EAR.—50 5-quire packages of ent Priory" and "Silurian" Paper, at the ridiculously low of 25c. per package. s Pens at 20c. per gross. Just 144 pens for 20c. lot of Scribblers (ruled or 3 for 10c. susiness Envelopes at \$1.20 per

of Cleaver's "Magnolia," at for 25c. ot of Cleaver's Special Un-

d Soap at 3 for 25c. more of that splendid Castile at 25c. per bar.

dah and Garden Furni-

UR BROAD ST. WINDOW. Camp Stools, good strong with canvas seat; 35c.
Cots, 10 oz. duck, 2 ft. 4 in. 6 ft. long; very serviceable \$2.00. Folding Chairs with arm sup-

Garden Chairs and Rockers, or Garden Chairs and Rockers, ut arm support, double rungs ghout, strong basket woven colors, red and green; \$1.25. with wide arms, high backs, e rungs, basket woven seat, in nd green; \$2.50. with arms, basket woven seat, e rungs; just the very thing he verandah; colors, red and; \$3.00 and \$3.50. without arms, good strong is without arms, good strong

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DEPENDABLE KINDS. Marchall" Sanitary Mattress lly a collection of air cham-each of which is a finely tor

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6; \$16.00
and Hair, 4 feet 6 x 6; \$15.00
and Moss, 4 feet 6 x 6; \$10.50
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6 x 6; \$5.00
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Received-Another Shipent of Wall Paper ERY LATEST DESIGNS

RANGING FROM 10c. to \$3 ROLL.

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and Cake Tins, sectional; nice-ished; \$2.00 each. Bath, big size, with oak fing Pots in Green and Gold:

Kneading Pans, with handles; and \$2.50 each. Tins, decorated, 1 and 2 sack \$1.25 and \$1.35 each.

Sulphur, and Salt Wash.

Paris Green Bordeaux. ux mixture as above . . 40 gals. up when ready to use. It win

DUNTRY TOWN LOSSES.

nd, Cal., May 5.-For the first e the earthquake of April is cation with Healdsburg, So ounty, was restored today. It ed that much damage was done ness property and residences by mbling, the loss there approxi \$500,000. In Alexander, five orth of Healdsburg, the ground t in ridges, and many land-occurred, damming some of the reeks and forming lakes. Wind-ven miles south of Headsb 1°g. ffered, many of its finest build-sing entirely destroyed. Sebastona county, which was just ing from its last big fire, is

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# RUSSIAN HOUSE

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Final Preparations for the Meeting of Parliament Have Been Completed.

### **GUARDING HARASSED CZAI**

The Council of the Empire Will Not Assemble Until Friday.

T. PETERSBURG, May 9-The final preparations for the great cere- Flames Extend Over a Front of mony at the winter palace on the opening of parliament tomorrow are being completed. The imperial set fires are breaking out here. The pensions to ex-ministers. There was north side of the lake is alight for more than twenty miles. A force of volunteers has been fighting the fire all day, with reference to the inconsistent atti-

until Friday. The law providing for the reorganization of the council of the empire was published today. It contains a provision for the appointment of special commissions having exclusive jurisdiction over certain subjects. All accusations of malfeasance against ministers, vicerovs, governors general, members of the council of the empire, the lower house of parliament, and in general all persons belonging to the three highest ranks of the Russian hierarchy, are consigned to a commission composed solely of appointed members. The accusations, however, must first be submitted to the Empero, who, if he approves of an investigation, will refer them to the comtigation, will refer them to the com-mission. In case the latter deter-mines that there is ground for prosecution, a trial will occur before the ruling senate. Provision is also made for special commissions to decide upon private railroad concessions and matters relating to the expropriation of state and crown lands, etc.

CONCERT AT METCHOSIN.

Entertainment in Aid of the District Farmers' Institute.

The public hall at Metchosin last evening was crowded to the doors with an enthusiastic audience who much enjoyed a splendid concert given by Mrs. Ohlandt in aid of the Metchosin Farmers' Institute. The programme was an especially meritorious and pleasing one and ences to many numbers were especially meritorious and pleasing one and encores to many numbers were loudly insisted upon. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mrs. Ohlandt on the conclusion of the concert, which was followed by the partaking of re-freshments, kindly supplied by the la-dies of Metchosin. The complete pro-gramme was as follows:

superintendent of Chinese missions is seeking to improve the moral and spiritual condition of the Chinese in British Columbia and speaks encouragingly of his work.

The new building for the Chinese Methodist Mission is being erected in Vancouver and will be completed by August 1st. It is an imposing structure and Messrs. Hooper and Watkins, of Victoria are the architect and George Suyder of Victoria the contractor. The building with local will cost \$22,000.

It has done splendid work under the superintendence of Rev. James Turney and he has been ably assisted by Rev.

R. N. Powell, chairman of the district. There will be a beautiful auditorium; also There will be a beautiful aud-n; also sleeping rooms, sitting

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chool as it practically cuts off the
ly, otherwise the work performed
the year has been very encoursecond of the very encourthe Chinese. Eight are now awaiting Christian baptism. They, are also developing the spirit of liberality and man-

ifesting a strong desire to help in th work of the Christian mission.

NANAIMO NEWS NOTES.

Paul's Church to Be Moved-Knights of Pythias in Session.

Nanaimo, May 9.—(Special — The wardens of St. Paul's Episcopal church wardens of St. Paul's Episcopal church are calling for tenders to move that edifice either bodily or by demolition. It is said a handsome new church will shortly be erected on the present site. The church committee are making a thorough canvas of the parishioners, so as to raise the additional \$1,550 still required before any construction work will be begun.

At this morning's meeting of the grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias, the financial report was presented, showing the order to be in a most satisfactory the corder to be in a most satisfactory and satisfactor condition. A resolution was adopted to wire the San Francisco grand lodge its sympathy and forward a substantial sum of money. At tonight's session of the grand lodge, Nelson, B. C., was chosen as the place of meeting next year, the session to open May 3, 1907.

FOREST FIRES RAGING.

Twenty Miles at Nelson.

Nelson, May 9 .- (Special) -- More for-

# A COMPLAINT FROM

Victoria firms have just found out that if they had sent, or could send, their stock and produce to Vancouver, a better price would be paid them than is received from the Victoria dealers. It is practically certain that if there

seeds," but they will soon find the grip relaxing. As conditions in this country lingram could call on Mr. Maclean to are continually changing, so they will change in regard to trading with the Capital City, and if the merchants do not make the existing conditions satisfactory, then the farmers will resort to the measures as outlined in W. Grimmer's logical communication to the

tural Society are striving in a creditable marner to emulate the example set by their predecessors in office, for they have announced a complete revision of the catalogue. Several events which did not adorn the prize list in previous years will account a proposition. Rev. J. Turner Outlines Work Being previous years will occopy a conspicuous position in this year's book. Those Rev. James Turner of Vancouver, superintendent of Chinese missions is sidering the animosity, which is diminished condition of the Chinese in British Columbia and sparks of the chinese in British Columbia and the chinese in British Columb

MEMBERS NEED

Only Nine Deem Themselves Overpaid in the House of Commons.

Premier Laurier Admits That Ex-Ministers' Pensions Were

sional indemnity of members and

Much Dissatisfaction Expressed
With Trade Relations With
Victoria.

A Salt Spring correspondent, writing under date of May 9, says: "Several local men who do a large business with Victoria firms have just found out that

A meeting of the quarterly board of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the profit of the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the World the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the World the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the World the World the Mcthodist Church was held in Malcoling the World T

Bros., has arrived at Vancouver from Kobe, via Muroran, where she coaled for her trip across the Pacific. The Themis had fine weather on the voy-

Canadian Bonus to Shipping Companies Censured in Commons.

London, May 10 .- (Special) -- Hazle ton of North Galway on Tuesday will ask the prime minister whether he is aware that the Canadlan government pays a sum of £1 to shipping agents in Ireland on every ticket for every emigrant to Canada, and in view of the fact that such encouragement of Irish emigration is injurious to the welfare of Ireland, whether he will make representation to the Canadian government to have the practice disontinued without delay.

RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

London, May 10 .- (Special) -- Preach Granted Hastily.

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Could give the colonies than the principles of puritanism. There was nothing more vital than the religion built on the four gospels of the New Testament, acknowledging no visible authority. The board of education, he suggested, might be asked to provide text books on the colonies for schools, and a similar plan might be adopted for could give the colonies than the prin-

2:15 a, m., W. F. Maclean's to abolish entirely the sestion a similar plan might be adopted for Sunday school. RUSSIAN NIHILISTS.

with Victoria would not only diminish but become extinct. Victoria firms have for a time thought they had a "cinch" and a tight grip on the "hay-relaxing. As conditions in this country are continually changing, so they will change in regard to trading with the Capital City, and if the merchants do not make the existing conditions satisfactory, then the femore. gram from General Greely at San try.

Although the President has decided that it is not proper for the United States government to accept contributions from abroad for the relief of San Francisco sufferers, Secretary Taft has found it possible to do so in his capacity as President of the American National Red. Cross, and he has accepted a contribution from the Japanese Red Cross society of \$50,000, tendered through Viscount Aoki, the Japanese ambassador.

TROOPS WILL SAIL

FROM C.P.

ALBERTA ROUNDUPS. Cattlemen Will Commence Operations at End of Month.

Medicine Hat, Alta., May 10 .- Spencer Bros. and the M. H. Ranching company start the round-ups on June 1st, at pany start the round-ups on June 1st, at its conclusion about 2,500 steers, owned by these two concerns and Messrs. Wright, Hooper and Huckwall, and L. H. Prutt, will be ordered down to Moosejaw for shipment from that point.

# HAS LOCATED

Canadian Northern Reported to Have Found a New Route Through Rockies.

Ing in the City Temple on behalf of the Colonial Missionary Society, Dr. Horton said there was nothing better they Direct Line Between Two Points.

> TTTINNIPEG, May 10.—One of the Canadian Northern engineering staff is authority for the statement that the company has located a the government, through the intersplendid pass through the Rockies. It state commerce commission, into the

SASKATCHEWAN WHEAT.

Regina, Sask., Airy 10.—Hon. Mr. Motherwell, in discussing resolutions condemning Prof. Maver, said it must be remembered that others besides Professor Maver had made the mistake of un-General Greely Points Out the

Difficulties of Cooking for the Refugees.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—(Special) as Sal Diagram from General Greely at San greater than the limit which he had placed upon the capabilities of the mistake of underestimating the capabilities of western Canada. He believed that the full possibilities of this country were not yet known and predicted that before long, without the wheat growing is still being extended every year and saying he lioped that before long Professor Mayer's report would have its contradiction in the reaping of harvests far greater than the limit which he had placed upon the capabilities of the country.

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slightly the miserable situation may be indicated by the statement that all the

# FROM C.P.R. DOCK

SPIERS' MYSTERIOUS DEATH. Affairs of Dead Traction Manager Were Badly Involved.

New York, May 10 .- Interest in th investigation of the mysterious killing of Charles L. Spier, a confidential agent of H. H. Rogers, was mainly confined today to a status of his financial affairs. which have been found to be badly

PEACE IN ZION. Dowie and Voliva Reach an Agreement to Govern Jointly.

Chicago, May 10.—John Alexander Dowie and Wilbur G. Voliva reached an agreement in court today upon the proposition for mutual representation in the management of fancial efficies. proposition for mutual representations in the management of financial affairs at Zion City. The Dowie forces appointed John A. Lewis, while Voliva named Alexander Granger. The third named Alexander Granger. The third Prevent Any Outbreak

STANDARD OIL INVESTIGATION

Former Employee Describes Methods of Acquiring "Tainted Money." Chicago, May 10 .- The enquiry by

runs between the Athabasca and Yel- relations between the Standard Oil lowhead passes and will not be more Company and the railroads began Empress and the members of the impersal family, the court and the suttees of the inconsistent strip. The creams to the inconsistent strip of the inc than 160 miles north of Revelstoke. today. E. M. Wilhert of Topeka, now

-Sheriff S. A. Elliott, of Okla- members were workmen who wanted in Woodward county, Okla-homa, for the cold-blooded murder of skirted coats and gay scarf belts, some Indicated by the statement that all the food for three hundred thousand people in the city is necessarily cooked on the public streets. Difficulties about the courage of everyone continues wonderfully good, neither drunkenness nor disorder are anywhere evident, except occasionally from adjacent towns, where local saloons are open. Mayor Schmitz has closed the saloons which have been consistently urged by me. The average food issue at San Francisco, Oakiand and eliewhere still exceeds a quarter of a million rations a day. Every possible method is being taken to reduce the food issue. Extreme destitution and much suffering occurs, on the part of many people who resort to charity only in extreme cases. Altogether I am encouraged."

IROOPS WILL SAIL

Sheriff Elllott of Device denies his identity. Sam Green and Peter Whitehead, suspected of cattle thieving, were visit. Sam Green and Peter Whitehead, as taken for and a fight from adjacent towns, where local saloons which have been consistently killed. Green, according to the evidence of the fusual court, of the evidence of the foreing are an under winter wheat reported as short sets than the area of winter was reported as short sets than the area of winter wheat reported as harvested last year. The average condition of the growing for physical proposed and the proposed as some last ten years.

Circumventing False Pride

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## NICHOLAS MEETS FIRST PARLIAMENT

Brilliant Semi-Barbaric Spectacle Attends Ceremony at the Winter Palace.

Occurring.

C ST. PETERSBURG, May 10 .-For the first time since the cere mony of blessing the waters Jan 19, 1905, when the Emperor escaped death from the charge of grape fired from the battery on the opposite bank of the river, their majesties were back in the capital. A little more than

first to appear were the courtiers, general and admirals and uniformed dignitaries of state, who drifted forward in haphazard order. They engaged in careless conversation while awaiting the accent of the Emperor.

The entrance of the members of par-liament, over 300 in number, introduced an incongruous element in the assem-blage. Most of them were in evening dress; but many wore ordinary frock coats and even short coats and yellow shoes. Their ranks were interspersed with Moslems in white and Kaftans, Tartars in fez, a Polish bishop in purple robes and orthodox clergy in sacredotal raiment and retired army and navy officers in uniform. Most of the

denies his identity.

Leave on City of Nanaimo From Belleville St. Dock-Forts
Taken Over.

Bank President Victim of His Insane Brother.

Montezuma, Ind., May 10.—W. H. Sylvester, president of the First National Bank of Montezuma, was shot and killed today in his hotel by his brother, whose mind is believed to be affected.

The Imperial troops gave up their last fort in the Esquimalt defences yesterday morning, when Lieut. Elliston, No. 5 Co., R.C.G.A., and Sergt.Major Mulcahey took over the Signal Hill works, the other batteries having already been taken over since Monday.

The Signal Hill works had not been completed by the Imperial forces, and the sequence of the court, the lord high chambar taken measures to provide the inhabitants with light and food if such a step becomes necessary. The news-not processor of the hounds, the master of The late vast will be laid by. Considerable animosity, which is distingt earlings and the enthusiasm, which is increasing with marvelous repldity, it is may ask that carrying especial can be safely predicted that the lained with marvelous repldity, it is may ask with a carrying especial can grow the safe of the Vesurius Bay. The Signal Hill works had not been been displayed before."

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# RUSSIA AGAIN

Promulgation of Hated Fundamental Law Precipitates a Crisis.

### **GREAT INDIGNATION AROUSE**

Once More the Iron Hand of Repression Has Full Swing

T. PETERSBURG, May 8.—The perished with the Witte regime was officially promulgated last night, and made the permanent basis of Russian state, unalterable except on the initiative of Emperor Nicholas or his successors. This draft remains identical with the project telegraphed to the Associated Press on April 24th, which evolved a storm of anger and condemnation by the dominant Liberal Published at the present instant, when the people have been led to believe that the unpopular draft had been dropped, and when the dismissal of the old cabinet was accepted as an indication of the desire on the part of the government to join hands with the national parliament, the news will arouse still greater indignation and threatens to undo all the work of the constitutional democratic leaders in Jury Finds inat Miss Fortier Was the cause of moderation. The new fundamental law of the empire, signed May 5, contains eighty-two articles dealing with the nature of the imperial power, the rights and duties of citi-zens, the methods of legislation and the rights and limitations of the na-tional assembly and council of the empire and the formation and responsibilities of council of ministers.

The only modification in the "constitution," as published, which meets with favor is the provision of empowering the emperor to fix salaries and pensions of officers.

Indignation aroused by the emperor's attempt to build an artificial disk around the prerogatives of the crown has been intensified by the astounding action of the police last night in dispersions a magnification of the police last night in dispersions as the control of the policy of t has been intensified by the astounding action of the police last night in dispersing a meeting of some members of the lower house of parliament and of the upper house, or new council of the empire, at the hall of the Economical society. Without any warning the building was surrounded by the guard regiment and detachment of cavalry, and a hundred policemen marched into the hall, where Count Heyden, a marshal of the nobility, and a member of parliament for St. Petersburg, was presiding and ordered the meeting to disperse under instructions from the chief of police. Vigorous protests were made that the meeting was entirely legal, but the police were inexorable, and the members of parliament left the hall after drawing up a formal protest, which was signed by 28 of the members. M. Roditcheff, a member of parliament for St. Petersburg hyrised after midnight to the hall room the child of police. We may be the start were made that the meeting was entirely legal, but the police were inexporable, and the members of parliament to Be Held at members of parliament to Be Held at Drill Hall Tonight.

Presentation of Silver Cup and Entertainment to Be Held at Drill Hall Tonight.

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Indignation Aroused.

without warning they ordered many of the leaders of the workmen to leave the city. They were not even given time to remove their families. The matter was brought to the attention of a meeting of peasant and workmen members of parliament who denounced it as an attempt on the part of the government to bring about a strike on the eve of the assembling of parliament for the purpose of provoking a struggle, and under cover of the disorder to dissolve parliament. Nevertheless the meeting appealed to the workmen at this critical juncture to do nothing rash and to trust in parliament.

Commenced at 1.30.

The Arion club will informally assist in the programme which will be in the hands of a committee of ladies from the Ladies Musical club.

The main event will be the presentation of the silver cup, handsomely engraved which will be on exhibition to day in Challoner and Mitchell's windows together with an address from the citizens, expressive of the esteem in which the departing officers and men are held and the regret because of their departure. Two sets of medals, commemorative of the championships won by the football team of the Garrison will also be presented.

The Celebrated English Cocoa.

natural qualities intact. excellent Cocoa maintains the system in robust health, and enables it to resist winter's extreme cold.

and Economical.

PRINCE ARTHUR IN MONTREAL. His Royal Highness Reaches Metrop olis and Receives Address.

MURDERER AT LARGE. Plea of Insanity Has Sentence Commuted and Then Escapes.

Kingston, May 8.—Jos. Chalabran alias Chartrand, sentenced to be hanged at Sault Ste Marie for murder, but whose sentence later was commuted to whose sentence later was commuted to life imprisonment on the plea of insanity, made his escape from the insane asylum at the penitentiary this morning. It is thought he got several hours' start. He was put in his cell last night, and this this morning was gone. He is said to have cut the iron bars in his cell window. A rope dangling from the wall showed how he escaped.

EDMONTON POISONING CASE. Murdered at Rat Creek.

Edmonton, May 8.—The verdict of the jury in the Rat Creek case was that Miss Fortier came to her death by poison, and that George McLean was party in assisting to bring it about. The inquest was held on Saturday af-ternoon and lasted four hours. Mc-Lean has quite recovered from the ef-Lean has quite recovered from the effects of the poison he had swallowed, and was brought up from the police court, where he is being held in custody, and told his story. Contrary to the story he told in the hospital on Friday afternoon, he denied any knowledge of how poison got into the chocolates, and says he did not know there was poison in them when he took them.

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well entertainment to the Imperial troops, soon to leave Work Point barracks. With the formation of the canadian garrison, of which the small complement of the newly-formed No. 5 company, R. C. G. A., is the nucleus, the preparations for the departure of the first things after the ademand for the dismissal of the chief of police. As if the incident were not enough to excite the members of parliament, the local authorities, with a fatuous genius for blundering, 4n-flamed the working classes yesterday, without warning they ordered many of the leaders of the workmen to leave the city. They were not even given in the musical part of the pregramme to the Imperial troops, soon to leave Work Point barracks. With the formation of the Canadian garrison, of which the small complement of the newly-formed No. 5 company, R. C. G. A., is the nucleus, the preparations for the departure of the pregramment of the preparations for the departure of the regulars, other than the Royal Engineers, are proceeding apace; yesterday an auction sale of the effects of some of the officers was held at the barracks. A special meeting was held yesterday to arrange for the farewell entertainment to the Imperial troops, soon to leave Work Point barracks. With the formation of the authorities were compelled to employ troops to protect him from the fury of the people. There are several versions of the affair One claims that I complement of the newly-formed No. 5 company, R. C. G. A., is the nucleus, the preparations for the departure of the preparations for the departure of the preparations for the departure of the other hand, it is asserted that the other h

A 'FRISCO VICTIM Dr. Stins, Killed in Earthquake, Buried At Brantford.

Brantford, May 8.—The remains of he late Dr. Stins, killed in the San Francisco earthquake, have been iterred in Mount Hope cemetery here.

LONDON PLUMBERS Threat to Strike Leads to Compromise and Trouble Passes.

London, May 8 .- Journeymen plumb London, May 8.—Journeymen pluminers who threatened to strike for an increase of five cents an hour, have compromised on the basis of two and a half cents advance, making the minimum per hour 37 1-2 cents and maximum 47 1-2.

THE LOST ARE FOUND.

Ship's Crew and Passengers Safe After Hard Time.

New York, May 7.—A despatch to a morning paper from Lisbon says: The Portuguese warship Baptista and Rado Montreal, May 8.—Prince Arthur of Connaught arrived in the city at 11 o'clock this morning. He was met by the military and escorted to the residence of Sir Montague Allan. At 3 which was supposed to have this afternoon he was presented with hed with the Witte regime was an address by the city council.

MEETING CLOSES.

St. Petersburg, May 8.—The demo-cratic convention closed at six o'clock this evening after Professor Milukoff had delivered a speech during which he congratulated the party on having dis-appointed its enemies, who predicted a split. He believed that the ideas for which the party stood were constantly growing in the country while on the contrary the extreme revolutionary organizations were passing through a crisis. While the struggle might be prolonged, the professor dealered a midst applease. the professor declared amidst applause, victory was certain in the end.

SAN FRANCISCO RELIEF FUND. Total Amount to Date Nearly Five Thousand Dollars.

the City Treasurer Kent has issued following statement showing receipts for the San Francisco Relief fund:
Amount already advertised \$3,128.20
Blair & Co., "Coutlee" 100.00
Laura Elns 10.00
A. W. McCurdy 10.00
B. I. R. 50 190.00

Unfortunate Error Leads to Death at

Oshawa, May 8 .- Sidney Mills, an employee of a Baltimore, Md., shipping pany. firm, who was spending a few weeks in this town together with wife and son, at his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carswell, is dead from an everdose of morphine pills, taken in mistake for calomel pills. Before retiring Saturday, deceased asked it there was any medicine in the house, and was informed that there was a box of calomel pills. These he said would do. He took them and immediately went into a deep sleer from which physicians were unable that arouse him. He was 45 years old.

UNDER MOB RULE.

The Acetylene Gas Supply to Marine Department Under Discussion.

The Post Office Department Deny Commuted Postage to Some American Publications.

TTAWA, Ont., May 8.—(Special) Gathering of Russian Democratic Party Comes to End.

Buggan, the returning of the last Dominion election was only extigation of the matter. The vessel men and dock managers believe that if Keefe ascertains the real facts of the classic in that will be the case he will call the strike off as arrangements for the election in that 23.

ing. The riding is 210 miles long and 60 miles wide. Duggan lived along the Keefe, as well as the longshoremen, has been deceived as to the number of 60 miles wide. Duggan lived along the end of the riding and was absolutely unacquainted with the electoral districts except those close to his home in West Selkirk. Mr. Howell, K.C., frankly admitted that at the last election the Dominion government had determined not to accept the provincial polling of not to accept the provincial polling of sub-divisions in Manitoba so that it devolved upon Duggan to find some one to do the work for him. This was undertaken by Leach, the Liberal organizer, Selkirk accordingly became an easy mark for the red line artist.

Winnipeg, May 8.—The police have hit upon an excellent scheme for effectively enforcing the bylaw against reckless driving of motor cycles on the

The Postoffice department has taken off the list for free transmission through the mails 56 United States publications such as Printer's Ink, Argosy, All-Story magazines, Chicago Ledger, De-lineator, Youth's Companion of Boston, American Queen. These will have to be prepaid at the rate of one cent for two

ounces. Somebody's Graft.

In the discussion on the vote of a hundred thousand dollars for the St. Lawrence channel opposition attacked the government for the use of acetylene the government for the use of acetylene gas for buoys under high pressure. Reid (Grenville) said there was a system in use in the department whereby somebody was getting a rakeoff of 25 per cent on all lighting contracts. The same thing an eventful day in the legislature. The first provincial budget speech was dehad been made to him that Fraser, one had been made to him that Fraser, one the officials of the department was

> Hon, Mr. Brodeur scouted this report but could not deny it. The item passed.
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> There was a long discussion in the Commons over a bill setting apart for estry reserves in western Canada. Mr. Oliver was slack in bringing down information, giving progress made with measure. measure.

PASTOR ARRAIGNED.

Stuart Bain, pastor of the First Bap-tist church of Waterloo, was arraigned

### SAFE ARRIVAL OF MISSING INDIANS

Party of Natives Reach Nanaimo Having Been Storm-bound in the Gulf.

NANAIMO, B.C., May 8.—(Special)—Dominion Officer O'Connell.

YORK COUNTY LOAN.

Trial of President Goes Over Until Next September.

Toronto, May 8 .- The trial of Joseph Phillips, former president of the York Loan & Savings company, accused of conspiracy, was today traversed to Sep-tember sessions in order that an audit of the books of the company might be made. Bail was renewed, for \$5,000.

DENIES ASSASSINATION. Count Ignatieff From St. Petersburg Denies Killing at Kieff.

St. Petersburg, May 8.—There is no foundation in fact for the report telegraphed from Kieff today that General Count Alexis Pavolich Ignatieff has been assassinated. General Ignatieff is in St. Petersburg tonight and not in

THE DOCK STRIKE. Cleveland Managers Will Replace Striking Longshoremen.

Cleveland, O., May 8.—It has been It came out today before the election laws committee that Duggan, the returning officer in Selkirk,

streets. A powerful auto equipped with a speed meter which is used as with a speed meter which is used as a patrol wagon patrols the streets, and when a chaffeur is suspected of exceeding the speed limit he is followed by the police, the speed meter taking record of the pace, and the number of the chaffeur trespassing the law 's then noted and a summons follows. Three prominent citizens will appear in the police court tomorrow to answer a charge.

SASKATCHEWAN BUDGET.

of the officials of the department was interested in an acetylene supply company.

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Waterloo, N.Y. May 8.—The Rev. C. Stuart Bain, pastor of the First Baptist church of Waterloo, was arraigned tist church of Waterloo, was arraigned. \$1,968,081.67

GUARDING THE CZAR. Grim But Silent Duel Between Nich-

Sharon, Pa., May 8.—Constable William Sayres today arrested Dave Starboll, manager of the Nonpariel Athletic club, Referee Fred Ferinbaugh, Young Asberry, puglists, of Youngstown, Tommy Feltz, of Brooklyn, and Jimmy Dunn, of Newcastle, and they are keing held pending the coroner's inquest into the case of Harry McCarthy, who died as the result of a fight with right.

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Admission to points along the river front will be by ticket only.

An order issued today asks the public to keep moving while in the streets, and concludes that, in order to avoid encounters which might cast a shadow over the solemn day, processions and the like will not be permitted.

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The Standard Highest Excellence. Absolutely Pure, **MELLOWED** 

> by **GREAT AGE**

A RECORD TRIP.

New York, May 8 .- E. H. Harriman rrived here tonight at 10 p.m. on the Empire State express of the New York Central and Hudson River rail-Empire State express of the New of the disaster. Such generous acts York Central and Hudson River rail-road, having made the journey from the hearts of the people of the two two controls of the people of the two two controls of the people of the two controls of the disaster. San Francisco in the record time of 11 hours and 55 minutes.

THE EDUCATION BILL. President of Board of Trade Repudiates Bishops' Assertions.

London, May 8.—In the course of to-day's debate on the educational bill in the House of Commons, David Lloyd-George, president of the board of trade repudiated the assertion of certain bishops that the bill was an attack upon the church of England or any church. It was, he declared, merely the counter part of similar movements occurring in every quarter of the country. The democrocy had come to the conclusion that clericism was their enemy and has decided to rally around the Bible and the demand that no ecclesiastic or polishina, should be allowed to combine tween their children and the Great Book which has saved England from darkness.

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Oregon People Present Medal to Homicide Who Killed Man in Seattle.

C EATTLE, May 8.—(Special)— George Mitchell, the Portland Members of Athletic Club In Trouble
Over Fatal Prize Fight.

St. Petersburg, May 8.—Troops and the police dispersed another meeting of the radical society tonight, several members of the national assembly who probers of the national assembly as a problem of the national assembly who probers of the national assembly who problem as a problem of the national assembly who problem as a problem of the national assembly who problem as a problem of the national assembly who problem as a problem of the national assembly who problem as a problem of the national assembly as a problem of the national ass

Caesar Jesus, missing for some time.
There is no clue to the murderer. J. J. Hill's Movements. Bellingham, May 8.—(Special)—J. J. Hill is understood to have left St. Paul today for Puget Sound.

"TALLY-HO" TEA.

The latest development in the fashionable forms of hospitality which the world of Victorian society delights to interchange amongst its friends and votaries is surely one of the most delightful and original of all the dainty devices ever evolved by the clever brains of afternoon tea givers. The idea in question is the "Tally Ho Tea."

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**GOVERNOR PARDEE RETURNS THANKS** 

Head of California Executive Acknowledges Alberta's Prompt Aid.

ARE HOMELESS 300,000

Feeling Reference to Generous Act as Drawing Together Two Nations.

DEGINA, May 8. - The following letter was received from the governor of California by the lieutenant-governor today, and read in the legislature

tonight by the premier: "Sir-I beg to acknowledge favor of April 18th in which you express the sympathy of your govern ment with the suffering and distressed resulting from the recent catastrophe in San Francisco and other cities of this state. With your letter was enclosed a check for \$5,000 upon the funds of the province, this being intended, as I understand, for expenditure in connection with the relief work now going on in the cities which suffered from the earthquake and result-

ing disastrous fires.

"Permit me, speaking for the people of this state, to express my proud appreciation of the great kindness which dictated your message of sympathy and this very liberal gift for the victims

English-Speaking Commonwealths upon this continent. Referring to your expression of hope that the late reexpression of nope that the late reports would show that the first publications had exaggerated the seriousness of the calamity, I desire to say that it is true that the earlier reports

"The latter estimates from two-thirds to three-fourths of all the people in a city of 450,000 inhabitants were rendered homeless. This is one aspect of the great calamity, but there are many others almost as serious. Through the destruction of factories and business establishments most of the remaining inhabitants whose homes were not burned were temporated and the statement of the statemen

homes were not burned were tempor-arily deprived of their means of living. "Another great loss, and one which cannot be repaired, was the burning of several great public libraries and the rincipal art galleries of the city.
"But withthis, and other phases of the catastrophe, I presume already been made aware by the later and more correct newspaper publica-tions. I have the honor to be your obedient servant, Geo. C. Pardee, Gov-erhor of California."

PETER WHITE'S FUNERAL.

Pembroke, Ont., May 8.—Business was suspended and flags were flying at half mast, and the whole town turned out today to do honor to the memory of the late Hon. Peter White, whose funeral took place here yesterday afternoon from the family residence. The cortege was one of the largest ever seen the property of the largest ever seen the largest ever ever the largest ever the largest ever the largest ever the l broke, friends from the capital also paying their last respects. The service at the house and at the ceme tery was conducted by Rev. Dr. Bayne of the Presbyterian church, as sisted by other local clergy.

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and the task of study cause terrible suffering from heart and nerve troubles. The efforts put forth to keep up to the modern "high pressure" mode of life in this age soon wears out the strongest system, shatters the nerves and weakens the heart. Thousands find life a burden and others an early grave. The strain on the system nauses nervousness, palpitation of the heart, nervous prostration, sleeplessness, faint and dizzy spells, skip beats, weak and irregular pulse, smothering and sinking spells, etc. The blood becomes weak and watery and eventually causes decline.

### Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills

are indicated for all diseases arising from a weak and debilitated condition of the heart or of the nerve centres. Mrs. Thos. Hall, Keldon, Ont., writes: "For the past two or three years I have been troubled with nervousness and heart failure, and the doctors failed to give me any relief. I decided at last to give Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a trial, and I would not now be without them if they cost twice as be without them if they cost twice as much. I have a commended them to my neighbors and friends.

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LEADERS EXPRESS DIVERGE

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MR. EMEDSON INTERV Prominent Millman and Lo of Recent Seizure of J. S. Emerson, presiden Nanaimo Lumber company, of the lumber mill at Fort on a business visit to the ca is staying at the King Edw Interrogated on the subje seizure of logs by the govern Emerson said: "The matter statu quo." The governmentat the tree are in the visit of the control of the con

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Minister's Private Practice.

continue his practice in the courts since his appointment as a cabinet minister was successfully assailed by the opposition in the Commons today, and as Mr. Aylesworth knows the temper of public opinion he will quickly mend his way.

C. R. Lennox (Simcoe) led the attack, and established soundly the claim that the appearance of a minister of the crown in the courts could not fail to render judges liable to bias. He argued clearly and forcibly that the course taken by the present government had tended continually to degrade the judiciary. The facts which he presented upheld his case strongly, but he fortified them also with an extensive array of precedents. with an extensive array of precedents. A remarkable feature of the debate was Hon. Mr. Aylesworth's reply. He attacked Mr. Lennox personally for his motive in bringing up the question, and declared with an autocratic air, worthy of a czar, that he had a perfect right it capture his practice before he chose to continue his practice before

As to British Precedent. Hon. Mr. Borden, in a short speech, completely riddled Hon. Mr. Aylesworth's position. He quoted from Battish precedents for two hundred years to show an inviolable rule had been for cabinet ministers to refrain from practic-ing before the courts. He also strongly condemned the practice of bringing judges into the turmoil of politics by appointing them upon commissions. The
opposition leader, with great effect,
cited the rule laid down that civil servants must devote all their time to their
efficial duties, and pertinently asked why
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Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in carefully-guarded speeches, put the case much less arbitrarily than did Mr. Aylesworth, and were unable to corroborate him in several important points. Mr. Fitzpatrick went so far as to argue in opposition to the postmaster-general that the minister of justice should not appear before the courts even in crown cases.

MR. EMEDSON INTERVIEWED.

Prominent Millman and Logger Tells of Recent Seizure of Logs.

J. S. Emerson, president of the Nanaimo Lumber company, and owner of the lumber mill at Fort Moody, is on a business visit to the capital, and is staying at the King Edward hotel. Interrogated on the subject of the seizure of logs by the government, Mr. Emerson said: "The matter is still in statu quo. The government think that they are in the right, and we, on the other hand, are sure that we are. "The amount seized is about twelve booms, aggregating about four million feet. They come from Broughton island, Greenway Sound. Drury linet "The amount seized is about twelve come, aggregating about four million tet. They come from Broughton isend, Greenway Sound, Drury Inlet, and the neighboring territory, where Mr. Emerson has extensive timber "The last boom was brought to Vancouver Friday, and taken to the mill at Port Moody."

The government, he explained, objects only to their export, and would relinquish the seizure provided as-surances were given that the logs would be used up in British Columbia. "Our contention of course is," continued he, "that all logs in the water before the passing of the act are exempt from its influence and there-

be better to allow logs to be shipped out, under proper restrictions, because a large proportion of the logs brought out are rough logs, and for these there LAW UNTO HIMSELF is no market here. As to the merifs or demerits of its general operation I would say that from a miliman's point of view the law is a good law, but from the wider point of view as the basis of a general policy, I think it is a mistake."

TRAGEDIES OF A DAY. Suicides and Murders Yesterday Reported By Telegraph.

LEADERS EXPRESS DIVERGENT OPINIONS
Hon. Mr. Aylesworth Gives Public
Opinions the Grand
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Ottawa, May 7.—The position taken by Hon. Mr. Aylesworth, postmastergeneral, that he should be allowed to continue his practice in the courts since his appointment as a cabinet minister.

New York, May 7.—Mrs. M. A. Waters and her daughter supposedly by the mother, during a temporary fit of insanity at the residence, 44 West Seventy-fit street early this morning.
Nashville, Tenn., May 7.—Marvil Winters was shot and instantly killed and Thomas Stewart and his young daughter severely wounded during an affray at Steward's home near Pleasant-view, Saturday night. A few days ago Stewart received a letter warning him that if he and his family did not leave the neighborhood within ten days they would all be killed. Saturday night a mob surrounded Stewart's house and opened fire upon it and Stewart and his would all be killed. Saturday night a mob surrounded Stewart's house and opened fire upon it and Stewart and his daughter were wounded. Stewart returned the shots and the mob scattered. Yesterday the body of Marvin Winters was found about fifty yards from Stewart's house dead from a load of shot. Three arrests have been made.

graph in Victoria.

(From Tuesday Daily.)

According to W. E. Jones, special representative of the American De Forest
Wireless Telegraph company, if arrangements can be made Victoria will be connected with Seattle and other Pacific coast cities by "wireless." Seen last Wireless Telegraph company, if arrangenight by a Colonist reporter at the Driard hotel, Mr. Jones told of the remarkable strides made by his company

in erecting stations throughout the United States for the transmission of commercial wireless messages.

"Just at present my company is constructing a station at Seattle which we hope in time to connect direct-with Nome, Alaska. My mission to Victoria is to average for the establishment of a

COL. HENRY ADAMS DEAD.

Greenwich, Conn., May 7.-Col. Henry Adams, of New York, well known in military circles and in the iron and steel business, died at his summer home here today as the re-sult of an operation for the removal of his leg, which was performed yester-

SUICIDE SUSPECTED.

Crews From Many Tribes to Compete at the Big Celebration.

ENTRY LIST ON RECORD

Regatta This Year Expected to Equal Any Held in Previous Seasons.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) The proposal of the regatta committee f the Victoria Day celebration to make a special feature of the Indian races is programme at the meeting on Saturday evening, they will meet in a few days to decide on the final programme. From the present outlook there will be more Indians on hand this year than ever

Chief Cooper, of the Songhees tribe, who acts as the "advance agent" among the different tribes, returned home yesterday, and brought a very encouraging report. He states that everywhere he went the Indians showed great interest in the races, and according to his statement every tribe which camps a campel ment, every tribe which owns a canoe

So far seven entries have been promised for the race for war canoes over forty feet, with six tribes to hear from; and it is expected that the greater number of the replies will be favorable. In Lengthy Trip Gleaning past years seven canoes have been Considered a Big Entry.

be the Quamichan crew. They have not been to the regatta for a number of years, but this year they have male special preparations for the big event, and with their new canoe they have con-structed for the occasion they expect to

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will be enough to class the event as the biggest ever held on the coast.

The advertising of the celebration is being well attended to. J. North was sent out yesterday with a big supply of posters and hangers, as well as a big lot of ordinary bills. During his trip he will visit Seattle, Tacoma, Bellingham, Everett, Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanajmo.

Already many communications have been received asking for particulars, and

been received asking for particulars, and from the present outlook the attendance from outside points will be a record-

CARPENTER'S GOOD FORTUNE. Working On Building, When He Hears He is Suddenly Wealthy Man.

Fortune came suddenly to James Fleming, a carpenter on the Chinese Mission building, on Friday says the Province. Fleming with the sweat of honest toil on his brow was in the act of lifting a heavy beam, when a C. P. R. boy presented a telegram. He could not drop the beam so he said to a fellow-workman, "Read the wire for me." With the heavy weight still supported in his arms, he heard these words as his fellow-workman read to him. "Sold our claims today for \$80,000 cash." The ews dazed Fleming, as he had not anticipated any such good fortune. In fact, he had hardly realized that he owned any claims, and conscious of the owned any claims, and conscious of the fact only that a great good fortune had loomed up in his life, he laid wan the heavy material burden to take up the burden of wealth. Turning to a friend,

London, May 7.—The death of Howard Carey of New York who was discovtied May 4th shot dead in his room at
the act is retrospective.
"Our camps," said the lumber maglate, "are on the north of this island,
and about 100 miles north of Rock
ay. Work there progresses steadily;
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are white men. It is principally
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The inquest was then adjourned.

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the would add \$200 to it and Pressed for his views on the subject tentional suicide and believe his death his word and staked one in my name. which of the new act Mr. Emerson replied as was entirely accidental.

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Fleming then walked off the job without asking for his week's pay, and his fellow-workmen only say him once since, when he returned to the build-ing, dressed in his Sunday clothes, to tell them that the news had been con-firmed on another felegram, and he wasn't going to work any more.

BUSINESS MAN KILLED.

New York, May 7 .- Charles L. Spier, a prominent business man of Staten Island and said to be a confidential agent of H. H. Rogers, vice president of the Standard Oil company was shot and instantly killed in a duel with a burglar in his home on Tomkins avenue, New Brighton this morning.

FEARS OF FLOOD.

Sacramento, May 7.—A despatch from Woodland to the Sacramento Union says: Threats of flood in the Capay valley, resulting from the slide of earth that has fallen from the mountain side and dammed the Chico creek is generally increasing. It may be assumed that the side in operation was in comments. ally increasing. It may be assumed that the side in question was in some way the result of the earthquake and it is now found to be a thousand feet wide and to completely close the water course. The waters have since been steadily piling up beside it and yesterday had reached a depth of 100 feet. At an early stage the dam might have been blown up with dynamite and the water released without much damage to any locality, but it is now too late to do this as it would but precipitate the flood that is feared.

C T. PETERSBURG, May 7.-If the present proposition for the nationalization of land in Russia be realized, it will probably effect an imprediate change in the material situation of more people than any single economic revolution in the world's his-

It is, briefly, a proposition not only to supply land to all landless peasants, but to round out and make adequate the land of those who rent or have insufficient land, the amount of land to be allotted to each to depend upon the region, for each of which a certain formal area will be calculated, adequate to supply the personal and public necessities of a peasant family. essities of a peasant family.

......... ANOTHER ASSASSINATION.

St. Petersburg, May 7.—News was received at the session of the constitutional democrat convention today of the assasination of the governor of Elisabethpol in revenge for his savage repression in the Caucasus. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

# TAKES OVER FORTS

No.5 Co. Royal Canadian Artillery Formed Yesterday Morning.

Taking Over Forts and Stores Commenced at Once-- R.E. Not Taken Over.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
The Canadian government took over the defences of Esquimalt yesterday from the Imperial troops; the forts and stores of the R. G. A. are now held by a new-formed Canadian garrison con

pany.
Yesterday morning No. 5 company,
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Was Carrison Artillery, was Resterday morning No. 5 company, Royal Canadian Garrison Artillery, was formed at Work Point. Capt. Elliston, R. A., now R. C. G. A. was given command of the company. The newlyformed company at present consists of only forty men, members of the R. G. A. who took service with Canada. To augment the company to its full strength of 120, about one-half the strength of the present company of Imperial troops, of 120, about one-half the strength the present company of Imperial troops, Sergeant Major Warder expects troops to be sent from the East to fill the complement of 120 men.

With the formation of the Canadian

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With the formation of the Canadian garrison company the work of taking over the forts and stores of the R. G. A. commenced at once and will probably continue all week. The stores of the Royal Engineers were not taken over and no action was taken regarding the change of this branch. When this change will take place is unknown.

Capt. Muspratt-Williams of the R. G. A. is the only commissioned officer other than Col. English, who, it is stated, will be transferred to Kingston, and Capt. Elliston, who has taken service with the Canadian company. Captain Williams will be a captain of the Canadian company, the strength of which will be, one major, two captains and four subalterns.

When the change for which the officers and after a brief visit to the capital he leaves for Vancouver, en route for the Boundary country mining districts and the Granby smelter.

Mr. Nakamura, of the province of the troops. The departure of the troops. The departure mambages of the Royal Garrison company the work of taking over the forts and stores of the R. G. A. is the only commissioned officer other than Col. English, who, it is stated, will be transferred to Kingston, and will be a captain of the Canadian company, the strength of which will be, one major, two captains and four subalterns.

When the change for which the officers and men had been eagerly awaiting took place there was considerable excitement and Preparations Began At Once for the departure of the R. G. A. is the only continue all week. The stores of the R. G. A. is the only continue all week. The stores of the R. G. A. is the only continue all week. The stores of the R. G. A. is the only continue all week. The stores of the R. G. A. is the only continue all week. The stores of the R. G. A. is the only continue all week. The stores of the R. G. A. is the only continue all week. The stores of the R. G. A. is the only continue all week. The stores of the R. G. A. is the only continue and week. The stores of the R. G. A. is the only continue and week. The st

special preparations for the big event, and with their new cance they have constructed for the occasion they expect to take all the first prizes.

Rivalry among the different tribes is said to run very high, and the races are expected to be very closely contested.

The klootchman's races are also well developed the content of the content of the departure of the troops. The departure of the Royal Garrison artillery will probably leave for England on Saturday. It is uncertain to go through the United States and Mexico, and afterwards to Europe, believe then, as their stores have not been taken over as yet.

New York May 7th.—What is expected to be the final meeting between the committees representing the anthracite mine workers and mine owners of Pennsylvania will be held in the office of the trunk lines association in this city this afternoon, when effort will be made to agree on a term of years and other minor details for the continuation of the award of the an-

LAKE STEAMER LAUNCHED. C. P. R.'s New Boat Takes the Water

For this purpose it is proposed to Take lands Belonging to the Crown the Emperor personally, the church and private owners.

The state lands are to be leased, the prices to be based on production. The expropriated lands of private owners shall be paid for by the government with interest bearing certificates, the details in each case to be worked out by seperate commissions created for the purpose. The public lands shall also be appropriated to furnish wood.

The question of financing the undertaking will require more than one billion dollars of credit, the operations of which have not yet been approached in detail.

Aleson, B. C., May 5.—The splendid new C. P. R. lake steamer Kushanook built at the company's shipyards here was successfully christened and launched this afternoon in the presence of 3.—500 people at 3 o'clock. Miss Hazel Gore, daughter of Capt. J. C. Gore, C. P. R. superintendent of novigation here performed the christening ceremony. The day was observed as a civic half holiday and an immense crowd turned out. The steamer is a three decker of modern type and up-to-date equipment. The vessel cost \$80,000 and another \$10,000 will be spent in furnishing her. She will ply between Nelson and Kootenay landing. Great pride is taken in the constitution of so fine a boot and in her successful launching today.

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Paris. May 7 .- The election results

Announced Tomorrow.

St. Petersburg, Maq 7.—The new Russian cabinet has been completed and will be announced by an imperial ukase tomorrow, as follows: Premier, M. Goremykin: minister of the interior, M. Stolypy; foreign affairs, Baron Iswasky; finance, M. Rokowsoff; education, M. Kauffman; agriculture, M. Stichinsky; commerce, M. Rukesloff: controller of the empire, M. Von Sceswanebach; procurator general of the holy synod, Prince Shirinsky Schalamatoff; minister of war, Gen. Rudiger: minister of marine, Vice Admiral Bireloff.

Baron Iswolsky, the new foreign minister of the most capable of the younger school of Russian diplomats. He was one of the most capable of the younger school of Russian diplomats. He was formerly minister of the Vatican and minister to Japan.

THE TRIANGULAR ROUTE.

Princess Victoria Will Commence Summer Service Next Tuesday.

The triangular route of the steamer Princess Victoria between the ports of Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle, will be inaugurated on Tuesday next, May 15th. On that date the fiyer Princess ond ballots in their districts.

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### THE SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST

dom and United States.

FINANCES OF THE NEW PROVINCES.

the province of Alberta have been sub- sistent and systematic effort to minmitted by the government. There have imize the calamity, and a great deal been voted for expenses of government has been suppressed for the purpose \$127,806.67; for expenses of the admin- of counteracting the effect of the first expenditure on public works, \$996,000; the more recent official reports is that 000: for the department of agriculture, \$315,000; for hospitals, \$33,500; and for ily understand from the fact that the miscellaneous, \$33,500. The expenditure fortunes of a great many individuals in connection with public works is prin- are at stake in the upbuilding of the cially in connection with new works, city. For instance, it is stated by katchewan has started out by paying a struction. sessional indemnity of \$1,000, which is It should not be the effort of newsthe highest paid in the provincial leg- papers or the business men of other,

### A UNIVERSITY FOR VICTORIA.

est degree the establishment of a uni- as the foundations of their strongest the promise of a good market for zinc terday, we had in mind the tremendous there is little mining work in progress island deal was investigated by a select versity at this point or to throw any ob- and best structures. It is this unfor- ores at Frank, Alberta, although it must efforts that would be made by the mainstacles in the way of making it an edutunate circumstance that must militate be admitted that the regular operation of land to secure the university at Vancational centre. In fact, it is not nec- against the development of the new the zinc smelter is being delayed much conver, or New Westminster, or at essary to remind readers that the latcity, and San Francisco is no longer longer than was expected it would be. some point in the Interior, say, Kamyear, but as little information is made
Taking the Atlantic Trading company's ter is one of the things the Colonist the sole entrepot of Pacific coast trafNelson and Ymir are producing ore, loops. The predominacy of political public concerning operations at this contract up the same way: In the first has persistently advocated as being in fig. It is only one of many emporiums though not yet in so large quantity as power being on the mainland, other mine, this is but a surmise. its best interests as a residential city, of commerce. In time people will forwas earlier expected they would be by things being equal, the mainland would and as the capital city of the province. get the danger of the earthquake, but now. About Trout Lake production, is be bound to capture the prize as soon with reference to the Boundary district, has been shown that it will not bear No one with a knowledge of our condi- while time files other cities will steal still disappointing, and in Ferguson came within the pa'e it may be stated that a comparatively scrutiny. In the third place, it was not tions could deny, for a moment, that away a great deal of the trade it once the position is not much better. Cam- of practical politics. Of course, if Vic- new camp is being prospected, viz., made for the benefit of Canada and has Victoria is in every way eminently and pre-eminently adapted to fill the requirepre-eminently adapted to fill the requiretured, if at all, after a severe struggle.

Victoria is in every way eminently and progress, the Eva toria citizens were to subscribe to the Kettle river, and the construction of a special for the outer of the pockets of the people is making progress, the Eva toria citizens were to subscribe to the Kettle river, and the construction of a special for the outer of the pockets of the people is making progress, the Eva toria citizens were to subscribe to the Kettle river, and the construction of a special for the outer of the pockets of the people is making progress, the Eva toria citizens were to subscribe to the Kettle river, and the construction of a special for the outer of the pockets of the people is making progress, the Eva toria citizens were to subscribe to the Kettle river, and the construction of a special for the outer of the pockets of the people is making progress, the Eva toria citizens were to subscribe to the form of the pockets of the people is making progress, the Eva toria citizens were to subscribe to the form of the pockets of the people is making progress. The position is not under the outer of the outer of the outer of the pockets of the people is making progress. The position is not under the outer of the pockets of the people is making progress. The position is not under the outer of the pockets of the people is making progress. The position is not under the outer of the pockets of the people is making progress. The pockets of the people is making progress, the Eva toria citizens were to subscribe to the outer of the pockets of the people is making progress. The pockets of the people is making progress, the people is making progress. The pockets of the people is making progress of the people is making progress. The pockets of the p thoosing a locality for schools, acade- been made by the later tenor of press there is activity on several silver-lead province that would probably decide the can be shipped from this camp for some only be surmised, as they hid their identhies or colleges. It is both picturesque despatches is that there is a great mines in this vicinity. The only lode question in our favor; but in any event time to come. Several small mines air tity behind the persons of a few unand healthful in its surroundings and deal of aid still needed by the people mining worth mentioning in the Revel- there would be a strong and probably a uated on the west fork of Kettle river known clerks in English offices. Lastly, general conditions, it is homelike, it of San Francisco, and that aid will stoke district seems to be that at Standwided always that it is politically and condition is that many willing contri- this season.

time lately. Now this would be most show their sympathy in the way in Consolidated Mining and Smelting comimportant, if true. Among the names which it was inclined, prompted by pany, of Canada about two months ago, mentioned is that of Mr. James Duns-We cannot say what the intentions of Mr. Dunsmuir may be as to natter wholly within his own discretion the "non-interference" of the foreign- of \$503,000, or at the rate of about as circumstances and conditions might permit; but we are authorized by that entleman to say that he has not, up to stricken city of the Golden Gate. the present time, made any such promase upon the conditions named or upon any other conditions. Therefore, the use of his name in that connection is not warranted by the facts of the case.

grown up along the coast, which are or an increase over 1904 of about \$3, oped in preparation for a materially inready now to step in and take the 484,000. trade that must inevitably depart

which is scattering in all directions. It 1906 will be even larger than that of Francisco. There is a small, but growpanies have adjusted the losses, and are briefly reviewed below: the banks open up again for business, trade and no industry.

first impression was certainly very appalling, and it was hard to find words in the English language to do justice to the situation. As soon, however, as the first shock was over and the fires The estimates for the current year for had been subdued, there was a perdistration of justice, \$106,100; for the reports. The impression created by the department of education, \$200,- the loss was not nearly so great as was at first stated. This we can read-

and is, therefore, much larger than the those who have recently returned and normal requirements. The Morning At- in letters being received by persons bertan states that the expenditure is who have friends there, that there much less than the revenue, which might have been a long series of earthquake be expected from the large subsidies re- shocks, not serious, but continuous, ceived from the Dominion government, and this has had a very disturbing ef-With reasonable economy the new prov- ffect upon the confidence of those who inces should have large surpluses contin- otherwise might have decided to stay wously. We note, however, that Sas- and begin again the work of recon-

Islatures of the Dominion. From this and in a sense rival, cities, to exagger we see the result of the example set ate the results of earthquake and fire, by the Dominion parliament. However, and the conditions which exist in the if the sessional indemnity of a member of the House of Commons should be but we cannot but feel that the a total production of 1,000,000 tons is \$2,500 per annum it is not hard to jus- calamity which has overtaken it must unlikely to be reached this year, it is not ly calculated to deceive the public, we as have been experienced in some cial legislators, especially in the West. one exceedingly hard to overcome. of about 900,000 tons, all from the It is also noted that demands are Had the loss resulted from fire alone, mines of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Mayor Morley, designated a "knocker." being made on the new governments for the citizens would the sooner have company. Placer gold mining may not Because the Colonist corrected a mispoing made on the new governments for the citizens would the sooner have company. Flacer gold mining may not taken heart, because fire is a continuity of gold this year, statement and made an explanation in business. universities and agricultural colleges. taken near, because are is a contined yield a large quantity of gold this year, order to set the public right in a very circles in interior mining towns like Nel-Atlantic Trading company scandal or gency to which all cities are subject, for operations on the creeks in the Fort That appears to be rushing matters selley to which an cities are subject, for operations on the creeks in the rort important, matter it is said to possess son, where the prosperity and prospects the Saskatchewan Valley land steal, so somewhat. In regard to the latter we and can be guarded against by mea- Steele district will not be large, but the somewhat. In regard to the latter we and can be guarded against by mean steel and unfortunately melancholic and pestodic and pestodic and pestodic are should be the similar constitution. For constitution, but the liability output of silver-lead ore should be the similar constitution. which says that "there is no immediate to earthquake is one beyond the power largest yet made from this part of East simistic constitution." For our own which says that "there is no immediate to earthquake is one peyond the power largest yet made from this part of the cannot see the utility of the power largest yet made from this part of the cannot see the utility of or pressing need for an agricultural color material degree, notwithstanding the sition to maintain a larger output than siti Agriculture is new, and the land has a!! statement of Mr. Harriman that it ever before, and the Sullivan, North upon grounds that are untenable. Moreits virgin strength, and we believe that the needs of those provinces for, say five to some extent, perhaps, the serious to come, can be abundantly served to make the new San Franch as a number of promising minding sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. This is a university is concerned, can only ing sections were not referred to. tyears to come, can be abundantly served by careful scrutiny of the work at the Dominion farms and by sending out well trained lecturers and demonstrators from the city can be minimized by the constructing business to time."

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Although it is not part of the dismay fairly depend on as in a general may fairly depend on blocks. We shall in the future, it is probable, only have steel structures of a certain character, and the sky scraper will be no more; but earthquakes must forever shake the configuration of the discussion of this particular point, we are asked to explain "why political considerations should be permitted to deprive it (Victoria) of its natural advantages."

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butions will have been cut off, and in Rossland mines, also in West Kooten-An obvious condition of the city of this connection we cannot help feeling that the announcement made by the No. 2, Centre Star and War Eagle all

We believe that the Dominion gov. the exigencies of the occasion. It showed that in one month the company's may be that San Francisco may ser- works at Trail treated about 28,000 tons iously suffer eventually as the result of ore and produced gold, silver, copper ome time in the future. That is a of this policy of what we might call and lead to an approximate total value

### A PROGRESSIVE INDUSTRY.

lumbia may fairly be regarded as dis- 800 tons, a considerable increase has CONDITIONS IN SAN FRANCISCO. tinetly progressive. The total value of been made. While one large mine will Returned travelers from San Fran- the mineral production of the province suspend production for eight or ten Returned travelers from San Fran-cisco report the damage done to that in the year 1902 was \$17,486,550; in larger furnaces at its smelter than those city by earthquake and fire as great 1903 a small advance was made, the toas was at first reported, and speak tal for that year having been \$17,495, ger output during the following months apprehensively about its future under 954; 1904 saw an increase of nearly will more than compensate for this temthe new conditions which have arisen \$1,500,000-to \$18,977,359, and in 1905 porary interruption in ore shipments since it was visited by similar disas- the total was the highest yet reached in Two other large mines will also ship in ters in former years. The conditions any one year in the history of mining considerably larger quantity, while sevare that new and populous cities have in the province, viz., about \$22,460,000 eral smaller properties are being devel-

from it for the time being, at least. substantial progress, it is gratifying to producing to any extent, are the Brit-Once gone it will be hard to bring find that the four expired months of the annia and Tyee. The former is supplyback again, and under the most favor- current year have well maintained pro- ing the Crofton smelter with ore and able circumstances it will take the city duction at the enlarged rate that made this is an addition to production, since several years to build up. The loss is 1905 the most prominent year the indusundoubtedly great, the business part try has seen, as is evident when a year. At Ladysmith the supply of ore of San Francisco being wholly wiped glance is taken, over the results at from the Tyee mine is supplemented by

Cariboo gives promise of making a Alaska. there is no money, and practically no better showing than last year, for the reason that there should be more water What appears to have happened at available this season, for both ordinary first is that the news correspondents placering and hydraulicking, and that

East Kootenay's coal mines are stead- a street rumor.

charge at all three smelters taking silver-lead ores from these parts, beside plaining. In our article of yesments which educationists seek in A mistake that has in all probability running with little interruption, while funds available in other parts of the railway to it is promised, but no ore stands upon the sea, and it has unex- be needed for some time to come. The ard Basin, but there is a prospect of ment of a university on an efficient basis production is much hampered by the select committee, but the Laurier gov celled social environments. It is par impression intended to be created by several hydraulic gold mining properties is a serious undertaking for the province absence of railway transportation faciliexcellence, the site for a university, pro- making the worse appear the better in the Big Bend section being worked and unless it is extensively endowed ties.

er. Let us hope, however, that only \$6,000,000 gross per annum.

.The Boundary section of Yale district is, without doubt, the most progressive mining camp in the province. With an ore output for the four months to April 30th of about 430,000 tons, or 107,500 tons per month as compared with an av-The mining industry of British Co- erage monthly production in 1905 of 77;

creased output. While the figures given above exhibit On the Coast, the only mines that are out. There is, it is true, a feeling of tained. In the several chief ore-pro- shipments from south-east Alaska, which

hope, and the substantial citizens are ducing districts the output of the mines country is also sending ore and copper howing great courage under their se- compares favorably with that of the matte to Crofton for treatment there. vere trial; but it is being depleted of a corresponding period of 1905, and the The coal mines of Vancouver Island one million acres of that land as a re considerable portion of its population, prospects are that the production of are shipping coal freely, chiefly to San serve for university purposes in Br t is a serious question whether very many last year and that consequently a new ing market being developed to the northof these unfortunate people will ever record in total value will be made. The ward. Coke, too, finds readier sale than return again. Until the insurance com- several mining districts of the province for two or three years, not only for Island smelters, but as well for south-east

### THE QUESTION OF A UNIVERSITY

in very strong colors, wih perhaps a on a larger scale. The deep drifting the standpoint of common-sense and in the hopes of succeeding; but to taxe Every question should be viewed from mines, too, should recover a fair quan- practicability and practicality. The Col- up the question in a practical way by of the worst side of the case. The yield. But whether the quantity of gold the matter of making Victoria an educa- model of the English schools of Harrow recovered be more or less than in 1905, tional centre. Incidentally, the opinion and Eton, as a private enterprise, and there is the eminently satisfactory con- was expressed that "we shall never have develop on those lines. From a busidition that there will be a large outlay the British Columbia university in this ness point of view, the material rein preparing for the bringing in of much city, but we can have private schools sults from the establishment of such more water for gravel washing at Bul- that will be worth a great deal more to schools in our midst would be very much lion, than has been obtainable with the us." This was read to a public meet- more important than from the establimited facilities heretofore possessed, so ing in Victoria by Mayor Morley, who lishment of a university here. The unithat a considerably larger recovery of described the Colonist, in consequence, versity question must solve itself in its gold may be looked for next year, even as a "knocker" and as a traitor to the own way. We must await development should this year's results not be ma- city's interests. Subsequently, we were The other is in our own hands; and terially increased by the improvements informed that Mayor Morley had a card would materially assist in securing in this direction now being undertaken. up his sleeve, whereby he was going to us the university as well. demonstrate to the Colonist and to the Cassiar should produce more this year public that a university was possible than last. From Atlin, especially, there and that he was the man that would should come more gold than last year's accomplish the "impossible" for us. total, for to the ordinary placering and There were hints that the Colonist was of the comments on the mining situation companies have already paid dividend hydraulicking there should be added a in a position to know just what Mayconsiderable recovery of gold from or forley's cards were and it should day's Colonist, and it will be still furdredging and steam shovel operations. not have placed itself in a ridiculous ther assuring when we state that the in-Thibert Creek should contribute an apatitude, because Mr. James Dunsmuir formation was obtained from the most Among the companies paying dividends preciably large quantity of gold, for the was the gentleman who was to come reliable sources. It was expressed in have been the Le Roi, Le Roi No. 2, the Berry Creek Mining company has done to the rescue. The rumor in regard to the most conservative way, in order that Granby, the Consolidated Mining and much of its preliminary work and should his part in the affair became current it might not discount the possible re- Smelting Co. of Canada, which is an be able to wash a lot of gravel; while in business circles some time before it sults of the next eight months' opera- amalgamation of the St. Eugene, War Lorne Creek and other tributaries of the was published in the press. It was tions. We may therefore reasonably Eagle and Centre Star Mining com-Skeena river should do better than in understood to have been circulated upon look to the anticipations contained in panies, and the Trail Smelting Works, previous years. In the Telqua and the authority of, or as the result of the article being realized. There are al-Bulkley Valley sections there should be statements made by, Mayor Morley, We ways, of course, the contingencies of dicate, and the Crow's Nest Pass Coal prospecting done this year, though there were aware that the rumor was un-labor troubles, disasters, fall in the company. will be no ore production, owing to the founded, but preferred to allow it to price of metals, etc., but as these canabsence of transportation facilities. go uncontradicted so long as it remained not be foreseen they cannot be provided

from private sources, it is not likely to Other parts of Yale district, with the thus balked the work of investigation. become a live issue within the next five exception of Hedley camp, are still non. A tu quoque argument is not an argu-

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return for a cash bonus of \$750,000 to the E. & N. railway, should set aside ish Columbia. Under the terms of the Carnarvon treaty, which was agreed to by the Dominion government, the Dominion should have built the Island railway without one cent of expense to British Columbia.

But entirely apart from that, the policy of the Colonist in the matter of making Victoria an educational centre is not to wait around the gates of political opportunity for an indefinite time,

A PROGRESSIVE INDUSTRY. against or allowed for in estimates feeling is being reflected in the hopefu', It has been pointed out that our re- eral journalism attempts to draw public asmuch as a number of promising min- one thing, has nothing to do with the

productive, yet in several places there ment under the best of circumstances, has been much prospecting done. The but it becomes absolutely puerile under be the extent of the endowment on the President that assistance from outside having larger ore reserves than for some ernment, in view of the fact that the long-talked-of addition of sixty stamps circumstances of this kind. part of Victoria citizens. Statements countries was not desired or required time past and regularly maintaining sathave appeared in the press of this city was ill-advised. The United States is factory output of ore, with reasonable 3,500,000 acres of the best land in the and in the Vancouver press that certain and the cities of the United States expectation of increasing their producpersons had promised large sums for the have always been quick to respond to tion. All the ore from this camp is now and finest area of agricultural land in early commencement to provide for a purpose of establishing a university the misfortunes of other peoples outside their domain, and the outside their domain and the province, as well,—worth the province, as well,—worth the province, as well,—worth the lowest calculation \$17,500,000—in the lowest calculation \$17,500,000—in the lowest calculation \$1,000 in the lowest calculation \$1,000 in the lowest calculation \$1,000 in the lowes progress through this part of the Similkameen country and Nicola will, however, probably lead to mining development to an extent that will provide an ore tonnage for the railways when completed. Two other matters may be mentioned in conclusion. One is the great improvement in both capacity and effectiveness of the smelters of the Kootenay and Boundary districts, for new processes have been introduced, furnace capacity added to, many additions and improvements to plant and machinery made, ments to plant and machinery made, and a generally progressive policy adopted in order to keep pace with the enlarged demands made upon the treatment capacity of these several reduction works. The other point worth noting is

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mining industry, as regards the product tion of both metallic and non-metalli minerals, is in a generally healthy and progressive state, so that it is not too much to expect that the year 1900 will see a production having a total value in excess of that of last year, good as the latter was in comparison with results sebiensi in earler years.

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Residence Destroyed,-A hour on Saturday morning residence on the West Saani completely destroyed by

Excursion From Belling likely there will be a big ex-Bellingham on May 24 to Victoria Day celebration. will be engaged and it is lik ber of American visitors point alone will approximat

Lumber Prices Up.—The News-Advertiser, in its iss urday, says: "The brisk of lumber and the searcity of the causes for another in ber prices, and if present continue the figures may higher. Logs are now q \$10. and \$13. accrding grades, and at that rate likely that the price for ber, which is now quoted go to \$17 locally."

Railway Mishap.—Passer the interior on Friday, h news of the very narrow those traveling on the C. from Nelson to Robson a days ago. At Slocan Ju water from the mountains mined the earth under track, and this was not n the train began to sink. cars, according to informatheir sides, and while no jured, the escape from ser was remarkable.

Coming To the Coast.—

peg Free Press Says:
Maclean, editor of the Halian, leaves shortly for a trip
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Children's Ward .- A join the building committee of to the Provincial Royal July and a committee of the iliary was held yesterday of trade rooms, at which it to proceed forthwith with of the children's ward and equipment so far as the fur mit. Owing to the increas lumber, however, the cost w ably exceed the original es at any rate the heating w stand over for the present. fidently maintained, however dies engaged with such un ergy upon this labor of lopublic which responded marked and spontaneous genot be found wanting if further call should have upon them for the consumn humane and charitable pro

Blow to Provincial Inc Alberta government has cording to an announcem the premier in the legislat 30th last, to assist the be dustry by granting a government proposes to to be paid at the rate year. The bonus will cent per pond for the first and one quarter for the Provision is made for payr farmers on the basis of the saccharine matter contain beets. It is well known th tion in the sugar refining very keen, and the bounty ter a stiff fight, has been throughout Europe. The part of the ernment will increase experienced by one of Br ia's most important ind B. C. sugar refinery.

Odd Fellows Give Aid. to an appeal made by (Wright, of Pennsylvania fo Odd Fellows in San Francis ereign Grand Lodge of Britis is giving \$3,000 in addition 000 sent to sufferers some ago. Several of the sm have given donations of \$5 and it is hoped and fully that from this province the 000 will be forwarded. Ga tary Davey on Saturday \$600 of this amount and at 600 of this amount and at

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(From Tuesday's Daily)
First Wild Strawberries.—On Sunday Mrs. Wallenstein picked the first wild strawberries so far reported this season in the Cedar Hill district. The fruit was perfectly ripe and in splendid condition.

Ask your dealer for Amherst Solid Lay he had received in all for transfers and local No. 1 were apprised some days ago that one of their members and his wife had been among those who splittered by the catastrophe, have been removed 26 names from a total of 644, leaving the net number for that constituency 618 names.

A Legal Change.—Says the Vancouver News-Advertiser: "Since the rediction of spring.

Odd Fellows Give Aid.—In response to an appeal made by Grand Sire Wright, of Pennsylvania for the 25,000 Odd Fellows in San Francisco, the sovereign Grand Lodge of British Columbia is giving \$3,000 in addition to the \$2,000 sent to sufferers some short time ago. Several of the smaller lodges have given departings of \$50 and \$100. was blamed for the first job, and declares that this man is certainly Miner. The construction of the men have been working on the construction of the men have been working on the construction of the latter and the men have been working on the construction of the latter and the men have been working on the construction of the latter and the men have been working on the men have worked north from there. The construction of the Nicola line and two worked north from there. The construction of the lines and wants to use it in their best interests.

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wild strawberries so far reported this geason in the Cedar Hill district. The form once voted \$50 which was sent without delay to the party in need.

Residence Destroyed.—At an early of windsor, Ontario, selling agent for the territory east of Winnipes, with the exception of Montreal, for the contents.

Residence on the West Saanich road was completely destroyed by fire with its contents.

Excursion From Bellingham.—It is in close touch with the business throughout Ontario and the maritime provinces. "There is a large sale of salmon," Mr. Henry remarked yesterday. "All the grades are will be engaged and it is likely the number of American visitors from that point alone will approximate 600.

Lumber Prices Up.—The Vancouver News-Advertiser; in its Issue on Saturday, says: "The brisk demand for lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are the causes for another increase in lumber and the scarcity of logs are lumber and the large and the larg

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which has a certain amount of interest for Victorians, appears in the Vancouver Province: C. C. Kurtz, charged with the theft of a bicycle, failed to appear before the court of criminal Assize when his name was called, and his ball was ordered estreated. It is reported that Kurtz is at the present time many.

lumber and shingle mills have evinced more of a feeling to co-operate with the shingle men towards this end. In the shingle industry just now bolts are very scarce at from \$4.40 to \$4.75, with a restleness in the labor market, caused by the large amount of other work offering."

(From Thursday's Daily.)
Escaped the Disaster.—His honor the lieutenant governor is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Bennett, wife of the British consul general at San Francisco, in which she requests that the fact of their both being alive and well may be made known to the many friends in British Columbia.

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that Kurtz is at the present time many Immense Travel.—Since Sunday last hundred miles distant from Vancouver, no less than 572 European passengers

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Posses aggregating 100 men, cowboys and Indians, left Kamloops this morning in pursuit.

geria, which went down two miles out. Capt. Motley thinks there were at least three men on the Algeria, but did not

FATAL DYNAMITE EXPLOSION. Four Laborers Blown to Atoms on the James Bay Railway. Dunchurch, /May 9.-Joseph Caron

know their names.

PROSECUTIONS FOR REBATING Eastern Railroads and Sugar Compan-

ies Charged Under Elkins Law.

### WATER PRESSURE TO BE LOOKED INTO

Dangerous Situation at Recent Fires Rains Discussion Among Aldermen.

### THE DALLAS ROAD BETAINING WALL

Council Will Urge Upon Govern-

expected the permanent sidewalk improvement bylaw yas passed and it is anticipated that work on the sidewalks will be commenced today. Before taking up the routine business the council

bridge be constructed to connect the plains of Alberta with a seaport on the made, but so far 16 had not been of the during the projecting blades or vanes are blown around at great speed with a smooth sent forward a strong resolution, and its speed with a smooth and even motion, and with a total abmane.

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new ones were placed in the suburbs it would only require to have the new lamps placed in position.

Ald. Hall seconded the motion, and in doing so stated that the plant was over-taxed, and he pointed out that the circuit in James Bay was carrying one more light than it was supposed to. It was impossible to run the two lamps, on the one circuit as one was a direct current, and the other an alternating system.

The report was adopted.

Regarding the Old Wharf near the postoffice the property of Mrs. Joan Dunsmuir. City Assessor North-cott reported that the wharf was unsafe and should be removed. It was dangerous; it was past repairing, and he had posted notices showing that the wharf was not safe.

D. M. Rogers stated that he had been instructed to take the matter up for the

The board of trade had already sent forward a strong resolution, and it was their desire to have the council pass a resolution asking the government to further effort.

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which was declined by Presn velt. It is still awaiting Will you take it if offer Please rush answer."
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for payments to small depos will be a further lessening of and women who are now for for sustenance. Governor I nounced today that he would days notice before formatting days notice before terminating holidays which have been official claimed since the day of the earlier of liquor in a counties is causing the San police much trouble. Since that we been closed here drink have been established just county line in San Mateo at loons of Oakland across, the recently been allowed to results. The result has been sands of idle men are visiting and returning the worse for l and returning the worse for police have decided not to sons under the influence o enter the city.

SAN FRANCISCO RE U. S. Secretary Gives Deta

San Francisco, May Roosevelt today transmitted to a letter from Secretary of recommending the appropriate additional \$500,000 to meet at San Francisco. The Presecommended this appropriated for retary Taft's letter shows to \$2,500,000 appropriated for of San Francisco, \$2,405,333 expended, or contracts have which will consume this smates are given for the costing troops from San Francisc tions, where they are doing the letter also gives trancharges on all supplies and est replacing supplies taken from posts for use in California.

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GEMENTS FOR THE CELEBRATION

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and Parade Committee Arranged Prize List---The Canoe Races.

m Wednesday's Daily.) ng of the horse and parade of the Victoria Day celebrase of the Victoria Day celebra-s held last night at the office. Greer, ship broker and real gent, on Yates street, and the t was finally arranged, provid-oly for many events, more than last year. The horsemen of the others are taking considerable in the parade this year and it the parade this year and it i there will be a record-break-it. Two bands will take part trade, and poovision has have the orphans as passengers tally-ho's or 'busses. The en-calready numerous and all the will seemingly be well contested. aggregations are planning to encalithumpian exhibit and it is that some notable floats will

ons are coming in well, but ectors are still busy, as more e needed. The various commitreporting favorably, legatta committee announce that tries have already been received indian war cance race with Indian war canoe race with caty feet long and over; and it is that three other entries will be making the contesting canoes n all—the greatest number that ted for years in such a race, ing the case the Indian canoe ich is a notable feature of the bids fair to be a most interest-

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the urine to stand in a glass vessel nty-four hours, and if at the end of a clouded or has left a sediment in om of the vessel you may be sure our kidneys are diseased. As a ough as Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver f invigorating the action of the kidd making them strong and healthy, no preparation so prompt and none

### CANADIAN GIFT MOST WELCOME

Chairman of Frisco Finance Committee Will Gladly Accept Money.

SUBSCRIPTION OVER FIVE MILLIONS

Still Working to Reduce the Length of the Bread Lines.

San Francisco, May 8. — Mayor Schmitz read the following telegram at the meeting of the construction committee today. "Toronto, Ont., May 8.— The Canadian parliament voted \$100,000 for the relief of San Francisco which was declined by President Rossevelt. It is still awaiting acceptance. Will you take it if offered direct? Please rush answer."

(Signed) Toronto Star.

Will you take it if offered direct: Please rush answer."

(Signed)

James D. Phelan, chairman of the finance committee was asked to answer the message in the affirmative. Reporting for the finance committee, Mr. Phelan announced a grand total of subscriptions of four millions nine hundred and ninety-two thousand dollars not including five hundred thousand dollars held by the chamber of commerce of New York awaiting the plan for re-habilitation of San Francisco.

In the matter of the relief fund from Paris a message was sent today to the French capital saying the distress in San Francisco was very great and that

San Francisco was very great and that in view of the fact that the government in Washington refused foreign contri-butions the sending of such direct to the relief committee here

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The great point is to cure it, to get head.



When the bread or cake or pastry comes from the oven light, crisp and appetising, you are wont to say you have had good luck with

your baking. . The "good luck" idea is a relic of the time when housekeepers pitted their competency against poor flour. To-day good baking isn't a matter of good luck in any home where Royal Household Flour

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Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd. "Ogilvie's Book for a Cook," contains 130 pages of excellent recipea some never published before. Your grocer can tell you how to get it FREE, 151

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# SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

Twenty-Five Years' Study While Prisoner in Casemates of

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St. Petersburg April 25th—(Associated Press correspondence)—One of the most interesting first fruits of the success of the Eussian revolution of the results in the coming publication of the results in the coming publication of the results in the coming publication of the results of the success of the Eussian revolution of the results in the coming publication of the results of the coming publication of the results in the coming publication of the results of the coming publication of the results of the coming publication of the results of the results of the result

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and from the one at the corner of St.
Charles street, there is none other till
Mr. Galletly's residence is reached, and
this distance is considerable.
It was pointed out at the investigation that a fire on Rockland avenue, between St. Charles street and Mr. Galletly's residence, would practically have
to burn itself out as far as getting water
is concerned.

of Monday when leaving a Chinese restaurant on Fisquard street.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Constable Palmer was summoned to the E & N. railway bridge to capture an unfortunate who had become demented man clambered up one of the girders and the constable time demented man clambered up one of the girders and the constable was obliged to clamber the constable was obliged to clamber the constable was obliged to clamber the constable was obliged to clamb up after him. He captured his quarry near the bridge top, and the unfortunate man, who has affice recovered somewhat, is in the care of his friends only c... It is the manufacturers of fine tweed and worsted in English Huss alvoluble. A carranged for, one payment of the city but the was about the covered somewhat, is in the case of the city against A. L. Belyea, K. C., for non-payment of the city licence imposed upon lawyers for practising their profession in Victoria.

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RIVAL WIRELESS CO'S AND THEIR PLANS

Local Agent of Pacific Company Imparts Some Interesting

### One of Three INTERESTING TALK Things Always Cause RHEUMATISM

Do you know the system rids itself of waste matter through bowels and kidneys? Yes, but by the skin as well.

As a matter of fact, the skin rids the

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# WITH RAILWAY MAN

R. G. Hervey of Nova Scotia Is Now Touring the Pacific Coast.

ASKS SOME VERY PERTINENT QUESTIONS

Cannot Understand Why Steel Should Not Be Manufactured on Island.

Robert G. Hervey, the well known railway contractor, is in Victoria, together with his three daughters, the party staying at the Hotel Driard.

Mr. Hervey is a native of Brockville, Ontario, but has his home in Shelburne, Nova Scotia where a line of railway is being constructed and where he is interested in various mines and lumber

operations.

He came west in order to take home his daughters from Pasadena, California, where they have been wintering. He arrived there the day after the earthquake and in consequence of the confusion and disorganization of traffic which ensued and the impossibility of securing proper traveling accommoda-tion, he was delayed there twelve days before the party could proceed north. "I wanted," said Mr. Hervey, "to take a bird's eye view of the Pacific coast, which I had not seen since I passed through San Francisco fifteen years ago. It was my object, after vis-

passed through San Francisco fifteen
years ago. It was my object, after visiting the coast regions from Los Angeles
to Vancouver, to endeavor to form some
estimate as to the future of the
Rival Cities of the Pacific
from the point of view of a man counected with railway construction for the
past forty years. The effects of the
San Francisco disaster, however, have
so curtailed the time 1 intended to devote to the trip between Los Angeles
and Seattle, that it would not be fair
to say that the impressions arrived at
are founded entirely upon my own observation as there are many interesting

when I came into this hotel was that large table, covered with specimens which, if the tags attached speak truly, are about the highest grade of she best ores—and they are found in this vicinity. I asked the landlord if he knew anything about them and he said that he didn't know anything about the manufacture of iron but he understood that these mines had first been bought by a. Mr. Moore, a Nova Scotian now living in and identified with the interests of Seattle and that he heard it reported that the ore was to be taken there to be smelted.

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"Why is this? Have not you got any oking coal in British Columbia? I "Why is this? Have not you got any coking coal in British Columbia? It mean coal that will make coke adapted to use in blast furnaces as well, or nearly as well, as the Connellsville coke; and haven't you got the limestone for flux? For if so, you can make steel here as cheap as any place in the North and control the export trade for the Orient. I do not speak as an expert in the manufacture of iron and steel, but I have been more or less interested in them in Alabama; and before the establishment of the Dominion Iron and Steel company in Nova Scotia in a letter to Senator, now vice President Fairbanks, which was published in the New York Daily Times and copied largely throughout the country. I predicted the erection of a plant in Cape Breton that would control the export trade on the Atlantic coast. And this has come to pass and my nephew, also a bright young Canadian is general manager of the concern.

cern.
"Perhaps, however," concluded Mr.
Hervey thoughtfully, "there are reasons why this could not be accomplished here, but if so, it ought to be easy to

answer my question.

"Ard now;" ended he abruptly, "I must really run or I shall keep the ladies waiting" and with courteous apology to the Colonist reporter he disappeared in hot haste.

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Persons who have become pale, weak and thin by overwork, worry or disease find that Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is wonderfully effective in forming new blood, restoring a healthful glow to the complexion and rounding out the form. You will soon feel the benefit of this restorative treatment and can prove it by noting your increase in weight.

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Miss Charlotte Spencer sang a classic number, "Vianka's Song," by Von Stutzman, being encored. The closing number was another chorus, by members of the Arion club, entitled "Soldier's Love."

The first part of the programme was then brought to a close with the singing of the National Anthem and hearty cheers for the departing troops, who

cheers for the departure lustily replied.

The Fifth regiment band, which did not make an appearance until the first part of the programme ended, played "Auld Lang Syne," while all civilians left the hall, and the second part of the programme took the form of a smoking concert given by Lieut. Col. Hall and so concert given by Lieut. Col. Hall and of of the state were spread across the floor of the imperial guards were practicing for the debarkation of Emperor Nicolas and these tables, six or seven in user the substance on the top, and palls and the substance on the top, and palls and ged and restles of this amber liquid, also case after case of ginger ale, lemonade, etc., are case of ginger ale, lemonade, etc., are abundance of cigars, and tobacco of the proceedings opened with rollicking selections by the Fifth Regiment Band while the commissariat corps loaded the tables.

The opening number was a song by The

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permission to purchase the fold, situate on the north bank of
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the mouth: Commencing at a
ted C. A. Bourne's S. E. Corner,
the 30 chains, thence west 80
te or less to the Copper River,
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f commencement.

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Canyon, B. C., February 4, 1906.
C. A. BOURNE.
F. M. Dockrill. Agent.

IS HEREBY GIVEN that, sixty date, The Canadian Industrial Limited, intends to apply to the missioner of Lands and Works of the following described fore-

ce Southeasterly along high to the Southwest corner post , and extending Westward to at right angles to a line drawn

N INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD.

depose that, 30 days is hereby given that, 30 days is, we intend to apply to the Hon.

In missioner of Lands and Works ceial license to cut and carry her from the following described nated on east side of Skeena sto District: Commencing at stake bout one mile north of Legate bank of river, thence east 40 ence south 40 chains, thence east, thence south 40 chains, thence chains, thence north along bank to place of commencement.

CHAS. E. CARPENTER.

D. E. MOORE.

14, 1906.

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Mineral Claim, situate Victoria rision, Heimcken District, on tiver bank, in Heimcken Dis-

River bank, in Heimcken Dis-Vancouver Island.

octice that the Koksilah Mining, Limited, Non-personal Liability, ner's Certificate No. B89617. inty days from the date hereof, to the Mining Recorder for CertifiImprovements for the purpose of Crown Grant of the above claim, or the take notice that action unton 37, must be commenced before unce of such Certificate of Imtics.

AND REGISTRY ACT."
GE SHEDDEN, Registered and
sed Owner of Lots 654, 656, 656,
Tolmie Park, Victoria District,

and
A STROUSS, Registered Owner,
C. STROUSS, Assessed Owner of
4 of Lot 6 of Suburban Lot 51,
Imalt District. Map No: 6f.
NOTICE that an Application has
de to register Stanley McB. Smith
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of March, 1906.
S. Y. WOOTTON.
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ribed lands:
Starting from a post planted on thank of the left branch of the River, V. I., about 10 miles e mouth, and marked Smith & ne's S.E. Corner, thence running s North, thence 20 chains West, 0 chains North, thence 20 chains went of the series of

E. Corner, planted on the west Bonanza Lake, thence running 20 Vest along South line of Claim No. ce 120 chains South, thence 80 East, more or less, to shore line, following shore line to point of

LAURIE W. LANSDOWNE. EUSTACE SMITH.

NOTICE.

NOTICE that, 30 days after date, at to apply to the Chief Commission of Lands and Works for special to the following Timber Claims, on the headwaters of the Koisis Seaver Cove:

I NO. 5. Starting from a post Chambers, Smith & Lansdowne, at Corner of Claim No. 5, and on the East shore of "Bonanza" out 1½ miles from Southeast corliaim No. 4, theace W. 40 chains, V. 20 chains, thence W. 120 chains, N. 80 chains, more or dess, to inthe S. boundary of Claim No. 4, E, along line of shoreline of Lake, following shoreline back to point the comment.

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I NO. 6. Starting from a post Chambers, Smith & Lansdowne's orner of Claim No. 6, and planted wo miles South of S. E. corner of 0. 5, thence running W. 40 chains, nains, W. 40 chains, hains, N. 40 chains, hains, more or less, to intersect S. y of Claim No. 5, thence following to Lake shore, thence following ore to point of commencement.

I NO. 7. Starting from a post Chambers, Smith & Lansdowne S. her of Claim No. 7, planted about so from the head of the Lake, on it shore, thence running East 60 thence North 30 chains, thence to clowing Lake shore back of commencement.

M NO. 10. Starting from a post Chambers. Smith & Lansdowne's orner of Claim No. 10. planted on e of Lake, at the S. W. corner of 0. 9. thence running N. 30 chains, W. 40 chains, thence N. 40 chains, W. 80 chains, more or less, to ore, thence following Lake shore place of commencement. In No. 11. Starting from the S. E. of Claim No. 2, thence running 40 for the commencement. S., thence as S., thence 20 chains E., thence as S., to intersect N. boundary of b. 10, thence following line to Lake hence following Lake shore back to commencement.

commencement.

Bay, B. C. April 23, 1906.

R. CHAMBERS.

EUSTACE SMITH.

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, B. C., April 17, 1906.

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### **EVERY INDICATION OF** SUCCESSFUL CELEBRATIO

The general impression is that the approaching celebration of Victoria Day will eclipse any held in this city during the last few years. It is true that many years ago the celebrations were considered the best and most enjoyable that could be arranged, and in late years the enthusiasm has been somewhat lacking. This year it is different. Everyone appears to be taking an interest and the merchants are contributing as well if not better than in former years, and from the advanced is the horse and automobile parade. The committee in charge of this particular event have been working practically ever since the last celebration, and they have now arranged an attraction that is expected to prove one of the finest of its kind ever held in British Columbia. A meeting of the committee was held yesterday, when practically everything was attended to, and they are now awaiting the final day. The marshals for the parade have already been appointed, but their names will not be made public until a few days before the event. It is understood, however, that they It is understood, however, that they may be seen any morning between 5 and 6 o'clock at Beacon Hill, where almost completed. Cabins are now being put in. The Victoria Machinery Depot is very busy, the full staff being they do their practice work on horse-back. From one who knows it is learned that they are already becoming very proficient, and by the time the events are called they will be able to ride like veterans. occupied. Many contracts are now being completed, including a number of boilers for various concerns. Among

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Assaulted and Robbed Victim and Eye-Witness.

And while the results are often described as indigestion, there is usually present liver, couplaint, and, assume, or later, disease of an indigestion, there is usually present liver, couplaint, and, assume, or later, disease of an indigestion, there were fine to outdoor workers, the seems to create a dreadful mortality among those who work with the brail hope yldrer Pills workers, the seems to create a dreadful mortality among those who work with the brail hope yldrer Pills workers, the seems to create a dreadful mortality among those who work with the brail hope yldrer Pills workers, the seems to create a dreadful mortality among those who work with the brail hope yldrer Pills workers, the seems to create a dreadful mortality among those who work with the brail hope yldrer Pills with the worken with the brail hope yldrer Pills with the worken with the work

### TRAP MEN BUSY.

Pile Driver Loses Big Hammer-Trap for Clover Point.

SUCCESSFUL CELEBRATION

The trap men are busy these dars preparing the traps in the vicinity of Victoria for operation in readiness for the coming fishing season. Yesterday morning the first piles for a new trap at Clover Point were being driven. One of the pile drivers engaged near Sooke had a mishap, having lost its big hammer in fifty feet of water, and a force of men from the Victoria Machinery depot were yesterday engaged in recovering the hammer.

MENACING SHIPPING.

Huge Log Raft Is Derelict Off the Pacific Coast.

are contributing as well if not better than in former years, and from the arrangements made it is expected that a fine celebration will be the result of the work of the various committees.

Among the attractions that are well advanced is the horse and automobile parade. The committee in charge of vear this huge cargo of lumber

MYSTERIOUS DEATH.

Autopsy Locates Bullet That Killed Long Island Railway Manager

New York, May 9 .- Following2 the funeral today of Charles L. Spier, the traction manager who was found dead at his home on Staten Island Monday

# WESTERN CANADA'S BIG SHOR

But It Looks As Cosy As A Bare Dinner Table.

Rugs

The Spencer store offers you many different kinds of inexpensive Rugs to choose from. Spread the cost of one of these Rugs over the number of years they will last, and the annual cost will be found to be trifling compared with the satisfaction to be derived from them.

Axminster, Brussels, Tapestry, Wilton in all sizes

> **Brussels Squares** FIVE SPECIAL VALUES.

ussels Squares in soft coloring good designs; greens, reds and blu grounds.
3x3, \$11.75.
3x3½, \$14.75.
3x4, \$16.75. 3%x4, \$18.75. 3%x4, \$23.00.

Fancy Belts

Diack: 15c.

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Both Silver Belts in white and colors; at 25c., 35c., 50c.

Fancy Gold Belts; at 50c., 75c., \$1.00.

Silver Belts; at 50c. and \$1.00.

Boys' Shirt Waists

soys' Shirt Waists are in great de-mand this season. We have the Salem Shirt Waist in new designs, stripes and fancy mixtures, with turn down detachable collar; 75c. each.

Fancy Piques, white grounds with fancy colored spots and stripes, in pink spots, blue and white spots, black and white spots, blue and white stripes, green and white stripes, and floral designs, 28 inches wide; 15c. per yard.

Parasols

China Silk Parasols, with bamboo han-dles, in white, brown, mauve and blue; \$1.50 and \$1.75. Louisine Silk Parasols, with rustic handles, in red, white and mauve; \$2.00. den Silk Parasols, bamboo handles Dresden Silk Parasols, bamboo handles, the new Japanese frames, in green, white, red; at \$2.75.

Silk Parasols, with dotted border, fancy bamboo handles, in red, green, blue and pink; \$3.00.

White Linen Sunshades, with eyelet embroidery edge, rustic handles; \$3.50. \$3.50.

Silk Parasols, fancy embroidered chiffonette border, colors red, blue, green and white; \$3.75.

White Linen Parasols, heavy Mt. Mellick border, rustic handles; \$4.50.

Silk Sunshades, with lace border and fancy cane handles; \$4.75.

Hand Baskets and Basket Suit Cases

Just received a large assortment of Wicker Baskets in all shapes an sizes, to suit the convenience of a -Telescopes, Hand Baskets, Baske Suit Cases, Lunch Baskets, Picnic Baskets-and, in fact, every thing i the basket line, varying in prices from 15c. to \$2.00.

Soaps Another shipment of Baby's Own, a

30c. per bex. Special Oatmeal, 50c. dozen,

Castile, 25c. per bar. Stationery Department Special value, in boxes of Linen Note containing 24 sheets and 24 envel

ones. Our price, 25c, Elsewher Hurd's Holland Linen Paper, 15c, per quire. Envelopes to match, 15c. pe

bundle. Four colors. Crane's Linen Lawn Paper, in white blue and grey. Envelopes to match Crane's Linen Grinadin, in white, blue and grey. Envelopes to match. Mourning Stationery, in different bo

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Port After a Rec Passage. REAL FLOATING

The C. P. R. Atlantic Line

Was in Telegraph Commi by Wireless the Whol Ocean.

CONTREAL, May 12.priced liner which dian Pacific Railway has just sent affoat in its steamship service arrived a point at 12:25 today, and e he splendid time of five days and 17 minutes, which includ ference in time from Movil breaks the speed record for t and places the "Empress of among the list of vessels whi the record breaking busine Canadian service. The Mov ecord via Cape Race was held by the Virginian which trip broke the time of passag six days and three hours, of the Fairfield company, the who came over on the Empreain was so pleased by the show the vessel made on her maider he confidently predicts that She Will Set the Pa

She Will Set the Pa at a much swifter gait, when ness in her machinery had more limbered up. The Emprienced heavy gales on Wedne Thursday and slowed down on account of the heavy wea The passengers were highly with the ship's performanc of the splendid vessel. For he voyage the time made must level display satisfactory. On the splendid vessel. For he voyage the time made must level display satisfactory. On the splendid vessel, For he voyage the time made must level display satisfactory. On the splendid vessel, For he voyage the time made must level display satisfactory. On the splendid vessel, For he voyage the time made must level for the splendid vessel, For he voyage the time made must level for the splendid vessel, and the sea files. The voyage with which the engines counter balanced engines so work without vibration. Sledoubtedly one of the smoothes of all the sea filers. "She is Capt. Stewart, "The best se ever saw." Capt. Stewart will in command of the C. P. ship Lake Champlain.

Throughout the voyage, the was in wireless touch with world. During the first pa "The Wireless" Bridg voyage, her wireless operator communication with the Poldle

voyage, her wireless operato communication with the Poldl and as she was nearing the that station, she came in the other waves vibrating fr the other waves vibrating fr Race. On that day the vesse word from both sides of the The "Britain" was built at field shipbuilding works on t Her principal dimensions are over all, 570 feet; beam, 65 inches; depth amidship, 45 fee inches; depth amidship, 45 foraft, tonnage, 14,500; horse

Her passenger capacity 350, second, 350; third crew, 400, total capacit The Ship's Accommoda
The "Empress of Britain"
passenger decks. The first ca
saloon is 58 feet long, is the
of the ship, and will seat som
sons. The panelling is in
with carving in dull gold, an
holstering is in crimson leathe
cial feature of the furnishing
ber of horseshoe shape tables
parties arranged in alcoves at
of the saloon. In the centre o
ing is a large oval opening in
on the deck above. The caf
elled in waxed Italian walnu
sumptuously appointed, in kee
its practical purpose, which i
ply light refreshments at any
ing the day. The music room The Ship's Accommod ing the day. The music roc very fine dome, its cosy of cheery fireplace, is in accor every idea of

Daintiness and Comf The decorations are original tic. The library is finished any and its easy chairs and nooks with convenient wr and collection of choice lite it most homelike and attract ance. The first class smooki finished in slightly fumed on propriate decorations. Spe tion has been paid to ve grand staircase of the of polished oak and is lig by a magnificent glass do

Property in Good Demand an ous Sales Recorded.

ctivity in dealing in loc promising fashion. A tran some importance is being pu by P. R. Brown. It is the sa of the Finlay on estate uadra street, containing a of the Finiapson estate at Quadra street, containing a cres. The price has not yet be willing to the property is very or residential purposes.

In the district tributary to there was also an important sof the Le Poer Trench farm ich. This was purchased by arrival from California named and the consideration is stated been \$17,000. Though the ladence for the consideration is stated been \$17,000.

