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DEATH. 18.—General Police Protection Promised to Prevent Destruction of Vehicles in Funerals.

Liverymen Hope to Secure Injunction Against Interference By Union.

Grand Jury Votes Indictments **Against Prominent Labor** Leaders.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Ample police protection has been promised by the city officials in the livery drivers' strike. Should this prove insufficient to prevent the destruction of vehicles. Governor Yates will be petitioned for a military force large enough to secure to the people of Chicago the right to bury the dead in peace. The strikers say that men cannot be secured to drive the phicles desired when the strike was organized.

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It was estimated that more policemen will be required to protect the numerous funerais than were required to protect property during the warlike days of the street car strike.

The liverymen at a meeting of their executive committee late today voted to resume business tomorrow on the "open shop" plan. They expect first, however, to secure an injunction against the union and union sympathizers.

The grand jury tonight voted indictments against four men prominent in labor circles. They are J. E. Johnson, business agent of the Brass Workers' Union; Lee Fisher, secretary of the International Order of Machinists; R. S. Crane, business agent of the International Order of Machinists, and James J. Lamb, business agent of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. The indictments voted charge conspiracy to wreck the business of the Kellogg Switchboard & Supply Company during a strike, which was productive of much violence, during the early spring. Testimony was presented to the grand jury to the effect that the four accused men had visited officials of the Kellogg company and threatened to interfere with the business of the concern unless the company came to terms with its striking employees.

While indictments were voted against these men, the grand fury refused to return a true bill against Charles F. Lang, foremen af a local winiting house, who shot and killed Emil Reichow, picket allied with the striking respected to return a true bill against Charles F. Lang, foremen af a local winiting house, who shot and killed Emil Reichow was one. He fore shot, which struck Reichow cansed his death. Lang establish clear case of self-defence.

Russian government through eign offices, relative to the re-t fresh anti-Jewish excesses eatened at Kishineff on the Rus-istmas day. The Jewish Chronicle adds that it aderstands the matter is engaging the tention of Foreign Secretary Lans-

ORDERED DEPORTED. British Skilled Workers Turned Back by Uncle Sam.

Washington, Dec. 23.—United States Secretary of Commerce and Labor Cor-telyou has ordered the deportation of the skilled glass blowers from Stour-bridge, England, who were detained at

RAILWAY CHANGE

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 23.—Announcement was made today by President Ramsay, of the Wabash railroad, of the appointment of Horace G. Clark as manager of the Western Maryland and the West Virginia Central & Pittsburg railroads, with headquarters at Baltimore, to succeed A. Robertson, who on January 1st becomes general manager of the St. Louis terminals.

ROXBURGHE'S WELCOME.

Dunhar, Scotland, Dec. 23.—The town council at Broxmouth Park today presented an address of welcome enclosed in a silver casket, to the Duke and Duchess of Roxburghe, and the tradesmen gave them a handsome clock as a wedding present. The Duke heartily thanked the representatives of the donors and expressed the gratitude of himself and the duchess for yesterday's splendid welcome.

Daily Gossip From Vancouver

Chinaman Makes Important Confession Bearing Upon Charlie Sing.

A Unique Case In Police Court -- Trying to Regulate Civic Salaries.

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Day's Doings At Ottawa

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Prominent Mainland Liberals Arrive to Consult the

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—The government has offered 2,1,000 reward for the arrest of introduced casnel, who escaped from the custody of the mounted police at Calgary two weeks ago. The police have lad no clue to Cashel's whereabouts since Monday of last week, when they irraced him to near Cargary. The authorities are convinced that the revolvers with which Cashel held up the guard were obtained from his brother.

Word was received that St. John's, Quebec, has been selected by the officers or the Singer Sewing Machine Co, as the Jocation for their Canadian factory.

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A second of the series of political pamphlets which the Liberal party is publishing to cajole electors into continuing the present government in power, has been issued. It purports to be a review of the policy of the present government in power, has been issued. It purports to be a review of the policy of the present government during the past seven years. The fact that the publication emanates from the office of the Ottawa Free Press is looked upon as evidence that Hon. Mr. Fisher has not been sufficiently active recently on behalf of his own organ.

The Montreal Hereld says a chunk of coal from Springhill. N. S., weighing a ton and a half, will be sent. to the St. Louis exhibition.

A Morrison M. P., and A E. Woods, of the Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon rollway, are have roday on business with Hon. Mr. Fielding.

The PRISONER CONFESSES CRIMES.

PRISONER CONFESSES CRIMES. New York, Dec. 22.—When Frank Henry Burness, a ship's cook, was claced on trial in Brooklyn today for the munder of Capt, Geo. B. Townsend, the skipper of the lumber schooner Chas. Buckley, November 10th, the prisoner admitted his guilt, and a written confession was submitted, in which he declared that he had shot the captain several times, and with premeditation, because the latter owed him some money, and that he desired to facilitate the trial because he preferred to be executed rather than remain in prison. The confession further stated that the prisoner had previously killed three men. For shooting a man in Charlestown. Mass, he said that he had served three years in prison. He had served three in Havana for killing a teamster, and

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Former Power's Fleet Is Making **Every Preparation For** Confict.

Financial Quarters in London And Paris Are Still Very

London, Dec. 23.—The Daily Mail's respondent on Far hastern matters lay gives a rumor of the intention flussia to sense Chin Wang Tao,

of six battleships has left Soasebo, 20 miles north of Nagasaki.

The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Nagasaki says that the Japanese fleet is replacing the local soft coal in its bunkers with hard Welsh steam coal, and also that all superfluous woodwork on the vessels is being removed.

The Japanese legation here has no further news. Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, and his staff will remain in London over the Christmas holidays.

In financial quarters, both in London and Paris, confidence is still unshaken that peace will be preserved.

This confidence is reflected in the firmness of Russian bonds, which, though only held to a small extent in England, are held in France at an amount between \$1,000,000,000 and \$1,500,000,000, and it is contended that this fact alone will induce Foreign Minister Deleasse to make the strongest efforts to prevent Russia going to war. The amount of Japanese bonds held in Great Britain is said not to exceed \$95,000,000.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 23.—Russia's reply to Japan is momentarily expected to be delivered. The Foreign Office of

Falling Off in the Earnings of the White Pass and Yukon Road.

Income is Less Than Half That of the Year Which Preceded.

New York Dec. 22—The annual report of the White Pass a lukon, the most northerly railroad, is extremely interesting as affording the first official send end were peculiar railroad. It is noteworthy that trouble seems to sli lightly upon the men that are running the road. In 1902 they paid a regular dividend of 5 per cent. In 1903 earnings had fallen off to such an extent that the total amoant available for dividends was reduced to \$354,876.

This total is not the total of the railroad company, whose year ends June 30, but of the entire local and mail and other services, and the year is made to end the services, and the year is made to end of the entire local and mail and other services, and the year is made to end the spoint of the entire local and mail and other services, and the year is made to end the spoint of the entire local and mail and other services, and the year is made to end the spoint of the entire local and mail and other services, and the year is made to end the spoint of the entire local and mail and other services, and the year is made to end the spoint of the entire local and mail and other services, and the year is made to end the spoint of the entire local and mail and other services, and the year is made to end

A GAMBLERS' QUARREL. Strenuous Affair Among Sports in

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 23.—As the result of a pistol fight in a gambling room at an early hour today. Thos. J. Reynolds is dead, James L. Doss is breathing his last in a hospital, and Julian Rousenthal is wounded, but will recover. All are professional gamblers. The affair occurred in the Doss place, Rosenthal's being an opposition room to that of Doss, this morning after to clock,

"It was Pope. I believe," she ventured,
"who said: 'Worth makes the man.'"
"Was it?' he replied. "Then Pope must
be one of those chaps who don't read the
newspapers. If he did he'd know Worth
was a ladies' tailor."—Chicago Record

Don't think that eruption of yours can't e cured. Take Hood's Sarpaparilla—its irtue is its power to cure.

AN EXCITING VOYAGE.

New York, Dec. 23.—The Hamburg-American liner Bluecher docked today after an exciting voyage. At about 11:30 o'clock on the night of the 19th, when the fury of a heavy northeast gale had reached its climax and the Bluecher was rolling and pitching furiously, a panic among the steerage massaurers.

Henry Norman To Visit Canada

Will Enquire Into Question of Expediency of an Imperial Preference Tariff.

Herbert Gladstone Declares that Chamberlain's Supporters Want to Make Money.

R. L. Borden **Active in East**

During Tour of Maritime Prov-Inces Addressed About Twenty Meetings.

Conservative Candidates In Almost Every County In Nova

Men of Exceptional Strength
Chosen to Stand in Forthcoming Election.

From Our Own Correspondent. Halifax, N. S., Dec. 23.—R. L. Borden, the Conservative leader, during his tour of the maritime provinces just comattended and in every instance the audiences were very attentive and appreciative. In Nova Scotia the excellent work of C. E. Tanner, organizer, has made itself felt. The Conservatives have candidates in the field in every county in the province except Yarmouth and Antigonish. In Prince Edward Island all the Conservative candidates are in the field and actively at work. In both provinces the candidates are men of exceptional strength.

Mr. Borden said: "I hope to remain in Halifax, from which I have been necessarily absent so much during the past year. The Dominion is so vast in area and the demands upon the time of a political leader are so numerous, that I have not been able to see much of my home during the past fifteen months. Some time in January I expect to go to Ontario and Quebec."

U. S. ADMIRAL RETURNS.

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New York, Dec. 22.—Among the passengers who arrived today on board the Seguranch from Colon, was Rear Admiral Walker, U. S. N., member of the Isthmian canal commission. Admiral Walker would make no statement, but inquired as to the opposition in the United States to the treaty.

"Admiral Walker said: "I arrived in Panama on November 15th, and have been kept pretty busy. I went over the canal route and inspected the propetries of the company and found them in good condition. As to conditions in Panama I was very much pleased with what I saw. Everything is quiet there now, and the people are very happy. Business is gaining in confidence. The people are united and of only one voice."

Still Striving For Peace

Reuters Telegram From Tientsin Points to Pacific Outcome

Japanese Consul General In London Expresses the Most Hopeful Feelings.

Despatches From Tokio Sum Up Situation as Most Grave.

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'I'ue Japanese consul-general in London said to the Associated Press: 'I Bank Clearings.—The total clearings that the view of Baron Hayashe (the Japanese minister to Great Britain) that war will not break out. In view of the week ending 22nd December, were \$537, war will not break out. In view of the pacetistions. war will not break out. In view of the secrecy with which the negotiations have been conducted at Tokio and St. Petersburg, it seems to me that many of the reports reaching this country concerning what has been going on are based on misinformation." An official of the Yokohama Specie Bank said: "There is nothing in our advices to lead to the belief that there will be war. Business telegrams were received today, the nature of which would not be likely if war was regarded as imminent."

THE GREEN-EYED MONSTER.

Centerville, Ia., Dec. 21.—L. W. Horn, a farmer residing near here, shot and fatally wounded his wife at Chicago.

Jealousy is supposed to be the cause. Horn fied, pursued by a sheriff and bloodhounds. His body was found with a bullet hole through the head.

Other leading Japanese business men expressed similar views.

Tokio, Dec. 22.—It is asserted in official circles here that the Japanese reply to Russia rejects the fundamental points at issue, which are understood to include a mutual guarantee for the preservation of Korean sovereignty, while securing their individual interests. The situation is graver than since the commencement of negotiations, but is still susceptible to a pacific solution if Russia will quickly reconsider her reply.

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The fact that Foreign Minister Komura called on Baron de Rosen, the Russian minister, yesterday instead of Baron de Rosen calling on Komura, is interpretated that Japan is determined not to afford Russia any possible grounds for claiming Japanese impetuosity as an excuse. Baron Komura's communication is not believed officially to be necessarily tantamount to an ultima-

added that the Japanese now give evidence of a pacific tendency. This information accords with the view prevailing in diplomatic circles here.

The officials of the Japanese legation insist that they do not believe there is any immediate danger of war between any immediate danger of war between Russia and Japan, and express the opin-ion that the dispute will be settled ami-cably. They add, however, that Japan 'pwill not abandon any of her rights in Manchuria and say if a conflict occurs they believe the Japanese will obtain the first victory on the sea.

Tientsin, China, Dec. 22.—The vice-roy has ordered the customs Taotai to

take over the post of Ching Wan Tao at once from the officers of the mining company which purchased the Kai Piny mines from China through Vi, the director of the Northern railroad, who was degraded recently for having sold

deavoring to regain control of the min to acquire a port at Ching Wan Tao, of which Russia is said to possess an excellent survey and a census of the adjacent villages.

GREAT ACTIVITY

AT ROSS

St. Petersburg, Dec. 22 .- Of the Russian warships recently at Chemulpo, Korea, in connection with the disturbance there, only the cruiser Biyran remains at the place. All the other vessels have returned to Port Arthur.



STEEL MILLS RESUME.

ANOTHER RECEIVERSHIP. Elkhart, Ind., Dec. 21.—Lewis Din aert today was appointed receiver of the National Manufacturing Company The assets are estimated at \$165,000 and the liabilities \$175,000.

OUBAN RECIPROCITY.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—The United States secretary of state has is sued a circular letter which declares that the Cuban reciprocity bill becomes operative one minute after midnight December 27. FIFTY AGAINST TWO.

London, Dec. 22.—A despatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from Tientsin says the correspondent has been informed, on the highest Chinese official authority, that the negotiations between Russin and Japan will terminate amichally.

Refuses to Allow Houses of

Waiters' Union War.—Some time ago the officials of the Waiters' Union at Seattle notified the proprietor of the Hotel Butler that they wished him to employ all his help through them. He objected, stating that, as he already paid higher wages than the union scale called for, he wanted the best irrespective of union or non-union. The existing help thereupon gave notice in a body to quit. Meanwhile the proprietor got an outfit from San Francisco, twenty-three in all, who have been staying at the Dominion Hotel here for the past five days, and on Friday evening they left for Seattle ready for business as soon as the late staff walked out.

AMATEUR OARSMEN.

New York, Dec. 19.—The executive of the National Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the national Association of the National Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the National Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the National Association of the National Association of Amateur Coarsmen, after hearing the report of the National Association of the

staff walked out. company which purchased the Kai Piny mines from China through Vi, the director of the Northern raiiroad, who was degraded recently for having sold the mines in 1900, and was given two months' grace during which time he is expected to again bring the mines under Chinese control. The viceroy's order says that although merchants invested capital in the mining company it was founded by the government and managed by Chinese officials and therefore is the property of the government. Ching Wan Tai, it is further pointed out, likewise belongs to China and cannot be sold to others at the discretion of the mining company.

It is asserted that the Chinese local authorities that the government is endeavoring to regain control of the mining to regain the distribution of the distribution of the mining to regain the distribution of the distribution of the mining to regain the distribution of the distribution of the mining to regain the regain to the distribution of the authorities that the chief the distribution of the mining the property of the guite a

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In Far East

Japan and Russia Approaching a Point Where Swords Will Be Seized.

Russia's Reply Unsatisfactory and Unless Amended Brown Men Will Fight.

War Risk Increased and Experts Consider Situation Full of

Beyond Pale

Of Endurance

Chicago's Chief of Police Reminds Strikers Officials of Their Manhood.

Refuses to Allow Houses of Refuses To Allow Houses of Press; Pursion was allowed and that Russia and Japan will be left to settle, the controversy. London, Dec. 21.—Lord Rothschild, while declining today to venture an opinoin as to the outcome of the Japan-Russian crisis, said to the Associated Press; "One of the most important factors is whether America will seize the opportunity to press her claims for open ports in Manchuria. If she does so it would certainly help to a peaceful solution. I have heard of no suggested doans, either Japanese or Russian. What they would have to do in case of war is hypothetical and which I do not care to discuss. The present state is puzzling enough without endeavoring to prophesy."

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Japanese-Russian war risks at Lloyds

Toronto, Dec. 21 .- (Special.) - Today's nominations for the Commons were: Halton, J. S. Deacon, Liberal; West Kent, H. S. Clements. Conservative. A Conservative convention for the new riding of South York was held on Saturday and resulted in the unanimous choice of W. F. Maclean, M. P. St. Thomas, Ont., Dec. 21.—East Elgin Conservatives have chosen A. B. Ingram. M. P., as their candidate for the Dominion elections.

ALMOST AFRAID TO GO TO SLEEP FOR FEAR SHE WOULD NOT WAKE UP.

FLUTTERING OF THE HEART. SHORTNESS OF BREATH.

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Joseph Seagram, of Waterloo, Purchases Famous Three-Year-Old Persistence.

Massey, Harris Co's. Employees

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Paris, Dec. 20.-Positive announcements are made this morning by the Soleil and La Lanteren that Victor Mercier, one of the directors of the ministry of justice and the reporter of the Dreyfus commission, has concluded his report ed his report, and that it recom-mends a revision of the case.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.

Another Man.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 21.—(Special.)— The police still having nothing definite in the Cashell case, although they are in the Cashell case, although they are working on various clues.

This afternoon it was reported that Cashell's body was found in a well three miles west of the city. Men from the barracks went to Sandy McDonald's ranch, only to find that the body in the well was that of George Bacon, a young man who worked on a ranch. It took a great amount of time to raise the body, as the well is a hundred feet deep. It is believed that Bacon slipped into the well while drawing water with a bucket. The coroner is investigating.

Tomorrow night an entertainment which promises to be a very enjoyable one, is to be given at the Masonic hall at Esquimalt in aid of St. Joseph's R. C. church, Esquimait. The concert which will be commenced at 8:30 p. m. is under the distinguished patronage of Rear Admiral Bickford, C. M. G., and Mrs. Bickford. The programme arranged for the entertainment will include a comedietta, which will be not the least among the attractive numbers to be given.

Secrets of **Promotion**

low the Stock of the Shipbuilding Trust Was Worked off in

New York World Publishes Some **Hitherto Confidential** Cablegrams.

Subscribers Led to Believe That Flotation Was a Success at Home.

PRINCESS ALICE.

Princess Alice, of Schoenburg-Waldenburg.

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London, Dec. Edward's Colt social and professional standing has always been of the highest. In June of 1902 there was some doubt as to the Erench underwriting obtained by John W. Young and Mr. Alexander, who was then abroad. His residence in Paris was cabled to take charge of the matter. An arrangement had previously been made with the Trust Company of the Republic by the Mercantile Trust Company. pany of the Republic by the Mercantile Trust Company to raise some of the American underwriting and gradually the burden of getting all of the \$9,000,000 of American underwriting was shifted upon the Trust Company of the Republic. It was the final failure of the underwriters to pay even the first installment of 25 per cent on the \$4,450,000 that placed the shipbuilding company on the road to financial ruin,

of them fatally.

KILLED WITHOUT MALICE.

Sacramento, Dec. 22.—The coroner's jury in the case of Thos. Pendergast, who died a few hours after his fight with "Kid" Williams last Friday night, has returned a verdict that, "Deceased came to his death from rupture of a blood vessel in the brain, caused by blows received in a boxing contest with 'Kid' Williams in this city, and, in our opinion, without malice." The gloves were examined by the jury and found to be over five ounces. Williams is out on \$3,000 bail.

Winnipeg, Dec. 19.—A Somerset despatch says Louis Moulin, of Lourdes, shot himself accidentally while returning from Manitou with his father and brother. He died a few hours after the accident, which was caused by the discharge of his own gun while jumping in a rig.

CASHEL STILL

AVOIDS CAPTURE

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ATTACK ON NORDAU.

DREADED WHITECATS

Work on account.

York on account.

It has been learned that Louban, one of the Zionists who insisted on the acquisition of Palestine, and tht he and quisition of Palestine, and tht he and his co-conspirators at Berne were antagonistic to the plan advocated by M. Nordan and others to establish the new Zion in Africa. M. Nordan was standing at a window in the hall room talking to a friend when he was shot, and owes his life to a man who was noticing Louban point the revolver and prevented him from taking accurate aim

Hood's Sarsaparilla Has won success far beyond the effect of advertising only.

The secret of its wonderful popularity is explained by its unapproachable Based upon a prescription which cured people considered incurable,

Hood's Sarsaparilla Unites the best-known vegetable remedies, by such a combination, proportion and process as to have curative

power peculiar to itself. Its cures of scrofula, eczema, psoriasis, and every kind of humor, as well as catarrh and rheumatism - prove

Hood's Sarsaparille the best blood purifier ever produced Its cures of dyspepsia, loss of and tite and that tired feeling make it greatest stomach tonic and strong restorer the world has ever known. Hood's Sarsaparil Is a thoroughly good medicine. It to take it TODAY. Get HOUDS

Montreal, Dec. 21.—Speaking before a meeting of the Cauada Temperance League yesteriay Hon. George E. Foster stated: "Give me one generation of people who were total abstainers, and with a five per cent tariff I would undertake to snow the greatest regime of prosperity that has ever come to this country."

BY WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY. New York, Dec. 21.—The steamer Zenland from Antwerp via Queenstown, for New York, is reported to have been communicated with by wireless telegraph from Nantucket lightship at 8:50 this morning. The Zealand is bringing the steerage passengers of the Kroonland, who were transferred at Queenstown when the Kroonland was compelled to put back to that port owning to her steering gear being disabled. The first-class passengers from the Kroonland arrived here last week on the Tentonic.

EMPEROR'S BAD BREAK.

Lastern News

Concentration of Transports Causes Sharp Fall in all Japanese Stocks.

THEIR WARRIORS DEAD

Washington, Dec. 22.—The remains of 42 private soldiers who lost their lives in the Philippines and were brought to this country on the transport Kilpatrick, were buried with military honors at the National cemetery at Arlington today.

Albany, Dec. 22.—The resignation of George B. McClelan as member of Congress from the twelfth district of New York on account of his election as mayor of New York city, was received by Governor O'Dell and filed with the secretary of state this morning. Governor tary of state this morning.

PROVES DEFECTIVE

Flaws in Secretary Wyndham's Law Which Will Require

London, Dec. 22.-Both the Nationalists and Unionists are discovering serious flaws in Irish Secretary Wyndham's Laud Act, which will necessitate further amendment in parliament. In the land judge's court in Dublin, after several days' discussion, Justice Ross has delivered judgment regarding the sale of Lord Ely's estate, according to which the tenant for life is not entitled to anonomiate the bonne under the new act for his own use, but most hold it to appropriate the bonns under the new act for his own use, but most hold it subject to trusts of settlement. Judgment, if upheld on appeal, will prevent landlords who are tenants for life, from selling, as they would thereby lose their chief inducement to sell under the act. The judgment will probably have the effect of suspending all sales and negotiations to sell until parliament has removed the doubts and difficulties which have arisen in the interpretation of the act.

SIGNS OF WAR.

Montreal, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Business houses in Montreal handling Japanese goods have received cables from heads of interested firms in Japan instructing them not to accept orders for future delivery. This is accepted as meaning that Japanese merchants ex-pect war, and do not expect to be in a position to make shipments.

NORTHERN SECURITIES CO.

Washington, Dec. 22.—The brief of the state of Minnesota in the suit of that state against the Northern Securities was filed in the Supreme court of the United States by Attorney-General Douglas and Messrs. Munn & Wilson. The brief is a document of 176 pages, and its authors contend that the merger of the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern Railway Companies into the Northern Securities Company was for the purpose of stifling competition.

For Greater **Dominion**

Unsatisfactory Alaskan Bounddary Award Arouses Ottawa Government to Action.

Scheme to Federate Newfound. land and to Annex Greenland.

Mr. Foster Addresses Meeting at Canadian Club on Fiscal Campaign.

rom Our Own Correspondent. From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—It is understood that the government has under consideration the question of bringing Newfoundland into the Canadian confederation, and also of annexing Greenland.

The decision of the Alaskan boundary commission, which has given the United States permanent title to a large strip of land on the Pacific Coast, which should have been in the possession of Canada, has at last set the government thinking. As far as Greenland is concerned, the Canadian government will thinking. As far as Greenland is con-cerned, the Canadian government will have to negotiate with Denmark through the Imperial authorities, with a view to purchasing the island.

Hou. Geo. E. Foster addressed a large and enthusiastic gathering at the Can-adian Club this evening on the fiscal campaign in Britain.

Toronto, Dec. 21.-The Globe's Ottawa despatch says there is good reason to think that the Dominion government has under consideration the has under consideration the institution of negotiations having for their object the admission of Newfoundland and Greenland into the confederation. It is not known whether the subject has come before the cabinet as yet, but there is no doubt that it will be a matter of discussion before long. True, the French shore question remains unsettled, but it is pointed out that Great Britain and France are better friends at present than they have been for a long time, and this is expected to make a settlement a comparatively easy mata settlement a comparatively easy matter. As to Greenland, the Danish government would probably be willing to part with the country, as it is no value to it, provided that suitable compensa-tion was offered.

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Rev. Dr. Reid moved a hearty vote of thanks to Miss Curry, the performers and all who had provided such a pleas ant evening which was seconded by Mr. Lewtas and carried with enthusiasm. The income of the evening was the sum of \$31.75.

ors at the National cemetery at Arlington today.

McCLELAN'S RESIGNATION.

Mayor-elect of New York Bids Adieu to Congress.

Albany, Dec. 22.—The resignation of \$31.75.

The Winnipeg mine of Wellington camp, well known in this city, especially through its connection with Richard Plewman, an eld-time Rosslander, has been closed down through the serving of a writ by the Bank of Montreal on a demand note for over \$3,000.—Rossland World.

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gress from the twelfth district of New York on account of his election as mayor of New York city, was received by Governor O'Dell and filed with the secretary of state this morning. Governor O'Dell will order a special election to fill the yneanex

SHOT RESISTING ARREST. Hoffman, N. C., Dec. 22.—Two brothers, Galloway and John Blue, negroes, iving in Cumberland county, were shot and killed by Town Marshal Thompson

and a deputy last night while resisting arrest for disorderly conduct. The officers were fired upon, but escaped in-

LIPTON IS READY TO CHALLENGE

At Presentation Banquet Announced Willingness For Another Trial.

London, Dec. 19.—Sir Thomas Lipton announced his readiness to again chal-lenge for the America's cup when the silver service, subscribed for by the people of the United States was prepeople of the United States was presented to him at a dinner at the Hyde Park hotel last night. The dinner was attended by several members of the House of Commons, the members of the London presentation committee, including John R. Carter, second secretary of the United States embassy; Captain Charles H. Stickton, United States naval attache, and Major John R. Beacom, United States military attache, and by hearly a hundred American residents in London, as well as several who dents in London, as well as several who are now visiting here.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 22.—The Czar has sent William J. Bryan an autograph-ed photograph. United States Ambas-sador McCormick gave a Innehen to-day to Mr. Bryan, Prince Khilkoff, the minister of public works and railroads and other high officials.

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-68-70 Yates St., Victoria, B. C A FAMOUS CASE.

Society Meets

Binghampton, N. Y., Dec. 21.—The famous case of Attorney A. D. Wales, of this city, against John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers Union of America, to recover \$200,000 for services in settling the recent ceal strike, came up before Justice Lyon at a special term of court here this afternoon. The proceedings were on a motion made by Mr. Wales' attorney for the appointment of an open committee to orally examine Thos. D. Nichols, president of district No. 1 of the United Mine Workers, at Scranton, Pa.

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Glenfield avenue, Lake District, on the 18th inst, John Tway, a native of Jersey, Channel Islands, aged 77 years. RVINE-In this city on the 17th instant, Robert Irvine, a native of Victoria, B. C., aged 32 years.

ONSTROM—In Victoria on December 13th, the wife of V. Luaviter Stonstrom of a son. fOLT—On the 18th inst., the wife of Gilbert S. Holt, of twins, a son and a daughter. DUNG_At Revelstoke, on Wednesday

December 16th, the wife of F. Young, of a son. PERLE WOODFILL At Christ Church Vancouver, on July 3rd, by Rev. H. L. Roy Stanley Gibbons, fourth son o Capt. and Mrs. Peele, New Westmin

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ster, B. C., to Lyla Wells, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Woodlif, Sydney, C. B. (Sydney papers please copy.) CARR_TURNROSS_At the Methodist Parsonage, at Revelstoke, on Wednes-day, December 16th, by Rev. C. Lad-ner, William G. Carr, to Miss Hilda C. Turnross, both of Revelstoke.

PHBLIAPS — DEVLIN — At St. Paul's church. Esquimalt, B. C., on the 16th December, by the Right Reverend the Bishop of Columbia, assisted by the Rev. C. Ensor Sharp, George Phillips, son of the late John Haines Phillips, to Laura Ashton, only daughter of J. Watson Devlin.

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Floated at High Tide But Lost Tall Shaft and Propeller-Danube Goes North.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Washington, Dec. 21.—Official confirmation has reached Washington of the landing of Colombian troops on the island of Los Pinos, which lies close

to the coast of Panama. These troops number eighty, and they have taken up a position on this high island with intention of making paths through the jungles. PECULIAR AND PERTINENT.

The United States has granted 3,500 patents to women. The importation of champagne into the

United States from January 1 to May, 1903. was 137,742 cases, as against 112,961 for the same period of 1902. The French government employs 1,550

workmen and 15,000 women in the state tobacco manufactories and makes a yearly profit of 400,000,000 francs.

REAR ADMIRAL LEAVES FOR HOME

Late Commander-in-Chief Left Last Night Accompanied

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stock transaction in the Dominion Coal, has issued a writ against Ames & Co., claiming \$9,600 for alleged wrongful conversion of stock.

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MR. MINOR'S DOG.

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s formance as Frank Morely, ever the released and unforeign husband, a hard character, and G. G. Rodgers and will am Yerenec; the former as the awkward varsity youth, and the latter as the French count, both did good character work. W. L. Gleason was equal to all the requirements of his role to the Orient. The reduction follows as equal to all the requirements of his role to the Orient. The reduction follows the cause of the coming to San Francisco to the Orient. The reduction follows the professors, and Miss Nina Herbert, as the wife, to save whom the frisky widow made her sacrifice, gave a praise-worthy performance in that role, as also did Miss L. Royce as the professors wite; and Mr. Yielding and Miss Angus as Mr. and Mrs. Bowler—in fact the whole company was a good one. The society was in keeping with the except lence of the performance to finght Mrs. Morthern steamshlp agents have been and the fright of the British steamer atholl, one of the performance to finght Mrs. Button-Harrison's "The Unwelcome Mrs. Hatch" will be presented.

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Uncle Sam Facilitates Transit of Yel low Men to British Territory.

The Chinamen Who Slept in His Employer's Bed and Stole His Dlamond.

Chinatown Business Rivaln and the Street Fight Which

San Francisco, Dec. 21.—Chinese laborers are rushing into Canada by the hundreds to evade the head tax of \$500 on every Chinaman that enters Canada after January 1st. They are now required to pay but \$100. The steamer Doric, which recently arrived here from the Orient, brought eighty Chinese, who were immediately shipped to Victoria, The Japanese liner Nippon Maru, just arrived, brought eighty-nine Chinese, and steamer Oanfa carried 149 Mongolians, all of whom are in transit to Canada.

And when he rested he must needs choose the feather-stuffed downy bed of ada.

BOILERS EXPLODE.

had fallen had been made for a month. He had covered it when completed with three boards one by six inches. He had seen it uncovered several times since and had recovered it.

Sidney Shore, who lives in Victoria West, deposed that he had passed the place where the holes had been made four or five times a day regularly. Some time ago he had reported the condition.

St. Louis, Dec. 21.—Seven boilers in the power-house of the St. Louis Transit Company exploded tonight, killing three employes, injuring six and wrecking the building. The cause of the explosion is not known.

RESUMED WORK.

Police Circles

placed them.

John Tamblyn, post hole digger for the telephone company, said he had made the post holes at Victoria West two

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Rome, Dec. 21.—The idea of a Catholic deration in the United States has again the ventilated, especially after the Most expectation of Messmer was appointed to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres which is the property of the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres when attempts the point of t

Hamilton, Dec. 21.—Ernest J. Driver, school teacher of Grimsby, is in the complete suffering from severe inmore or less. uries to his face by a pupil named sher throwing a slate at him. His

conumon is considered serious.

SALOONKEEPER'S END. Chicago, Ill., Dec. 21.—Saloonkeeper ames Vlocek, who, a few days ago, choked

PROVINCIAL PRESS.

Five years ago ten cars of coke a day was sufficient to do all the smelters in Kootenay. It now takes thirty cars of coke to supply the demand. So that Instead of a pile as big as the Canadian Pacific railway station shovelled into the fireboxes of the land and marine engines every day. British Columbia transportation comday. British Columbia transportation companies will daily use a pile of coal three times as large in five years.—Morrissey De-

Jas. Turley, a well known old time

September 29, 1903. FREEMAN.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I datend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land, situate on the northwest coast of Kalen Island; Commencing at a post marked A. B. Johnston's S. W. corner, thence running east 80 chains thence north 80 chains, thence west to the shore, thence along the shore to point of commencement, containing as commencement.

Kalen Island. Sept. 28, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase the following tract of land situated on Kal-en Island. commencing at a post marked "F. Parker's S. W. Corner," thence running east 80 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence 20 chains to point of commencement, containing an area of 160 acres more or less.

F. PARKER Kai-en Island, Sept. 27. 1903. Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Commissioner of Crown Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres more or less of pastoral and agricultural land, as hereinafter described. Commencing at a post driven in south bank of Buckley river at N. W. corner of land staked by one Albert Freeman, running thence southwest along said Freeman claim 80 chains, thence about N. W. 20 chains, thence back to Buckley river, thence up said river to initial post.

Dated October 24, 1903. H. KIDD. Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Com-missioner of Crown Lands and Works for sion to purchase 160 acres more or ess of pastoral and agricultural land, as hereinafter described. Commencing at a post driven in south bank of Buckley river post driven in south bank of Buckiey river at N. W. corner of land staked by one R. H. Kidd, running thence S. W. along said Kidd's claim 80 chains, thence about N. W. 20 chains, thence back to Buckley river, thence up said river to initial nost.

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Dated October 24, 1903. Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Chlef Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted north of the Indian Reserve on the east shore of Port Harvey, Coast District, thence south sixty chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west to the shore, thence south along the shore to point of commencement, excluding the Leith Reserved. ient, excluding the Indian R Victoria, B. C., 21st November, 1903.

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November 7th. 1903. R. H. POOLEY.

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November 7th, 1903. OR. J COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE

T. E. POOLEY.

James Vlocek, who, a few days ago, choked his wife to death, strangled himself in his cell at the county jail today, with a hand-kerchief tightly knotted about his throat. Physicians had reported that he was shamming insanity. It is now believed that insanity was not feigned, but that Vlocek killed his wife afterbeing driven slowly crazy by the woman's alleged drinking the country of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say it had been sworn to.—Times, July 13, 186.

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with emphasis on the modification of his testimony before the council at Rennes,

M. Gribelin then swore that Dreyfus was guilty, while the modification of his testimony now indicates that the alleged treason was committed by Col. Henry, who was at the time chief of the intelligence department of the ministry of war.

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Well Known Steamer Grounded and Has Since Been Broken Up.

Cruiser Squadron Sets Sell And Will Remain Abroad Until April.

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BRAVE RESCUERS' PERIL.

to his lordship's discretion to retain what was relevant.

This was agreeable to his lordship.
J. P. Taylor called by E. P. Davis, K. C., testified as to a rebate on coal allowed him by Alexander Dunsmuir. Witness saw Mr. Dunsmuir in Dunsmuir isons' office shortly before his marriage. The rebate amounted to \$1,700, about 25 cents per ton. The office had allowed the claim, but Alexander Dunsmuir had to sanction the rebate. This was accordingly ordered by Mr. Dunsmuir.

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Witness was here in July last and

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Ottawa Field Battery First on General Efficiency List For the Dominion.

Mr. Holmes is a popular caterer to the Victoria public, and is determined to use all proper fine Christmas trade.

LANCASTER CLOTHING STORE. One of the most attractive clothing which it has entered.

May afternoon was the last time that he had consulted with counsel regarding evidence to be put in. Witness thought of the matter after giving evidence yesterday.

Steel Commission Goes to Europe.—An Embargo on fine matter after giving evidence yesterday. "Physical Culture."

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Further Particulars of the Dissertation was regarding the mariage. His manner was that of a perfect genleman. Witness never saw Alexander Dunsmuir drunk; on the day of the lunch witness saw him drink nothing. Witness could not speak concerning his memory as the conversations between them could not be any test. Witness had a conversation with Alexander Dunsmuir regarding the purchase of a property for Mrs. Wallace. The San Leandro property was first seen in November, 1888. Witness and ber husband directed Alexander Dunsmuir's attention to the property.

Witness had a sonversation with Mrs. Wallace at the Grand hotel. The conversation with Mrs. Wallace at the Grand hotel. The conversation with Mrs. Hopper was named part heir, and Alexander Dunsmuir was named part heir, and Alexander Dunsmuir told all present, who were witness herself, Lawyer Boyd and Capt. The mount of Alexander Dunsmuir was perfectly sober. The conversation of Alexander Dunsmuir was perfectly sober. The conversation of Alexander Dunsmuir was signed after dinner. Ale

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Witness was sure of this.

The party were at the depot for quite at the opening of the Supreme court session yesterday morning in the cuse of Hopper vs. Dummir, Sir Charles in Hibbert Tupper, K. C., addressed his lordship, Mr. Justice Drake, regarding the new issue raised by the defendant's to make the statement of claim made by Mrs. Joan Oive Dunsmuit was prepared with no idea of such an issue coming up. He wished it struck out. It this issue was to be introduced at might be done in the usual way, and the opportant of the directuratances.

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train, which had passed Laurel Run not more than fifteen minutes before the ill-fated passenger train. The wreck occurred on a curve and it was impossible for Engineer Thornley to see far enough ahead to stop.

LIBERAL NOMINATED. Hamilton, Dec. 23 .- W. O. Sealy, of this city, was nominated by the Liberals yesterday for the House of Commons at the next general elections.

FATAL COLLISION. Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 23.-A collithe Louisville & Nashville railroad is reported to have occurred near New-castle, Ala., twenty miles from Birming-Engineer Wright was killed and

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