VICTORIA, B. C., FRIDAY, JULY 8, 1904.

"On the morning of July 3rd our rein

vanced and attacked our outposts lying

"The officer commanding our advance

cavalry advanced at 2.30 p. m. with a

detachment, and at the same time the

by mounted dragoons and frontier

guards. Under the fire of our artillers

and rifles, the enemy quickly evacuated

their position and retreated toward Se-

buchen. Our cavalry pursued them until

"The enemy's principal force are at

they reached an entrenched position oc-

present concentrated at Vadiapudze, in

the direction of Haicheng, and at Schi

kouyo, about ten miles west of Siu-

"Reconnaissances July 3rd discovered

Liao Yang, July 5 .- The latest reports

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passes to ascertain the strength of the

Japanese columns and advance force

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St. Petersburg, July 6.-1.30 p.m.-A

SEVERAL DESTROYERS.

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SOLDIERS STEADILY MOVING ON FORTRESS

Russians Defeated at Maotien Pass With Loss of Two Hundred

London, July 5 .- The Standard's Tiensin correspondent, under date of July th, states that since June 27th the Japanese main squadron has been engaged n landing men at Dalny, preparatory to a final attack on Port Arthur. He adds that the Japanese land operations in the rear of Port Arthur will probably bring plies. natters to a finish within the next few

FORCES ARE NOW

St. Petersburg, July 4.-7 p.m.-All the latest dispatches from the seat of war are to the effect that General Kouropatkin is still at Taichekiao, and hat the Japanese forces are stationary Senuchen and along the roads from sinyen to Kaicheng, Taitchekiao and Kaichau, but they are maintaining their advance from Feng Huang Cheng over the direct main roads to Liao Yang. where the effect of the rains is less apciable. There are only 12 miles be tween General Count Keller's forces and the Japanese army, and a collision be-tween them is not regarded as unlikely. The admiralty here has no news of the sea fight off Port Arthur on Monlay last, reported by Admiral Togo, and is not inclined to believe it. The understanding is that the Russian warships re still at Port Arthur.

nents off Port Arthur and Tsu island monopolizing public interest. The land operations in Manchuria are elieved to have been practically adurned for six weeks until the rains shall be over.

Telograms from Liao Yang norted we the Japanese are withdrawing from their ions, the capture of which entailed the expenditure of so much blood and aking advantage of the withdrawal of upon the Japanese

Some persons are inclined to attribute the Japanese retreat to the arrival at SPARING NO MONEY Liao Yang of heavy reinforcements and army corps. Others believe that Marshal Oyama, the newly appointed commanderin-chief of the Japanese forces in Manther until the rains are over. Others

The Liao Yang correspondent of the Bourse Gazette declares that the entire credit for the Japanese retreats belongs to General Kouropatkin, who at last has rewarded the patience of the Russian people. Unless quite an unforeseen change in the situation occurs the remainder of the campaign, it is believed here, will be directly favorable to the Russians, owing to the failure Japanese to establish a base at Inkow. where they could have enjoyed unrival ed facilities for harassing General

Kouropatkin. RUSSIANS SAYS JAPS LACK PROVISIONS.

Liao Yang, July 4.-The Japanese are evidently nonplussed at General Kouropatkin's tactics, as proved by their al- quickly. are reported to have fallen back on Feng south is also suspended, General Suroki being threatened by the Russian troops from the north. An early cessa- fleet has been destroyed. tion of hostilities is expected, and when they are resumed the Russians say they will be able to take the offensive. Troops are arriving here daily.

JAPS STEADILY

ADVANCE ON FORTRESS. Chefoo, July 5 .- Chinese just arrived here, who left Port Arthur on July 2nd, consisted of eleven of the larger ships. ese armies outside Port Arthur, accordadvancing steadily from hill to hill, on all of which they are placing big guns. It | ukoff. s said they landed 150 of these guns. A Russian who left Port Arthur on TRYING TO TURN July 2nd, and who has just arrived here, ays that the only damage done to the win during bombardments has been the struction of two houses. There has staff has received the following dispatch town during bombardments has been the been no loss of life. Refugees are not from Lieut, General Sakharoff, the chief

allowed to leave Pigeon Bay. They must come direct from Port Arthur.

This leads to the belief that the Japanse are in the vicinity of Pigeon Bay. All business is now stopped in the

EIGHTY RUSSIANS

KILLED AND WOUNDED. Tokio, July 4.-3 p. m.-Gen. Kuroki reports that two battalions of Russians attacked the Japanese outposts at Maotien pass at dawn on July 4th, under cover of a dense fog. The Russians were repulsed, but they

eturned and charged three times before they were finally driven off. The Japanese pursued them for three mi westward of Maotien pass. The Russians left thirty dead and fifty vounded on the field.

The Japanese lost fifteen killed and thirty wounded. RUSSIANS RETIRE BURYING SUPPLIES.

Tokio, July 5 .- Noon .- General Kuroki has arrived at Maotien pass without re-The Russians have abandoned the Tsin Shan Kwan burying the sup

A detachment of General Kuroki's army has occupied north Fenshun pass, without meeting with resistance. The main army advanced westward and occu-TWELVE MILES APART. pied a line extending from Maotien pass to the Shaomotien and Sinkai passes

> ADMITS THEY LOST TWO HUNDRED MEN.

St. Petersburg, July 5.-10 Thirteen companies of Russian troops sent out by Lieut.-Gen. Keller in the reconnaissance force to ascertain the strength of the Japanese advance force moving on Lia Yang came in collision with the Japanese between Maotien and Fenchui passes. Sharp fighting ensued, and the Russians retired before overwhelming numbers after ascertaining the exact strength of the Japanese forces. The Russian losses are officially stated to be 200.

In case the information obtained by Lieut.-Gen. Keller leaves Gen. Kouro-patkin to consider that Liao Yang is seriously threatened, it is probable that some of the troops will return north from Taitchekiao, then the Japanese are likely to repeat their attempt to recap-

JAPANESE QUIET

KEAR LIAO YANG. Liao Yang, July 4 .- (Delayed in transmission.)-Rain is again falling in torammunition. The same felegrams rents, and the thermometer registers show that the Russians are promptly twenty degrees centigrade. The Russian lines to the east and south are like iron the Japanese, and are assuming the of- barriers. The Japanese are quiet and OFFICIAL DISPATCH ensive, inflicting considerable losses seem to have vanished along the Rus sian outposts.

Vladivostock, July 3.-Many Japanese

It is reported that the Japanese are olized all the free steamers in the Far East, German, British and Norwegian shun and Motien passes. vessels being given preference. One of the wounded Japanese prison-

berian rifles formed an excert and military music was rendered. There are no signs of the Japanese in this region. A typhoon is raging.

KOREANS SAY THEY WILL AID RUSSIANS. ing party of ten companies was sent in

Vladivostock, July 5.-A thick fog envelops Vladivostock to-day. All is The wounded Japanese are recovering

Koreans, coming to the Russian frongreatly from lack of provisions, the country being devastated. Two divisions are reported to have fallen back on Feng there are 20,000 men there. The Japan-the cross roads and dislodged a company Huang Cheng. The Japanese activity in see, the Koreans say, are circulating of the enemy's advance guard, which was the south is also suspended. General stories of great victories, that Port almost annihilated. Arthur has fallen and that the Russian

The Emperor of Korea, it is further asserted, is held under guard, and the foot of the heights, surmounted by a heir apparent has been taken to Japan. temple. The temple is less than a mile the Koreans say they hate their operation of Ekhavuan, where, although expressors, and add that they will rise on posed to a heavy frontal and flank fire the appearance of the Russians.

PERESVIET IS SAFE. and occupied the pass. As the enemy was preparing to deliver a frontal and THE BATTLESHIP

say that only nine of the larger Russian warships were there then. On June 23rd. the safety of the Peresviet, which action when the fleet engaged the Japanese squadron outside Port Arthur harbor it.

Kronstadt, July 5.—All doubts as to previously instructed. Three companies of Garnitsky's force occupied the position which they had been ordered to quadron outside Port Arthur harbor, it | Port Arthur, are removed by the receipt | secure. of a telegram from the captain of the On July 3rd, the Russian and Japan- battleship saying the ship and all on withdraw the enemy opened a heavy fire board are well.

RUSSIAN LEFT FLANK.

of the staff of General Kouropatkin, bruised and wounded; Colonel Poape dated July 4th:
"On July 3rd the advance guard of the Soloief, Lieutenants Markoff, Latkine, Russian force operating east of Liao Bobros, Lavsky and Kozine, Second Yang occupied a position at Langtse Capt. Paly and several other officers pass. Towards evening the same day wounded and 200 soldiers killed or our scouts ascertained that a detach- wounded. ent of the enemy's advance guard,

15,000 strong, had occupied the villages staff from the Ykhanow tower, and I of Ekhavauan and Tchahumen on our can personally testify to the conduct of front, the main force having remained in the troops. Fenshun and Maotien passes. "At this moment we discovered the chaplain, who attended the wounded onsisting of a battalion of the infantry, under a heavy fire and even helped to to turn our left flank positions in the

Langtse pass, in the direction of Liao-diansian. In order to check this movement a force was sent forward in the direction of threatened points."

STAKELBERG'S NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH. Taitchekiae, July 5 .- Lieut.-General Baron Stakelberg narrowly escaped drowning to-day owing to the sudden

looding of the headquarters of the army

corps. He was rescued by soldiers RUSSIAN PRESS ON TOLSTOI'S COMMENTS

their infantry occupied the outskirts of the forest near the village. Our horse battery retired on the position at Dao-sitchja, near the railroad, being covered St. Petersburg, July 5.-The Russian lewspapers refer adversely to the article on the Russo-Japanese war by Count Tolstoi, recently published in the London Times. A few speak of it in denunciatory terms. Even Tolstoi's old admirers consider that he has gone too far. The Siowo recommends the reproduction of the article as the best cure for Tolstoism. The Svea calls it the pitiful production of a once great mind disordere by senile vanity.

CHARGES AGAINST JAPS NOT CONFIRMED.

St. Petersburg, July 5.—3.15.—The foreign office has no official information bearing out the charges of mutilation against the Japanese, and no action will e taken in the absence of complete con firmation.

of the Russian casualties in the recon-naissance made by Lieut.-General Count St. Petersburg, July 5.—The fact that Lieut,-General Sakharoff, chief of staff to enera Kouropatkin, witnessed the fighting near Motien pass is taken here to indicate that he is in command of the moving on Liao Yang, show that 14 offi-forces east of Liao Yang, which include cers were wounded, 273 men killed and forces east of Liao Yang, which include €01 prisoners taken. the army corps under Lieut.-General The desperate character of the fighting

is show by the reported bayonet charges, has moved to the eastward, notwith-the Russian out the Japanese from the trenches. The fighting around Senuchen shows that the Japanese are deter-mined to hold the ground to the south as well as Dalen pass until favorable opportunity presents itself for an advance on JAPANESE LOST Yinkow, the port of Newchwang.

TELLS OF FIGHTING.

"Simultaneously Letchitsky's column

dislodged the enemy's advance position

our troops dashed forward and dislodged

the Japanese from their entrenchments

flank attack our column then retired, as

"When Letschitsky's force began to

from the heights. In spite of this the

few night ago Admiral Togo attempted to repeat the Japanese exploit with to-St. Petersburg, July 5.—The following pedo boats at Wei-Hai-Wei during the China Japanese war, by sending torpedo NG NO MONEY

dispatch has been received from Lieut.

China Japanese war, by sending torpedo
boat destroyers into the harbor of Port Kuropatkin, dated July 4th: Arthur for the purpose of sinking ships "On July 3rd, the advance guard of the at their anchorage, but the attempt end-

fishermen, taken from schooners in the recent raid of the Vladivostock squadron, were sent to Irkutsk to-day.

On July 3rd, the advance guard of the Russian force operating east of Liao ed in disastrous failure.

Yang occupied a position at Langtse pass. Towards evening the same day our in creeping into the harbor which was not considered to the fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange, but the attempt can be a fine and orange. again see a connection between the Japanese are names retreat and the appearance of a Russian squadron threatening the Japanese retreat and the appearance of transports. They are said to be sparing no money and have monoposed lines of communication.

It is reported that the Japanese are having considerable difficulty with their large fleet of transports. They are said to be sparing no money and have monoposed in Scaling and Tchahumen on our front. The reckless bravery of the Japanese strong, had occupied the villages of Ekhavauan and Tchahumen on our front. The reckless bravery of the Japanese are having considerable difficulty with their large fleet of transports. They are said to be sparing no money and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no money and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no money and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no money and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no money and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more and have monoposed in the said to be sparing no more scouts ascertained that a detachment of not protected by booms, but only one the main force having remained in Fenin going to- almost certain destruction

excites nothing but admiration.

The channel at Port Arthur is "At this moment we discovered the movement of a Japanese detachment con- treacherous and strewn with ers who died was buried to-day. The coffin was covered with the Japanese flag and with wreaths given by the Rusdiansian. In order to check this movement a force was sent forward in the direction of threatened points.

into the harbor the feat is considered in naval circles to be fully as daring as that of the Japanese at Wei-Hal-Wei,

"In order to learn the strength of the enemy's position in front of Liaotse pass, storm and covered with ice, were jumped the commander of the detachment order-ed out was reinforced, and a reconnoiter-and destroyed Chinese warships. So far as known the Japanese torped the direction of Ekhavuan, under the boat destroyers had not even succeeded in launching torpedoes. command of Colonel Letschitsky. With the view of making a demon-

Another lot of naval reserves, number ing 2,000, will be called out shortly. stration insuring the return of the Letschitsky's detachment, three companies under Lieut.-Colonel Garnitsky marched The admiralty has no confirmation of the report from Liao Yang of an engagement between the Vladivostock ternate advance on Liao Yang from
Feng Huang Cheng, and subsequent retreat. The Japanese are suffering

Koreans, coming to the Russian fronternate advance on Liao Yang from
ternate advance on Liao Yang from
Secul, but by marching and countertreat. The Japanese are suffering to Mahoumizza, about a mile and a half the Russian squadron is safe back in The exact date of the attack is not as-

certainable, but it is said to have occurred on Saturday. No further details are obtainable. Although it is believed that other destroyers participated in the attack, only four, however, succeeded in getting in. The method whereby this information reached the authorities is not disclosed. A dispatch received here from Vladi-

the Russian situation. It was announced from Tokio on July 3rd that a belated report from Admiral Togo recorded a desperate and success ful torpedo attack at the entrance Port Arthur during the night of June 27th, during which a Russian guardship and a Russian torpedo boat destroyer

vostock this afternoon does not mention

were sunk. A SWOLLEN RIVER BETWEEN THE FORCES.

Liao Yang, July 5 .- (Delayed in transwas the last to retire with his chief of mission.)—The heavy rains which fell all staff and adjutant.

"Garnitsky's column behaved with rivers into a torrent, making it a defence equal bravery and coolness, carrying against the Japanese. To-day the sun out their task with no sign of agita- is shining and the temperature is 40 de

of the bad roads. Gen. Kuroki's forces include many men of the reserves, armed with the old pat-

RUMORS OF FIGHT "I observed the fighting with my

BETWEEN SQUADRONS. Liao Yang, July 5.-There are persist ent rumors in circulation that a hot en-"I cannot pass in silence the remark gagement occurred on Tuesday, north of Gensan, between the Russian Vladivoable devotion of the surgeons and of the stock and the Japanese squadrons, which ended favorably to the Russians. carry them off the field. All the wound

WILL PROBABLY AID

THE ATTACKING FORCE. soldier was killed during the fighting. Liao Yang, July 6 .- Gen. Oku's army "The same afternoon a detachment of the enemy, consisting of two battalions s retiring, evidenly with the object of oncentrating on Port Arthur. and six hundred with machine guns, ad-

Siege guns are being placed in position The departure of two additional divisons for the seat of war is reported from Nagasaki.

EXPECT LULL IN SOUTHERN MANCHURIA.

enemy placed machine guns on the height northwest of Dounschkhedja and St. Petersburg, July 6.—The military critics take a view that serious military operations in Southern Manchuria are over until the rainy season has ended. and that in the meantime the Japanese will devote themselves to the siege of

Port Arthur. The army organ marvels at the evident lack of decision on the part of Generals Kuroki and Oku, expressing the belief that these may account for the fact that forces landing at Port Daluy have been taken from the armies in

Manchuria. The battleships Sissoi, Veliky and Navarin and armored cruiser Svietlano are at Vafangow." being fitted with hoists for coaling at

An Imperial ukase has been issued calling 447,000 recruits to the colors this year. This, on account of the war, is year. ouble the usual number. All the remaining naval reservists in the government of European Russia, with the exception of Oronburg and Finland, have been called out by an Imperial ukase. These are intended to make up the full complement of the re-

reservists have also been ordered to Se-It is persistently reported that a large RAINS STOP THE section of the Japanese southern army MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS.

serves at the Baltic naval ports. Naval

Mukden, July 6 .- Rain is falling very heavy here. Several of the Chinese bridges have been carried away. The movements of large bodies of troops and transports have been stopped.

STEAMER SAILS

FOR VLADIVOSTOCK Constantinople, July 5.-The Russian volunteer steamer St. Petersburg, which passed through the Bosphorus from the Black Sea this morning in company with the Sabastopol, the latter flying the Red Cross and with her hull painted white, was stopped in the Bosphorus by blank shots from the Turkish forts, fired

without previous warning.

The incident threatened to cause friction, but after a delay of several hours, explanations were exchanged between the Russian embassy and the Porte. The vessel was then allowed to proceed, Vladivostock being her destination.

REOCCUPIED BY JAPANESE TROOPS

Liao Yang, July 4.-A correspondent of the Associated Press, who has just returned from Gen. Samsonoff's head-quarters, gives details of a fight that he witnessed at Senuchen as part of the operations of June 29th.

Gen. Samsonoff, with the object of harassing the Japanese, advanced toward Senuchen at 2 a.m. The column reached within rifle shot of the railway station at 6 o'clock, and two companies of Cossacks opened fire, driving in the

Japanese outposts. The Cossacks raced to a semaphore station on a hill near the railway, which they occupied and signaled the Russian column of the disposition of the Japanese. Throwing themselves on their comrades, with whom they raided the railway station, which the Japanese

vacuated, firing hurriedly. There was little loss to the Russians but the Japanese left nine wounded at the station. Gen, Samsonoff sent word not to at-

tempt to hold the station, and the Russians retired, while the Japanese were in full retreat. Subsequently the Japreoccupied the station with seven quick-firing guns. The most serious loss to the Russians in the day's operations were Captain

Treiatkoff and Captain Vertoff, who were carrying dispatches. They got into a Japanese ambuscade near a village and both were shot. Captain Vertoff managed to regain his horse and subsequently rescued his men Capt. Treiatkoff has not returned, and whether he was killed or wounded or is

a prisoner is not known.

A Red Cross train came up to the scene of the fight, and, though warned of its presence, the Japanese infantry and artillery fired on it and riddled it. No one was killed.

THINKS JAPS LOST THEIR OPPORTUNITY.

St. Petersburg, July 5 .- A war correspondent who has arrived from Muk-den, expresses the opinion that with the grees centigrade.
Some of the Russian detachments are rainy season at hand the Japanese have

erforming remarkable marches in spite lost every opportunity of dealing General Kouropatkin a cruishing blow. He says that neither the world in general nor the Japanese know how weak the Russian army was in the earlier part of the war and asserts that practically the Russian army was then ponexistent, but when he left, June 18th, Kouropatkin had 125,000 men and reinforcements were pouring in at the rate of 2,000 per day. Earlier the correspondent thinks CONSIDERING QUESTION the Japanese could have done anything they wished, if they had pressed the campaign with vigor. During the three months' delay in cutting off Port Arthur the Russians rushed in munitions and provisions. When the battle of the Yalu Kouropatkin had all in readiness to retire to Kirin. He thinks that the Japansecret service is very defective be cause it did not discover the situation and says it is now too late, as at the end of the rainy season Kouropatkin will

> ALEXIEFF BLAMED FOR VAFANGOW DEFEAT.

strong enough to assume the offen-

London, July 5.—The Post prints a dispatch from St. Petersburg, signed "Whigham," in which the correspondent

"I arrived at the Russian capital on July 4th after a seventeen days' journey they will enter into the adoption of regu-from Mukden. The railway is working lations which will aid in conserving the fisheries. carrying an average of eight trains a

"When I left Mukden, General Kouropatkin had fewer than 120,000 men of all arms, but steady reinforcements by | 130,329, to which 2,000 will be added berail make his position at Liao Yang secure. He is considerably hampered by total for the previous years was 128,364. the presence of Viceroy Alexieff, who was responsible for the Russian disaster

PRITISH STEAMER HELD BY RUSSIANS.

Vladivostock, July 5 .- (Delayed in transmission.)—The British steamer Cheltenham was brought in here July 2nd, and is now awaiting trial by the

of London. She was insured against risks of capture at the value of \$200,000. She is reported to have been taking railroad material from Japan to Korea. Another British steamer, the Common wealth, owned by C. Radeliffe & Co.

Cardiff, is reported overdue at Sasebo, Japan. She was from Cardiff with coal. It is believed she may have been captured by the Russians.

PROBABLY WORTHLESS. Jewels Valued at Several Hundred Thousand Dollars Burned By Fire.

New York, July 6 .- In a fire which has lestroyed the Cammack cottage at Tukedo Park, N. Y., the jewels of Mrs. Bernard P. Steinman, of New Orelans, worth several hundred thousand dollars, were probably so damaged that they will be worthless hereafter. The cottage alone was valued at nearly \$100,000. It was one of the handsomest in the exclu-sive section of Tukedo. Mrs. Steinman's jewels were in a safe in the room wher the fire started, presumably from an electric wire. There was little water pres-sure, and the local department was unable to check the flames.

THE SEALING INTERESTS

St. Petersburg Paper Again Comments on Offer Made By Great Britain.

St. Petersburg, July 6.-Recurring to the offer of Great Britain to protect the Saxonia. The Saxonia was scheduled to Russian sealing interests off Kamtchatka, sail to-day. during the war, the Novoe Vremva savs: "Russia wishes to remain at with all nations, and certainly has no wish to exclude England from that footing. A little remarkable is this overture of peace coming from England just when she is trying to conquer Thibet in order to protect the interest of India against Russia. England seems to have failed to see the real danger that would threaten her Indian empire if her ally (Japan) triumphed in the Far East."

A HARD STRUGGLE.

Scholes Won Semi-Final in Diamond Sculls-Opponent Finished in Fainting Condition.

Henley, Eng., July 6 .- The main event on the regatta programme to-day the steamer America at Franz Josef was the meeting between L. F. Scholes, land, for which part of the world she of the Don Rowing Club, Toronto, and F. S. Kelly, Oxonian in the semi-final for the diamond sculls, in which the Canadian sculler defeated Kelly, the Jof expedition, is the secretary of Wilholder of the trophy, by four lengths. liam Zeiglar, of Brooklyn, N. Y. Time. 9 minutes 11 seconds.

Scholes struggled over the line much distressed. Kelly was unable to row his boat off the course, and was lifted fainting into a launch.

THE CHARTREUS CHARGES.

Paris, July 6 .- The parliamentary committee which is investigating the Chartreuse charges has drawn up a report exon-erating Premier Coombes and his son, in each others territory. Edgar Coombes, secretary-general of the ministry of the interior, on the ground that the testimony does not show anything impeaching their honor. The report expresses regret that the Premier referred before the regret that the Premier referred before the high diver, jumped from the bridge into chamber of deputies to an attempt of the Hoquaim river, a distance of 60 feet, bribery, whereas the testimony discloses this morning. He fell on his back and no incident having that gravity. The committee will continue its inquiries, but the decision vindicating the two Coombes terpital. He had lived in Aberdeen about minates its principal work.

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OF ITS ABOLITION Steps Might Cause Americans to Agree

to Regulations to Conserve

the Fisheries.

Ottawa, July 6 .- The department of narine and fisheries has under consideration the question of abolishing the close season for salmon within the fishing season, that is from an hour on Saturday until an hour on Sunday night. It is not likely that anything will be done this season, although many believe that the only way to meet the Americans is to adopt their system until such time as

The official returns of immigration show the arrivals for the past year to be Will Report.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier told the House today that Justice Britton was asked to make a report on the Treadgold concession, notwithstanding that the application was cancelled

The Dundonald Affair.

E. F. Clarke, Toronto, complained of W. T. R. Preston, Canada's immigration agent, writing to the London Times on the Dundonald affair. Hon. C. Sifton The Cheltenham is of 3,700 tons, and said he would look into the matter and owned by Galbraith, Pembroke & Co., announce the decision of the government the matter later.

Morning Sessions. The House commenced morning see sions yestreday, when the railway estimates were taken under consideration.

Holidas Over. J. J. Hill, railway magnate, passed through early yesterday on his way from Lake St. John district, where he was fishing.

HIGH TREASON.

Italian Captain and His Wife Accused of Selling Military Secrets to Foreign Power.

Messina, Sicily, July 6.—Acting on instructions from Rome the authorities here have arrested Captain Ercolesse, of Italian army, and his wife, on a charge of high treason in selling to agents of a foreign power plans for the mobilization of the Italian forces in

WILL CONTINUE JOURNEY.

Twenty-Seven Survivors of the Norje to Sail From Grimsby for New York

New York, July 6.—The local agent for the Scandinavian-American line received a cablegram to-day stating that the 27 survivors of the steamer Norje disaster, who were landed at Grimsby, will be sent to America on the Cunarder

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

Government Considering Proposal to Establish Stations in B. C., One Being at Victoria.

Ottawa, July 6.-The government is considering a proposal to establish two or three Marconi station in British Columbia. The C. P. R. steamers will install the system and one of the land stations will be at Victoria.

RELIEF EXPEDITION.

Tromso, Norway, July 6.-The Champ expedition sailed from here to-day on the teamer Fritch-Jof for the relief of the Zeiglar-Fiala Polar expedition on board sailed June 23rd, 1903, intending to winter there and send expeditions there.

CANNERS IN CONFERENCE.

Vancouver, July 6 .- The executive of the Puget Sound Canners' Association arrived to-day from Seattle and are conferring with Fraser river canners this afternoon regarding the proposal to establish hatcheries to be supported by international capital, the establishment

HIGH DIVER KILLED

Hoquiam, July 4.—Paddy McMahon, a a month, and was about 24 years old.

ice is hereby given that 30 days after I intend to make application to the rable Chief Commissioner of Lands Works for a special license to cut and away timber from the following deed lands: Commencing at a staked at the northwest corner of Lillian location, thence south 110 chains, e west 60 chains, thence north, 110 s, thence east 60 chains to point of encement. June, 1904. GEORGE RAWDING. ice is hereby given that 30 days after I intend to make application to the rable Chief Commissioner of Lands Works for a special license to cut and away timber from the following deed lands: Commencing at a stake dead to the commencing at a stake about 20 chains south from the west corner of Richard Hilton's locathence south 80 chains, thence west ains, thence north 80 chains, thence west ains, thence north 80 chains, thence 0 chains to point of commencement.

June, 1904.

FRANCIS M. BLACKMORE. FRANCIS M. BLACKMORE.

ce is hereby given that 30 days after I intend to make application to the able Chief Commissioner of Lands Vorks for a special license to cut and away timber from the following ded lands: Commencing at a stake do on the west side of the Homaiko, about one mile northwest from the west corner of Indian Reservation, e south 110 chains, thence east 60 s to Indian Reserve, thence north the west line of the Indian Reserve, a along west shore of river to point along west shore of river to p ALFRED E. LYE.

ce is hereby given that 30 days after I intend to make application to the rable Chief Commissioner of Lands Vorks for a special license to cut and away timber from the following ded lands: Commencing at a post plantout 40 chains west from the south-corner of Arthur Blackmore's location, e running south 110 chains, thence 60 chains, thence north 110 chains, e east 60 chains to point of commencefune, 1904.

TRYING TO CHECK JAPANESE ADVANCE

Further Details of the Encounter at Motien Pass, Where Bayonets Were Used.

London, July 7.-The Liao Yang correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph, in a dispatch dated July 7th, 1

a. m., says: "A battle is proceeding 25 miles from here. Numbers of wounded are being brought in from the mountains. Evidently the engagement is a severe one. "It is believed that the Japanese are continuing their advance with the object of cutting off Mukden."

THEY MADE THREE CHARGES ON TRENCHES.

General Kuroki's Headquarters in the Field, via Fusan, July 6 .- On July 4th two battalions of Russians attempted to break through the Japanese outposts at the northern entrance on Motienlien pass. Before daylight they surrounded an outpost of 40 men at the foot of a hill and to-day's telegrams from the front are uncharged the trench above. A bloody en comfortably suggestive of a continuation counter with bayonets, lasting a quarter of an hour, ensued. The Russians at-tacked the trenches three times, but were driven up the valley by a Japanese reinforcement, leaving many dead and wounded. An observer saw fifty lying in front of the trench.

JAPS HELD OUT UNTIL REINFORCED.

Tokio, July 6.-Supplemental dispatches indicate that the fight at Motienlien pass on July 4th was a desperate hand-to-hand fight affair, a majority of the Japanese being injured by bayonets. The Russians surrounded the outposts of the Japanese, who fought until came. The Russians left 53 dead and 40 wounded on the field. The Japanese left 19 killed and 38 wounded. It is helieved the Russians sustained greater

Field Marshal Oyama, commander-in chief of the Japanese field forces, accom-panied by Generals Kodoma and Fushima and a numerous staff, departed for front to-day. There was a remarkable farewell demonstration. Early this morning a crowd assembled at the headquarters of the general staff and along the streets leading to the Shinbashi sta-tion. Many houses were decorated and Mags and banners fluttered over the streets. The three generals left the headquarters at 10 o'clock. They were cheered all along the route to the station.

Members of the cabinet, elder statesmen, representative business men, hundreds of military officers, many attaches were asmbled here to bid them farewell. Sir Claude Macdonald, the British minister, accompanied by Major Macdonald, edtered General Oyama's private car. Troops lined the platform at the station, and when the train started there was ous cheering, while the band played "Auld Lang Syne." A short stop was made at Yokohama before the distinguished officers embarked at Shimon oseki for the seat of war.

HEARD SOUND OF FIRING AT FORTRESS.

Chicago, July 6.-The following Fawn was off Port Arthur Friday last about noon, fierce cannonading was heard, ending in a heavy explosion. The Fawn stood by one of the Japanese picket ships till late in the afternoon, but saw nothing. All was quiet on

Saturday. While cruising toward Talienwan on Sunday picket cruisers were met all be hanged. An appeal will be taken. along the coast at intervals. About fifteen miles off Dalny the Fawn was stopped by a cruiser of the Asami type, but was not detained. Several shots were heard about 4 p. m. in the direction of Port Arthur. This was probably a small torpedo boat reconnaissance.

The naval situation is apparently at a standstill. No active measures are likely to be taken by Admiral Togo until the land operations are further advanced. It is reported that the Japanese are landing more troops near Dalny. The Russian mine reported as having

been seen by the Fawn last week in the channel between the islands was towed ashore by a Chinese fishing boat; it exploded as the Chinese were handling it One fisherman was killed and another

GUNBOAT SANK

AFTER STRIKING MINE. Tokio, July 7 .- The Japanese gunboat Kaimon struck a mine and sank in Talienwan bay on July 5th.

The Kaimon was a small wooden ship, 20 years old, and carried light guns and about 230 men.

RUSSIANS REPORT JAPANESE LOSSES.

St. Petersburg, July 6.-Information for the relatives of the Japanese prisoners is being forwarded through the American embassy to the Japanese minister at Berlin. Since the inauguration of the prisoners' bureau regular reports have

The British gunboat Espiegle has arrived at Newchwang, but the entrance is mined and she was unable to enter the mouth of the river.

The Peterbourgsky Liaoko published a dispatch from Liao Yang announcing that an engagement has occurred at Taitchekiao, during which Russian cavalry under General Samsonoff, supported by a battery of horse artillery, Japanese force from heights in face of a heavy machine gun and musketry fire. The Russians, it is added, pursued the

Japanese and inflicted heavy loss PROVISIONS FELL INTO HANDS OF RUSSIANS.

Liao Yang, July 7.—According to a trustworthy report Major-Gen. Mistchenko on July 5th captured a large convoy of Japanese provisions, principally of rice. In the convoy were 50 head of cattle. In view of the extreme heat

Special sanitary measures are urged with vigor in all the camps, and abundant supply of boiled water is furnished the soldiers. Up to the present time the health of the Russian troops remains

RUSSIAN MINISTER OF RAILWAYS HOPEFUL

St. Petersburg, July 5 .- Prince Khil koff, minister of public works and railways, who has just returned from the Far East, is doing much to restore confidence in official circles. In an audience with the Czar he told His Majesty that things were gradually rearranging them-selves in favor of Russia in Manchuria. "The rainy season," said the Prince, will be followed by effective measures

against the Japanese."

Prince Khilkoff's optimism has greafly relieved the general staff. The Prince says that the rains came in time to prevent the overwhelming numbers the enemy from "causing the Russian army serious temporary trouble." While it is believed that there is a good deal of truth in Prince Khilkoff's statements. of Japanese advances.

DESTRUCTIVE FLOODS

Kaw River Is Still Rising and Hundreds of People Have Left Their Homes.

ansas City, Mo., July 7 .- One half of Armourdate, the packing house town in the suburbs on the Kansas side, is under water on account of the overflow of the Kaw river. The river is still rising at a rapid rate, and conditions approaching the flood of 1903 are fear-ed. The river is higher than at any time since then. The low lands of Argentine and Rosedale, other suburbs, also are flooded, and hundreds of laboring people have left their homes. West of Kansas City, along the Kaw, that stream is bankfull, and is doing great damage at North Topeka, Lawrence and other points, and its tributaries are rising. There has been an almost incessant

rain in the part of the southwest for five days. This great volume of water is coming this way, doing great damage in its course. All last night a steady downpour of rain fell here, and in many parts of Kansas and to the east. The mornand asked that the Criminal Code be ing found the water still on the rise at was under from one to five feet of so as to include all aliens in Canada.

To-day the water has reached the live stock exchange, and drove the occupants from the basement. Forecaster O'Con-Railway traffic west of here is badly demoralized.

THE CANNERS.

Decisions Reached at the Conference Held at the Terminal City.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, July 7 .- At the conference of American and Canadian canners yes terday, it was decided to establish a police patrol at the boundary to preven net cutting, the theft of boats, etc. The Americans also agreed with the principle special cablegram has been received from a staff correspondent of the Daily News: "On board the Daily News dispatch The hatchery question was discussed, boat, Fawn, Chefoo, July 5.-While the but no action taken, and it was unani- furnished, was damaged to the extent of mously decided that Canadians and Americans will hereafter refrain from in vading each others territory to buy fish.

> Mrs. Catherine Danz, convicted of nurder in the first degree for poisoning her husband, William G. Danz, was at Philadelphia on Wednesday sentenced to General Reyes has been declared elect



In the good old days the sexton anno ed a death in the community by a stroke on the church bell for every year of the life that was

gone. People expected, then, to live to old age, and speculation at the first tap of the bell took a darrow range including only those who had lived the allotted time. There is no reason why people should not have the same expectancy of age to-day, except for the neglect and abuse of the one organ on which all the other organs depend—the stomach.
Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery enables men and women to be strong and healthy, by curing diseases of the stomach (and other or-gans of digestion and nutri-tion), which prevent the

proper nourishment of the body.

"I had been sick for two years with indigestion and nervous debility, and had taken medicine from my family doctor for a long time without much benefit," writes Mrs. W. H. Peebles, of Lucknow, S. C. "Was induced by my husband to consult Dr. Pierce by letter. You "Was induced by my husband to consult Dr. Pierce by letter. You advised me to take 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription,' which I did, and, to my great surprise, after taking six bottles I was cured." prise, after taking six bottles I was cured," The Medical Ad-

viser, in paper covers, is sent free for

pay customs and

IMPORTATION OF LIOUOR TO YUKO

PROVISIONS OF THE ORDER-IN-COUNCIL

Labor Men Interview Ministers-They Are Seeking Amendments to the Criminal Code.

Ottawa, July 5 .- Under the order-in ouncil passed at Ottawa on the 22nd nlt., respecting "the importation into the Yukon Territory of malt and spirituous or intoxicating liquors or other intoxi-cants and traffic therein," it is provided as follows:

"That no person excepting the holder of a wholesale or retail license under the provisions of 'The Liquor License Ordinance,' chap. 76 of the concolidated ordinances of the Yukon Ter ritory, and excepted as otherwise provided in this ordinance, shall import or bring into the Yukon Territory any malt or spirituous or intoxicating liquors or

"Before any person brings into the said Cerritory any such liquors he must make application in writing to the commisioner of the Yukon for permission so to do, specifying the number of gallons and description of liquers to be imported. "Excepting as to ale, porter, beer and lager beer, which shall be admitted free,

the following fees shall be paid: Still wines, 50c. per gallon; all other malt, spirituous or intoxicating liquors, \$2 per "Upon payment of the fees, the com missioner will issue a permit in writing, and the commissioner is authorized to ap-

point and prescribe the duties of a chief preventive officer and assistants, for the arpose of enforcing the regulations. 'Any person bringing into the Terri intoxicating liquors without a permit will be liable to a penalty of \$500 and costs, with forfeiture of his goods.' There are other provisions, but they efer to the enforcement of the ordin ance. It is therefore necessary for the importer of liquor into the Yukon to have either a wholesale or retail license for

to import the liquor specified in said permit. Interviewed Ministers.

the Yukon, and also to secure a permi

A labor delegation waited on the Pronier and Hon. C. Sifton this morning amended so as to deal with fake immi Armourdale, and gradually spreading gration agents and schemes, and also to over the town until one half of the place extend Judge Winchester's investigation

Defeated. Mr. MacLean's bill for a graded pas enger rate from two cents per mile up nor, however, said there hardly would to three cents, to bring express combe a repetition of last year's disastrous panies under the jurisdiction of the railway commission, and to confine damages for connecting railway stations to local damages, was defeated at the railway committee to-day.

ANOTHER FIRE AT FAIR.

Alarming Outbreak in the American Cafe Which Was Damaged to Extent of \$15,000.

St. Louis, Mo., July 5 .- Fire which started in the kitchen of the American cafe in the Jerusalem concession at the World's Fair grounds early to-day for more than an hour threatened the festival hall, the west pavilion and the whole Jerusalem exhibit. The American cafe, which is in two wings and elaborately \$15,000.

BROUGHT FIFTEEN THOUSAND. C. Fox Purchased Africander, Las

Year's Champion Three-Year-Old. New York, July 5.-At the disposal sale of the Hampton stable, held at Sheepshead Bay, to-day Africander, the champion three-year-old of last year and winner of \$70,000, was sold to C. Fox

for \$15,000. He is a bay colt four years

STORMED FORT. Fierce Fight Between the British Troops

and Natives in Thibet. Gyangtse, Thibet, July 6 -Noon -The as sault of the British troops on the Jonghen fort is now in progress. They have already captured the fringe of villages at the base of the rock.

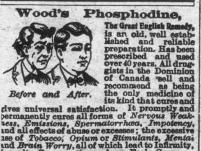
The Thibetans are fiercely resisting. Lieut. Gurdon, of the Thirty-Second Sikhs, is among the killed.

Fort Carried. Gyangtse, Thibet, July 6.-A British storming party, consisting of Gurkhas and Fusiliers, captured the Jong fort this

The British casualties were not great.

INTERNATIONAL CRICKET.

London, July 5.—The cricket match be-tween Haverford, Pa., players and Mari-borough College resulted in a victory for the Americans to-day. The Americans made a total of 469 runs for their two innings, against 351 runs for the English-



dives universal satisfaction. It promptly and permanently cures all forms of Nervous Weak-uess, Emissions, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all effects of abuse or excesses; the excessive use of Tobacco, Opium or Stimulants, Mentas and Brain Worry, all of which lead to Infirmity, insanity, Consumption and an Early Grave.

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Windsor, Out., Canada,

Chairman Unable to Preserve Order at cratic Convention-Delegates Ejected From Hall.

St. Louis, Mo., July 6.-The Democratic convention convened here to-day. It is being held in the exposition building on Olive street. This monster meeting place, within the walls of which Democrat standard bearers are to be named, was the Mecca for all whose interest here centres in the convention.

The convention was called to order 12.03 by National Chairman lones. Wil-liam J. Bryan came in without applause.

There were cries "Hearst, Hearst," when the California delegation entered. After the reading of the call for the convent'on, praayer was offered, the delegate rising.

John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, was then named for temporary chairman, and was escorted to the chair and introduced, being received with sharp cheering. Mr. Williams began his address as soon as quiet was restored. Tammany aurounced it will withdraw its objections to Parker

They concede his nomination.
In the course of his address Mr. William entloned the name of Grover Cleveland, which was cheered lustily. A memon later the first seene of the sess'on cccirred. Mr. Williams declared that -t was gross effrontery for the Republican party to attempt to seize the laurels of Groven Cleveland. A genuine outburst of appiaus followed. Cheer after cheer rolled through the hall, and although the chairman use the gavel vigorously the convention was soon beyond his control. New Hampshire delegates climbed upon their seats and yelled vigorously. One Iowa man of the Hearts-instructed delegation stood up and waved his hat frantically, and a wild chorus answered him. "Three cheers for Grover Cleveland," shouted an Alabama delegate, and they came with genuing power and enthusiasm. No cry came from Nebraska, where Mr. Bryan and his friends sat quietly without taking part in the noise. Again and again the cheering came in dense volumes, despite numerous cries of "order" and the strenuous pounding of

the chairman's gavel. Mr. Murphy, of St. Louis, standing in the centre aisle and encouraging the demonstration, was first requested to take his sea and then ejected from the had by John Smart, sergeant-at-arms. Mr. Murphy was rushed toward the platform, through a railing and down a narrow stairway ead ing under the stage. Another encounter etween Murphy and Martin took place in the passage way under the stage. Murphy permitted himself to be taken from the hall by two officers.

GOVERNOR OF FINLAND

The Czar's Letter to Prince John Oboler sky, Appointed Successor to Gen. Bobrikoff.

St. Petersburg, July 5 .- In confirming th appointment of Prince John Obolensky as Governor-General of Finland, the Emperor sent an autograph letter to the Prince relative to the situation there. His letter, which is in the nature of an Imperial rescript, was published to-day. The Emperor therein expressed his conviction that it will be possible to maintain the local autonomy and the privilege of legislating for herself enjoyed by Finland since union with

Russia.

"I consider," writes the Emperor, "that the murder of Gen Bobrikoff was merely the work of a madman and a few likeminded confederates, and the Finnish people had no part in the nefarious act. The executive power must inflexibly strive for the closest union of Finiand and the Empire. I imposed upon General Bobrikoff, when he was appointed, the gradual attainment of this, and as being his first duty, he fuifilled it with rational firmness until death ended his honorable services, which have won him an enduring name in history.

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"I also expect their the new Governor-General will most zealously follow the instructions now given him. I admonish him before all things to strengthen in the minds of the Finnish people the conviction that their historic destinies are indissolubly bound in those of Russia, and that the future prosperity of Finland under the Russian sceptre, as well as the future of the political institutions granted her, depend on a peaceful order of things taking firm root in the country."

WINNIPEG NOTES.

New Fire Engine and Water Tower Want ed-Stock Going to Montreal. Winnipeg, hly 5.—A new fire engine, water tower and 85-foot aerial ladder truck

Building Permits. Building permits issued in the past six months total over six million dollars. They call for the erection of 1,351 buildings.

Stock Trains.

are wanted by the Winnipeg fire depart

Stock Trains.

The first stock train of the season left Calgary for Montreal last evening. It consisted of 11 carloads of stock and will be rushed through as rapidly as possible, the schedule time being between 20 and 25 miles an hour for the whole run, including stops. The C. P. R. is paying special attention to rapid handling of stock trains this year, and is supplying every facility to get the stock delivered at Montreal in the best possible condition. In spite of the lateness of the season, this shipment is considered remarkable, but they are a spedally fitted lot and are in good condition. dally fitted lot and are in good condition.

Inland Revenue. In June the inland revenue was \$76,000, compared with \$68,000 a year ago. LOBBIES INVADED.

Remarkable Scenes in House of Commons Premier Balfour's Closure Proposal Carried.

London, July 5.—The government last night carried through Premier Balfour's closure proposal, under which business will be transacted for the remainder of the session of the House of Commons by a majority of 80, despite the heated denunciations of members of the opposition.

Disorderly scenes without precedent took place in the hobbies, which were invaded by the public and deputations seeking to influence members to vote against the government. The police, which were reinforced, finally forced the crowd into the open air court yard adjoining the House.

THE SHIPPING DISASTER. Six Hundred and Forty-Six Lives Were

Lost-Relief Fund Has Been Started. Copenhagen, July 5.—A subscription in favor of the relatives of the victims and of the rescued passengers of the Danish steamer Norje, which foundered on Tuesday. June 29th, off Rock Isle reef, northwest of Scotland, with the loss of 646 lives, was started here this morning. Condolences are pouring in from the Royal Family and the people in America and elsewhere.

PROTECTING THE SEALS.

St. Petersburg. July 5.—The Russian press commendations of the gracious act of Great Britain in offering to police and protect the seal fisheries of the Commander and Copper Islands. off Kamtchatka, during the war, are regarded as highly significant.

MANY PEOPLE KILLED IN STATES

FIFTY-TWO DEATHS ON FOURTH OF JULY

Three Thousand and Forty-Nine Injured During Celebration-Two Fatal Railway Wrecks.

Chicago, July 6.—The Tribune says the casualties resulting from the country's celebration of the Fourth of July hav reached 52 killed and 3,049 hurt. The figures for Chicago are 1 dead and 101 injured. Lockjaw in a few days will begin to reap its harvest. It is expected to more than double the number of fatali-

The death roll this year is one less than that of 1903, but the number injured is 616 smaller. Two Killed.

Cripple Creek, Col., July 6 .- A short line passenger car from a train west-bound from Colorado Springs to Cripple Creek jumped the track last night near Cameron, eight miles from Cripple Creek, and was overturned. Dr. H. S. Torrance and T. P. Airheart, both well known citizens of Cripple Creek, were killed. Fifteen passengers were injured. The accident is said to have been due to carelessness in switching in the car. Wreckage on Fire.

Council Bluff, Ia., July 6 .- One man was killed and four seriously injured and fourteen freight cars burned in a Chicago & Northwestern freight wreck at Woobina, Ia., yesterday. Claude Dean, of Dunlap, Ia., was killed. A car of naphtha exploded, setting fire to two cars. The financial loss is heavy.

broken by their horse running Chicago, July 5 .- The Tribune to-day publishes a partial list of casualties resulting from Fourth of July celebrations all over the country. The list gives the total number of dead at 25, injured 1,384 and property loss \$177,800.

A year ago the accidents reported the night of July 4th were 48 dead and 3,431 injured. In 24 hours the total had ped to 52 dead and 3.665 injured. In Chicago this year's victims reported early to-day numbered 1 dead and 82 injured. Chicago's figures a year ago to day were 2 dead and 117 injured.

Throughout the country the fire losses

were generally smaller than in former years. In Chicago 115 alarms were sent during the 24 hours, 14 more than last year. The losses were small. Panic at Tacoma.

Tacoma, Wash., July 5 .- The fireworks, which were to have been set off in Wright park as a finish to a big Fourth of July celebration, caught fire from almost the first rocket that was sent up, and in an instant the entire heap of explosives was flying in every direc tion. About four dozen eight-pound rockets flew through the audience of 30,000 people, creating a panic, in which many were injured. Others were struck by the flying explosives, and it is esti-mated that as many as 50 were injured, none fatally.

Premature Explosion. Ogden, Utah, July 5.—By the premature explosion of a fireworks mortar at Glenwood park, 2 persons were killed and 5 injured in the presence of about

3,000 people. Deaths at Hartford. Hartford, Conn., July 5 .- As the result of the celebration of the Fourth of July 20 persons are in the hospital and 2 have died. More accidents happened

Cannon Exploded.

years.

Colfax, Ill., July 4.-By the prema ture explosion of a cannon at Colfax to-day Leo Chapman, Roy Harris, Fred Frending and Ralph Hester were perhaps fatally injured. While they were ising a broomstick for a ramrod and were pounding it in with a baseball bat the powder exploded, blowing pieces of the ramrod into the bodies of the four

DOMINION DISPATCHES.

Pwo Men Killed by a Cave-In-Farmer's Suicide-Atlantic Rates Reduced.

Welland, Ont., July 5 .- Richard Vaughan and Edward Harmon, engaged in drawing gravel from a pit in Pelham township, vere instantly killed by a cave-in yester

Doctors Puzzled. Kingston, Ont., July 5 .- The city is suffering from an epidemic of a strange character which attacks children and is growing in extent. Victims are seized with violent pains in the chest or bowels, causing great agony and oppression. Breathing is much contracted, a high fever sets in, and altogether the afflicted one has a serious time. The disease only lasts a few ours in most cases. The doctors are at sen as to the cause of the symptoms.

Suicide. Leamington, Ont., July 5 .- John Veter, a espected farmer of Mersea, committed suicide by cutting his throat yesterday. Family trouble which unbalanced his mind is given as the cause.

Steamer Libelled.

Montreal, July 5.-The Dominion Coal Company's steamer Cape Breton was today libelled by the Richelleu & Ontario Navigation Company for the loss of that company's steamer Canada, through the recent collision with the Cape Breton. The Cape Breton was released on the coal company putting up a bond of \$70,000. The Rate War.

Montreal, July 5.—The steamship lines sailing from port to-day announced a cut of \$15 in the minimum first-class east-bound assenger rate; meeting the Cunard line's

Lever's Y-Z(Wise Head) Disinfectant Scap Powder is better than other soap powders, se it also sots as a disinfectant.

SAYS WOMAN ASSISTED. Holtman Tells of Murder of Myers-

Wife of Dead Man Cut His Throat. Walla Walla, Wash., July 7 .- Frank Holtman, who was arrested here for the murder of Clarence Myers at Kansas Ciry, has confessed. Holtman said: "For years Mrs. Myers and I have

been friends. She loved me, and I loved her, and we wanted to get married. We planned the murder three weeks or more before the crime. The night of the 10th of May I went to the Myers house at 3 o'clock. I met Mrs. Myers at the house and the two of us went to Myers's bedroom. He was apparently asleep, but just as we entered, he called out 'Well, you're here again.' He grabbed at me, and as he did so I struck him with my club, the billiard cue. Then I held him while his wife cut his throat with his own razor.
"After the crime I went to my home

and after sleeping a while, went to the depot and left town. Mrs. Myers gave me \$100 to get away."

ACCIDENTS IN

WOMAN KILLED BY HORSE RUNNING AWAY

Six People Injured by Fall of Elevator Cage - Wealthy Business Man Found Drowned.

(Associated Press.) Napanee, Ont., July 7 .- Mrs. Andrew Price was killed and Mr. Price seriously injured internally and had two ribs

while driving through the village of New burgh yesterday. Six Injured. Peterboro, Ont., July 7.-The cable of the elevator in the store of Robert Hall Son broke yesterday just as a number of employees were about to descend. The cage dropped 60 feet, carrying with it all the occupants, who were more or les seriously injured. The injured are: Miss Delaire, both bones in the left leg broken and spine injured; Miss Fitzgerald, leg broken; Miss Talbot, left thigh bone

up; Ralph Moore, left arm fractured. Closed at Eight. Toronto, July 7 .- The city council last night passed a by-law requiring all bar

broken and bone broken in two places be-

low the knee: Miss Shera, spine badly

sprined; Miss Geerin, very badly shaken

ber shops to close at 8 p.m. Body Found in River. Toronto, July 7 .- The body of Joseph Long, one of the wealthiest and best known business men in Ontario, was found in the Don river yesterday. He was one of the founders of the Northern Navigation Company, and owned a large portion of its stock. He was also interested in many financial concerns of the province. He left his brother's house on Sunday night, and that was the last seen of him. He had been in failing health.

CITY NOT LIABLE. Judge's Ruling in Action Arising Out of

the Disaster at the Iroquois Theatre. Chicago, July 7.—Litigation to the probable aggregate total of \$8,000,000 has been discovered by a ruling of Judge Holden in the Superior court, to the effect that the city of Chicago was not

liable in any degree for the Iroquois the-A suit by Catherine Gibson for \$15,000 damages because of a broken arm and an injured spine was the case decided. Other suits are pending, and had the decision been against the city hundreds of

ther actions probably would have been The opinion was on the city's demurrer to the averment that the theatre was a public nuisance, and that the municipaliy was liable because of the dereliction of its officers in issuing a license for the theatre had complied with the ordinances. but even had the playhouse been a puisance, in the legal meaning of that word, the city still would not have been

CONSERVATIVE RETURNED.

Lord Kingham Elected to Succeed J. A. Fyler as Member For Chertsey.

London, July 7 .- A bye-election yesterday at Chertsey to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John A. Fyler (Conservative) resulted in the election of Lord Bingham (Conservative), who polled 5.425 votes against 4.876 cast for Mr. Sadler, the Liberal candidate. The campaign was fought almost wholly on the question of admitting Chinese labor into the Transvaal.

ALIEN TMMIGRATION.

Bill Has Been Dropped For the Present Session of Imperial Parliament.

London, July 7.-The Alien Immigration Bill has been definitely abandoned for the present session of parliament. The opposition to the measure has been so persistent in the committee stage that the government to-day decided that it was impossible to pass the bill within the

A party of refugees who have arrived at Chefoo from Port Arthur say that Rear-Admiral Ouktomsky has succeeded Rear-Admiral Withoeft as commander of the Russian naval forces at that place. Gen. Piet Cronje, of Boer war fame,

was married on Wednesday at St. Louis to Mrs. Sterzel, the widow of a Beer soldier. The ceremony was performed in the Boer camp on the grounds, and was private. A public reception was held Vienna dispatch. Many are arrested by after the ceremony.

A municipal return gives the number of trees belonging to Paris as 91,458, | stitious dread of going to the Far East.

SCHOLES WON THE DIAMOND SCULLS

HAS ESTABLISHED NEW RECORD FOR COURSE

Defeated Opponent by Length and a Ouarter - Winnipegs Beaten in the Stewards' Cup Race.

Henley, July 7 .- At the Henley regatta to-day L. F. Scholes, of the Don Rowing Club, of Toronto, beat A. H. Cloutte, of the London Rowing Club, in the final heat of the race for the Diamond sculls.

The Canadian sculler in the result, not

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VANCOUVER NOTES

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EXAMINATION RESULTS IN RURAL DISTRICTS

Are Now Qualified to Enter the High! Schools-Returns From Four Inspectorates.

The returns of the High school enrance examination in the rural districts embraced in the four inspectorates have been completed. This examination was conducted in May and June, and the examiners have been diligently engaged since then in arriving at the results. The returns of the examination held in the cities will not be ready for a fortnight, or thereabouts. The results for the four inspectorates are as follows: INSPECTORATE NO. 1.

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Sidney-No. of candidates, 4; passed, 8 William Beynon, 667: Harry Critchlev, 646: Carrie J. G. Brethour, 582. Strawberry Vale-No. of candidates, 2: F. F. Chandler, 682.

INSPECTORATE NO. 2 (Embracing the Lower Fraser). No. of candidates, 47; passed, 30. Aldergrove Centre.

Aldergrove-No. of candidates, 3; passed Margaret J. Miller, 718; Mildred K. Vanetta, 684; Muir M. Peterson, 588. Beaver-No. of candidates, 1: passed, (Belmont-No. of candidates, 3; passed, 2. Cassie Wilson, 635; Belle Anderson, 589. Dunach-No. of candidates, 1; passeu, 1 Thomas F. Phillips. 576.

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No. of candidates, 57; passed, 35. Ashcroft Centre. North Bend-No. of candidates, 1; pass ed, 1. Cicily A. Lyons, 750. Pavilion Mountain-No. of candidates, 1 passed, 0.

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Deep Creek-No. of candidates, 2; passed, 2. Elizabeth P. Pringle, 847; Sidney G. Parkinson, 712. allumcheen-No. of candidates, 2; pass ed, 1. Katharine Graham, 649.

Kamloops Centre. Kamloops-No. of candidates, 18; passed Walter J. Pearse, 796; Grace A. Taylor, 769; I. Norma McNab, 730; M. Leigh-

C. Wood, 640; Gladys I. F. Kelly, 632; Pearl C. Campbell, 622; Joseph D. Moore, 592; Evariste Goulet, 560; Clara R. Harnon, 553: Bernard Hirst, 553. passed, 4. Annie M. Willis, 575.

Shuswap-No. of candidates, 3; passed, 1 Frances S. Ross. 675. Spence's Bridge-No. of candidates, passed, 1. Georgina Maxwell, 566. Kamloops College (private school)-No. of candidates, 2; passed, 1. James McR. Brough, 626. candidates, 4; passed, 1. Annie McLean

Kelowna Centre Kelowna-No. of candidates, 4; passed, 1. Mary L. McCurdy, 659.
Okanagan—No. of candidates, 1; passed

Okanagan, South-No. of candidates, 1 Salmon Arm. East. Centre.

Dolan's Corners-No. of candidates, 1 passed. 0. Salmon Arm, West-No. of candidates, 7 passed, 5. Gertrude E. Harris, 646; M. Ethel Ruttan, 630; R. Leroy McIntyre, 628; Frances F. L. Harris, 620; E. Winnifred

Summerland-No. of candidates, 4: pass ed, 3. Florence G. Robinson, 686; Mary E. Brown, 622; Reginald Smith, 561, INSPECTORATE NO. 4. (Embracing East and West Kootenay).

No. of candidates, 79; passed, 45, Cranbrook Centre. Wardner-No. of candidates, 1; passed, 0

Elko-No. of candidates, 1: passed, 0. Fernie-No. of candidates, 3; passed, Muriel Whimster, 702; Lillie Sunberg, 672; rederick Johnson, 666. Golden Centre.

Golden-No. of candidates, 4: passed, 2

Albert G. Robbins, 695; Loretta Hennessy Greenwood Centre Greenwood-No. of candidates, 12; pass ed, 2. Harry A. Simmons, 617; Lloyd Hunter, 558

Midway-No. of candidates, 2; passed, 1. John S. Ferguson, 616. Phoenix-No. of candidates, 4: passed 2 abeth M. Gill, 688; P. Stanley Graham, Kaslo Centre.

Kaslo-No. of candidates, 9: passed, 6. 760; Alleen Garland, 733; Electa A. Power, 675; Jessie Macdonald, 650; Arthur H. Brown, 568. New Denver Centre

nnie G. Morrison, 613. New Denver-No. of candidates, 4; pass-Sandon-No. of candidates, 1; passed, 0. Silverton-No. of candidates, 5; passed, 4. Sarah A. Lawson, 675; Margaret McG. Barclay, 662; Alice Martin, 653; Janette G.

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Slocan-No. of candidates, 3; passed, Donald M. McGregor, 572. Revelstoke Centre. Revelstoke-No. of candidates, 21; passed, 19. Walley Clarke, 790; Hilda R. Hobbs 787; Pearl Robinson, 754; Mary Edwards, passed, 2. Catherine F. Case, 687; Rena 721; Arthur W. Bennett, 721; Joseph Hov son, 696; Geoffrey Haggen, 696; Elizabeth Bourget, 677; George Somes, 662; Eleanor Bell, 657; Josie Ainsile, 653; William J. Fraser, 647; Grace Gordon, 636; Harold E. Burridge, 626; Joseph A. Morgan, 625; War

Barclay, 578.

Trout Lake Centre Ferguson-No. of candidates, 2; passed, 2. Champion M. Nesbitt, 696; Robert A. Kirkpatrick, 663. Trout Lake-No. of candidates, 4; passed, Alexander McPherson, 648; Grace Mc-

Edith Cooke, 581; Margaret Calder, 579.

Pherson, 612. RHODES SCHOLARSHIP

Successful One Next We (From Thursday's Daily.)

The committee in whose hands lies the election of the young man to represent this province in the Rhodes Oxford scholarship, consisting of Chief Justice Hunter, Mr. Justice Duff and Superintendent of Education Robinson, met yesterday in the education office and examined the candidates, of whom there are five. Previous to the examination by the committee the candidates underwent a careful medical test by Dr. O. M. Jones. They are as follows: Harry Bray, of Nanaimo; Israel Rubinowitz, a graduate of McGill University of China, which is the kneymote of Secretary of State Hay's Far Eastern policy to which Creating the stop at Hull Island, where the natives came off, and, in return for their mail, presented the capture for the capture five. Previous to the examination by the They are as follows: Harry Bray, of Nanaimo; Israel Rubinowitz, a graduate of McGill University; A. W. Donaldson, tain has given adherence. who has passed his second year McGill Vancouver College, which is affiliated with the big eastern institution E. De Beck, who has also completed his S. G. T. Lucas, a graduate of Toronto University. The examination, which was carefully conducted by the commitgradually narrowed down to two candidates, after which the committee adjourned without arriving at any conclusion. A decision will be annot next week. This is the final test, the candidates all having passed their written examination last May.

The Driard is receiving guests and is not The Driard is receiving guests and is not only accommodating them with rooms, but is also providing a dining room service. There are already quite a number of guests registered at the hotel, among whom are: C. T. Hall, of Enderby; F. H. Whyte, of Toronto; Adam S. Collins and Mrs. Collins, of San Francisco; E. H. Langford and Mrs. Langford, a bridal couple, of Portland; J. M. Harris and Mrs. Harris, of Sandon; R. D. Vroom, of New York; A. E. Wood, of New Westminster; and Wm. Kirkpatrick, of Vancouver. Vancouver.

Mrs. G. C. Shaw, provincial secretary of King's Daughters, leaves for Toronto to-morrow to attend the annual meeting of the society. She will visit Golden en route, with her daughters.

Cancer and lumors.

Treated scientifically by a common sense method without pain, and in your own home, not even the members of your Wade, 694; Gordon S. Wood, 676; family need know it. No knife, no pain, George R. Stevens, 659; J. Fraser Mc. no plaster. Send 6 cents in stamps for fail to secure the support of his colDonald, 647; G. Gordon Evans, 646; Norman booklett, "Cancer, Its Cause and Cure,"

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FRENCH SHORE INTERESTING RI manders of Squadrons Confer Regarding Revival of Friction

St. Johns, Nfld., July 6 .- The crui Lavoisier, flagship of the French squadron, arrived here to-day. Her command-er conferred with Vice-Admiral Sir Archibald Douglas on the flagship Ari adne of the British squadron regu the revival of the serious friction along the French shore owing to mist standings between French and New foundland fishermen respecting the al tered status under the new French which has not yet been shore treaty ratified. The authorities of both countries regard the situation as very serious

THE MAD MULICAH.

His Forces Killed a Number of Natives Friendly to the British

London, July 7.-The Daily Mail's correspondent, under date of July 6th, says that the Mullah's forces have attacked the Somali, killing 50, levying on the natives friendly to the British and keeting and sheeting about 10,000 sheep and 50 cattle. They then retired. ursued by pioneers, who shot down 20 of the Mullah's men.

The Daily Mail's correspondent Berbera; the capital of Somaliland, maintains that the whole of the Somali-land campaign has been fruitless, the Mullah retaining full control of his particular region.

MILITIAMEN ARE ON DUTY AT SYDNEY, C.B.

There Has Been No Trouble With the Strikers-Fatal Beiler Explosion Near Hamilton.

Sydney, C. B., July 6.-Two hundred militiamen from Halifax, under command of Lieut.-Colonel Irving, D. O. C., arrived here this morning from Halifax. Immediately upon their arrival the magistrate and the strikers ordered to disperse, which they did without the least sign of resistance. The company has made an offer to the strikers of a slight made an offer to the strikers of a slight increase in wages, but this has not been accepted.

B. T. Ulrich, one of the arrivals by the steamer, was formerly a member of the Imperial Light Horse in South Africa. Since that time he has spent several years in New Zealand, Australia and the southern islands. For converted, riot act was read by the stipendiary Alfred H. Davies, 817; Hylliard T. Hartin, made an offer to the strikers of a slight

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fatality occurred here this afternoon. John Templeton, a prominent farmer and one of the pioneers of the district, was driving a load of lumber out of town when his team took fright near the railway station and ran away. Templeton slipped in front of the load and was kicked by one of the horses and the whole wagon passed over his chest, causing instant death. He was June 13th. Met with fine weather up a highly respected resident, about sixty years of age and unmarried. He was bane on the 15th. Left again on the one of the Canadian farmer delegates to 16th; passed R. M. S. Miowera at 6.30 England a year ago. B. Pettipiece, 622; Delia Morgan, 587;

Two Men Killed Hamilton, July 6.-A large boiler Peters & Cain's sawmill, about seven miles from here, exploded yesterday completely demolishing the mill and ina man employed in the mill.

stantly killing William Duncan Young, Wing, another employee, was fatally injured and survived only a few hours. Several others were more or less injured by falling timbers and steam. EXPEDITION TO THIBET

Britain Has No Intention of Permanently

Occupying the Territory. London, July 6.-The Associated Press learns from a high British source that exchanges of views are taking place between Great Britain and America with respect to Thibet. Being a dependency of China, Thibet is of considerable importance, especially to Am-

tain has given adherence. Mr. Hay, therefore, has watched with closest attention the British treatment official visit was observed, a most amusof the Thibetan question, and it is believed that Ambassador Choste has second year McGill course at Vancouver; delicately presented the possible bearing of the British military procedure on

Chinese integrity. It is understood that the British gov ernment frankly disavowed any ulterior ourpose regarding Thibetan territory, reiterating that it has no intention to permanently occupy Thibet, and that Great Britain's motives are those already proclaimed to the whole world.

In view of this declaration the British evernment announces that Brigadier-General Macdonald's expedition is ex pected to retire so soon as the purposes for which it was organized have be achieved.

NOT ALLOWED TO SPEAK.

London, July 6.-In the House Commons to-day the government suc ceeded in carrying through the first part of its closure programme on the asing bill, but Premier Balfour was denied a hearing, his frequent attempts to speak being drowned by loud cries of "Ga-Ga-Gag." Finally Mr. Balfour after hopelessly facing the tumult, sat This is said to be the first time in a

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SHIP CARRIED LARGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE

Sports and Games Were Provided and Freely Indulged In by the Passengers.

With nearly three hundred passengers

aboard, chiefly from points in Australia, the Canadian Pacific steamer Aorang presented on her arrival here from the South Seas Wednesday afternoon an appearance that would have impressed members of the Tourist Association, if any were on hand to have seen the ship. Many of the new arrivals were Australians, who have come north in search of new homes, there being those who had ired of conditions in the south and were desirous of a change. There were also a number going to the World's Fair, a number of round-the-world tourists and the usual complement of commercial men. The Right Hon. Lord Monk Bretton, who has been one of those touring for pleasure, landed at Victoria. G. C. Phillips, a brother of the esteemed skipper of the Aorangi, another passenger, represents Scott, Henderson & Company, of Sydney. He has come to Canada, and will cross to the American side to arrange for shipments of lumber to Australia. R. Noel Paton, the son of the samous Scottish landscape painter; Mrs. Paton, C. Chaffey, from the Denmark Irrigation Colony, South Australia, Who with his family expect to make British Columbia their home, and Mr. and Mrs. Hans Isenberg were among other pas-

increase in wages, but this has not been and the southern islands. For some time accepted. tion in the North Hebrides, but has de-cided to take up his residence in British Columbia. He accounts for the large passenger fraffic between Australia and this port at the present time as being es to quit the country. Joined with the drought which has prevailed in Shoal Lake, Man., July 6.-A sad Australia for several years is the addi tional trouble, he says, of too much gov ernment and too much arbitration. While New eZaland, according to him, is in a better condition, yet that colony also suffers from the same troubles. To the ascendancy gained by the Labor party he

ascribes the trouble. Purser Bellmaine's report of the vo age is as follows: Cleared Sydney Heads the Australian coast and arrived at Bris a. m. on the 17th, Matthew Island at 7 a. m. on the 19th, entered the Fiji gro on the 20th. The following day visited Hull Island at noon on the 23rd, and arrived at Honolulu on June 28th. Left again at 5 a. m. on the 29th; experienced light, variable winds with smooth sea

and fine weather throughout. "The voyage has been a breaker' in every way. She lands two hundred and eighty-seven (287) passengers in Canada, the largest number ever carried by this popular liner, evincing the popularity of the 'All Red Route.' "After embarking the New Zealand contingent at Suva, the really enjoyable part of the voyage began. A strong 'sports committee' formed with ample funds several fold hands at the game' were on board, and,

with such a president as Capt, Phillips, assisted by his 'right-hand man,' the chief officer, things were soon humming. , "A pleasing incident was afforded the passengers by the stop at Hull Island. ing, and occasionally, wildly exciting,

two hours were spent, 'all hands' enter

ing into the spirit of the fun. "Arriving at Honolulu on Tuesday night, June 28th, just too late for medical inspection, a good night's rest enjoyed and prepared everyone for the next day's ramble on shore; getting to the wharf at 745 a m and not leaving until 4.30 p. m., a splendid day with perfect weather was thoroughly appreciated. A cricket match, previously arranged by Capt. Phillips, was played against the Honolulu eleven, the ship's cricket match, previously arranged by Capt. Phillips, was played against the Honolulu eleven, the ship's cricket team being augmented by several of the pas-sengers, but there being no 'roll on' the 'leg breakers' were not quite so effective as on the ship, so the shoremen won by a narrow margin, but the game was thoroughly enjoyed by the enthusiasts. "The event of the voyage was a fancy dress ball," held on Saturday night, July 2nd. The sea was as calm as the proverbial pond, and although the 'ballroom' itself was perhaps a trifle hot, outside the light air was deliciously cool. The ballroom had been most artis tically decorated with bunting by the chief officer and his men, and, with modern British parliament when the Premier was refused a hearing on the light, the scene was very pretty. The

dresses were, with very few exceptions,

games with a concert, and was the night for hilarity and good feeling. As each recipient came for his or her prize they were greeted with wild war w.'hoops' and characteristic yells. After the concert speeches were given by our popular chairman, S. Fairbairn, Major Vans Agnew, Mr. Littlechild and Lord Mo. & Bretton, to which Captain Phillips responded in a neat little speech, and God Save the King brought to a close one of the most enjoy-able evenings of the many we have had while crossing the two Pacifics on the

good old Aorangi."

The Aorangi stayed over at Victoria om 5 p. m. to 3 a. m. The ship's freight was made up as follows: For Victoria-288 pieces spotted gum 50 cases sheep's tongues, 5 packages gur mountings, 4 cases fruit and 5 cases For Vancouver and points beyond

100 cases canned meats, 70 cases jams, 21 cases rabbits, 873 pieces timber, 8 cases personal effect's, 10 cases pine apples, 28 bales fur skins, 1 case kour gum, 34 bales wool, 38 bales rabbit skins, 1 case burners, 13 bales hemp, 1 sectional pump and 1 case wines.

News was brought from the West Coast through the return of the steamer Queen City Tuesday that the cannery at Clayoquot is working, and that salmon

The Queen City had been only as far as Aho usaht on this voyage. In port at several places a number of the sealing fleet were sighted. They were experiencing no trouble so far as known in securing Indian crews. The Rainbow and Jesse were in at Eucluelet, the Car rie C. W. and two other vessels were at Clayoquot, and Capt. McDougal and Capt, William Heater had their vessels at anchor in Ahousaht awaiting their native hunters. Capt. William Grant manager of the Victoria Sealing Comof the steamer. He had been down the coast looking after the business interests of his company.

Other arrivals were the members the party who left here on Saturday for the cable station at Bamfield, including Janies Kent, of Montreal, general manager of the C. P. R. telegraph lines: W J. Camp, electrical engineer of the tele-

TRAVEL TO TANANA. The rush from Dawson to the new that have recently been made in the Tanana district has assumed such proportions that the transportation question has become a difficult one. The large steamers which ply on the lower Yukon from Dawson to St. Michael are prevented from making fast trips to the Tanana district by the low water, and all the available supply of small boats has been pressed into service.

Transportation conditions are expected to improve in a short time, when another steamer which is now being fitted up is placed on the route. This is the steamer Florence S., which capsized some years ago in the Thirty-Mile river, and was raised again the following winter and taken to Dawson. She has lain their ever since, and is now being fitted with a new boiler and engines and upperworks, preparatory to being plathe Tanana run. She is one of the few river steamers on the Yukon that has a

HERE FOR ORDERS.

The four-masted Italian ship Regina Elena, 2,293 tons, Capt. Giaismo Ameglis, arrived in the Royal Roads Tuesday afternoon, 25 days from Yokohama. The voyage was uneventful, the only craft sighted en route being the outvessel was 25 days in Yokohama during which time all was quiet in the Japanes port. The ship is here for orders.

RESCUED A CHINAMAN. As the Empress of China was leaving her wharf, Vancouver, bound for the Orient, a Chinese passenger fell overboard. Charles Sprague, quartermaster, promptly jumped in after him, and kept the terrified Celestial above water unti a boat was lowered and both men taken on board. It all happened in a remarkably short time, says the News-Adver tiser, and the quick action is a credit to Sprague, and to the efficiency of the welldrilled crew of the Empress in getting a boat down so soon.

S. B. NETHERBY RETURES

Reduction in Number of School Inspector

in the Province. Inspector Netherby has retired from his position as inspector of the Vancouver Island schools. There has hitherto been four inspectors in the province, Inspector Netherby, of Victoria; Inspector Stewart, of Vancouver; Inspector Gordon, of Kamloops; and Inspector Wilson, of Nelson. The estimates provide for only three this year. The retirement of Mr. Netherby begins with July 1st.

The three remaining inspectors will cover the work, but the distribution of territory has not yet been decided upon. One of them will undoubtedly reside in Victoria. Inspector Netherby has retired from his

ANY STIFF JOINTS OR SORE MUSCLES?

NO SENSE IN EXPERIMENTING-YOU WANT A "CURE"-NER-VILINE IS YOUR REMEDY-UNSURPASSED FOR DESTROY Don't wait till you are laid up. The

first ache must be conquered before it Get Polson's Nerviline, it fights pains and aches to a finish. Nerviline is made to fight against rheumatism, lumbago Kingham, S. Leiser, L. G. McQuade, T. W. right stuff to destroy the pain and de- Todd.

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FOR ASCENDENCY IN THE BOARD OF TRADE

The Organization is Split into Two Factions- Each Party Has Nominated a Ticket.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

poard of trade which will be held tomorrow afternoon promises to be full of the liveliest interest. The two factions into which this organization has been divided will confront one another in battle array and in the election of officers the question of ascendancy will be settled. That there would be a fight for predominance at the annual meeting those who have followed the proceedings

at the various gatherings have been fully aware. The board has practically been split into two camps, one consisting comprised the Chamber of Commerce and the other of members who have been associated with the older section of the The Morley-Elworthy incident and the agitation it provoked in the board was

an indication that the feeling was be coming acute, and now each side is rep resented in the field by a ticket. A card made its appearance, naming for vice president Geo. Carter, and for secretary A. B. Fraser, sr., as well as a numbe of gentlemen for council. These consti-tuted the ticket proposed by those gentleboard formerly connected with the Chamber of Commerce.

They also issued a circular addressed to the business men of Victoria, in which appear the following suggestions, which they hope to see carried out: T. That regular general meetings be held in the evening at least once each month, and that all business of importance shall

be dealt with in general meeting.

2. That the council, with the aid of the committees working in conjunon with it, prepare and submit all mat of importance to the general meetings. ters . council and standing committee resent a progressive policy for shall each p. general meeting, and re of actual work accomendorsement at a

various committees are working ener-4. All technicalities and forms be eliminated from by-5. Economy in all expenditures. Print.

matter of value, such as trade bulletins, etc., issued. 6. Instructive lectures in trade interests given during winter months.
7. The principal feature conducive to a

city's welfare, viz.: The encouragement of existing industries and establishment of new ones be made a leading work of the board, and a special standing committee 8. There being full assurance of a per nanent exhibit of home manufactures being supported by the manufacturers them-

elves, no time should be lost in its estab the other boards of trade of the province.

10. A systematic and continuous effort to draw trade to Victoria through old and new

channels. The circular also solicits support for ward bound Japanese liner Kanagawa
Maru. The Regina Elena is a new ship,
built last year in Italy. She took
lumber to Yokohama from Chili. The
vessel was 25 forms. Cameron, Phil. R. Smith, Geo. Carter, G. McCandless, S. R. Newton, H. B. Thompson, J. Paterson, J. Yorke, W. B. Williams, S. Shore, F. A. Pauline and

A. J. Morley. The other faction in return has issued the following to members of the board Victoria, B. C., July 6th, 1904.

To the Members of the Victoria Board of Trade: Gentlemen:-A card soliciting the support f members of the Board of Trade for the following "ticket" for the executive and council is being circulated at the present time and active canvassing in support of the same is being carried on:

President, ——; vice-president, Geo. Carter; secretary, A. B. Fraser, sr. Council-W. T. Andrews, Fred. Carne, Anton Henderson, J. A. Hinton, Thomas Rooper, W. K. Houston, R. Machin, P. C. MacGregor, F. A. Pauline, Luke Pither, Chris. Spencer, C. J. V. Spratt, E. Temple, the secretary was instructed to have the H. B. Thompson, W. T. Williams.
On the back of one of such cards is writ-

ten and initialled, "Pay your dues-be present-vote straight ticket." It is well understood that this "ticket" has been organized by one or two dissatisfied members who have joined the board during the past year, and its character and object may be seen when it is stated that not one of the members of the executive and council elected at the last annual meeting is proposed on the "ticket" as a nember of the council.

While deprecating in the strongest manner the formation of "tickets" in the board elections, many members of the board feel. now that their hands have been forced, that some concerted action should be taken in the inferests of the board to prevent the connection with Labor Day celebration will be held on Tuesday evening next, carrying out of such a revolution as the when reports from the various sub-comelection of the above ticket would involve. With this object in view the following gentlemen have consented to stand for elecion at the annual meeting on Friday

next, the 8th inst.: President, S. J. Pitts; vice-president, W. T. Oliver; secretary, F. Elworthy, Council-J. L. Beckwith, W. H. Bone, W. F. Bullen, Capt. J. G. Cox, J. Forman, T M. Henderson, S. Jones, D. R. Ker, Paterson, J. J. Shallcross, J. Simon, C. F. It will be observed that the above list

business interests of Victoria. The appearance of this circular has roused the ire of champions of the other faction, and Mr. Morley replies as fol-

includes representatives of nearly all the

ressive element of the board forming ticket have, still deprecating, come to earth and done likewise. It is only necessary to place the circular and ticket issued some days back in the name of progress, side by side with the circular and ticket just isned representing the "Board of Trade" interest, to see plainly that the first is for the whole city and progress, the last for

the Board of Trade as it was. The last named circular states that the former ticket "has been organized by one or two dissatisfied members." This was not so, as it was organized by a committee of fourteen business men appointed by neeting of business men. It was made up, as can be clearly seen, of many who have been members of the board for years, with only two Chamber of Commerce men on the

Their circular makes a strong point that "not one of the members of the executive an decouncil elected at the last annual meeting is proposed on the tocket as a member of the council." This is only partially true. covering the time only till amalgamation with the Chamber of Commerce. Further states that "concerted action should be taken in the 'interests of the heard' (not of the city) to prevent the carrying out of such a revolution as the election of the above ticket would involve." Some of the members who have regularly attended the work of the board understand too well what " the interests of the board" means and how strongly some of the older mem-

bers object to a change.

These "Board of Trade" champions have plainly shown their hand at the last minute, with them it is all the time "the Board of Trade," which stands in the eyes of the city and province for past history and stagnation. The progressive members are intent on the growth and prosperity of our city as a whole, with fairness to all and favor to none.

The progressive ticket is clearly made up of all interests in the city, the so-called Board of Trade ticket has only one retailer and but two manufacturers out of eighteen. In the name of progress,

There will be, therefore, a fight fonorrow between two factions board of trade, which is supposed to have single eye to the prosperity of the city. To-morrow's meeting may result in the burying of the hatchet or it may merely aggravate the feeling of bitterness which has existed for some time.

OFFICERS ELECTED At Wednesday's meeting of the Trades

and Labor Council-Preparing

For Celebration. More than ordinary enthusiasm is nanifest at the meetings of Victoria Trades and Labor Council, on account of the approaching Labor Day celebration, which is to be held in this city. Arrangements are being made which will insure a monster demonstration, and the

getically to that end. Encouraging reports were presented at the meeting of the council Wednesday, it is fully expected that Vancouver, and Ladysmith will join heart-

Nanaim 'cal unionists to make the ily with the A or the biggest ever celebration this ye. held in British Columb. - being the The meeting last evening first of the half-yearly term, a of new delegates were seated, an them being Geo. Coldwell and J. D. Me. Niven, M. P. P., representing the Typo

graphical Union; Jas, Turnbull and Thos. Renfrew, from the Machinists' Union; F. Heanski, Ed. Gilligan and R. Rvan, from the Painters' Union W W Keown and M. Meiss, from the Cigarmakers' Union.

The secretary's half-yearly report showed that there were 23 unions repre-sented on the council board for 47 delegates. The treasurer's half-yearly report was also presented, showing a good, healthy condition of the treasury. The president reported that he had attended the annual meeting of the sp scribers of the Royal Jubilee hospital, and had invited the board and the executive of the Ladies' Auxiliary to be pres-

ent at a meeting of the council for the purpose of conferring together as to the best means of assisting the hospital. The secretary was instructed to send an invitation for the meeting of August 3rd.
Secretary Draper, of the Dominion Labor Congress, wrote in reply to the council that he had no reason to doubt that arrangements could be made to have the Labor Congress hold its 1905

Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, wrote saying that, in compliance with the request of the council, William McKny had been commissioned as organizer. Resolutions of sincere regret and con-dolence with the family of Brother and Organizer T. H. Twigg were passed, and

convention in Victoria.

same engrossed and forwarded to his family and relatives. Instructions were given the executive to wait upon the provincial government with the object of inducing them to appoint some member of organized labor on the Royal Jubilee hospital board, to fill the vacancy created by the death of the late T. H. Twigg.

The election of officers resulted as follews: President, Geo. A. Coldwell, unanimously re-elected; vice-president, E. Kermode; financial and recording secretary, Christian Sivertz; treasurer, A. Johnson; sergeant-at-arms. Allan Jeeves: executive, J. D. McNiven, M. P. P., W. E. Keown and Richard Ryan. A meeting of the general committee in

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A remarkable pupil in Indianapolis is Amanda Foley, a colored woman who, at To the Editor:—So the gentlemen who so the age of 58, has just begun going to strongly deprecated the action of the pro-

British Columbia's two leading states men have been touring the interior and making promises. In case the public has any doubts about the identity of these notables, we may say Hon, Messrs, Mo Bride and Green are the gentlemen who lead the distinguished coterie of public men who undertake to enunciate immor al principles in the name of the Conservative party of Canada.

The Premier and his chief lieutenand are the kindred spirits of the cabinet, In thought and deed and disposition, they are so much alike that separation even for a short time would be intolerable. In some manner the truth has been borne in upon their souls that the government has lost popularity-if it ever had anyin the interior. They went forth, the Premier with his winning, irresistible smile, and his open, glad hand; the Chief Commissioner with his insinuating, deprecating, apologetic, and it must be confessed somewhat repellent manner-together the twain went forth to remove they are going forward and achieving wrong impressions and to make strong

As a measure of atonement for the years. Speculator after speculator has professions. wrong it has done because it had not come forward and offered to convert the strength to do right, the government is going to "undertake" a "strong" railway policy very soon. At the next session of the Legislature it will take up the question of the "opening up of the province." During the late session it had scores of schemes before it, but they were all of a doubtful, speculative character, and not worthy of the serious attention of a government bent upon serious business and led by such a seriousminded man as the Premier of the Thoughtful Brow and his Lieutenant of the Portentous Front. As the administration is such a genuine, hall-marked affair, founded upon good faith and created in a frank and noble spirit of general disinterestedness and unimpeachable integrity, it is natural that anything of a spurious character should the by-law will be so generally supportprove repugnant to its spirit. Therefore Messrs. McBride and Green, with the assistance of the keen and watchful and suspicious Wilson, the Attorney-General whose presence is immaterial in the conduct of business across the Bay, have consumed all the false railway schemes in the scorching flames of investigation, and will present the others to their supporters of divergent views. If the boss of the concern from Nanaimo approves the policy will be developed and brought forth in an act. If the evil divinity which shapes the ends of the government frowns, then what can a Premier do but withdraw his policy? Surely he cannot be expected to resign as a matter of principle! That would be an absurd climax to the career of an administration that has hitherto shaped its course in accordance with the grand and unassailable Conservative principle of the master spirit of the combination must be placed at a very high figure before Premier McBride will consider it too dear. As he has himself admitted, he values office; so we may take the liberty of saving for him, he would probably serve under Premier Hawthornthwaite

Now as regards the railway policy which is to do wonderful things for the development of our "unparalleled rescurces," the Premier "has no hesitation of the merits of "protection up to the be fought upon even terms and fairly in saying" that he has sifted out several hilt," that country is the United States. achieved. It is no uncommon thing for genuine schemes, of which the oft-dis- And there seems to be little doubt that batsmen in a cricket match who have cussed Coast-Kootenay railway is the in course of time the experiment will be been mistakenly declared not out by an some connection between this project, the the test will see something worth while. present tour of the ministers, and the In the meantime it is consoling to rebye-election which will shortly be held in Lillooet if the circumstances appear favorable. One of the remarkable features of our political life is the close affinity between railway policies and elections. The electors have been duped time and again, but there never was a government that did not think them as eager as ever to rise to the lure.

rather than step out of public life.

LIGHTNING'S PLAYFUL TRICKS.

At times the people on the other side of the mountains must be very careful; made a legitimate use of these facts. purposes quite as mischievous as those same piece with the American four-bag- great as was anticipated. It is a sorry struggling in the sea, having preferred

They are surely worthy of a prominent n advertising matter. THE BY-LAW

To-morrow the ratepayers of Victoria will be accorded the privilege of voting for or against the C. P. R. hotel by-law We assume that all qualified electors of the city have already given the matter their most serious consideration, and that all but a very few have made up their minds that it is their duty to support the project. There is one fact that should not be forgotten: the polls close at four o'clock. Belated voters who seek admission to the booths after that time will find that they have lost their oppor-

It is no doubt true, as will be contend ed by some objectors, that if the property were left in its present state for the necessary period of time, it would come of considerable value as ar asset of the city. But this is an impatient age. The people are not satisfied unless things. The sats have been lying in their natural state for a great many them, to practical uses if he were accorded certain privileges. But capital was sceptical and refused to permit itself to be applied to the utilization of the unsavory area. It would not come in. None of the schemes proposed promised such advantages to Victoria as the one which is now on the brink of realization. We think that will be admitted. The erection of such a hotel as that contemplated in the agreement with the C. P. R. will result in the conversion of what is now an offence to the senses into peaceful methods. Great Britain will one of the attractions of a by no means unattractive city. The forward movement will begin immediately. The present generation will participate in it. It will not be an event reserved specially for posterity. That is one reason why ed Another reason is that the co-operation of the C. P. R. in the development of tourist travel will be secured. The great railway corporation will henceforth take a friendly interest in Victoria. Weshall have a substantial guarantee that its employees have withdrawn their

should have a wholesome effect. Let all who are in favor of the by-law -and those who are unfavorably disposed also do their duty by casting their ballots before four o'clock.

hostility-something that is said to have

existed only in the imagination of super-

sensitive Victorians. At any rate, the

guarantee that there is no such feeling

MISCHIEVOUS AGITATORS

It is a pity that "flag incidents," customs collisions, and irritating events of various kinds keep cropping up in our relations with our neighbors in the triffing irruptions are inevitable, and treme protectionists succeed in carrying sent to the hermetical sealing up of all tion of unauthorized weapons in an inports. If there is any country on earth | ternational rifle match. that should be sufficient unto itself and is capable of furnishing an illustration tried. The generation which witnesses

flect upon the generally cordial relations of the two nations, considering the closeness of their proximity and the unavoidanother. There have been boundary dis- the noise possible on the coaching lines putes, all sources of considerable irritaamicable manner-with theral concessions to the stronger power, of course. Canadians have accepted the judgments with protests, but have loyally abided by

say, what else could we do? In considering this important matter what they take in their hands. A short of international relations, it must be evitime ago a young man who was carrying dent to all fair-minded observers that to the average American a cricket match, a hay fork was struck by lightning and the feelings of the masses of the people be the fielding never so perfect nor the instantly killed. The steel points of the of the United States and Canada toimplement attracted the bolt, which wards one another are quite as cordial pressing affair, On the other hand, the passed through his body. In another case as the relations of the residents of one a knife was wrenched from the hand of state of the union or of citizens of the fills a Briton with something akin to a man and broken into three pieces. The various cities of the states towards each disgust. An American, writing to the individual was permitted to retain his other. Apparently it has never enterlife; but the feat was performed with ed the minds or hearts of any class in such celerity that he had not time to either country that there is a possibility ball is something decidedly wild and think, much less to ejaculate, "this is so of appeal to any court other than the sudden!" A little girl had the heels of peaceful court of arbitration as a means her shoes torn off, probably as a de-monstration of the merciful powers of the putes. It is infinitely to the credit of the forty-rod whiskey to weak tea, pande mysterious forces of nature when they people of both countries that such is the are in benign humor. It is seldom indeed case. There could be no finer tribute that those struck by lightning live to to the influences which prevail in the tell of the sensations they experience educational institutions of the North when the shock is applied. As the American continent than the fact that population of the East thickens storms such is the case. It is deplorable that in St. Paul's. are beginning to be regarded as of there are newspapers on ether side of the alarming import.. Lightning does a large boundary capable of striving to stir up amount of damage yearly to property, latent prejudices by demanding that preand takes a large and constantly increas- parations shall be made for a state of ing number of human lives. The con- strife which may never arise-which can batted." templation of these facts ought to remind never arise if the counsels of reasonable residents on the North Pacific Coast, and men are heeded. The Toronto News the fortunate people who inhabit the has been so carried off its balance by its as though he was at a funeral and fearneighborhood of Victoria especially, that zeal for the mistaken cause of Lord ed he might disturb the mourners. not the least of the blessings they enjoy Dundonald that it has been making all is the complete absence of the depressing sorts of inflammatory appeals for the entire congregation, for presently there heat that precedes thunderstorms. Here adequate defence of the boundary be- was an outbreak of anaemic handelanthe glare of the lightning's flash is a tween the United States and Canada. Its ping which lasted about thirty seconds. curiosity, the roll of thunder is a sound views have been telegraphed to newsthat is seldom heard. It is rather sur- papers of its own incendiary class in the that is seldom heard. It is rather surpapers of its own incendiary class in the this ladylike excitement. He had made prising that tourist associations have not United States and are being used for a boundary hit, an achievement off the

of the original propagandist. The News, apparently, has been unable to unearth the mission for which it hungers and thirsts. It thought the government

Hon. G. W. Ross was tottering to doom, and it sought to secure ere dit for the administration of the der The Ross government is as a crong as on the day the journalistic Don Quixote mounted his spirited couched his inky lane ader believed there was a possibility of a Conservative g' sverament being returned to power af Ottawa within a year or two. Here was another opportunity that could not be neglected of posing as a king-me ker and reaping prestige. Sir Wilf Ad Laurier is too well armed to be

merable to the ordinary assaults of the ast of the knights-errant, therefore apneals are made to the passions and the prejudices of the jingoes. If Canada does not construct forts all along her boundary of three thousand miles, some day the trained veterans of Uncle Sam's little wars, now maintained along the border in readiness for the event, will cross over and hoist the stars and stripes. There will be no adequate defence to oppose them. That is the latest campaign cry. The annexationist press in the United States is calling attention to it. There are no forts worthy of the name on either side of the boundary at present. The United States finds con siderable difficulty in keeping its stand ing army up to paper strength. The con ditions on the border are precisely what they have been for four decades. There is no likelihood of any misunderstand ing between the United States and Can ada which cannot be settled by the usual make considerable sacrifices in order to maintain peaceful relations with her great neighbor. If any political party in the United States were to propose wanton aggression against Canada, the spirit of freedom and justice is sufficiently strong in the country to insure its im-

mediate popular condemnation. The bubbles of irritation over shipping regulations, customs laws and boundary disputes are easily pricked. It is little short of criminal to attempt to magnify them into reasons for defensive war preparations.

CRICKET, BASEBALL, ETC.

We suspect climatic conditions mus that offers even of subterfuge, in order

The Briton is so constituted that he can see no glory in a victory unless it umpire to deliberately give away their wickets on the first opportunity. As a contrast to the etiquette of the cricket field, consider the spirit which animates the players in a game of baseball. "Everything goes." Bump into the able dealings they have with one players; upset their nerves by making all or in the stand; wrangle with the umpire tion. But all have been settled in an and if possible induce him to be partial in his judgment. It is a fact that umpires seem obliged to depress the ba ances in favor of the home teams. In cases in which the players are evenly the verdicts. As our neighbors would matched, the home nine will take four games out of five. And all this is considered perfectly legitimate.

The point of view is so different that hatting never so skilful, is a most deconduct of a crowd at a baseball match New York Times, says the Englishman 'brought up on cricket" look upon basewoolly: that the game and its accessories, compared with his own national monium to a monk's cloister.

"Do you open these cricket games I ventured to ask a Britisher who was watching a match at Lord's in just about the frame of mind he would safely be at a Lenten service "Oh, no," he replied in matter-of-fact

fashion, quite oblivious of the sarcasm of the injuiry.

A moment later I heard him remark in voice just above a whisper, "Nicely "Yes," responded the man to whom

the remark was made, he too speaking The judgment of these two worthie evidently epitomized the sentiment of the

ands together, without giving so much as one yell of delight. A correspondingly good play on the New York baseball grounds would bring

on a frenzy, and everything in Tom Browne's pictures of the bleachers would have instant incarnation. Just fancy a baseball enthusiast solemnly whispering his satisfaction to the man alongsid on an occasion like that. He's kely to shout the top of the man's head off in his delirium. Imagination abso lutely balks when one bids it contemp late an American crowd taking its base ball as the English take their cricket. So it is that when the Englishman, and especially the impressionable lishman of the Tom Browne type, sees his first game of American baseball bizarre pictures form in his mind, and if he is able to put them on paper they are worth looking at.

The American Tom Browne hould try to interest Englishmen with ions of a cricket match would his impres be apt to fail for lack of striking characteristics. He would be apt to turn out some extremely dull cartoons. If he was not watchful over himself he might be overcome with melancholy, for that's a thing that quite commonly happens with Americans who are used to the pandemonium of a baseball field when they get into a cricket inclosure.

There may be 10,000 persons as-sembled at Lord's watching a cricket match, but for most of the time they are so solemn and still that an American has a feeling somewhat akin to awe in their presence. The silence of the cemetery is quite rollicking in comparison that which possesses the cricket

Hour after hour the game goes with its thirteen white-garbed players in the midst of the great green oval, silently moving about as decorous as thirteen tombstones. Hour after hour the thousands on the benches watch the bowling, the batting and the fielding, without giving any more thrilling evidence of excitement than those occasional ladylike half-minute doses of handclapping. It is not absolutely certain that the conservative frequenters of the field approve of even that mild form of demonstration. The chances are it seems rather boisterous to them.

There's hardly a doubt they would welcome its displacement by that token of approbation affected by the Christian Endeavorers and the Women's Christian Temperance Union, and euphemistically known as the "Chautauqua salute."

Then the game would be as noiseless as a rubber-tired baby wagon without any baby in it.

General Piet Cronje, whom we think we have read of before, was one of the have something to do with the difference special features of the fourth of July in the mental attitude of the Briton and celebration at the world's fair in St. the American towards the sports in Louis. It seems the general has descendwhich there is supreme delight on both | ed from an estate that was lofty in com sides of the water. As they both started parison with his present status. He is out from the same point there must an attraction in a "Boer encampment" surely be some physical cause for the in the fair grounds. He is on an equalremendous divergence of ideas. It may ity with the Filipinos and other Asiatics be that the Englishman carries hie pref- who have passed through here to play erence for absolutely fair play to ex- the part of freaks at St. Louis. But the tremes, as for example when his training general has created of himself a special whispers that it is bad form to take feature. His admiration for the Ameriexpediency! The price of the support of United States. We suppose such cover in battle. There are surely oc- can people and the American system of casions when it is perfectly legitimate government, to say nothing of American will keep on occurring, unless the ex- to take advantage of every opportunity dollars and the easy manner in which they may be acquired by celebrities of their principles to their logical sequence, to win. On the other hand, the Ameridoubtful calibre, was aroused to such an convince the free people of the republic can thirst for victory can hardly be conthat all trade and intercourse is an un-sidered a natural appetite when it leads an American wife of Dutch extraction alloyed evil, and persuade them to con- to such sporting vices as the substitu- Piet has not lost all the piety which distinguished his character before he be came an American and an attraction. He could not consent to a public wedding. He still regards the marriage relation as sacred. Therefore he was married privately. But immediately after the ceremony he became a public character again, as we are told he drove four horses, and was the chief guest at a public banquet given in the Boer encampment. May the hero live long and prosper with his bride, "which she was a widder." May there be no reason for a widder." May there be no reason for acceptance of the struggling masses, some on their contains a thought of self, placed women and second mate in charge. his becoming enamored with that other great American institution, the diverge great American institution, the divorce others supplicating aid from anyone and court.

> The anti-union league of Colorado on the whole is dominant just now. But the federation representatives get in a counter stroke occasionally. According to the only judgment possible from the facts before us, both bodies are determined to demonstrate that they regard the law of the state with contempt. The authorities are helpless or do not dare the occupants began to lower the boats. to act; the federal powers cannot be ex- The starboard lifeboats began slowly to ercised because that would be acting un- fall, when, to the horror of those on constitutionally. Just as an expression of their regard for the anarchists who have usurped the powers of the state and are governing in accordance with their own ideas of what the law should be, the union men took a mine superintendent of Trinidad, beat him, made a number of incisions in his body with sport, was as fireworks to candle flares, knives, and finally left him on the railway track in the hope that a passing locomotive would do the rest and relieve them, according to the letter of the ignored law, of responsibility for the law is by no means a perfect instrument for the adjustment of the relations between man and man, but it is better to keep it in force in its imperfect state than appeal to force in the hope of ob- in spite of the frantic efforts of the pas taining redress. The time will come when the demand in all countries for the removal of legal abuses will prove irresistible. We are by no means free from them in Canada.

. . . Our esteemed friend William Randolph Hearst is scarcely mentioned as a pre- it was apparent to everyone that only a sidential possibility, although the choice few minutes more and she would plunge of a Democratic candidate may be announced at any time. The influence of a battery of newspapers and of an un- Still another jumped into the water, and limited supply of dollars was not so soon a round hundred of persons were

been carried on for years in the hope of boosting an imposs

Premier McBride says he and his govpolicy. It is said the ministers look upon the Grand Trunk Pacific scheme with more benignant eyes, and that it is possible that great project may be inpolicy of the administration-provided that impeccable watchdog the President of the Council can be induced to withhold criticism.

Nikola Tesla the mysterious is still talking about what he is going to do with electric currents without the aid of wires. In the meantime Marconi is utilizing the mystery in its unrestrained form, and Edison is directing it along ordinary channels for the benefit of the race. Tesla is a mystery constructed on the same principles as the late Mr. Keely.

CAPTAIN GUNDELL TELLS OF DISASTER

Steamer Went Down Twelve Minutes After She Struck Rock - Statements of Survivors.

Grimsby, Eng., July 4.-A lone pile of granite rising sheer out of the Atlantic 290 miles from the Scottish mainland, is now a monument to almost seven hundred dead. The bodies wash against the rocks or lie in the ocean bed at its base. Nearby, hidden by the water, is the Scandinavian-American liner Norje, which was carrying eight hundred Danes. Norwegians, Swedes and Finns to join relatives or friends in America, Of these

only about 130 were saved. No tragedy has had more appalling consequences and none has occurred in a shorter time. The passengers were suddenly aroused from their sleep, terrified by the contact of the bow of the ship grinding, rasping sound as if the hull was being shoved over huge rocks, and heard a stentorian voice give the terrifying order: All hands on deck; hurry, or you may sink." Immediately there was a rush for the narrow companion-ways, and men, women and children pushed and struggled and made every effort to reach the deck where the boats swung from the davits. Many persons, retaining their presence of mind, seized life preservers, only to find, in some instances, that the strings were rotten and that they could not be quickly put around their bodies.

Those who reached the decks saw the lose of the Norje pinned directly against the rocks. It remained there only a few minutes, for Capt. Gundell, who had immediately gone to the bridge, gave the order to the engineers to reverse the engines. Some men of the engine force had relatives among the passengers, and after seeing them safely to the boats. they heroically returned to their stations below. Slowly the ship backed off, and as she gained way it was found that water was pouring into her hold.

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The Fortunate Ones who were to escape while the unfortunshricking for permission to enter the boats, elbowing, fighting their way to the the steamer returned to deep water, the sea rushed hungrily into the huge rents made by the made in the first same and the sank. made by the rocks in the iron hull. Swiftly the vessel began to sink by the bows.

Without waiting for orders, without paying attention to their proper manning, there, apparently, was no discipline, the occupants began to lower the boats. board, the stern tackle failed while the bow tackle ran freely. Soon the boat was almost perpendicular. Those who were in it clung desperately to the sides of the seats until a great wave came towering along and struck smashing it against the side of the ship; the occupants of the boat who were not killed by the impact, were thrown into

the water. The crew and passengers on deck had o time to spare to assist the few who had a chance to escape, and all were lost. Undeterred by the experience of the first boat, a second, loaded principally with women and children, was lowered. actual severance of the vital cord. The This time the tackle ran smoothly, but the hopes of escape of the passengers on board were again blasted. The moment it touched the water waves picked up the small craft as if it had been a feather and dashed it against the side of the ship sengers to fend it off. The crash was heard on deck. Then the sea

Swallowed More Victims

and pieces of wreckage slowly drifted towards the rock.

The upper deck of the Norje at the time of the disaster to the second boat was only a few feet from the water, and

beneath the waves. Suddenly one man threw himself over-board, and another followed his example.

merged with the ship. Others determ ed to stand by the ship, hoping against, ope that she would remain affoat,

Three boats, it is known, successfully reached the sea, the passengers ernment have at last evolved a railway frantically pulling away from the doomed ship, passing by poor wretches who were still afloat, and who vainly begged to be taken on board, while from the ship came long, despairing cries. The women in the boat which reached volved in some mysterious manner in the Grimsby hid their eyes, but the men who were sitting facing the Norje say they saw the captain still on the bridge and the passengers on deck in attitudes of resignation. While they looked the steamer plunged forward, her stern shot up in the air and she disappeared. The swimmers in the vicinity of the ship were rawn into the vortex, around which they swirled like chips in the maelstrom. But twelve minutes elapsed from the time the ship struck until she sank.

A fine Scotch mist, which was falling t the time shut out the other survivors from the view of those who were brought Grimsby. The latter, so soon as their boat was clear of the scenes of the wreck, devoted themselves to

Thoughts of Their Own Safety. A jacket was tied to an oar, which was in turn fastened to the bow of the boat, and a sailor took charge. Men and women were put to work keeping the showed that it did not contain a drop of water. There were some biscuits, however, and these were eaten by the shipwrecked people during the twenty-four ours from the time the ship struck, at 7 a. m., June 28th, until they were pickl up by the Grimsby trawler Karl Mathiseon, the Danish sailor

who assumed command of the boat prought to Grimsby, only joined the Norje at Copenhagen just before she sailed for New York. He said he knew nothing about the ship's arrangements in case of collision or fire. He had never een instructed in fire drill and did not inderstand what it meant. He was on leck when the vessel struck, but did not ow until he heard the captain shouting the order to man the boats that the damage was great. Mathieson said to the

porter of the Associated Press: 'I worked with the third mate and followed him to the different boats. The first we attempted to lower fouled her tackle, keeping her stern fixed while her bow fell and shot the occupants into the water. A heavy sea washed the boat against the ship's side. We went to nother, a crowd of shricking women and children following. The launching operations were not conducted simultaneousy, the officers and crew going from one to another. Had men been set to work at each boat many would have been saved. Some of the crew were worse than the passengers, and but for the offiwith the solid granite, followed by a cers would have put off in the boats nemselves. They were driven back by being threatened with death unless the beyed orders. The captain never left the bridge, but he shouted so many orders that the crew did not know what to

Therefore, I stuck to the third mate. Together we jumped into a small oat just before the vessel went down, out we did not think so many were left chind as appeared on the ship when the Norje went down. Those who put out were chiefly women and children. I saw the other boats, one a big lifeboat easily carrying 60 persons and the other a small boat, carrying possibly 40. No ther boats got away.'

Though there were eight hundred on board, many

Deeds of Heroism hone brightly through the pall of disaster. That of Jas. Peter Janson, who has relatives in Brooklyn, is told with adiration by the survivors. He was one of the engineers of the Norje. When the ship struck he learned the extent of the the decks of the sinking ship. The legs damage and went below to find his relations and told them and those nearby to go at once to the upper deck. He accompanied them to the boats and saw them | were taken to the Sailors' Home. around the city in a Cape cart drawn by out in Scandinavian, added to the agony. safely on board. He was urged to join The third mate states that three other The passengers who were piled in the them, but said he must remain in the boats started with that rescued by the engine room and shouted a farewell to his | Largo Bay. One of these contained 32 friends.

Some of the male passengers, without main behind rather than take advantage of their strength. The mate of July 3rd. For these boats the British the Norje who left the ship in the boat gunboat Leda, the government fishing which arrived here, seeing that it was cutter Jacka, a steamer chartered by the overcrowded, leaped into the water for Dutch consul at Glasgow and several places from which the boats were being lowered. The sound of grinding ceased and the bow of the Norje yawned. As short distance when well and only gone a short distance when well and the bow of the Norje yawned. As

> The crew of the Norie appear to have behaved well after the first panic, when it is said the officers were compelled to drive them back from the boats. But the bridge being misinterpreted or unheard. So far as the survivors here renember, there was no systematic distribution of people to the boats, which were ot adequately manned. No attempt was made by any of the survivors to save property. There was no time to make

Captain Among Survivors.

Stornoway, Scotland, July 4,-Thirtytwo survivors of the Danish steamer Norje were landed here to-day by the British steamer Servona. Seventy survivors were also taken off the German steamer Energie. They were all in a pitiful condition. Many were taken to the hospital and most of them had to be carried ashore.

Among those on board the Energie

was Capt. Gundell, of the Norje. He

"All went well until about 7.45 o'clock last Tuesday. When about one-quarter mile south of Rockhall, I felt the steamer strike heavily on a rock. There was a gentle breeze blowing from the south with a cloudy sky. I was on the bridge with Chief Officer Carpenter. Soundings were taken, and it was reported there were five feet of water in the forward hold. Orders were given to commence pumping and also to the passengers to put on life-belts and get ready to get into the boats, which were ordered

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Capt. Gundell declared that his intention was to put the ship about and beach her, but that she went down so rapidly that he was unable to do so. He said he arranged for one of the boats to hang off Rockhall in the hope of falling in with some steam trawlers which was passed by the Norje an hour before she was wrecked.

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SENATOR MACDONALD'S AMENDMENT DEFEATED

The Government Promise Legislation to Compel Building of Road from the West.

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"The work of locating and constructbusiness like manner as that. The railing the said western division shall be nenced forthwith after the ratifica- way cannot be built-I am not a railtion of this agreement by the parliament of Canada, and shall proceed with the this matter—in seven or eight years from utmost dispatch and shall be completed the present time, seven years from next December, unless work is prosecuted diliithin five years from the first day of mountains. - It will take the seven years act of God, the King's enemies, internal disturbances, epidemics, floods or other lish the western terminus, complete the causes beyond the control of the comsurveys and build the five or six hundred pany. And, in case of the interruption miles of the mountain section; so that I r obstruction of the work of construction say the company, without any any of the said causes, the time fixed for the completion of the said tion is bound to commence on the Pacific western division shall be extended for a coast. At the same time if the adoption of an amendment of this kind would not

orresponding period."

It goes on to limit the time for commy hon. friend from Victoria in support of it. The hon. secretary of state has ion. That is ample to protect British Columbia-the company are bound to er of fact, the surveys along the Pacific out the conditions of the agreement in coast and up to Edmonton have been pushed with greater vigor than surveys and do not begin construction on the n any other direction, and I was able o quote the other day the result of investigations made by the engineer. My friend may rest assured the work will be commenced long before the time he mentions. It is in the interest of the company; they are getting their supplies in by the Skeena river. They surely would not carry them overland from Edmonton. That would be unreasonable. I will undertake this: If, when the House meets next year, and I should be a memher of the government, any government they come into power—to force the comfied in accepting such an amendment as my hon, friend proposes, if it could be ing. This question has been receiving schedule. I think my hon, friend may est assured that that will be done, and rest assured that that will be done, and if he brings it up next year I am sure Mr. Wainwright in respect to it. I have ent would at once bring pres- a letter from Mr. Hays-it does not con-

them to go on with the work.

Further on Mr. Scott said: We have already made a contract with the Grand | the Pacific coast. The letter is dated Trunk railway; we cannot undertake to June 17th, and reads: alter it now. The language in the 10th, "Replying to your reads." clause was as strong as it could well be made without defining any particular points. It says that work shall be "com-menced forthwith." It is not to be supposed that the company will not exercise common sense. If my hon, friend had control of the road, he would begin at if only for the purpose of getting in supplies. In any case, it is not in our power to amend it now, after we have this con-tract signed. We are not going to throw it over for another year to have this particular point settled. I do not think the country would approve of it. It is evidently in the interest of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company fixed under the agreement." to build the road as rapidly as possible. Every company that has the means will finish, its line as soon as it can be done. In this case, money will not be lacking. The company will have the money to begin at once, and contracts will be let simultaneously all along the line as soon as the route is defined; therefore my hon. question of harbor facilities and the friend need not have any fears that the selection of the line through the mounfriend need not have any fears that the work will not be commenced before we tains has not yet been determined. It is meet again next year. The government a very important matter. It will take would be very glad indeed to bring what pressure they could to bear to see that

he views of our friends in British Columbia are met. Hon. Mr. Templeman-The hon. member from Victoria is not far astray, and on the Pacific coast end of the line. They on this question he does not misrepresent | may not be ready even then to compublic opinion as much as he generally does on all questions affecting the great province of British Columbia. My hon. friend from Victoria misrepresented British Columbia entirely on the general question of constructing another transcontinental line of railway. I state unhesitatingly that I do not believe there are half a dozen thinking men in the province of British Columbia on either side of politics who share the views of my hon, friend from Victoria, or support him in the views he expressed in the extraordinary resolution he put on the order paper before leaving for the West last session. When my hon, friend got to Victoria and met the board of trade, a resolution was proposed recording a vote of censure against my hon, friend for having misrepresented public opinion on this great railway question. I must say my hon, friend has got nearer right in his present motion than I ever found him on a British Columbia question, and I would be heartily in sympathy with his proposition if it were now possible t amend the contract as he suggests? But that cannot now be done without endangering the project or at least de-

please, but I expect, as in the case of the Canadian Pacific railway, which was not required to begin construction at any

place in particular, that this company will begin construction on the Pacific

coast as well as at other places. The Canadian Pacific railway, as hon, gentle-

quired to do so-or rather it was the

way syndicate-commenced construction

at Yale, at the head of navigation on the

Fraser river, and built easterly fully 100 niles of the most difficult portion of the

line, and when the Canadian Pacific Railway Company took over the work they continued the building of the line from

the Pacific coast eastward, at the same

time building the line from Yale to the

city of Vancouver, driving the last spike

at a place some 300 or 400 miles from

the coast in 1886. The Canadian Pacific railway could not have been built in the

take it that if the Grand Trunk Pacific

Company are the men we believe them

to be, if they are going to build this rail-

construction on the Pacific coast. I can

imperil the agreement, I would be with

its spirit as well as in its express

stipulations, implied as well as expressed,

western end of the line, he is prepared at

the next session of parliament to intro-

cannot say what particular line of legis-

Hon. Mr. Landry-Or any other gov-

t to the House for what it is worth-

"Replying to your recent inquiry re-

lative to the date when construction will

begin on the Pacific coast end of the new

Transcontinental railway, I beg to say

about a year, will, as a matter of course,

Hon. Mr. Macdonald (B. C.)-What is

the date of the letter which the hon. gen-

Hon. Mr. Templeman-It was several

days before the date of this letter. It is

the company another year perhaps to locate the line in British Columbia and

agree on the harbor. My hon. friend, in

his resolution, only requires that work

shall commence twelve months from now

mence. There are so many things in-volved in selecting the terminus of a

great railway, the question of harbor facilities and the question of access to

that harbor. These matters the com

pany, I understand, are now investigat

ing, and it seems to me it will take at

least a year before construction can com-

mence at all on the Pacific coast; and if

as I have said, the Grand Trunk Pacific

ment carry out the construction in the in-

does not in the full spirit of this agree

terest of British Columbia, I shall be pre

pared to support any necessary legisla-

tion next year to compel them to do so.

The amendment of Senator Macdon-

The traveller's tree of Madagascar re

ald was lost on a division.

flow copiously pure, fresh water.

quite true, as Mr. Hays says, that

sible and the work will be continue

tleman wrote to Mr. Hays?

in respect to commencing construction on

this government

ernmen

sure on the Grand Trunk Pacific to force | tain very much, it is true, but I will give

Mackenzie government, previous to the organization of the Canadian Pacific rail-NOT YET FINISHED

> An Appeal From Vancouver Is Being Heard by the Full Court To-Day.

(From Wednesday's Daily.) The trial of Centre Star vs. Rossland Miners' Union et al began yesterday afternoon before Mr. Justice Duff and a special jury. Before taking up the main argument Sir Chas. Hibbert Tupper, for the plaintiff, moved to amend the statement of claim, so as to make the Western Federation of Miners, Rossland branch, which was incorporated at the time of the strike, responsible for the acts of the Rossland Miners' Union, No. 38, which was an unincorporated body. 38, which was an unincorporated body. He argued that the two organization

were the same. S. S. Taylor, K. C., combatted this holding that it was a question of evidence. The plaintiff company, he held, had no authority for saying that the incorporated union conducted business as an unincorporated body in order to DISPUTANTS ARRIVE way man but I use my common sense in carry out the conspiracy which was charged. This, he held, was the effect of the amendment asked for.

His Lordship held it was a matter o December, 1903, unless prevented by the gently from the West through the Rocky evidence, but permitted of an amendment to the statement of claim along Company Gets Right of Way But the to locate the railway, locate and estabthese lines.

Another motion made by Sir Hibbert was allowed to stand over until this morning so that the jury would not be obliged to sit and listen to it. The effect of this motion was that the acts of the defendant union should be considered as a whole affecting the mines of the district and not alone alleged to have been directed against the Centre Star Com-Mr. Taylor is opposed to this motion,

which will come up later. A. C. Galt, outlining the case, referred to the mining industry as the backbone of the city of Rossland. A large num ber of men were employed. The closing and Richard Hall, agent for Rev. Mr. down of these works in 1901 meant a duce legislation compelling them to pro-secute the work in British Columbia. I heavy loss. The calling out of the men, it was argued, was a conspiracy for a malicious purpose. It would be shown, he said, that the men in carrying out a lation it would be, but it is possible for strike against the Centre Star and other companies were doing so for the purpose of carrying out a grudge against the Le

Hon. Mr. Templeman-Yes, or the The Carpenters' and Joiners' Union government of my hon, friend's-when went out, as shown by the resolution in the minute book, out of sympathy. In considering the action of the unions and ent on which we are now entermen concerned it would not be a matter of looking into the avowed purposes of shown that the company had not faithshown that the company had not faithfully compiled with the terms of the have been in correspondence with the these organizations, but the practice was Grand Trunk Pacific people on the subpose of it.
The court adjourned until this morn

To-Day's Proceedings.

Mr. Galt, continuing his outline of the case this morning, said that there was evidence to show that the American Federation of Miners, with headquarters at Denver, had paid large sums of money to the Rossland union for the purpose of continuing the strike.

It was further charged that the department of the strike o set the roads leading to the mines. Re- ed the fences removed. that it is too early as yet to definitely name a time for the commencement of building operations at either end of the road. Surveys must first be completed, both ends, and I am sure the company will begin at both ends, because it is so evidently in their own interest to do so, termined. The important work of surveying, which has been in progress for only a very few men on picket duty to in the Supreme court. Witness had interfere with the men choosing to go to directed his employees to forcibly remove

be prosecuted diligently until finished. It work. Part of the evidence taken during exwill be the policy of the company to comamination for discovery was put in. plete the work in the shortest time pos-Objection was made to much of this by Mr. Taylor, especially that which carried on until the last rail is laid. was held to be given by witnesses as which I believe will be before the time

nembers of the union. It was admitted as evidence from the parties as individuals and not in their capacity as officers of the union. The latter point it was contended would like ly be for the jury to decide after argu-

Vancouver Appeal.

In the Full court to-day an appeal, in which conspiracy to defraud was charged, is being heard. The court is composed of Chief Justice Hunter, Mr. Justice Drake and Mr. Justice Irving. This is an appeal from a decision given by Mr. Justice Duff at the Assize court sitting in Vancouver in Rex vs. Hutchinson. The trial judge convicted the defendant of the crime of conspiracy, and he was sentenced to six months' im-

In the appeal the prisoners are represented by C. C. McCaul, K. C., and E. P. Davis, K. C. The crown's case is in the hands of Deputy Attorney-General Mr. McCaul, in his argument on behalf of the prisoner, contended that judgment was not in keeping with the indictment.

All that the prisoner was guilty of doing was to agree to represent among vholesale men that the B. C. Supply Company was free from debt, and was a

firm which could be entrusted with Howell and Hutchinson could not de-fraud the creditors. Only the B. C. sembles a huge fan with an unwieldy handle. In the dry season the traveller or documstances Howell and Hutchinson miciled native has but to pierce one of these trees just at the point where the fanlike crest has its beginning and out will Hutchinson only assured creditors that ing was in flames, and could not be IT CURES ALL CREEDS.—Here are a ing in in a conspiracy with Howell and few names of clergymen of different creeds Hutchinson only could lead to fraud. The representations made by Howell and who are firm believers in Dr. Agnew's Ca-

set out no such intention of fraud on the part of the B. C. Supply Company.

The Chief Justice wanted to know if assuming that the B. C. Supply Company could pay for the goods, but that Howell and Hutchinson believing when they made the representation as to the solvency of the company that the company was insolvent if this would not pany was insolvent, if this would not nstitute a fraud?

Mr. McCaul held it was not a fraud. Before it could be such Howell and Hutchipson must have had the power to work a fraud, which they had not, that power being confined to the B. C. Supply The Chief Justice pointed out that it

was not necessary even that a fraud should be perpetrated in order to convict of conspiracy.
Mr. McCaul agreed with this, but added that the power to defraud must have been in the power of Howell and Hutch-

The Chief Justice held that an attempt by the B. C. Supply Company to defraud did not enter into this case.

Mr. McCaul contended that all that could be urged against Howell and Hutchinson was that they laid the foun-dation by representations by which the B. C. Supply Company could defraud its creditors. The appeal will be proceeded with this

AT UNDERSTANDING

Fences Stand - Evidence Given By Mr. Lubbe.

The Craigflower road fence removing case was brought to a rather sudden termination in the police court Wednesday. The defendant company was presenting its side of the dispute when a settlement was reached after a brief conversation between Mr. Lubbe, manager of the Esquimalt Waterworks Co. Ellison, whose property is affected. The understanding is that the company receives nine feet of right of way along the road; it can continue or enlarge its service, and will not be rendered hable for any damages consequent on the breaking of the main. On the other hand it will have to pay the expenses incidental to the tearing down and replace

ing of the fences. The fences will stand. When the proceedings were opene Mr. Lubbe was examined by C. E. Pooley, who appeared for the company. He said that water pipes were laid along the piece of Craigflower road in dispute in 1887. The road had been used by the ublic since 1855, but the first time he had traversed it was in 1875. Fences had been constructed across the road two years ago, but he had ordered them removed. Previous to that the fences had been removed by the public. On the 6th of June this year, witness had ordered the fences removed again. Had his orders been disobeyed by the men to whom he gave them they would have been dismissed. The waterworks com-

Cross-examined by Col. Gregory, who

the fence. Counsel-"Didn't you know tht you were likely to cause a breach of peace in thus taking the law into your own hands? Were you not aware that Messrs. Hall and Ellison would not quietly permit their fences to be torn

The witness replied that he didn't think the two gentlemen would raise any objection.
Counsel—"Wouldn't you raise objection.

tion if your fence was torn down?".
Witness-"I wouldn't build my fence

eross a public highway."

The witness admitted that if a portion of the fence had been removed the company might have had access to its pipes On being re-examined by Mr. Poole the witness said the company thought was justified in removing the fences for the protection of its property. He did not know of any convictions in the polic ourt in the past for the tearing down of the fences or removal of the sidewalk. The main running along Craigflower road supplied five fire hydrants. It was hortly after the examination of witness that Messrs. Hall and Lubbe arrived at the understanding referred to above. The case now belongs to history.

BROOKLYN BLAZE.

Completely Destroyed-Loss Factory \$400,000 and Hundreds of Men Thrown Out of Work.

New York, July 5.-A loss of \$400,000 resulted to-day from a fire which com-pletely destroyed the Electrical Vehicle Equipment Company's factory in Brooklyn. The building covered nearly two acres, and was owned by the Edison placed in the best of Spokane residences, Company. Fire alarm signals from the Supply Company could defraud them if Company. Fire alarm signals from the they chose to do so. Under these ciralarm was finally turned in to the firecould not be held liable. Howell and men and they arrived, the whole buildthe B. C. Supply Company would pay its debts. The B. C. Supply Company commande idle. The company manufactured commercial vehicles and auto-trucks.

TRAINS COLLIDE.

When this contract was made, the question of where the work of construction should begin was not considered. There is nothing in the contract requiring the company to begin construction anywhere. They are not compelled to begin at Winnipeg. They may begin where they

ABOUT HIS TRIP

ADVERTISING CITY IN WASHINGTON STATE

Distributing Pamphlets in the Different Towns-Meeting of Tourist Association Tuesday.

The Tourist Associaton representative, H. Cuthbert, is encountering a few experiences-in his present tour. In a letter to Anton Henderson, of the association, which was read at a meeting on Wednesday afternoon, he thus describes

Hotel Wallace.

Wallace, Idaho, June 29th, 1904. Dear Mr. Henderson:-I wonder to-day what the members of the executive would have said if for a moment they could have seen their secretary as he trudged along the wagon road at the foot of one of these famous hills, in the glaring sun, the heat therefrom having already sent the thermometer over 90 in the shade-only there was no shade-with an armful of books and the perspiration streaming from every pore as he wended his way to tell of the glories of Victoria to a lone Canadian who is the manager of the iron works here. Of course, to hear this kind of work is one thing, to see it is another. Well, this little description will illustrate the kind of weather I have experienced ever since leaving Seattle, except that at Ellensburg, where I called first, there was a good dea

of wind. When I arrived at Ellensburg, besides calling upon as many of the business people as possible, which is always understood, if not mentioned, I called at the Normal school, where the Federation of Women's Clubs for the state of Wash'ngton was meeting, and asked for the secre tary, to whom I gave an invitation for the next convention to be held in Victoria. She asked me to remain until it was read to the meeting, and when it was-why, I had to address the whole bunch of them, about 100, from all over the state, and got a great reception. There was only one other man there, and I cleared out as soon as they passed a vote of thanks to the citizens of Victoria for their invitation This was a good advertisement, as I heard some ladies talking about it on my way to Walla Walla. I was in my bunk in the sleeping car and they did not know I

I also had a book given to each lady at tending, and had 600 of our magazine adents delivered in the daily paper to each of the best homes and stores in the place. The papers did not do much for me, as we are not advertising with them this

At North Yakima, which was the next place visited, the usual methods were adopted, and 1,000 circulars delivered to individual homes, etc. The people here are all very well-to-do, and we are getting a good deal of business from here, but there is no doubt that the World's Fair is going to affect us this year. From here fifty and from Ellensburg thirty have gone already, but if it gets hot we shall yet have a good number.

I thought it good policy to spend about \$7 in locals for the first twenty days in July, and I think it will pay.

I next went to Walla Walla, where the newspaper boys treated me very well, and where I met a large number of business people, also the president and general man ager of the railway and the passenge distributing our literature. The newspapers will publish another article after I leave, and I had nearly 1,000 leaflets disto the number of ributed in addition books I gave away. I am endeavoring to secure a valuable mailing list of rich peo ple in this section. It is one of the hottest places in the West, and all the people are well fixed. One newspaper man says that we shall get at least sixty people out

of here this year. It was over 90 in the shade when I was there, and when you consider how you get here, how you leave, and that it is too hot to eat, why one does not feel very well. tain, 22 soldiers and six coolies. You leave North Yakima at 11 p. m., arrive at Pasco at 2.15 a. m., change cars and leave Pasco at 7 a. m., and arrive at Walla Walla at noon. Where do you sleep! You leave Walla Walla at 10 p. m., arrive

Pasco 2.15 a. m., change cars and leave a 3 a. m., and arrive Spokane 7.30 a. m. Sleep all the same. At Spokane I did not feel up to much but did all I could. It was 89 here: 90 Is the hottest for this month in five years. I saw a good number of business men, and had several interviews with the Canadian emigration officer, who is sending about 250 people a month into Western Canada, but he has no information about British Columbia, and nothing to offer those wish to settle there. I gave him all I could, and particularly on fruit growing etc. This in another instance of the value of such a book. I left with him several copies of "An Outpost of Empire," and wrote to the Premier about this office. The newspapers, as usual in this city, after taking up a good deal of my time

and some of my cents, treated me badly, but I will get satisfaction somewhere. I saw the presidents of both street rallway companies, and succeeded in getting our books distributed on the "Seeing Spokane" car. One thousand leaflets are good supplies, and the Great Northern par-I have already referred to this place, the sual methods have been followed, and 600 leasiets will be distributed all over the city. The rallway companies and the hotels will all have the books.

I don't know that there is anything else. I am not feeling very bright. The sleep and food are not particularly good, especially the sleep. The heat is, a little more than I can stand, and-well, it is much nicer in Victoria. With kind regards,

Yours faithfully, (Signed) HERBERT CUTHBERT.

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A FLAG INCIDENT.

Captain of British Steamer Compelled to Hoist the Stars and Stripes.

Dawson, Y. T., July 4.—There is great excitement here over a flag incident. The affair is likely to be distorted by the Seattle papers. The following are the

The British steamer Tyrrell took a Fourth of July excursion of children up the river on Saturday. The committee and other Yankees forced the captain to

raise the United States flag on the mid-dle flagstaff before sailing. A complaint was laid with Collector of Customs Busby, who, on the return of the Tyrrell, summoned Captain Ritchie to give a written explanation of the matter. The captain acknowledged that he knew better, but said he was forced by the clamor to raise the United States flag. A false report went round that the steamer was fined \$2,500 as a penalty,

and that the captain had lost his papers. A representative of the committee waited on Mr. Busby to beg off the steamer and captain, and said the Fourth of July celebration might be cancelled to-day (Monday), but that had no weight with the collector of customs, who will consider the matter and probably report to Ottawa for de-

His course is fair and generous, Mr. Busby was a Canadian officer at Skag-way, and flew the Canadian customs flag out. The money due on the land has been by written order of superiors. The flag was cut down by a Yankee lawyer. A to raise the Yankee flag over the Canadian. Mr. Busby absolutely refused, but referred the matter to Ottawa. This ultimately led to the lowering of all rich syndicate made up of Toronto, Mont-Yankee customs flags throughout Can-real and New York capitalists behind it."

ONE THOUSAND KILLED. Natives Shot By Dutch Troops Included

685 Women and Children. Amsterdam, July 5.—A dispatch from the capital of Dutch East Indies says If Lacking in Nerve Force, Build Up Your System With Ferrozone—It Has tacked Likat on June 20th. Achin losses were: Killed, 432, including 281 women and 88 children and 54 wounded 17 prisoners were taken. The Dutch ieutenant, two sergeants and 13 soldiers

tue of being capable to do and act when On June 23rd the Dutch attacked Lan mat Bars, when the Achinese losses were: Killed, 654, including 186 women and 130 children, and 49 wounded; 28 prisoners. The Dutch losses were a cap- give up without trying what Ferrozone

GOING TO NANAIMO

r. R. Stockett, the New General Manager of the Western Fuel Company. The Fernie Free Press of Friday last con-

nined the following: "Rumors that have been in the air for some time to the effect that Thos. R. Stockett, acting general manager of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co., had resigned, were confirmed on Tuesday when a Free Press representative called at the company's office, and in an interview with Mr. Lindsey that gentleman made the follow-

ing statement: " "Mr. Stockett has resigned his position as acting general manager of the Western Fuel Company at Nanalmo. I, as well as dies; they may all have failed. But this all the directors, extremely regret this, but the new position is a more lucrative one than the present, and we do not feel justified in standing in the way of Mr. Stockett's advancement. I speak for my codirectors as well as for myself when I say that in the whole history of the company no one has given to the management such long, doyal and efficient service as Mr. Stockett. The present high degree of efficiency in the operating department is for the most part due to his unfailing energy and large ability, and we all very much regret parting with him. Mr. Stockett. too, has been unfailingly courteous to the public, who, I feel sure, will join in the general regret at his leaving Fernie, and wish him good luck in his new manage-

successor. 'Mr. Drinnan, general superintendent, will act as general manager after Conn., U. S. A. June 30th, when Mr. Stockett's resignation takes effect. I am unable to state anything at present as to who will be appointed to that position. I am going to Toronto in a

nections with the company and the town. He was making the change solely because the position offered was a more advantageous one than the one he now occu

expressed deep regret at severing his con-

COAL COMPANIES MERGED. Imperial Coal Company Secures Control

of Alberta Co. "The Imperial Coke & Coal Company has acquired control of the Alberta Coal & Coke Company. The deal was put through when James Laidlaw, for the Imperial Company, and W. Applequist and

Donald McLeod, for the Alberta, met in this city a few weeks since," says the Nelson News. "The principal owners in the Alberta Company were W. Applequist, Donald McLeod, and his son, Harry Me-Leod. Each of these are allowed to retain 100,000 shares of the capital stock of the company. Besides this a few thousand shares are outstanding. The Imperial Company secured about 650,000 of the mil-

lion shares. "The condition under which the stock was secured was that the amounts due the government for the land of the Alberta Company be paid, as well as all debts of the company, and it was further stipulated that the coal lands of the company be at once developed and be provided with coke ovens and other plant. The first part of

"The Alberta Company owns 6,400 acres mob of a couple of hundred swarmed of land on the Crow's Nest railway, four round his office and tried to force him miles west of Cowley, in Alberta. The Imperial Company owns 90 sections of land six miles from Michel, in British Columbia. The Imperial Company has a

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OCEAN YACHT CONTEST.

Marblehead, Mass., July 5.-The Little that position. I am going to Toronto in a couple of weeks, after a trip to the Coast, when the matter will be taken up with the dilectors.

"Mr. Stockett was afterwards seen. He Mignon, of the Indian Harbor Club, fifth.

Victoria Meteorological Office. 29th June to 5th July, 1904. Fine summer weather has for the most part prevailed throughout the week bo.h

on the North Pacific slope and in the Canadian Northwest. No rain fell in this proverstorms occurred. At Victoria the dally average record of bright sunshine was over

On the Upper Mainland the weather has tude. been very hot, the temperature at Kam-loops rising to 90 and over on 6 days of the week, while the lowest point was 56. At given out by the Colonist that R. L. Barkerville the maximum temperature was Newman, of New York, is a shareholder very high, though the nights were cool. in the Victoria Machinery Depot. Mr. On the northern coast, at Port Simpson, Newman holds no stock whatever in the the weather has become much drier, though company, which is being conducted under temperatures are as yet only moderate. the same management and directorate as Further north, in the Yukon, fair and in the past. moderately warm weather is reported at Dawson. In the Pacific Coast states several thunderstorms have occurred; the rainfall has been very light and temperatures normal, becoming excessive only in a few cases, 100 being the highest record from the valley of the Sacramento. In the The company will install an elaborate Northwest five thunderstorms occurred, system of fire protection in connection one at Winnipeg on the 2nd being accompanled by a torrential downpour, 3.26 inches of rain falling within 24 hours; but on the whole weather conditions have been

favorable for the crops At Victoria, 86 hours of bright sunshine were registered; highest temperature, 79.0 street, between Langley and on 29th; lowest, 49.9 on 1st; no rainfall. streets, the work to be done At New Westminster, highest temperature, 86 on 29th; lowest, 50 on 1st, 2nd and 5th; only trace of rain.

At Kamloops, highest temperature, 96 or 4tn; iowest, 56 on 29th and 3rd; no rain. At Barkerville, highest temperature, 84

66 on 2nd: lowest, 40 on 1st; rain, 0.21 At Dawson (two days missing), highest temperature, 72 on 2nd; lowest, 42 on 29th and 2nd; rain, 0.20 inch.



-The total clearings at the Victoria clearing house for the week ending July 5th were \$470.195. For the month of June they were \$3,041,557.

-The remains of the late Mrs. Stephens, who died suddenly at the Dallas hotel, were shipped to her late me in San Francisco by way of Seattle on Tuesday.

-The ladies of the Reformed Episco pal church will give a garden party at the Douglas Gardens in the afternoon and evening of July 13th. Refreshments of all kinds will be served.

-The inland revenue returns of the port of Victoria for the month of June are as follows: Spirits, \$8,345.71; malt, \$1,837.34; tobacco, \$2,728.57; eigars, \$790.35; other importations, \$100; total,

-J. S. H. Matson has assumed the management for Victoria and Vancouver of the British American Fruit Co., of which A. C. Flumerfelt is president and J. Taylor managing director, also of the Phoenix-Brooklyn Fire Assurance Co.

on Tuesday between the Maple Leaves and Quadras, the former winning by a score of 14 to 9. Both teams played The batteries were Anderson and Bishop, and Hall and Smith, respec tively.

-A month may yet elapse before the street cars, running to Esquimalt, can use the new Rock Bay roadway in regular service. The new road now stretches across the harbor, but has yet to be widened considerably before a permanent track is laid.

The funeral of the late Lewis Lewis took place Wednesday from the Odd. Fellows' hall, Douglas street, at 2 c'clock. The services of the order were ed by the several officers, and the Jewish services were conducted by presented and the following acted as pallbearers: Messrs, F. Landsburg, J. Carey, J. Mathews, A. E. Wada, W.

-The following officers of the Victoria Capital Division, No 109, of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Ritchie; financial secretary, L. Cates; recording secretary, C. Thornton; treasurer, D. Millar; conductor, H. Higgins; warden, A. J. Bird; sentinel, E. Budden; executive committee, A. Clayton, R. A. Ritchie, M. Brinkman and A. Dancey; auditing committee, H. Norman, W. A. guages. The local branch of the society Elliott, A. G. Oaks; sick committee, J. is well represented in this province, L. Hornibrook, J. Bayliss, R. Creech, where aggressive and successful work is

At the regular meeting of the Friendly Help Association the hon. treasurer and Infirm acknowledges with thanks reported that 36 people had received ast the following donations to the Home for 100 lbs. of sand, which it is proposed to sistance during June as follows: Thirteen had groceries, 19 clothing, 4 milk daily, newspapers; Mrs. H. D. Helmcken, il-8 fuel. 1 a child's crib and 1 a blanket. Donations in cash were very thankfully received from Mrs. Todd, the city, Mrs. H. Kent and Messrs. Hiram Walker & Tassel, rhubarb and magazines, Mrs. L. will be required to be delivered on or be-Sons, Walkerville, Ont., and clothing was given by Mrs. Redfern, Mrs. Lawson, Mrs. W. H. Ladner, Miss Pigeon, Mrs. Stadthagen, A Friend, Mrs. Living and boots; N. Shakespeare, reading matter; G. Winter, sr., rhubarb and GUARANTEED CURE FOR clams; Rev. Elliott S. Rowe, magazines stone-Thompson, Mrs. Mowat, Mrs. Maynard, Mrs. Mess, Mrs. G. F. Matthews, Mrs. Hume, Naval hospital, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Grieg, and Porter & Sons, meat. It was decided to keep the Wilson and Mrs. Grieg, and Porter & Sons, meat. It was decided to keep the rooms open on Wednesday only from 11 to 12 a.m., during July, August and Seption 12 a.m., during July, August and Seption 12 a.m., during July, August and Seption 13 a.m., during July, August and Seption 14 a.m., during July, August and Seption 15 a.m., during July, August and Seption 16 a.m., during July, August and Seption 17 a.m., during July, August and Seption 18 a.m., during July, August and Seption 19 a

-Mr. Asa M. Pierce and Mrs. Adi Wilcox Dowd, both of Ballard, Wash, were united in marriage Monday after noon by Rev. J. F. Vichert.

-A consignment of 1.000 barrels of Portland cement for use on the streets of Victoria was received from Seattle on ince, except a shower at Barkerville and the steamer Oscar Monday. The shipa trace at New Westminster; at the first | ment was received to the order of the named station, as also at Kamloops, thun- city council, the supply of this kind of cement having run short in Victoria.

12 hours. Temperatures have not been excessive, 79 being the highest point reached.
On the Lower Mainland much higher temperatures were registered, the maximum pleted for several days yet. The assessor June.

The work registered, the maximum per actual in still engaged with the furniture, which in itself is a task of considerable magni-

-C. J. Spratt, contradicts the repo

-Nanaimo City council, profiting the disastrous fire at the pit head of the Western Fuel Company, has decided to install a main to the works which wil give four times the supply now provided. with the new works.

-Ald. Vincent has given notice of mo tion providing for the construction of a permanent sidewalk of concrete with granite curos on the south side of Fort streets, the work to be done by day labor, and under the provisions of the

-Tuesday completed the second trap planted on the southern shores of Vancouver Island. It is located at Otter Point, and belongs to the same owners, Messrs. Todd & Munsie, who built the trap at Sooke. A large sea lion was caught in the new concern this morning and created considerable excitement until

-The library returns for June are as follows: Books issued, 1,513; to ladies, 760; to gentlemen, 753; highest number sued in one day, 110; average number 58: new members, 23: ladies, 12; gentle men, 11. Books added: New Science Library in eight volumes; the Mettle of the Pasture, by Allen; Bob, Son of Bat-tle, by Olliphant; The Island, by White-

-Monday night Mrs. Stephens, of San Francisco, passed away suddenly at the Dallas hotel. She was 73 years of age and was taking a trip to the north in company with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin. party have been guests at the Dallas for a few days, taking in the points of in-terest about Victoria before proceeding orthward. Her death was due to heart failure.

The following officers were elected at the quarterly meeting of Court Vancouver, No. 5,755, A. O. F., on Monday: F. L. Smith, C. R.; J. T. Fahay, S. C. R.; A. P. Mansell, S. W.; J. Renfrew, J. W.; R. Roff, S. B.; P. J. Davies, J. B.; S. Wilson, secretary; W. B. Hall, treasurer; Frank Hall, surgeon; J. H. Mansell, scribe. A joint installation of the courts, Vancouver, Victoria and Northern Light, will be held on July 13th, when Bro. A. Forrester, H. D. C. R., of Nanaimo, will be present to install

-The Wilson hotel, Yates street, is now under new management. Mrs. J. Aberdeen Gordon, a relative of the late famed Gordon hotel in Europe, has the hotel in every respect has been put n first class condition. Mrs. Gordon will cater particularly to local patronage.

-There was a large attendance at the funeral of the late Hector James Galbraith, which took place Tuesday afternoon from the residence of his parents, 56 Belleville street. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Viehert, of Calvary Baptist church, of which Mr. ushers of Calvary Baptist church and the Young People's Society of the church. The pallbearers were: W. Russell, J. Dinsmour, A. Galbraith, H. Free man, G. Andrews and C. McNei flag over the J. B. A. A. club house was Mr. Justice Drake restraining the city hung at half mast.

-In view of the recent revival of Biblical criticism, it is interesting to note that during the week of June 6th last the Railway Employees of America, were demands made on the British and Forinstalled at a meeting Tuesday: Presi- eign Bible Society for Scriptures from dent, A. Clayton; vice-president, R. G. all parts of the world attained record dimensions. At the present time in Lon-Ritchie, V. Dempster, M. Brinkman, A. of the earth. On June 1st 81 cases were and the application was taken to preven dispatched, representing a total of nine its being carried out. tons of Scriptures in 28 different lan-W. Stebbings; delegates to trades and la-bor council, A. Clayton and V. Demp-tures. Depositories are located at Van-

couver, New Westminster and Victoria. -The manager of the Home for Aged and Infirm acknowledges with thanks accompanied by a sample, not less than the month of June: Mrs. L. J. Quagliotti, Instrated papers and magazines; Mrs. B. ing of 12,000 feet of 4-inch cast ire

the pavement work on Yates street. Blocks have been laid and the street repened as far down as the western side of Langley street.

-H. M. S. Shearwater left Esquimalt ing Sea, where she will maintain a pa trol during the sealing season. She is not looked for back in Esquimalt until

-At a meeting of the Sons of England Wednesday the delegates to the Supreme Lodge session at Montreal received in-structions. The invitation to the Alexandra Lodge meeting on Wednesday next

The shareholders of the Rosella Hydraulic Mining & Development Company, Ltd., celebrated the arrival of their clant in Cassiar by a coffee and ice a large turnout, and a good time spent, everybody being enthusiastic over the cright prospects of the company.

-The members of the Victoria Macca bees held a very enjoyable garden party Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. W. Jackson, Carr street. There was a large attendance, and in every respect the event was a successful one. During the afternoon refreshments were

-The death occurred at St. Joseph's hospital Wednesday of Douglas Dease Davidson, late of the 7th Dragoon Guards. Deceased leaves a widow, a brother and sister to mourn his loss, the last named being Mrs. Gosset Beresford. The brother is Col. J. Davidson, of the Royal North Lancashire Regiment.

____ -H. Symington, manager of the Westside, left for the East on Thursday on a business trip in the interests of that He will be absent over a month, and will visit all the trade centres, including Toronto, Montreal, New York, London, etc. His object is to pick up the latest ideas of the trade and to rchase the newest lines of goods fo

-Intelligence of the death of Mrs. Lindsay, of Vancouver, has been received here. She has been a resident of that city for many years, and has often visited in Victoria her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Clark, of Cadboro Bay road, and her son, J. A. Lindsay, of R. Dunsmuir & Sons. She leaves in addition to the two mentioned four daugh-

-A large number of the members of the Metropolitan Methodist church on Wednesday evening gathered at the home of Rev. Elliott S. Rowe and presented Mrs. Rowe with a monogramed silver service. The platter was inscribed as follows: "Presented to Mrs. E. S. Rowe as a mark of appreciation of her kindly offices during the pastorate of her husband at the Metropolitan Methodist church.

-The usual fortnightly meeting of Lodge Alexander. S. O. E. B. S., was held Wednesday in K. of P. hali, Douglas street. A fair number were present. Several applications were received for membership. A cordial invitation from Loyal Orange Lodge to attend their annual church parade was accepted. Members are requested to meet at A. O. U. W. hall at 10.30 a.m. to march to Metropolitan Methodist church, Pandora

-The Orangemen of the province will celebrate the anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne, 12th of July, in Vancouver this year. The celebration will be one Frederick Gordon, promoter of the world- of the largest ever held in the province, taken the house over, and it will in the parts of the Dominion. The Orangemen future be known as the Gordon hotel. of this city will run an excursion to Van-The entire house has been thoroughly couver and return on July 12th. The C. renovated from top to bottom, every P. R. steamer Princess Victoria will room being given special attention. The leave Victoria for Vancouver at 7.30 a. sanitary arrangements are complete, and m. For the return trip the Charmer will leave Vancouver at 8 p. m.

The arrangements for the exhibition to be held here this fall are fast assuming practical shape. Secretary Swiner-ton is perfecting affairs as expeditiously as possible, and everything looks wel for the show. The flour prizes are arranged as follows: For the best loaf of bread made from O. K. Hungarian flour -First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5. Galbraith was a member. There was a the best loaf of bread made from O. K. beautiful array of floral offerings, conflour—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5. spicuous among them being wreaths For the best sample of pastry made from from the J. B. A. A., Wilson Bros., the O. K. pastry flour—First prize, \$5; second prize, \$2.50. Presented by the Okanagan Flour Co., Limited, through their agents, Messrs, Wilson Bros.

> -An injunction has been granted by taxes lands belonging to the Columbia & Western Railway Company. The case was argued in Chambers by Charles R. Hamilton, of Rossland, representing the railway company, and A. E. McPhillips K. C., for the corporation of Rossland. The lands in question were purchased as a right-of-way by the Columbia &

> The corporation purchasing agent, W. W. Northcott, is inviting tenders up to 3 p.m. on Monday, the 18th day of July, for the supplying and delivering at the filter beds. Beaver Lake, of 750 cubic yards (more or less) clean, sharp sand, suitable for filtering purposes, as per specification. Each tender must be supply. And also up to 3 p.m. on Monday, the 19th September, for the supply-

Wilkerson; treasurer, W. C. Kerr; secretary, W. Noble; S. W., A. Manson; J. W., B. Cooper; S. B., G. R. T. Baker; J. B., J. Parfitt; M. O., Dr. R. H. Carter; organist, J. Giles; trustees, R. Carter, P. L. James and J. Tagg. Two proposi-tions for membership were passed. P. C. Ranger Bro. Carter was presented with a P. C. R. ribbon. On July 13th at K. of P. hall, District C. R. Forrester will hold an official installation of offi-cers of Courts Northern Light, Vancou-

ver and Victoria. -A. E. Wood, vice-president of the Victoria Terminal Railway Company, was in the city Monday for the purpose of applying to the council for the payment of \$15,000, the first year's bonus claimed by the company under the terms of the contract. A communication to this effect from Mr. Wood was read at last night's meeting of the coun cream social at their quarters, 92 Gov-but consideration of the matter was de-ernment street, Wednesday. There was ferred until the next session. Clause 21 of the agreement provides that the first payment shall be made on the 30th of June in the year following the comple tion and operation of the road.

> -The pupils of Miss Sill gave a de lightful entertainment Wednesday afternoon at the studio, 10 Harrison street. There was a large attendance of the friends of the class present who enjoyed the recital very much. The pupils who contributed to the programme were: Master Kenneth Raymur, Misses Evelyn and Catherine Munsie, Master Alexander Holden, Miss Davida Raymur, Misses friends with the provincial police, who Ola and Zilla Balcom, Miss Edith will see that the women and their com-Helmcken, Miss Winona Troup, Miss panion take passage on the steamer this Paula Irving, Miss Olive Grand, Miss evening for Japan. Nora Combe, Miss Madge Holden, Miss Marjorie Rome, Miss Ada Schaffer, Miss Cecilia Helmcken, Miss Eleanor McCandess, Miss Gladys Pitts, Miss Florence Spencer, Miss Ethel Grant, Miss Ada Spencer, Miss Chase Going and Miss Nellie Spencer.

-News comes from the north that the steamer Bonanza King has been sent m White Horse to give aid and remove the cargo from the steamer Zealandian, which ran hard on a reef of sharp rocks in the Thirty-Mile on Friday gerous position with 10 feet of water longside and a great hole in her hull. Luckily the steamer is only awash to a line even with her main deck, and the cargo was saved from damage. The Zeal grants will leave the country.

Indian was being used to ferry freight The proceedings in the case w across the lake and down the Thirty-Mile to deep water, where it could be transferred to the through steamers. Like the other boats she had considerable difficulty in making the run, owing to the extremely low water, and had one comparatively bad accident before striking the rock on which she now hangs.

PHOENIX JOTTING.

In the neighborhood of 1,000 men are V. & E. branch of the Great Northern railway from Grand Forks to Phoenix, and laborers are still coming in almost every day. While contractors of many years' experience assert that not once in hundred times are railway const uc tion contracts completed on time, this time there is likely to be an exception, and many of them are figuring on completing their work some time in October. One thing that is very much in favor of this is the accessibility of work, generally speaking. The lines of the C. P. R. perand in the middle at the same time. As a result every station (100 feet) of construction work was sub-let to smaller contractors in a short time after P. Welch appeared on the scene for J. W. who has the entire contract from the Great Northern main contrac-

BORN. NICOLL—At 55 Third street, Victoria, on July 4th, the wife of William Nicoli, of a son. WELL-At Fermie, on June 25th, wife of Wm. Howell, of a daughter. COOK—At Fernie, on June 27th, the wife of Mr. Cook, of a son. HUME-At Nelson, on July 1st, the wife of J. Fred. Hume, of a son. O'REMLLY-At Vancouver, on July 1st, the wife of H. H. O'Reilly, of a daugh-

HARTE—At Revelstoke, on June 23rd, the wife of C. A. Harte, of a daughter. FRASER—At Revelstoke, on June 26th, the wife of John Fraser, of a daughter. FRASER-At Revelstoke, on June 20th, the
wife of John Fraser, of a daughter.
BULMAN-At Mount Tolmie, Victoria, B.
C., on the 6th inst., the wife of W.
Bulman, of a son.
MULRONEY-At Nelson, on July 1st, the
wife of M. J. Mulroney, of a son.
STRONG-At Trail, on July 1st, the wife
of Robt. Strong, of a daughter.
NIVEN. At Vanconver. on July 5th, the

NIVEN-At Vancouver, on July 5th, the wife of Thos. Niven, of a daughter. MARRIED. SHARPE-WHITMAN—At Vancouver, on June 29th, by Rev. Mr. Robinson, Wal-lace Sharpe and Miss Maude S. Whit-man.

HANEY-STEWART—At Vancouver, on July 2nd, by Rev. R. N. Powell, Charles Nelson Haney and Miss Ethel Stewart. FOSTIER-SEXSMITH—At Vancouver, on July 2nd, by Bev. W. E. Pescott, J. Wilson Foster and Miss Frances Louise Sexsmith. MARTIN-HENDERSON—At Vancouver, on July 4th, by Rev. R. N. Powell, Man-ning Lewis Martin and Mrs. M. B. Hendersen

GLEAZER-M'DONALD-At Revelstoke, on June 25th, by Rev. W. C. Calder, Percy James Gleazer and Sarah McDonald. PALMER-WILDE—At Revelstoke, on June 27th, by Rev. W. C. Calder, Albert Wil-liam Palmer, and Elizabeth Catherine Wilde.

Wilde.

REDFERN-REDFERN—At St. John's church, on the 6th inst., by the Rev. H. A. Collison, Alfred Edward, second son of G. F. Redfern, Esq., of London, England, to Martha Eliza, eldest daughter of Charles and Eliza Redfern, of this city. m'LAUGHLIN-ANDERSON — At Marys-

ville, on June 28th, by Rev. S. J. Thompson, Fred. McLaughlin and Mrs. Annie Anderson. COLIE-KEENAM—At Cranbrook, on June 27th, by Rev. Mr. Fortune, George M. Cole and Miss Susie G. Keenan. SMITH-ENGLISH—At Kamloops, on July 4th, by Rev. E. S. Akehurst, W. H. Smith and Miss Lily English. FREDERICKS-ENRICO—At Vancouver, on July 3rd, by Rev. Father Le Chesne, T. Fredericks and Miss Juliet Enrico,

TAIT—At New Westminster, on July 4th, Thomas W. Tait, aged 35 years. WOODWORTH—At Vancouver, on July 4th, Capt. James H. Woodworth, aged 54 years.

LEWIS—On the 4th instant, at his late

residence, No. 65 Pandora avenue, Lewis Lewis, aged 76 years, and a native of Poland, Russia. DAVIDSON—At the residence, No. 186 Fort street, on the 6th inst., Douglas Dease Davidson, aged 42 years, and a native of Kent, England.

THEY HAVE AGREED TO GO BACK TO-NIGHT

Centre Star Case Progresses Slowly Another Habeas Corpus Action Will Be Heard.

(From Thursday's Daily.) The Immigration Act will not be tested n the Full court at the present time. The proceedings in connection with the seven Japanese who were refused a landing from the steamer Shawmut have been practically dropped in consequence of the six Japanese women and their male companion agreeing to waive all objections and return to Japan.

Mr. Morikawa, Japanese consul at Vancouver, who has been in the city in connection with the matter, reached an inderstanding with the party by the latter consented to go back. The passage money was deposited by their This proceeding does away with the

testing of the validity of the act in court, the matter remaining just as it was before. W. Moresby, who appeared on behalf of those concerned in allowing the Japanese a landing, was prepared to fight the validity of the act on the ground The provincial authorities, represented by A. E. McPhillips, K.C., likewise were prepared to defend the right of the provce to enforce the measure,

By the turn which affairs took it became impossible for Mr. Moresby to proceed with his fight against this year's Immigration Act being within the power of the province to enact. The law now stands just as it would had no proceedings been taken, and the rejected immi-

The proceedings in the case were formally adjourned this morning until 10.30 Monday morning. This is necessary pending the immigrants leaving the province. Under habeas corpus proceedings the custody of the persons concerned is in the hands of the court. If they leave, as agreed, the proceedings drop. If anything should arise by which this is carried out the proceedings will go on on

Monday.
The Vancouver Case.

Yesterday afternoon E. P. Davis, K. employed on the construction of the V., C., representing the prisoner Hutchinson, in the Rex vs. Hutchinson appeal in the Full court, argued against the inconvicted. He took a somewhat different line from that advanced by C. C. McCaul, K. C., but arrived at the same on, that the indictment was at fault. The indictment, he contended, set out what the fraud was which it was alleged constituted the offence. Under these circumstances it was necessary to establish that there was fraud. To do the latter it would have been necessary mit of it being reached from both ends to show concert among Howell, Hutchinson and the B. C. Supply Company, which was not done. Howell and Hutchinson, he contended, could not possibly have defrauded anyone without the B. C. Supply Company being a party to it. Howell was not the B. C. Supply Company, although a large shareholder. The indictment to have been good should have shown that the B. C. Supply Company was a party to the transac Howell controlled the B. C. Supply Com-

The court, before adjournment, de-This morning the appeal was proceeded with upon points reserved trial. The question raised was that overt evidence taken as to them which should not have been the case under the indict-

C. C. McCaul, K.C., for the prosecution, reviewed the whole case, specifying his objections. The argument is still being prethis afternoon.

Centre Star Trial. The proceedings in the trial, Centre Star vs. Rossland Union, is progressing slowly in consequence of the fact that solutions passed by the union and other records are still being referred to in the addresses on behalf of the plaintiffs. These are being put in as exhibits. A Ohinese Case.

Another habeas corpus proceeding is set down for hearing before Mr. Justice Drake on Friday morning at 10.30. Chin Jong, a Chinaman, seeks to trave two Chinese infants, Chin Tong Oy, aged 12, and Chin Tong Sun, aged 10, delivered up by the Chinese Refuge Home in order that the children may return to China. The case has been put in the hands of Mr. Moresby who has taken the necessary action and will seek to have the children handed over to Chin Jong, their

The children are both girls. They are, according to affidavits sworn to by parties interested, sisters, both daughters THE DOCTORS ARE STARTLED of Chin Jow and Li See, his wife. Chin low was sentenced to five years' impricomment in New Westminster a few father then took charge of the children. put one of them under the care of Kai Ying and the other under Mrs. On Hing, of Victoria.

According to the affidavits of several Chinamen these persons were well qualified to look after the girls and had children of their own. The uncle of the girls, Chin Jong,

swears that his brother asked him to take the children to relatives in China if anything happened to him. Chin Jow was drowned at Nanaimo June 26th. Chin Jong took the daughters to that city to attend the funeral and while there the girls were taken in charge by the police upon the initiative, it is alleged, of Miss Sherlock, of the Chinese Refuge Home.

The custom among the Chinese is held to be that when a parent dies the chil-

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MINERAL ACT. (Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS. NOTICE.

Iron Knob, Olga, June, Helen and Amazon Mineral Claims, situate in the West Coast Mining Division of Rupert District. Where located: On the southeast arm of Quatsino

Take notice that I, J. Herrick McGregor, as agent for William Grant and Thos. S. Lippy, Free Miner's Certificate No. B89502, intend. sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. Dated this 20th day of June, 1904 A. D.

dren are handed over to the next of kin for the purpose of being looked after. This Chin Jong seeks to do, and wishes to send the girls back to China. The Chinese Benevolent Association, with Tim Kee as president, discussed the matter fully and determined to have the matter fully and determined to have the girls recovered from the home. The association will, it is said, carry the case to the extreme in their attempt to get to the extreme in their attempt to get possession of the children. A petition signed by 29 prominent

Chinese merchants has been produced to show that the uncle of the children is Chinese merchants has been produced to show that the uncle of the children is a fit person to be entrusted with their care.

The Refuse Home will defend their The Refuge Home will defend their action on the ground that they acted in a proper manner and in the interests of the children. Eberts & Taylor have l

charge of the case for the home. Miss Edna Cornell, of Saginaw City, Michigan, is in the city on a visit to her uncle, A. H. Mitchell, of Messrs. Challoner

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NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the follow-

ing described lands: Lot I. Commencing at a stake planted about half a mile south from the entrance of Warner Bay, Seymour Inlet, thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north to shore line, thence following shore line to place of commencement, containing in all about 640 acres.

WULLIAM M'NEILL.

Lot II. Commencing at a stake planted at of commencement. WILLIAM M'NEILL.

WILLIAM M'NEILL. Lot IV. Commencing at a stake planted about one-half mile south of the head of Warner Bay on the west side, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

place of commencement.
WILLIAM M'NEILL. Dated June 14th, 1904.

WILLIAM M'NEILL. Dated June 16th, 1904 Lot I. Commencing at a stake planted on the right bank of Weewattle River, about one mile from its mouth, at the head of Seymour Inlet, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of

WILLIAM M'NEILL.

Lot II. Commencing at a stake planted at the southwest corner of Lot I., thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 120 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of commencement. WILLLAM M'NEILL.

Lot III. Commencing at a stake planted at the northeast corner of Lot I., thence south 30 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to place of commencement.

Dated June 15th, 1904.

THE ISLAND

BEGINNING TO SHO IN DEALERS

Raspberries, Blackberrie Joining the Processio tion for the W

The market quotations number of changes p ever, in fruit, vegetables luce. California apricot continue to come in at but while in these part growers on the other sid field, in the smaller fru ducers are beginning to s Locally grown currants have stepped into the cherries and strawherries guard and are now offe the various dealers. have made their appear unfortunately, dealers s very plentiful this season In vegetables Island st

entered the market, cents, while local hot he selling at twenty-five ce There is but very lit other fruit and vegetable In farm produce but This is due to the dep quantity received from which doubtless are turn tion to the northern 1 stance on Tuesday none the dealers, a snarp com ditions a short time pr supply was if anything

Flour, grain, meats a substantially the same there is no change in v The quotations follow: Hungarian Flour-Ogilvie's, per sack .

Ogilvie's, per bbl. . Ogilvie's Royal House sack Ogilvie's Royal Househ Lake of Woods, per sad Lake of Woods, per bbl Okanagan, per sack ... Okanagan, per bbl. ... Moose Jaw, per sack Moose Jaw, per bbl. Excelsior, per sack . Excelsior, per bbl. Oak Lake, per sack . Oak Lake, per bbl. Hudson's Bay, per sacl Hudson's Bay, per bbl. Enderby Enderby, per sack Enderby, per bbl. ...

Pastry Flours-Snowflake, per sack Snowflake, per bbl. O. K. Best Pastry, per O. K. Best Pastry, per O. K. Four Star, per O. K. Four Star, per Driften Snow, per sack Drifted Snow, per bbl. Three Star, per sack . Three Star, per bbl. Pratt's Coal Oil

Eocene Grain-Wheat, per ton ... Oats, per ton Oatmeal, per 10 lbs... Rolled Oats (B. & K.) Hay (baled), per ton Straw, per bale ..

Middlings, per ton Bran, per ton ... Ground Feed, per ton Carrots, per 100 lbs. Vegetables-Beans, per lb. .. Beans, Island (string) Island Potatoes (new) Cabbage, per head . Onions, silver skin, per Carrots, per Ib. ... Turnips, per Ib. ...

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Fresh Island Eggs

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Veal, per lb.

Pork, per lb. ...

Mutton, per lb. ... Lamb, hindquarter

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Cherries, per ID.

Apricots, per lb.

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THE ISLAND SMALL

REGINNING TO SHOW IN DEALERS' WINDOWS Butter (creamery), per ID.

Raspberries, Blackberries and Currants Joining the Procession Quetation for the Week.

The market quotations this week show a number of changes principally, however, in fruit, vegetables and farm produce. California apricots and peaches continue to come in at the same price, but while in these particular lines the rowers on the other side have a clear field, in the smaller fruit Island producers are beginning to show themselves Locally grown currants and raspberries have stepped into the line of which cherries and strawberries were the vanguard and are now offered for sale by the various dealers. Blackberries also have made their appearance although, unfortunately, dealers say they are not very plentiful this season.

In vegetables Island string beans have entered the market, retailing at ten cents, while local hot house tomatoes are selling at twenty-five cents. There is but very little change in the

other fruit and vegetable quotations. In farm produce butter has stiffened This is due to the depreciation of the quantity received from the creameries, which doubtless are turning their attention to the northern market. For instance on Tuesday none was received by the dealers, a sharp comparison with conditions a short time previous when the supply was if anything in excess of the

Flour, grain, meats and feed retail at substantially the same figures, while there is no change in wholesale prices.

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Salmon, per Ib. Halibut, per ID. Kippers, per lb. Bloaters, per ID. Rock Cod Bass

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Hams (American), per ID. ... Bacon (American), per Ib. .. 22@ Bacon (rolled), per Ib. Bacon (long clear), per ID.... Shoulders, per ID. Beef, per 10. Veal, per 10. 121/20 11@ 121/2 Pork, per ID. Mutton, per ID. 10@ 121/2 1.50@ 1.75 Lamb, hindquarter Lamb, forequarter 1.00@ 1.25

Fruit-Cocoanuts, each Lemons (California), per doz. Apples, per box 1.75@ 5.00 Apples (California), per ID ... Oranges, per doz. Bananas, per doz 35@ Pineapples, each New Jordan Almonds (shelled), per Ib. Valencia Almonds (shelled). per 1b.

Valencia Raisins, per ID. Sultana Raisins, per 10. Best Currants, Patra's, per ID. Island Currants Strawberries, per box

Blackberries Dressed fowl, per Ib.

WHOLESALE MARKETS. Potatoes (old), per ton\$25.00@30.00 Potatoes (new), per ton Onions, per 100 lbs. (Cal.) Carrots, per 100 lbs. Cabbage, per 100 lbs. Eggs (ranch), per doz. Ducks, per ID. Apples (Tasmania), per box... Apples (California), per box .. -Hay, per ton Oats, per ton Peas (field), per ton Barley, per ton Beef, per lb. Mutton, per ID. Pork, per Ib. Veal, per Ib. Strawberries, per ID. Raspberries Apricots (Cal.), per box Henolulu Pines, per doz. Peaches Plums 1,25@ 1.50 Apricots Oranges 2.50@ 3.50

Lemons 2.75@ 3.50 THE LAND OF REGRET. Pall Mall Gazette. There is a city whose gates are wide, Its pavements pure and clean, Where shadow forms flit side by side On the road called "Might Have Been." But folks walk there with their heads And heavy eyelids wet,

For ev'ry corner is haunted so In this, "The Land of Regret." They meet the shosts of those other years In dreams of memory sweet, And wet with passionate, frenzied tears The graves which lie at their feet; out never, long as their lives shall last. Can they ever again forget Who once have walked with ghosts of the Past

They feel the touch of a hand grown still, Its fingers softly press, The tender passion of kisses thrill Their own in a fond caress. As, me-but pity the folks who stray

In this, "The Land of Regret."

Where long the sun hath set, And walk with the ghosts who're laid 1.55 In this, "The Land of Regret."

DISTRIBUTED STOLEN LOVE LETTERS

London Telegraph. A remarkable case came before the Chan cery court of Lancashire, sitting at Liverpool, the other day. It appeared that a tradesman and his wife, residing at Earlstown, formerly lived in the same house with a man named William Lundy, now residing at Wigan. Lundy possessed himself of love letters written by the couple before they were married. Differences friends, and he threatened to make speeches outside their premises and to distribute the doing this was obtained on Monday, but in out his threat. He went to Baristown, addressed a large crowd of people outside the velope, tied up with ribbon.

Application was now made for a writ of attachment against the defendant, and this

was granted. Vice Chancellor Hall said Lundy would 1.50 be informed of the gravity of his position. 1.60 It would not be the case of a fine or four teen days' imprisonment, but six months', or until he apologized and satisfied the 30.00 court that the offence would not be re-45 peated.

THE WAY IT WAS.

July Smart Set. "I don't, as a general rule, care a tinker's anathema for such things," said the Old Codger, in the midst of his perusal of the village newspaper. "These 'ere commencement exercises have always seemed monotonously alike to me. But this article in the Weekly Plaindealer says that at the doin's last Friday night, the graduates sat in a semi-circle on the stage, ten young girls dressed in white, each holding a large bunch of carnations and one young man. According to that, I sh'u'd presume I missed a real interesting sight by not being present on that occasion.

-0-U. S. OPINION ON THE BUDGET.

Wall Street Journal, New York. As regards this matter of "dumping the surplus," it is a poor rule that cannot work both ways. If the United States dumps its surplus on Great Britain and Germany, there is no reason why Great Britain and Germany could not dump their surplus on the United States. A country that cannot retaliate in this way has another method of preventing a neighbor from dumping her surplus upon her people. This method has en invented by Canada. It consists practically in raising the duty upon all articles mported at a less price than that ruling in the producing country so as to bring it to the level of the true value. Thus steel rails made in Pittsburg could not be sold in Montreal at a less price than that ruling in New York, for the Canadian govern ment would promptly fine the importer the full amount of the difference.

"That is the best argument for peace," said Gen. Grant, pointing to a great Krupp gun in Germany. In like manner, the different measures of protection or retaliation adopted by the various countries to keep out the products of the other countries are the best argu-

nents for freedom of commerce, and in the

end they will bring it about. REBUKING A SOPHOMORE. Prof. William James, of Harvard, is very popular with the more intelligent and studious of the undergraduates. When these young men, however, make rash or bold or unbecoming assertions, he does not

hesitate to take them down. Not long ago a sophomore aired some rather atheistical views before Prof. James. "You," said the latter, "are a free think-er, I perceive. You believe in nothing." "I only believe-haw-what I can understand." the sophomore replied. comes to the same tuing, I suppose, 10 sald Prof. James.

CUSTOMS STATISTICS FOR FISCAL YEAR.

The Times is indebted to John C. New What was known as the Northern our, acting collector, for the following Pacific line of steamers in the Oriental bury, acting collector, for the following table of statistics showing the customs returns for the fiscal year ending June falling off of the Chinese revenue since the increase of the head tax, and the

criterion of the year's business. With 27.00 seen that the total revenue of the port reached the very substantial sum of had the effect of creating better trade \$1,107,614. In considering the sources conditions. The result is far reaching from which a large amount of this in its effect on local business. In one money is obtained, it might be stated that the past year has witnessed some interesting changes. The shipments to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year have faller of the past year hand to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year have faller of the past year hand the past year hand the past year hand to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year hand the past year has witnessed some in its effect on local business. In one line of business alone—that of the shipments to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has witnessed some in the past year has witnessed some building industry—local firms are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has witnessed some building industry—local firms are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has witnessed some building industry—local firms are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has witnessed some building industry—local firms are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has witnessed some building industry—local firms are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has witnessed some building industry—local firms are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has witnessed some building industry—local firms are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has witnessed some building industry—local firms are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has witnessed some building industry—local firms are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has a local firms are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has a local firm are enabled to keep a constant supply of iron and the past year has a local firm a

trade has ceased to be, and for some months there has been but one Nippor returns for the fiscal year ending June 30th. The figures compare favorably with those of the preceding year. As the Kanagawa Maru, a few weeks ago, with those of the preceding year. As will be observed there has been a marked been temporarily withdrawn from set falling off of the Chinese revenue since vice. These facts should not be over ooked in contrasting this year's importa monthly statement attached will show tions with those of last year. On the better than anything else just how effection other hand Victoria's trade with Europe has correspondingly increased since th 3.00@ 3.40 paid the extra money, and none is likely establishment of a round-the world line Next Meet Will Be at Vancouver-Vicof do so.

In the imports will be found the best riterion of the year's business. With tent, but while doing away with the sailing vessels which formerly brought cargo to these shores from Europe, they have

	Imports.				Exports.	
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uly\$	47,678	\$ 190,018	\$ 63, 181 57	\$ 615 25	- \$ 10,861	\$ 4,700
August	50,064	233,550	71, 732 38	98 40	29,864	6,427
September.	32,533	220,340	70, 915 26	68 65	136,853	8,142
October	36,867	221,063	63, 666 48	32 95	150,366	9,929
November	65,641	175,597	54, 321 43	98 75	277,595	25,984
December	20,700	175,470	57,606 10	52 00	165,087	11,428
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lanuary	60,284	176,285	55, 119 33	211 75	64,529	15,561
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March	69,922	245,384	67, 737 53	461 00	29,006	13,894
pril	56,337	220,993	65,548 34	30 10	28,974	13,600
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	510,689	\$2,496,230	\$747, 833 82	\$2,955 97	\$963,523	\$137,756

The Chinese revenue per month is as 1904-January, \$22; follows: 1903-July, \$63,944; August, \$31,053; March, \$20; April, \$9; May, \$33; June September, \$23,580; October, \$47,336; \$20. Grand total, \$356,825.

THE INSTALLATION OF ESQUIMALT MASONS

Elevation of the Officers of United Service Lodge Attended by Very Enjoyable Function.

A large gathering of brethren asembled at Masonic Temple, Esquimalt, to witness the impressive ceremony of instalking the officers of United Service Lodge, No. 24, A. F. & A. M., Wednesday. Before the ceremony was proceeded with the lodge conducted its usual routine business, during which cheques were presented to Bros. W. G. Andrews, organist, and R. Alford, secretary, for the faithful manner in which they had arose between Lundy and his former carried out the duties allotted to them for the past year. At the conclusion R. W. Bro. P. J. Riddell, D. D. G. M. for letters. An injunction to restrain him from the jurisdiction, entered the lodge room, spite of the order of the court he carried accompanied by a number of brethren. representing the Grand Lodge of British Columbia, and installed the officers elect tradesman's shop, and distributed twenty- for the ensuing twelve months in a very 4.90 eight of the letters, each in a separate en creditable manner. Following are the officers: W. T. Phillips, P. M., W. M.; R. T. Bainbridge, I. P. M.; A. J. Graylen, S. W.; Geo. Burrington, J. W.; Rev. W. D. Barber, chaplain; Geo. Phillips, treasurer; R. E. Olford, secretary; A. H. Hale, S. D.; H. Walton, J. D.; George

At the completion of the installation | be adopted. less to say it surpassed all other occa- foreign missions.

brother as a caterer.

There were present in the hall members
from all parts of the province, and some
work at home, by Miss Sadie McNee, tended for cruising and was not built for work at home, by Miss Sadie McNee, tended for cruising and was not built for working near racing. from more distant parts, who exchanged who has recently been working near greetings with the craftsmen of Esquimalt The hall was tastefully decorated with bunting and flowers, which, with the uniforms of brethren from the naval

and the Craft, W. M.; the President of the United States, W. M.; M. W. Grand Lodge of B. C., W. M.; Installed Officers of No. 24, R. W. Bro. P. J. Riddell, D. D. G. M.; Sister Lodges of the District, W. Bro. R. T. Bainbridge, I. P. M.; The Visitors, Bro. A. J. Graylen, S. W.; Absent Brethren, Bro. Geo. Burrington,

J. W.; Tyler's Toast, Bro. W. J. Worden, Tyler. These were suitably replied to by eminent Masons, and proved both instructive and interesting.
United Service Lodge is progressing worthy brethren. This is the second time

both numerically and financially, and under the present staff of efficient of Israel." ficials it is expected will excell its past record, for it contains well tried and that W. Bro. W. T. Phillips has been selected as master, which speak volumes for his ability as a ruler in the craft. ecitations were rendered, and added to



the enjoyment of those present. Br G. Pauline presided at the piano, and contributed a number of selections in a very artistic manner.

BAPTIST CONVENTION.

Proceedings at the First Day's Sessic at the Terminal City.

As briefly mentioned in Wednesday's Pimes the eighth annual convention of after the introductory devotional services led by Mrs. W. V. Davies, read a very elaborate and extremely interesting

Another very interesting paper on the fastest boat. She made a magnificent showing throughout the race, finishing in shorter time then any of her class and boarding schools in India." Mrs. S. India for the past few years among Capt. Hodgson, at the presentation of the Telugus. It appears that the food in the prizes, gave great credit to his crew. He said they were all young fellows, but pint of rice alone a day, yet the little they did splendid work, and to them was ones find it possible to save of their own due in no small degree the victory. The free will sufficient to sell a little at the | Wideawake made the distance end of the week, so that they may have hours 33 minutes and 40 seconds. The an offering to put into the collection on Sunday.

Mrs. W. C. King gave an address on Circle Work. She spoke to some length of the need there is of training the young women to enter the work, and suggested Barker, director of ceremonies; C. G. S. a method of systematic study devised by Aloaha, of Victoria; Dorothy, of Victoria; Operatoria; Op W. J. Adams, S. S.; W. Howard, J. S.; subject provoked a very earnest discus-H. A. Johnson, Asst. D. of C.; W. J. sion, and a resolution was put and after-Hiawatha, of Vancouver. In this race wards carried that the system suggested T. S. Gore's Dione was again in bad

banquetting hall, where the tables were women's board, Miss S. B. Cross, was reached. She then had the misfortune well laden with all the delicacies the exceedingly gratifying. It was shown to have her bowsprit break away, putting season affords, and, under the capable that during the year \$954 had been her entirely out of the race. The race management of Bro. Jno. Day, need raised and divided between home and then went to the Marietta, belonging to

volumes for the skill and ability of the an interesting paper by Mrs. W. H. onds. The White Cap took second prize brother as a caterer. Spofford, and another paper was read on in 1 hour 28 minutes and 37 seconds. The eign miners, which brought a very lively

session to a close.

The church was crowded to its fulles and military forces, presented a pleasing capacity when the evening session open-effect. J. Williard Litch, of Calgary, also offi-

ciated. The convention sermon was preached by Rev. W. C. King, of Chilliwack. He took for his theme, "The Voice From the Cloud," bearing his remarks on the transfiguration of Christ. It was a strong and cloquent discourse. Rev. J. A. Banton delighted the con-

The superintendent, Rev. P. H. Mc-Ewan, then introduced the new pas tors and visiting ministers, which was followed by the election of the convention | showed a small balance of about \$3.29 committee. These were as follows:

Croot, E. B. Morgan.
Nomination—Revs. A. N. McLeod, E. L. Daken, I. W. Williamson New Churches-Revs. H. McEwen, A W. McLeod, J. N. Payne, A. Pinkey,

Deacon A. Sluggett.

Don't Grow Corns This Year.

using Carples' Corn Cream. At Drug the Key City trophy the various winners Stores or send 15 cents in stamps and get of it, with the place and date of the No. 1 and 2 are sold in all Victoria drug box of the Corn Cream.

The prizes were presented at the meetstores.

D. V. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont. ing, closing with cheers by the visitors

INTERESTING YACHT RACES YESTERDAY

toria Baseball Team Defeated by Sedro-Wolley.

Monday proved an ideal day for the races under the Northwest International Yacht Racing Association. There was a splendid breeze, which gave the crews every opportunity to test the merits of their craft and to show their seamanship. From start to finish there was not a dull moment in the races. The coveted Key City trophy was carried off by the Wideawake, of Vancouver, she having made the fastest time for yachts of classes A and B. Her time was 2 hours and 33 minutes and 40 seconds. The distance round the course is considered to be seven miles. Class A and B had to go round it twice, making about four-

In class A there was another boat entered other than those which took part on Saturday. There was Gwenol, of Victoria, Gwendolyn, of Seattle; Linda, of Seattle; Lavita, of Seattle, and Falcon, of Seattle.

The strong wind proved too much for the Gwendolyn, which in the light breezes of Saturday made such good time. She heeled over before the wind, being unable to stand up in it. The weather was strictly adapted for the Linda and the Lavita, which are both heavily built. The race between these two was very keen. The Linda kept up a slight lead throughout the course, but at the finish was only a few seconds ahead. In making for the buoy off Albert Head the Lavita gained somewhat on the Linda, and passed round not more than two minutes behind her. With a fair wind to the finishing point the two yachts prepared to make their best time. The Lavita hoisted her top sail and gradually gained on the leader. The Linda attempted to set her naker, but failed to adjust it. The Linda finished first, having occupied 2 hours 37 the Baptist church of British Columbia The Lavita followed in 2 hours 38 minutes and 40 seconds on the course opened at Vancouver on Tuesday. The minutes and 34 seconds. The Gwenol afternoon session was presided over by made it in 2 hours 55 minutes and 32 Mrs. S. R. Stavens, of Victoria, who, seconds. With time allowance the race went to the Lavita with the Gwenol

In class B there entered Wideawake. of Vancouver; Ariadne, of Bellingham paper on mission work in the Philip-nines.

Of Vancouver, And Seattle; Deloris, of Vancouver, and Eileen, of Vancouver. Another very interesting paper on The Wideawake showed herself easily McLeod has been working in Coconada, most valued prize, the Key City trophy. Madeline took second in the class, making the distance in 2 hours 54 minutes

and 38 seconds. In class C there entered Dione, of Victoria; Copper Queen, of Victoria; Emress, of Seattle; White Cap, of Victoria; luck. She was well in the lead until Capt. French. R. E., who made the dissions of this kind in the past, and spoke | Mission bands formed the subject of tance in 1 hour 14 minutes and 5 sec-

The winners for the races yesterday were therefore as follows: Class A .- First prize, Lavita, of Seat the uniforms of brethren from the naval and military forces, presented a pleasing effect.

Following is the toast list: The King and the Craft, W. M.; the President of the United States W. M. W. Crand preceded the regular business was led by Rev. J. A. Banton, of Nanaimo. Revs. E. Leroy Daken, of Victoria, and White Cap, of Victoria, Capt. Lawrie.

SATURDAY'S RACES. The judges on Saturday's races omputing time allowance, etc., awarded econd prize in class A to the Gwenol, of Victoria, and not to the Lavita, of Seat tle, as announced. At first it was exnected the latter boat would get second place, but this was reversed in making

ANNUAL MEETING. Last night the Northwest International Yacht Racing Association held its annual meeting. The treasurer's report

for his ability as a ruler in the craft.

During the evening several songs and During the evening several songs and recitations were rendered, and added to Future Policy—Revs. Wm. Marchand, also invited the association to hold the C. S. Stevens, F. N. Annache, J. T. races there. It was urged on behalf of Vancouver that a yacht club had been organized there only 18 months ago with a large membership, and the annual meeting would be of great encourage-

ment to the sport.

The officers elected were as follows: President, William Hodgson, Vancouver vice-president, F. S. Stimson, Seattle secretary, O. L. Spencer, Vancouver treasurer, F. M. Kelly, Vancouver; admiral, W. H. Abbott, Bellingham; viceadmiral, F. Newman, Seattle; commodore, A. T. Pearce, Victoria; vice-com-People who are wise will not grow corns this year (on their feet). Every corn can be removed without pain by two decided to have inscribed on

Shirt waists and dainty linen are made delightfully clean and fresh with Sun-

light Soap. for the way they had been entertained

LACROSSE.

by the Victoria Yacht Club.

WON BY SEATTLE. The game between Seattle and Everett at Everett on Sunday was won by Seattle by a score of 7 to 0. Except in the last half the game was close, although Seattle kept the ball in the vicinity Everett's goal a large share of the time. Both teams showed excellent team work. Until the beginning of the fourth quarter the score was 2 to 0, Seattle having scored in the first and third quarters. In the fourth the home team apparent-

ly weakened, for Seattle scored in less than a minute after time was called, and repeated the performance four times more before the end of the game. The game was a clean one, with but little rough playing. McCabe was the only man out for any length of time. The first goal was shot by V. Galer and the second by F. Galer, assisted by Milne and Marshall. In the fourth quarter the goals were made by Milne, F. Galer (2), Hall and Lorimer.

TEAM SEEKING GLORY. No. 5 Company, Fifth Regiment C. A has a lacrosse team in the field which challenges any local firm claiming a team. is specified that none but actual employees of the firm shall be on the team which takes the field against the company.

DEFEATED BY SEDRO-WOLLEY. Sedro-Wolley baseball team defeated the Victoria players Monday by a score of 4 to 2. The match was a good one. Victoria in meeting Sedro-Wolley went up against a team with an unbroken re-

ord for the season. THIS WEEK'S MACCHES. The hours at which the baseball matches etween the famous Sedro-Wolley team and the Victoria players will take place has been definitely fixed. Friday's game will commence at 6.15. This will enable those who cannot quit their business before six an opportunity to watch the match. On Saturday the game will begin at the regular hour, 3 o'clock.

Enthusiasts are looking forward to the meeting of these two teams as a veritable Sedro-Wolley has for years maintrent. Sedro-Wolley has for years main-tained a first-class team, but the aggregation which represents that town this year is easily the fastest among the amateur

players of P-get Sound. The local team is taking no chances on the games, and are arranging to put the strongest possible players in the field. With favorable weather the grand stand will be packed for these matches, as Victorians have anxiously awaited the meeting between the local team and the Sedro-Wolley since the organization of the Puget Sound

FERNWOOLS WON.

The Fernwood intermediates defeated the Cedar Hill nine in a six-inning game at odacre's field Wednesday night, the score being ten to five. The Fernwoods drew ahead quite early in the game, but in their final inning the Cedar Hill aggregation picked up and increased their secre. S. Winsby twirled for the winners, and F. Miller pitched for the losers. Frank Carlow was a satisfactory umpire. Quite a crowd witnessed the game.

ATHLETICS.

A ST. LOUIS TEAM. among the athletes who Vancouver last week, a team may be sent St. Louis to compete in the World's Fair Olympic games in August. They will go under the Multnomah Athletic Club, of Portland. The men from the association who are expected to be in the team are: Pearson, Gilbert and Coates. There will

THE TURF. NIGGER BEAT BRIGHTEYES. In a mile trotting race held at Duncans esterday Nigger, belonging to George

Lewis, won a second race from Bright-eyes, owned by W. E. Blythe. FOUL BREATH AND

COATED TONGUE ARE EXCITED BY A TORPID CONDITION OF THE LIVER— THE GREAT CAUSE OF HEAD-DESPONDENCY AND ACHE.

THE BLUES. With disease the most important time is at the beginning, because at the start it can be controlled. A coated tongue, foul breath and general feeling of heaviness do not menace life like typhoid fever, but prepare the way for this disease and others just as bad.

You get about as close as possible to nature's own remedy by using Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which are composed entirely of vegetable extracts, and therefore perfectly harmless. These pills have a mild action on the bowels, causing them to should return to Vancouver and the move regularly. By their stimulating action on the kidneys and liver they free the system of all poisons and impurities. In the system of all poisons and impurities. This clears the complexion, sweetens the stomach and cures the foul breath and

coated tongue.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills are made according to the formula of this noted physician. Their action is so even and mild that you suffer no inconvenience or loss of time. Yet they do the work expected in a most satisfactory way.

If you suffer from headache, dizziness,

nervousness, poor color, constipation or any complaint of the stomach or bowels select Dr. Hamilton's Pills for

Of the Protestant Orphanage Met in Regular Session Wednesday. At Wednesday's meeting of the B. C.

Protestant Orphanage ladies' committee he following report from the visiting nittee was received and adopted: We, the visitors to the Protestant Orphans' Home for June. 1904, report that reekly visits were made to the Home, and al linternal matters found to be going on satisfactorily, the health of the children being very good. The baby girl was taken tway by Mrs. Tomlinson and left very happily for her new home, where we are sure she will be well cared for. Very little purchasing was needed, owing to the near prospect of the annual pound party, which was the event of the month, and, as hereto fore, was well attended by the many friends, new and old, of the institution, who, by their presence and very liberal gifts, showed their interest and sympathy for the orphans and destitute children in our care. The sanitary arrangements that have been the cause of grave anxiety to most of us have been at length looked into and improved, and we are assured that there will be no more trouble on that account for a long time to come. The matron

THE LADIES' COMMITTEE

MARY HUTCHESON.

The committee authorized a hearty ote of thanks to those who had donated so liberally to the pound party, also to Bandmaster Finn and his men, and the lacrosse team for a substantial contribution. Applications for the admission of nine children were referred to the special committee on receptions. Accounts amounting to \$119.53 were passed. The matron reported the receipt of the

is in need of a short holiday, and, if pos-

sible, this should be arranged as soon as

following donations: Donations for June: Mrs. Stevens. Salt Spring Island, 24 jars jam; Challoner & Mitchell, 1 alarm clock: Mrs. West Wilson. oes; Mrs. Kaye, 12 boxes strawberries; Mrs. Van Tassell, rhubarb and onlons; M'ss Liddell, per Mr. Adams, box of clothing; Mrs. Charles Todd, 1 carpet: Mrs. J. H. Todd, clothing; Mrs. Huckle, clothing; Mrs. Chris. Spencer, clothing; Mr. Raymond, lime for cleaning cellars; Mrs. Munsie, shoes and clothing; Mrs. Derrick, Carr street, clothing and shoes; S. P. C. A., illustrated papers and magazines; R. S. Mowat, 12 boxes strawberries; Mrs. Dunsmuir, jelly, salad, custard; Mrs. Sidney Wilson, boys' clothing: Thomas Hooper nvitation to lacrosse match; 38 Frederick street, clothing; Mrs. Jackson, Hillside avenue, milk daily; Times and Colonist,

daily papers. Additional donations to pound party; Mrs. Clapham, \$5; Friend, \$5; Mrs. Gordon, Otter Point, \$1; Mrs. J. A. Hinton, 50 cents; W. J. Pendray, 4 dozen White Swan soap, 6 packages soap powder, 1 dozen toilet soap, 3 bottles blueing, 3 bot tles ambrosia; Friend, clothing; Mrs. Purdy, Esquimalt, 1 sack flour; Mrs. J. York, 1 sack flour: Mrs. Vincent, sack rolled oats; Mrs. Jeffs, corn starch, raisins, currants, rice, taploca; lacrosse match, \$15.90; Mrs. Forman, sack sugar.

Mrs. Crow Baker and Mrs. Geo. Gillespie were appointed visitors for July. There were present at the meeting: Mrs. McCullough, presiding; Mrs. Hutcheson, Mrs. Shakespeare, Mrs. Mc-Tavish, Mrs. Toller, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Crow Baker and Mrs. Gillespie.

DEATH OF LEWIS LEWIS. A Pioneer of This City Passed Away Monday Night at 65 Pandora

Street. The death on Monday of Lewis Lewis at 65 Pandora street removed one of the pioneers of the province. He was born n Kolar, Russian Poland, in 1828. The deceased left his native land at the early age of nine years, and resided in Germany for some years. Later he went to England, and after five years spent in that country he came to America. After a short time in New York he joined in the rush for gold in California. Coming round by Cape Horn in the ship Robert Bone he arrived in San Francisco in 1849. The rush for gold in British Co lumbia again attracted him, and in 1858 he came to Victoria. Here he has resided ever since, following business until

about four years ago, when he retired. He has been identified with many organizations in Victoria. Among them were the French Benevolent Society and Victoria Lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F. He was also a member of the first volunteer fire brigade in this city. He has always been identified prominently with the Congregation Emanu-el, being its president for eight years. He leaves one son, Aaron Lewis, a grandson, Emanuel Thillips Lewis, and a daughter, Mrs. E. P. Nathan. The funeral will take place on Wednesday next at 2 p.m. from Odd

DIED ON TRAIN.

Fellows' hall.

W. Foster, of Vancouver, Passed Away While En Route to the Coast.

When the passenger train from the East arrived at Kamloops on Monday morning, the body of William Foster, of Vancouver, was removed from it held for enquiry as to the cause of his

The deceased, who was 75 years of age, and his wife came up from the coast about ten days or so ago to attend the marriage of their son, W. W. Foster, of Revelstoke, which took place at Salmon Arm on June 25th. After the wedding the parents proceeded to Revelstoke to keep house for their son until he and his bride returned from the honeymoon trip. But his health not being good it was decided that the deceased was' found lying in the berth Monday

morning. Death was probably due to heart failure, and as an inquest was not held, the body was sent on to Vancouver Monday night for burial.

NURSE'S GOOD WORDS .- "I am a professional nurse," writes Mrs. Eisner, Hali-fax, N. S. "I was a great sufferer from with best physicians I had every chance of a cure if it were in their power-but they remedy; they will permanently make you well. Price 25c. per box or five boxes for \$1, at all druggists, or by mail from N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont., and Hartford, Conn., U. S. A. Capt. Amesbury is not the only Vic-

torian who spoke in a similar strain this

SEATERS ARE ALL AWAY.

The Victoria sealing vessels, which will this year cruise in Behring Sea, are now

all down the coast, and are either secur

ing their Indian hunters or, having ob

tained them, are now heading north as

fast as they can. In the fleet there are

eleyen of the Victoria Sealing Company'

schooners, and some three or four inde-pendent boats. The hunting season if

Behring Sea does not open until August 1st, but the fleet is always on hand to

DUE NEXT WEEK.

The China Mutual liner Stentor is due

a week from to-morrow from Europe and points in the Orient with a big

nearly one thousand tons. The Stentor

has never made the round-the-world voy

age before. She is a big carrier, having a gross tonnage of 6,773 tons and in gen-

other ships of the line. The Calchas

one of the fleet now on the Sound, wil

be sailing on her return voyage on Thurs

day next. As stated yesterday she wil

call here to pick up a heavy consignment of lumber for Hongkong.

Underbids Biggest Shipbuilding Concerns

on Pacific Coast-Question of

Towage Being Considered.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

city, are the successful tenderers for the

work to be done on the steamship Algoa,

the big Pacific mail liner which struck

on Point Bonilla, off the California coast,

some short time ago and sustained dam-

The company have been notified by their

agent in the Bay City that their tender

was the lowest of all that had been sent

in, and to expect the contract. A ques-

tion of towage to this port has yet to be

settled, and correspondence regarding

this is passing to-day between the com-

pany and the underwriters in England.

It is thought, however, that satisfac-

tory arrangements can be entered into

whereby there will be no obstacles

placed in the way of the big undertaking

All the important shipbuilding com-

panies on the Pacific coast have tender-

coming north.

The Victoria Machinery Depot, of this

BEATS ALL RIVALS

VICTORIA COMPANY

begin operations as soon as the law

EX-ALDERMAN YATES IS ON THE WARPATH

Claims Plans and Specifications for the Carnegie Library Building Are Not Being Carried Out.

against the contractor of the Carnegie library building which a special committee will investigate. He alleges that the cordance with the plans and specifica- plied for the payment of \$15,000 in purtions, and he mentions a number of technical instances in which this has not at Monday's meeting of the council, is as follows:

Gentlemen:—I have been informed on good authority that the contractor of the Carnegie 'ibrary building is not carrying Adopted out his contract according to the plans and specifications, and I think it right to let you know the fact in order that you may ascertain how far such is the case.

I will mention some of the particulars given to me wherein the building, so far as it is at present erected, varies from the plans and specifications: 1. The bases to the main entrance should

are not so in the building. 2. The dias above bases to main entrance

are also shown to be in one stone. They are in two or more in the building. 3. The caps at the same place are also

4. The caps to the first story windows should be clean-faced between mouldings, mendation, and explained the nature of whereas they are simply rock-faced. fintels should be tooled; instead of which it

is rock-faced. der the columns, each stone should run gained. clear through under sill in one piece; instead of so doing, the stones only run a to three small part of the way. The balance will | probably be covered with tin or copper. have alternate courses clean cut; but in-

stead all courses are rock-faced. simple plain course has been substituted

9. In the basement walls, concrete has (I believe with your consent and approval) been substituted for the rubble walls, and that (if proper concrete is made) is possibly an improvement; but I am informed that the concrete was filled in with large pieces of trap rock, instead of small rock and gravel. Moreover, this class of work (concrete) has been carried up to the highest grade line on a level, leaving the same height of gravel all round. The plans show that there should be about 2 feet 3 inches of granite in front and increasing as the wall runs back to the rear to about four feet. And this amount is shown to be built in two and three courses, whereas in the building there is simply one course

10. As yet there are no granite sills in does there appear to be any preparation for having them put in. 11. In some parts of the upper story the

ashlar (I am told) is only plain chiselled I have had the plans and specifications placed before a practical man, and had m to estimate the cost of doing the work

as it ought to have been done and as it is one thousand dollars.

price-or to Mr. Carnegie, if the cost of the able to closely estimate his loss. uilding does not reach the amount of his

arisen or may yet arise before the building

gard my action as being officious; but I ceived in the mail from Duncan. The deemed it right to let you know what had strike was made on June 13th.

tingly allowed variations to occur. That mate, \$50,000." is for your honorable board to inquire into. investigation you deem necessary to hold Horse creek have reached values. To produce the person who made the estisaid that the gravel in the new field pans not have thought of seizing the City of Nanaimo under the circumstances. I the plans and specifications are in your

munication in the spirit in which it is sent. viz., as from one of Victoria's well wishers. I have the honor to be.

Your obedient servant J. STUART YATES.

Ald. Vincent-I think the proper course is to refer that to the building inspector, the architect and the clerk of the works

Ald Beckwith did not think anybody connected with the building should be made, and no doubt the officials on the tion. He moved that the matter be referred to the building inspector and a committee of the council.

Ald. Grahame seconded the motion.

tion for permission to extend certain wharfage facilities. The writer promised to report favorably on the application.

R. S. Day and E. A. Lewis thanked the council for appointment to the hos pital board. Received and filed. Selina Mann requested the council to emove certain rock from the south side of David street. Referred to the city

Messrs. Moore & Whittington express- FOR A VIOLATION ed their thanks for orders from the council. Received and filed.

The Office Specialty Company submit-ted a tender for furnishing steel shelves for the Carnegie library, the figure mentioned being \$1,400. Referred to pur chasing agent and the architect for re-

that tenders be called for 12,000 feet of four-inch cast iron water pipe, to be de livered next year, also for 750 cubi-Ex-Ald. James S. Yates, in a letter to the city council, makes certain charges the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council, makes certain charges for laying on Selkirk street from the Escape of the city council of the city cou Water Works Company, further that some pipe be laid on Davie street. The report was adopted.

> suance of the contract between the city and the railway company.
> On motion of Ald. Vincent the con

considered at a meeting. The city engineer reported the cost of laying a permanent sidewalk on the west side of Langley street, between Yates street and Chancery lane, to be \$274. The same official reported that the

total cost of laying a permanent side-walk on the north side of Cormorant street, between Store and Government streets, would be \$1,525. Mr. Topp also submitted specifications for the removal of the fence around the

old Quadra cemetery and the construction of a new one along the east boundbe in one stone, showing no joints. They ary. Referred to the streets, bridges and sewers committee, to be taken up on

The finance committee recommended that a grant of \$250 be made for advertising the city in the tour of the Fifth to be in one stone; but they are not so in | Regiment band which will play at the St. Louis exposition.

Ald. Grahame endorsed the

5. One course of ashlar over first story intels should be tooled; instead of which it Ald. Stewart opposed the adoption of the report, as he thought the sum was too much for the benefit that would be

> The report was lost on a vote of four The finance committee recommende the appropriation of \$4,183 for the usual

purpose. Adopted.

The council then resolved itself into a committee of the whole to consider the after her arrival from the Sound she was 8. The moulded coping of the stock room has been dispensed with entirely, and a which an adjournment was taken.

> YUKON NEWS. Seizure of Smuggled Liquors-Discovery of Huge Nugget—Sluice Box Robbery.

A big shipment of various kinds of liquors, consigned to Murray & Ross, of the Bonanza saloon, was seized while being unloaded from the steamer Selkirk, at the White Pass dock, Dawson, some days ago. A barrel and case, purporting to be olive oil and general groceries, were broken open and found to contain intoxi-

monster weighs 450 ounces, and if it an ounce the tidy little sum of \$6,750.

successfully carried out on Last Chance | thing.' creek on the evening of June 19th have leaked out at Dawson. Thieves removed the greater portion of a twelve days' cleanup from the riffles of a sluice box done, and his estimate shows a saving to estimated about \$3,000 in dust was re gaged in the same excursion business, the contractor of an amount slightly over moved from the rifles. The mounted po-This amount I do not think should be al- found in the clay about the boxes and lowed to go into the contractor's pocket, with other clues are running down sevfor he has not done the work specified. It eral suspects, hoping soon to get some should be saved either to the public by idea of the guilty. On account of not making him make good the work omitted, or by making a deduction from his contract riffles, the owner of the property is un-

A rich gold strike was made a few weeks ago by miners in the employ of the a building that certain deductions from the work specified are allowed to be offset against any extras that may be made, and if may be that some of these alterations to Dawson. The gold is very coarse, and the case appear to the case appear the large amount of work eliminated from the baron is exhibiting a poke containing day, "and you can say for me in the eights and three-fourth inch. These and the stonework contract alone, I think it \$300 in nuggets, which was taken out

behooves the council to examine very care-fully into any extras which may have eight days.

by two men with crude appliances in that the fining and detention of the City of Namaimo was an outrage. Fancy is completed.

I trust, gentlemen, that you will not rewhich flows into Mayo lake, has been re-

A Dawson mining expert says: "The recent rain and snow were worth \$250,-I know you have an inspector of the 000 to Klondike miners. Every day of works, and it may be that he has unwit- rain is worth to this camp, at a low esti-

Reports of new and rich gold discover-I will only add that I am ready on any less at the head of the delta on Wild Investigation you deem necessary to hold Horse creek have reached Valdez. It is Collector Ide, of Port Townsend, would

W. M. Brewer has returned to White Horse from a week's trip to the Big say he is a gentlemen. All I can add Salmon country, where he reports considerable activity considering the condisiderable activity considering the condi-tions, the camp being rather difficult of access with machinery and provisions. During Brewer's visit to the camp Jack Blick, foreman of the N. C. Co.'s property, made the first clean-up of the sea-son, the amount being satisfactory and taken her papers and had never said one sufficient to show a profit as the result | word to the captain about any law pre of 16 men's work for 15 days, eight men venting the latter carrying passengers. working to the shift. Mr. Brewer says | Therefore I consider the collector guilt there are a number of the most extensive of an act of great indiscretion and of quartz ledges there he has seen in the causing a great deal of inconvenience and country, one of which he traced the length of five claims or 7,500 feet, the

O'Dell, of Truro, N. S. Want any better to the other side to help the citizens evidence of the real merit of Dr. Von Stan's there in celebrating their national holi-Pineapple Tablets as a cure for all forms of day, and being treated to this kind of And. Vincent withdrew his menton, and that of Ald. Beckwith was carried, and Alds. Stewart and Elford were appointed to the committee.

Capt. Gaudin, agent of marine and fisheries department, acknowledged receipt of plans and the council's application.

Ald. Vincent withdrew his menton, and stemands as a cure for all forms of day, and being treated to this kind of thing. If I could have gotten on a barrel on the streets in Port Angeles last makes one's very insides rebel—but pleasing treated to this kind of thing. If I could have gotten on a barrel on the streets in Port Angeles last makes one's very insides rebel—but pleasing treated to this kind of thing. If I could have gotten on a barrel on the streets in Port Angeles last makes one's very insides rebel—but pleasing treated to this kind of thing. If I could have gotten on a barrel on the streets in Port Angeles last makes one's very insides rebel—but pleasing treated to this kind of thing. If I could have gotten on a barrel on the streets in Port Angeles last makes one's very insides rebel—but pleasing treated to this kind of thing. If I could have gotten on a barrel on the streets in Port Angeles last makes one's very insides rebel—but pleasing the council of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the whole affair. Many could not understand what had have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the would have told the citizens what I thought of the

Excursions To and From Port Angeles Were Stopped and Vessel

Detained.

On a technicality the E. & N. Railway Company's steamer City of Nanaimo was Monday fined \$500 by the collector at Port Angeles on a charge of a violation A. E. Wood, vice-president of the Vic- of the Customs Inspection Act. The contract is not being carried out in ac- toria Terminal Railway Company, ap- steamer was yesterday engaged in the excursion business between this city and Port Angeles, and officials on the American side maintain that she should have teen done. The letter, which was read munication was laid on the table to be first passed American inspection before freight for this city, amounting in all to carrying passengers to the Canadian

> She had made two trips across the Straits, and was about to return when the customs officers came down on her and took possession. The vessel had one more run to make from this city. There were a number of American people ready to cross to Victoria, and there were many others at home who were anxious to take in the last voyage. Furthermore there were 100 Port Angeles residents who had come to this city on the first return trip, and who wanted to go home

The whole proceeding of fining the ship seemed very unfortunate. If the American officers acted within their rights in enforcing the law they certainly could have worked greater to the inconvenience of the public both on the American and Canadian side. The vessel was held up regardless of consequences, and was deained until a fine of \$500 was paid. This took considerable time. It was late in the evening before all the business could be transacted, and the ship was

released. In the meanwhile the E. & N. officials acted as promptly as possible. There was but one passenger steamer in port that could be secured at once for the emergency. The Alaska Steamship Company placed the Whatcom at the disposal of the company, and some time ordered to proceed to Port Angeles, taking home the 100 excursionists then here. In Port Angeles there were 633 The Whatcom has accommodation for 550 passengers, and she had her full complement returning. Nearly one hundred Victorians, however, had to be left behind, and for these the Rosalie called on her way from Seattle this age which nearly sent her to the bottom. morning. The special run for the Rosalie left her late in arriving.

The City of Nanaimo got back shortly after the Whatcom's return, and this morning sailed on her regular east coast run. Whether her owners will appeal the case to the Washington authorities could not be learned this morning. James Dunsmuir is at Comox, and Joseph To No. 3, American gulch, belongs the honor of producing the biggest nugget railway company, declined to discuss the ever found in the Yukon territory, or for subject. He was seen this morning just that matter in the entire North. The outgoing train. When approached by a were all gold it would be worth at \$15 | reporter he exclaimed with a wave of the arm that "he did not care to discuss The details of a big sluice box robbery | the subject; he was too mad to say any-

The law under which the boat was ed on the Algoa, including the Union penalized, it is understood, is a com- Iron Works and the Risbon Works of paratively new one, and has been rigidly enforced since the Clallam disaster. The opposite left limit, No. 3 above. It is fered with in former years when she enand there are those who now consider that a "snap shot" crack has now been

> Indignation runs high in Victoria and in Port Angeles over the methods pursued by the collector of customs at the latter port in fining the steamer City of Nanaimo. There is no comment on the question of imposing a penalty on the steamer for violating the law, if she had

strongest possible manner that I consider News of a good strike on Old Fan of Nanaimo was an outrage. Fancy several hundred people turned into Government of Edmonton greek a tributary of Edmonton greek. ernment street, many of them with children and several with babies in their arms, and being obliged to pass the night four months the work will proceed. In in doorways and on street corners, then you can picture to yourself what was witnessed on the street of Port Angeles

last night. "I am too familiar with the American shipping laws for any one to tell me that every customs officer of the United know the collector at Port Angeles, and ledge being upward of 100 feet in width. trip to Victoria did he take action. This

conduct is inexcusable.
"Just think of the people going over

and when they had learned the facts were highly indignant.
"The City of Nanaimo has just been fitted out and is a fine comfortable ship. Had she not have been detained every Victorian could have returned last night. ead many had to spend the night in Port Angeles, as there was insufficien

> **IMMIGRATION ACT** TO BE TESTED THERE

> Chief Justice Hunter Suggested Course When Habeas Corpus Proceedings Came Up To-Day.

The habeas corpus proceedings relative to the refusal to allow seven Japanese a landing from the steamer Shawmut came up before Chief Justice Hunter this morning. Again an adjournmen has been taken, and the Full court will decide upon the question of the right of the province to pass the Immigration

Upon the opening of the proceedings this morning W. Moresby, in his argument, held that the Immigration Act was ultra vires, on the ground that it was epugnant to Dominion legislation. The Dominion had legislated with regard to immigration. In that enactment there was no educational test provided for. The Chief Justice thought that this educational test would not clash, as it was additional to the other. Mr. / Moresby proceeded to point ou

that the report of the minister of justice ore out his contention. The Chief Justice interjected that he thought a matter of this consequence should go before the Full court, otherwise an application could be made to one udge after another, and trouble might follow. He proposed that a case should

dinarily the Japanese authorities object-

The Chief Justic added: "Don't you think they have good ground for that at the present time, in view of the fact that Japan is fighting the battles of the Em-

In this instance, Mr. McPhillips continued, the Japanese authorities represented by the consul were opposing the landing, and the women had left the country without the usual permission be

would have to be adopted in this case, as it was the laws of this country which had to me adhered to, and not those of ufficient surety is put up.

Supreme Court Sitings. The Supreme court opened this morning with Mr. Justice Duff presiding. It was noticeable that the new Supreme court judge appeared without a wig, as has been customary in the British Co-

fession, and these followed the example in baring their heads. The first case called was that of Centre Star vs. Rossland Miners' Union, et al. Coupled with the union as defendants

addition to the work to be done on the pleted hull there is to be between ten and) twelve thousand dollars expended on the

machinery. The injuries to the vessel, as previous ly described, are very serious. It is fortunate for her that she has a double bottom; otherwise she would have never of her hull has a huge rent in it, through which the cargo poured after she was placed in dock at San Francisco. This will have to be made good, as will also the stem, which was broken and twisted

in the impact with the rocks. Bidding between the different tender ers on the Algoa is said to have been firm like the Victoria Machinery Depot should have beaten all their rivals has created no little surprise.

The firm has for several months been equipping a new shipbuilding plant in the upper harbor, and at the same time has been prosecuting routine business in a manner almost wholly independent of this engrossing matter. The company Enterprise, Lat. 25.32 S., Long. 35.02 W., have had on hand in addition to other work no fewer than eight propellers, one of which has just been completed and attached to the steamer Tees. The propellers are of various sizes, and indicate that no matter of what character the undertaking the company is capable of

Every fifth boy in India 's at school, and

Counsel were agreeable to this, and the uestion of procedure then came up. A. E. McPhillips, K. C., representing the Attorney-General, suggested that a stated case might be taken to the Full court, after which the Chief Justice, being bound by the decision of the Full court, would take up this application. This was agreed to, and the hearing before the Full court was set for Thursday at 10.30.

The question of allowing the Japanese women held in the case out on bail came up. Mr. McPhillips pointed out that ored to any barriers being put in the way

The Chief Justice said the usual course The women will remain in jail unless

lumbia courts. At the opening there was a large gathering of the legal pro-

firm can do when it comes down to tendering on repairs to a ship.

Nothing of the size of the Algoa has even been in dry dock at Esquimalt. She is 455 feet long and over 7,000 tonnage. With these proportions there will not be a particle of room left in dock over and above that required to accommodate the steamer. The plates needed will be fiveleghts and three-fourth inch. These and other material for her repairs are all on hand.

When the ship is placed on the stocks

When the ship is placed on the stocks

No. 2, Rossland & Great Western, Centered action against the union for \$50,000 action against the union for \$50,000 action against the union for \$50,000 action against the such sade action against the union for \$50,000 action action action against the union for \$50,000 action action action act firm can do when it comes down to No. 2, Rossland & Great Western, Cenof the case appear to be altogether in the With these proportions there will not be action being paid by the plaintiffs. The

Argument in the appeal taken in Attorney-General vs. Ludgate was comyesterday. Judgment was re-The Chief Justice expressed the

Pelts-Schooner Is Heading for Halifax.

J. T. Jones, the Douglas street tobacco nist, has received another letter from the navigator on the schooner Enterprise, this has met with better luck. In the previous sealer had put into Montevideo with all her boats smashed, and it was then feared that her cruise would be a failure. The catch mentioned in the letter now to hand will therefore be considerable of a surprise. The letter is as follows:

Enterprise, Lat. 25.32 S., Long. 35.02 W.,
May 7th, 1904.

Dear Mr. J. T. Jones:—There is a ship passing close to us, and I just have time to drop you a line to tell you that we are on our way to Halifax and will get there about the latter part of June. We have 55,000 miles to go yet. We have 539 skins. That is not so bad, considering everything.

Wanted—We have continual inquires for yancouver Island farm lands. If your property is for sile write us at once, the first part of June. We have continual inquires for yancouver Island farm lands. If your property is for sile write us at once, the first particulate, and we will self it for more than the particulate, and we will self it for ment.

We are all well.

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We have Go chains to point of commencement.

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7th June, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains, east from the northwest corner of George L. Boyd's location, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

7th June, 1904.

GERTRUDE LYE (No. 1).

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Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away thmber from the following described lands; Commencing at a stake planted about two miles northwest from Gertrude Lye's No. 1 location, thence south 110 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence north 110 chains, thence west, 60 chains to point of commencement.

Tth June; 1904.

GERTRUDE LYE (No. 2).

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a stake planted at the northwest corner of Gertrude Lye's No. 2 location, thence south 110 chains, thence west 60 chains, thence north 110 chains, thence east 60 chains to point of commencement.

elsewhere. That all these old established firms should have been beaten out on a contract this little and executive of the union, the Carpenter's and Joiners' Union, the Blacka contract which all had strenuously endeavored to capture is a matter for just congratulation. The work is the first that has ever been brought here from so far south as San Francisco, and goes to show what an enterprising local firm can do when it comes down to

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served. The Chief Justice expressed the opinion that if it was clearly established that the island was a military reserve their jurisdiction over it passed to the Dominion. There was some question as to its having been set apart as a reserve, however.

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GEORGE L. BOYD. Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the south bank of river, about 3 miles east from the head of Orford Bay, on the east side of Bute Inlet, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains following the river to point of commencement. 7th June, 1904.

ARTHUR BLACKMORE.

ARTHUR BLACKMORE. Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a stake planted about one mile northwest from the northwest corner of Francis Lye's location, thence south 110 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence north 110 chains, thence west 60 chains to point of commencement.

7th June, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a stake planted at the northwest corner of Lillian Lye's location, thence south 110 chains, thence west 60 chains, thence north, 110 chains, thence east 60 chains to point of commencement. 7th June, 1904.

GEORGE RAWDING. Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a stake planted about 20 chains south from the northwest corner of Richard Hilton's location, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

7th June, 1904.

FRANCIS M. BLACKMORE.

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Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a stake planted on the west side of the Homalko River, about one mile northwest from the northwest corner of Indian Reservation, thence south 110 chains, thence east 60 chains to Indian Reserve, thence morth along the west line of the Indian Reserve, thence along west shore of river to point of commencement.

ALFRED E. LYE.

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RUSSIANS FORCED BACK

The Loss of Gunboat Ka Two of the Cre Missing.

Taitchekaio, July 6 .swarmed over the mou this morning and advance compelling Gen. Chirikof tre of the Russian vangua A whole brigade of masses of cavalry, follow the village of Nantai d companies of Russian in companies of Cossacks renched there.

The Japanese arrived v of Kaichau at nightfail. off made a heroic attemp Japanese, galloping out w the Japanese left and infli on them. But fearing hi be cut off he fell back, a ing Kaichau. General is stationed southeast of The plans of the Japa mystery to the Russian

FURTHER DETAILS OF RECEN St. Petersburg, July 7 denies that a battle is in ported by the Liao Yang of the London Daily T officials of the war office stance of the explanation these dispatches to-day. correspondent of the robably referred to the n force made by Lieut,-Motien pass, east of Lia There are a dozen vers General Count Keller's

in force, which resulted July 4th; one at Ekhavuin at Mahoumizza, west tween Motien and Fensh dispatch of the London D from Liao Yang, anno was proceeding 25 mile probably refers to this fig According to official ceived by the war office, began their advance tow June 29th, one column me main, and the other over the former reaching O miles beyond Fenshui pas ter reaching Laikhan pass northwest of Motien pass, at these points till July 3rd falling back to Liaotse from Liao Yang. The Ja guard, consisting of 1,500 two miles east of the Ru The next day occurred I naissance in force, when were discovered to be tr

movement in the direction This is the last fight northward, but still fu Japanese column is cont another Fenshui pass. northwest of Saimatsza, niles east of the latter time the Japanese main the Siuyen-Haicheng and chekaio roads, at Van Shikhouya, respectively Haicheng and 50 miles fr

and Kaichau. THE SINKING OF A JAPANES

Washington, July 7 .legation has received the gram from Tokio, dated
"Admiral Togo reports 5th our gunboat Kaim special mission in the war. Talienwan in a dense for sian mine and sank. T cluding Commander nineteen petty officers missing. The rest were The Kaimon carried a THE ADVANCE OF

GEN. KURO

St. Petersburg, July S. special dispatch from New yesterday, says Gen. Ku ing all along the line, a Japanese officers are org bandit bands throughout for an attack on Mukden A division of the Balti sail from Kronstadt on sealed orders. Comple shrouds its destination. the orders for the division at five day intervals. W ships are bound at once advance of the othe upon naval developments wait until the other