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# WORKMEN REPLY TO PREMIER WITTE

THE LEADERS HAVE

Renew Demand For a Popular Government-Peasants on March Are Burning and Pillaging.

(Associated Press.)

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17 .- 2 p.m .- The outlook for an early collapse of the strike is more gloomy to-day. The situation is is more gloomy to-day. The situation is distinctly more menacing. The council of workmen's delegates, or strike committee, are manifestly encouraged by the extension of the strike in St. Petersburgent warlous organizations, including the bank clerks, telephone girls and some of the professional leagues, have voted to join the movement. Moreover, it is certain that the workmen's council have received mysterious.

The arena was packed with Americans, as few of whom had never seen a builtight, and for a time the situation was critical. Many men russhed from the sickening sight in herror, while the wickening sight in herror, while the w

Supplies of Funds. and consequently they present a bolder

Practically all the pretexts based of the eight-hour day figureing in the ora workmen who have no thought except improvement in their material condition The workmen's council returned a scorn-

ful reply to Count Witte's personal-appeal to his "brother workmen," ridicul ing the government's profession of solici

ing the governments procession and renewing their demands for the immediate abolition of imartial law in Poland, etc.

Caunt Witte's attempt to negotiate directly with the strike leaders has come to naught, although he offered concessions in the case of the Kronstadt muticers in the great of their being coned to death, but the

Leaders Refused

The imperial ukuse on the land question issued to-day, although it wipes out about \$40,000,000 of the peasant's arrearages of debt, which, under ordinary circumstances, might have been received with joy, is another disappointment. The promises of additional lands are too vague to caim the agitated, starying peasants, who in the valley of the Pon and Volga are again marching, pillaging, burning and murdering.

No confirmation has been obtained of yesterday's report of a false Emperor leading the peasants of Penda.

The mill and factory owners at a meet-to the throne, died at 11.30 o'clock this morning. Death was due to inflammation of the lungs. The Count was born in 1837.

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The mill and factory owners at a meeting just held, while offering to make

some concessions in the matter of hours of labor, generally to ten hour, took a Final Decision that unless the men resumed work on

"Count Witte appeals to us to be com-

give Poland into the annus of the limit ary executioners. The council does not doubt Count Witte will do all possible to strangle the revolutionary proletariat. "Count Witte calls himself a man who is benevolent towards and wishes our good. The council declares the working classes has no need of the benevolenge of a court favorite, but demands a popular exprenement on the basis of universal, discoverance of the same of the country of the same of the country of the same of the country of the covernment on the basis of universal, direct and secret suffrage."

Is Not Refusing Securities.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17.-12.50 p.m.-he manager of the local branch of the The manager of the local branch of the Credit Lyonaiis denies the report that the bank is refusing to accept Russian securities as collateral. On account of the unsettled condition and the heavy falling off in prices on the bourse, however, the bank insists upon larger margins.

HORSE FOR EARL GREY.

(Associated Press,)

Regina, Nov. 16.—A remarkable tribute to stock raised in the West is paid by His Excellency the Governor-General in the selection of a saddle horse for perturbation of the selection of a saddle horse for perturbation of the selection of a saddle horse for perturbation of the selection of the se finest mounts of the R, N, W, M, as selected and sent to him this

PANIC AT BULL FIGHT.

Matadors Were Injured-Number of Women Carried Out Unconscious.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 17 .- At the bull fight at Ciudad Juarez yesterday, there INCREASE OF DEPOSITS was a panic when Felix Robert, the REFUSED ALL COMPROMISE French matador who claims to be the only matador of that nationality, was tossed in the air and carried from the rena bruised and bleeding. Later the same bull, a ferocious beast from the ranch of General Louis Terras, governor of Chihuahua, made a run and plunged

Francisco Aletzio Piquiro, tossing him into the air first, then dragging him about the ring, blood strenging from the wounds in the man's body. The spectators sickened at the sight and women fainted and screamed to be carried out.

The arean was packed with Americans, a few of whom had never seen a builties.

# DEATH OF THE COURT OF FLANDERS

WAS BROTHER OF KING LEOPOLD OF BELGIUM

Prince Albert, a Popular Member of

Lenders Refused

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Were Stolen From an Express Company in

Will Meet in Los Angeles if the Easterner

(Associated Press.)

Los Angeles, Nov. 17.-Manager McCarey, of the Pacific Coast Athletic Club, of Los

THE EMPEROR OF JAPAN.

(Associated Press.)

Calgary, Nov. 16.—Sheriff Borland, of

The British Medical Journal asserts that men's nicks are longer than they used to be.

# DEVELOPMENT OF CANADIAN BANKS

DURING RECENT YEARS

Figures Showing Remarkable Growth of Business Evidence of Prosperity of the Country.

Ottawa, Nov. 11.—We often bear great praise bestowed upon Canada's banking system, and when one looks at the development of business during the last two or three decades one cannot but feel

Iwo or three decades one cannot but feel that the praise is fully merited. The Statistical Year Book not only gives very surprising figures in regard to the development of basiness, but also gives facts that show that the government is watchful of the interests of the people in regard to the banking laws.

Looking back into the history of commerce one repeatedly sees how great commercial development has been retarded, in many cases absolutely destroyed, by careless banking speculation, leading to the closing of their doors by insolvent banks. A careful study of Canada's system will convince the student that

banks. A careful study of Canada system will convince the student toat there is no need of apprehension on such an account in Canada.

In 1881 the paid up capital of the chartered banks of Canada was \$59,534,977, which in 1896 had grown to \$62,043,173, being an increase of \$2,590,000 in the sixteen years; but in 1904 the paid up capital had amounted to \$79,234,191, an increase in circle years of \$17,200,000; rease in eight years of \$17,200,000; is means that in half the time under

Paid Up Capital

of the banks had increased nearly seven and one haif times as much as it did in the Conservative regime.

Now an increase in paid up capital may or may not be index of the country's prosperity. If the increase is due merely to the speculative formation of new hanks, for which there is no demand in an increased amount of business transit.

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In a conservative regime Monday they must close down indefinite the first of the control of the Canadian banks were on the 31st of December last. There were \$11.578 to December last. There were solution and provincial security and there was \$11.578 to December last. There were \$11.578 to Decemb

what kind. During the present week employees in several different departments shows that the value of the assets is great as regards security to their life insurance.

Turning to the liabilities, it is seen that great as regards security to the punct.
Turning to the liabilities, it is seen that whilst in 1881 they were 63.39 per cent, of the assets, in 1896 they were 72.39 per cent, and in 1904 they were 72.67; but the increase of the liabilities of a bunk should be due to two principal, causes, both of which show public confidence in the soundness of the liabilities. On the one is the amount of none deposited by the people with the bank. In 1881 the liabilities of the hanks were \$200,613,679, of which \$28,516,692 was note circulation and \$94,346,481 money placed on deposit by the people. In 1896 the liabilities were \$232,338,086, the circulation \$31,456,297 and the amount of deposits \$193,616,049. Thus, in the sixteen years the circulation had increased 41 per cent, and the deposits 125 per cent. In 1904 the liabilities were \$554,014,076, of which the circulation was \$61,769,888 and the deposits \$470,215,744. These last figures, a change made in the law in

Tokio. Nov. 17.—The Emperor will worship to-day in the innermost court of the Temple of Ise. The occasion is a rarg one, and owing to its importance a universal holiday has been proclaimed. Even the convicts in the penitentaries have been given a rest.

ACCUSED-OF FRAID.

Sheriff of Oklahoma is Arranging For Extradition of C. E. Walker.

in the banks, but the use of the money

making a dividend for the shareholder. The circulation formed 10.84 per cent, of the liabilities of the banks on the 31st of December last, and the deposits \$3.47, the remaining 5.69 per cent, being made up of amounts due the Dominion and provincial governments and other liabilities.

VICTORIA, B. C., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1905

and provincial governments and other liabilities.

The capital, the deposits and the rest or reserve fund form the amount upon which the bank can carry on its business, and it is a very satisfactory point that during the twenty years from 1884 to 1904 the reserve funds increased \$33.933,142, or 187 per cent. As the returns for this item are imperfect the figures are not given for the various periods, but at the 31st of last December the rest amounted to \$54,071,656.

Whilst these figures tend to show the vast growth of Canadian commerce during the past eight, years, they do not fully convey the impression that would be made could perfect clearing houses serve to register the amounts passing through

Recent Introduction Recent Introduction
in Canada. The first was established in
Halifax in 1887. Montreal following in
1889 and Toronto in 1891 but there are
only eleven such establishments in Canma at the present time, and these do not
by any means represent the whole of
the transactions of the Dominion. In
these eleven, however, in the three years
for which there are returns of them all
there has been an increase in business
the first was clearly an infraction of the regulations.
Capt. Anderson declared that traps destreved small fish which ran with the

In addition to the \$61.760.888 notes of chartered banks in circulation on 31st of December last, there was an amount of \$43,365.837 in circulation of Dominion notes. This latter amount is nearly twice that of the Dominion notes in circulation is 1806.

George C. Gibbons, K. C., of London, has been appointed chairman of the Canadian section of the international waterways commission, in place of J. P. Mabee, who has been appointed to the Ontario High court. Mr. Gibbons on several occasions has refused a Judgeship, and also declined the chairmanship of the waterways.

CASTRO'S ATTITUDE.

Declares the Answer of France Is a Velled

(Associated Press.)

BRIDGE PLANT DESTROYED.

Associated Press.

Martins Ferry, O., Nov. 17.—The Riverside Bridge Company's plant was burned early to-day. The loss will exceed \$200,000. All the buildings, which were iron and steel and regarded as fire-proof, were completely destroyed. The cause of the fire has not been ascertained.

pays the depositor a small rate of interest on the deposit for the time during the which it is in its care, it lends the amount out on longer or shorter leans at a proportionately greater interest, thus day. He was born in 1827

ACCUSED OF EMPLOYING AMERICAN FISHERMEN

Number of Witnesses Were Examined by the Commission in the Terminal City.

Vancouver, Nov. 17 .- At yesterday afternoon's sitting of the fisheries commission, the chief feature was the charge made that the Fraser river canners vio

there has been an increase in business of \$200,000,000. Last year the total amount which changed hands in these aleven clearing houses was \$2,735,744. large ones. He asked that the opening local fishermen should be given the privi-

twice that of the Dominion notes in circulation in 1896.
From the above it will be evident that the prosperity of the country is built upon sure and lasting foundations, and that it will increase more and more under wise and prudent government.

EXPORT TRADE

OF PAST MONTH

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up their residence in Victoria, B. C. He leaves to mourn his loss a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wollasion, jr., the former being manager of Wilson Bros.' wholesale grocery establishment. Miss Wollaston. As already stated he was educated at the local public schools and afferwards became identified with an afferwards became identified with the Tolkio, secretary of the cegation, will be good enough to do so in a few days, when I will not only refute this statement of Mr. Argue's, but will deal generally with what people are pleased to was educated at the local public schools for America. During his absence Hunting, and afferwards became identified with the Tolkio, secretary of the cegation, will be good enough to do so in a few days, when I will not only refute this statement of Mr. Argue's, but will deal generally with what people are pleased to a Misson, secretary of the cegation, will be good enough to do so in a few days, when I will not only refute this statement of Mr. Argue's, but will deal generally with what people are pleased to a Misson, secretary of the cegation, will be good enough to do so in a few days.

goods department. This he occupied for about five years, when he was chosen as the company's travelling representative in British Columbia. For about two and a half years he covered all western points, visiting the Kootenays and the Roundary country, the west coast of Vancouver Island, and northern British Columbia ports at regular intervals. It Columbia ports at regular intervals. It was while engaged in this that he was taken ill with the fever to which he succumbed.

cumbed.

As a member of the James Bay Athletic Association of over seven years' standing, Mr. Wollaston was prominent in the coursels of that organization. He also took quite an interest in athletics of various kinds, but rowing was his favorite pastime. More recently the stress of business prevented him taking an active part, but in 1901, and previous to that time, there was no more enthusiastic or promising oarsman than Mr. Wollaston. In the summer of the year mentioned he was given a position in the junior J. B. A. A. four to compete in the N. P. A. A. regatta, which event, it will be remembered, took place at Shawnigan lake.

IS MAKING ROUNDS ON BOARD THE KESTRAL

Will Pay Visit to the West Coast-Aids to Navigation Recommended.

Before his departure north he was presented with a list of necessary aids to navigation, prepared by the Vancouver Shipowners' Association, and represent-ing in the optimon of that body, the im-provements necessary on this coast.

Besides the recommendations contained in the memorial, the shipmasters have added a provision that in case Tuck's intellet is chosen as the terminus of the G. T. P. the following leading lights be

Light and fog signal on Queen Charlight and log signal on Queen than ofte group; light and fog signal on Hammer rocks. Besides these there will be minor lights recommended.

The following is the recommendation of the light and the signal of the s

The following is the recommendation placed in Inspector Fraser's hands: Light and fog signal on Lucy island, Six-asian saunch a bibly correctly and six and the six of the six and the six of the six

Succumbed to great This Morning at Jubilee Rospital.

Barly this morning Kennich J. Walson, an accordingly well known and anyone the Provincial Royal Buble hospital, the point of the Provincial Royal Buble hospital Royal R

THE TRUSTEES WILL SEEK ELECTION AGAIN

Are Not Afraid of South Park School Issue-Examiner Blair's

the four trustees whose terms will ex-pire at the end of the year will offer bake.

During his association with young men of Victoria who congregate at the J. B.

A. A. rooms he made himself popular by his unfalling good humor and the zest and keen enjoyment with which he entered into the different sports. His demise will be deplored and the sympathy are face of prominence to which the matter of the recent action of the board in dismissing the principal of South Park scholo some, at least, of field. They feel now, however, that an issue has been raised, and that it would never do to withdraw in the field recent action of the board in dismissing the principal of South Park scholo some, at least, of field recent action of the board in dismissing the principal of South Park scholo some, at least, of field recent action of the board in dismissing the principal of South Park scholo some, at least, of field recent action of the board in dismissing the principal of South Park scholo some, at least, of field recent action of the board in dismissing the principal of South Park scholo some, at least, of field recent action of the board in dismissing the principal of South Park scholo some, at least, of field recent action of the board in dismissing the principal of South Park scholo some, at least, of field recent action of the board in dismissing the principal of South Park scholo some, at least, of field recent action of the board in dismission actions. of all extended the parents and relatives ter is likely to attain. Chairman in their sore bereavement.

The funeral has been arranged to take place on Sanday at 3 o'clock from Christ Church cathedral.

Christ Church cathedral.

Eoggs yesterday afternoon told Times reporter that he had intended to retire altogether at the end of this term, but in view of recent events he had determined to enter the lists against the control of the control

again.

38 Trustee Mowat will also have his fing flying at the mast head. He said that with him it was not a question of fighting the case at all, that he merely acted in accordance with what he thought was right, and was willing to stand by his action. Mrs. Jenkins was not certain whether she would run again, as this matter of lady candidature rests learney in the hands of the said of t again, as this matter of lady candoa-ture rests largely in the hands of the Women's Council, but she thought she would very likely be selected. Trustee Lewis could not be communicated with this morning so his decision is a

David Blair, the examiner, on draw David Blair, the examiner, on drawing has written to the Vancouver News-Advertiser expressing surprise in the lentent manner in which the school board dealt with Mr. Tom who, he said, had made the admission that some of the drawings by his pupils had been ruled. As the subject bids fair to be a lively one, the letter is

here published in full: To the Editor of the News-Advertiser: Sir:-I was somewhat surprised at the manner in which the board of school trus-

manner in which the board of school frus-tees of this city at their meeting last Fri-day dealt with the question of the drawing books sent in by Mr. Tom's pupils at the recent High school entrance examination. The action of the school board must strike any observant person as unbusiness-like. They had not even seen the books condemned by the board of examiners; they had heard only Mr. Tom's side of the question, and yet, in face of the fact that



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e most important feature of vester-

day's development was the failure of the walkout to spread generally outside

CASTRO FAILED TO PAY.

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ADVISES THEM TO RETURN TO EMPLOYMENT

Says the Labor Question is Receiving Special Attention-False Emperor Has Made His Appearance. The whole great network of railways centreing in Moscow, except the St. Petersburg line, is still in operation.

At Reval the employees of the railway shops struck to day, but the reasons for the strike are not known.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 16, 4.20 p.m.—A panic prevails on the bourse to-day as the result of a rumor that the Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholavich, commander of the Imperial Guards, had been appointed military dictator. There was a stampede of holders of industrial stocks, who has tened to unload. Government lotteries feil 25 points to 400, and imperial found dropped to \$31\frac{1}{2}\trace{1}{2}\trace{1}\tracee{1}\trace{1}\trace{1}\trace{1}\trace{1}\tracee{1}\tracee{1}\trac

birsk.

Penza is in the heart of the vast region extending westward from the Volga, where agrarian uprisings on a large sgale have occurred, and if the report turns out to be true, that the pretender to the throne has placed himself at the head of the peasantry, the government will soon face; besides the other troubles, a formidable agrarian rebellion.

The Strike Situation,

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17, 2.35 a.m.—Although the industrial fie-up in St. Petersburg yesterday was even more complete than it was Wednesday, and though no break has been manifested in the ranks of the workmen, and strikes the workmen, and strikes out at Moscow and Reval,



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Decision of Directors - Farmer Killed by Accidental Discharge of Gan

Fatality in Power House

Toronto, Nov. 15.—The directors of the War Eagle and Centre Star have decided on an amalgamation. They have decided to sell the War Eagle stock to the Centre Star at the ratio of the shares of the Centre Star at the ratio of the shares of the Centre Star for fifteen of the War Eagle. There will be a general, meeting on November 23rd to sanction the deal. For some time the Gooderhams and allied interests have owned a large part of both properties. The Centre Star of the Gooderhams and allied interests have owned a large part of both properties. The Centre Star of Star have dever, and several fortunes were made and lost in its flotation.

Farmier's Death.

Hamiota, Man., Nov. 16.—Robert Gray, a young farmer accidentally was shot while taking a gun from, a buggy. His head almost was blown off.

Minister's Advice.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—The directors of the War Eagle and Centre Star have decided on an amalgamation, They agree that it would permit of a more profitable werking of the War Eagle stock to the Centre Star for fifteen of the War Eagle. The residual was planting to the street. President Gompers rapped bouldy for order and the delegates became caim. The fire was quickly extinguished by the janitor.

Miss Mary E. McDowell, president of the Womens Trade Union League, and Miss Gertrude Barnam, secretary, both of Chicago, akhressed the convention at the afternoon session. Both the wonen made an earnest plea for the adoption of a resolution requesting that congress make an appropriation to investigate the conditions among women workers. The resolution requesting that congress make an appropriation to investigate the conditions among women workers. The resolution requesting th

Minister's Advice.

growers, he said, must adopt co-operation methods and give more attention to selection, grading, packing and marketing of their fruit if they hoped to extend their markets or even hold.

the walkout to spread generally outside the capital.

The movement apparently lacks the spontaniety and contagiousness of the last great strike, which broke out at Moscow, and dispatches received from the industrial centres of Russias up to this hour show little inclination on the part of the workmen to take up the cudgels in behalf of Poland.

The factory strike at Moscow, which Instantly Killed.

Winnipeg. Nov. 16.—H. Landers, electrical foreman in power house at the C. P. R. shops, was instantly killed this morning. The stationary engineer did not adjust the engine properly, and it attained great velocity, resulting in bursting the fly-wheel. He was for three years a resident of this suit against the Mercantile Trust Company, and that it was settled the same as suita brought to bear in the settlement of resulting in bursting the fly-wheel. He was for three years a resident of this city, and was formerly of Lorain, Ohio.

Interviewed Premier.

Edmonton, N. W. T., Nov. 16.—A delegation of prominent clergymen of various demoniporations beared by R... The factory strike at Moscow, which has assumed considerable proportions, probably 45,000 men being out, has no direct connection with the St. Petersburg walkout, and dispatches from the railway companies state that the men received the request from the St. Petersburg committee to-day.

Edmonton, N. W. T., Nov. 16.—A elegation of prominent clergymen of various denominations headed by Rev. various denominations headed by Rev. Dr. McDougall waited on Premier Rutherford to ascertain the attitude of the new government regarding the liquor traffic. They urged the abolition of the bar, and favored government operation of places for the sale of intoxicants. They were assured of careful consideration of the representations. tations

Will Be Investigated. Halifax, Nov. 16 .- A headless cornse

found at Round Island Glace Hay, C. B., a short stime ago and burled, is to be exhumed and a postmortem held as it is thought the man may have Liabilities One Million.

siderable amount collected by have not yet been turned in. I

not known to be in any difficulties financially or otherwise. Seven Years' Imprisonment.

Hamilton, Nov. 16.—T. Hillhouse Brown, manager of the local branch of the Bank of Hamilton, who was ar-rested on a charge of embezzling the bank's funds, pleaded guilty this morning and was sentenced to seven

years in Kingston penitentiary.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

Financial Statement Shows Improve-ment—The Saskatchewan Elections.

and in the Dumley arbitration covered damages sustained by French citizens in two Yenesucia during revolutionary peral, led arbitration covered damages sustained by French citizens in two Yenesucia during revolutionary peral, led arbitration committee, which met at Northfield, Vt., was president of the arbitration committee, which met at Northfield last year. The fudyment was in favor, of France, which was awarded about \$650,000, and President Castro paid, the first installment of the award three months, ago.

The second payment was due yesterday, but was not paid. Apparently the Venezucian president's failure to the installment was on Ottawa, Nov. 16.—The first quarter of the fiscal year shows the intercolonial railway to be improving. In three months the deficit in the earnings when

of the arbitration committee, which met at Northfield last year. The judsment was in favor, of France, which was awarded about \$55,000, and President Castro paid the first installment of the award three months ago. The second payment was due yesterday, but was not paid. Apparently the Venezuelan president's failure to pay the installment was on the ground that diplomatic relations between France and Venezuela are interrupted. The incident is considered to be a further provocation.

Having penetrated a hundred miles into Thibet, an Australian prospector has had the control of the proposition of the committee of the present central depot. The land for this purpose will be leased from the government on the local coverlooking Major Hill park, Ottawa river and the Laurentiau mountains caunot be excelled.

Elections in December.

It is said that the elections in Saskatchewan will take place early in December, probably on Taursday, the 14th.

Having penetrated a hundred miles into Diffeer Appointed.

Thibet, an Australian prospector has had to return owing to the refusal of the natitives to supply him with food. He reports that there is much copper in the land, but there is much copper in the land, but wery little gol.

Cember, probably on runrant.

Officer Appointed.

Major and Brevet Lt.-Col. W. G. Grandidate received none. Socialist candidate received none. There are three varieties of clony black and green—which come from I tius, Madagascar and Ceylon.

FEDERATION OF LABOR

EAGLE AND CENTRE STAR Visiting Delegate Tells of Spread of

adopted. W. V. Todd, of Toronto, also address-

Toronto, Nov. 16.—Speaking at the Ontario Pruit Growers' Association meeting last night. Hon. Sydney Fisher said it was highly important for Ontario to profit by the examples of California and British Columbia furit growers. Ontario farmers and growers, he stid, must adopt co-operation methods and give more attention to selection, grading, packing and marketing of their fruit if they hoped to extend their markets or even hold their own.

Daring Robberles.

gether the funds in New York state, except in the last year.

Justice Ransome, of the state Supreme court, representing George H. Squire, was called, and when he explained that Mr. Squires was very ill, it was arranged that Mr. Squires deposition should be taken; and Senator Depew was then examined with regard to his syndicate participations and his duty as coincillor of

Quebec, Nov. 16.—The Bank of Morror rought up said exact the said exact to the amount to a million wages for etterment ava, Riales condisorders an anti
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dispatch of a mount to a million follars and four hundred employees paid off.

R. H. Morris Dead

Montreal, Nov. 16.—R. H. Morris, and the general baggage agent of the Canadian Pacific railroad, died in the general hospital this morning. His death was collared was to compensions to large for the particular of the Paris police fore, has mysterious Disappearance.

Brantford, Nov. 16.—Chief MacFarisons to large for the year in the names of cierks of the year in the attention of the Paris police fore, has mysteriously disappearance.

Brantford, Nov. 16.—Chief MacFarisons to large landowners used to send selected to keep down the cash balance. No collateral was held by the Equitable.

The committee adjourned until to morrow.

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HAS DISAPPEARED.

Man, Indicted For Illegal Voting in New York Fails to Appear in Court.

York Fails to Appear in Court.

New York, Nov. 16.—Something of a sensation was created in Justice. Davis' branch of the Supreme court to-day when John Grup, indicet for allegal voting in the recent municipal election, failed to appear for pleading and his, attorneys expressed ignorance as to his whereabout. Earlier in the day Krup's release had been secured on a \$5,000 cash bond. The bond was forfeited.

State Attorney-General Meyer, who was in court, was indignant at the turn of affairs. To-night the attorney-general made public this statement: "Every effort will be made to ascertain who put up the \$5,000 bail and who employed counsel to defend Krup. The failure of Krup to appear in court was as flagrant a defiance of law as I ever heard of."

The investigation of the taily, sheet of the twelfth election district of the second assembly district showed that 57 votes had been cast for William T. Jérôme, whereas he had not been credited with a single vote from this district in the election returns. The board had decided not to include the Jerôme votes in the canvass, but his attorney requested that the office of district attorney be included, and secured an order from the Supreme court to show cause to-morrow why this should not be done. A surprising mistake was found in the nineteenth election district of the second to-morrow why this should not be done. A surprising mistake was found in the ninetrenth election district of the second assembly district. The inspectors' returns in this district had credited no votes to Ford, the Municipal Ownership League candidate for comptroller; while Cavanught, the Socialist candidate, received 62 votes. The tally sheet showed that Ford should have received the 62 ballots credited to Cavanught, while the Socialist candidate received one.

Only a Few Feet of Water Now Where Ships Once Floated.

According to S. Stewart of the Indian department, who went on a treaty-making trip to the Indians north of the height of land in Ontario he, was greatly disappointed in James Bay, which was reached by descending the Albany river. He thought that he would see a large body of salt water, navigable for large vessels almost to the shore, but instead he found a stretch so shallow that he believed if he had gone out in a cance for twenty-five miles he could have waded into shore. The bay was being rapidly filled up with large quantities of clay annually carried into it by the swift flowing rivers. The factor at Moose Factory told him that fifty years ago ocean-going vessels called at that place; now the hearest they could get was Charlton Island, 125 miles distant.

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DOMINION BILLS CIRCULATION. rmous Increase in Government Notes in Use in Ten Years.

A test of Canada's prosperity is the amount of Dominion notes in circula-tion, and particularly bills of smaller denominations. At the end of last September the Dominion note circula-tion reached the enormous total of \$50,610,551. one else that the Mercantile 110s be taken against the Mercantile 110s be taken against the Mercantile 110s be taken against the Mercantile 110s combassador to France. This was at the request of William H. McIntyre, one of the vice-presidents of the Equitable. Mr. Odell said he never had solicited political collections, but possibly some moneys might have come to him through the national committee or Senator T. C. Platt, as the latter had always gathered, together the funds in New York state, gether the funds in New York state, some in the last year.

Sociolo31, as against \$24,608,876 in September, 1897, which was a little over a year after the Laurier government took office. In the eight years which have clapsed the note circulation has the rate of 105 per cent. By the end of October last there were in circulation Dominion notes to the amount of over \$52,000,000, a still better showing. The number of one and two dollar Dominion notes in circulation is an unfalling that times are prosperous. number of one and two dollar Dominion notes in circulation is an unfalling
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# STRONG ARGUMENT

# RIVER FISHING

FURTHER EVIDENCE BEFORE COMMISSION

Conclusion of Sitting at New Westminster Many Gave Their Views Respecting Regulations.

The taking of evidence by the fishery commission at New Westminster was completed on Wednesday. A number of farmers who also engaged in fishing during the run of the saimon gave evidence supplementing that given the day previous

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For 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Saturday.
Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong southerly winds or gales, unsettled and colder, with rain or sleet.

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eamer Georgia, stated that it was evident that the fishing on the river was excessive. The close season was generally well observed. There were four entrances or mouths to the river, and there were some 15 miles of sandheads over which the fish could get through to the river. He would not say they did not come over the sandheads though He had seen a good deal of the traps off Point Roberts, and could say that although they made a show of observing a close season, it was merely a farce owing to the system they adopted of closing the traps. He had seen a large number of small, immature fish in the pot of the traps. At Mr. Todd's trap off Victoria he had examined a number of the small fish found in the traps, and had come to the conclusion that they were chiefly me fish.

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As regards the fisheries' officers not doing their duty, he might say that during the season he had travelled on an average seven to twelve hundred miles a mouth in the fisheries patrols. Many cases fishermen reported proved to be foundariouless upon investigation. The Vancouver News Advertiser, in the ourse of its report of the proceedings, lives the following:

foundationless upon investigation. Of the 31 cases he had had this year 18 were Japanese, five white men and the rest Indians. In every case he had so

Last Evening at Board of Trade Rooms,

evening the regular meeting of the directors of the Provincial Rayal Jubi-48; minimum, 48; wind, caim; rain, d21 magistrate has the power folicy in this court certain indictable offences or crimes of greater shormity.

New Westminster—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 6 miles 8. E.; weather shorming feature, consist of their nutrities of practice, or in the nutrities of the particular group of cases which in the nutrities fruits and the fisher men of contract all effects of the personal contract to take up a homestead atong the charge to take up a homestead atong the frage to take up a homestead atong the properties. There was a good deal of the waste of fish. Fishermen on contract with canners were limited to 200 fish personal contract to take up a homestead atong the frage to take up a homestead atong the greater to take up a homestead atong the charge to take up a homestead atong the greater to



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It is said Liberals of to-day by their political methods are bringing dishonor upon the revered names of Alexander Mackenzie and George Brown. The decadence of Liberalism is therefore men prominent in public life in light the facts of the Pacific

causing deep concern to the organs of the one party which is not decadent, but virile and strong as it was in the but virile and strong as it was in the days when Sir John Macdonaid and his followers could see nothing to admire, but much to execrate, in the works of Mackenzie and Erown, During the Course of their settlements and Erown, During the Park school? Miss Cameron was been and course of their active political careers brought up in this city, the has no men prominent in public life in cipal of this school since it was Canada were ever subject to such personal abuse as were the two men who were the most prominent in bringing Scandal. They were accused of all some cases she has taught every manner of offences, even of rebbing the treasury through the medium of contractors for their own personal benefit. The most reckless and, in the light of subsequent events, absolutely unfounded allegations, were brought against the form of the purpose of suiting school beards, supering against them forms the first purpose of suiting school beards, supering the first purpose of suiting school beards and often only purpose of them. unfounded allegations, were brought against them from every quarter in which outraged Toryism had been assailed and exposed. The remnants of the Family Compact in Tory Toronto, the one city in Canada which has proved deaf to reason and blind to the logic of facts and therefore still adheres to the false political gods set up heres to the false political gods set up by its founders—the Toronto Tories of by its founders—the Toronto Tories of the days of Brown had none of the admiration of their successors of the present day for the man who exposed present day for the man who exposed the rottenness of their system and their selfishness in "manipulating the departments of state for their own personal aggrandizement. They incitpersonal aggrandizement. They incited the populace against the reformer who denounced their greed and laid the axe to the root of their own peculiar system of graft. George own was never regarded as a he by his contemporary Tories. He and newspaper office were often threatened with the vengeance of the mob. But these men are gone. They are models now of Grit virtue, and a communicement of work on the B. C. Sreat wail ascends because their suc-

that the Liberals of to-day are, on the whole, assailed with less violence recklessness and untruthfulness than were Mackenzie and Brown thirty or forty years ago. Canada is broader; the papers had been sigged, however, it intelligence is deeper amongst the people owing to more general education.

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We are told that possibly if a Conwe are told that possibly if a Conservative government had been in power at Ottawa Conservative administrations would key's been established at Regina and Edmonton. But if Mackenzie and Brown had been forces in the councils of the Liberal party no instructions would have been given Lieut. Governors as to whether Grits or Toties should have been galled in to form the first governments of the new provinces. Of course not. The representatives would have been left to form unbiaseed judgments as to the leaders most likely to form administrations that would command the connidence of the people. In the case of Alberta the Lieut.-Governor seems to have chosen wisely. His choice has been endorsed by an overwhelming that the construction of the new building or in carrying through the construction of the new building or in carrying through the construction of the new building or in carrying through the new building or in carrying through the count of the section of the new building or in carrying through the count of the section of the new building or in carrying through the count of the section of the new building or in carrying through the count of the section of the new building or in carrying through the count of the section of the new building or in carrying through the count of the support of the count of the section of the been endorsed by an overwhelming majority. There has evidently been no violence done the constitution in the case of Alberta. Brown and Mackenalways stood for the rights of the of Vanc people to govern themselves. Invasnunciations. Their denunciations in turn excited the wrath of the classes who believed the people ought to be governed in the interest of the privileged classes who laid the foundations of Toryism in Canada. Is it not evident that the fathers of Liberalism would view with distinct approval the course that has been pursued in Alberta?

But then there is Saskatchewan. Why have the elections not been brought on there? Why has the federal government, which professes to represent Liberal principles as embodied in the lives of Menalino, in the lease of Manalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalino; E. Carter-Cotton and B. W. Greer, of Vancouver; W. M. Rose, of Seat-lite, in the lives of Menalin ions of those rights excited their de-

represent Liberal principles as emrepresent Liberal principles as em-bodied in the lives of Macpenzie and Brown, not ordered the elections in Saskatchawan to be because as The Saskatchewan to be brought on? They non. should have been held at the same time as the elections in Alberta. No good reason, we are told, can be given why they were not so held. We are surprised that a party which has receivity become imbued with such deep S. G. Kerkes, assistant general passenger agent of the Great Northern at Seattle, should have been held at the same concern for the autonomy of the provinces should advance such a proposition as that. The government of Alberta immediately it was formed became as independent within its sphere as the government of British Columbia is to-day. The federal authorities might just as reasonably and the Rossiand Star, was in the verno while in Vetoria.

J. Wayland Clark, of Bellingham, and John Prentice, the Vancouver commercial man, are staying at the King Edward. Columbia is to-day. The federal authorities might just as reasonably be called upon to order Premier Mc-Bride to ascertain the political sentiments of the people of this province as to order Premier Scott to bring on the elections in Saskatchewan in order Mrs. Morrison, of Seatile, is at the St. Francis that his political status in the province | Francis

Columbia could not be ordered with more justification, because Premier McBride has never had an effective working majority, and great evil has overtaken the province as a result of his determination to concede everything to factions rather than yield up

By the way, have the organs ob-served that all the federal bye-elections are being brought on at one time, thus exemplifying one of the principles for which Mackenzie and Brown contended? Was such a thing ever known under a Tory government of Canada?

## THE ESSENTIAL MATTER.

To the Editor: May I be allowed suffi-

a wider jury than that of four tr

## THE TRAMWAY CONTRACT.

No Award Yet Made For Construction of B. C. Electric Railway Com-pany's New Building.

The predminary preparations for the ommencement of work on the B. C. cessors fall so very far short of the standards they set.

It is only because times have changed that the Liberals of to-day are on the informed that the contact had not yet

to-morrow.
In conversation this morning Manager Goward, of the B. C. Electric Railway Company, stated that no time would be

## PERSONAL.

Among the guests at the Victoria hotel are: Robt. Saunders, of Aberdeen, Wash.; J. Furey, of Portland, Ore.; W. H. Hill, of Vancouver; C. F. Edwards, of Omaha; E. C. Randell, of Thetis Island; and F. E. C. Rangen, Steinbart, of Nelson.

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# CONNECTION WITH PORTLAND CANAL

MAY BE ESTABLISHED IN THE EARLY SPRING

Ping Suey Delayed Twenty Days by Grounding of Vessel in the Suez Canal

not in Victoria, for up to the present Captain Troup, superintendent of the B, C. coast steamer service, has not been approached on the subject.

That a good deal of trade is to be found on the canal is the statement of a pity that Victoria merchants were not reaching out for it. Many of the mines are on the Canadian side and much of the business being done through American houses could easily be thought be secured by local firms. The Portland canal, however, is but one of explaining secured by local firms. The Portland caud, however, is but one of probably several new ports of call which may be come prominent during the coming season, fey if, as agreed in event of a deal, the new syndicate taking over the coal properties from Victorians on Queen Charlotte islands commences work in January points on those islands will become important from a shipping stand-point.

News has been received that the tugboat Champion had left Newcastle,
Australia, for Suva, in the Fiji group,
to tow the French barque Beaumanoir
to Sydney, a distance of 1,720 milesone of the longest on record. The
Beaumanoir was taken into Suva on
October 9th by the steamer Moura,
which came upon her 250 miles off that
port. The barque had previously encountered a hurricane on September
16th, 400 miles north of New Zealand,
and went on her beam ends, losing aland went on her beam ends, losing al-

## LOST IN TYPHOON.

San Francisco. The Pechili sank September 2nd during a typhoon, but with the exception of one man, all hands were saved. In telling of the loss of the vessel-taptain Wataas said:

"We were bound from Japan to Shanghai with coal and when out several days encountered a typhoon. The vessel spring a leak and filled rapidly. The number were unable to come with the sit-Captain O. Wataas, who commanded the steamer Pechili which recently foun-dered off the China coast, has arrived at

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# PING SUEY DELAYED. The Blue Funnel liner Ping Suey, which is bringing Christinas supplies to the merchants in this city, has been delayed, and it is thought will not reach Victoria till about the 10th of December. The Ping Suey's voyage was interrupted in the Suez canal, where for twenty days the ship channel was blocked through the grounding of a British ship, which was finally blown up. Part of this time it. is hoped to make up. Wisdom in November Brings Joy in December

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Weinen; natural; value, \$1.00; Saturday, 50c.
Swiss Ribbed Underwear for Women, both both decreases classically

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front; shaped, 75c, and 85c, each,
Swiss Ribbed Yests, long sleeves,
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reds; was galaxies, sandourery clastic.

## Another Shipment of Castile Soap

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pumps were mable to cope with the sit-nation and the steamer slowly sertled. We were within forty miles of Shanghai at the time and were taken off by a massing German steamer. The Pechili sank ten minutes after we left her."

DAMAGES ARE SOUGHT.

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The Pacific Coast Steamship Company filed a suit for \$3,000 damages against the owners of the steamer Aurelia in the United States District Court; San Francisco, for damages to the steamer Unatilla. The steamers were in collision on October 27th. Russell & Rogers, owners of the Aurelia, filed a suit a few hours later against the Umatila for \$9,500 for damages alleged to have been sustained by the Aurelia at the time of the accident. Both steamers went to sea before being repaired, the injuries not being serious enough to render either

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PING SUEY DELAYED.

MARINE NOTES.

vessel unseaworthy.

# New Hat Shapes Just In

Varsity and Yale: very popular in the East: three qualities, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.50. Tweed Fedora Hats, \$1.75.

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Suva for the British Columbia Sugar Refinery Co. Lumber, flax, skins and hemp make up the balance of her cargo. On the return trip the Korangi will leave Vancouver on Decembe

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Athenian of the C. P. R.
Oriental line left Yokohama on the
11th, and will be due to arrive on the
25th. She has 100 tons of freight for
Victoria, 50 sation and 100 steerage
passengers.

Will leave vancouver on December
8th.

The Allan liner Virginian has been
again placed in service, and is
scheduled to take the place of the
Bayarian on the trip leaving St. John
on the 9th and Halling two days later,
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along the British Columbia coast, and the total shipments this year will, it is expected, go away over 5,000 tons RELIEF EXPEDITION.

Seattle, Nov. 17 .- Dr. Antone Variete, passengers.

R. M. S. Aorangi will be due from the Autipodes on the 23rd inst. She has a fair passenger list and a full load of freight, the largest item of which is 1,200 tons of raw sugar from the Autipodes on the 23rd inst. She has a fair passenger list and a full load of freight, the largest item of which is 1,200 tons of raw sugar from the Minimum and HallMax two days later.

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has been postponed owing to the death of Kenneth Wollaston, one of the association's most prominent members. The inspector, according to the Nanalmo meeting Will take place instead next Herald. As complaints are being made

fully arranged, while everything likely to conduce to the enjoyment of guests had been attended to by the supervising com-mittee.

conduce to the enjoyment of greets had been attended to by the supervising committee.

—As mentioned in another column two Rugby football matches will be played to morrow afternoon at Oak Bay. The Victoria and Vancouver junior and intermediate trans will try conclusions. Appended is the personnel of the local fifteens: Junior-Full back, Briggs; three-duarters, Anderson, Marcon, Morley and Morrison; half backs, Nason (F.) and Gibson; forwards, McGinnis, Loat, Cobbett, Johrson, Pineo, Watt and O'Kerfe Intermediate Full back, Gowen, three-onarters, Sargison, Simons, Seetle, Nason; half-backs, Sargison and Hirlard; firwards, Sweeney, Cambie, Blackbourne, Shanks, Keefer, Kerwin and Menzies.

The Milliant of greets had been lowed the Acapulco ten days before the Aca

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Lifebuoy Soap—disinfectant—is strongiy recommended by the medical profession as a safeguard against infectious diseases.

The first shipment of finnan had-die for the season has been received in Victoria to-day. A carload lot sent from the Atlantic coast has been divided by F. R. Stewart & Co. be-tween this city and Vancouver. The price this year is lower than usual, being 15 cents a pound.

The local music dealers have just received copies of the jungle song. The Fastidious Chimpanzee," which is the work of a local writer. The words are by Chas. W. Budden; music. by H. Leiser, composer of the Canadian Girl," etc. The new song is meeting with great success in Chicago, where it was published by the well-known firm, the Pioneer Publishing Co.

→J. J. Cowie, the Scottish herring expert, has begun demonstrating to expert, has begun demonstrating to Nanaimo fishermen improved methods of handling the fish. With the Scotch lassies who accompanied him a practi-cal illustration of Scottsh methods was given yesterday at the Johnston wharf in re-barrelling a quantity of sait her-ring. Their operations were watched with interest by a large number of fishery men.

-E. P. Gutelius, of Montreal, engineer of maintenance of way of the C. P. R., has arrived at Vancouver on the private car Earnschiffe. He is accompanied by his staff, and is on a regular hispection of the company's tracks in the West. On his way to the coast he stopped off at the principal points, and before his return will make an inspection of the Island railway.

—A meeting of the Fish and Game Club will be held this evening at the Driard hotel, Among the matters to be considered is the announcement re--A mass meeting of the "World's White Ribbon Sunday School Temperance Union" will be held in the Metropolitan Methodist church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when all are cordially invited.

-The J. R. A. A. general meeting, called for this versing at the club rooms, has been postponed owing to the death of has been postponed owing to the death of be considered is the announcement re-cently made by J. S. Dennis, C. P. R.

Tuesday evening.

The regular fortnightly dance of the Cowlehan river it is their intention at European time was sheld list evening at Ebin's court, Work Point barracks. There was a large attendance, and a pleasant time was spent by all, the musical programme buying been carefully arranged, while everything likely to conduce to the enjoyment of guests had of the damage done by the overflow

Nason, bull-backs, Sargison, Simons, Sectle, Nason, bull-backs, Sargison, Simons, Sectle, Francisco.

—Crowds continue to pack the Grand every afternoon and evening, the little lady Chiquita proving the greatest drawing card it has been manager Jamleson's good fortune to book. The best turn on the programme however is a comedy sketch by Thos, alone receive all the profits. The government reports show that it has the lowest of any of the old companies, For rates apply to A. B. McNeill or R. L. Drury, manager, 34 Broad streef.

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yesterday afternoon and evening, the occasion being the annual bazaar under the suspices of the ladies of St. (Andrew's (R. C.) cathedral, the proceeds of which will be devoted to St. Mary's church, Victoria West. All the booths were well patronized, those in charge being kept busy displaying their wares to eager shoppers. The sales were very large, and this was especially the case at the fancy work-corner, the grocery establishment, the fishing pool and several other centres of attraction. The wheel of fortune and the raffles also seemed to interest many, almost everybody being sinkious to try his or her luck at the former. An excellent musical programme was rendered in the evening, including selections by the Locke family orchestra, which were very pleasing, and earned lots of applause. A cornet solo was given in excellent style by M. D. Aurey, while Mrs. Staneland was heard to advantage in a vocal solo, as was also Mr. Petch, both renditions being warmly received. The little "Widow's Dance" was once more the

CATHOLIC BAZAAR.

Large Numbers Visited Institute Hall
Yesterday Afternoon and Evening—To-Night's Programme.

Institute hall was crowded again yesterday afternoon and evening, the occasion being the annual bazaar under the auspieces of the ladies of St. (Andrew's (R. C.) cathedral, the proceeds of which will be deverted to St. (Andrew's (R. C.) cathedral, the proceeds of which will be deverted to St. (Andrew's (R. C.) cathedral, the proceeds of which will be deverted to St. (Andrew's (R. C.) cathedral, the proceeds of which will be deverted to St. (Andrew's (R. C.) cathedral, the proceeds of which will be deverted to St. (Andrew's (R. C.) cathedral, the proceeds of which will be deverted to St. (Andrew's (R. C.) cathedral, the proceeds of which will be deverted to St. (Andrew's (R. C.) cathedral, the proceeds of the programme, and it has been decided to give it again to-night, the opinion being expressed that t

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City Conneil Met Last Night as Streets, Bridges and Sewers Committee,

At a meeting of the city council last evening as the streets, bridges and sewers committee, it was decided to award the contract for sever piping to the local pottery company. It will be supplied at the same rate, as has hitherto been charged by the company. The rates, it is found, are better than those which could be obtained from outside manufac-

The city barrister's opinion relative to protest of the militia who are affect-by the change in the Municipal Elec-us Act was laid over until Monday

rening's meeting.

The city council have no way of giver edress. The act is a provincial one das such there can be no remedy applied by the city.

plied by the city.

The amendment to the act made at last session of the legislature makes the basis of qualification for voters the paying of municipal rates, and anyone paying from \$2 upward is entitled to vote. The payment of water rates will qualify voters. This will, it is said, permit a number of women in the city who pay for water in their own names to register as voters.

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# Sporting News

SITUATION CLEARING.

The basketball situation is beginning to clear. As was announced in these columns yesterday, members of the James Bay Athletic Association will hold a meeting this evening for the purpose of discussing the arrangement of an executive meeting next Thursday evening at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Broad street, which should be attended by delegates from each of the local athletic associations. This gathering is had a large attendance is requested. street, which should be attended by delegates from each of the local athletic associations. This gathering is being looked forward to with considerable interest by all who have hopes of seeing this most fascinating indoor pastime regain its popularity among Victorians. And there is no reason why junior, intermediate and senior leagues should not be formed, and, with proper management by made to a different will be submitted and other matters of importance discussed. with proper management, be made to at ous games of Association, or Rugby

vill meet to decide upon the season's plans. out such a plan, and the suggestion has been abandoned for the present. From Whether the former will enter is doubtful, and it would be folly for the latter two to tions. Therefore, these who wish to see a senior league are relying upon the Y. M. C. A. to come into the competition for the

Championship.

But there seems no reason to doubt that there will be a first-class junior and an equally good intermediate league. The boys of eli clubs, with the possible acception are taking a deep interest in the matter. For this reason there should be at least three teams in each of the series mentioned, while it is quite probable that the Claveriales will make a fourth in both leagues. At any rate, both these contests may be specied to prove close and account of the series and content of the series is not, strictly. teams in each of the series mentioned, while it is quite probable that the Clavet dales will make a fourth in both leagues. At any rate, both these contests may be expected to prove close and exciting, as the juniors and intermediates always put up a hard fight for the coveted trophies. These matters, however, will ail be decided upon at the forthcoming meeting. It is requested that the J. B. A. A. V. W. A. A. F. Y. M. A. Y. M. C. A. and Cloverdale clubs make a point of having their delegates present on that occasion.

WILL PLAY TONGHT:

A game will be played this evening be tween the intermediate Y. M. C. A. and a Siduey tesm at the latter's hell: in order to reach their destination in time the locale and should be back by midnight, according to calculations. Instructor Gregory will accompany the earn. The march should be close and interesting as the locale are in first-class trim and the sidney five are reported to be exceedingly expert.

Y. M. C. A. v. F. Y. M. A.

We have been received at the Mansoin House in their capacity of Salvasion Army chiefes, and the face of the masses, not only in Great Britain, but all over the world, will in Great Britain, but all over the world, will in Great Britain, but all over the world, will in Great Britain, but all over the world, will recognition of the general by the city. He and Mr. and Mrs. Bramwell Booth have been received at the Mansoin House in their capacity of Salvasion Army chiefes are delighted with the mark of appreciation of their capacity of Salvasion Army chiefs are delighted with the mark of appreciation of their capacity of Salvasion Army chiefs are delighted with the mark of appreciation of their capacity of Salvasion Army chiefs are delighted with the mark of appreciation of their capacity of Salvasion Army chiefs. The army chiefs are delighted with the mark of appreciation of their capacity of Salvasion Army chiefs are delighted with the mark of appreciation of their capacity of Salvasion Army chiefs.

The value of the cluster of the city at the city a

The Y. M. C. A. v. F. Y. M. A.

The Y. M. C. A. and Fernwood teams played a friendly game last evening which resulted in a win for the latter by a score of 22 points to 8. Both fives played well, but the Fernwood combination was much superior to that of their opponents. It was this which won them the contest, although the Y. M. C. A. put up a plucky struggle throughout.

When the general had finished an address of over an hour, the mayor bent over and whispered: "General course done for sum and whispered: "General will be a hundred guineas."

The general ever since has been anxious to meet more or less sceptical mayors or corporations.

## THE KENNEL.

"On Monday next the first evening parior show of dogs will be held in the front room of the Yangarer opera house," says the Frovince. "The judging is in the able hands of Messrs, James Chaimers and Robert Large, who will have in competition the following breeds, several recent Robert Large, who will have in competition the following breeds, several recent importations being amongst those aiready entered; Sr. Bernards, Great Danes, greyhounds, spaniels (all kinds), pugs and poodles. Classes will be made for pupples, and bitches. Solvenir prizes, cards and ribbons will be given to all winners, several members of the Vancouveg Kennel Club-kindiy contributing these. President John J. Tulk will be present to distribute the prizes.

THE FIRST SHOW.

No definite decision has yet been reached regarding the date of the first of the series of parlor shows under the auspices of the Victoria ciub. The committee appointed to take charge of the arrangements has not yet held a meeting. It is expected, however, that the exhibition will take place some time during the first week in December.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

OPENING GAMES.

To-merrow afternoon the opening matches

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Y. M. C. A. TOURNEY.

ment closed yesterday. There are about twenty-four competitors and some exciting

# PRACTICE TO-DAY.

The Victoria ladles' club and the High school girls team are playing a practice match this afternoon at Oak Bay. It commenced about 3.30 o'clock and was arranged for the purpose of putting the respective teams in form for the forthcoming matches with Nanaimo clevens at the Coal

## ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL. JUNIOR GAME.

The Central and North Ward neon. Play will commence at about to o'clock at Beacon Hill. H. Harper has been selected to act as referee.

GENERAL BOOTH

Receives the Freedom of the City of

General Booth, who has been greeted and feted by so many mayors and cor-porations lately, was recently presented with the freedom of the city of London.

When the general had finished an ad-

## Emigration Scheme.

General Booth's great scheme of emi-



whether as to the class of settler to be sent or as to finance.

As he says, the Salvation Army was created without capital, the social scheme was launched without so much as the security of £1,000 to found the first shelter for the submerged. And in a like manner he confidently expects that funds will be forthepming for his latest, and perhaps greatest, undertaking.

In the meantime a further step towards the practical demonstration of the ultimate success of the general's plan for the settling of suitable persons in Australia has been taken. The first of what is hoped will he a stream of healthy, happy, ambitious and deserving colonists will sail for Queensland and Western Australia in the course of the next few weeks. There will be probably next few weeks. There will be probably about 400 of them, the creum of the 20,000 applicants who are already on the

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the land to be taken is situated, or if the homesteader desires, ne may, on application the land to be taken is situated, or if the to the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of immigration, Winnipeg, or the local agent for the district in which the land is situate, receive authority for some one one make entry for him.

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(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

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(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestend, the requirements of this Act as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

APPLICATION FOR PATENT should be made at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of three years, before the London at the end of the Jonestend langetter.

Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so. SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST

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And I gaze and try To understand and to calculate Why I have won so much from Fate, As she who gazes with eyes of blue Across the table set for two. Fragrance o' flow'ret in her breast, Whist from the urn; now, which is best?

I scarcely know ! Sweet is the scent of the double rose. But oh, that sniff from the urn's bright nose Is surely so.

And smiles seem dearer and lips more sweet

When seen through the shimmer of fragrant From CHASE & SANBORN'S perfect brew Above our table set for two.

# Tainted Gold.

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"If they did believe it they would say any didn't. They would probably think stead that I had angled for his atten-on, and, finding that he didn't notice

"He isn't, darling. I don't despair, though, I won't despair, We'll fight Lionel Macaire and his wickedness, and in the end I believe that we shall win."

But the silent battle had only just be-

Within the next few days Winifred had seen, or tried to see, all the London managers. One or two were thinking of putting on new productions; but none of them had a part to offer her. The girl, who had met several of these important who had met several of these important personages in the brief heyday of her success, and found them most agreeable men. funcied that their manner had changed. She felt that they looked at her differently, and there was a hollow ring in their regrets that she had not been me to them a few weeks earier with one accord everybody said

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small part—a very, very small part—After the position she had held at the Duke of Clarence's and in public estimation, it would be a humiliation to appear as a mere "waiking haly"—a humiliation which only ap actor or netress can thoroughly appreciaty—but the poor girl was ready to do anything honest for the sake of the money needed by her mother.

That need was not mentioned again now by the two women. Mrs. Gray would have given much if she had kept the doctor's verdict to herself, that Winnie's anxieties need not be increased for her sake; but it was too late for such gwish to be of avail, and she could only hope, since Winnie said nothing more on the subject, that other troubles had for the time being crowded that one out, of the girl's mind. She would have thought differently, however, could she have seen how her daughter's wide open eyes gazed into the darkness every uight, as the clock ticked out the small hours.

Winifred no longer went to bed to sleep, but to lie turning over plan after plan.

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If it had not been for the sum put into If it had not been for the sum put into the Irish paper—and lost—the crisis might have been tided over, but as it was there was scarcely any available money, and a thousand calls for it. Rent to be paid; servants and household hills to be paid. And presently Dick would be nt home again—a delightful fellow whom everyone liked, but boyishly selfish and destitute of that indescribable quality which enables a man to get on in the which enables a man to get on in the world. He would be a hindrance, instead world. He would be a hindrance, instead of a help, pleasant as his society was: for he liked nice things, and would be apable to carn them. He was only another to be provided fer, and though he would cheerfully try to find something to do. Winifred was almost as certain as of er own existence that he would fail, as

she had failed dozens of times before.

She wrote to her old manager, with whom she had borned the provinces; but he had been exceed with her for leaving, him, prephesying evil things, and his letter in answer to her was a mild "I told you so." His company was full. There was a hose from his

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But in one or two cases she was too late, and in others the salary was not to exceed a spine a week, the actress to play

# PROVINCIAL NEWS.

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GRAND FORKS.

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"If only Dick were older, and—different? sighed Mrs. Gray.

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But the sileat battle had only just because the sileat battle had only just b reducing the width of the rinks from 14 to 12 feet. Dr. Arthur and Judge Wilson were nominated for honorary president, Dr. Arthur withdrawing. Other officers were then elected as follows: President, J. A. Turner; vice-president, W. W. Beer; secretary-treasurer, G. A. Hanter; executive committee, H. Bird, W. G. Gillett, J. H. Wallace, W. Richardson; unspires: A. T. Walley, J. H. Wallace, Dr. Arthur; ice committee, W. Richardson, J. H. Wallace; membership committee, W. A. Thurman, F. Starkey; delegates to the footenay curling, association, N. L. McInnis, F. Starkey, W. W. Beer, H. F. McLeod, and substitutes, J. A. Turner, Dr. Arthur and M. S. Parry.

VANCOUVER.

A hearty and unanimous call has been extended by the congregation of St. John's church to Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, of London, Ont. At a meeting held Wednesday evening. Mr. MacGillivray's name was voted on, and support was given the call by everyone of the large number present. The stipend is to be \$2,500 a year. He is pastor of the new St. James' church in London, Ont. Rev. Mr. MacGillivray has had about 15 years' experience as a minister, the last ten of which have been spent with his present congregation. present congregation.
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inquest next Monday. Owing to the autopsy on the body of the late Mr. autopsy on the body of the late Mr. Tackson, the woman's husband, is do-ing all the preliminary work in connection with the analysis to determine the cause of death. He removed the viscera of the deceased, including the stomach, the liver and one kidney. The stomach, it is stated, showed no indications of an irritant poison. This

DAWSON NEWS.

Election of Dr. Thompson Confirme

A Dawson dispatch dated November 18th, says: Judge Craig has handed down a decision which confirms Dr. Alfred Thompson as a member of parliament from the Yukon. Dr. Thompson nament from the Yukon. Dr. Thomp-son was elected by an overwhelming majority. Mr. John Grant, former mayor of Victoria, protested, the elec-tion. The court rules that Grant failed to prove his status as a registered to the government timber survey.

A woodchopper named Glass was killed on Little Salmon yesterday by a load of wood falling on him.

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(Special to the Times.) New Westminster, Nov. 17.—The elever rear-old son of the Presbyterian ministral at Port Haney, was injured this mornis

by discharging dynamite caps with a match on-his paim. He lost one thumb, two flagers and bis face was injured. The explosive caps were found on a stump where some boys were playing.

H. H. Cassels, C. P. R. waaranger, is missing this morning. missing this morning. His books are being examined. His hotel and other bills have not been paid. Cassels had been drinking lately, and was dismissed on Wednesday, but a successor was not installed until to day.

The meetings in Gospel hall, which have been attended with so much interest this week, will be continued next week. Addresses are given by W. Rae, of Winnipeg, and J. D. McFadven, of Vancour of Vanc yen, of Vancouver. The meetings are open to all desiring to attend.

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The Vancouver World claims to points are so deeply interested in the conhave information that in spite of the ditions of the home land as this outpost 3500 politics. The fiscal upheaval, the ribulations of the neemloyed and other ribulations of the neemloyed and other than the property of the conhaver ada in large numbers that while in Chipa, the Chinamen get registered as members of Chinese firms in British Columbia and thus pass the customs which are burning themselves into the life of the Mother Country at the present time are followed as closely as the present time are followed as closely as opportunity will permit, and, there have gain the heavy said that he knew of no such speak for the 'porf of Vancouver, but in so far as Victoria is concerned no Chinese have attempted to enter here since the enforcement of the new law except those who have been in the country before.

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Manchester corporation are building their pleasure and for investigation.

Mr. Jebb is the author of "Studies in Colonial Nationalism," and his researches occupy three acres of land and give apployment to about 250 men.

The rollid comfort travel by the New 1997 of the present the great the grea ascal campaign. To a Times reporter this morning he explained that the great najority of the younger generation es-ecially those of the educated class—suppecially those of the educated class—supported fiscal reform. It is the older section who stand in the way. He remarked moreover that the results of the bye-elections should not be taken as a criterion of the status of the question. They rather indicate the country's weariness of the present government on general lines, than opposition to tariff reform. It should be remembered, however, that an out-and-out tariff reformer, a Conservative, was returned at the last bye-election (Hamstead Heath).

Mr. Jebb says it is generally expected that the Liberals will be returned at the approaching elections, but the tariff re-

key to the problems. They feel that it will help to settle the revenue and unemployed difficulties. "One great difficulty at present." Mr. Jebb explains. "is that of raising revenue to meet our free use of the cable would have to represent them. On critical occasions the "is that of raising revenue to meet our free use of the cable would be made. In such constraints the cable would play the monthly freight and shipping such organizations the cable would play the monthly freight and shipping the cable would play the monthly freight and shipping the cable would play the monthly freight and shipping the cable would play the monthly freight and shipping the cable would be made. and unemployed difficulties. "One great difficulty at present." Mr. Jebb explains. "is that of raising revenue to meet our growing expenditure. The defence estimates have riven from about 175 million dollars 10 years ago to about 325 millions this year, the havy being responsible for most of the increase. The Liberals promise retrenchment all round. We, for our part, do not think retrenchment can be a permenent solution, and propose, instead to widen the basis of taxation, by Weil-Known Writer on Imperial Topics
is Visiting City—His Views
on Large Problems.

It is a weil known fact that few colonial points are so deeply interested in the conditions of the home land as this outpost on the Pacific. The fiscal upheaval, the total reaches the proposed food duties as a reasonable toll, payable largely by the producer who sells in our market. Then we are incurring a hig expenditure upon education. This fails largely upon the local, rates, owing to shortage of national revenue. Ask an English ratepaper whether he will have a penny on the local rates or atwo shillings on foreign corn to pay for educating his children, and you will find that man is a tariff reformer, whatever party he thinks he belongs to. I am inclined to think that this revenue question will force the fiscal issue long before the country has made up its mind

> policy would ameliorate the condition of the working classes. Suppose a system policy would ameliorate the condition of the working classes. Suppose a system of dealing with the land problem similar to that adopted for Ireland was resorted to. There would be so great a competi-tion among the prospective peasantry to secure the freeholds that prices would fly sky high and it would simply bring about a practice of mortgaging which would ultimately produce a condition as bad as ever.

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Mr. Jebb also alluded to the increase in the defence appropriations and said this growth was causing the people in the old land to look to the colonies for assistance. There was, however, a change of thought with regard to cash contributions. It was recognized that in Canada's case, for instance, it was more practicable for her to establish a navy of her own. The principle of separate naval squadrons was being advocated by both the London Post and the Outlook. both the London Post and the Outlook, It is likely that Chamberlain's platform will be enlarged when the Conservatives are in opposition. Universal military service will be added, and probably some

will be an all-round National policy.

Mr. Jebb does not hold exactly the same views as Sir Frederick Pollock, who was in Victoria recently. Asked concerning Sir Frederick's scheme, he said that just before he left England he contributed some letters to the Morning Post on Imperial organization, in which he criticized Sir Frederick's proposal.

"This idea of an Imperial council is a mistaken one." Mr. Jebb stated, "insofar as it is proposed to make it merely an advisory council, consisting of exministers, experts and other persons without executive responsibility. In the articles I wrote I urged that what is required is not advice, of which we have abundance already, but co-operation by responsible ministers who have power to act. The principle of the Colonial Conference is the right principle. If the Colonial Conference could be made, permanent under the name of the Imperial Conference then we should have a council of executive authority and the remained of the principle of the colonial Conference then we should have a council of executive authority and the same of the Imperial Conference then we should have a council of executive authority and the same of the Imperial Conference then we should have a council of executive authority and the same of the Imperial conference then we should have a council of executive authority and the same of the Imperial conference then we should have a council of executive authority and the same of the Saturday Special cil of executive authority, namely, an

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The English alphabet does not possess a characters capable of representing the sound issuing from the housetop. Inquiry at the hotel failed to afford any reasonable clue to the mystery, and hence the services of the local gendarme

so he did the next best thing to secure the peace that ought to reign at midnight, and took the chink down the ladder and

Cotton is now produced artificially from Mr. Fownaii is anxious to see the Acotephne wood. The others are broken up and pay central railway built. Until that is chemically treated to dissolve out all except the cellulosa.

At the present time the only industry which is being pushed with anything like



report of R. P. Rithet & Co., for October, which has just been issued,

local grain chartering as practically without change. A fair amount of activity, however, exists in the north, where the disengaged fleet is being cleared up. At Portland there is not without change. A fair amount of activity, however, exists in the north, where the disengaged fleet is being cleared up. At Portland there is not one vessel available, and several fixtures have also been made on the sound, at rates previously quoted.

Lumber freights are firm with a good demand from Australia and New York, and it is anticipated that more business will be done this year on account of the latter point than for some years of the latter point that the latter point the latter point that the latter point that the latter point that the latter point the la South Africa show a slight advance over the figures given in our last cir-

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which is being pushed with anything like-vigor is lumbering. This is necessarily confined to the country along the lines of railway, with the raw material drawn from those sections which adunt of the floating of the logs to the mills by water. There is a vast area of timber land in the valley of the Kootenay, Mr. Pownall says, which with the proximity to the Northwest market only awaits further railway con-

ected with the Kootenay Cen Those connected with the Kootenay ten-ical seem to be delaying work on the rround that further aid is necessary before the road can be financed. They look to the province for assistance. Mr. Pownail is not much interested in where the aid comes from. He is anxious that the road has builte so as to open the valley up to

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orance of the Navy League.

The Navy League banquet on the evening of Trafalgar Day was held at the Criterion restaurant, presided over by the
Earl of Ranfurly, G. C. M. G.

J. H. Turner, agent general for British
Committee in veneral day. Columbia, is reported at the banquet as follows: My Lord, Your Excellency, ladies

country, say that the Navy League of Vic toria-Esquimait-indeed, all the people in British Columbia-will feel highly gratified that they have been called upon of deeper, I believe, than the scattiment of the people of the Old Country. The people of the colonies aspire to the idea that the whole of Britain, not the mother island alone, but Canada, Australia, the Cape, and all the other colonies, are the Empire, that they form one country, and that that country is the land they love. (Hear, hear.) It is true that the occase rolls between, but is true that the ocean rolls between, bu we must remember that the ocean does no now divide. The ocean offers the cheapes now divide. The ocean offers the cheapost and easiest opportunities for inter-communication. The ocean also mables a greater interchange of visits between the people of all the component parts of the Empire, and the more of these visits there are the better it will be for all. (Cheers.) These same colonies to-day are meeting, as Admiral all round the world. Though he is long dead, his memory, his self-sacrifice, his heroic actions, will always live as an example to the British race and to the world. (Cheers) I thank you for the cordial manner in which this truly British

Germany leads European countries in the number of publications with 5,500 newspapers, of which 800 are dailies. England is account with 3,000, of which 800 are dailies. France, Italy, Austria Hungary, Spain, Russia, Greece and Switzerland follow in order. Asia has not less than 3,000 periodical papers and Africa 200 dailies. America has 17,223 publications, of which 2015 are 4500c.

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