported Yesterday.

large quantity of freight on the hurricane deck which was an unusual place to Chicago, Aug. 9.-All past records for store freight. He thought Capt. Barringlong continued hot weather in Chicago ton was responsible for the loss of the have been equalled during the present boat and the lives. He said he saw the week, and when to-day's temperature has woman, Mrs. Stewart, jump overboard, been taken it is more than probable that and he jumped to save her. She told him a new record will have been made. For three times that she could not hold on five days the mercury has made regular any longer, and the third time she let jaunts well above the 90 mark, and with go and sank and was drowned. He was no relief in sight the weather officials very positive the boat was overloaded. predict that it will again soar above that Under cross-examination he admitted figure to-day. Yesterday there were nine that he was not a seafaring man but a deaths and 30 prostrations. miner, but thought he knew something

(Associated Press.)



danger. All this, of course, is a part of the Baron Russell, of Killowen, Lord Chief Justice of England, Died This Morning.

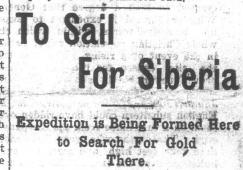
> Death Was a Great Surprise as His Illness Was Not Generally Known.

London, Aug. 10.-Baron Russell, of Killowen, Lord Chief Justice of England, died this morning as the result of an operation performed yesterday by

Baron Russell, who had been ill for about a fortnight, is variously reported to have suffered from a gastric disorder and from a tumor in the stomach. Lord Russell suffered from gastric catarrh. The fact of his illness was not generally known until it was announced that at a consultation held yesterday it was decided that an operation was imperatively necessary. TRO is just bo

The war office telegraphed the news of Extensive Beds Discovered by Gustave Gervis --Capt. Pybus Takes Command of Empress of Japan. (Ebecial to the Times.) Yancouver, Aug. 10.—Steamer Cutch from Skagway last night brought 70 passengers and also news of the discovery of extensive will had not the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of extensive will have a state of the discovery of the discovery of the discovery of extension of the discovery of t

Aft, in attenuating the rescue of arts set, in attenuating the rescue of arts by preserver in and, and, according to sub-the craminals on the Thes, we may not a time distance with the variant but the latter distance with the variant but the stater distance with the variant but the latter distance with the variant but the latter distance with the variant but the latter distance with the variant but the stater distance with the state but the state distance with the state but the state but the state but the state but the state distance with the state but the state distanc engaged as an advocate in the Colin Campbell divorce case, the Crawford di-vorce case, the Tranby Court baccarat scandal case and defended Mrs. Maybrick. He was knighted in 1886, was appointed a Lord of Appeal in ordinary with a life peerage in 1894, and in the same year was made Lord Chief Justice of England. He presided at the inquiry into the Jameson raid.





and the supply will be resumed there as early as possible in the spring. Next summer we intend to excavate a long reservoir on the hill, which will be properly cement ed and to which we will pump directly. The fall from this will give us all the pressure necessary and to all parts of the town

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ond in command of the Japanese staff, Shanghai under yesterday's date, been sent to the war office of Japan and trans- received there. mitted to the legation here, stated that

The correspondents at Yokohama the international army would total 50,- again send the statement that a Russo-000 men on August 15th to advance on Japanese force is moving on Pekin from Pekin. This dispatch stated that on the the north. The movements and number 4th, when it was forwarded, the advance of this force are, it is further asserted, had not begun. This was at first in- kept secret in order to prevent accurate breach of promise of marriage against combrehensible, in view of the fact that intelligence from reaching Pekin.

fighting has actually occurred. But the The French consul at Shanghai says Hickson. The plaintiff is seventy-four sink when they were within ten feet of latter statement that the international 300 Annamite troops will arrive there and the defendant eighty years of age. force would total 50,000 men on the 15th next week for the protection of French appear, however, that Gen. Terauchi's settlements. The Chinese merchants of the intended wife of Joseph Sifton, was meaning and to reconcile it with Gen. Shanghai have petitioned the foreign on the witness stand at the thial Chaffee's dispatches. The present move- consuls there to prevent the landing of Gerald Sifton and Walter Herbert, ment of some 16,000 men doubtless is troops, declaring that it will create a charged with the murder of old Sifton, viewed in the light of a reconnaissance panic among the Chinese. yesterday afternoon. Her testimony

in force, the main movement of the army Li Ping Heng, the former governor of Shan Tung, personally commanded 15,-This makes clear the meaning of Gen. 000 Chinese at Yang Tsun.

Chaffee's dispatch that Yang Tsun was | A Chinese official at Shanghai says 17 the objective point. The war department | pirates and brigands were beheaded at has been puzzled on this point. It would Canton August 8th.

Dispatches received here from Berlin apear, however, that Gen. Terauchish Engeror Francis Joseph and in getting the witness to adult that sac or eight cances on the hurricane deck, had been engaged to marry Martin Mor- or eight cances on the hurricane deck, had been engaged to marry Martin Mor- or eight cances on the hurricane deck, apear, however, that Gen. Terauchi's men having opened up communications King Victor Emmanuel III. have teleto Yang Tsun, brought forward supplies graphed to Field Marshal Count von Waldersee, congratulating him on his was still in force when she agreed to Thirty Mile she had a few hundred and established this advance base, a appointment to the chief command of marry Joseph Sifton, way would then be clear for the advance the allied troops in China. Field Marof the larger force on the 15th. fore an important strategic branch of here, will sail on August 21st or 22nd cal College has recommended with re- cident was occasioned by the turn in the

from an Italian port, and that he will go to Shanghai first. Aside from the military developments

New Chwang Captured. of the day, the diplomatic aspect was made clearer by the publication of the St. Petersburg, Aug. 10.-The Russian provinces who have been registered by and he (witness) received from him the

demand made by the United States upon admiralty has received the following disexaminations. the imperial government of China and patch from Admiral Alexieff: Mrs. Hughill, aged 72, is dead as the transmitted to Minister Wu last even-"New Chwang, August 5.-The ing. This action of the United States ese town of New Chwang; on the gulf of over, a gas stove. was taken solely on its responsibility, Liao Tung, was captured on August without consulting other powers as to 4th, two warships taking part in the the advisability of the demand. The use bombardment. The inhabitants were

of the word demand in the note thor- disarmed." American Casualties.

Owing to the difficulties of com-Washington, Aug. 10.-The Chinese munication with Pekin, it is expected minister this morning received a lengthy that some days must elapse before an cable dispatch containing over 100 words answer can be received, and there is a from Minister Conger at Pekin addressdisposition to grant all reasonable time ed to the state department. It is in the The state department has received a American code throughout, so that its cablegram from Consul-General Good- contents are not known. Mr. Wu stated for the state department to deliver now at Shanghai, announcing that a considerable British detachment of troops the message.

had been landed for the protection of The only features in Minister Conger's vative party and the great prosperity the foreign settlement at Shanghai. No message not in that of M. Pichon, is the of the Dominion. protest had been made by the United list of American casualties. He reports States consul-general, but he says the eight killed and 16 wounded. No action merchants of Shanghai disapprove of the will be taken on the Conger message action of Admiral Seymour, fearing it until President McKinley shall be heard Military College, have received commis will incite the anti-foreign Chinese. The from. It is said at the state department sions in the British army in India, and United States government will enter no that under present conditions Mr. Conger leave for that country on Wednesday protest at landing of troops, as it con- and the other Americans in Pekin will. next. cedes the right of any power to protect not be advised to leave the Chinese capits citizens where they are deemed to be ital with a Chinese scort, as all of the ministers seem to agree that such a de-

At the same time the state department parture would be very dangerous.

recognizes that there is a question of The Minister's Message. wisdom involved in this particular land-Washington, Aug, 10 .- The department ing of troops. As to whether our govof state made public to-day the followernment would express any doubt upon ing telegram from Minister Conger, the wisdom of the movement the officials

which was received by Minister Wu late last night, in a telegram sent to him by Acting Secretary Adee, of the state the Taotal of Shanghai. It was handed department, to-night made public the fol- by Minister Wu to the acting secretary which reached the department at 11 o'clock: "Chee Foo, Aug. 9.—Secretary Tsung li Yamen states to the diplomatic were made homeless."

Evidence. (Associated Press.)

Hamilton, Aug. 10.-Mary Elstone, of

this city, has brought an action for

London, Aug. 10 .- Mary McFarlane,

was strongly against both prisoners.

The trial was resumed this morning.

The cross-examination of Miss McFar-

lane occupied the attention of the court

Toronto, Aug. 10.-The executive

with by the railway company.

New Glasgow, N. S., Aug. 10 .- Hon.

eo. Foster started the political ball

colling last night in the presence of

Ottawa; Aug. 10.-William, Palmer.

Cadet Hamilton and Cadet Kirkland, all

f this city, and graduates at Kingston

CHICAGO'S POPULATION.

(Associated Press.)

Chicago, Aug. 10.-According to the school census figures, given out to-day,

the population of Chicago is 2,007,695.

MANY FAMILIES HOMELESS.

(Associated Press.)

kal Company yesterday caused a loss of will be kept in these.

Charles Burnsee, the cook, who was engaged in shifting the cargo on the upper deck just before the accident, didn't

the boat ....

pounds there.

compose the passengers. Being natural-

Phalidelphia, Aug. 10.-As a result of the intense heat two deaths have been think that the boat was overloaded. He reported up to noon to-day. At 1 o'clock thought the accident was due to the the government thermometer marked 94 sharp turn made in the current. He was steadily climbing. On the said he saw Redpath jump and the woand man after him. He watched them in the streets the temperature was from 3 to George King, a wealthy farmer, of water and saw the woman let go and 5 degrees higher.

Chicago, Aug. 10 .- Up to noon to-day shore, and Redpath was walking on the three deaths had been reported as a rebottom. He believed nobody would have sult of the continued excessive heat. At that time the government thermometer been drowned if they had remained with registered 90 degrees, one degree higher E. P. Burns, mate, testified. Captain than at the same time yesterday.

New York, Aug. 10 .- To-day is not Jordan was at the wheel. Captain Barrington told witness to throw freight on only the hottest August 10th in the histhe hurricane deck overboard. He saw tory of the local weather bureau, but the Redpath and the woman in the water hottest day of the year. There were and also young Fussel. He didnt think many prostrations throughout the city the steamer was overloaded; she had to-day, but only one death was reported up to the noon adjournment. The law- about 25 tons aboard, and her registered before 2 p.m. The greatest distress preyer for the defence had only succeeded tonage was 50 tons. When the Florence vails on the lower east side in the crowdin getting the witness to admit that she S. went to the Koyukuk she had seven ed tenements.

den a year ago and that the engagement which amounted to about two tons: in WANTS A B. C. EXHIBIT.

Pan-American Fair Commissioner Interviewing the Government to That R. E. Blake, engineer, testified that End.

committee of the Ontario Pharmaceuti- the boat was not overloaded. The ac-The promoters of the Pan-American spect to the interchange of diplomas river and the way it was made; the curwith the Pharmaceutical Association of rent had a good deal to do with it. He British Columbia that reciprocity be re- was in the engine room at the time of time by the forelock. J. Grant Henderstricted to members, of the respective the accident. Barrington ran up stairs son, the hustling special commissioner shut-off bell and then the reverse bell, but one of the boilers was already under government and securing its assistance result of injuries received from falling water and he could not obey the bell. having this province represented. Mr. Witness was confident that had Captain Chatham, Aug. 10 .- Jno. O'Neill, a Barrington been at the wheel the Florwhich would result to manufacturers in former popular conductor on the Lake ence S. would have discharged her Erie & Detroit River railway, is lying freight and passengers at Dawson. be sufficient to warrant the expense inat Ridgetown, his home, hovering be- This ended the testimony. Captain volved. Consequently he is endeavoring tween life and death, from the result of Starnes took the matter under adviseto interest the government of the respectaking a dose of carbonic acid. The ment as to whether to discharge the case tive provinces west of Ontario, and incause of the rash act is said to be des- | or hold the accused for trial in the terducing them to make provincial exhibits. pondency brought on by worry due to ritorial court. He dismissed the case, In Manitoba and the Territories he his services being temporarily dispensed saying that upon examination of the tesmet with encouragement. In the first timony he could see no grounds to atnamed the government has consented to tach blame to Captain Barrington.

make a grass and grain display, while The Dawson Water and Power Company they will also assist the breeders to send has extended its pipe system to the hilla fitting display of live stock. In the about 1,200 people. He spoke at length side, so that when the power is applied Northwest Territories the same spirit on the history and career of the Conser- not only the lower business portion, but was manifested. Here the government all of Dawson proper, will be included in have decided to exhibit the native soil the water service. Speaking of the com-pany's plans for the winter for fire protecof the territories in one section, with description of its depth and area, while tion and for resolving the present temporin an adjoining department will be shown ary into a permanent plant, D. A. Mathethe products of the same soil. son, president of the company and man-Mr. Henderson will urge upon the Brit-

ager of the works, said: "Our real plant ish Columbia administration a fisheries, has not arrived as yet, but it will include mines and forestry display, these being two large pumps capable of lifting a thouthe principal industries in which the sand gallons a minute. It is our purpose province is interested. He is also anxito keep the pipes free all winter by keep ing up the circulation and allowing no dead ous for an agricultural exhibit if such ends. The vents or outlets will be carried can be arranged.

The exposition opens on the 1st of into the channel of the river where the May, 1901, and will remain open until water never freezes. An attachment wHI November. The grounds will include

also be made with electric wires, and, if tound necessary, heat will be applied in 350 acres, and in extent and magnificence this way. We do not think it will be it is intended that the show will be necessary, however, for the pipes will be second only to the World's exposition tion of the Kansas corn crop is poor and buried, and with the water kept moving with which the name of Chicago is in- "half a crop") is the best that can be Marinete, Wis., Aug. 10.-A fire which Fapidiy I think it will not freeze. Houses separably associated.

Mr. Henderson has been on the road tarted in the lumber yard of the Polis- will be built over the hydrants and fires "For fire protection," continued Mr. and has met with great success. He ex- ever grown in any year by any American Matheson, "there will be as many hydrants pects to be in Victoria for a week.

Made by Captain Buckholtz.

If information which has reached the Times can be relied upon, there is now being perfected in this city a scheme which has about it many of the elements of romance. It is stated that an expedition is being formed to proceed to the Siberian coast, where the promoters claim to have knowledge of beach deposits so rich as to totally eclipse the far-famed sands of Nome.

The discovery of this placer ground is attributed to Capt. Otto Buckholtz, of Victoria, who, it is said, located the new Eldorado when on his famous voyage to Nome last year-a trip which has become notorious in the annals of modern seafaring because of the hazardous nature of the undertaking, and the narrow escape which the daring navigators had from being pinched in the ice. It was while seeking for an open passage in the ice, by which he might reach Nome, that the hardy skipper of the Alpha is said to have made a discovery which revealed to him fresh possibilities in regard to gold discoveries.

The placers mentioned, being on the exposition, which opens in Buffalo on the Siberian coast, could not be staked with 1st of May, evidently believe in taking the impunity that would be possible were they in Canadian or United States territory. This difficulty, however, is for the exposition, is in the city to-day likely to be overcome through the forwith the purpose of interviewing the tunate presence on the coast of a gentleman from St. Petersburg. Capt. Buckholtz entered into negotiations with the Henderson recognizes that the benefits, Czar's subject, and through him, it is understood, a concession has been sethis far West by exhibiting would not cured, sufficient not only for placer diggings, but for a townsite as well.

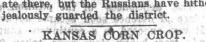
The location of the find is carefully guarded, but the beach is reported to extend along a bay, and to be similar in character to that at Nome. Immense sand hills rise from it, while navigation to and from the point is rendered difficult by shoals which guard the approaches thereto.

It is intended to charter a schooner of the local fleet, load her with supplies, take a limited, number of argonauts aboard and set sail, with the opening of spring, for the Siberian coast. A fortune is expected to be reaped, as the information of the gold deposit is exclusive with the skipper, and, needless to say, he will be liherally rewarded for his services in piloting the others to the golden beach.

It has long been regarded as probable that the Siberian coast would contain a similar deposit to that at Nome, and several attempts have been made to operate there, but the Russians have hitherto

KANSAS CORN CROP.

Topeka, Kas., Aug. 10 .- The condireasonably expected. The official report places the total wheat yield at 78,081,in the interests of the fair since June, 000, This is the largest crop of wheat state.



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Mutiny

Atrocities ing assigned as a shelter for the women and children was burned down, and the sick and wounded had henceforth neither 100f over head to shelter them by day. nor any bedding between them and the bare earth at night. The miseries of Massacre of Cownpore Recalled hunger and thirst and disease was now by News From the Chinese

Sick and Wounded Burned to Death or Suffocated by Smoke.

Capital.

vation staring them in the face, they found it impossible to hold out much The tragedy in modern history which longer. When thus almost at the last bears the closest resemblance to that extremity of despair, a written message which there is no longer room to doubt came from the Nana, offering to provide has occurred in Pekin is that which was a safe passage to Allahabad to all who laid down their arms. The question of brought about by the treachery of Nana capitulation was long and anxiously dis-Sahib at Cawnpore during the Indian cussed before the measure was decided mutiny. The resemblance of the two on, but the consideration of the women horrors is made the more striking by the and children, and of the sick and woundfact that they occurred at precisely the ed, led to the acceptance of the Nana's same period of the year, and it is more terms on June 26th, and it was arranged than possible the crime at Pekin may to evacuate the entrenchment next morning, the Nana engaging to provide safe have been consummated on the exact anconduct for the garrison to the river side niversary of that at Cawnpore, namely, and sufficient boats to carry them to Al-June 27th. The dispatch from Sir Roblahabad. ert Hart of June 25th confirmed the re-

first week our fifty-nine artillerymen

were all wounded or killed at their posts.

On the eighth day of the siege a great

calamity befel the garrison. The build-

added to the fire of the enemy and the

exposure to the burning sun. During

the three weeks which the siege lasted

250 of the little garrison were interred

Fearfully reduced in numbers, with

their guns almost unserviceable, their

ammunition nearly expended, and star-

in the well within the entrenchment.

Earl Li's

Proclamation

The Measures He Adopted For

Raising an Army at

Canton.

He Gives His Views on the

Varicus Duties of a

Soldier.

Upon the reception of an Imperial

edict ordering him to protect the boun-

daries under his jurisdiction at Canton,

Li Hung Chang published a most inter-

to fight them, and wherever they went

The Reorganization of the Army.

fashion or that of Hunan.

Excellency says:

port of the murder of the German min-Accordingly, on the following morning. ister, and expressed his apprehension the remnant of the little garrison left the that the Chinese were about to attack entrenchment and feebly dragged themthe British legation, where apparently selves to the river stairs appointed as the bulk of the European population of the place of embarkation. Here en-1,600 or 1,700 souls had gathered. It sued the act of treachery which was de-is therefore not unlikely that the Box- stined for long years to emblitier the feelers and their accomplices, the Chinese ings between the English nation and the regulars, may have completed their Indian races. The boats were in waitawful crime on the same fateful day that ing as arranged, and the embarkation was accomplished. No sooner, however, saw enacted the tragedy of Cawnpore. were all on board than on a signal the native boatmen deserted their vessels

### The Cawnpore Tragedy.

The story of Nana Sahib's treachery and clambered to shore. A murderous is thus described by Dr. W. W. Hunter, fire was opened on the boats from both an eminent India authority, in the En- sides of the river, and presently the cylopaedia Britannica:

thatched roofs of the vessels burst into In May, 1857, the European force in flames, having been ignited by hot cinthe Cawnpore cantonment consisted of a ders. The boats were aground at the handful of artillery and infantry, making about 300 fighting men, including the English officers of the Sepoy regiments. The native force consisted of the 1st, 53rd and 65th Regiments of Native In- immovable. "The sick and wounded," fantry, and the 2nd Regiment of Bengal says Sir J. W. Kaye, "were burnt to Cavalry, about 3,000 men in all. The death or more mercifully suffocated by ing the soldiers. (1.) The soldiers for fect in its minor details. Yet he appardivision was commanded by General Sir the smoke, whilst the stronger women service on the field of battle should be Hugh Wheeler. The native troops began with children in the arms, took to the strong and numerous, drilled night and studio arrangements, the most important to manifest, early in 1857, the same river, to be shot down in the water, to day, and taught to march with 'equal part of the whole. So badly were the be sabred in the stream by mounted pace and all alike. They must undersymptoms of disquiet as other native regiments, stationed in Bengal and Upper troopers who rode in after them, to by stand thoroughly the handling of rifles sible to obtain a good light on a model India. When the news of the outbreak at Meerut and Delhi reached Cawnpore, made captives and reserved for a later the excitement among the native soldiery, and more cruel immolation." The male duty, and no faults should be allowed camp followers and city population inprisoners were immediately killed, but creased to such a degree that General of women and children it was computed Wheeler deemed it expedient to throw that 200 were spared for the time by orup defensive works, within which the der of the Nana, and conveyed back to whole Christian population might gather Cawnpore. Of the boats which got in the event of a rising. Unfortunately affoat only one succeeded in forcing its the site chosen for the entrenchment way through the swarms of enemies on proved unsuitable in almost every re both banks of the river, and of its occu-"The fortifications," writes Sir pants only four men, two officers and spect. John W. Kare, "were so paltry that an two privates survived to relate the story English subaltern could have ridden over of Cawnpore. them on a cast horse from the company's The rest of the tale is soon told. Eng-

stud. The earthworks were little more lish troops were being hurried forward than four feet high, and were not even by forced marches to the relief of Cawn- All the houses in Canton should be bullet-proof at the crest. The apertures pore, under Major Renaud and General numbered, and if there is any suspicion for the artillery exposed both our guns | Havelock. and our gunners, whilst an enemy in ad-

On July 12th they came up with the going in and out, or going about the acent huildings might find cover on al

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tion, as that they may act together for Oriental public good. Disobey not this order." Kwangusi, 26th year, 6th moon, 5th day. (1st July, 1900.)

The Scheme Adopted. Upon the issue of the above notificaion, and on the petition of the commercial bureau for sanction, the gentry and merchants convened a meeting in the large hall of the bureau, and decided to follow the advice of H. E. the viceroy; that is, out of one year's rent each land lord will pay one month's to the bureau In case a tenant owes rent for three months the bureau will take steps to enforce payment of the same, in default

of which they will turn him out. The tenant on his part will also pay a month's rent to the bureau for the keep of the soldiers for street patrol duty day and night. There will be detectives employed, as in Shanghai, to make enquiry about any robbers or traitors, and any persons harboring them.

A Volunteer Force

esting proclamation, which is given in By order of the viceroy a weivun was sent to the temple of the 500 genii, and the mail to hand by the Empress of Jathere called a meeting of the headmen of pan. The reference to the training of the different guilds, and told them to cated by cable. soldiers is pecularly interesting. His bid their artisans and laborers peaceably pursue their respective callings. If any "I, being an Imperial commissioner of of them wish to be a soldier he is at liberty to do so, and will get \$10 a commerce, senior guardian of the prince, Whenever called upon he must month. earl, grand secretary and viceroy of two be ready to fight; while there is no Kwangs, issue the following notification fighting he may peaceably pursue his for the information of my people. On employment. Over a hundred of the araccount of the rebellion of the Boxers in tisans have enlisted themselves as solthe Imperial domain foreign soldiers diers, and their names will be registered in the yamen of the Nam-Hoi magistrate. have been continually dispatched thither More are expected to join.

MEISSONIER'S METHODS.

they have burnt and robbed and spread devastation. I have received an Imperi-Artists, as a class, have earned for al order urging me to proceed to Pekin; themselves the reputation of being thorbut as there are so many obstacles by oughly unbusiness-like in all their methland and by sea, and as the gentry and ods of work; but in this respect there merchants of Canton have jointly preare few who could be compared with the sented a petition begging me to remain great French painter, Meissonier. in consideration of the responsibility at-

Meissonier has ever been famous for tached to the post I am now holding, I the extraordinary conscientiousness of have been in great perplexity whether to his work. No detail was too small to go or to remain. On the 29th of the 5th be noticed, yet at the same time he moon (25th June) I received another Imwould overlook the most important matperial order bidding me to remain and ters. Few painters ever worked harder. to use all possible efforts to protect the He refused to take rest or holiday, deboundaries under my jurisdiction. To enable me to do so I shall have first of voting every moment of his time to his all to train my soldiers, and to train work; and yet he sold the outcome of them efficiently I must devise - some his labors through an unscrupulous mean of raising revenue for their keep. agent, who took half the price realized

by his masterpieces as commission. Meissonier built himself a house that

"There are several methods of train- was a marvel of beauty and luxury, perently took but little trouble over the studios designed that it was only posbayonetted on reaching land, or to be and be good marksmen. Discipline by making the unfortunate man or woshould be strictly observed on garrison | man take up a position on a balcony outside the house.

to pass. The expense of keeping up Another curious instance of Meissonthe army will be about 120,000 taels ier's methods is afforded by the manner monthly, or about 1,500,000 taels per in which he set about painting his famannum. (2.) The soldiers for patrol ous masterpiece, "Napoleon in 1814." duty ought to imitate the European When asked to explain how he painted Stations the snow road on which Napoleon is should be established in every street in marching with such realism, he would the city of Canton and its suburbs, and produce a low platform, about a yard patrols should be kept up night and arrival at Taku. and a half square, and describe how. day with the object of arresting any with the help of clay and salt, he had person committing a crime, from the constructed a model road. Having minor offences of drunkenness and diskneaded the clay and spread it over the orderly conduct to the more serious platform, a small cannon wheel was crimes of robbery, murder and treason. pushed up and down several times to produce ruts Then by taking an old horse-shoe, and

pressing it upon the clay, the marks of were having a tough job of it. An Amthe horses' feet were represented. The erican transport from Manila was dis-



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selves, and the least the powers can do

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suitably rewarded."

the following to say:

at once to Shanghai, and hopes able to reach Pekin from there. ernor Blake failed in his efforts suade Li to remain in Canton. Viceroy stated that he had issu plicit orders to the Futai, who charge, to preserve order there. Notifications have been issued posted up in the streets to prohibit sale and manufacture of firearms. several machinery shops in Canton Honan have been visited and cauti by weiyuns not to sell or manufact any arms under penalty of closure and confiscation.

The subordinate officials of the Some interesting side lights are thrown vince of Shantung are persecuting on the Boxer trouble in China through native Christians in their districts the Chinese mail received on the Emmanding that they recant and prom press. If some of the statements therenot again to become Christians, in made be correct there would seem to foreign consuls here have appeale be another side to the story of Boxer the governor of the province. atrocities that has not been communi-Shihkai, to stop this, but he tacitly sup ports their action. As a conseque For instance, a writer in Chee Foo has the province is rapidly becoming flamed.

"In hearing the tales of refugees from The position at New Chwang is not the interior, it is a pleasant surprise to ported as serious, as is also the condition hear of the great kindness many officials of Port Arthur. and soldiers have shown to those in dis-

New Chwang is closely threatened by tress. Black sheep, of course, we have the Boxers. A ship arrived from ther heard of, but these, up to the present at Chee Foo on the 19th having on beard have happily been few. The extreme many refugees, and from these it was kindness of the good officials, however, learned that there are only two foreign cannot be forgotten. When this storm women left in the port. has passed by they ought to be remem-



aries using them, providing large escorts, Said Back, jr., President of Am. harboring and feeding them for days in erican-Born Chinese Assotheir yamens, when popular hate would have required their death. These kindciation in Victoria, nesses will bring trouble upon them-

> Gives His Opinion on Recent State of Affairs in

In contrast to this the conduct of some China. of the allies, if report is to be believed, is actually regrettable. The steamer Hsinfung, which arrived on July 12th at

Said Back, jr., of Portland, president Shanghai from Taku brought 246 naof the American-born Chinese Associatives, mostly Cantonese, who it appears tion, accompanied by his wife, who hails had great difficulty in kicking the dust from Victoria, is in the city on a pleasure of Tien Tsin off their shoes, some having had to go to the length of cutting off trip. This is Mr. Back's second trip to their queues and donning foreign clothes Victoria, his first having been made in order to embark unmolested, the forfifteen years ago. eigners still sniping every Chinaman at

He was born in Portland about twensight. It is said that the Russians are ty-five years ago, his father having sethe greatest offenders in this respect and the Chinese have been so much terrorized tled there upon his arrival from his that the British service coolies refused birth-place, Canton. Mr. Back was eduto go ashore unless escorted by the officated in the Portland schools, speaks cers of the ships. The foreigners had English with very little accent, and is been accommodated for some days in exceptionally well informed on the curthe different men-of-war, whence they rent topics, the great monopolizer of his proceeded on board the Hsinfung on her interest naturally being the present chaos in China.

The same vessel reported that on the In his opinion, which he expressed date she sailed there were 35 men-ofyesterday to the Times, the Boxers were war at Taku, but the day previous three supported in their atrocities by a comleft to reduce the forts at Shanhaikwan, bination which appeared to guarantee When the Hsinfung was passing Shanthem perfect security-the anti-foreign haikwan heavy cannonading was heard, and anti-Christian element. The two which shows that the three-men-of-war channels of religious and racial prejudice sis. and actuated as the different factions were by a unanimous desire for the extermination of the objects of their hatred, they have developed a movement very formidable indeed. There were several reasons, Mr. Back pointed out, why the Boxers received encouragement from officials in high standing in the Chinese Imperial government. The Boxers belonged exclusively to the northern portion of China, and were almost all Manchus. They were the most savage, barbaric people in the entire empire, caring little for modern were also Manchus, and owing to this race relationship the Boxers had a sort "But it should never be forgotten," said Mr. Back, that the Boxers, or Manchus, are really as much foreigners as those against whom they so truculantly direct their hatred." As an exemplification of the partiality favoritism was carried Mr. Back pointed out that every born Manchu was entitled to a pension merely on account of the haphazard chance of his birth, and not for any important service. In the should carry on their depredations withby the ruling powers of the Chinese Em-At the same time the foreigners should take into consideration the difficulty that effort to regenerate China in the customs of modern civilization. For thousands one beaten path, regardless of the advancement being made in other coungallant band under Seymour at this ar- tries, and it was obviously a matter of sheer impossibility to surmount the great obstacles afforded by established customs and national history. Mr. Back was of the opinion that Li Hung Chang, if he had the power, would immediately restore order out of chaos in China. But the great statesman has been recently shorn of his once ponderous influence, by the Empress Dowager and others, and was unable to act. Mr. Back is captain of the Americanborn Chinese brigade of Portland, having graduated from the Bishop-Scott Academy just previous to the Spanish-American war. When this conflict broke out he endeavored to enlist in the engineers' corps as an interpreter, and passed a good examination in everything but his eyesight, which caused his rejection. He then formed the Chinese military organization for native sons, which has now over eighty members. They are equipped and uniformed similarly to the United States army. Mr. Back controls a large numbe . Joi votes in Portland, and is consequently eagerly sought after by politicians and others with an eye to the "main chance in the coming presidential election.

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sides." Towards the end of May it became evident that the rising of the Sepoys was only a question of time, and accord- with a like result took place at Aoung such persons may be released on giving ingly all women, children and non-comon July 15th, 22 miles from Cawnpore. batants were gathered within the impro- On this day, the 15th, the Nana heard vised entrenchments. On the night of that Havelock's little army was in full June 4th the crisis arrived. The 2nd march upon Cawnpore, Furious at the Cavalry set the example of open rebelnews, he resolved upon a great final act tion, and were immediately followed by of butchery. Orders went forth for the the 1st Regiment of foot. The treasury was robbed, and the magazine, with its survivors of the dreadful days at the rivmassacre of the women and children, the enormous supplies of ammunition and er side. Four or five men who were artillery, was taken possession of by mu- among the prisoners were first shot in tineers. The following morning the the presence of the Nana, and then the 53rd and 56th native regiments joined women and children were slashed to their comrades. death in the prison by Mohammedan

The Siege Begun,

of the Nana's followers Their bodies The Nana's opportunity had now come. He placed himself at the head of the rebels and was proclaimed Peshwa of tinct), were thrown into the well which the Marhattas, in feudatory allegiance to the Delhi Emperor. On June 6th he sent during the siege. After this crowning act motice to Gen. Wheeler that he was of infamy Nana Sahib resolved upon about to attack the position. Within making one last stand for Cawnpore, and this slight fortification upwards of a gave battle to Havelock a few miles thousand souls had taken refuge, and south of the city on July 16th. The fight of whom 465 were men of all ages and professions. Everyone able to bear arms which had preceded it, but ended in the was told off to the defence. At noon began the siege, "the miseries of which to Sahib fled with the remnant of his army, the amount so collected should be paid the besieged," says Sir J. W. Kaye, and the next morning Havelock entered into the treasury of the Nam-Hoi and not seem a very rational procedure, nor "have never been exceeded in the history tives whom he had hoped to rescue. of the world. All the wonted terrors of a multitudinous enemy without, of a feeble garrison and scant shelter within, of the burden of women and children and sick people, with little to appease their wants or to allay their sufferings, were aggravated by the burning heat of the and, to quote the words of the legend climate. The June sky was little less than a great canopy of fire; the summer breeze was as the blast of a furnace; to touch the barrel of a gun was to recoil as from red hot iron. It was the season when European strength and energy are in commemoration of the events of the ever at their lowest point of depression, siege. when military duty in its mildest form taxes the powers of Englishmen to the utmost, and English women can do little more than sustain life in a state of languid repose, in shaded apartments, with all appliances at command to moderate Berlin, Aug. 9 .- 'The foreign office, referthe temperature and mitigate the sufferring to-day to the presence of the Boer delegates and Dr. Leyds in Berlin, said ing. But now, even under the fierce meridian sun, this little band of English that the delegation was here in an unofficial capacity only, and that it was not fighting men were ever straining to sus-

tain the strenuous activity of constant likely that any power would endeavor to battle against fearful odds, whilst delisecure favorable peace terms for the Boers in the final settlement. cate women and fragile children were Dr. Leyds and the delegation, however, suddenly called to endure discomforts and privations which it would have been hard to battle with in strong health unvon Dorenthal, privy councillor, who is representing Count von Buelow during the der their native skies." during his vacation.

## Fighting at Close Range.

The deficiences of the position as a the correspondent of the Associated Press, place of defence soon became apparent. It was exposed to a continuous cannoners of the South African Republic do not ade from heavy siege guns, taken from intend to give up the fight. They will take the magazine, and to a ceaseless hailto guerilla warfare, splitting up into small storm of musketry fire from a range of detachments, and they will doubtless disbuildings just outside the entrenchments. All attempts of the mutineers to push forward were fiercely driven back, and a inflict in a big war." general attack upon the English position

Ten thousand cabmen of Naples are out was defeated, with heavy loss to the assailants. But the contest was too un- on strike to prevent the introduction of will clearly understand my intent, and I can be made whereby the business may Equal to last long. By the end of the motor cabs into that city.

army at Fathipur, and affer a short en- streets, they should be arrested and counter-it could not be called a fight- taken to the nearest station for examinutterly routed it. Another engagement ation; and, as circumstances require, security. The street watchmen may be done away with. The expenses for this will be about 400,000 taels per annum. (3.) At present there are soldiers specially maintained for the purpose of making arrests in guard boats, cruisers and in steamers. The drilling of these should not be abandoned, and the expenses for their keep be paid out of the military fund. In this manner we shall have a most efficient army.

of any persons living therein constantly

The Question of Expense. "There are also several means of butchers from the bazaar and one or two

raising revenue. (1.) As there are no doubt many persons who are willing (some, it is said, with life not quite exout of patriotism to contribute to the purchasing of arms, ammunition and had served as an improvised cemetery ships of war whenever they see that the government stand in need of them, let the committee of every street keep a subscription book and enter in it the subscription of any person willing to subscribe from 50 cents upwards, was more hotly contested than those give him an official stamped receipt for the same. The committee of same result. During the night Nana the joss houses should do the same, and be expended for the purchase of arms A marble shrine with the statute of and ammunition, ships of war and torthe Angel of Peace by Marochetti now pedo-boats, and for nothing else. (2.) covers the well, and the sad scene has Out of one year's rent let the landlords been covered by a lovely garden. The and tenants each contribute one month's spot is one of the most pathetic in India, rent towards expenses of keeping the soldiers to patrol the streets. This contribution shall be made quarterly, and round the shrine, will for ever be "Sathe balance, after payment of patrol excred to the perpetual memory of a great company of Christian people, chiefly wopenses, shall go to the military fund. (3.) The rents from fields and ground men and children," who lie underneath. shall also be devoted to the payment of A memorial church has also been built expenses, and the balances shall be sent,

The lekin taxes and the customs revenue THE BOER PLANS foreign loan, and other expenses at Pe-Will Take Up Guerilla Warfare-Delegates kin. (5.) All other sundry expenses Visit Berlin. shall be paid out from the funds of the

board of reorganization. This is one of the best arrangements in dealing with the questions of expense. The General Duty.

"The duties of the viceroys and governors are to uphold the government and must kindle enthusiasm and demonstrate protect the territory over which they are placed. The duties of the judges and to the prejudices and emotions of Christhe taotai are to investigate and find out | tian democracy at home; they do the last had a conference this morning with Herr the truth. It is the bounden duty which by circulating reports full of exhilarating the gentry and merchants owe to the state to show their loyalty and patriot- are mischievous in all directions. In absence of the minister of foreign affairs ism jointly in time of trouble, and the multiplying converts for domestic conmilitary officials are bound to arrest and Mr. Fischer, of the delegation, said to stamp out all thieves and robbers, ex- to lower the standard of disciplineship tirpate the secret societies, and protect and slacken the reins of discipline. In in the presence of Dr. Leyds: "The burgh- the good people so that they may live in subjecting the work abroad to the ignorpeace and harmony. If the officials and ant opinion of the church at home, in-

people are of one mind, the civil and the military will act in accord, and with throned. We should place the "society their best exertions this empire will be method" high in the list of hindrances turb the British, inflicting in the aggregate strengthened on the way to progress, to missionary work .- Saturday Review. nore damage in this way than they could be rescued from its present decadence, and be made as strong and solid as a

mountain. I therefore hope that the officials, gentry, merchants and people issue this notification for their informa- ) be continued.

clay was strewn with flour to represent snow, the cannon wheel was again pushed across, and more horse-shoe marks band. were indented, to obtain the semblance of a road over which many horses and sight. Mangled bodies of men, women guns had passed at different times. Fin- and even children were constantly being ally, finding that the flour was not of washed against the jetties and the ships' sufficient brilliance, the whole was given a sprinkling of salt, and the model road was completed.

When asked by his friends why he had not visited Russia, instead of making this elaborate substitute for a snow-covered road, which he might have studied so easily from Nature, Meissonier would merely shrug his shoulders and say, "Yes, yes, but we Parisians do not move about so easily."-Pearson's.

MISSIONS AND SOCIETY WORK.

But the principal missions are carried on among the civilized races of the East, and testimony as to the excellence of the an American. first; the worth of the last is much disputed. Preaching in the bazaars does Cawnpore, but too late to save the cap- Pun-Yu magistrates. This money shall does it apparently have much success; it is, however, the normal missionary method, and it demands in the missionary no other qualifications than some knowledge of the native language, and such a courage as is displayed in every street corner in this country. Oi the whole we incline to think that the defective training of the missionaries lies at the root of many mischiefs. Of course, in this matter, the societies are limited by their material. The average missionary strikes us as too often an inferior edition of the average clergyman. It might be thought that the missionary vocation, as the regulations direct, to Pekin. (4.) demanding as is certainly the case very shall be reserved for repayment of the special qualities of mind and character, ought to be pursued rather by the abler than by the weaker members of the Wherever a really powerful clergy. man does take up the work, his success is invariable. The societies necessarily reflect the wishes of their subscribers,

and this fact points to the fons et origo malorum.

Compelled to raise money, the societies success. They do the first by appealing account of progress. The consequences sumption the missionaries are tempted itiative is paralyzed, and convention en-

The wholesale firm of G. A. McGillivray & Co., London, have suspended. payment. It is thought arrangements

to the very appropriate tune of "Marching Through Georgia," played by the The river presented a ghastly sides, and the stench with the prevailing heat was almost unbearable.

Russian forces were constantly arriving in driblets. They were very well equipped, specially in the matter of horses and field guns. Hardly any stayed in Taku, every fresh arrival being hurriedly sent to the front. The ser- pursuits and satisfied to pass their existvice, which consisted of all the lighters ence in ravaging and plundering. The and tugs which have been impressed, is present ruling dynasty, said Mr. Back, well organized and constant communication is being kept up with Tien Tsin; still very little news has filtered through. of a claim upon the support of the pow-Twelve hundred American troops from ers that be.

Manila, who were landed at Taku on the 7th, were passed on the evening of the and with respect to these it is not so 8th, well up towards Tien Tsin, and easy to reach an opinion. Experience these would reach there on the morning suggests that we should distinguish be- of the 9th, and now form part of the tween the educative work carried on by force there. The headquarters of this the missionaries and the evangelistic force will be at the house of the com- of the ruling dynasty to the Manchus, work proper. There is a consensus of missioner of customs, Mr. Drew, who is and as indicative to what extremes this

With regard to the report that the aresnal below Tien Tsin had been reoccupied by the Chinese, it is learned that not only is this not so, but that the Russians have mounted a gun there, and | light of these circumstances, it was hardit is now held by them-it was previ- | ly a matter for wonder that the Boxers, ously unoccupied. But the Chinese have a secret organization of the Manchus, retaken possession of the Segai arsenal, to the west of the native city, where out fear of apprehension and punishment Admiral Seymour's force made their stand until relieved. It appears that this pire. was supposed to have been completely ruined by the last troops to leave it, but this does not seem to have been com- must necessarily be encountered in the

pletely done, as the Chinese are there again, and repairing the damage, so that it will have to be retaken by the allies of years the Chinese have continued in some day. A detail concerning, the stay of the

senal is that the Russian contingent, marines, with him were short of ammunition for their carbines when they reached that point, and finding a plentiful supply of beautiful Mannlicher carbines with ample ammunition, their commander ordered them to leave their old weapons and completely rearmed them from this latest shipment. The fun of the thing is that it is currently reported in Tien Tsin that the Chinese have not paid for the greater part of the stores found in this arsenal, and thus the Russians are said to have been armed at the cost of the subjects of another continental power. The steamer Peiping has been taken

charge of by the German authorities, and has been sent down to Taku with wounded of that nationality, and is now there as hospital tender.

H.E. Li Hung Chang arrived at Hongkong on the 18th, on board the steamer Anping, and had an interview with H.E. the Governor, Sir Henry Blake, that morning, General Gaselee, the commander-in-chief of the British forces in China, General Barrow, Major-General Gascoigne, the commanding officer of the Hongkong garrison, and Commodore

We feel that we are greater than we May being present. He stated that he know .-- Wordsworth.

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reinitiation into city life, at the cost of hard cash. A young man, a chance ac-Provincial News. quantance, on the journey from Barkerville, undertook to act as the old man's guide and companion while in the city, THE PARTY STATES and so insinuated himself into his good graces as to be allowed to share his room at night. The whereof the young man's SILVERTON. kindly attentions was discovered on The Roman Catholics of Silverton, Wednesday, when he mysteriously abough few in number, have erected a little church which will be dedicatsented himself at breakfast and throughout the morning. About noon Mr. Conway, having occasion to go to his pocket-ROSSLAND. book, located the cause of the non-ap-S. Deacon, the well-known barrispearance of his young companion in a r and partner of Mr. W. S. MacNeill, like absence of a \$150 roll of bills, which and bride, arrived on Saturday had evidently been extracted during the from their wedding tour through night. The police then took the matter East. They were married at Stratup and traced the absentee to the Canord. Ont., on July 18th. Mr. Deacon adian Pacific railway ticket office, where as been the recipient of numerous con- he had secured transportation for the other side of the line. Following up the clue, it was found that he had obtained NELSON. an express order at Huntington for a Richard Hutchinson was drowned off fairly large sum of money, but beyond steamer Slocan on Tuesday morning.

that point no further trace of either was a deckhand and came from money or man could be found. W. Stewart, the Balfour extension FRUIT GROWERS' SHOW. actor, turned over \$3,000 to Harry

Wright, collector of taxes, on Tuesday A Good Attendance Yesterday-Prize Winfor the provincial poll tax collected from ners for Fruit and Vegetables.

residence in Barkerville, is buying his

the workingmen along the line. CHILLIWACK.

The attendance at the British Columbia Mrs. Mary Brannick, of East Chilli-Fruit Growers' exhibition yesterday was wack, died on Saturday last at the resisomewhat better than on the previous dence of her son, Matthew Brannick. day. The prize winners in fruit and vege-The deceased has for some time past been suffering with heart trouble. A tables were as follows:

week ago she received a stroke of par-Fruit. alysis, from the effects of which she never recovered. The funeral service Russian Transparent Apples-1st prize, was conducted by the Rev. W. Baugh Eber Stride, Burnaby; 2nd, J. H. Arthur; 3rd, W. F. Stewart, Eburne. Allen. Mrs. Brannick was a native of Red Astrachan-1st prize, L. R. Authier, Austria and emigrated to Hamilton, Abbotsford; 2nd, Jesse' Love, Burnaby; Ont., some 40 years ago; from thence she went to Owen Sound, and then 15 3rd. Eber Stride, Burnaby. Any Other Early Variety-1st prize, M. years ago to Chilliwack, where she remained ever since. Deceased was twice J. Henry, Vancouver.

Duchess of Oldenburg-1st prize, H. married. First to Mr. Snider, and on Kipp, Chilliwack; 2nd, H. A. Wilson, New his decease to the husband who now la-Westminster; 3rd, T. R. Pearson, New Westminster. Gravenstein-1st prize, W. F. Stewart,

Eburne; 2nd, Eber Stride, Burnaby; 3rd, Robert Covington, one of the best H. Davey, South Vancouver. known and most popular miners in the Collection of Crab Apples-1st prize, A. Slocan, died suddenly on Tuesday, 20 W. Ogilvie, Vancouver; 2nd, H. Kipp, Chilmiles up Lemon creek from Slocan City. On Sunday Covington started up the liwack. Bartlett Pears-1st prize, Chas. Nelson, creek with Tom Benton to represent a Vancouver; 2nd, H. Kipp, Chilliwack. property for Oscar White. They reach-Any Other Variety Summer Pears-1st their destination on Monday and Covington complained of feeling unwell. prize, Chas. Nelson, Vancouver. Sour Cherries-1st prize, H. Davey, South On Tuesday morning Benton arose and Vancouver. prepared the breakfast. He went to Peach Plums-1st prize, Tom Davies. ouse Covington and found the latter Burnaby: 2nd. Sprott & Schou, Burnaby; in a dying condition. Within a few min-3rd, Jesse Love, Burnaby. utes Covington died. Benton then re-Bradshaw Plums-1st prize, H. Kipp, turned to Slocan City and a large party Chilliwack; 2nd, Eber Stride, Burnaby; was formed to bring the body in. Cov-3rd, A. J. Douglass, South Vancouver. ington was married about a year ago Columbia Plums-1st prize, H. Kipp, and leaves a widow and infant daugh-

Chilliwack; 2nd, Jesse Love, Burnaby. Abundance Plum-1st prize, W. F. Stew art. Eburne. Plate of Peaches-1st prize, Eber Stride Rev. A. E. Vert, pastor of St. An-Burnaby; 2nd, C. C. Maddams, Vancouver; drew's Presbyterian church, united in

3rd, H. A. Wilson, New Westminster. marriage on Wednesday morning Miss Red Currants-1st prize, W. F. Stewart, Hopkins, teacher of the public school at Eburne. Spence's Bridge, and Mr. Gillard, C.P.R. White Currants-1st prize, Eber Stride, Burnaby.

The late Thomas T. A. Boys was buri-Collection of Raspberries-1st prize, H ed at Boundary Bay on Tuesday. His Davey, South Vancouver. remains were removed to the Orange hall Red Raspberries-1st prize, Sprott & and viewed by many old friends. Flags Schou, Burnaby; 2nd. W. F. Stewart, were at half-mast, and members of the Eburne; 3rd, Eber Stride, Burnaby,-Orange Brotherhood were present from Black Raspberries - 1st prize, Tom all parts of the district. The reeve, Davies, Burnaby. most of the councillors, the clerk and other prominent citizens were present. Burnaby; 2nd, Eber Stride, Burnaby; 3rd, pyrites in a quartz gangue, was given bian says that there has M. J. Henry, Vancouver. been a decided falling-off in the salmon Special Extra Grapes-1st prize, Eber run the last two days, particularly as Stride, Burnaby. regards the catch on the Fraser river Best Packed Box of Apples, Pears or ver, or \$1,003.68 to the ton. This is a proper, but among the canners and Plums-H. Kipp, Chilliwack, took the remarkable value, but dozens of assays ishermen there is a firm hope that three prizes. Sunday night will see a big spurt. Bottied Fruit-1st prize, W. H. Lewis, Meanwhile, the only boats which seem Burnaby. to be doing at all well are those out-Collection of Honey and Comb-1st prize, | was obtained in a recent assay, There side, and the report of fair hauls in W. H. Lewis, Burnaby; 2nd, M. J. Henry, the traps is another indication that Vancouver; 3rd, Sprott & Schou, Burnaby. | ing the shaft on the lead, and as soon the annual "school" has arrived in the Mr. E. Hutcherson, of New Westmin-Gulf and is just waiting until it feels ster, was judge. like it to ascend the Fraser. Regarding Vegetables. the damage done to nets by being cut Windsor Beans-1st prize, Eber Stride, reports from Steveston indicate that for he past night or two there has been an Burnaby; 2nd, W. A. Dashwood-Jones, mprovement in this respect. Still, a New Westminster. Wax Beans-1st prize, T. A. Fennell, great many more nets were cut than was Burnaby; 2nd, Jesse Love, Burnaby. t first supposed. The secretary of the Pole Beans-1st prize, W. A. Dashwood-Association estimates that ones, New Westminster; 2nd, Dr. Underfully 100 salmon nets have thus been hill, Vancouver. destroyed during the past week, and he Carrots-1st prize, Arthur Bush, Vancouis now preparing a detailed statement ver; 2nd, Dr. Underhill, Vancouver. of the loss under this head. Summer Cabbage-1st prize, Jesse Love, VANCOUVER. Burnaby. John Jones, of Nineteenth avenue, Cucumbers-1st prize, Eber Stride, Bur naby; 2nd, W. B. Walker, New Westmin-Mount Pleasant, passed away at his resister. dence on Wednesday at the ripe age of Lettuce-2nd prize, Dr. Underhill, Van-71 years. Deceased, who was a native couver. of London, Eng., for many years held Red Onions-1st prize, W. F. Stewart, the position of foreman in the Canadian Pacific railway machine shops in this Eburne; 2nd, L. R. Authler, Abbotsford. Yellow Onions-1st prize, W. F. Stewart, Eburne; 2nd, L. R. Authier, Abbotsford. wedding was celebrate on Wed-White Onions-1st prize, W. F. Stewart, nesday at the residence of Smith Thompburne. son, Cambie street, of Harold Wright, of Wrinkled Peas in Pod-1st prize, W. A. ily St. John, N. B., and Miss F. Ethel Dashwood-Jones, New Westminster; 2nd, Thornton, of Montreal. C. N. Eccleston A. D. Gothard, Vancouver. officiated as best man, while Mrs. Thompson supported the bride. Long Radish-1st prize, Dr. Underhill, Vancouver. A Chinama'n was charged in the po-Six Stalks Rhubarb-1st prize, Sprott & lice court on Wednesday with assaulting his wife with an axe. The evidence Schou, Burnaby; 2nd, W. H. Lewis, Burshowed that the woman threw a cup of naby. Vegetable Marrow-1st prize, Dr. Undertea in her husband's face during a dishill, Vancouver; 2nd, Arthur Bush, Vancoupute when the latter threw her down and, she alleges, struck her on the head ver. with an axe. To enable the case for the Summer Squash-1st prize, Jesse Love, defence to be prepared, an adjournment Burnaby. Red Tomatoes-1st prize, W. B. Walker, for one week was granted. Lieutenant-Governor Sir Henri Joly New Westminster. visited the St. Luke's Home on Wednes-Early Potatoes-1st prize, Sprott & day afternoon, where he was received by Schou, Burnaby; 2nd, W. F. Stewart, galena ore, traceable for 500 feet. Eburne. the Rev. H. G. F.-Clinton and Sister Green Globe Artichoke-1st prize, Sprott Frances. His Honor was shown over & Schou, Burnaby. the building and was greatly pleased with its general appointment, also tak-Mr. George Eldon, of Vancouver, officiating a keen interest in the English ward, ed as judge. which is reserved for members of the Order of the Sons of England. Being a SHIP DUES WILL BE LEVIED. lover of trees, His Honor was particu-Manchester, Eng., Aug. 9.-Chairman larly, struck with the shady grounds surrounding the home, and before leaving Bythell, of the Manchester Ship Canal had the members of the nursing staff Co., at a meeting to-day, informed the brought and introduced to him. shareholders that Manchester, after the The British Columbia Medical Asso- year 1900, would cease to be a free port, tion held their first annual meeting that ship dues would be levied on a here yesterday. About 50 doctors were moderate scale and that ship owners present. During the session remarkwould be obliged to pay for berths for able medical cases coming under the ex- their ships. perience of those attending will be reported, and papers will be read.

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The Lardeau.

Perry Leake reports that he is working a pay gravel on the Consolation. Ed. Anderson is hard at work on the Columbia group, another Canyon creek sulphide ore, which has been uncovered property of great promise located adjoining the Pedro group.

C. Caesar is getting on well with his flume which he is building on the Ophir. He has taken out ten thousand feet of lumber for this purpose. A shaft is being sunk on the Lucky Jim, at the head of Eight-Mile, and the work up to the present has resulted in uncovering ore running \$116 gold, \$55 copper and \$9 in silver to the ton. G. W. Carothers and G. Meldrum are busily engaged developing the Dewey, a promising location on Murray creek. They are driving a crosscut to catch the vein. Several leads cross this property. Cutler T. Porter and F. W. Kellam, accompanied by John McCartney, have

gone up to the Wagner group. Mr. Porter is bringing in an engineer who will survey off the group after which active development will be commenced. Work is being pushed vigorously on the Mabel group and Early Bird properties located at the head of Eightthe dumps.' Mile. The properties in this basin are turning out remarkably well under development, on all the claim now being worked fine ore is being exposed. J. Murray, J. A. Templeton, T. H. Evans and P. Culkeen left recently to combest copper oxides on the reservation. mence work on the Lost Tunnel group of three claims, lately staked on the south fork, just over the mountain from the Silver Belt, on Brown creek. Messrs. Smith and Murphy have just completed the work on the Fayal, a the contract for sinking 50 feet on this claim on Haskins creek, and they report property. that they have uncovered a fine ledge of galena and iron. R. Foran and J. Chism have returned have been doing assessment work on the J. C. group, consisting of six claims, the bearing ore. Winchester, Snow Storm, J. C. Lone, Lone Star, Smuggler and Ucia. The open cuts made exposed some fine looking ore. Ed. Adair has come in from the Eureka mine on Laforme creek on Wednesday week. There is one shaft working on the tunnel and the calculations are that another 20 feet or so will tap the hanging wall of the ledge, on which the surface indications show up the best When the hanging wall is reachore. in another 20 feet. ed, drifting will be carried on at different points in the tunnel and a lower level tunnel commenced, which is calculated to give a depth of 1,000 feet. Seven weeks ago there was a mineral claim on the Silver Cup hill known as the Triune, with one assessment done; no trail, and no money to develop it. A few miners co-operated, leased the property and with the owners cut a trail from Ten-Mile to the claim. Last week

a 20-ton shipment of clean high-grade ore came down through Ferguson on its way to the Trail smelter, and two tons a day is now being sacked; all this in seven weeks. James Grant was down from the Lucky

Magnetite is near the Buckhorn mine. Jim on Saturday week, bringing some fine samples of ore with him. , One of face assays and is said to show so far ready to ship immediately.

summit there is a large showing of con- gave a gross return of \$15 in gold, 7 the superintendent in order to ascertain centrating ore, with about five feet of oz. silver and 6 per cent. copper. After how much of it can be shipped now that hipping ore on the hanging wall. Be- paying transportation by wagons to a wagon road is being built from Northport low the summit the slides and wash Grand Forks, railway freight, and treat- to open up the west slope of Sophie mouncover the vein, but boulders of ore weigh- ment charges the net return was nearly tain to transportation. Much of the ore ing as much as 30 tons are scattered for \$2 per ton. The ore even at depth is of the mine is of a concentrating kind,

The Boundary.

mountain, and it is estimated that a easily mined. thousand tons of ore, some of which is Rossland Camp. clean shipping ore, lie on the surface. Some of this ore will be shipped this The Rossland Miner in its weekly mining fall as well as ore from the carbonate review savs: showing on the Silver Belt and the iron The noteworthy feature of the week is

near the line between the Silver Crown and Silver Belt. An assay along five feet of this ore ran \$8.80 in gold and 430 will very shortly greatly enhance the output of the camp. Preparations are being

There is considerable activity at the made to work the Le Roi No. 2 on a large nead of Sheep creek over the divide at scale. There remains very little to be the north fork of Wild Horse. John P. done before both this mine and the Le Roi Larsen came down from there on Tues-No. 3 are in a condition to keep up regular day week. He says: "But little work shipments. has been done on the John Bull group The Le Roi last week again beat its own

this summer, the work having been conrecord with the help of the shipments to fined to the Carbonate group adjoining Trail, which approximated 960 tons, acthe John Bull. The group consists of cording to the returns furnished to the the Searchlight, Louise, Carbonate and Miner. The estimate for this past week Statesman. The work has been done is 5,730 tons. For the week before the principally on the Searchlight, three corrected shipments were 5,664 tons, or 31 tunnels having been driven 40, 20 and 15 tons in excess of the amount estimated.

feet respectively. The upper one is Appended is a list of shipments for the about 300 feet from the summit, an- past week and year to date: other 600 feet, and the lower about 700 Week. Year. feet. A tunnel will shortly be started Tons. Tons. from an open cut 1,200 feet lower down. Le Roi ..... 5,730 74.595 The upper tunnel is in ore showing War Eagle ..... 10,603 galena and some copper, the other two Centre Star ..... 7,017 copper and silver. In the various open-Iron Mask ..... 1,435 ings there is ore of a shipping grade on I. X. L. ..... 351 Monte Christo ..... 273 Iron Colt ..... 50 Giant ..... ..... ..... 42

From the Midnight surface assays run-Total ...... 5,730 94,685 ning as high as \$29 have been obtained and the showing is said to be one of the Le Roi.-The great news of the week is Pete Larsen and C. D. Rand. that the compressor of 40-drill power was running on Saturday under a full load of John Mulligan has two men at work on the Silver Plume, in Summit camp, air. This has been long awarted we to the ore carries considerable zinc. 35 feet, all in ore. Mr. Mulligan has bered clear down to the 800 foot level, the mine. The combination shaft is timwhere sinking has been resumed. The the glacier, opposite New Denver, are do-

On Thursday week the ore body on this point on the 900-foot level a station Surface assays give values in gold, copper the R. Bell in Summit camp was struck is being cut, on the completion of which and silver. in the crosscut run at the 80-foot level. a raise will be made to meet the shaft on from the head of Lake creek, where they | The crosscut is in 35 feet. The lead is its downward course. Development work about five feet wide of very rich copper is proceeding along the usual lines, and is keeping well abreast of the output.

A rich strike of pyrrhotite ore has Le Roi No. 2.-Preparations for shipping been struck on the Withe group of claims in the immediate future are actively in situate between South Deadwood and progress on this mine. On the Ame driftnt, it nother Smith's camp. The lede is about four ing has been stopped for the feet in width carrying good values in being the intention to go dow 100 feet and then drift westward in order to get under the fine looking outcrop vis-

On the Mountain View, in Summit ible on the far side of the gulch. The ore camp, two shifts are at work running a in this shaft maintains the high level crosscut from the bottom of the 65-foot which has characterized it from the very shaft. Already about 50 feet has been start. It may be said to be a high grade run and it is expected to tap the ledge ore of exceptional value as regards the average ore of the camp and its assays will While on a prospecting trip to Mcbe well over \$100, as samples have been Kinley camp on the east fork of the taken which have given 8 ounces in gold north fork recently, John Meyers locatalone. On the Josie the winze is being

ed a claim, which he called the Standsunk from the 300 to the 500 level. It is ard. He struck a solid ledge at five now down 140 feet, and is in ore the feet. He was astonished to learn that whole way. A sump is being cut at the one assay gave him a return of \$1,422 500 level in the shaft, where a pumping in gold and copper values. station will be established, and after that

J. P. Harlan has lately developed the sinking will be resumed for another lift. Magnetic in South Deadwood. The work On the No. 1 both cages are now running, done consists of 500 feet of surface cross- and the usual development work is procutting and a 15-foot shaft. The ore is ceeding. The raise from the 400 to the 300 copper and iron pyrites in a blue diorite, foot level is in hand and is all timbered up. and gives good coppergold values. The An intermediate level is being prepared ledge is about 50 feet in width. The for the preparation of another back stope. On the Poorman the upper stope is in all

road up Silver mountain is built.

hundreds of feet down the side of the greatly oxidized and consequently is and among the improvements which the company has in contemplation is the erection of a concentrator. Evening Star .- The winze is down to a

> lower tunnel. A station is being cut at the bottom of the winze. The intention is to drift along the ledge from the station as the installation and working of the new soon as it is completed. The winze is in compressor on the Black Bear flat, which ore of a pay grade for nearly its entire length.

weeks. After this is over it is probable

New St. Elmo.-The new cylinder for the compressor of the St. Elmo arrived on Friday and will be installed immediately. It will be a week before the machinery will again be in motion. Then the work of development will be resumed

The Molly Gibson is shipping 40 tons of ore a week. The Colonel Sellers, at the head of Coffee creek, will be developed this summer. Another strike of clean galena ore is reported from the Queen Fraction, situated on the lake shore west of the Galena Farm. Surface work is now being pushed on

from the lake shore. The V. and I. group, on Ten Mile, is

promising, It is owned principally by Small sacks of ore from the Fairy

Queen, on Trout Creek, have been sent to San Francisco and Swansea for analysis. The owners of the Northern Light

group, situated about half a mile below shaft men are now down 30 feet. Below ing considerable surface work on the ledge.

Supt. F. H. Lautz has a contract for driving 500 feet of tunnel on the Lost Mountain property, and reports that they have 12 inches of ore in the face of the tunnel. They are accumulating ore on the dump for shipment.

The Midway group, on Twelve Mile creek, alongside the K. & S., is being opened up by W. White and J. A. Otto. They have uncovered the vein for 400 feet. It has a width of from one to four feet of carbonates and galena.

Thompson and Mitchell are doing assessment work on the Queen City, situated just west of the Sinfi group, where they made the rich strike of clean ore some time ago. They will resume work on the Sinfi in a short time.

Enough work to secure a crown grant is being put upon the C. P. R. by Wm. Meldrum for the co-owners. A strong quartz ledge with well defined walls and every indication of ore coming in is being

opened up by tunnel and open cutting. The Bosun, Hartney, Marion and California are working steadily, producing ore and pushing development work. The Bosun is making regular weekly shipments, and the other properties named will be prepared to do likewise as soon as the wagon

The owners of the Eclipse have started work in the old workings abandoned by H. The Hawkeye gave some splendid sur- preparedness, chutes in position, and is T. Bragdon when he had the property under bond some 18 months ago. A cross-

Blackberries-1st prize, Sprott & Schou, them, selected at random, carrying iron over 10 feet of ledge matter with the Nickel Plate.-No advance is being made cut tunnel was driven to catch the lead east wall not yet uncovered. A shaft has along the ore hodies pending the compleby Mr. Bragdon and drift was continued some distance before the bond was thrown up. Only zinc was encountered. Messrs. Allan, Corey and Ward started to push the drift ahead, and had at the 600-foot level is widening. The drift not driven more than two feet when gallena came into the face. Then have now a good ore chute showing in this drift. The ore showing on the surface is eight crosscut on this level is being driven to inches in thickness. The drift taps the the north line of the property. A pump chute at a depth of 100 feet, and at this station is being cut at the 500-foot level. depth the showing is much better. The and on the completion of this it is the inledge was crosscut at this depth and provtention to proceed with the sinking of the ed to be about 35 feet from wall to wall shaft to the 800-foot level, so that the dewith zinc and galena scattered through it. velopment of the mine will keep up with The Bismarck showing is a wonder. 'The the extraction. On the 400 level the strike was made about 20 feet to the right south crosscut is still in hand. On the of the upper tunnel. A vein of galena was 200 level a tunnel is being driven east so discovered varying in width from 4 to 12 as to connect up with the workings of the inches. The vein has been stripped for a mine in this direction, establish proper distance of 30 feet. The owners of the ventilation and at the same time render property are McAnn & McKay, G. B. Geravailable the high grade ores found in the rard and Charles Sampson. The latter is working at the mine, and the other day War Eagle .- Below the usual work is Messrs. Gerrard and McKay went up to progressing. The shaft is being systematic- the property to inspect the new discovery. ally sunk, and is nearing the 1,000 level. Mr. Sampson chipped off several specimens "promiscuous like," and one was sent to Assayer Wilson. His assay gives 231.6 the 100-foot level in the shaft has struck enth level and is being drifted upon. The ozs. silver and 71.4 per cent. lead. This the ore body and is being driven steadily crosscut from the same place to reach the high showing in lead is a feature to be southern lead has not as yet penetrated to noticed, and if the vein proves to be perfoot level this ledge was 28 feet in width, that vein, although good progress is being manent and the values continue the ownmade. It should be opened up shortly, ers of the Bismarck will be rich men. This on the deeper level, but it is confidently when drifting will be undertaken as in the remarkable strike is not the only one to northern ledge at the same development the credit of the Bismarck. A short time level. Above the stoping is in progress since a strike was made 50 feet above the along the sixth and fifth levels, the ore galena. The carbonates assay 176 ozs. sil-Beaver creek. He has been doing as being broken down and lying on the ver and 1 per cent. lead. It is worth while sessment work on his properties there floors. The extension of these drifts is to note the difference in the lead showing for the past two months. On the Gold also being carried out in the usual manner. in the two assays. The galena in the first Centre Star .- Below the usual develop- strike was not assayed, the values being the same as in the lower workings. There are three tunnels on the Bismarck. The lower tunnel is 420 feet below No. 1. The west. On the second level the stope has total amount of tunnelling is 1,100 feet. There is a very good showing on the first tunnel and on the floor and roof of the second tunnel. In addition to all this there are two good surface showings of carbonates and galena above the No. 1 workings. Some work has been done recently on the No. 3 tunnel and promises of the property, and the fine body of ore well. The owners intend to make another shipment in a short time. It is their intention to explore the lower tunnel thorough-No. 5 to the No. 6 tunnel has been sunk to 1y. In the past the Bismarck has shipped about 73 tons of high grade ore, and if rection of the ore body on which it has fortune favors the owners the mine will been sunk ascertained. This having been soon be on the permanent shipping list.

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depth of 109-feet from the level of the

Iron Mask .- Work on this mine is still proceeding on the lines laid down by the experts during their recent visit, and will be continued up till the time of the trial, which will come off now within a few

that shipments will be resumed.

The Slocan.

## the Neglected, to exploit the ledge for surface outcropping of ore further up the hill

reported by Joe Saulter as looking very

objects of their oped a movement asons, Mr. Back Boxers received officials in high Imperial govern onged exclusively n of China, and us. They were ric people in the little for modern b pass their existplundering. The said Mr. Back. nd owing to this oxers had a sort pport of the powbe forgotten, Boxers, or Manich foreigners as ey so truculantly

of the partiality to the Manchus hat extremes this Mr. Back pointed Manchu was en ely on account.of of his birth, and service. In the nces, it was hardthat the Boxers, of the Manchus epredations withn and punishment the Chinese Em-

foreigners should the difficulty that countered in the na in the customs For thousands ave continued in dless of the adin other counusly a matter of irmount the great established cus

opinion that Li the power, would er out of chaos in statesman has his once ponder-Impress Dowager able to act. of the American of Portland, havhe Bishop-Scott to the Spanishthis conflict broke enlist in the eninterpreter, and tion in everything ch caused his remed the Chinese for native sons, eighty members. uniformed simites army. large number 3of is consequently politicians and "main chance tial election.

greater than we

The forty-sixth session of the Grand The tinsmiths, pipe fitters and helpers Lodge of the I.O.O.F. opened at Toesterday joined the strikers from the P. R. shops, who say that the blackin attendance, representing more than including everything gave \$10.58 in all miths and members of the other rail-20,000 members. The graded scale of values,

B. M. Conway, the Cariboo old-timer, who is in the city en route for England, after spending over 27 years' continuous sideration.

to S. Shannon, B. A., assayer, and analytical chemist, and the assay certihave been made at different depths, running from \$100 to \$400 in gold, besides is a force of men now at work, still sinkas they are down far enough to satisfy the owners drifting will be commenced.

The ore is being piled on the dump. A test shipment will be made shortly.

East Kootenay. On the Leadwell the ledge is about two feet wide, traceable for about 200 feet, with a paystreak of 1 to 15 inches of galena and grey copper. The owners of the Vesuvius have commenced work and intend making a ship-

ment of five tons of ore to the smelter as a sample test. B. C. Burton shows some very fine group, situated on McDonald creek, near the Iron Cap group, assays from which run 200 oz. silver and 60 per cent. lead. Samuel Derr and Henry Schweisguth, returned from a trip up the north fork

of Number Two creek, where they staked five claims. On the Anaconda and St. Lawrence a large dyke runs through the two claims, having in it streaks of white quartz from one to five feet, heavstained with copper. The showing galena. On the Lead Queen the lead is five to seven feet wide traceable the full length. The showing is galena and grey copper.

James Desmond has been doing assessment work for Steve Wilson and his partners on the Hobson, the Washburn and Picquer mineral claims, which he says are showing up well. The Hobson has a paystreak showing eight inches of carbonates and galena and the Washburn from six to 14 inches of clean galena are traceable for from 500 to 600 feet. The Picquer has a one and a half foot lead showing six inches of clean Robert McKeenman and partners brought in some very fine specimens of copper ore from the Bugaboo group. The group consists of 11 claims. The ledges, of which there are five, vary in width from three to five feet, and are traceable for a distance of 2.000 feet

over the divide, showing chalcopyrite all through, from which two assays have been obtained giving values as follows: Gold \$20 and copper 16 per cent.; gold \$20 and copper 8 per cent. J. Y. Kesler was down from the Star group of mines, owned by the Bull River Mining Company. He says the work which has been done on the White Swan

group, has been most satisfactory. The shaft is now down 22 feet with ore from wall to wall, carrying gold, silver and copper. There is ore in every opening now made in the entire group. An av-

been put down 40 feet on the hanging tion of the bins and sorting floor, etc. The wall and from the bottom of this is tak- completion of these is being pushed in orficate showed \$984 in gold, \$19,68 in sil- en a beautiful lot of copper ore, with a der to ship at the earliest possible date. strong indication that galena will be The ore body going west from the station found when the ledge is crosscut. Superintendent Davis of the Rambler at present is near the foot wall and it is group in Summit camp, reports having expected that the main body of this vein silver, and copper values; \$55 in copper gone through a four-foot stringer of rich lies nearer the hanging wall. The north ore in the crosscut from the 112-foot level. The crosscut is being run to tap the main ledge, and it was not expected

that an ore body would be encountered for 60 feet, but this lead was run into at a distance of 15 feet from the shaft. Joe Gelinas and others have just been doing considerable development on the

Montreal and Quebec claims, adjoining the city limits and just across the north fork from the buisness portion of Grand Forks. They have recently sunk a shaft to a depth of 33 feet on a good showing of iron and copper pyrites, which is said to give excellent and constantly increasing assays.

Word comes down from the Strawberry that a most excellent showing is The north vein has been opened from the pieces of galena rock from the Iron Mask being made there. The crosscut from crosscut from the lateral vein on the sevahead in ore of fine grade. On the 60and as yet the wall has not been found expected that it will exceed in width the upper showing. Thomas Murray has come in from

Drop. a claim on Dry creek, about threement work is proceeding in the sinking of quarters of a mile from the Washingthe shaft and the development of the ton and Idaho, he has now an open cut 20 feet long by 10 feet in depth. There fourth levels by drifts to the east and is a four-foot ledge of quartz, carrying been timbered up, and a certain amount grey copper, and in this there is a very of stoping is still in progress. The raise rich stringer about a foot in width of to the surface near the side line of the galena, running between \$80 and \$90 in Iron Mask mine is nearly holed through silver and gold. He and P. J. Kennedy and will be completed in a short period. have also been working on the Grand On the first level west of the new shaft Prize, a large iron capping which they the drift is still proceeding to the side line have striped for a space 100 feet square,

and run a crosscut tunnel 15 feet. The there shown up is proving well. Grand Prize is on Beaver creek, about Columbia-Kootenay .-- The winze from the three miles from Beaverton. Two shifts are pushing development a distance of 55 feet, and the dip and diwork on the Golden Eagle. Brown's camp, north fork of Kettle river. The

Golden Charlot.

main working shaft has been sunk to a determined a raise will be made from No. depth of 150 feet. At the 100-foot level 6 to connect with the winze. Drifting is No. 2 vein is eight feet wide between proceeding east and west at the 1,000-foot walls in a 20-foot drift to the north. level.

Fifty feet below a drift has been ex-Spitzee .- Work was resumed on the Spittended 14 feet in the same direction. The zee, which is owned by the Indian Chief vein at the bottom of the shaft is about Mining Company, on Thursday last. The state department that the French coast two and one-half feet wide, but in the work consists of taking out the ore expos- in the west of Africa, especially Seneface of the drift has increased to four ed in the old railway cutting. From as- gal, also British Gambia, and as far feet. In this working the ore is largely says made of the ore it is expected that down as Bathurst, have been declared chalcopyrite with some sulphides, small the smelter returns will be satisfactory. under quarantine on account of yellow stringers of native copper also having I. X. L.-Roy H. Clarke, manager of the fever. The consul says he has been inbeen encountered. This drift will be ex- I. X. L., reports that the lower or fourth formed that the disease is of a very tended. It is expected that it will strike tunnel, which was started on July 27th, is malignant type, and that persons attack-No. 1 vein, exposed in No. 1 shaft, and now in for a distance of 30 feet. This tun- ed with it do not, as a rule, survive more in the 35-foot crosscut connecting both nel was started on Midnight ground, and than three hours. shafts at the 70-foot level. The 16-ton when driven for 100 feet will tap the main ronto yesterday, over 400 delegates being erage assay from the bottom of the shaft ore shipment recently sent to the Trail ledge at a depth of 110 feet below the level smelter was taken from the drift at a of tunnel No. 3.

depth of 5 feet. The ore body in this Douglas-Hunter .- Drifting along the vein dues is among the principal matters 'o On the Silver Crown a tunnel has been drift is 10 feet wide. At 70 feet the vein on the lower tunnel continues. There is come before the Grand Lodge for con- started 125 feet below the summit which was crosscut eight feet without encoun- considerable ore on the dumps of the will be drifted along the vein. On the terin the hanging wall. The shipment mine, and these are being looked into by day.

## YELLOW JACK.

## (Associated Press.)

Washington, Aug. 10.-Consul Solomon, at Teneriffe, has reported to the

VISITING OTTAWA.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Aug. 10.-Gold Commissioner Senkler, of the Yukon, is in the city to-



Desirous of Giving Satisfaction to

Board of Trade and Messrs. Dodwell & steamers entering and leaving the port been found to be of immense value to the of Victoria. In reply the minister wrote

tion of the department and that he had directing him to report. Received and where they have been established, and re- notably developed in those students who provincial legislation which prevented a port to this council at as early a day as

way Company will be held at the office of Bodwell & Duff. 2 Broughton street Vic-) To purchase, hire, or otherwis

A letter addressed to Capt. Cox, chair- possible, with a view to making repreman of the harbor and navigation com- sentations to the provincial government on the subject, if it shall be thought advismittee of the board, by Capt. Clarke, able to do so. harbor master, was read regarding the regulation of the anchorage of schooners

and other vessels so that they will not interfere with the course of steamers entering and leaving the harbor. Captain Clarke stated that he was to report fully to the department of Marine and Fisheries on the subject, and would be glad to received the views of the members and perhaps a draft of a regulation which would be suitable to meet the necessary requirements for the information of the Deputy Minister.

Capt. Cox produced a chart that had been forwarded to him by the harbor master, denoting where, in his estimation, the vessels should be placed. Capt Cox favored, the rock known as Zero rock, which was the greatest obstacle in the way of the ships entering and leaving the harbor.

The chart was examined to consider able extent, and after some discussion it was moved that the harbor master regulate the anchorage of sealing schooners mining. by delimiting, as it were, their portion of the harbor. Also that the harbor master recommend that the Zero rock be removed.

Mr. Shallcross, on behalf of the com mittee appointed to consider the question of the extension to the outer wharf, reported that they had had a conference with Mr. Goward, manager of the company, on the subject, and he had every reason to believe that the service would he eventually extended. So far the committee had nothing definite to report, but he was certain as soon as it became patent that better accommodation in this particular was urgent the required improvement would undoubtedly be instituted. The committee were given further time.

The report of the mining committee on the recommendations of the Atlin Board of Trade favoring certain amendments in the Placer Mining act was then read. The report strongly endorsed the recommendation that a county court be established at Atlin and also that such distinctions as creek, bench, or bar be done away with and that the size of placer claims be 200 feet square. The recommendation on this latter point was pers. A new school of artists arose, how-250 feet square, but the mining committee was desirous of striking a happy mean between the conditions existing and that asked for by the Atlin Board of Trade.

The report was received and laid on the table, with the provision that the At-In board be informed that the Victoria board had already endorsed the recommendation that a county court be established in Atlin, but that they were not in a positon to recommend amendments to the Placer Mining act. Mr. Thompson reported progress for

the committee on legislation. C. H. Lugrin reported for the railway

committee as follows: The railway committee report that they him. met and took into consideration a petition sent out by the municipality of Chilliwack

asking the government to adopt the best grain man, died yesterday, aged 53,

The first resolution was seconded by Col. Prior, and the second by H. M. Grahame. They were both referred to the mining committee for report. The council then adjourned.

LORD MINTO'S RECEPTION. Some of the Preparations Made for His

Entertainment in the Yukqn Metropolis.

Elaborate preparations are being made at Dawson for the reception and entertainment of Lord Minto and party. Governor Ogilvie had anticipated taking him about the creeks for some days and then on a run down to Forty-Mile, the boundary line, and possibly Eagle City. With three days, how- subjects. There is no exclusiveness

command to show him a glimpse of the are offered to all students without distinctions as to race, creed or sex, upon exactly the same conditions." During his stay at Dawson Lord Min-Full particulars can be obtained by to will occupy the residence of Major addressing the president, Mr. A. J. Wood, and which the major will vacate Pineo, Victoria.

temporarily in his behalf. Governor Ogilvie and the members of the council and probably Major Wood,

When did the Brehon laws assume of the N. W. M. P., will go to Cariboo, the boundary line, to receive the distin- their present shape? Do they come as guished visitor. Governor Ogilvie will they now exist from pagan times, or of course look after their entertainment have they undergone charges at Dawson. A salute of 21 guns will be Christian times? As they exist at prefired from the barracks during the land- sent they come from pagan times, but ing of the party. Thirty men of the N. modified in Christian times to suit the W. M. P. will be lined up at the dock altered condition of the people. In the at present arms and the best conveyances reign of King Cormac, toward the the town affords will be provided. Ten middle of the third century, the Brehon laws first assumed a definite shape. men will attend the firing of the salute and guard at the barracks and a sentry Up to that time they had been more or will be place at the Governor's resi- less fragmentary. He established a

college for their careful study. They dence. remained without change until well? The reception by the citizens will be handled by them, and independently of nigh 200 years afterward, namely, up

the officials WAR ARTISTS

For some years the military engraving in England seemed doomed to extinction by the competition of the illustrated paever, whose works, influenced by the contemporary French painters, were at once more realistic and dramatic. The picture which perhaps did most to give the art a new lease of popularity was Lady Butler's famous "Roll Call," which was followed up by "Quatre Bras," "Balaclava," "Inkerman," and a number of others whose

names are household words. Perhaps the most popular painter at the present moment is Mr. Caton Woodville, of "Absent-Minded Beggar" fame. He works with extraordinary rapidity, his well known picture of "Saving the Guns at Maiwand," now in the Liverpool permanent collection. having been painted within a fortnight. when he was laid on his back with a brok-

en limb, the canvas being slung above D. G. McBean, a well known Winnipeg

have perseveringly pursued such work rancher selling the timber off his land removed from the stimulating surroundings of university life." it, was also touched upon. But the work of the correspondence

Messrs, T. Wilson, R. M. Palmer, H. division is intended to be preparatory to G. Ross, E. Hutcheson, Acting Mayor work in residence which the management McQueen and others also spoke. It was hope they will be able to establish next year. Vigorous efforts are to be made gentlemen willing to join the proposed in the direction of raising the necessary organization be taken and that they be funds for the purpose. It is understood named a provisional committee to orthat it is the intention to establish the ganize the association, with H. Bostock university either here or in Vancouver. convener and Col. Warren treasurer. There are many reasons why it should The following gentlemen notified their be located here. One is that the Metholesire to join the association: dists have their college on the Mainland Messrs. Hewitt Bostock, T. H. Ander-

at New Westminster. This institution son, Col. Warren, T. Wilson, T. Cunis now showing vigorous signs of expanningham, C. G. Henshaw, J. McGuer, R. sion, and will probably soon undertake M. Palmer, T. C. Keith, E. Hutcheson, university work, and will be able to largely meet the local needs of Vancou-

THE BREHON LAWS.

A. Phillip and H. G. Ross. The meeting then adjourned after pass-ing a vote of thanks to Sir Henri Joly TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Honorable the Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut timber on Crown lands, hereinafter more ver as well as New Westminster. The work of the correspondence division opens next month. A considerable for his interesting address, to the chairman and to the acting mayor for the use number of semester or half-year courses are offered, covering a wide range of cf the hall. The next meeting will be held on Aug-

ever, scarcely time enough will be at about the institution as "all its privileges ust 22nd.

DEATH FROM PLAGUE. (Associated Press.)

Hamburg, Aug. 10 .- The plague patient who was discovered on August 6th on board a vessel in the harbor is dead.

CANADIAN NEWS NOTES

(Associated Press.)

Aug. 9.-The hot weather Montreal, which has been prevalent in the western in part of Ontario for some days has reached this city and district, the thermometer to day being well up to the hundred mark. Ottawa, Aug. 9.-Chas. Madore, foreman Adelard Robitaille, mail driver; and Geo. Dion, a hotel keeper, all of Perkin's Mills or its vicinity, have been placed under arrest charged with having caused the death of Hilaire Martin by administering liquor

in excess. Belleville, Aug. 9.-Grasshoppers are re ported to have destroyed the grain in the northern part of this section of Ontario. to the arrival of St. Patrick. When A number of young cattle have died in the

he had converted the whole island, to same section from black quarter. Christianity, when the kings, the chief-Hamilton, Aug. 9.-The Brotherhood of tains, and the whole nation had be- Locomotive Engineers are in annual ses-

Beaver Falls, Aug. 9.-Fire last night

totally destroyed the works of the Shelby

come Christians, it is but natural that sion here. About 150 engineers, with their the laws should be purged of the un wives, from all parts of Canada and the wholesome leaven of pagan supersti- United States, are in attendance. There is tion. To effect, this a great council very little business to transact. It is unwas summoned to assemble at Tara in derstood the next meeting will be held in the year 438 A. D. This council con- Winnipeg.

sisted of three kings, three bishops and Preston, Aug. 9.-The skeleton of three Brehons. For nine years they grown person, with the mouth stuffed with worked unceasingly in expunging from rags, was discovered here on the farm of the laws everything that sayored of ph- John Raismith yesterday. The body had gan superstition. They wiped out any- been burled face downwards. The discovthing that was opposed to Christianity, ery causes great excitement.

and at length there 'ssued forth as the il Toronto, Aug. 9.-The hot spell continues result of their labors the famous bere and has compelled most of the lead-Seanchus Mor, which has been annotated ing foundries to shut down. The men find ed and published more than thirty years it impossible to work with the thermometer ago, the body of laws that served as the at 93 in the shade, and it is estimated that basis of civil rule in the country for over a thousand men are idle from this, 1.300 years .- Donohue's Magazine. cause.

BOTH DANGEROUS JOBS. Ottawa Journal.

Steel Tube Co. and the Boston Electric Some doubt exists as to whether it is Co., doing damage to the extent of \$300, safer to be a monarch in Europe or a 000. The loss is fully covered by insurdiplomat or missionary in China. ance.

thus practically compelling him to burn Septembe toria, B. C.,

oria, B. O., on Thursday, the 6th day of eptember, A.D. 1900, at the hour of two 'clock in the afternoon, Dated this 4th day of August, A.D. 1900. duire, use, maintain, sell, exchange, or otherwise deal with or dispose of and tun to account plant, machinery, live and dead stock, implements, stores, and materials to account plant, machinery, live and deal stock, implements, stores, and materials of every kind requisite for any of the pur-poses of the Company; and to acquire, by purchase, lease, cr otherwise, any lands or buildings, real or personal property, ease-ments, rights or privileges which the Com-rany may think suitable or convenient for any purposes of its business: (1) To acquire and carry on all or any part of the business or property, and to undertake, any liabilities of any person, firm, association, or company possessed of property suitable for any of the purposes of this Compary, or carrying on any busi-ness which this Company is authorized to carry on, or which can be conveniently ca-ried on in connection with the same, or may seem to the Company calculated, di-rectly or, indirectly, to benefit this Com-pany, and as consideration for the same or obligations of this Company, and to enter into working arrangements, contracts and percements with other companies and per-sons. L. P. DUFF, Secretary. finally decided that the names of any THE MILES CANON & WHITE HORSE TRAMWAT COMPANY. 15 19 19 19 1 Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Miles Canon and White Horse Tram-way Company, will be held at the office of Bodwell & Duff, 2 Broughton street, Vic-toria, B. C., on Tuesday, the 4th day of September, A. D. 1990, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon. Clock in the afternoon. Dated this 4th day of August, A.D. 1900. H. G. LAWSON. Secretary.

early as possible one thousand acres. Dated this 20th day of July, 1900.

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particularly described as follows. Com-mencing at a stake or post on the west shore of Edingham Inlet, Barclay Souni, about half a mile north of a small stream (i) To promote or concur in promotio Any other company or concur in promoti any other company or companies for t purpose of acquiring all or any of the p perty or Habilities of this Company, or advancing, directly or indirectly, the of jects or interests thereof, and in com or brook, thence west one hundred (100) chains; thence south one hundred (100) chains; crossing Pipestem Inlet; thence east one hundred (100) chains more or less to Effingham Inlet; thence in a northerly direction, following the shore of Effingham. tion the metric to remove and in con-tion therewith to remunerate and pay of missions to any person or persons for vices rendered in the formation of such Company, and the placing of share capital, debentures, debenture st Inlet to the point of commencement. The above described tract to contain as nearly as possible one thousand acres. The above described tract and acres. nearly as possible one thousand acres. Dated this 19th day of July, 1900. W. A. DIER. or other securities or obligations or other size of the sace of the securities or obligations of any Company the United Kingdom or elsewhere, and u

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TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Honorable the Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut timber on Crown lands, hereinafter more particularly described as follows: Commencing at a stake or post on the east shore of Vernon Bay, Barclay Sound, thence east forty (40) chains, thence north sixty (60) chains, thence west twenty (20) chains, thence north forty (40) chains, thence exest to the eastern shore of Effing ham Inlet, thence following the shore line of the Inlet in a southerly direction one east to Vernon Bay, thence following the shore line of Vernon Bay in a northerly and easterly direction to the point of combentures or depenture stock, bills change, promissory notes, or other tions or negotiable instruments: (m) To sell, let, develop, dispose otherwise deal with the undertaking or any part of the property of the

pany, upon any terms, with power to cept as the consideration any shares,

TARE NOTICE that I intend to apply to In any part of the world: (g) To procure the Company to be regis-tered or recognized in any foreign country or place, or in any colony or elsewhere: (r) To do all such other things as are in cidential or constrained by the Comman cidental or are considered by the Compa conducive to the attainment of the abo objects

- And so that the word "Company" clause shall be deemed to inclu-partnership or other body of f whether incorporated or not incorpora and whether domiciled in the United K dom or elsewhere, and the objects spec in each of the paragraphs of this cli-shall be regarded as independent objection and accordingly shall be in nowise Federence to any other paragraph. Given under my hand and seal of Victoria. Province of British Coluat Victoria, Province of British Colum this 15th day of June, one thousand

hundred. L. S.) S. Y. WOOTTON Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

TARD NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Honorable the Ohlef Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to pur-chase the whole of the Island known as Parker Island, slinate at the mouth of Barclay Sound, and containing one hun-dred (100) acres more or less. Dated this 16th day of July, 1900. MURBAY C. POTTS. ERY WEAK MAN EVERL Bender Treating of the Modern and Subcessful Treatment of Acarone Diseases and Physics Subcessful Treatment of Acarone Diseases and Physics

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