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The Cecil Family four of the most important offices in the cabinet, which calls out from the Lib-

eral papers the cry of nepotism.

Lord Rosebery at His Best.

What will he do next? This is the question which arises on all sides. How bitter politics are growing in Ireland can be judged from an open letter from Mr. Wm. O'Brien, saying he reenters parliament with the utmost repugnance, and with no more satisfaction than he would enter an English jail. But, Mr. O'Brien adds, he considers it a national duty. He also says the exthe Irish party is the only means of en-

abling men of honor to remain in it.

The vexed question of the decrease of the commerce of the port of London, ow-

Lack of Docking Facilities and high rates, is likely to be solved by the formation of a public body for the etter management of the docks and waterways, whose plan includes river mays on both sides of the river above ravesend, thus avoiding lighterage. which connected with railroads, will

save time and expense.

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The British

Appointment of Lord Lansdowne as Foreign Minister Is Condemned.

Mr. Hanbury May Be Next President of the Board of, Trade.

(Associated Press.) London, Nov. 3.-"Clad in the robes of dazzling failure" is the way one Liberal newspaper describes the Marquis of Lansdowne's entry into the foreign office. This, undoubtedly, expresses the opinion of a preponderance of the Britsh public, irrespective of party lines. in France. Morgan, Edie and Jones go Even among those organs feebly uphold- to Austria. ing the advisability of Lord Lansdowne's appointment, there is a tendency to al-

y following out every wish of the pre-This, the Associated Press learns, is quite opposed to Lord Salisbury's own He does not share the general belief that in the war office he did badly. In fact, the premier is so convinced of the reverse that he gave Lord Lansdowne the option of continuing in his former office or taking the new billet. ord Salisbury was delighted that Lord Lansdowne was willing to accept the

locate him to the position of a mere

nominal head of the foreign office, blind-

Foreign Office Portfolio. He believes he will make a strong foreign secretary and had long contemplated Lord Lansdowne as his successor should the doctors refuse to allow him o continue the severe duties he under-

took during last parliament. One of Lord Salisbury's closest friends said to a representative of the Associated Press: "Lord Lansdowne, by his training and social career, is more fitted and available to meet diplomats and decide large issues. Should he fail of success, it will only be because he is too much of a gentleman.

The under-secretary in the war office and colonial office, vacant through the changes in the cabinet, must now be seected, which is no easy matter. Mr. R. W. Hanbury, financial secretary of the treasury, is believed likely to Succeed Mr. C. T. Ritchie

president of the board of trade, and George Wyndham, the parhament ary secretary of the war office, is frequently mentioned as successor of Mr. Gerald Balfour as chief secretary for reland, though the latter's resignation no means certain at present.

With reference to Irish matters, an amusing story is going the rounds about the Duke of Marlborough, whom the papers frequently, without basis, mention as Earl Cadogan's successor in the . Lord Lieutenancy of Ireland. On the strength of this, it is said a large amount of Irish literature has been imported to Blenheim, where a recent visitor is aledged to have found the young

Ireland Mr. Gerald Balfour may change the chief secretaryship of Ireland for the board of trade. If this occurs it will

The publication of Lord Rosebery's history of Napoleon has not only brought forth unanimous and unbounded praise, but has given rise to a general feeling of regret that the present undistinguished cabinet could not avail itself of such a brilliant intellect. It is a careful monograph of Bonaparte's closing days, and, while it discloses no new historical facts, it deals so masterfully and impartially with all the available evidence, that it must stand, so the critics say, as an authoritative record in addition to being the most perfect character sketch ever penned. It teems with powerful epigrams, and touches of humor and imagination, while the British ministers responsible for the arduqueness of Napoleon's captivity are treated with merciless satire. On all sides it is admitted that this latest work reveals

As a result of the visit of the superinendent of the Southwestern railroad to the United States, the directors of the road have decided to substitute for the present lever system of signalling, the pneumatic method employed on American roads. The latter's installation is now occurring. Other lines are likely to follow suit, so that the immense signal boxes which have long been features of the great termini, will probably disap-

The Prince of Wales's dismissal of

Tod Sloan is received with joy by the racing world of England as a significant indication of feeling against American jockeys and trainers. The Prince of Wales yielded to the popular clamor, while the methods and manners of a number of self-advertising American owners have undoubtedly given the jockey club an excuse for its present attitude. Sloan is much chagrined. retainer was to have been £5.000. had other offers of a like amount, but now the Prince of Wales

Has Thrown Him Over, no English owner is likely to employ him as first jockey. Sloan returns to the United States on November 14th, but the story that he does not intend to apply for a license here in 1901 is regarded as being at least premature. Leigh, the trainer of Mr. Frank Gardner's stable, which Sloan manages, and whose application for a license to train at Newmarket caused so much of the present trouble, has secured quarters at Epsom. Twenty-six American yearlings have already arrived there. Rigby will not apply for a license for 1901, as he is engaged by Madame Memier to ride

Knox On

Captured Two Guns From Dewet's Force in Fight Near Pary's.

A Number of Refugees Are to Be Sent Back to Johannesburg.

London, Nov. 2.-The situation in South Africa is improving and Lord Roberts will shortly return to England with the majority of his staff.

Arrangements are being made in Cape-

town to send the first batch of refugees back to Johannesburg, and accommoda tion is being provided at Bloemfontein for a garrison of seven thousand men. Nevertheless, the activity of the Boers continues. On October 26th a comman do of 300 captured a garrison of 30 men at Reddersburg, but afterwards released them. Trains from the south to Pretoria are attacked by the Boers almost daily.

Koffifontein. On the other hand, Gen. Dewet's force near Pary's captured two guns, one of them a wenpon lost of the daily list of British casualties is heavy. During the month of October the British lost 167 men killed in action, including 15 officers, 71 who died of killed, wounded or missing, wounds, 367 who died of disease, 22 who died of accidents and 97 captured or missing, a total almost equal to the monthly average for the duration of the

On October 24th the burghers occupied

The Daily Express publishes the sensational statements that the Boer revival is more serious than hitherto believed, and that in consequence Lord Roberts's return is likely to be still further postponed. It says also that no considerable part of the troops will retruth before January or February, while the regimental draft from England will continue and five thousand horses will be sent out. The paper definitely declares that the Boers are well armed and abundantly supplied with ammunition, and that the campaign is likely to last another six months.

In the best informed quarters, however, it is asserted that there is no ground for the pessimism of the Daily

Preparing to Welcome Canadians. Montreal, Nov. 2.—The returning members of the first contingent are to arrive here at 1.30 to-morrow morning. The train is expected to arrive at Levis about 1 o'clock this morning. If the train is held back the Ottawa demonstration will be ruined by the late arrival of the men. Consequently the Montreal committee have chartered a special train so as to get them here on proper time. Arrangements for a reception include a big parade and banquet in the drill hall. The city is on the tiptoe of expectancy, and there promises to be a great time.

MONTREAL MEMS.

Montreal, Nov. 2.-The Court of the Queen's Bench opened here this morning Justice Hall presiding. After swearing in of grand jury, the court adjourned for a

The formal opening of the Royal Vic torian (ladies) college, gift of Lord Strath cona, and the unveiling of the statue of Her Majesty at the entrance to the college, last evening, was one of the most brilliant functions in Montreal of late clusion of Healy and his faction from years. Over 1,500 guests, including leading representatives of the social and business circles of the city, enjoyed the hospitality of Lord Strathcona. His Excellency the Governor-General and Lady Minto were present with their staff.

HIREMAN INJURED.

Nanaimo, Nov. 2.-There was an exciting runaway on the Chemainus timber railway last night. The engine struck a muddy raft on a steep down grade, and the engineer lost control. He and the fireman jumped, the latter being injured. The brakeman hung on behind the tender and had a narrow escape. The engine was derailed and tore up the track for a considerable distance.

The Alexandria mines shut down yester-

VICTORIA ELECTIONS. Melbourne, Nov. 2. The result of the elections for the legislative assembly of Victoria is the return of forty-five Ministerialists, forty-eight members of the opposition and two independents.

Asks That No Drink Be Offered The Carlists Are Well Equippe i to the Returning Soldiers.

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He Is Proud of the Conduct of Don Carlos Says the Present the Men in South Africa, His Orders.

(Associated Press.)

London, Nov. 3.-Lord Roberts sends from Pretoria a striking appeal to his countrymen to refrain from turning the welcome of the home-coming of the troops into a drunken orgy. He expresses the sincere hope that the welcome will not take the form of treating to stimulants, and "thus lead to excesses that will tend to degrade those whom the nation delights to honor, and not lower the soldiers of the Queen in the eyes of the world, which has watched with undisguised admiration the grand work they have performed for their sovereign and country."

He says: "I-am very proud to be able to record, with the most absolute truth, that the conduct of this army from first to last has been exemplary. Not a single case of serious crime has been brought to my notice, indeed, nothing deserving the name of crime. I have trusted to the men's own soldierly feelings and good sense, and they have borne themselves like heroes on the battlefield and like gentlemen on all other occasions.'

Lord Roberts explains that he thus appeals because of the distressing and discreditable scenes resulting from injudicious friends speeding the parting soldiers by shoving bottles of spirits into their hands and pockets.

Heavy Boer Losses. London, Nov. 3 .- Lord Roberts, in dispatch from Johannesburg, dated No vember 2nd, reports no less than eight fights at different points, all unimportant, but significant of the activity of the

General Kitchener, after a night march, surprised Schoeman's laager at Steenkempsberg, and then pushed on the Schalburger's laager at Booikranz, but e British were prevented from followup the Boers, who trekked north. Prisoners in the hands of the British

say the Boer losses in the fight with Gen. Barton on October 25th were 140 Orders for the States.

New York, Nov. 3.-In competition with European manufacturers, says a London dispatch to the Herald, an American steel company has obtained an order for \$5,000,000 worth of rolling stock for South African railways. Wehmer, Beit & Co., one of the great South African mining corporations, asked for a bid on coal wagons, to be delivered to the mines at the earliest possible date. The Pressed Steel Car Company of Pittsburg is the successful bidder. The American company not only made a bid a third lower than any other company, but best the European bidder in time by eight months.

COLLIERIES IN OPERATION.

Hazelton, Pa., Nov. 2.-Every colliery in the Hazelton region is in operation to-day. ably die. The mine was damaged very

Armed With Mausers

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(Associated Press.)

Paris, Nov. 3.-A correspondent of Le Petit Parisiene, telegraphing from a point in the French Pyrenees, says that if troops are not sent immediately to Pugiserida and See De Durgel, these vns of great stragetic importance will fall into the hands of the Carlists, who will then be masters of the upper valley of the Serge, and will be able to obtain arms from France and Anderra. The Carlists in upper Catalonia are armed with Mausers, and are well equipped with tents and campaigning material.

Compromising Documents, Madrid, Nov. 3 .- The Liberal organs referring to the Carlist movement, call upon the government to annihilate without pity a party which they consider disgrace to Spain. It is believed that several bishops intend to reproduce a Papal encyclical blaming the priests for stirring up the trouble.

Domiciliary visits have been made to the houses of the Marquis de Cerralbo and the Marquis de Cassasola, and arms and compromising documents have been eized at the house of another of the

Don Carlos Interviewed.

Venice, Nov. 3 .- Don Carlos, the Spansh pretender, in the course of an interlew had with him here, declared that the present rising in Spain was contrary his orders and would retard instead of promoting his efforts to secure his

MINING DISASTER.

Many Men Killed and Injured by an Explosion in a West Virginia Coal Mine.

(Associated Press.) New York, Nov. 3 .- The Associated Press has just recived a dispatch, at 10.50 o'clock from a correspondent at Phillippi, W. Va., which says: "Berryburg coal mines blown up. Thirty-two killed and over 106 wounded. Greatest calamity ever occurred in this

Another Report. Cincinnati, Nov. 3 .- A Times' Star pecial says an explosion to-day in the Berryburg coal mine at Phillippi, W. Va., killed 23 and injured over 100 men.

No Telegraphie Communication. Phillipi, W. Va., Nov. 3.-The explosnor telephonic communication with the Ten Men Killed.

Detroit. Mich., Nov. 3.-President a telephone message from Berrysburg.

slightly. The accident happened at midnight, when most of the men were out

DISTURBANCES IN CHICAGO. Socialistic Labor Speakers Driven From the Streets by the Police.

(Associated Press.) Chicago, Nov. 3.-Socialistic labor orators raised the red flag in State street last night, and were driven off the thoroughfare by the police, who were compelled to interfere to stop a riot. It was socialistic labor night, and the Debs speakers used half a dozen wagons to speak from along the street. There were frequent clashes between the speakers and the big crowds who gathered around the stands. Shortly after midnight the socialists became bolder and a red flag was raised on every wagon. The red flag was very large, and in contrast was hung a flag of the United States of very. small dimensions.

EX-MAYOR DEAD.

New York, Nov. 2.-William L. Strong, who was the last mayor of the old city of New York, died early this morning at his residence in this city.

Soldiers Welcomed

Ottawa--Monster Street Parades.

Received at the Capital by Lord Minto, Hon. R. W. Scott and Mayor Payment.

(Associated Press.)

Montreal, Nov. 3.-Montreal members of the first contingent, together with Sergeant Northcott, Private Stewart and Corp. O'Dell of the Fifth Regiment, Victoria, and Private Lee, of Nelson Rifle Company, British Columbia, and members from Ottawa, Kingston, Toronto, Hamilton, London and other Ontario cities, were enthusiastically received by thousands of Montreal's popula- over Courrier, which, editorially, detion on the arrival of the train at the Grand Trunk station at 1.30 to-day. The contingent paraded through the

The contingent paraded through the cruelties alleged to have been committed principal steets headed by military, police by Germans in China. This demand and society bands, and followed by all is warmly supported by the Freisinge of the local militia, fraternal and other societies. Streets were lined with thousands of citizens who were wild with enthusiasm. All public and many private and business buildings were decorated with flags, bunting, etc. At 3 the parade broke up at the drill hall, where the heroes were entertained to a banquet by the citizens.

Accident at Quebec. Quebec, Nov. 3.-About 10 o'clock this morning as the procession conducting the ion occurred in one of the mines of the returning soldiers was ascending Moun-Southern Coal & Coke Co., eight miles tain Hill, a gallery in rear of the Chien from here. There is neither telegraphic D'Or hotel, on which some 20 people were standing, gave way precipitating all to the ground, a distance of 25 feet. The injured are George Adams, a waiter, spine broken; Miss Macausland and Berry, shortly before 2 o'clock, received Frederick Letourneau, barkeeper, broken chestnut, \$4.50. The western prices legs; old widow named Coulombe, skull saying that 10 men had been killed and fractured. The accident was due to the 4 seriously injured, 3 of whom will prob- gallery being in a decayed condition, and the weight of people too great for its strength. At Ottawa.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Nov. 3.-The returning solaiers got a great reception on their arrival here to-day. They reached the city at 3 o'clock, and marched to Parliament Hill, amid the cheers of thousands, who met them at the depot, and who lined the sidewalks along the route. Lord Minto, Hon, R. W. Scott and Mayor Payment gave addresses of welcome. The parliament grounds were black with people There will be an illumination of buildings to-right. The whole city is decor-

ated with flags and bunting. Ottawa, Nev. 3.-The following cable was received by Lord Minto at the close of his speech:

"Her Majesty the Queen has heard with pleasure of the safe return of the Canadian contingent, and desires to the earnings of the Toronto street rail-thank them most cordially for the ser- way for the present year will reach a vices which they have rendered to her

SPINAL CORD SEVERED.

Toronto, Nov. 2.-The case of Arthur Foreman, the 11-year-old lad, who was of death. brought to the sick children's hospital from Port Carling on Wednesday suffering from paralysis of limbs from the waist down caused by a bullet wound, is exciting Kingston; Nov. 2:—To-day His Grace the attention of physicians. Investigation Lewis resigned the chairtion shows that the bullet severed the manship of the house of bishops, which spinal cord and lodged just below the skin means his retirement as Metropolitan of of the right shoulder. Severance of the Canada. It is likely Bishop Bond, of spinal cord usually results in instant Montreal, will be his successor, time after he was injured, but they are land for the future, hence his action. getting so he can use them. His brain is as sound as ever. He can swallow, but his breathing is from the stomach, the muscles of the chest being paralyzed. Many physicians are watching the case and declare the patient may live for able grain cargo ever carried on the great months, but despair of his complete re- lakes is being loaded in Duluth by the new

DEBTS WILL BE PAID.

New York, Nov. 2.—Reporting the de (lastellane's financial affairs, Richard Sachard, counsel for the Countess de Castellane, is quoted in a Paris dispatch to the Tribune as saying that all debts will be paid immediately by the Gould estate, with the exception of a few claims from antiquity and bric-a-brac dealers, which are deemed absolutely exorbitant.

In a Well

Emperor's Favorite Wife Killed by the Order of Empress Dowager.

Germans in China-Troops Are Guarding the Railway From Pekin.

Berlin, Nov. 2.-A special dispatch says: "In a well, situated within the mperial palace precincts in Pekin, was found the body of Emperor Kwang's favorite wife, Shen Ti, whom the Empress Dowager caused to be drowned after the flight of the court from the capital. The second favorite, Shing Fi, and a hundred ladies belonging to the imperial harem, are prisoners in the hands of the allies."

Telegrams from Count von Waldersee show that all the German troops have now arrived in China and been distributed. The First and Second marines, the First infantry brigade and a small force By the Citizens of Montreal and of cavalry and artillery are stationed at Pekin. The Second infantry brigade, with a corresponding force of artillery, engineers and cavalry, is at Pao Ting Fu.* One battalion is at Shan Hai Kwan. The Third infantry brigade, with a company of sharpshooters, two squadrons of cavalry and several batteries, is at Tien Tsin. One battery and several howitzers are at Taku, and there is a force of troops distributed along the railway from Pekin to Yang Tsun, superintending the work of construction.

A Pao Ting Fu dispatch, dated yesterday, says: "Telegraphic connection has been completed with Pekin, entirely by the Germans. The railway from Pao Ting Fu to the capital is nearly completed. French detachments are guarding the line. The health of the German troops is improving." Another batch of letters from German soldiers in China appears to-day in a number of papers, among them the Hanmands official statements with reference to details given by the writers of the

London, Nov. 3.-The Shanghai corimportant edict appoints Liu Kun Yai viceroy of Nankin, and Chang Chi Tung viceroy of Hankow, to be additional peace commissioners on behalf of China.

COAL GOES UP.

New York, Nov. 1.-It is announced that the prices of anthracite coal have been advanced 50 cents a ton over the nominal price of the July circular by the anthracite mining and carrying com panies. The change covers the whole country, beginning to-day.

The advanced prices are as follows: Grate, \$3.75; egg. \$4.25; stove and

At Buffalo-Grate, \$4.75; egg, stove and chestnut, \$5. These last prices are per gross ton of 2.240 pounds. At Chicago, Milwaukee and Duluth-Grate, \$5.75; egg, stove and chestnut, \$6. These fast prices are per net ton of 2,000 pound. The tidewater prices are f.o.b. at New York harbor.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

(Associated Press.) New York, Nov. 3.-London business circles are keenly interested in the American contest, says the Tribune's correspondent. Business in the street and on the exchanges is virtually suspended until the decision of the American electorate can be known in questions affecting the industrial interests of the world.

TORONTO ITEMS.

Toronto, Nov. 2.-It is estimated that way for the present year will reach a million and half dollars.

Jos. Alph Livingstone, one of the leading men in the Temperance Colonization Society, which about twelve years ago created a boom in Northwest land, is dead, aged 73. Apoplexy was the cause

ARCHBISHOP LEWIS RESIGNS.

Kingston, New. 2:- To-day His Grace His arms were numb for some bishop Lewis intends residing in Eng-

VALUABLE CARGO.

Minneapolis; Minn., Nov. 2.-A Times special from Duluth says: "The most valusteamer Howard Shaw. The Shaw is loading 260,000 bushels of flax for Buffalo, and the flax is insured for \$1.80 per bushel. This would make the total value of the cargd \$468,000/*

HAYS ELECTED PRESIDENT!

New York, Nov. 2.-The directors of the Southern Pacific Railway Co. met here today and elected Charles M. Hays to the presidency of the company. No other business was transacted at the meeting.



No inferior or impure ingredients are used in Royal for the purpose of cheapening its cost; only the most highly refined and healthful.

Royal Baking Powder imparts that peculiar sweetness, flavor and delicacy noticed in the finest cake, biscuit, rolls, etc., which expert pastry cooks declare is unobtainable by the use of any other leavening agent.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

Kitchener in Command

Work of Subduing the Boers to Be Undertaken by Mounted Troops.

Garrisons Will Be Established at Various Points Throughout the Country.

Capt. Chalmers, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, Killed Near Belfast.

(Associated Press.) Pretoria, Oct. 31., via Bloomfontein,

Nov. 4.-Gen. French has arrived at the Springs, a few miles from Johannesburg, after a difficult march from Barberton. He has lost 1,500 transport exen since his advance from Machadodorp. It is believed that the plan of moving large bodies of troops about the country will plied with provisions and made the basis country around them.

Lord Roberts, before starting on his return to England, thanked his bodyguard for their efficient services and pre- Before I left America it was agreed besented to each of the men an autograph | tween us that she should give up her photograph of himself. The principal members of Lord Roberts's old staff will leave to-night for England.

Col. Hamilton has been appointed military secretary to Gen. Kitchener on whom the military command has devolved. The new headquarters staff is be-

ing rapidly installed. The funeral of Prince Christian Victor, a grandson of the Queen, who died here of enteric fever, will take place to- Journal and Advertiser. morrow. A telegram from the Queen commanding that he be buried in a soldier's grave arrived just in time to stop the arrangements that had been made for sending the body to England. The mounted forces are being re-equip-

ped. The New Zealand contingent left for Rustenburg to-day.

The greatest satisfaction is expressed by the British here because of the refusal of the Queen of the Netherlands to give an official reception to ex-President Kruger upon his arrival in that country, and also because of the action of the Brussels authorities in refusing to permit any demonstration when Mr. Kruger reaches Belgium,

The remaining battalion of the Royal Canadian Regiment left for home to-day. Canadian Officer Killed.

don, Nov. 5 .- Lord Roberts graphs from Johannesburg under date of November 3rd that in operations in the Belfast district on November 2nd Captain Chalmers, of the Canadian mounted rifles, was killed, and Major Sanderson, of the same command, was wounded.

Britsh Columbians Returning. pire this morning publishes a dispatch T. R., including Brampton, Gak, Guelph. from Pretoria, under the date of October | Hamilton, etc. 31st, that the remaining members of the first contingent, "A" and "B" Co.'s, the former company composed of volunteers | ple here on Saturday evening. He adfrom British Columbia, Northwest Territories and Manitoba, left for home on Mulhern, Liberal. that day.

. Kruger Ill. London, Nov. 5.-The Brussels corres- electors here on Saturday evening. pondent of the Standard says that the Europe. This report is probably an- Montreal and Toronto. other version of the recent report that Mr. Kruger was suffering from seasickness.

Neil Reaches Quebec.

Quebec, Que., Nov. 5 .- Pte. Neil of Victoria, was among nine invalided Canadians on the Cambroman which arrived here yesterday. Rev. Father toman, which recently touched the bot-O'Leary was also on board the same tom off He Ronde while leaving port and steamer. He, together with the nine was compelled to go into Levis graving privates, received a warm welcome upon

STREET CARS COLLIDE.

jured. Motorman Easton stopped his car, and the wonder is that he escaped dent was due to defective steering gear.

John Westall, who was stabbed in the neck by Thos. Wood, a sailor, at Westminster on Saturday afternoon, was reported to be dying this morning. J. J. Brooks, an old timer, was found dead of heart failure in his cabin yesterday afternoon.

NOTES FROM NANAIMO.

Nanaimo, Nov. 3 .- D. G. S. Quadra arrived here late last night and left this buoyed the vicinity of the Miami wreck effectively.

Scotch miners from Ladysmith are playing Nanaimo Thistles here to-day. A big meeting of the Miners' Protective Association will be held to-night. .Mr. Smith's committee reports that Comox is enthusiastically favorable to

him. KIDNEY EXPERIMENT,-There's no time for experimenting when you've dis- poll of 551 out of 1,081 precincts in the covered that you are a victim of some one form or another of kidney disease. Lay 7,757 over the entire opposition. The hold of the treatment that thousands have pinned their faith to and has cured quickly and permanently. South American Kid- refuse to announce their pell, but say

PANIC ON STREET CAR.

About Twenty Persons Injured in Montreal To-day.

(Associated Press.) Montreal, Nov. 5. There was a pilgrimage this afternoon from the archpishop's church to Cote des Neiges cemetery, attended by several thousand Chinese Reformers Admit They people. While a street car, loaded to its capacity, was descending the steep Cote des Neiges hill the trolley slipped off the wire, the motorman immediately applied his brakes, but the car began sliding backwards slowly. There was a panic among the people inside the car, and they made a rush for the front vestibule. So many crowded in that the motorman was rendered powerless to do anything further. People broke the vestibule windows, the windows of the car and jumped from the rear platform. Fully a score were more or less injured, several receiving brokon arms and legs. The car, gathering speed, dashed into a car following, and that in turn crashed into another before all were finally brought to a standstill.

MURDER OF KING HUMBERT.

Bresci Probably Prepared for Crime Before Leaving the United States.

(Associated Press.) London, Nov. 5.-What may possibly be taken as indicating that Bresci, the slayer of King Humbert, was prepared now be abandoned and that the com- for regicide when he left the United plete subjugation of the country will be States last spring, is some wording in a attempted by means of garrisons in the letter from him received at a meeting of district towns which will be well sup- fellow anarchists here last night. They had gathered to welcome the assassin's wife on her first visit to this city since for mounted troops, who will scour the tragedy. The letter was addressed to A. Brotha, proprietor of Bartholdi hall, "and companions," and was in part as follows: "I no longer hear from my wife, nor do I now know where she lives. rooms, which were then our home, and live by herself in a quiet decent way, so that she might avoid public talk and notoriety and keep out of sight."

ROYAL HEROINE.

(Associated Press.) New York, Nov. 5.-The Queen of

Portugal, at Cascals, a fashionable seaside resort, made a thrilling rescue, and tive forces. is now a heroine in the eyes of all her subjects, says a Lisbon dispatch to the

The Queen was on the beach idly watching Catalao Croom, her boatman, bringing his boat ashore. Suddenly a wave overturned the boat. Croom's arm was broken and he was overcome by the undertow. The Queen, who is an expert swimmer, seeing that he was drowning, sprang into the sea in her clothing before any of her attendants could prevent her. She swam to the boatman's side and held him up until persons on shore put out in a boat and rescued both. Croom was taken to the royal palace, where he is being nursed by the Queen. She is none the worse for her experience.

ARNOLD REMANDED.

(Associated Press.) London, Nov. 5.-At Bow street police court this morning, Julian Arnold, son

POLITICAL ITEMS.

(Associated Press.) Toronto, Nov. 5 .- Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived here yesterday and spent the day quietly at the house of Senator Cox. He left this morning at 9.30 on a special Toronto, Nov. 5.-The Mail and Em- train for points on main line of the G.

Cornwall, Nov. 5.-Sir Wilfrid Laurier was greeted by about six thousand peo. dressed a meeting in the interest of Mr.

Brockville, Nov. 5 .- Sir Richard Cartwright addressed a large meeting of

Montreal, Nov. 5.-The Conservative Transvaal agency there has received in leaders, including Messrs, Powell, Whitformation that former President Kruger ney and others, left by a special train is seriously ill on the Dutch warship for Toronto. They intend addressing Gelderland, on which he is journeying to meetings at different points between

COLLIDED WITH WHARF. Steamer Ottoman Compelled to Again Return to Montreal.

(Associated Press.) Montreal, Nov. 5 .- Dominion liner Otdock for repairs, is again in trouble. She left port this morning for Liverpool, and, when five miles from the harbor, her rudder refused to act and she crash-Vancouver, Nov. 5.—Two street cars able injury to her bow. She had a cargo collided this morning on Hastings street of 5,000 tons and live stock. The cargo of her fore staysail. The schooner's flag in a thick fog. No one was seriously infor examination and repairs. The acci-

THIRTEEN DEAD.

Bodies of Miners Recovered From the Berrysburg Colliery.

(Associated Press., Phillipi, W. Va., Nov. 5.-The latest reports from the ill-fated mine at Berrysburg show that 13 are dead, eight of whom have been recognized. Two men were found dead in a part of the mine which had been abandoned. The door | ply from the Albatross that she would morning for Victoria. While north, she at the mouth of the mine was shut, and the two men had been blown 250 feet from the mouth.

PRINCIPENTIAL ELECTION.

(Associated Press.) Seattle, Wn., Nov. 5.-Both Republicans and Democrats are claiming for their respective candidates a complete victory in the state. Republicans have announced the complete figures of the state, which gives them a majority of remaining precincts, it is asserted, will give them over 12,000. The Democrats

Rebellion Dying Out

Were Not Equipped for the Campaign.

Placards Posted in Shen Lung Calling on People to Kill Foreigners.

Commanding Allies at Shan Hai Kuan

(Associated Press.)

Hongkong, Nov. 5 .- Reports from Canton says the east river rebels have moved up the river and boats are now running from Pak Low to Hu Chau.

It is considered probable that the rebellion will shortly die out. The reformers admit that the rising was premature and that they had not a sufficient supply of arms.

The French demand the execution of the leaders in the Shen Lung riots. Placards have been posted throughout the town urging the people to slaughter the foreigners if the demands shall be press-

Trouble in the Camp.

London, Nov. 5 .- Advices from Tien Tsin says the Shanghai correspondent of the Times, wiring yesterday, show that of security are the chief characteristics of the allied occupation."

To Settle Difficulty.

Pekin, Nov. 5.-A commission consisting of the senior staff officer of the forces of each power taking part in the Chinese campaign is proceeding to Shan Hai Kuan on the gulf of Liao Tung, in order to smooth the friction between the allied selected for occupation by their respec-

RETURNS IN DISTRESS.

N. P. Steamer Duke of Fife Puts Back to Port Damaged.

at 10 o'clock Sunday morning a week ago Gregor, W. J. Elliott and H. Hutler. yesterday, put back to port this morning in a disabled condition. She came to an anchor off the outer wharf, and has there principally of flour, and this will first have the month were: on the blocks.

are no one connected with the ship is land," by Robert L. Stevenson, donated J. Daley; ham, Clara McDonald; brass willing to discuss. The ship, however, by E. A. Harris; "The War in South and sticks, J. McCurrach; tea-cloth, of Sir Edwin Arnold, who had been ex- bears evidence of being badly buffeted Africa, Up to Date," presented by ar. L. Mills; lamp, J. W. Stevenson, plush tradited from California, was remanded about by storms. One of her boats is A. H. Scaife, late of Victoria, and "Jes- curtains, H. G. Lawson. on the charge of misappropriation of smashed in, her binnacle has been carried samine," by Marion Harland. £14,000 of trust funds. He denied the away, her after steering gear has been damaged, and part of her housework has -Mrs. Fraser, of Esquimalt road. has been disfigured. None of this would had another letter from one of her sons cause the ship to return to port, and it with Strathcona's Horse, who is in hosis believed that the chief damage to the pital. The regiment, at the time of vessel lies in the engine room, or in the probability that her propeller is loose.

LEGAL NEWS.

four sittings yearly were sufficient for He adds that in about a fortnight he the province. These frequent sittings expects to be well enough to be taken interfered with the work of the circuit to Petermaritzburg, where he will rejudges, who had often to leave circuit to take their seats with the Full court, Mr. Justice Irving and Mr. Justice Martin expressed similar opinions. The Chief Justice said he intended his remarks for publication, and H. D. Helmcken, M. P. P., who was in court at the

time, intimated that he would convey their purport to the attorney-general. The cases disposed of this morning Baird vs. Veitch. The appeal was heard for raffles will continue, and in addition and dismissed in the first instance; Duff to other attractions an excellent proand Helmcken for the appellants, and gramme of music will be rendered. The phone company held a few days ago, it Fell for the respondents. In the last Duff for appellants, defendants, and A.

D. Crease for the respondent.

Capt. A. N. Hall, of the steamer Walla Walla, on arrival at San Francisco from Victoria, reported that on October 27th, at 4.30 p.m., his vessel spoke the fourmasted schooner A. J. West in latitude 47 deg. 13 min. north, flying signals of was union down. Without delay the Walla Walla changed her course in order to approach the West, when Capt. Hall made out the words, "Short of flour," displayed on a large board held up by some of the schooner's crew. The vessels were a short distance south of Cape Flattery at the time, and such a high sea was running, accompanied by a strong southwest wind, that it was impossible to launch the steamer's small boats. As the United States Fish Commission steamer Albatross was near by Capt. Hall signaled her that the West was short of provisions, receiving a restand by the schooner and give the desired aid. The Walla Walla then resumed her voyage. On account of the rough sea the Albatross probably had to wait some hours before she could replenish the schooner's larder. The West has been out fifty-one days from Santa Rosalia for Gray's Harbor. Her master. Capt. Ogilvie, has been commander of

the schooner only a short time. It is said that several of the sealing fleet will go to the Copper Island coast to look for seals next year, the fleet, including, in addition to Capt. Balcom's schooner, which started out from Nova



(From Friday's Daily.) The roll of honor for each class of the West Saanich public school is as follows: First class, Guy Scharschmidt; second class, Flossie Walker; third class, Belle Hagan; fourth class, Willie Hagan; fifth class, Maggie Graham.

shareholders of the Georgia Gold Mining Company, Limited, is called for Decem-Discord Among the Officials ber 1st in the company's office, 9 Bank of B. C. chambers, Victoria, to consider the disposal of the assets of the company.

-The Phair mine at Goldstream is the latest to be added to the list of British Columbia shipping properties, two cars of ore having been brought down yesterday on the E. & N. train for transhipment by the Rosalie to the Tacoma smelter. The active developer of the mine has been proprietor Phair, of the Goldstream hotel, who has had associated with him recently Theodore Lubbe and other gentlemen. American capitalists have recently endeavored to purchase the property, but without success.

-Preparations for the hospital ball, to be held next week, are in progress, and the Assembly rooms have been thrown open for decoration. Those interested in the ball are requested to come forward and aid in making this entertainment a record breaker. Ten ladies have already volunteered to take charge of the supper tables, but six more are confusion, disorganization and absence needed. All information desired can be secured by seeing the secretary at the Assembly rooms on Friday next, and the days following, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., and 2 p.m. and 4.30

-The funeral of C. W. Dyer, whose death occurred at the Jubilee hospital the other day, took place yesterday after-1 oon from the parlors of the B. C. Funcommanders regarding the places to be eral and Furnishing Co. Rev. Dr. Wilson conducted the religious services both at the parlors and grave. The Fraternal Order of Eagles, of which the deceased was a member, attended the funeral in a body. F. Leroy and J. M. brought to a conclusion this evening, Hughes conducted the services for the Eagles. The following acted as pail-The Northern Pacific steamship Duke learers: Messrs. T. M. Brayshaw, C. voting announced. The week has been of Fife, which left here for the Orient H. Westcott, W. Patterson, A. Mc-

the city library during the month of in the competition of steamers last remained since her arrival. The vessel October. Of this number ladies draw evening being as follows: Victorian, S. Jorgenson, J. Jones, Mrs. Roseberry, is said to have sustained damage which 953, and gentlemen, 987; 109 was the 3291; Rosalie, 3181. The Liberal canwill necessitate her going into dry dock, highest number issued in one day, and didates were greatly in the lead in the but whether here or at Tacoma is a pro- the average number was 75. During the other contest, their figures being 365 and blematical matter as yet. The steamer month 22 ladies and 19 gentlemen joined has an immense cargo of over 3,000 tons, the library. The books received during "Social Problems," to be discharged before the vessel goes by Henry George; Mitchell's "Modern Astronomy"; Thomas A. Kempis's "Of What the exact nature of her injuries the Imitation of Christ"; "Treasure Is-

writing, was encamped at Devil's Kantor, on the Crocodile river. Since his last letter the Horse had captured a long Tom, the first gun of that particular style to be captured. The hospital Upon the opening of the sittings of the commander had been around the previ-Full court this morning, Chief Justice ous day, had stopped a short time, and McColl expressed the opinion that the had stated that the seventh division hos-Full court sat too frequently, and that pital was the best conducted in the field. main until well enough to come home. They were all expecting to go home in November. A heavy wind was blowing at the time of writing, and the tents were filled with dust, but the country was beginning to look beautifully green.

-The Catholic bazaar was reopened at was confirmed by all but one or two pre were Lovell vs. Brackman & Ker, and be unabated. This evening the drawing secured to the agreement. following are the articles won by raffl- was decided to at once extend the tele ramed, adjournment was taken till the land has bassinet, won by Mamie Voss Sickmines and other centres in the districts lin; silk umbrella, Miss Chambers; white to the south of Nanaimo, with an early linen pillow, Mrs. Nolte; a boy's ring. to the south of a long distance trunk Ed. McQuade; a set of crocheted table mats, T. Conlin; photo frame, Miss B. Donlan; handkerchief case, J. Madigan; bottle of perfume, Mrs. C. F. Todd; are pending to also connect Nanaimo and white satin cushion, Miss A. Weber; twodollar tin of coffee, Mrs. McIntosh; blue the gulf. doll. Thos. Hooper; wicker chair, Jos. McDougall. The voting contest resulted in 2341 votes for the Rosalie and broken out among the passengers of the 2521 for the Victorian, whilst the Liberals came up to 265 votes, against 224 votes cast for the Conservatives.

From Saturday's Daily.)

plant at the new pumping station at North Dairy Farm will not be in operation for a month, owing to the unavoidable delay in installing the machinery.

John Watkins. Deceased was 44 years been isolated. of age. The funeral takes place on Monday at 2.30 p. m. -A meeting of the Victoria District

Farmers' Institute will be held at Sidney this evening, when James Stonehouse, Dominion dairy expert, will deliver an address. A special train, leaving Hillside avenue at 7.30 o'clock, will carry all going from the city.

-The manager of the Seamen's Institute gratefully acknowledges the receipt of ceading matter during October from the following: Mrs. L. Goodacre, Mrs. C. F. Todd, Mrs. Geo. Gillespie, Mrs. schooner, which started out from Nova
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Mr. H. Burnett, Mr. S. Greenwood, ney Cure stands pre-eminent in the world of medicine as the kidner sufferer's truest friend. Sold by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall & Co.—62.

The first of announce their poli, but say that Bryan will carry the state by 10,000 and that the entire state ticket from gov. askidned grings of the large old. Mr. A. H. Jones, Lord Bishop of Column and that the entire state ticket from gov. askidned grings of the large old. Mr. A. H. Jones, Lord Bishop of Column bigs, Mr. W. H. Langley, Mr. J. W. H. Langley, Mr. J. W. H. Langley, Mr. J. W. Laing and Times and Colonist for daily papers. Special thanks are also due to

Miss Goward for her kind interest in the floral and other decorations of the institute.

-Those interested in the Canadian Socialist League assembled in the William's building last evening and organized a Victoria branch of that league. The objects of the league were discussed and the following officers chosen to govern the branch: President, O. L. Charlton; vice-president, J. A. Stow; recording secretary, Fred. Hodges; treasurer, Fred. Hodges; librarian, Harold Burnett. By-law and executive committees were appointed to draft by-laws Brings Down a Large Collection for the new branch. Meetings will be held by the branch every Tuesday even--A special general meeting of the ing commencing at 8 o'clock in a room of the William's block,

> -About 9 o'clock last evening an alarm from box 52 called the fire department to the corner of Government and Chatham street, where a fire was burning merrily in a box full of papers and rags rougher weather than on any prein an attic in the rear of a China washhouse. All the central apparatus was southeast gales and had to run taken out as the vicinity is one in which Bamfield Creek for shelter. a fire of extensive proportions could start. The fire was palpably of incendiary origin, and the rags and paper had The boat also had to lay up for been so arranged as to communicate the at Quatsino. Heavy seas were blaze to the wood work, which is as dry as timber. The statement in the morning paper in the account of the run, that the aerial truck had gone into the ditch on Pembroke street is contradicted by the chief. The thick layer of mud on this thoroughfare, however, retarded the progress of the big apparatus.

-The four young ladies who have created quite a sensation during the past few days by their decidedly unique methods of working in the interests of the Protestant Orphanage here left last evening on the Victorian, en route East. Although two of their number emphatically informed the Times that the concert would be given in the A. O. U. W. hall this evening, as per announcement, evidently courage and resolution deserted them as the crucial day arrived. Interested Victorians will consequently have no opportunity to pass judgment on the talents of the quartette. At any rate, something of a superior order would have been expected, as a dollar admittance charge would justify the most roseate anticipations in this respect. However, there is no record of any heart having been broken by their abrupt departure.

-The Catholic ladies' bazaar will be when the final drawings for the raffles will take place and the results of the a most successful one, and the ladies have every reason to feel gratified at their success. The voting contests have -There were 1,940 books issued from aroused the greatest interest, the polling Brown, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Rolston, Miss the Conservatives 319. The winners in the raffles yesterday were as follows: Head rest, J. Madigan; box of cigars, H. W. Dodd; California poppy cushion, Mrs. J. A. Johnson; looking glass, Mrs. Nolte; red doll. J. Dooley: Turkish cushion, Mrs. A. Keefe: pink silk doll,

(From Monday's Daily.)

-Among the winners of prizes at the Catholic bazaar on Saturday evening Chief Deasy came in as a fortunate one. He is now proudly exhibiting to his friends a Japanese doll, together with all the accessories belonging and appertaining thereunto.

-The Dominion Trading Stamp Company has paid its license for the month of November. Several grocers have also that a man with a family can make a paid their licenses. The collector has been too busy to call on all the dealers | He has cleared one acre of ground, and who are handling stamps, but will visit on it he raised a phenomenal crop. On them, as well as the other stamp company, within a few days.

-Another meeting of the sealing men was held this afternoon when the question of forming a sealing combine was fruits which he planted are doing refurther discussed. The agreement as drawn up among a number of sealers the Institute hall this morning. A hot sent, and there were some thirty vessels lunch was served at noon and by the at- represented at the meeting. It was extendance public interest was shown to pected that the consent of all would be

-At a meeting of the Nanaimo Tele line to connect Nanaimo with the telephone system at Victoria. Negotiations Vancouver by a telephone cable across

-Still another case of smallpox has steamer City of Seattle quarantined at William Head, which makes the fourth now under treatment at the station. The new patient is a variety actress, named Trada Belmont, who had been employed It is altogether probable that the at White Horse. Her sickness develop-lant at the new pumping station at ed yesterday. The woman being one of orth Dairy Farm will not be in operaher illness may or may not effect the detention of others in quarantine. The death occurred this morning at tawa on this matter, and his line of acthe family residence, 95 Mears street, of tion will be governed by what instruc-Elizabeth, youngest daughter of the late tiens he receives. Several suspects have

MARRIED. TAPPLETON FAHEY — At Gelden, on Oct. 22nd, by Rev. W. D. Turner, Frederick Tappleton and Fleming

BAYNES-SHERDAHL—At Vancouver, on Oct. 30th, by Rev. R. D. Grant, Frank Baynes and Emily Augusta Sherdahl. ENGLISH-HODSON—At Nelson on Oct. 27th, by Rev. J. H. White, Colin English and Mrs. Elizabeth Hodson. ROSS MITCHELL At New Westminster, on Oct. 31st, by Rev. A. E. Vert, John Ross and Miss Maria B. Mitchell.

STONE—On the Yukon river, at the foot of Thirty Mile, N. W. T., on the 6th instant, Martin Stone, a native of New-foundland, aged 40 years. ASHBY—At the Jubilee hospital, on the 22nd inst., Mrs. John Ashby, aged 42 years, a native of Woodstock, Ont. WATKINS On the 3rd dinst Elizabeth youngest daughter of the late John Watkins, aged 44.

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Steamer Willapa Returns From the North With News of the Mines.

of Curios-News From Winter Harbor.

On Saturday evening the steame apa arrived from a visit to wa on the West Coast of the Islan the officers report that they encou trip. On the way up the vessel quoit it was again necessary to shelter, remaining there for 24 tered off Cape Scott and a bad gale blowing off the north end of the is Wreckage was sighted on the way do and it is supposed that it was the boa belonging to Flattery Light, which w last seen near Neah Bay on the 27 with two men in it. The sealing school Viva was spoken by the Willapa, in straits about fifteen miles below the Race, being in a leaky condition at

J. Murdock, a mining expert who been examining some quartz property Quatsino, came down on the Willa and says that a rich lead of splendid has been discovered there and a number of men will be taken up to develop the

claim. The coal properties at Quatsino are showing up well. The diamond drill has been sunk three feet into the seam and the coal is of a good quality. The drill has been taken farther up on the pro-1 erty with the expectation that another seam will be located.

The Willapa did not call at Wreck Bay, but news received from Ucluelet states that the high tides had stopped work on the mines temporarily, and is thought that the work on the beach will soon have to close for the winter. Among the passengers coming down on the Willapa were Mrs. Hallidie, the Messrs. Daykin, F. Stockhom, of Stockham & Dolly, traders at Clayoquot; Mrs. Brown, A. Davis, Amos Ellis, Charles Luckey, W. G. M. Rolston, Harry Butler, A. Vauden, James Johnston, Master Walton, J. H. White, James Adams, N. Miss and Master Rolston, F. Merton,

Mr. and Mrs. Hall, J. Whalen, E. H. Fletcher and A. Swanson. Among the freight brought down or the Willapa was a large quantity of Indian curios consigned to Dr. Frank Boas. in charge of the American Museum of Natural History, Central Park, N. Y. The curios were collected by George Hunt, who is employed by the museum for the purpose, and among them are some of the most interesting totems and images on the island, giving the history of the tribes for many generations.

From Winter Harbor comes the news that a large quantity of black sand he been discovered about nine miles from there, and samples have been sent to this city for assay. The discovery was made by a Mr. Davidson, who has a new precess for extracting the fine gold. Mc. Davidson is also looking for a site for a pulp mill and is impressed with the advantages on Winter Harbor

H. Varney has demonstrated the fact fiving at Winter Harbor from the land. the 15th of June he had new potatoes and from four pounds of potatoes plant ed on the 1st of June he harvested 135 pounds on September 25th. He raised a large quantity of onions, and small markably well.

Those unhappy persons who suffer from nervousness and dyspepsia should use Carter's Little Nerve 111 s, which are made expressly for sleepless, norvous dyspectic sufferers. Price 25 cents.



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Westminster Gazette, London, Eng.,

this preference."---Sir Charles

AN UNSCRUPULOUS GANG.

Sir Charles Tupper said to a reporter

of La Presse, Montreal: "You can say

mt." As was pointed out by Mr. Drury

at the public meeting on Friday night,

which, according to his own statement,

istic volubility and energy for embroil-

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cannot be doubted.

"They have brought us, against our

will, to the verge of the abyss, and only

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These are the words of the political as-

advocate independence for Canada or

anything else to-morrow if they thought

which does not openly express the hope

that the Laurier ministry will be sus-

There is not a Liberal leader, not a

Liberal speaker and not a Liberal news-

paper during the course of the campaign that has uttered one word, even in the

remotest part of Canada, that will not

bear repetit on in any portion of it. What

about the Tory doings. Here we have

the Colonel travelling up and down

"The French-Canadian people have

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held responsible this century," says:

Oct., 9th, 1900.

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compare. The traitorous Tarte is held up as the master of the administration We wish with all our hearts that Sir and as one whose political ambition it is Wilfrid Laurier may hold his own and to see—well, it would be hard to say back with an increased majority. What they do accuse him of, but he is part from the fact that his friendliness a traitor anyway and has shown his the mother country (manifested both traitorous proclivities by giving the Mon the war and in the preferential tariff) ther Country a preference in our marminands our gratitude, it seems to us kets, which the Conservatives have been st desirable that a staunch Imperial- asserting for twenty years they will do who yet knows how to conciliate the if and when Great Britain abandons in at the present juncture. There is country. Our ex-cabinet minister, who the use in disguising the fact that there accepted a portfolio in a government we been angry feelings in Canada these which had announced its intention of few months, and they are not likely coercing Manitoba for the same purpose as Sir Charles Tupper had in view be assauged by the triumph of Sir when he said "Sir Wilfrid Laurier is too. parles Tupper and a British demonstra-British for me," gaining the support of on against Mr. Tarte. Moreover, Sir Quebec-Colonel Prior is on the rampharles's extremely businesslike Impeage with the Old Flag in one hand and ialism is by no means to our taste, and dodgers in the other denouncing the might have ultimate consequences very iniquitous Tarte and condemning his erious to the Empire. For while detraitorous utterances. It is well it ouncing the 'one-sided' tariff by which should not be forgotten that this same ne mother country gets a slight advan- Tarte was for a great many years one ge, he demands what he calls 'reciprocof the leading members of the great This, of course, is the 'zollverein' | Conservative party, and that his traitorwhich Mr. Chamberlain has dallied ous leanings were carefully concealed th in past days. The mother country until he was driven forth from among his or two of the campaign. Messrs. Prior which Tupper disavowed in Ontario, and ing a free-trading community, and old associates by the revelations of corruption which set all the world talking erefore unable to give greater advaniges than she already confers, is to imse disadvantages upon foreign nations exempt the colonies. We cannot en-

he uttered them in Ontario: "They say that I am disloyal, but they do not prove it. I defy them to hich disarms so much animosity that have published a pamphlet, full of lies, give as nearly as possible a fac-simile of Victoria. purporting to be reports of various disloyal speeches made by me while in France. They are most unblushing falsehoods. The Canadian public man who would go to a foreign country, who would utter disloyal words, would be a traitor. That man is not myself, The traitors to Her Majesty Queen Victoria, "I am unalterably opposed to and to the British flag, which floats over us, and grants us all our liberties, are those who try to set the various races in this country against one another. I am addressing a mixed meeting, and the English electors can judge by the ways my words are received by the French-Canadians in this meeting how far I express their views. I am a French-Canadian-I would be nothing else. My Sir Wilfrid Laurier is too British for father was a French-Canadian, my mother a French woman. That was an accident of birth, and I could not help it. And I was born under the Union

what good object could be served by say- Jack. Yes, and I live under it, and en ing that? Would be have said such a joy and appreciate the liberties it re thing if he had landed at a city on the presents. I am a loval subject of Her Pacific Coast instead of at Montreal? Majesty the Queen. I deserve no special credit for that. Why should we not be What purpose had the leader of the oployal; are we not happy? I have just position in view when he said that? How returned from Paris, where I had the loes the making of that charge against opportunity of studying at close range the Premier to the French-speaking peosome forty-two different nations; and ple of Quebec compare with what Sir their form of government. And I found Charles has to say of the Premier to that no form of government was so satisfactory as ours; that no people were the English-speaking people of the so free and had so much reason to be other provinces? As we have said be- happy and contented as have we in this fore, that was the foundation upon | Canada of ours.

bec was founded. That was the manner this country to France, and that if in which Sir Charles proposed to gain the confidence of the people of Quebec, Canadians are so lost to all sense of honor and all sense of self-interest as he hungered and thirsted for. Before to wish to transfer our allegiance from he had left the city the newspapers sup- | Britain to France! Where is the fool porting him had taken the hint. They in my race who would for a moment wish to be ruled by France and under intended to win the province from the the systems which prevail in France? We are French-Canadians, but we are Liberals on the cry, "Laurier is too Britleading organs of the party in Quebec, voted subjects of Her beloved Majesty after denouncing Laurier with character- Queen Victoria.

THE OLD GAME.

Sir Charles has wired to the Colonel that he is in favor of the mint. Of course he is. He is in favor of anything anywhere just now. He was in favor of the all-Canadian line to the Yukon and exhausted his elaborate vocabulary of adjectives in commendation of it when he was in Victoria. But that did not "Alas, we have had brothers who, in prevent him from denouncing it as vig-rising to the honorable positions in which orously as he had previously eulogized they had been placed by the national it when he was told by some gentlemen who had never seen the Pacific Coast that it was the policy of the Conservaour national flag into their hands. Our tive party to construct a line from the eligious rights they have sacrificed to east of the Rocky Mountains. And like Greenway, and to Chamberlain they faithful party men the Colonel and his It is more important to make Conservative party was to build the mint the imperialist policy of Laurier and the will have but one flag in Canada; they to divide the country on questions of are the words of the organ of a party race and religion. Perhaps they sucwhen an election can be won in Canada and "hasinger is business," and would by trickery such as the issuing of bogns Globes, falsehood and slander and "the circulation of dodgers on the morning of it would catch the popular fancy and election day announcing a great Conserthat they could attain power by it. The people of Great Britain know them and which can show a record like that of Sir Wilfrid Laurier is not to be defeated there is scarcely a newspaper there

A well known Victorian who returned from the Maritime Provinces on Saturday states that so far as he could learn the Liberals would sweep that part of the country. Minister Blair, and probably Sir Louis Davies, would have to fight for their seats, but, taking a general view of the situation, he believed that from his standpoint the covernment breathing loyalty from every pore and corrsing the French with a vigor beyond, a big majority."

Would have "too big a majority."

He astonished at Conservative incomes the astonished at Conservative in Canadian patriot who has become confession, he was been into the world the dominant figure in Canadian politics. a "Conservative." would have "too big a majority." He cursing the French with a vigor beyond, a big majority.

by such tactics.

who yet knows how to conclude the it and when Great Britain abandons the ch-Canadian, should remain at the free trade and becomes a protectionist In Their Desperation Earle and Prior Issue Lying Dodgers.

The electors are warned to beware of | this contemptible document. It is on a opposition fly sheets during the last day par with the notorious pamphlet No. 6, and Earle have caused several to be probably Prior and Earle may find it issued, and will circulate them when necessary to disown this shameless atand drew down upon the Conservative they think it will be impossible to refute tempt to raise racial and religious anileaders the scathing criticism of the the statements they contain. The op- mosities in the city of Victoria. We British press. Here are Mr. Tarte's position candidates are lending them- had supposed that Col. Prior and Mr. opinions, delivered before his French selves to a cowardly campaign-to a cam- Earle were above this kind of political compatriots in Montreal and cheered as paign of slander and falsehood. We do warfare, but we now see that their case enthusiastically there as they were when not hesitate to charge this in view of the is so desperate that they are prepared to fly sheet headed "The Tarte-Laurier | do anything and to say anything to win Government Defeated," which the oppo- on Wendesday next. The men who prove it, for I am not disloyal, never sition committee have had printed, and sanctioned this fly sheet are not fit to sit was and never will be. My opponents will probably circulate to-morrow. We in parliament as the representatives of

THE TARTE-LAURIER

THE GREAT SPONTANEOUS

WAVE OF CONSERVATISM MAND

Covers Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific. From all quarters comes the welcome news that Laurier is deserted in Quebec, beaten in Ontario and swamped in the Martitime Provinces, while the whole

West rebels against Sifton's Yukon outrages.

which the whole structure of the campaign against the Liberal party in Que My traducers say that I tried to sell B.C. WILL ACAIN HAVE B. C. Will Again Have A CABINET MINISTER Justice from Government

There will be no French Traitor and Boer Sympathizer in the McDonald-Tupper Cabinet.

ish for me." Le Trifluvien, one of the Pritish subjects: yes, and loyal and de- Tarte and Laurier will not have another No Conservative Mirister will fly the chance to Feed Canadian Boys on Rotten- French "Tricolor" in place of the "UNION JACK." Dog Biscuits.

> THERE IS ONLY ONE NATONAL FLAG IN CANADA, AND THAT IS THE UNION JACK, AND

Prior and Earle Will Carry It to Victory.

CANADA AND SIR WILFRID Imperialist. He took the leading part LAUBIER.

-the contest will be fought in Canada

in the sending of assistance to the Mother Country in South Africa, A Sheffield (Eng.) Independent: On member of his government, Mr. Tarte-November 7th-one day later than the who, like Sir Wilfrid, is of French origin Presidential election in the United States -objected to the sending of volunteers to the front, and was supported by a section of French-Canadians. The which will determine whether Sir Wilcolleague followed their leader. If it frid Laurier is or is not to remain in Mr. Tarte's services to the administramany respects the most remarkable in Lounce Sir Wilfrid, although no man als."--Hon. N. Clarke Wallace. certain the fall of the traitors who have in Ottawa, in far-off Pictou, or in any Canadian history. He has guined a re- could possibly have shown himself more other preposterous place, that would be putation as one of the leading statesmen loyal to the Empire. The effect of this the policy of Colonel Prior and Mr. of the Empire. A man of the highest conduct on the part of the Conservatives sought to plainly show their distaste for Earle also. But after all it does not ability and integrity, with a rare mastery is the stirring up of bad blood between much matter what the policy of the Con- of eloquence, he has been foremost in British and French-Canadians-a misservative party is. Notwithstanding the strengthening the bonds between Canada crable consequence of party strife. So assurance of the grand old optimist that and the Mother Country, and the Queen's much for Sir Wilfrid Laurier's lack of there is "no doubt of our triumph on dominions contain no Imperialist who to patriotism. His excess of patriotism, was a Roman Catholic on the opposite the 7th." the fact remains that the chief a greater extent combines lofty ideals say the Conservatives, is shown by the side of politics, and he became Premier. duty of the few opponents of the gov- with practical policy. While he has been preferential tariff. They fail to see why Sir Wilfrid Laurier is entitled to the ernment who shall survive the conflict busy with internal reform, he has done Canada should give advantages to Great same consideration. These creed cries on Wednesday will be to criticise the a vast amount to stimulate Canadian Britain, when Great Britain is debarred are not to be commended, for how can acts of the present administration. They Imperial patriotism. The preferential by her policy from giving advantages in we live with each other unless we exersociates of the ultra-loyal gentlemen who tried to stir up sectionalism in 1896 and tariff for imports from the Mother return. They want reciprocity. They cise mutual toleration?"—Rev. Prof. Country is a shining example of his cannot indicate in what way the prefer- Clarke, of Trinity University, Toronto. which condered the sentiment, "so ceeded. At all events the division was statesmanship, and an indication of those ential tariff has harmed Canada; they much the worse for British connection" a very unequal one for them. The days leanings towards free trade which he has simply regard Great Britain as never concealed. The splendid ferror on the same footing as any vative victory are past. A government to aid the British arms in South Africa the Atlantic are deeply grateful to Can-

UNFAIR TO BRITISH COLUMBIA

In an interview published in another column Mr. Stumbles, an officer of the Marine and Fisheries department of the Dominion government, draws attention to a state of affairs which may be known. to those interested in the shipping industry, but of which it is safe to say very little knowledge. There may have been a day when such discrimination was justifiable. Years ago, when there take ships to Puget Sound ports than to bring them to British Columbia. But such conditions do not exist now, and Board would receive. surely the penalties attached to them should also be abolished. The facts as of the board was postponed for an indefinto the purchase of supplies will also be O. U. W. hall serving a like purpose. It a surprise to many of our citizens, in- was decided to increase representation on cluding even some of the dealers them- the board from the lodges by an additional selves. In this instance we are also member, making two representatives inpenalised for a state of affairs which has long since passed away and about which nobody seems to have had energy enough to set the shipping world straight. from Eastern society journals dealing with We desire to say that there is no politics in this. It is a matter which should receive the earnest consideration of every resident of British Columbia. Let the province dealing with the same question, people of all the cities unite to abate the evil; to convince the world that there is no reason whatever for such unjust discrimination. When this necessary reformation has been effected then it will be found that we shall be more than able to hold our own with the cities of the Sound, because of our infinitely superior natural resources.

LAURIER AND LOYALTY.

London Times.

It may, however, be observed that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is one of the most pronounced Imperialists in Canada, and that, if for a few days he seemed to hesitate, the reasons for such hesitation lie on the surface. The French-Canadians, though loyal to the Empire, can hardly be expected to display the same instant enthusiasm for active measures as Canadians of British blood. It was important that Canada should be as nearly as possible unanimous and Sir Wilfrid Laurier delayed action no longer than was necessary to secure unanimity. It may be added that though there is no doubt of the eagerness of the Conservatives to assist the Empire, there is room for grave doubt whether they would have been able to secure that unanimity as rapidly as Sir Wilfrid Laurier did. There were some dissentients among the French-Canadians, though very few. They might have been found more numerous and persistent had it not been a French-Canadian and their own trustgovernment. If half that our correspondent says about Canadian prosperity be true, we should imagine that Sir Wila very good case for his fiscal policy.

THE SITUATION IN QUEBEC.

documents is made up of atterances from the Huntingdon, Que., Gleaner, and will Quebec go? Had the Conservative organs of Ontario not raised the loyalty cry, there might have been some doubt as to how Quebec would go on the 7th November. With their stupid and false cry against Laurier as a masked traitor there can be none. The effect of the agitation against Laurier as a disloyal vince. When La Presse, a newspaper that has a larger circulation than that I of all the other French dailies united, is constrained to go back on its party and fancy what the rising feeling in the & Co.-64.

fraud perpetrated on the English and Canadian people than the for the moment, it is useless to in-fulze in lamentations and vain recrimin-were announced that the policy of the power. His administration has been in tion. For this the Conservatives de-

NO CREED CRIES.

"I admire the personality of Sir Wilfrid Laurier very much. As to his being a Roman Catholic, how could that be used against him? Sir John Thompson

Our friend Harry has been giving the electors some more good advice. He has cf. Canadian loyalty has been fittingly other nation, whereas Sir Wil- been telling them in effect that they voiced by him; and the valour displayed frid regards Great Britain as the should all be Conservatives because his by those Canadians who went so eagerly Mother Country. We on this side of revered father is a Conservative and instructed his son wisely as to the poliis enough of itself to make the years of ada for the preferential tariff, which has tical path he should travel in. Now his Premiership for ever memorable to undoubtedly strengthened the links that it one mistake the good old doctor Canadians and Englishmen. In the bind the two countries together. The made, and we believe it is about the only forthcoming election the Conservatives Canadian Conservatives would initiate one he ever did make. Fathers should will do their utmost to oust him from a policy that would tend to weaken these allow their sons to do their own thinking power. Their attitude towards him is links; and at the same time they em- on political matters. We are convinced supported by two contentions—that he is ploy the Tarte incident for the purpose that if the representative of Victoria had Lot patriotic enough, and that he is too of easting doubts upon the loyalty that been allowed to have a "mind of his patriotic. This may seem inconsistent Sir Wilfrid Laurier has shown so prac- own" with regard to Dominion affairs but surely those who know the record tically. We hope that Canada will have he would have been opposing instead of Lut surely those who know the record tically. We hope that Cansda will have no would nave been opposing the Conservative candidates of our Conservatives at home will not the good sense to grant a new lease of supporting the Conservative candidates to conservative inconsisting from Victoria, on West Sannich to day. As it is, according to his own confession, he was born into the world true Imperial patriot who has become confession, he was born into the world further particular apply to John Black.

TO PUBLISH A PAPER

The Federated Societies Will Have an Official Organ-Important Meeting Last Friday Evening.

An interesting meeting of the Federated Board of Societies was held on Friday the average man in this province has evening, but, owing to the press of other matters, the hospital question was deferred until Saturday evening next, when a special meeting will be held for the purpose. It was decided to invite delegates were few or no lighthouses and buoys from lodges giving other than medical in our waters it may have been safer to benefits. This will enable such lodges to become subscribers and to receive the same benefits from the hospital that lodges represented within the Federated

The annual grand meeting and exercises stead of one as at present. Two new courts recently established were reported and invited to take their seats on the heard. Interesting extracts were read the circulars sent uot by the board on the question of lodge physicians. A state of activity was manifest by the reports from individual lodges throughout the and it is anticipated at an early date that federated boards will be organized in the principal cities of British Columbia.

The legislative committee reported on the petition drafted to the next legislature, the action thereon being endorsed by the board. Copies will be immediately sent out, and it is anticipated that when completed the parchment will carry its weight of signatures to the Speaker's

It was decided by the Federated Board to commence the publication of an official organ to be published monthly. The new paper will comprise 32 pages, and will be devoted to society and social questions, the moral and material betterment of the conditions of society membership and working classes generally. The first number will start with the new year, and an effort will be made by the board to keep the various lodges throughout the province informed in matters pertaining to general welfare, the ultimate object being the federating of every lodge for mutual protection and advancement.

The following is the amended list of lectures to be given under the auspices of the Federated Societies, commencing on November 16th:

Nov. 16 .- By His Honor the Lieut.-Governor, "The Metrical System." Nov. 23 .- By C. H. Lugrin, "The History of the Development of Representative Government in Canada." Nov. 30.-By Rev. Dr. Wilson, "Graduat

ed Taxation." Dec. 7 .- By John McMillan, "Huma Destiny in Economics." Dec. 14.-By Rev. Elliot Rowe, "Chris

tian Socialism. Dec. 31.-By Rev. Winchester, "Some Things Fundamental to True Citizenship.' RESTRICTIONS REMOVED.

ed leader who was at the head of the Angling for Sea Trout in Cowichan River Is Now Permitted.

On the recommendation of Mr. W. W. Stumbles, of the Marine and Fisheries Defrid Laurier will be able to make out partment, the minister has removed the restrictions on angling for sea trout in Cowichan river, and Inspector Sword has been instructed to notify the public is no doubt a triffing matter, but it illus-One of the Conservative, campaign trates the necessity for officials at Otta wa to thoroughly understand the conditions in British Columbia and the requirements of our people. The restriction on in view of that fact the following extract | catching sea trout in the Cowichan river from the Gleaner of October 25th is by line was seen by Mr. Stumbles, on insignificant: "The Toronto Sun asks, How vestigation, to be absurd, and he at once took action, with the above result. When Mr. Stumbles returns to Ottawa he will have collected a lot of valuable information, which will be of great service to the minister and bis officials in legislating and making regulations for the great shipping and fishing industries of this province.

A CASKET OF PEARLS .- Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets would prove a man has been to consolidate Quebec in great solace to the disheartened dyspertic his favor, and he will sweep this pro- If he would but test their potency. They're veritable gems in preventing the seating of stomach disorders, by aiding and stimulating digestion-60 of these health "pearls" in a box, and they cost 35 cents. Recommended by most eminent physical speak in defence of Laurier, we can ans. Sold by Dean & Hiscorks and Hall

"There never was a bigger and perpetrated on the English

D. G. S. Quadra returned this afternoon from a short cruise amongst the islands of the Gulf, where three new buoys have been established. A black buoy has been placed to mark the One fathem patch in Gange's Harbor, a buoy marked red and black horizontal bands moored off the south end of False Reef. Stuart channel, and a large red buoy moored in the extreme of the reef extending north-westward from White Rock, on which the Miami was wrecked. Notices regarding these new aids to navigation will be published as soon as possible by the department of marine and fisheries. Capt. Walbran reports he found False Reef much larger than shown on admiralty chart No. 714.

POLASTEEL Tion Ladies 2

FOR LADIES A REMEDY FOR IRREGULARITIES. SUPERSHDING BITTER APPLE, PIL COCHIA, PENNYROYAL, ETC. Order of all chemists, or post free for \$1.50 from BVANS & SONS, LTD., Vic-toria, or MARTIN, Pharmacertical Them-ist. Southampton. England.

Before. After. Wood's Phosphodine

held in the theatre last evening in the interests of the Liberal candidates was the most successful that has ever been held in the city of Victoria. It furnished Times. very convincing evidence not only of the strength of the Liberal cause, but it present us in the halls which have resounded with the eloquent periods of D'Arcy McGee, Chapleau and Laurier a few weeks' experience in public life, never faced such a great concourse of people as assembled in the theatre last Mr. Drury did. His earnestness gain- very close to the wind. ed him the attention of his hearers at convinced them that the speaker believed and that that was equivalent to voting no faith himself. When the candidate perience for a public speaker. Even the chairman, matter of fact though one would expect him to be by reason of his Victoria, why did he not inform Mr. dealings with the dry-as-dust affairs of Lavergne that he would release him the law, was moved to enthusiasm and claimed the credit due to himself for the true feeling in the West. He says bringing to the attention of the world he told Sir Charles Tupper privately the new political star. Mr. Riley has that he would have voted for the bill been suffering from a severe cold caught at the opening meeting of the campaign

lish reports of the speeches, but no cold no circumstances could be have supporttype can do justice to the address of Mr. Maxwell. The future representative of him in the House. He had been sent Vancouver was in his very best form and there as a Conservative, and as such those who have heard Mr. Maxwell make his chief purpose in political life was to a speech know what that means. His bring discredit on the government rea speech know what that means. His gardless of the effect of such a course rich Doric burr sounded pleasant in the on the welfare of his constituents. He ear, he was humorous, he was witty, he has lived up to his principles and the made one belated Tory who had the splendid isolation in which he finds himtemerity to squeeze in an interjection self on the eve of a general election is sorry he had not remained quiet, and he merely a premonitory symptom of what hit the opposition so hard and made such Under the circumstances we must make an exhibition of them as to delight the due allowance for his irritation and bad heart of the most inexorable Grit, Max temper. O'Rell at his best was never in it with Mr. Maxwell in his last night's form. The audience would probably have been there yet if the speaker had stayed with TI MANUAL TO

and unfortunately his health has not

pose as an orator and is quite content

to leave this necessary part of campaign

work to the younger men.

No wonder the Colonist had not the courage to tell its readers the truth about last night's gathering. It started on the campaign with the apparent intention of not indulging in misrepresentation about the meetings at all events, but its reports have degenerated and are about as reliable as the statements of Col, Prior in regard to the present government of the Dominion.

IN A BAD WAY.

that pledged to the immortal Wilkinsbeen changed, and that the tariff general-

but for the destruction of the crops world and is forcing her wares upon the contemplation by any but the blindest which provide the raw material for heathen nations at the mouth of cannon, binder twine prices would have been The Conservative candidates in Victoria very much lower than they have been endorse the sentiments of their leaders considered the pivotal province in the for the last few years. This is another matter about which lies have been told, and they have not been circulated by the

demonstrated that we have speakers in tains that taxation has been increased, ces in our behalf have never been lack fighting like cats and dogs, one faction British Columbia who will worthily re- He puts aside as beneath his notice the ing at critical times is to be meted out telling the other that it should be driven and with the fiery denunciations of taxation, and that they should be congive us a preference in your makets; if tions? The truth is the Conservatives George Brown. It has been given to demned for it. Aside from the fact that few young men in any country with only it has been demonstrated beyond contradiction that the people of the city of who have appeared on a public platform tween sixty and seventy thousand dol- facturing nation in the world, and, conless than a dozen times, and who have lars in taxation by the British pre- sidering the extent of your territory, one ing such stand until we saw this despairevening, to rouse such enthusiasm as him has been sailing the bark of truth That is the seal which they propose to

was of such transcendent interest to from his pair and thus do his part to convince the Conservative senators of if he had been in the House. Why was it necessary for him to keep his real sentiments secret? After giving due consideration to the various statements been such as to permit of his making of Colonel Prior on this subject, we are convinced that the electors will on lengthened addresses. But he does not Wednesday express their opinion on the conduct of the late members for Victoria in no uncertain way. Mr. Earle has at least played the more manly part In another part of the Times we publin boldly proclaiming the fact that under ed the bill. Colonel Prior has made no secret of the principles which guided

> Remember this fact on Nov. 7th: EARLE and PRIOR VOTED AGAINST THE YUKON RAILWAY.

> > A COMPARISON.

The Colonel says the Times is a liar, of Commons is consecrated anew to Tory- lkelly to support the Conservatives, who but then the records of the campaign ism. Perhaps it is just as well the Colprove that the Colonel can hardly be onel has somebody on the opposite side ed as soon as they attain power. In the held responsible for what he says. He to vent his spleen upon with vigor. If has been deserted by all his old friends there were no Tarte he might do as his with the exception of the large-hearted friends in the East are doing, turn Harry, who has taken a vow, like unto

We should be very much pained to be Mrs. Micawber, that he will never tacle as is being presented to the people to win. They are demoralised from one for a certain graving dock contract, the desert him in the days of his adversity. of Ontario daily by the leaders of the end of Canada to the other, and have profits on which were \$125,000. The Colonel has told the people, accord- great Conservative party. The Colonel no chance whatever of gaining a vicing to the reports of his remarks in the says Mr. Tarte is disloyal because he tory. Conservative paper, that the duties on claims to be a Frenchman and is proud Vancouver has already put in a claim treasurer of the Conservative party in mining machinery are the same as in of it. There are many Irishmen for the mint, and she will elect a sup- that district received \$25,000. the happy days of old, that the imposts and Scotsmen in Canada who porter of the government to second her on agricultural implements have not are proud of the land of their demand. Victorians have no fault to \$207,168 were paid, over and above the birth and who will speedily set find with that. We should do likewise, amount of the tender. The contractors anyone straight who intimates that For reasons which it is not necessary for made \$241,000 profits, not including ly has only been reduced fourteen-hun- they are English. But they make us to enter into at the present time Vic- \$27,000 paid out in bribery and corrupdredths of one per cent. His purpose no objection to being called British sub- toria has greater claims to this much- tion and entered in the books as "donaevidently was to convince the people jects and they are just as proud of the that the National Policy had produced might and the history of the British Emthat the National Policy had produced might and the history of the British Em-the undeniable prosperity of the coun-the undeniable prosperity of the coun-the undeniable prosperity of the coun-to elect two members to present our case that the sum of \$112,700 was raised out public exchange of men against try. Now we shall not say that these Minister of Public Works is a very out- to the government, and this is an ad- of public contracts and spent in the con- whom not a single act of corruption has statements were lies, but they were cer-tainly incorrect. He also said that the duty on coal oil and that on binder that he was a loyal British subject, that twine had been decreased, and that the British system of government was prices had gone up in consequence, argu- vastly superior to that of France and The Colonist says there is no certainty the culprit was shielded by Sir Macing of course that the decrease in the that the people of Quebec were contentduty had been the cause of the advance cd and happy and had no desire to change. Drury and the confirmation of the Doin price. As a matter of fact, accord- their political status. But we shall go a minion government in power would se- of dollars was caused by the Curran ing to the market reports in the Eastern little further and tell the Colonel that cure the erection of the mint in Victoria Bridge scandal or the Curran Bridge people). Now Sir Charles has been makpapers coal oil is distinctly cheaper than the record and the utterances of Mr. and that our position is unsound in any steal in 1893. it was in 1896, and to tell any sensible Tarte, French as he is and English as event. Surely the Colonist will admit man that the entire abolition of the the Colonel is, do not suffer when com. that we shall have a better chance of duty on twine, opening the markets of pared with the career of the Colonel and securing the mint if we elect two sup- vative member and his election commitduty on twine, opening the markets of pared with the career of the Colonel and porters of the government than if we recan also the competition of the world, his friends. Sir Charles Tupper turn two members to oppose them. We A sum of \$300,000 was spent in consary to become a leader of the great was the cause of the advance in price, says Laurier is too British for shall refuse to discuss the possibility of structing a lock which was officially esis equivalent to telling him he is a feel, him, and his hopeful son says the Dominion government being defeated timated to cost \$44,000, and which has The people are aware that there has Great Britain has been driven for the reason that the possibility is so never been used except by one boat, The H. Helgesen, M.P.P., of Metchosin, who

by supporting them and maintaining their adherence to a policy designed to mitted to hold the destinies of presikeep British goods out of Canada. The Notwithstanding his previous asser country whose naval and military protions that the tariff has been reduced to tection we have enjoyed for so many tario people. To-day the alleged leaders some extent at least the Colonel main- years free of cost and whose good offifact that the duties on British goods the same treatment at our hands as the from public life and prominent members have been reduced one-third and sticks Jews dealt to the Samaritans. But the of the party are actually stumping to his original contention that the Lib- Colonel and his friends go even farther against one another. Is it possible for erals have not attempted to decrease than that. They say "if you do not a battle to be won under such condiyou do not abanden the policy which you know they have no chance of carrying have followed for so many years and the country under any circumstances, As Victoria alone will be relieved of be- which has made you the greatest manuference of one-third, we submit that the of the wonders of the earth, we shall ing appeal in the Colonist. "Prior and Colonel has by his own arguments prov- abolish the preference which these rulers | Earle and the Mint for Victoria." en that some one very closely akin to without knowledge have accorded you." put upon their devotion. It has been Colonel Prior further says that we claimed that no question as to the loyonce and there was a glow of concentrated feeling in his utterances which Yukon ralway matter. We have said he brought up in this campaign. But that he was paired against the measure the Colonel has always tried to make in the justice of his cause and was no against it. If the Colonel thinks we political capital of his claim that his demer: political hack appealing for sup- are wrong there all we have to say is votion to the Empire was somewhat port to a government in which he had that he takes a view of pairing which deeper than that of the ordinary man, is quite unique. The member be was and it is only right that attention should paired with would have voted for the be called to the fact that a mere Frenchhad finished his address he was cheered bill if he had been released from his man has given more practical proof of until he had to arise and bow his engagement by the member for Victoria: being possessed of this cardinal virtue acknowledgements, which is a rare ex- If it was impossible for Colonel Prior than the man whose anatomy has to be in Ottawa at that time to speak scarcely been strong enough to prevent in favor of and vote for a measure that his loyalty from breaking forth into a deluge of words.

PROGRESS OF VICTORIA.

articles this morning dealing with the only been made, but have been proven, prospects of Victoria. Our contemporary forgot to remind its readers that in order to keep Victoria on the narrow way to posperity it is absolutely necessary that we should elect two supporters of the present government. We are goods from the United States, and which asked to vote for Prior and Earle and se they said, if it hurt British connection, cure the mint for Victoria. The Colonel then "so much the worse for British conwould fain have his friends believe that nection." vinces, and that their influence there now is insignificant compared with that of Blair and Fielding and Davies, He knows that they have no leader in the Conservatives or weakening that of the Liberals. In Ontario matters are even who was a foreman on the Levis end of the Levis end of the road. are at open wan with one another, and all appear to be against Tupper now Between 1878 and 1891, during nearly they have discovered that he has no the whole of which time Sir Charles Tupstrength in any part of the country. The per was a member of the Cabinet, one attempt to stir up enthusiasm by par- firm of contractors received \$3,138,234 ading Hugh John around the country for which they did \$2,000,000 worth of as the son of an illustrious father proved work, including a fair profit. They exa fizzle, and it is settled that when Tupper pended in bribery and corruption \$170,retires after defeat on the 7th he will 447, according to entries in their own not be succeeded by the man from Mani- books. A man who had a "pull" on a toba. In the West the conditions are colleague of Sir Charles Tupper's repractically the same as in the East. In ceived \$187,000. A Cabinet Minister re-Winnipeg and Lisgar the Conservatives ceived at least \$10,000 for favors granthave not put up candidates. Martin and ed. Richardson, while holding the opinion The Colonel is very severe on Mr. that the reductions in the duties have Tarte. He will never rest until this not been as great as they considered offensively French gentleman has been justifiable, if elected over their straight cast into political oblivion and the House Liberal and labor opponents are not tion are quite as bad, while in British By setting a contract for dredging at Columbia the government have as good an exorbitant rate the Conservative gova chance of carrying the whole six seats ernment received back from the benefias the Conservative have of winning one. ciaries \$25,000 for the general election. The Colonel is only joking when he The firm of Larkin, Connolly & Co. compelled to witness such a sorry spectalls the people that his party are going paid the agent of the Cabinet \$22,000

sought-after institution than our enter- tions."

Dominion contests, as New York is addential candidates in its hands. It was seldom that Sir John Macdonald carried to the positon of the Times in making such an appeal being unsound, we may say that we had not contemplated tak-

DRURY, RILEY

THEIR RECORD.

MINT.

The Colonel and his colleague are fond of shouting corruption, in the apparent belief that if they cry loud enough and long enough peradverture some one may take them seriously. We have a The Colonist printed two very able little list of charges which have not present conditions in and the future against the party which these two gentlemen are so proud of their connection with. Here is their record:

An anti-British policy of protection. which taxed British goods higher than

tion and compelled a reduction in the parliamentary representation.

of the notorious Caron, and that he has helling one Conservative after the other piled in the United States purporting to

The Colonel and his leader have re- public chest out of the total expenditure it was the announcement of the Fielding pudiated Pamphlet No. 6, but it is still of \$1,800,000 on the St. Charles branch preference which caused the reinstate-being circulated from the Star office in of the Intercolonial Railway, only 14 ment of Canada as a daughter in her Montreal by the thousand, and even miles long. Sir Charles Tupper com- Mother's house once more. more scandalous documents than it, municated with the contributors to camwithout strengthening the cause of the Paign funds at Quebec through his Elect Earle and Prior

A parliamentary supporter and confi-thing of the kind is likely to be done. dential agent of the Cabinet of which Sir To give a preference is something with Charles Tupper was a member received in our own power; it has actually been \$130,000. He owned up to receiving given. No man is warranted in prom-

For securing a cross-wall contract at Quebec for the political contractors the

For the building of the Esquimalt dock

An official list of expenditure in one shalled under Sir Charles Tupper, and

Public situations were sold in Northumberland County, Ont., by the Conser-

been a war in the Philippines and that from the civilized markets of the remote as to be considered unworthy of contractor was a prominent party man, has voted Conservative since Confedera-". " Correspondent et all fort und gabe in countrie de la constitución de la constitución



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as entered into any treaty with Great

Britain to maintain the preferential tarff. Mr. Fielding merely announced in the House that the duties had been reduced, as Sir Leonard Tilley informed Parliament that they had been increased on the unfortunate day when the National Policy went into force. The Conservatives have denounced the preference in the House and out of it. Some of them have said that "business is business," others that Great Britain has been driven from the civilized markets of the world and is now "catering" for the trade of the heathen by means of guns and bayonets, while from Sir Charles campaign literature, and possibly a fool-Tupper down to the Colonel there was but one opinion, and that was that the No. 6 and the bogus Globe could have country would be ruined by the British preference. It is hinted by the Coloaist worth a good deal to the Conservative that possibly our Conservative friends party. have received new light on this matter. They have found out that the merchants in every part of the Dominion are in favor of it, and they hint that if they 10th Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, writes; can secure some compensating advantage they will be generous enough to allow it to remain in force. Have we hitherto received no compensating advantage? In camp and received excellent results Read the history of Canada and examine her parts to-day and tell us if we have received no compensating advantage. Examine the trade returns of the Dominion and take account of the immense orders which have been placed in Canada by the British government before venturing on the assertion that we are giving something for nothing. The Conthe government will be defeated. He A policy that drove Canadians out of servative government which succeeded knows better. He knows that the Tup the country and let all our immigrants that of the late Alexander Mackenzie pers are the strongest men the Conser- slip through our fingers so that the cen- when it inaugurated the National Policy vatives have in the Far Eastern property sus of 1891 showed a depleted popular virtually placed Canada in the list of countries commercially hostile to Great Britain and to this day there are Tories Unparalleled corruption, costing Can- and Tory newspaper men who howl in knows that they have no leader in the province of Quebec with the exception ada many millions of dollars, and com- glee if they run across any statistics comfoisted himself upon a constituency against its will after trying vainly in many places for a regular nomination. About \$1,500,000 were stolen from the ated resentment in Great Britain, and

The Monetary Times, an independent commercial journal published in Toronto, says: There is one question on which the two parties differ. The government makes British preference a free gift, as a token of gratitude; the opposition insists on an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth. Whoever expects England to change her policy of free trade for the sake of dickering with the colonies, must have strangely misread the actual facts of the situation. There is not the smallest present sign that anyin our own power; it has actually been given. No man is warranted in promising something not in his own power, something that depends upon the will of another. If we build upon the expectation of the said Crown Grant No. 1189, and for a corrected Crown Grant to be issued to him another.

and immediately afterwards carried a seat for the government in the general election.

A work on the St. Lawrence canals estimated to cost \$300,000, cost \$900,000, and even then the Minister of Railways and Canals, Mr. Haggart, stated in the water mark on the shore of Barclay Sound as follows: work was not used for the purpose intended, viz parients.

All these things were exposed by the Liberals when in opposition, and are on

been proved. taking full advantage of his opportunithe removal of the duty on raw sugar put a mere million or two into the pockets of the people (the refiners were the

ing the statement that it was eleven millions. What a chance to accumulate a campaign fund! The Colonel has a

tion, has turned his back upon his for mer political friends and is working for the Liberal candidates. Where he is known there is no more popular man in British Columbia than "Honest Hans," and his defection has worked a revolution in districts which were formerly solidly Conservative. The Liberals will have a majority in the country as well as in the city on the 7th.

The Toronto Globe says: The Montreal Star some time ago urged that a change of leaders of the Conservative party was necessary. This may be, but it seems to us that the crying need of the Conservative party is a censor of killer for extreme cases. If Pamphlet been suppressed it would have been

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In place thereof.

All persons claiming adversely are hereby notified to file their claims with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, B. C., on or before the 3th day of November, 1900.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 3th day of August, 1900.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license of the following Oyster Beds, comprising all that land situate below high

work was not used for the purpose intended, viz., navigation.

Frauds were detected in the inside Department of Railways and Canals, and evidence printed by order of Parliament.

All these things were exposed by the Sound, commencing at a stake driven near the mouth of Lottie river, running (10) ten the official records of the Dominion.

The electors will hesitate before they put these men back in charge of the Tract III. All that land situate below high water mark on the shore of Barclay Sound, commencing at a stake driven at the mouth of Toquart river, running (20) been proved.

We desire to call the attention of Col.

Prior to the fact that he has not been taking full advantage of his opportunities. The ex-member for Victoria said the removal of the duty of the duty of the duty of the duty of Lottle river in the northwest corner. stake driven into the shore of the day heat to Lottle river in the northwest corner. running (10) ten chains east; thence at right angles (5) five chains south; thence at right angles (10) ten chains west; thence at right angles (5) five chains north back to the point of commencement.

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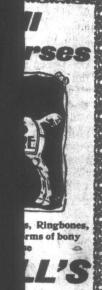
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THE SWING OF LIBERAL VICTORY

Victoria Theatre the Scene of an Enthusiastic Mass Meeting Last Night-Voters Solid For the Government.

The Efforts of the Administration on Behalf of the Laboring Classes Admirably Elucidated by Mr. Maxwell-Rousing Reception to the Candidates.

ment candidates, it must have been dis- qualifications making him irresistable on and then he sneaked off to Vancouver to pelled last night when perhaps the most the platform. enthusiastic political meeting which has The chair was occupied by L. P. Duff, Brandon meeting, which has been pubtook place in the Victoria theatre. By 8 that office. c'clock almost every seat in the big building was occupied, a noticeable feature of the gathering being the attendance of a which he felt it to be to preside at such the government from Sir Wilfrid Laurier large number of ladies, who occupied a gathering. (Applause.) scats reserved for them in the bexes and The circumstances, he said, which at a thief but the moment the traducers in the two front rows of the orchestra tended the meeting were notable. The put their statements in such shape that circle. But the sterner sex was out in government of the country, with the conforce, and although in the earlier stages augurated a policy of consolidating the of the meeting interruptions were encountered, the laugh was so persistently and of the Motherland. That movement turned upon the interrupter, that all cap- was opposed by Sir Charles Tupper, but Do we not find Sir Charles Tupper say tious criticism of the speeches was sil- so successfully was it carried out that ing in Quebec that Sir Wilfrid Laurier enced before Mr. Maxwell rose to speak, recognized to be the Premier of Canada. in other parts of the country we find his The platform had been beautifully de-

corated with potted plants, seems and Tupper, Col. Prior and Mr. Earle, and loyal. Col. Prior says that the Premier bunting, the background of the stage be- is still opposed by those gentlemen. These likes French songs and French heiring composed of two large British engentlemen say that instead of giving looms. It is well known that French signs, with a Canadian flag in the centre, the whole surmounted by a picture of from the Motherland, that we should bar together in the trenches of Sebastopol, Her Majesty, Queen Victoria, The chairs of Messrs. Riley and Drury, too. were decorated with the flag of the Empire, to which the leader they support has rendered such signal service.

The walls were embellished with legends referring to the main issues of the campaign. Among them were noticed the following:

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tain rose were the following gentlemen, who are to-day supporting the government cause in this city:

derson, ex-Attorney-General, Geo. Riley, not mentioned his indisposition, R. L. Drury, J. Kingham, W. H. Lang-C., Wm. Dalby, W. H. Hanna, H. Munn, furnishing parenthesis of cheers. Ald. Brydon, A. B. Fraser, Ald. Stew- speaker. art, Dr. Ernest Hall, Ald. John Hall, T. Burns, Capt. Buckholtz, F. J. Deane,

Hunter devoted his attention principally but he did not see why 75 per cent. of requires it is railway connection with the per's inflammatory speech in Montreal, abbreviated to leave time for the visit- mentioned, with the exception of Great ing speakers, and the ovation which he Britain, had a protective tariff, and yet received would inflame the vanity of a trade was far greater than all the other less modest man. Whatever the issue nations combined. In the United States, of the campaign may be (and on that a highly protected country, there was unpoint there is little doubt) Mr. Drury ceasing trouble and unrest. There were has forged into the first rank of political speakers in this province.

was able to speak sufficiently long for were being slowly pressed to death by the audience to become infected with his good nature, while Mr. Henderson, unfortunately for the audience, was ob- stand. He continued: liged by the lateness of the hour when he rose to speak, to curtail his speech to five minutes' length.

The effort of the evening undoubtedly I hope that the people of Canada will was the wonderful address of Geo. R. find that they have only got the first in- If such were the case, why did he not Maxwell who, for an hour and a half, trade of Great Britain the past year was held the undivided attention of the audi- \$4,000,000,000. On the same basis Canence, as he dwelt with the achievements ada with free trade and her present popof the government, particularly with re- ulation would have a trade of \$500,000,ference to its efforts to relieve the dis-things.) No there are some things people abilities under which the laboring classes are better without; such as tobacco, suffered. In addition to the talent of spirits and beer." (Laughter.) being able to point a forcible argument. Under Conservative rule in 1895 there

If any doubt existed in regard to the Mr. Maxwell has the enviable gift of prospects of the election of the govern- being able to tell a story well, the two

ever been held in the city of Victoria who admirably discharged the duties of lished several times and is now gener-

relations between the people of Canada (Laughter and cheers.)

"The Nestor of Liberalism in Victoria, Mr. Geo. Riley," was the way the chair- shall live under your laws and I will man introduced that gentleman, and respect them; but you shall not invade which brought forth a storm of cheers as the sanctity of my home.' If he did not Mr. Riley stepped before the footlights. Riley expressed his inability to find fitting words to thank his audience for the kind reception he had met with. He was a He is a soldier, but he is not brave supporter of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He enough for that. He jingles his spurs in was in accord with his leader's every action. He was not before them of his interruptions just then and the chairman own seeking. He did not desire to be a reminded the disturbers that there were

Vote for Riley, Drury, and the . He- had been reading a report of one and with the same weapon."

The chairman, upon Mr. Riley resuming his seat, said that the senior candi-Messrs. Geo. R. Maxwell, Alex. Hen- date, with his customary modesty, had that the Liberal party was prevented him speaking at any length. He then introduced the Laurier quar-Warden, Capt. Cox, S. Perry Mills, Q. Enough of Tory Rule," the audience Alex, Wilson, H. McKenzie-Cleland, Mr. Gordon Hunter was the next

GORDON HUNTER.

McGregor, A. E. McCandless, A. issues in this campaign, and one of these on record. (Applause.) McD Fraser, Ald. J. Kinsman, Walkley was whether we were to have economic the records showed that Great Britain's dens of anarchy in all the countries mentioned with the exception of Great Britain, and there they met with short Mr. Riley, although still indisposed, shrift. The people in the United States united capital. Great Britain is the only country that had discovered the principle upon which a stable government should "The preferential tariff is the first step

towards the Introduction of Free Trade.

ing to get back into the old ways. The Conservative party is

An Unboly Trinity.

It is Tupper, the father, Tupper the son, and Hugh John Macdonald—the ghost of former greatness. (Laughter and applause.) The policy of the party was one of defamation, deception and disunion. What did Sir Charles Tupper do? He went to the Yukon and gathered together a lot of garbage. He made it into a bomb and he placed that bomb upon the floor of the House at Ottawa hear the explosion. (Laughter.) The ally known as one of the greatest fiascos L. P. Duff, the chairman, expressed the same plan of campaign had been pursued pleasure he experienced and the honor, with respect to all the high members of down. Mr. Blair was accused of being

the courts could take hold of them they were quickly smoked out of their holes.

the leader and symbol of that policy was is too British for him? At the same time That policy was opposed by Sir Charles henchmen saying that Laurier is disthese privileges in return for the abound- blood runs in the veins of most Britons. ing protection which we had received Frenchmen and Englishmen had leaped gain with her. The man who held that they slept together at Paardeberg, and view little understood the sentiments of they entered shoulder to shoulder that the people of Canada. (Cheers.) These den of barbarism-China. (Loud apframed to the language of devotion and ordained that we were all living under loyalty our ears should be- forever at- French laws and some French bully entuned for the clinking of the guineas. tered the liouse of Col. Prior and said you must dispense with certain books appointment was not a proper and pictures which you have that are not of our nation. Col. Prior would have said: 'Providence has ordained that I say that he would not have the true When the applause had subsided Mr. spirit of a Briton. (Prolonged cheers.) Col. Prior dare not say the things in Quebec that he says in his speeches here. times of peace only. - (There were several

He— had been reading a report of one of Sir Charles Tupper's meetings in the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the Conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the Conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the Conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for the conservative party had not done for cide on a man from British Columbia for cide on a man East, in which that gentleman announced the country, the speaker read an extract a cabinet portfolio, press his chains on appeal to you in all sincerity to support that he was going to sweep the country from the Montreal Star, which has al- Sir Wilfrid, and, if accepted, "we will the man who for the first time placed Seated on the platform when the curfrom one end to another. A small boy in
ready been published. He then said that expect him to stand by the province, such legislation upon the statute books
in rose were the following gentlemen, the audience interjected, "Yes, mister, it was an estimate of Conservative charin and I know he will," added the speaker. acter passed upon the party by their (Applause.) own organ in 1897. There can be no doubt in the mind of any reasonable man

Going Back to Power.

ley, John Piercy, Mr. Fraser, I. D. H. tette, which rendered "We've Had when he hurried off to Nova Scotia in of dollars out of the purchase of the search of his son saying, like David of Drummond County railway. The railold: "Is the young man safe, is the way had been purchased by the governyoung man safe?". (Laughter and ment and it was one of the best bargains cheers.)

There is no doubt that the Liberal party is going to be returned. Maxwell Gordon Hunter felt it the greatest will be returned in Burrard; Morrison A. B. McNeill, Ald. J. S. Yates, D. G. honor of his life to have the pleasure of will be returned in New Westminster; Walker, Jas. Bell, Jno. Bell, Thos. addressing a Victoria audience in Vic- Galliher will be returned for Kootenay; Sorby, J. S. Crumb, Ald. Cameron, S. toria's favorite temple of amusement. Riley and Drury will be returned from Sea, W. Ditchburn, Dr. T. J. Jones, The Liberals had a good cause and all Victoria, and Ralph Smith will be re-Gordon Hunter, H. S. Salmon, Jno. Jardine, Dr. Mackechnie, E. V. Bodwell. Jardine, Dr. Mackechnie, Dr. Mackech

made a great hit with the audience, who understand why one portion of a com-made a great hit with the audience, who munity should be taxed for the other Riley are returned? (A Voice—We don't with him than with a French Roman understand why one portion of a com- represent Victoria unless Drury and insisted on a recall after each selection. portion. (Cheers.) A system of protecneed them. This little city can speak Catholic. The speeches were of high order, Mr. tion might have some redeeming features, for itself.) If there is anything this city No. 6 pamphlet and Sir Charles Tup-

R. L. Drury received an ovation upon coming forward, and gracefully express ed his appreciation of the honor. The audience cheered him again and again before he was allowed to speak,

The question of the British preference, he said, after his-introductory remarks, had been discussed somewhat fully. It had been shown that it meant \$62,000 to the people of Victoria, and indirectly He said this, too, among thousands of \$3,000,000 in Canadian contracts for war his compatriots. (Cheers.) supplies. It at first was claimed that it would not work any hardship to the manufacturers. But it had been shown in interviews that it had injuriously affected some of the manufacturers of Victoria, bia representatives. and now Col. Prior, who at first had little to say against it, called it a curse. stallment of this principle. The total promise to use his influence to have it blemished life. If all could not shed wiped out. Such would be only

A Consistent Course

were \$183,000,000 deposited in the sav-ings banks of Canada. In August of 1900 there were nearly \$300,000,000, that the volume of trade had increased humanity had lifted Canada into a The deposits had increased at the rate of Victoria should increase as much in of nearly two and a half millions per population in the next four years as in went to show that the country was more sion they would very soon be told that

they had outlived their usefulness. They have seen this in other cities Their opponents failed to make allowand it could be seen in this city what the lance for the dispatch of the contingents preferential tariff has done. The great- and the administration of the Yukon, or st stroke the Liberal government had for the deepening of the canal system. made was to inaugurate this tariff. If Yet, despite these extraordinary expendithe country is prosperous under it, why tures, the revenue last year was sufficient is it that the Conservative party is try- to meet ordinary expenditure and to transfer \$750.000 to- the decrease of the debt. (Cheers.)

A glowing tribute was paid to Hon. Mr. Fielding, the pride of Nova Scotia. who should also be the pride of Canada. and a reference to his fine handling of the Canadian loan evoked warm ap-

Col. Prior claimed that the government only now on the eve of an election were ready to

Construct a Rifle Range The facts were that the department was ready two years ago to proceed with that range, but were met by a big petition praying that it be not constructed on the

site selected. That difficulty had now been settled, and the range was being built. No fair-minded man could make such a charge. The Colonist claimed the Dominion government had refused aid to the V. V. & E. Was it not a fact, however,

ing the facts, must have concluded that matchless oratorical ability. He had no British Columbia did not want the road, in view of the action of the legislature. then said in effect:

we had to look well to our own affairs and keep our own House in order if we great pleasure to be here again to sup- east-some of them from the west, toodesired to receive proper recognition at Ottawa. (Lond Applause.)

Col. Prior claimed, too, that the Conservative government had given British Columbia a representation. Conceding even that Col. Prior was a full fledged cabinet minister, under what circumstances did he enter the cabinet? He went in when Clarke Wallace walked out because he would not agree to the coercion of Manitoba. The government men believed that while our lips are plause.) Suppose that Providence had dared not open a seat in Ontario, so strong was the feeling against them. The man who followed Clarke Wallace became a party to the coercion, and his

Recognition of British Columbia claims. Had it been he would not have narrowly escaped defeat at the consequent election, but would have been reurned by a thousand of a majority.

Yet the same Conservative party, which Col. Prior said was wedded to single line of policy, had utterly abandoned the coercion of Manitoba, a principle for which Sir Charles Tupper had once professed that he would lay down his life. (Applause.)

Still, he was repared to say that the claims of British Columbia to cabinet Vote for Riley, Drury, and the tend to take up their time, but would be glad to have him come for scrvative government. (Cheers.) British ward to the platform and he would be clown and tried and experienced ward to the platform and he would be convented. representatives, and if all six Liberals of age. I have been deeply interested in

Element of Scandal had entered largely into the campaign, Mr. Earle making sweeping general charges. He had claimed that Mr. Green-Sir Charles practically gave up the fight shields had made hundreds of thousands the government ever made. When a committee of inquiry was formed they failed to establish a single charge, and even Mr. Haggart backed out and said that they did not make any charges of personal corruption. Did any British Columbia members never sell anything to the government? Yet he would never impute anything corrupt in such a proceeding. Surely his opponents would be

The too-British attitude of the opposition leader was referred to as an example You have heard it stated that a branch of the sectionalism of Sir Charles Tupslavery or economic freedom. Another of the royal mint is to be established in per. When speaking in Winnipeg, when chief issue was free trade and protec- Canada. That mint will undoubtedly be the Manitoba school question was an The singing of the Laurier quartette tion. As far as he could reason for him- located somewhere in British Columbia. acute one, he had failed to discuss the was one of the most delightful features self he never could understand why peo- The question of the mint will be settled real issue, but asked the audience if they of the gathering. Their campaign songs ple wanted protection. He never could in caucus. But who will be there to thought their interests would be safer

to the matter of trade, his terse treat the people should be taxed for the bene north, and it stands to reason that two in which he appealed to the prejudices of fit of the few. The speaker then quoted members from this city in sympathy the French race by representing Sir Wil-

said: "For my part, I have no mystery were cries for some change, to make. I gave it because

I Love England." Concluding, Mr. Drury said that no city in Canada was so highly favored in regard to representation as Victoria, as she had one-third of the British Colum-

He paid a loyal tribute to Her Majesty, who through her long life had given such an example to her subjects in her untheir blood for her on the battlefield, all could at least show they were good citi-

The last four years had been the objection to the use of the union label. brightest in the records of the Dominion. No manufacturer is ashamed to identify month under a Liberal administration. the past eighteen, would the amount of Canada was to-day the brightest star in Then there was less crime in propor- expenditure of the council remain sta- the constellation of colonies under that tion to the population. There were fewer tionery? If there was such a growth flag which, wherever it floats, is the mortgages on property, something that and the council failed to rise to the occa- symbol of freedom. (Prolonged cheers.) At the conclusion of Mr. Druryls address tumnituous cheering broke out in the theatre, which was renewed when a production. lady in one of the boxes tossed a beautiful bouquet to the talented candidate.

Thereupon Chairman Duff claimed recognition as a prophet whose predictions had been fulfilled. He had nominated Mr. Drury, he said, and in doing so had prophesied that he would be recognized not only as one of the strongest public men in the city, but in the province. (Cheers.) He then called on the Laurier quartette, who contributed "We're Satisfied With Laurier," scoring another hit with the audience, who insisted on a re-

GEO. R. MAXWELL. There is just enough of the Scotch accent to Mr. Maxwell's voice to give his words a most pleasing effect. He has been neard in this city before, but neverto better advantage than last evening. He spoke for an hour and thirty-five minutes, and had he gone on for an hour longer the audience would gladly have listened to him. He began in a ed a clause to the bill making labor happy story-telling mood, and throughout his speech he interlarded dry political facts with choice gems of humor that set off his remarks to good advantage. He complimented Mr. Drury on the able address he had just delivered, that the legislature had cancelled that and said that it would be a mistake for of the Senate that knew anything about subsidy and although there was some the electors of Victoria to not send him trades unions. Yet at the close of the what of a history in connection with the matter, the Dominion House not know- wider sphere in which to display his Senate that should have lived 300 years

There was something that British Co-lumbia had to learn, and that was that the city and the province. It gives me gain, and these wise men from the port by good Presbyterian brother, Mr. again inserted the clause making trades Riley. (Prolonged laughter.) Somebody unions illegal. I ask in all fairness says he is not a Presbyterian. Well, that if there is a man among you who he's good enough to be one anyway. I is a member of a trades union, one of don't know a business man in Victoria the most beneficial things, that the counwho would make a better member. You try has, I ask you to vote for Drury will have

Two Good Members, for they will be members. I know that rare concerned. the Liberals will all vote for them, and I know that all sensible Conservatives arise between employer and employee, will vote for them, for: As long as the lamp holds out to burn, The greatest Tory may return.

And there will be such a return on the 7th of November as will elect these that so far as Canada is concerned these two men by an overwhelming majority. (Laughter and applause.) After a few witty remarks, to put the audience in good humor, as he said, Mr.

Maxwell continued: make himself quite agreeable. As far as Mr. Earle is concerned I can't say he said something about tinned meats. Victoria was represented in the way it should be, and you cannot do better than send the two Liberal candidates

to go into the pit when I was nine years of the workingman were now nearer a realization than ever before ad Notwithstanding all that has been said in favor of the capitalist. I do not believe in the theory of self-made men. No man can make himself either spiritually, morally or physically. Every man depends upon some one to help him. A government is not doing its duty unless it gives heed to the wishes of the people and makes it possible for them to enjoy their homes. The people should be properly trained to take the places they are to occupy in life. This is the first Dominion government that has done anything substantial

so far as The Interests of the Working Man are concerned.

The Conservative party was kept in power for eighteen years by most contemptible means. If Sir John A. Mac donald was alive to-day we would have a man of sense. If you will read the life of Sir John A. Macdonald, written by his secretary, Mr. Pope, you will find that it was his deep sympathy that made him so popular. It was thus he won esteem from the French as well as the English, and was kept in power for years. Sir Wilfrid Laurier to-day occupies the high position that Sir John A. Macdonald occupied during his life. He is a man of matchless parts. See what this connection it might be mentioned he has done for the working men so far as government contracts are concerned. line which had been built to the Yukon You know how these contracts were and that line was built by day labor, given out under Conservative rule. You ment of that important subject being fit of the few. The speaker then quoted members from this city in sympathy the frid Laurier as an Imperialist who want- trade figures from France, Germany, the with the government can do more than the frid Laurier as an Imperialist who want- Larkin, Connelly & Co. They got them line. Never was a more malicious lie know that the lowest tenderer never had heartily appreciated by the crowd. Mr. United States and Great Britain to show two men who are opposed to the government can do more than the government can d Drury eclipsed all former efforts, in how far ahead of the other nations Great ment. As the speaker concluded he war purposes alone, was another examined they gave a share of the proceeds to a at work on the line were all Frenchmen. ple of Sir Charles's tactics. His cam- campaign fund to keep up the machine. paign culminated when he expressed You remember how these contracts were himself as regarding Laurier as "too worked. The original contractors would British for him."

All this was done for but one object, to would find that they could not make any foment hatred between the two races. | money at ordinary wages, so they would. How did Sir Wilfrid Laurier's expres- bring in cheap labor and cut down sions contrast with these? Speaking of wages. This state of things went on for the British preference at Montreal he years, until at last all over Canada there Under the Liberal government a resolution was introduced that all sub-letting

tors must pay the

Union Scale of Wages. ous arguments introduced against it.

matter let me tell you that immediately on, Scotty.") after its passage Mr. Donoghue was ap- I hope the words French and British zens by wearing the white flower of a provisions of the resolution were carried pathetic or kinder exact a pledge from him before he went a candidate he would say that no city, ried out he was authorized to make a to the polls that he would seek to have had given greater proof of its loyalty demand upon the contracters to carry the preference abrogated. (Applause.) than Victoria. He hoped it would send out its provisions, and in many cases he guiding the destinies of Canada, We Col. Prior claimed that the Liberal gove two supporters to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, forced them to pay the union scale of ernment had taxed the people ten mil-

showing that the amount was nearly by millions over what it was under Condoubled within a period of five years. Supposing that the city fore.

his name with his goods. Just so with the working men who adopt the label.

of the goods that none but competent

union labor has been employed in its

The speaker then devoted considerable time to the Senate, or rather the Conservative portion of it. He said: I wish that body. You haven't the slightest conception of what our Senate is composed of. These men have grown old and decrepit in the service of our country, and when the union label bill was brought to them why they chucked it out. Mr. Donoghue was sent to talk to them. Mr. Donoghue is Irish and somesending a humorist to talk to the Senate. He told them stories, he talked with them, he reasoned with them; but in spite of his reasons, in spite of his facts,

Chucked the Bill Out

Colonel Prior and Mr. Earle again. will tell you that these men saved Canada, I believe geese saved Rome once. will put some men to. They also attachunions unlawful. It would be hard to find a body of men like them-even in Kamschatka. And still you will be told by Prior and Earle that they saved ago. Just think of it-the bulwark of doubt but that they would do so. He the Conservative party-the men who are lauded to the skies to-day. The bill and Riley to snow them that you do not agree with them so far as trades unions

There are times when disputes will and there are strikes. I know something of the hardships and sufferings that come to the homes of the workingman on such occasions. I am glad to see strikes are not as frequent as on the other side of the line. Measures have been introduced paving the way for

Boards of Arbitration

Colonel Prior is a good fellow. He and conciliation. The step towards concan tell a good story, sing a song and ciliation is a good one, as was demonstrated at Rossland a few months ago when Mr. Clute, Mr. Ralph Smith and much about him, for I never heard his Smith-Curtis brought about a settlevoice in the House, excepting once, when ment of the differences existing between the miners and the mine owners. (Laughter,) It is time that the city of In the matter of the longshoremen's strike in Vancouver, I had the pleasure of appointing a man to settle this dispute. He went to the men, got their own seeking. He did not desire to be a reminded the disturbers that there were candidate, but had been pressed into serilladies present and said that if any one representation were ten times, greater for government than that of Sir Wilfrid attle and got the steamboat company's present wanted to represent Col. Prior than that of Sir Wilfrid attle and got the steamboat company's sorver ment. (Cheers, British Laurier.) I know something about the world and the hard end of life, as I had was amicably arranged in a few days, and the men went back to work. Where ever possible it is well to bring in some disinterested party so that a strike may be averted.

A labor bureau has also been established by the present government to collect statistics and other data of interest to workingmen and men, all of them labor ing men have been appointed to gather the information. One more question I wish to deal with

and that is the

Alien Labor Law. The Conservative party brought up this bill year after year, and year after it was knocked out again. But a bill is in force now that permits an officer to send back any foreigner who comes to this country under contract. As a result of this legislation no alien can take the place of a Canadian. Another important point in the present government legislation is in connection with the sweating system. The Conservative government gave out contracts for different articles in such a way that it was found that there were women with fathers and mothers, or children to support, who were working ten hours per day for 25 cents-women who were being sweated to death for the benefit of the people of Canada. Mr. Mulock has made it a condition that every contractor taking work from the government shall pay the union scale of wages. I am a believer in

Government Ownership and that state of affairs is coming. In that the government owned the telegraph something that the labor unions ask for. There are only fifteen Frenchmen employed on the line, and what are they but Canadians ?There are fifty or sixty men from Vancouver at work on the line. (A voice: Where did they come from before they struck Vancouver?) Where did you come from? (Laughter and silence on the part of the questioner.) At Atlin Mr. Charleson advertised for fifty men at \$3 per day and board and only two men answered the adverof contracts be abolished, and under the tisement. I will wire Mr. Bergeron at provisions of that resolution all contrac- Quebec to-morrow what Col. Prior is saying about his countrymen and I believe there will be something to settle after That resolution when brought up for awhile. (Laughter.) No Frenchman discussion in the House had most speci- need be ashamed of his country. They had just as good right to sing the na-The Conservatives will tell you that tional anthem as a Scotchman had to this is an election dodge. To show you sing "Scots Wha! Hae Wi Wallace how sincere the government is in the Bled." ("Laughter and shouts of go

pointed as a labor commissioner and will soon be a thing of the past. I besent all over Canada to see that the lieve no people in Canada are more symfor him to pursue, and the electors should blameless life. (Cheers.) If he were not out. Wherever it was not properly carhave a man like Sir Wilfrid Laurier

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FOUR B. C. MEN KILLED

Sergt. Logan and Privates West, | for 24 hours. Sergt. Logan, of "C" 1, Jenes and Wiggin Shot by Boers.

They Belonged to Strathcona's Horse and Enlisted at Fort

About 15 miles from Lydenburg, on the Crocodile River, Transvaal, Sept. 3. -Since last writing Strathcona's Horse has undergone a daily series of exciting events, not devoid of danger. On the 30th of August the 3rd Mounted Brigade, which is composed of Strathcona's Horse, the South African Light Horse, the composite regiment mounted infantry (under Major Stewart), and the Chestnut Battery, R. H. A., made a forced march over the mountains west of Watervalunten, in order to get on the north, and by destroying a bridge on the railway prevent the Boers from getting away, hampered as they were by a number of prisoners, taken at various times throughout the war, until the rest of Buller's column could come up.

On arriving at the foot of the mountains nobody would believe that a man on horseback could ever go along the summit, but we advanced some 12 miles with guns (field) and wagons, our object being to blow up a culvert in rear of a party of Boers in Watervalunten. On coming in sight of said culvert an officer, who was detailed to destroy it, saw a party of men, evidently British prisoners, leaving the town along the railway in the direction of Belfast. Lord Dundonald immediately countermanded the order for destroying the culvert, and returning to Stratheona's Horse sent Lieut. Leckie (with Sergt. Lockhart, Grogan and Ptes. Williams, O'Brien, Simpson and McKenzie, all of troop "C" Squadron), to proceed into the valley (thousands of feet below us) to find out what the enemy were about. The expedition savored of risk and excitement, for after four hours crawling along sheep trails, dragging their horses after them, the party found themselves in a ravine on the left of the valley, and a trainload of Boers streaming into the village about a mile from them. To retreat up those steep walls was impossible, and Lieut. Leckie, observing a farm house some 600 yards from them, decided to lie low till dusk. The Boers detrained, took the train behind a few trees and set fire to it. They then placed some pickets on the railway and road to the south, never suspecting that anyone would attempt to come down the sides of the valley, and Lieut. Leckie's party was actually inside the Boer lines. At dusk the party took possession of the farm house above mentioned, and a guard was placed to see that nobody left

since leaving Calgary. At dawn the Boers all withdrew, and Lieut, Leckie occupied the village. The astonishment of the few occupants (noncombatants) who remained in the vicinity may be imagined, and still more so that of the advance guard of General Pole-Carew's column, which arrived later in the day to find Strathcona's Horse in possession. The officer in charge of the above advance guard, on hearing Lieut. Leckie's explanation, said: "Well, I'm hanged, no matter where we go or what we do you infernal Strathcona's get ahead of us." L'eut, Leckie was told by Lord Dundonald, when he started, to make for any British camp he liked after finding out what he required, and so he went to the main body. after assisting the infantry and police in searching the houses in the district, and many curios

the house to inform the enemy, and our men slept in a house for the first time

were obtained. Two days later Lieut. Leckie rejoined us. The next advance we made was towards Lydenburg, and whilst marching along the Crocodile valley we had side Lydenburg, and started shelling a hot time of it. The country was far nicer and more picturesque, but very rough going for horses, huge dongas and ravines full of thick scrub, and 4 troop. "C" Squadron, being "flankers" on the right, experienced many difficulties in keeping their correct distance from the main body. The field guns, pom pom and galloping Colt guns came into action about half way up the valley, as some Boer wagons could be seen retiring up it; a running action with the Boer rear guard was kept up till dark, with little ed out," and have marched on foot for

Next day, September 2nd, we advanced about four miles with the Chestnut Battery, South Africa Light Horse and the composite regiment of mounted infantry, and when on top of a rocky kopje the Boers opened fire with four big guns and a high velocity gun at 9.30 in the morning, and till dark that evening these guns poured shrapnel and common shell at us, and their range was perfect, so that their shells fell within a circle of about 200 yards. Shells burst in our midst and over our heads, in fact in all directions. We moved into cover in a river bed, and stayed huddled up in a mass all day, except the artillery, who although their guns could not reach half way to the enemy, kept themselves in evidence, and sent a shell in the enemy's direction every time that the Boers stopped firing for any length of time, to keep

them from moving off.

The casualties for the day were most extraordinarly low. The gunners lost killed and three men wounded. We had Pte. Charles Watts, of "A" Squadron, wounded by a shrapnel bullet in the leg, but only a flesh wound, and is doing well. The composite regiment lost five men, I believe.

Many extraordinary scenes were witnessed that day. The second shell fired fell right amongst the composite regiment. About 30 yards from me a man was sitting on an ant hill, the shell struck the hill and went into the ground, knocking the rifle out of the man's hand. but did him no harm. Another shell burst in the afternoon, when most of my troop was asleep in the shade, and sent a huge shower of dirt. rocks and bullets all over na, and, of course, awoke us very suddenly, but it never hurt a soul, I have several fragment of this shell,

Next day the column took a rest, and so quickly is indeed a puzzle. In nearly our regiment was sent out on outpost every gulch and ravine the Boers have

was sent to relieve a picker on a hill to the left, and taking four men he went to what looked like a British picket, exactly in the spot where he had been directed to, but when within 300 yards these men proved to be Boers in British uniform, and after a quarter of an hour's fire Sergt, Logan and his men were all shot dead, with the except of McDuff. who by luck had taken another trail to reach the post. The men killed all came from Fort Steele, their names being Sergt. Logan, Ptes. West, Jones and Wiggins. The bodies were found two days later.

On hearing that a picket of "C" was cut off "B" Squadron sent out a troop to assist them, and when they came home without finding the picket they found themselves short of Sergt. Brothers and and few will remain, Private Crookshanks, of McLeod, Ala., whose bodies, riddled with bullets, were found the following night.

It is said that the Boers think that neither the South Africa Light Horse nor our regiment take any prisoners (i.e. they shoot them all), and they do not intend to take any of us alive. But this is only report. Still the fact that they

tons upon tons of supplies hidden, and we find two or three tons every day. They have all kinds of luxuries, and the report that they were short of provisions is quite untrue. It is said their idea in having these provision "caches" all over the place is to split up into small parties as soon as they get us well in the hills and harass us, and have lots of food wherever they go; but from the information we get from prisoners and Kaffirs I think we shall get most of their food, etc. One party of Boers is said to be making for Pilgrim's Rest, and another for Neilspruit, on the railway, but these are their last resources, and Ian Hamilton has gone to Pilgrim's Rest, whilst Pole-Carew is at Neilspruit or close by in charge of his mounted men here. To-day is September 14th, but the mail can hardly get out yet from us, so this may be very late in getting

All the Victoria boys here are well, but anxious to get back to civilization as as they can, and all agree that South Africa is not to be compared with Britsh Columbia or any part of Canada

CHILDERS WOUNDED. Victoria Man of Strathcona's Injured in

the Instep. The following letter has been received from Trooper Winkle, of James Bay, in another place. who is with Strathcona's Horse. It is

The Scheme Explained

Mr. Bodwell Submits the Details of the Railway Ferry Proposal.

Mr. Barnard Criticizes the Proposition as Impracticable-Reeve Ladner's Endorsation.

by-law. Mr. Bodwell received a very number in the audience.

His Worship the Mayor, who presided, explained the occasion of the meeting, adding that he would give his own opinion on the matter at another time and

liners went past Victoria and helped to he was on common ground with

build up cities at other points. What could be done to detain these ressels? One reason why Victoria had en neglected was because it had not cause he (the speaker) was not in terminal railway facilities and rates, ed to appear in the name of the Lighterage and other charges on the transfer of freight increased the cost of Such a position was purely one of transportation to a degree which in these ment, without any prospect of gr. days of competition was fatal to Vic- tien for a long time to come. The toria's interests.

Between Victoria and the Mainland was a strip of water, too wide to bridge, but admirably protected for ferry pur-With such facilities, Victoria would enjoy all the advantages of being situated on the Mainland without its dis-

This connection had a strategical feature of the greatest importance. Vic-The meeting held in the theatre on Sat- toria to-day had perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its they would have a tangible perhaps more than its tangible perhaps more than its theorem to be a second to be a tangible perhaps more than its tand the perhaps more than its tangible perhaps more than its tangi rday night demonstrated that a major- share of the northern trade. A glance way connection with a trans ty of those present were in favor of the at the map would show how Victoria system. Didn't they get that might be cut out of that trade. A char- present scheme? They won ter was already granted for a road from entry of Great Northern hearty reception, although Mr. Barnard Comox to the north of the island. If and stock. Did they not go was frequently applauded, showing that the C. P. R. gained control of it, put on proposal? He had in his his views were shared by a considerable a ferry to Vancouver, and a line from the paet providing that for the north end of the island to Skagway, they years this road should have would divert all that traffic.

Yet there were people who held that Victoria should not move in opposition fic provisions for the care o the C. P. R.

Why did the C. P. R. not come to Victoria? They brought their cars on a Mr. Bodwell, who was loudly applaud- ferry to Duncans and to Ladysmith.

thinking man in the city. It had been supported by their nents that the scheme was fault Northern and ask these conc reasons preventing the Great No person coming and making a with the people of Victoria. By ing at what was impossible to att Citizens Were Missing

very substantial blessing.

When the Port Angeles schem

legal gentlemen had stated that could not give aid to a foreign If the Great Northern hersel S. had r handling of their freight (Great cheering.) They laid ing stock and had agreed to of the compact at the end of If the Great Northern official interest themselves in the devel of the business of Victoria the fault of the city and not of the

pany. (Applause.) railway would be would be operated, for one was in operation there was which it could be put out of The local traffic which would tributary to Victoria was next upon, and the speaker mentioned figures compiled by Messrs. Keefer Bell, and in which the great agricult products that would come to Victor were itimized, A year ago the conclusions were regarded as correct, when he advanced a claim that read running through this ide country would be remunerative. opposed. He read a telegram from clerk of the Delta and a repres of the council favoring the railway. reading of this caused great appli That district suffered great

at present. In addition 10 freight arrangements, a trip to Vic involved a loss of four days. Und speaker's scheme a maximum rate of \$2 from Westminster to Victoria was fixed. Hadn't Victoria as g things to offer these people as any ity on the coast? (Applause.) The details of the scheme were submitted as already outlined. H Combatted the Statement

that a good landing could not be at the mouth of the river. There 50 feet of water at the wharf, an had the authority of Captain Gaudin saying that with the protected im aides to navigation, there was no d fficulty in entering the mouth of Fraser than of entering Vancouver bor, There was no difficulty in minds of mariners on the subject To say that the city was paying

orbiantly could only be done by pu a fictitious value on property that at sent was unremunerative. The \$15,0 year was a tax that would have to borne, but the market building was a live asset.

"You can go over to Port Townsen times as expensive as the city hall, what is it worth?" (Laughter and Mause.) The property was at present un

munerative. By converting it into railway station they increased the val of the land in the neighborhood. the end of 25 years after a station been established-a union station in 1 robability—the company would pay rental based on the improved value t railway itself had created. (Applause Mr. Higgins drew a doleful picture

he might have spared himself

Therefore ne argued that the \$15,00 subsidy or a tax of 45 cents on \$1.00 was the only real tax on the city, which number of dead assets.

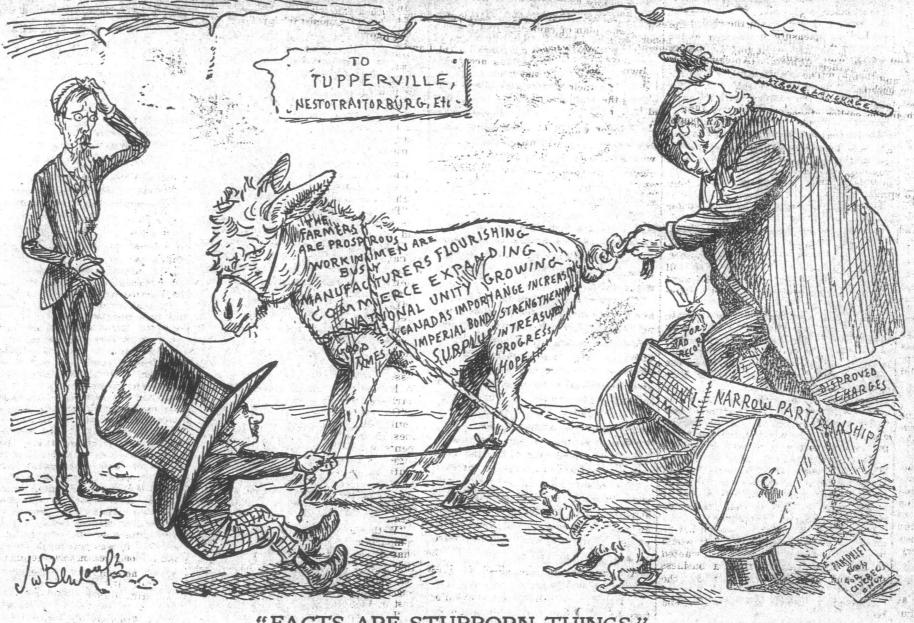
It possessed advantages over ever other scheme ever submitted to Victoria The city was asked to pay a larger bonu than this to the Port Angeles railway which hadn't even a road behind it. Ib Chilliwack scheme was also disadvan agous. Under the latter the city was bound to pay whether the road paid not. With the present scheme if ferry and railway was not operated, no only did the subsidy lapse, but all pr vileges were abrogated. (Cheers.) The city had been

Protected at Every Step. The speaker then ran over the co tions of the by-law, and mentioned fact that the ferry would be built h and the scheme would be a Victoria The ferry service would be fully to the requirements of the traffic. was one of the terms of the agreen with the Great Northern. His pri cipals had the money and enterprise

improve that service as circumstance would require The speed of the ferry was equal to verage of the Islander, swith Victoria seemed to be satisfied. years ago the C. P. R. snggeste 18-knot vessel costing \$500,000. insurance alone was \$25,000, and

the city was asked to defray. Ald, Williams had referred to the as a float, but he thought it was Al Williams who was affoat. If there ere was a poor befogged seaman he was (Applause and laughter.)

He regretted exceedingly that gentleman complained that the names of the promoters were not given. was not any of Mr. Higgins's business In advocating a railway ferry system The city was concerned with the scheme



"FACTS ARE STUBBORN THINGS."

FOSTER-It's no use, Sir Charles; things are not going our way this trip!

to be hampered by prisoners, except the officers, whom they still keep,

On the 7th of September Ian Hamilmet with no opposition. At both Boers were supposed to be going to although they could not have had a betthey placed two Long Toms on a hill outand even dropped a shell into the hospital, and although the town was full of their own wives and families it did not

stop them from shelling till dark. Next morning the mist on the mountain kept them from opening fire, as they could not see us, although we all got ready to move at dawn, as they had our range to a T.

At 10 o'clock I was marching our dismounted men (whose horses have "playa week, much to their disgust and discomfort), as escort for the transport into shelter, when Long Tom fired its first shot. We had got so used to shells that we took no notice of the shell, as it came whistling to us, but it was too near to be pleasant; we felt the wind of it as it came over us, and had we been mounted some must have been killed. It struck the ground about 15 yards to my right, and seemed to right under the horse of the S. A. L. H. transport officer, who was coming towards us. It exploded, and he fell, I expected to be blown to pieces, and we all fell on the ground to avoid the bullets of shrappel, but when the dust cleared not a soul was hit nor hurt. That day we cleared the Boers away and have chased them hard ever since. On the 11th the Light Horse got within 1,500 yards of the Boer .rusout, making a grand charge along a terrible road, but could get no support from

heavy rifle and pom pom fire. Pte. Nicholson was hit in the mouth. was on outpost on a mountain, and through glasses watched the Boers :etiring with their transport and guns, We are chasing them hard, and as their horses are all played out they must soon give in. Our horses are in a sorry plight and over a hundred men without horses are left about 10 miles behind to wait for fresh horses, which are on the way. It is reported that the Boers have left the road and taken to the hills, which, if true, must mean their guns and transport will fall into our bands at once.

These mountains are terrible for trans-

ports, Ther compare yerr favorably

with the White Pass troll in summer,

and how the Boers got their guns away

guns or more cavalry, and had to let it

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ber. He says:

"I have been a long time writing, but matter, and alluded in proof of his statetime flies and the South African veldt is ton's Brigade entered Lydenburg in the not very convenient for writing. This morning and ours in the afternoon, and | district is the roughest country we have struck since leaving the Rockies. We Machadadorp and Lydenburg the have been in several big battles lately, but have been very lucky as regards make a stand, and have never done so, casualties. We have not had any killed since leaving Paardekop. We have sevter position than the latter. However, eral wounded, Among them was Childers, who came from Victoria with us. He was shot through the instep of the Hamilton's and our brigade alternately, (left foot. All the rest of the troop are

"We have been camped in this valley four days. Sunday we experienced the heaviest shelling from the Boers during the campaign. We were inva large creek hed for seven hours. We had 138 shells fired at us, and out of the two Horse and ourselves-we only had seven men wounded. We stayed till dark, then

retired to camp. "We expect to march in the morning. We have been twice very near to Kruger. If he stays much longer we'll have him vet."

Writing on the 12th of September he "We are now in the heart of the mountains; it is a terribly rough country to get transport over. We are days without seeing our transport, but the weather is beautifully warm and dry. We have been pressing the enemy hard for the last two weeks. If our men only had some artillery and guns to support them they would have captured the Boer guns and convoy; as it was we drove, them out in such a hurry that they left two wagons of ammunition behind them, which was turned into our supply column and wagons burnt. One of our men while on patrol discovered a Boer cache. consisting of sugar, rice, flour and other uxuries. S'xt -eight of Strathcona's, with 200 of the Devonshire Infantry and one battery of Horse Artillery, are manication, the rest of the brigade mov-

ed on to Pilgrim's Rest. "The general opinion of the troop is vet hoped to see a fine running from Victhat the war is rapidly drawing to a toria, bearing a name that would idenclose, and that we shall soon be home. tify it with this city. (Loud applause.) There are two places I would like to see: these are Johannesburg and Pre- read that Britain, Germany and the toria, before we leave for Canada. We United States had jointly declared for do not know what is going on amongst | ar open door in the Orient. What could the other troops. The other day we resist such a combination? What did met Gen. Ian Hamilton with 700 troops. Among them were the Canadian artile No man could exaggerate its importance lery, the first Canadians we have seen here. I must mention that all our men Victoria was one of the main gateways tary to Victoria, was diverted to Vancou-

The Canard line steamer Lucania, which sailed for New York from Liverpool on Saturday had among her massengers Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, president of the Grand Trunk, who visits Canada in con-nection with the appointment of a successor to General Manager Hays,

released some 2,000 prisoners at Water- addressed to his mother, and is written ed on coming forward, referred to the de- Why did they not come here? Because valunten looks as if they did not wish from Lyndenburg on a date in Septem- sire manifested by the promoters for the they intended to hold greatest publicity in connection with the Victoria in Their Grasp ment to the manner in which he had

> his conference with the council. His proposition was a business one. f it was not such, they should drop it at once, as its advantages lay in its being mutually beneficial.

> insisted upon the presence of the press at

He believed the plan would benefit the ity as well as the company. He had no hypnotic power, as had been suggested. It the aldermanic board had been won to the scheme it was because of its bonafide character, and was due to their desire to benefit the city in which these aldermen had made their homes.

He believed that for some time a maign influence had been exerted in the island, leading people to believe that regiments of us-South African Light Vancouver Island was not possessed of any resources,

There were in this island deposits of atent mineral wealth not surpassed in the same superficial area in the world. The speaker instanced the enormous coal eposits of the island. It was not so well known that

There Were Shipping Mines within easy reach of Victoria which were not surpassed even in Kootenay. The

placers of the West Coast, and the iron and copper prospects were also touched upon. The agricultural area was limited but resources of the island received eulogistic reference. The standard of quality in the markets of the world was that of the Victoria Lumber Company. (Applause.) Much as the island had been maligned.

But that was not all. We had recently that mean for the trade of the future? to this city when it was remembered that

to that trade. (Applause.) The speaker then dealth with the advantageous position of Victoria. Beyond this city navigation became intricate, if not dangerous, and already extra insurance was quoted on vessels going beyond Victoria. Such an impost was a heavy tax on commerce. Yet some of these

as long as possible, and make it subservient to the interests of Vancouver. (Cheers.) He believed that defensive as well as offensive measures should be adopted, the ruin this enterprise would create

and he believed that the citizens would through operating in the streets. stand by him in his proposal. In a scheme of this kind the future had concern. The law took care of all t to be discounted. It was not fair to ask and every man injured got his dama;

him to show how the city would reap the | before the road was built. benefit. The man who did not speculate | Another dead asset would be rem never lost, but, on the other hand, he from the city's liability. The never allowed more than a respectable S. is a dead asset, and must always mediocrity in commerce. (Applause.) so under present conditions. Under He did not think his scheme ought to be agreement contemplated the V. & S. condemned if he couldn't show where the s reasonable traffic arrangement, we city could get back cent for cent for their have the handling of transcontinen expenditure. He thought he had a right | freight in addition to local revenue, a to bank on Victoria's future, and he would, in all probability, increase thought his scheme should be favorably cornings very largely. entertained if he could advance no further argument in its favor. But he could show them in dollars and

cents the benefits the city would receive. at the same time was relieved of To Victoria's terminal rate was added 50 cents a ton, an imposition no other coast city suffered from. One merchant told him his wharfage amounted to \$300\ a month. One gentleman had said. "You will not save that-you will save it only on Great Northern freight." But if the Great Northern freight was shorn of that disability, would not other lines do so also, or be left behind in the race? The merchants of Victoria could pay this subsidy and yet save money.

Victoria suffered immeasurably from the fact that she

Could Not Load Cars Here. t was not equalled by the standing of Some business could not be done on the this city by pessimists, who claimed that island because of this fact. One of these Victoria had nothing to offer but her was the shingle business, of which Vannagnificent climate. A more cruel slan- conver and New Whatcom shipped 600 der had never been made on any city. | cars to Ontario, 300 to Manitoba, and The great growth of the frans-Pacific 200 to the New England states last year. trade, to a point where Dodwell's line. The Victoria Lumber Company mandoing garrison duty on the line of com- the N. G. K. line, and the Australian line ager had told him that they could ship were reaping a remunerative profit on 600 cars a year of slabs if they could that route, was next touched upon. He load on the cars. They were themselves considering the establishment of a car ferry, but if this scheme was successful they would give that trade to this railway.

To-day the ore from the mines of the island was shipped in sacks instead of in ore cars, because there were stupid people in the city who would not see that the city could enjoy all these benefits by the course he proposed.

ver because they had refrigerator cars to load on

Pulp to the value of \$200,000 was shipped through Vanconver to the East last Higgins was unable to be present; that month. Could not Victoria get a similar benefit if it provided proper facilities? (Applause,)

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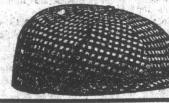
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indicate his statement.

had been charged that in the begin-

hern was building the road. There no stenographic report of that adalthough the newspaper reports he ed were fairly accurate. He had build or operate the road. But Great Northern was behind the me in the sense that it was interestthe result of the undertaking. They also granted a traffic arrangement. he people of Victoria insisted on the ow and lost the substance it was his fault.

He complained that he had not been ated with fairness. He had played from the C. P. R. ith all his cards on the table. He cept back nothing. He insisted on the lest discussion. If any gentleman hought he was misrepresenting there- coal. ore, he might have come to him and askhim about the matter. Instead, adntage was taken of his absence from he city to sneak a telegram to St. Paul not to get information, but to ob- come for something, and Mr. Barnard tain roorbach to stop the tide of popularity sweeping over the city in favor of scheme, (Lcud applause,)

That, however, was past. As an elecor of Victoria he hoped the good sense and intelligence of the citizens would insure a majority for the by-law. It would be the first step towards

Victoria's Commercial Superiority. Once the feasibility of a car ferry to the Mainland was demonstrated the government must improve the harbor and make it fit to handle trans-Pacific trade.

The city must take one step at a time. It must take advantage of the circumstances surrounding it. He concluded that it would be a matter of unending regret if the scheme was overthrown to satisfy the prejudices or please the whim of a few people who could not see eye to eye with the promoters in every-

F. S. BARNARD.

F. S. Barnard expressed rejuctance at Concluding, he said this railway would nearing on the platform. He felt im- be pelled to appear at the solicitation of head of his profession. He was not a mossback nor a pessimist. He was not reached Victoria. jealous of seeing any one else's prosperity. His career, he thaught, disproved such a charge. He was not appearing either for the C. P. R. or C. P. N.

The speaker, continuing, said he did not think Mr. Bodwell had talked business. He has given rein to sentiment. If this involved Victoria as the terminus of a transcontinental road \$50,000 was not too much to pay. (Hear, hear.) The ratepayers would not object to extra taxation if a benefit was to be secured. There was an interest which he believed was a good omen. But he didn't think such a service would help Victoria in the smallest extent. The Victoria & Sidney had been promoted by the same delusive

Port Townsend was an unhappy example of an ill-advised attempt to accomplish the same results. Anacortes ated the proceedings. to-day had the C. P. R., the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific in a better way than Victoria, besides a magnificent harbor. To day it was deader than Port

The scheme to him was not reasonable. The present terminus of the Great Northern was Everett, 60 m'les from Victoria. Was it reasonable to suppose that if the Great Northern wanted to come to Victoria they would go around by New Westminster, nearly 180 miles? For passenger traffic the scheme possessed no merit at all. If a man were going to Kootenay, which route would he select? By Everett he could make half the time and do it with greater convenience.

It was not claimed, however, that this would be a favorite passenger route, but was designed for freignt.

But if the Great Northern wanted to send freight cars into Victoria they could ferry them from Everett direct to the

outer wharf. (Applause.) The city had only Mr. Bodwell's ipse dixit, that the wharfage rate would be saved. There was no agreement to that effect. That sum went into the pockets of the wharf owners and was expended in their midst. But there was no guarantee that this wharfage rate would not be charged still.

There was nothing to prevent freight cars being brought into the city at present over the Gulf of Georgia.

He stamped as a bugaboo the claim that the C. P. R. would extend to the north of the island. Surely they had more sense; as carriage would be cheaper by water than by rail.

He expressed the fear that the C. P. N. would be drawn to Vancouver, where, it was said they would be given free water, free wharfage, and immunity from taxation

C. H. LUGRIN Mr. Lugrin replied to Mr. Barnard. He ridiculed the claim that connection condition made by the Great Northern from Everett better than by the present

d not the promoters. He might say, route. According to railway statistics, it wever, that the officials of the V. & would cost the Great Northern for had no connection whatever with it. freight when it reached Everett 22 cents more drastic agreement could not be a ton. That same freight could not be mitted. He read the forfeit clauses transferred to a steamer for less than 50 cents a ton. The figures published the company failed the road would by the Interstate Chamber of Commerce ert to the bondholders, and they must showed that after deducting all charges ate it. The road fell directly under the cost of handling freight was .47 of provisions of the Dominion railway one per cent. a mile. On the mileage from Everett to Victoria this amounted to exactly 22 cents a ton for the whole

had been charged that in the begin-he had claimed that the Great There was no way traffic on an Everett-Victoria route, while by the other there was way freight for almost every

mile of the way. Why did not the C. P. R. land cars in stated that the Great Northern Victoria? They don't do it. He understood that there was a tentative understanding that no cars were to be brought nearer to Victoria than Duncans. It was not the desire of the C. P. R. to land in Victoria. Victoria was

The Only Place on Vancouver Island not receive more or less freight in cars

At Comox they could see cars from every line on the continent. Mr. Barnard-They come there for

Mr. Lugrin-Thanks for the sugges-They come to Shawnigan for lumber, and if they come to Victoria they will showed conclusively what that something would be.

It had been said that the Great Northern was not building the road. Why would they? The Seattle-Liverpool line was not built by the Great Northern, and is not to-day owned by that line, because nesota it could not build it.

Referring to the rich land which the road would traverse, he said the Fraser valley would support one million people; and surely it was worth something to be put into connection with such a district. Wm. Mackenzie that Victoria should spare no pains to extend the E. & N. to the north end of the island, for it meant more to Victoria than its people could ever imagine. (Applause.)

ratepayers. He appeared with diffidence of a transcontinental road. It certainly at being compelled to follow a man of would be extended to the outer wharf. Mr. Bodwell's ability and prestige at the Mr. Barnard had asked them to shut their eyest to the fact that it was a transcontinental road the minute it

REEVE LADNER.

(Applause.)

A vote of thanks to the chair termin- cargo.

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Discrimination Against British Columbia Shipping Interests and Its Consequences.

Interesting Interview With an Officer of the Marine and Fisheries Department.

Mr. W. W. Stumbles, of the marine and fisheries department, Ottawa, was with the exception of Alberni that does age and shipping matters generally. He charge on vessels entering our ports any spoke in favor of the Liberal party. The was asked if he had any objection to furnishing information that would interest men in particular.

"There is one subject," he said "and that is the discrimination against British tion. They come to Comox for coal. Columbia ports by foreign vessel owners and even by owners of vessels in Australia and Great Britian, to which 1 might refer.

"The department of marine and fisheries has many branches of work, the principal being the lighthouse service and other aids to navigation, and fisheries. In addition to these important branches the under its charter from the state of Min- Minister of Marine and Fisheries must give consideration to reports which by law are made annually to him by pilotage authorities, harbor commissioners, harbor masters, shipping masters, port wardens and reports and accounts re-He quoted a remark made to him by lating to medical attendance and maintenance of sick and distressed mariners.

If the O. P.R. did this it would not be amination of accounts and books of the measure. an act of hostility to Victoria. It would pilotage authorities and officials referred be simply business. Victoria also wanted to and also the consideration of the chased here and in San Francisco shows and the only reason that the price went up delegation. to look at the matter from a business to look at the matter from a business larger question of the effect of these that staple articles, such as bacon, butwas on account of the scarcity of the raw charges on shipping.

"I found in the course of my examinaabroad against British Columbia ports in favor of Puget Sound and other Am erican ports on the Pacific coast. Vessel owners in San Francisco, South America, Australia, and even Great Britain charge 1s. 3d. sterling, or 30 cents per 1,000 feet, extra on lumber loaded in British Co-Recve Dadner, of the Mainland, was lumbia, and 25 cents per ton extra on greeted with applause. He said his peo- coal. For instance, in the charter party ple were unanimously in favor of the of a vessel from these countries or elsescheme. They lived in the land of Gosh-, where, if optional as to the port of loaden-a land flowing with milk and honey. ing on the Pacific coast, in many cases, (Laugh(ter and applause.) He believed it is stipulated that 1s. 3d. sterling extra if the road was built it would be extend- per 1,000 feet shall be charged if the vesed to Chilliwack, Similkameen and Koot- sel is loaded in British Columbia, but enay. It would astonish everybody. if chartered to load in this province it If built Victoria would flourish and they is generally stipulated that a reduction would never regret their action. of one shilling and threepence will be He remembered the day when he never made if a vessel should go to a Puget expected to ride through the Fraser can- Sound port. In the case of steamers yon on a railway. Yet he had done so, carrying coal to San Francisco, 25 cents and he hoped to be able yet to visit Vic- more per ton is charged by vessel owners toria and return to his home in a day, or agents, and a similar extra charge is sometimes made when salmon is the

'The extra charge for freight is intended to cover alleged greater cost of loading, pilotage, stowage and ship's stores. The worst feature of the whole matter is that in the case of some vessels which have loaded in British Columbia and the charterers have paid the extra freight to cover what is erroneously considered extra cost of loading here, these vessels in many cases are taken by their captains to purchase supplies in Port Angeles or some other Amranged Liver and Kidneys, Dr. erican port. It is not infrequent for Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills Are supplies to be sent from San Francisco geles. I was informed that three vessels that loaded with lumber in Cheprobability would amount to \$3,000 or sault.

"If, for purposes of comparison, we A WORD OF WARNING take the charges in Puget Sound ports we find that the charges in all British Columbia ports are actually less than in the American ports. Pilotage is controlled by three pilotage authorities here, that is Victoria, Yale and New Westminster including Vancouver, and Nanaimo. Of course the pilotage charges are higher in some of these districts than others. but all are lower than the pilotage usually charged in American waters. The pilotage is optional on the American side and compulsory on our side. There are exceptions, however, where vessels are not spoken in any of the districts and the

"The Nanaimo pilotage is \$2 per foot

when vessels enter and clear from the port of Vancouver or New Westminster that pilotage is compulsory. The Victoria pilotage charges are \$3 per foot Business under sail, \$2 for vessels in tow, and \$1.50 for steamers. If vessels, when spoken, decline the services of a pilot, half pilotage only is demanded. Compulsory payment of pilotage dues is not Roads:

"The charge for piloting a vessel from Victoria to Seattle by American pilots is from \$100 to \$125, and higher from Vancouver, according to size. In San Francisco the charge is \$5 per foot draught and 4 cents per registered tonrage. The pilotage from Flattery to the Sound ports is not fixed, but is by agreement.

"The harbor masters' dues in Canada are paid twice a year, and do not exceed \$5 on the largest vessels. Sick mariners' interviewed by a Times representative on dues are 2 cents per ton, paid on enterthe subject of his examination into pilot- ing only and three times a year, for this Alex. Henderson, ex-attorney-general, who maintenance and medical attendance. the readers of this journal and shipping No other country in the world provides such liberal treatment for sick sailors.

> "The only other charge or tax on vessels entering our ports is for entrance and clearance, and these are light. erican ports in the Sound, but much less than to Portland, where the rates are of the vessel.

"Leaving aside the question of towmariners' dues three times a year. "On the American side the pilotage

vould be at least nearly double, tonnage dues 15 cents per ton, payable in five payments of 3 cents per ton on the net tonnage. Vessels from European ports or south of the equator must pay 6 cents "The reports contain financial state- per ton on entering. Stevedore charges ments of what all called port charges on sree no higher in British Columbia as a phesying that on the 7th of November the its evils shown up as compared with the shipping. This involves the special ex- general thing, being \$1.10 per M board increased majority. He then took up the

ments respecting charges in British Columbia ports.

I also assure you that the Minister of Marine and Fisheries takes great interest in the welfare of your province, as you may assume by having sent an officer specially to look into the subject we have talked about, and kindred sub-

"I have found owners of ships, merchants, lumber mill owners, shippers and others ready to give information, and they have expressed themselves as being pleased to know that an effort is being made by the government to investigate any matter which militates, against the shipping interests of the province."

FOSSIL PILLS.-The demand is proof of their worth. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are beating out many fossil formulas at a quarter a box. They're better medicine, easier doses, and 10 cents a vial. A thousand ailments may arise from a disordered liver. Keep the liver right and von'll not have Sick Headache, Billousness, Nausea, Constipation and Sallow Skin, Sold by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall & Co .- 61.

STRIKE AT KINGSTON

Kingston, Jam., Nov. 3 .- The strike of the employees of the Canadian-Ameriby tug and placed on board at Port An- can street railway is serious. The service is almost at a standstill. A few cars are running under police protection Besides having a world-wide reputation mainus were last week receiving their and a strong police force has been call-

ABOUT CANGER PLASTERS.

They Will Cause You Untold Agony, and Aggravate the Disease.

Plasters cannot cure cancer, because it is a constitutional disease-in the blood. and must be treated by a constitutional remedy. Our constitutional remedy for this disease has been wonderfully successful, even after plasters had been used and the cancer had returned. Here is an extract from a letter we have on file: "I had cancer of the breast, and hearing of a man that threw out cancers by plasters crate and regulate them, and ture that the Nanaimo pilotage is \$2 per root | decided to try them could be could be could be completely. It is impossible draught where a pilot is employed for thing dreadful, and, after suffering all ble to keep in the house a medicine of all vessels in tow of a steamer and for the agony, the cancer came back again as greater value to the family than is Dr. steam vessels. If the services of a pilot bad as ever." This lady, whose name and Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. One pill a are declined \$1 per foot is then charged address you can have on application, goes dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or and payable. The Yale and New West- on to say that by the time she had finished minster charges are \$4 per foot under the third bottle of our constitutional rem-DR. AGNEW'S OINTMENT CURES sail; \$2 in tow of a steamer, and \$1.50 edy the lump had all gone. This is only a simple case of hundreds we might cite. Itching, Bleeding and Blind Plies, for vessels under steam. There are higher rates of pilotage in connection higher rates of pilotage rates and pil

The Farmers Like Laurier

chargeable against vessels while in Royal | The Residents of Cedar Hill Well Pleased With a Liberal Administration.

> Powell and Alexander Henderson.

number of the crew if sick receive medi- addresses were attentively listened to and ways paid the duty, and the consumer in cal attendance, and if sent to hospital, the meeting was clearly a Liberal onc.

D. L. McRae was chosen chairman, and tariff. sald that he would not take up any time in preliminaries, but he wished to impress tial tariff by buying her goods, and he upon the gentlemen who were to address then went on to show the vast difference them that the Chinese question was one between the amount of goods purchased "Towage is about the same as to Am- of interest and that it should be discussed. In England in 1896 and in 1900, and gave There had been two meetings held here, many other reasons why the preferential but in neither case was the Chinese ques- act was a good thing for Canada as well from \$500 to \$800, according to tonnage tion touched upon. Dr. Lewis Hall was as for the Mother Country. then introduced as the first speaker. Dr. Hall referred to the four candidates,

ship of 24 feet draught, bound to, say and Mr. Earle had not done along the had done so. Nagaimo or Chemainus, would be \$96 lines of railway legislation, particularly The increased expenditure was placed pilotage inwards and outwards if full with reference to the Yukon-Teslin route, jects. He was not a prophet nor the son rule. of a prophet, but he felt safe in pro-"With regard to provisioning vessels, a comparison of accounts of stores purchase the attitude of the government on this gation from the Trades and Labor Council, but a deaf ear was turned towards the price went up delegation. ter, coffee, flour, ham, lard, jams, milk, material. He then took up the preferentit was one that was not thoroughly under-Pendray did understand his business. Sir Wilfrid Laurier had made Canada the fairthat on Wednesday night next Messrs. tive. Riley and Drury would be the members from Victoria who would help to strengthen the hands of the Premier. George Powell was the next speaker, and

after apologizing for the non-appearance of Messrs. Piley and Drury, who were both indisposed, he took up the important issues of the campaign, and ably set forth the many good points made by the Liberal party, dealing first with the matter of expenditures, which were handled in a misleading way by Col. Prior, explaining in a manner that convinced his hearers that the so-called increased expenditure was que to perfectly natural causes, such as building up the Yukon country, deepening the canals, putting the Intercolonial railway on a paying basis, and many other matters. Then he went to the Crow's Nest Pass railway, saying that Col. Prior was not mentioning that railway, as he happened to have something like \$50,000 stock in that company. This was a matter of record in the courts. The speaker then went on to show what the Liberal government had done in regard to this road. The many good things done for shipping men by the Liberal government were then explained, and the building of the Yukon telegraph line was discussed. Then the statements made by Mr. Earle in regard to the building of that line were taken up, and the true state of affairs placed before the audience. He followed up with a discussion of Yukon affairs, and dealt with the charges that had been made in regard to their conduct, and then showed that no specific charges were made. He touched upon a number of other matters which he had dealt with at previous meetings, presented them in his usual effective way, and closed with an appeal to his hearers to cast their votes

for the Liberal candidates. (Applause.) Mr. Henderson was received with applause, and said that he felt confident that his hearers were willing to hear the issues discussed on both sides and then form their own conclusions as to which side to support. In 1893 the issue was, on the part of the Liberals, a tariff for revenue only-practically free trade. The National Policy of the Conservative government meant protection. In opposition to this policy the Liberal party claimed that it was not doing what it should do, and Sir wrong. In 1896 Mr. McCarthy arose in the

House and said it was time that the tariff was done away with, as the consumer had been paying the tax long enough and now the manufacturers should pay it for awhile. At that time the Conservatives told you that the trade of the country had ncreased \$60,000,000 in 18 years, and gave this as a reason why the party should be returned to power. The Liberal party said that if a tariff for revenue only were introduced the trade would increase and the duties collected would increase. The Liberal party was returned to power, and in four years of their rule the trade of the country had increased \$142,000,000. The Good Speeches by Dr. Hall, Geo. trade which had increased so rapidly was not due altogether to general prosperity.

The Laurier government was entitled togreat credit for having made a preferential arrangement with the Mother Country. The Conservatives had worked on the mat-At Cedar Hill on Saturday evening a ter for years and had never accomplished well attended meeting of the electors was anything. Some of the Conservatives say addressed by Dr. Hall, George Powe!l and that the preferential tariff was of no benefit to England, while others were opposed to it on the ground that it was giving something for nothing. The consumer althis case benefited by the preferential

England showed her appreciation of Canada's action in passing the preferen-

When the Liberals went into power they promised to develop the latent energies of ago, we see that the Canadian tax on and then went on to show what Col. Prior | the country, and to a great extent they

before the audience in such a clear way pilotage is paid, or half that sum if a with which the Times readers are well that it could be readily comprehended. ressel declines the services of a pilot; familiar. The Liberal party had kept all True, the debt had been increased \$7,000,-\$5 harbor dues, and 2 cents a ton sick its pledges and had also done things that | 000 in four years. But, going back a little they had not promised to do. There were further, he drew attention to the expenditwo important requirements here, and they ture under Conservative rule. In 1893 the were the mint and the extension of the debt was \$241,000,000, and in 1807 it was E. & N. railway. The speaker then went \$258,000.000, an increase of \$17,000.000 in on to explain the advantages that would four years, as compared with an increase accrue from the carrying out of these pro- of \$7,000,000 during four years of Liberal

> The sweating system was discussed and Liberal party would be returned by an system inaugurated by Mr. Mulock. The Conservative government was asked to in-

sugar, and tea can be purchased at less tial tariff, dealing with the statements of stood except in British Columbia. Both "I found in the course of my examination that an unfair and unreasonable distinction that are unfair and unreasonable distinctions and will be unfair distinctions and wil erimination and hope that the facts the preferential tariff interfered with the understood it, then we do not. It is not which I have given may be made use of shipping of fruit to the Old Country. He a political question in the East. It is to remove the false impression which | was surprised that the Colonist should | primarily one affecting the workingmen, exists in countries that require your pro- publish such a statement, when everybody and when the question is brought home to ducts but have hitherto discriminated in knew that England was a free country the House and thoroughly argued the best fayor of the United States ports in the and the preferential tariff had no effect results were to be expected from the Libmatter of freights. Circulars have been whatever on anything going there. A few eral party. The question is one that has sent, I was told, from Sound ports to days ago the Colonist had said that the grown in importance. There is not a pub-Australia containing erroneous state- speaker accused Mr. Pendray of not know- lic man in British Columbia who would ing anything about the soap business. He favor unrestricted Chinese immigration. had never made such an assertion, for it | The only way to dispose of the matter was was plain to everyone from the successful to agitate, in a legal way, and educate the way in which he had got along that Mr. people of the East until they could seethe question in its proper light. Within a reasonable time the tax would be increasest daughter in the Empire, and he hoped | ed, and in t'me it would be made prohibi-

> He next explained the alleged delay in sending the Canadian contingent to the front, and showed that under the circumstances it would have been impossible for Sir Wilfrid Laurier to act more promptly than he had done. It was wrong for one Canadian to accuse another of being disleval, and the question of race should not be raised.

Mr. Henderson concluded with an appeal to the electors to support the Liberal candidates, and, after moving a vote of thanks to the chairman, the meeting adjourned.

The last of the plague sufferers at Glasgow was dismissed from the hospital on

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills.

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to take as sugar.

FOR RILIGUSMESS FOR SALLOW SKIN.

TO LOURE SICK HEADACHE.

TWO NEW CASES.

More Smallpox Has Broken Out at William Head Quarantine—The Patients Are Dawsonites.

Two more cases of smallpox have broken out at William Head, the patients being a couple of Dawsonites named Turner and McCormick. They complained of being unwell several days mistakable evidence that their ailment was none other than smallpox, although it is understood that the character of the cases is not alarmingly serious.

What effect this new outbreak will have upon the question of detention of the others in quarantine is not of a certainty known, although Dr. Watt, this afternoon, stated that possibly their stay will not be more protracted on account of the new phase to the situation.

The other patient is progressing favorably toward recovery. The fact that new cases have been closely followed by Dr. Watt and staff from the inency of the indisposition until the nutbreak, is a sufficient commentary on the circumspect manner in which the quarantine officials are handling their William Head expires on Tuesday next, and it depends entirely on existing circumstances as to whether it will be cessary in the interest; of public health to extend the time another fortnight or not. At anyrate the public may rest assured that the quarantine officials have the matter well in hand.

THE POLICE COURT.

Refractory Bluejacket Turned Over to the Naval Authorities-Other Cases.

A quintette of juveniles appeared in the police court this morning. Two of these were charged with the theft of some lead, and pleading guilty, were Wilfrid said in introducing the bill inlectured by the magistrate, who gave creasing them some wholesome advice before dismissing them. The other three were that he did not consider it final. charged with an offence peculiarly char- The royal commission was appointed acteristic of the small boy in some at the request of the trades and labor climes-the theft of some fruit-apples. council of Vancouver. When they make They were also warned and discharged. their report it may educate the people A charge of drunkeness was registered of the East as to the true state of affairs. remarkable recovery through the use of proper himself so statesmanlike in & on the minute book against a citizen, but The Conservatives had appointed a comas he did not appear before the tribunal mission to look into these matters, but kindly gave us the following information, of his office; who is so Lis bail of \$10 was estreated. Charles it was a biased commission, and its re- which will speak for itself: "About two | * stabless in his Routley, the bluejacket who with Hard- fort was of no benefit. To-day we had and a half years ago my eldest son, Gar- who is so just and coning, another son of the sea, was respon- good men on the commission, men who net, who is fifteen years old, took what deliatory in his public uttersible for the fracas in the lobby of the would go about the matter in a proper I supposed to be inflammation in his left ances; who is so broadly and un-Victoria theatre on Thursday evening, manner, and as a result they will have eye. He was taken to a physician, who was charged with creating a disturbance. such an overwhelming mass of testi-He pleaded guilty, and was turned over mony that some measure that will to the naval authorities to be dealt with, be introduced which will pre-The wounded man, Harding, was not vent this province from being overrun badly hurt, and will recover in quick with a class of men who, although they

morning, during the removal of the fur- ernment is doing all this to-day. Again niture, which was taken from Mrs. Mc- I say to every man who has to earn his Cabe's residence on Mear street by Jas, bread by the sweat of his brow, I hold Lash, who came up for hearing in the that it is your duty to record your votes speedy trials this morning. The furni- in favor of Riley and Drury. ture, which had been in the court room accused, was removed to the other tri-

TWO YEARS IN PRISON.

who was yesterday convicted of assault upon a five-year-old girl, came up for sentence before Mr. Justice Martin. The evidence was against him.

this morning. He asked for an adjournment in order to find a necessary witness, Harrison, whom he alleges induced him to thereupon removed the goods.

- In order to allow the police an opportunity of finding the real or imaginary witness, His Lordship ordered an adjournment for one week.

JUBILEE HOSPITAL BALL,

The Decorations in Assembly Hall Are Handsomer Than Usual This Year.

The Assembly hall is decorated this year handsomer than ever before for the Jubilee hospital ball, which will be given on Thursday, Nov. 8th. The supper room is decorated with the colors of the hospitalred and white-and hung with festoons of leaves. The illuminations will also be made in colors, through the kindness of Mr. Hinton. The tables, as usual, will be in charge of the ladies associated with hospital work. Through the kindness of the commander-in-chief at the naval station the ladies have been rendered valubale assistance in the decorations by a

corps of bluejackets. In the ball room proper ships' ensigns have been draped in a most artistic manner, and the flags of all nations are represented. Here, too, there are festoons of holly leaves and arches of evergreens, Along the walls will be palms, with mirrors arranged between in such a way as to give most striking effects. The Fifth Regiment band will be in attendance and will render a good musical programme. The sitting rooms will be in charge of Mrs. W. F. Barton, the Misses Pemberton and the Misses Dunsmuir, while the Women's Auxiliary and the Daughters of Pythias are looking after the general arrange-

On the following evening there will be a children's ball, to which old and young are cordially invited to attend and enjoy the pretty scene.

Donations of flowers and anything in the commissary line will be thankfully re-

ceived by the ladies up to Thursday fore-MIVID DIMEST FOR A MONEY IN MINING.

(Associated Press.)
New York, Nov. 3.—In the ten months ending October 31st the metal mining companies in the United States reporting to the Engineering and Mining Journal paid a total of \$42,658,671 in dividends.

THE SWING OF LIBERAL VICTORY

(Continued from page 5.)

want to get rid of men imbued with selfish ideas and make out of Canada one great nation which will be the pride of the British Empire. (Cheers.)

Now I will take up the Chinese question, and I want to go back to the beginning, to the days of Buntzen and Shakespeare, who I believe did the best ago, and were kept in the hospital, and then we had the reign of Prior and closely watched for the manifestation of Earle, What did Col. Prior do on the symptoms. This morning they gave un- Chinese question? Ask him? Absolutely nothing. If the Conservative party was in power to-morrow

Col. Prior Would Do Nothing to restrict Chinese immigration, In 1896 the Liberal party took this question in hand. The Conservative party would not touch it. We tried to make them realize that it was a burning question and after I brought it up Col. Prior had to do something. Who are the men that demand Chinese-who want cheap labor? It is the cannerymen. It is the Turners and others of that stamp. Who brought the Japs in? If you take the trouble to look it up you will find that the men who brought in these Japs are the men who are supporting the Conserpartment. The fortnight's detention vative party. Down in the East we were four men against great odds. The East is strongly opposed to taxing men. They are of the idea that the doors should be thrown open to them, and that we should Christianize these Chinamen and Japs and make them better. Well, I will give them that job to do. (Laughter and applause.) The churches too are arrayed against us, and the capitalists say we must have cheap labor to develop the country. If British Columbia, with its vast wealth, is not able to Lay a living wage to a white man t develop it then in the name of God let it stay where it is, (Cheers.) The Liberal government in four years did as much for us on this question as did the Conservative party in sixteen years. Sir

The Tax on Chinese

may be good enough for China, are not The proceedings were interrupted this good enough for us. The Liberal gov-

ever since the preliminary trial of the government not doing anything for Bri- time my boy was under the best treat- flame and irritate the bronchial tubes and for this country, and I fail to see what sumption of the blood, and I was told by reason anyone had for not supporting the doctors that you would not come the government on that question. were told it was a deal and a steal. The almost discouraged and not knowing what Conservative party has been mixed up in to do for the best, a friend of mine urged 25 cents a bottle. Family size 60 cents. so many of these deals and steals that me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, saying it hinks everybody is like itself. The that he had a son who was afflicted with Conservatives at that time were anxious a somewhat similar disease and had been to have the road go via Edmonton. The cured by the pills. I decided to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial and secured prisoner protested his innocence, but was speaker then went into details regarding reminded by the court that the weight of the Yukon-Teslin bill, which are familiar to all readers of the Times. He

to two years' imprisonment in the peniten- rarty ever did much for British Colum-The work was not given to British Col- He has now become quite fleshy, and I remove the stolen goods. He states that umbians either, the contract being given consider him one of the healthiest boys Harrison approached him, told him he was to a man from Brockville. True, they in the community. If any person is dein trouble with his landlord, and that he built the railroad, but they had to do strous of knowing the merits of Dr. Wilwanted to have the goods removed quietly. that. People simply had to get out to llams' Pink Pills you may direct them to He gave Lash \$5 to do this, and Lash a country where God's sunshine is so me, as I can highly recommend them to

> Fighting Among Themselves that, they had no time for anything else. The old Conservative party died of dry rot. If you want a speech of two hours in length on the corruption of the cid Conservative party, I can give it to williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. If you, and I will give it to you before the

7th of November. The increase in trade since the Liberal

Time is Life

The father? doctor. The with her suffering child. Will the doctor never come? When there's croup

in the house you can't get the doctor quick enough. It's too dangerous to wait. Don't make such a mistake again; it may cost a life. Always keep on hand a dol-



bronchitis, who oping-cough, hoarseness, asthma, pleurisy, weak lungs, loss of voice, and consumption, there is no remedy its equal. A 25c, bottle will cure a miserable cold; the 50c, size is better for a cold that has been manging on. But the dollar bottle is more economical in the long run.

party came into power is something wonderful. New life has been infused into the whole trade of the Dominion and to-day we are exporting more than ever before. To-day Canadian goods are on the markets in Great Britain under their own name. Four years ago it was as American goods they found a

place. In conclusion, I ask you as good citizens of Victoria, whether Liberal or Conservative, are you going to turn back Mr. Arnold was in Esquimalt, and it is the hands of time by electing a Conservative government? Are you going to turn your backs upon the man that has done so much for Canada? I know that I cannot concieve of such a thing, for I know that you will be true to your own The speaker concluded amid applause.

ALEX. HENDERSON

Hon, Alex. Henderson spoke but briefly, as it was then nearly midnight. He reminded the audience that a Victoria man, Hon. Edgar Dewdney, was running against Aulay Morrison, and had promised, if elected, to come and live in now considering," said Mr. Henderson, "whether he is worth the risk. But we do not intend to deprive you of Mr. Dewdney. I think he will be more use-Victoria." (Laughter and ap-

He predicted a general Liberal triumph fall into line in order that she might join discussed by Mr. Helgesen in the jubilation. (Prolonged applause.) A vote of thanks to the chair, the visited by R. Hall, M.P.P., and G. McCandless, and with cheers for the Queen and most conclusive and ably combatting the the candidates the meeting dispersed.

EYE TROUBLE WHICH DEVELOP-ED INTO RUNNING SORES.

Doctors Said It Was Consumption of the Blood, and Recovery Was Looked Upon as Almost Hopeless-Dr. Williams' Pink Pills wrought & Cure.

From the Herald, Georgetown, Onc. Our reporter recently had the pleasure of calling on Mr. Wm. Thompson, paper | maker, at Wm. Barber & Bros.' mills, a 💠 well known and respected citizen of our town, for the purpose of acquiring the ? some for thanksgiving the fact . details of his son's long illness and his • that we have a Premier who has & Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. Thompson & the administration of the high & ist, which I did, only to find out that he . he commands the confidence and . had lost the sight of the eye completely. I lovely of Protestants as no other The disease spread from his eye to his wrist, which became greatly swollen, and was lanced no less than eleven times. His whole arm was completely useless, although he was not suffering any pain. From his wrist it went to his foot which was also lanced a couple of times, but without bringing relief. The next move of the trouble was to the upper part of the leg, where it broke out, large quantities Col. Prior magnifies facts about the of matter running from the sore. All this The Yukon-Teslin line | ment I could procure, but with little or no We across a case like it in five hundred. When some of them at the drug store, and after my boy had taken two boxes I could see the color coming back to his sallow com-Mr. Justice Martin then pronounced then continued:

I don't know that the Conservative better. He went on taking them and in a few months from the time he started to True they built the post office in use them I considered him perfectly cured had lost before he started to use the plils. States. abundant. The party spent so much any person afflicted as my boy was." Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure by going

to the root of the disease. They renew and build up the blood, and strengthen the nerves, thus driving disease from the system. Avoid imitations by insisting that your dealer does not keep them they will be sent postpaid at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Willaims' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A Very Successful Meeting Held

Alberni Last Saturday.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

James Stonehouse, of the government dairying staff in Assiniboia, gave a most interesting address, confined principally to dairying, at a meeting of the Farmers' Institute held in Alberni on Saturday last. Mr. Stonehouse said that while Danish butter still held the lead among the older countries, and that since separators had come into the field, Canadian butter was rapidly coming to the front, although the standard must be raised still higher before the people of the Dominion can hope to compete successfully with all comers. Mr. Stonehouse also dealt with the necessity of dairymen raising the right kind of stock and of weeding out the unprofitable cows in order to get the best results as to milk and butterfat. That young cows must be bred and educated to that end if we expect to make dairying thoroughly profitable. He went on to show how necessary it is to vary the feed according to the requirements of different breeds of cattle for the best production of milk rich in butterfat, and also stated that the comfort of milking cows should be strictly attended to, esrecially in hot weather, the buildings ought to be kept scrupulously clean and well ventilated. not only for the sake of the cattle but also to prevent the milk from becoming tainted by odors from the stable.

After the meeting a general discussion took place, many questions being asked and answered very satisfactorily, much good information, being elicited. After a very hearty vote of thanks had been accorded to Mr. Stonehouse, the meeting adjourned.

WHERE IS SIDNEY ARNOLD? Provincial Police Are Looking for Victoria West Man—Disappeared Last Saturday.

Although not officially notified that the man has disappeared, the provincial police officers are making inquiries with a view to learning the whereabouts of one Sidney Arnold, who has not been seen since last Saturday. At that time said he had Messrs, rrior and Earle's nomination papers in his pocket. According to advices received at police headquarters he has vanished without leaving a trace.

Mr. Arnold lived in a private boarding house at Victoria West. He took an active part in politics and acted as chairman at the opposition meeting recently held in Esquimalt. His disap-pearance is hard to account for, and his friends are growing anxious as to his whereabouts.

AT PARSON'S BRIDGE

The electors of Parson's Bridge dis New Westminster. "The electors are trict held a very successful meeting last night in Price's hall, Mr. Helgesen, who acted as chairman, gave a very in teresting discourse on politics in the good old days, when open voting was in vogue-paying a tribute to the memory of the late Hon. Amor DeCosmos, one of the fathers of confederation. Politics. on election day, and advised Victoria to from the farmer's standpoint, were ably

Mr. Annette, as an old New Bruns wicker, went fully into the Intercolonial ing speakers and the quartette was mov- railway question, supporting his arguments by facts and figures, which were arguments that have been advanced by Col. Prior to the farmers.

Mr. George E. Powell then gave a comprehensive review of the questions of the

There is no doubt whatever that there is a great surprise in store for the Conservatives as far as Metchosin is concerned, judging from the unqualified success of the meeting.

******** A STATESMANLIKE PREMIER.

"I have always avoided introducwill not do so now; but I cannot & bely instancing as one of the reaman is political life at the pres- & time could."-Rev. Dr. of Jarvis Street Baptist

***** COLDS THAT HANG ON.

Pneumonia is the result of neglected chest colds, colds that hang on and inlungs. To promptly and thoroughly cure of railway would have been a good thing effect. The trouble was pronounced con- chest colds, tightness in the chest and all colds in the throat and bronchial tubes Dr. Chase's Syrup of Lirseed and Turpentine has proved itself the most effectual remedy extant. Its sale is simply enormous.

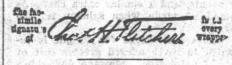
John McEwen, a pioneer farmer of Meadow Lea district, Manitoba, was gored to death by a bull.

OSGOOD FIELD DEAD.

New York, Nov. 3.-Information has been received of the death of Osgood Field, formerly of this city. Osgood Field was born here in 1833. He was J. B. Lash also came up for speedy trial Vancouver and paid a high figure-for a and not a trace of the disease left, extent I considered min perfectly cured and not a trace of the disease left, extent I considered min perfectly cured and not a trace of the disease left, extent I considered min perfectly cured and not a trace of the disease left, extent I considered min perfectly cured in Washington's cabinet and also the first postmaster-general of the United

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For Infants and Children.



Will Sweep the Country.

Dominion Presbyterian: "Sir Wilfrid Laurier enjoys a unique popularity not only in Canada, but in the Motherland. It looks as if the Liberals, under his leadership, will again sweep the country; and, indeed, to the non-partisan onlooker, there seems to be no good reason for a change. The country is prosperous, the manufacturing interests were never more so; and it is not claimed that a change of government just now would result in a better or more economical administration of public affairs."

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Scott's emulsion is cod-liver oil prepared for the stomach. Let cod-liver oil alone if you

need it. When your physician orders toast, do you breakfast on flour? Pure cod-liver oil is hard to

take and hard to digest. A man that can keep it down, can saw wood. He thinks he is sick; he is lazy.

We'll send you a little to try if you like.

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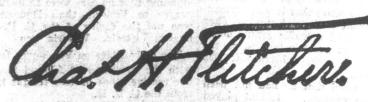
Castoria.

"Castoria is an excellent medicine for of its good effect upon their children." DR. G. C. OSGOOD, Lowell, Mass.

Castoria.

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Vancouver, Nov. 3 .- Thos. Dennison, government contractor for construction work on Cemetery road, was going home last night with \$800 when a big high-wayman attempted to hold him up. A desperate fight ensued, in which the rob-

river to pool interests to as complete a degree as is done by the Alaska Packers' Association in the North, have practically fallen through.

Representative Harden, a member of the Georgia legislature, was seriously wounded, and Representative Cann and two other legislators were cut severely in a fight with knives which took place ber was thrown into the ditch and Dennison escaped, with bla money.

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