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IS STILL CHAMPION.

Pope Says He Does Not Intend to Infringe Upon the Concordat.

George Towns Defended Successfully the Honor in Sculling.

Paris, July 30.—Although no official announcement has yet been made it can be positively affirmed that the rupture between France and the Valican is complete.

The Holy See's lengthy reply to the French note, though most courteous, amounts to a polite statement that file Pope does not intend to infringe the

JAPANESE BEGIN ANOTHER ATTACK

ATTEMPTING TO TURN RUSSIAN RIGHT WING

Reported Fall of Port Arthur is Pronounced Untrue-The Vladivostock Fleet Being Pursued.

Tokio, July 30 .- (Noon.)-The rumore fall of Port Arthur is officially pro meed to be untrue.

WILL NOT REPORT UNTIL SUCCESSFUL

Chefoo, July 30 .- Highest Japane naval commanders of the besieging force on Port Arthur on Tuesday last and expected to effect the capture by July 29th but that no official reports were expected from the army or from Admiral Togoundi the present attack results in successions.

until the present attack results in success.

Japanese correspondents here are now sending junks to the Liao Tuo islands ready to enter the harbor of Port Arthur immediately after the fall of the fortress.

The Associated Press correspondent learns from the same reliable authority that the movements of the Russian Vladivostock squadron hastened the present attack upon Port Arthur, the Japanese realizing that if these vessels were allowed to proceed unharmed anyl longer it meant the division of Admiral Togo's fleet with the outcoming of the Russian ships now cooped up by him at Port Arthur.

In this city many wagers are being made at odds of 20 to 1 that Port Arthur will not fall within the next ten months, German residents offering and Englishment accepting the bets.

JAPANESE ARE AGAIN ATTACKING RUSSIANS.

attack on the right flank of the Russian southern army developed at 7 o'clock this morning. The battle was opened with heavy artillery fire, under cover of which the Japanese infantry advanced along the railway until 11 o'clock, whea their forward movement was checked. The fighting was continued; according to the last accounts, but the result is not known.

THE JAPANESE ARE IN HOT PURSUIT.

London, July 30.—A dispatch to the Central News from Tokio, dated to-day, announces that a report from Oshima, says the Vladivostock squadron was seen this morning fourteen miles off Izu about 70 miles southwest of Yokohama. Four Japanese warships were pursuing the Russians southward.

Tokio, July 29.—(Delayed.)—Gen. Oku estimates the Russian losses at Taitche-kiao fast Sunday to have been at the lowest two thousand men, and in his report expresses the opinion that the Russians decided to retreat at midnight. Sunday. After the Japanese had stormed Lai Ping mountain in a surprise attack, and carried most of the Russian left, leaving the right rear threatened, an immediate withdrawal alone averted greater disaster to the Russians.

The fighting around the fortress on

Tai Ping mountain was desparate. It was there that the Japanese sustained their heaviest losses, which are now estimated for the entire engagement at one thousand.

The Russians had evidently hoped to check General Oku at Taitchekiao. The Russian defences were the most extensive that the Japanese have yet encountered. A series of rope-protected frenches surrounded the hills. The guremplacements were covered and protected by wire entanglements, which barred the Japanese advance. Their position dominated the ground which the Japanese occupied, and over which they advanced. Over 120 guns barred au infantry advance.

Sunday afternoon a single Japanese detachment succeeded in penetrating the Russian line, but it was beaten back. The Japanese artillery was constantly exposed, and occupying a disadvantage onto position topographically it was unable to score. At nightfall the situation seemed hopeless, with the prospects of a bloody renewal at dawn.

The Japanese right wing asked and obtained permission to surprise the enemy at night, which brought the victory. The Japanese swept over the trenches in the first fortress at 10 p. m., resulting in a decided victory.

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VLADIVOSTOCK FLEET MAY BE GOING BACK

Tokio, July 29.—Delayed.—The Vladivostock squadron has disappeared, and it is possible that its raid is over, and that it is heading homeward. It is expected that shipping will be resumed on the eastern coast.

The Pacific Mail Company's steamship Korea will be held at Yokohama, and the steamship Siberla at Kobe until their safety is assured. The German Mail Steamship Company is using Kobe as a terminal for the transhipment of passongers and cargo.

The raid of the Vladivostock considers.

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The raid of the Vladivostock squadron has been an extremely disastrous one. It is estimated that 200,000 tons of chartered shipping has been held ten days at a loss of seven and a half million dollars.

TEACHERS TO INVADE VICTORIA NEXT MONTH

Many Pedagogues Attending Winnipeg Convention Will Visit Coast Before Going East.

toria next month. This is a direct result of the advertising of H. Cuthbert, while in that city everal weeks ago. Learning of the cheap rates to be inaugurated from Manitoba to all Western points for the benefit of the teachers, he took steps to make known the manifold attractions of this city to the pleasure seeker. Copies of the illustrated booklet "Picturesque Victoria" and other literature was placed in charge of the secretary of the convention for distribution, and a large number of posters calling attention to a "Special teachers' excursion to Victoria and coast points" was placed in the most prominent positions throughout the convention building. The outcome of this, as already stated, is that oria next month. This is a direct re

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TAITCHEKIAO FIGHT

CONFINED TO ARTILLERY.

St. Petersburg, July 30.—A special dispatch from Liao Yang, giving a graphic picture of the fight at Taitchekiao, explains that the Russian immunity from damage from E Russian immunity from damage from E Russian immunity from damage from the Russian immunity from damage from the record of the fact that the Russian were mostly behind a range of steep hills, and were concealed clever by by high grass and trees, and that the Chinese, were thereby unable to heliograph the position of the guns, as they formerly had done, to the Japanese artillerymen.

The Japanese had many large calibre guns and used chiefly shrapnel. They gused also high explosive shells. The fight was almost wholly an artillery duel, and was a magnificent spectacle.

The creat of hills held by the Russians was converted into a ranging volcano, and earth was thrown up in geysers by the continuous rain of bursting shells until sand and dust hung in a cloud overhead. Fire among the trees and grass started by the shells added a stifling smoke and heat to the awful giare of the tropical smn. The shrapnel, like great white winged birds, sailed overhead. The moan and drone of their coming could be plainly heard, and the Russians threw themselves behind the hills of the surface of their opponents. Late in the afternoon they got in a position that enables them to sweep the plain behind the hills of the surface of their opponents. Late in the afternoon they got in a position that enables them to sweep the plain behind the hills of the poponents. Late in the afternoon they got in a position that enables them to sweep the plain behind the hills of the poponents. Late in the afternoon they got in a position that enables them to sweep the plain behind the hills of the poponents. Late in the afternoon they got in a position that enables them to see th

In the village of Gandersheim, in the Harts mountains, the local achoolmaster's hen has surpassed all records by laying her 1,000th egg. The village streets were decorated to celebrate the event.

In the course of a quarrel with his mother-in-law, August Kaveic, a landowner in Gorz Gradisca, threw her into a cintern, where she was drowned. He afterwards gave himself up to the police.

LIBERAL'S RETURN

LILLOOET ELECTION

Denis Murphy Unhesitatingly Predicts the Victory of Mr.

Denis Murphy, formerly M. P. P. for West Yale, is in the city on legal business. He is looking as hale and hearty, if not more so, as in those strenuous days when he was wont to take part in some of those stirring verbal tourneys across the Bay. Such is the force of habit that this morning his steps were being directed (doubtless involuntarily) towards the imposing legislative structure, for it was on the causeway that a Times reporter overhauled him.

Mr. Murphy has closely observed the conditions existing in Lillooet and has no hesitancy in predicting the election of Mr. Stoddard, the Liberal candidate. He readily concedes that the Liberal

conditions existing in Lishooet and has no hesitancy in predicting the election of Mr. Stoddard, the Liberal candidate. He readily concedes that the Liberal champion will jhave no easy conquest, but his return is a foregone conclusion. Mr. Maclonald is not the same political force he was in the halcyon days of his road superintendence. He can't swing voters into line by the generous or rather prodigal distribution of road jobs which so mightily strengthened his prostige in line last campaign. One source of his popularity has thus disappeared and the candidates will be able to fight on a fair footing.

Mr. Murphy says that in East Lillooet Mr. Stoddard should have no trouble at all, and his plurality there should easily offset any gain that might be amicipated for the government candidate in West Lillooet. He does not agree with the view so generally advanced by government supporters that Mr. Macdonald increased his hold upon the electorate by taking advantage of the Enabling Act to take his seat in the legislature. On the contrary, Mr. Murphy believes the people do not entertain a very high opinion of the government candidate's course in this respect, as he should have known better than to have accepted government. He should have he had been returned. He should have accepted government remuneration after he had been returned. He should have recalled that in 1898 a number of mem-bers were unseated for similar reasons.

rented style of many years back. The 20th century system answers every wish. The new branch at Vancouver is called No. 2, and Winnipes will be No. 3 branch. The Victoria and Vancouver, in fact all branches, once opened will remain open, and be conducted by some competent pupil certificated and licensed to teach by Mr. Norton Printz.

REDUCED ENTRY FEES.

Dominion Government Makes a Con-cession Respecting Homesteads in Railway Belt.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, July 30.—Persons applying few homestead entry in the railway belt-need only pay \$5 office fee under the amended regulations.

Seeking a Divorce. Constance Braine French, of Dawson, will apply next session for a divorce from her husband, Edward Lewis French, on the usual grounds.

The termination of the agreement between the syndicate interested in the consolidation of the Cineinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railway and the Pere Marquette and the pool of the preferred stockholders of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton is announced.

President G. F. Baer, of the Reading and Jersey Central railroads, in an interview yesterday on the situation in the anthracite region, said: "There will be no coal strike. Notwithstanding all the talk and agitation it is not possible to get one up."

REASONS FOR DECISION

Chief Justice Dissented From Judgmen in Deadman's Island Appeal.

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The judgment of the Pull court in the appeal case of Aftorney-General vs. Ludgate, which, as stated in the Times, was handed down, yesterday, represents the views of Mr. Justice Drake and Mr. Justice Irving, the Chief Justice dissenting. Only one written judgment has been left at the registrar's office, that of Mr. Justice Drake, in which Mr. Justice Irving concurred.

In the presentation of his reasons, which is of considerable length, the learned judge took the ground that Stanley Park was and is a military reserve, and that the eight acres constituting Deadman's Island were included in the reserve. The Dominion government, under the B. N. A. Act, excreised the exclusive power to legislate on subjects of military and naval defence. He did not accede to the point raised that if this land were reserved for defence purposes it could not be employed in any other way. It might be used for various purposes or let out to others without altering its reservation for defence purposes should the occasion arise.

TO-MORROW'S CONCERT.

Programme to Be Rendered by Fifth Regiment Band at Beacon Hill,

a series of weekly concerts will be given by the Fifth Regiment band at Beacon Hill park. The first selection will be rendered at a bout 3 o'clock. Bandmaster Finn has arranged the appended excellent programme for the occasion: PART I.

The Heavens are

Creation.

Overture-Ein Morgen, Ein Mittag, Ein
Abend in Wien.

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Grand Fantasia-Reminiscences of Engjand

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instruments.).
Sacred Aria—The Lost Chord ... Sullivan (Cornet Obligato, Sergt. W. V. North.)
Selection from Geuned's Faust

Grand Selection from Il Trovatore... Verdi Highland Patrol-The Wee MacGreegor

God Save the King.

SATISFACTORY PROGRESS

Should this fall be long and favorable for construction work it is possible that most of the permanent sidewalk improve

* PERSONAL.

Agnes J. Barry and Ethel J. Hill, of Tacoma; Miss M. McDougall, Rachael Richards, M. Williams and Mrs. D. V. Williams, of Scattle; Lena S. Code, Wilma and Everard Code, of Toronto, are tourists spending a few days in the city sight-seeing. They are among those registered at the Dominion hotel.

The Rev. Wm. Sheridan and wife, of Hamilton, Ont., arrived in the city last evening, and intend taking up heir abode here for the future. Mr. Sheridan has been on the retired list for several years. They are guests of their brother-in-law, W. J. Hanne.

W. J. Holden, of the People's Loan & Deposit Company, Toronto, arrived from the East on business yesterday. He expects to be here several days, and is staying at the Dominion.

Jas. T. Dickson, of Litchfield, Minn.; J. Hughes and Mrs. M. and H. Hughes, of Liverpool, England, are in the city. They are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

W. R. Roberts and E. W. Molander, of Seattle; J. M. Phillips and J. A. McLean, of Spokane; and A. Haggart, of Phoenix, are among the guests at the Victoria hotel.

John Minto, news editor of the Times, accompanied by Mrs. Minto and daughter, returned this morning from a holiday trip to the Sound and Mainland.

SHAWNIGAN LAKE LAUNCH HAS SUNK

WENT DOWN YESTERDAY WITH LOAD OF TIES

Person In Charge Had to Swim Ashore -Capt_Voss Has Reached . St. Helena.

There was an acident on Shawnigan lake yesterday which was the common topic for discussion among all the passengers arriving on this morning's train from up the E. & N. line. The little steamer Crow, which for many years has been towing logs back and forth on the lake, loaded ties at the full yesterday, and when steaming across to the railway where the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company procure their logs, struck as small wave, filled and turned turtle, sinking in 40 feet of water. The party operating her had to swim for his life, and striking out for the point of land off West Arm, made shore safely.

This is the story as told by many passengers this morning, but which inquiries made at the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company's office here failed to confirm. A member of the office said he arrived from the lake this morning. The steamer, he said, shipped a little water, but otherwise was all right.

The Crow has been operated on the Shawnigan lake for many years. "She

The Crow has been operated on the Shawnigan lake for many years, *She is a very small vessel equipped with steam power. Owing to her age her value had been greatly reduced. So far as known she was uninsured.

The ties she was carrying were piled on her deck, and, according to one story, fold, there was some doubt expressed before the steamer left ner wharf that she was loaded too heavily.

NEARLY END OF VOYAGE.

has reached St. Helena and is nearing the completion of her voyage around the world. The vessel was last reported from South Africa, from which country Capt. Voss announced his intention of crossing again to the South American coast. The Tillikum left Victoria on May 21st, 1901, and should she be successful in ending her long voyage the name of Capt. Voss will go down in this city as accomplishing the greatest feat of the kind ever carried out by a navigator.

CARRIES ARMY SUPPLIES.

The steamship Shawmint, now en route to Yokohama, and concerning whose safety considerable apprehension is felt in shipping circles owing to the danger of her being captured by the Russian Vladivostock squadron, has on board United States army supplies going to the Philippines. This includes 29 cases of cartridges, 221 packages of ordinance supplies for the artillery, 2,560 cases of evaporated milk and 100 cases of listerine.

MARINE NOTES.

Tug Pilot arrived from Juneau yesterday with the John C. Potter, loaded with concentrates for the Tacoma smelter. The Pilot dropped her tow here, and the American tug Sea Lion took it on to its destination. Capt. Scarf, of the Pilot, confirms the reports of the finding of wreckage from the Islander.

The opium confiscated at the time of the arrest of S. B. Stevens, W. Cree and Alfred Larson, for smugging, was sold by the imarshal at Seattle on Thursday to the Wa Chong Company, at \$9.75 a

by the murshal at Seattle on Trursday to the Wa Chong Company, at \$9.75 a pound. There were 1,000 pounds in all. Five hundred Chinese attended the sale. D. G. S. Quadra left for Mary Island

D. G. S. Quadra left for Mary island yesterday with supplies for the light-house there and to replace some buoys in that locality. She will be away for a week or more.

Tug Albion is undergoing some slight repairs to machinery at Porter's wharf. She will be ready for service again on Sunday.

The British skip Halvace again.

San Francisco for Royal Roads on Tues-thy under charter to load lember for Callao.

Tug Hope arrived this morning with a

large boom of logs for the Sayward Lumber Company.

The ship Antofogasta, from Chilian ports, passed up to Chemainus yesterday.

TO THE PRIVY COUNCIL.

Deadman's Island Case Goes to the Highest

Tribunal.

The Full court this morning grauted leave to the province to appeal to the Privy Council in Attorney-General vs. Ludgate, so it will be seen that the end of this celebrated matter is not yet. The Dominion government has won out in the Full court, but the province does not intend to throw up the sponge until every resource has been exhausted. Yesterday the Chief Justice, who dissented from the decision given by the majority of the Full court, stated that he would hand his reasons in writing later. He concurred in the judgment of the trial judge.

The Full court this morning gave judgment allowing the appeal with costs, and ordering a new trial in Alaska Packers' Association vs. Spencer.

A pricet in Lorinze, Hungary, refused to marry a pair who presented themselves on hearing that they had already been civilly married at the registrar's. In the dispute that followed he lost his temper and dealt the bridegroom a violent box cothe ear. The wedding guests thereupon set upon him and gave him a severe best-ing.

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RUSSIA IN TURN

IS FILING PROTEST.

London, July 29.—Russia has filed a

PORT ARTHUR IS

UNCERTAINTY AS TO

Russia is Filing a Counter Protest Against Carrying Contraband on British Vessels.

Chefoo, July 29 .- A junk containing thirty refugees from Port Arthur, who are all foreigners of the better class, arare all foreigners of the better class, arrived here to-night, having left Port Arthur on Thursday. The refugees report that exceedingly heavy fighting by land and sea, to the east and northeas' of Port Arthur, occurred on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week and they express belief that a general assanit was begun on Thursday. They say that this bombardment was the heaviest experienced since the beginning of the siege and the Russian forts made of the siege and the Russian forts mad very little reply to the Japanese fire. These foreigners confirm previous reports of the serious condition of the Japanese fleet. Field Marshal Onama, accoming

nect. Field Marshal Onama, accompanied by his staff, left Port Dalby on Tuesday. He is conducting the Japanese operations in person.

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PERSISTENT RUMORS OF
FALL OF PORT ARTHUR.

London, July 29.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from Wei Hai Wei, recenved to-day, says: "It is supposed here that Port Arthur has been captured as the British fleet is returning here to-morrow."

Presumably this report is from the same source as the dispatch from Shanghai reporting a Wei Hai Wei rumor that Port Arthur has failen. The only basis for the report known here is that when Russia no longer occupies Port Arthur the British, by the treaty, will evacenate Wei Hai Wei, and the inference is that the British fleet is returning to Wei-Hai Wei to remove the stores, efc., from that place.

Not much credence is attached for the monoment to the Wei Hai Wei report, though similar rumors are flooding the continent.

At Wei Hai Wei there is a British Tokio, July, 29.—The steamer Kerea

continent.

At Wei Hai Wei there is a British wireless telegraph station, and the British warships are equipped with the means of communication. It is possible that Wei Hai Wei has been in wireless communication with the fleet, and that the information of the fall of Port Arthur was received in this manner.

Tokio, July. 29.—The steamer Kerea arrived at Yokohama tokio, July. 29.—The steamer Ke

NEWS NOT CONFIRMED

London, July 29.—(Midnight.)—Up-to this hour, the Japanese legation has re-ceived no news indicating the fall of Port Arthur.

AWAITING COMMANDER'S

Grombor-July 22nd, at Viadivostock, The report says: "The presence of the Arabia's manifest of cargo declared by the Imperial government to constitute contraband, compelled Admiral Jossen to send the vessel to Vladivostock as being the nearest Russian port in order that the matter might be examined by the

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW OF THE SITUATION

Toronto and Somerset Visited by Fire General News of Dominion.

Toronto, July 29 .- Bradstreet's oright for the fall and winter business. Woollen goods are showing increasing irmness. Other staple lines are steady. There is a fair movement in dairy products, with steadier markets. Crops are coming on nicely. The hay crop is eavy and the root crops are good. Country remittances are still a little low.

in, an authoritative quarter that Russia is inclined to insist upon her right to sink a neutral vessel carrying contraband under the circumstances set forth in the naval rules governing the treatment of prizes, while admitting that if it cannot be established before the prize court that the shile was a legal prize, Russia is amenable in the fullest degree to damages.

PROTEST WILL COME FROM UNITED STATES

Washington, July 29.—W. Mynderz, a New York attorney, appresenting some of the cargo owners of the steamer Knight Commander, sunk by the Russian Vyadivostek sonadron, called at the stafe department to-day and had a short

slow. Toronto wholesale business is showing some development. The firmness displayed by woollen goods has stimulated the full demand. The prices of stuple manufactures continue firm and this is imparting confidence and tends to increase the business is showing some development. The firmness displayed by woollen goods has stimulated the full demand. The prices of stuple manufactures continue firm and this is imparting confidence and tends to increase the business is showing some development. The firmness displayed by woollen goods has stimulated the full demand. The prices of stuple manufactures continue firm and this is imparting confidence and tends to increase the business is showing some development. The firmness displayed by woollen goods has stimulated the full demand. The prices of stuple manufactures continue firm and this is imparting confidence and tends to increase the business testing and tends and the full demand. The prices of stuple manufactures continue firm and this is imparting confidence and tends to increase the business being done of the full demand. The prices of such a thing being done with domestic wools. The home demand for our wools limited the full demand. The prices of such a thing being done with domestic wools. The home demand for our wools limited the full demand. The prices of such a thing being done with domestic wools. The home demand for our wools limited the

Communder, cunk by the Russian Vladicostock conadros, called at the stafe department to-day and had a short conference with Solicitor Penfield respecting a formal presentation to the Russian government of the claims of these owners for the destroyed cargo. It was arranged that a written brief should be submitted later on embodying the legal points sought to be made in this case. It is clear to the officials here that, regardless of the rules which Russian may have laid down for her own government respecting the sinking of neutral ships, the practice, opposed as it is to all modern principles of international law, cannot be permitted by the United States government without a strenuous protest.

At Victoria and Vancouver trade continues to show some improvement. Orders for the fall are fair. The infand maing towns on the Mainland and on the Island are taking fair quantities of goods. The saimon run continues light. New England fishermen are successfully exploiting the halibut fisheries on the coast and are making large shipments to the New England states.

At Winnipeg the opening of the Dominion exhibition gave a great impetus to wholesale trade this week, having attracted many buyers from the province and the territories, who have placed liberal orders for the fall and winter trade. Values of staple goods are fairly held. Crop reports are fairly good. Wheat cutting is likely to become pretty general in about four weeks. The harvest will be a week or two weeks late in many sections.

Wholesale trade at Hamilton, as reported to Bradstreet's, is keeping up well for the boliday season, when much expansion in the demand is naturally not looked for. The orders for the fail and winter is very promising. Crop conditions continue good. Large shipments are being made to the east.

London jobbing trade circles report/a good unovernet in goods for the ensuing season and the prospects point to

trade tooks for a large turnover for the last half of the year.

There is a fair inquiry for fail goods at Ottawa. The wholesale trade is busy making shipments and orders continue to come forward in fair volume as a result of the prosperous conditions of business at the country retail centres of trade. Values of staple goods are

Loss by Fire. Fire this morning did damage to the extent of \$40,000 to the stock of groceries of Blain & Co., and E. P. Eckarlt. Scott street. The loss was covered by insurance.

Fire this morning did \$100,000 damage.

to the wholesale grocery of Eby, Ble & Co.

Winnipeg, July 29.—The Dom B.A., deputy minister of education for Ontario; vice-president, W. A. McIn-tyre, B.A., principal of Manitoba Nortyre, B.A., principal of Manitoba Normal school; secretary, Dr. Goggdin. The president, vice-president and secretary were given power to appoint an assistant secretary. Treasurer, F. H. Sofield, B.A., principal of Winniper Collegiate Institute; directors, C. J. Bryan, B.A., Calgary; Miss Agnes Deans Cameron, Victoria; Prof. Squair, B.A., Toronto; Dr. J. M. Harper, Quobec; Supt. Brydges, St. Johns, N. B.; Mr. J. Robertson, B.A., Charlottetown; Rev. Lewis Drummond, St. Boniface; Rev. D. M. Gordon, Kingston; Chancellor Burwash, Toronto; Supervisor McKay, Halifax.

Racing at Fair.

Fire at Somerset.

The town hall, Massey-Harris ware-house, the Somerset pharmacy, offices of the municipality and buildings occupied by Main Bros., barness makers; Allan, confectioner, and Richard, butchier, were totally destroyed this morning at Somerset. The loss will be about \$40,000.

Send Off at Quebec. Quebec, July 29.—Lord Dundonald got a heavy send-off by the citizens of

Death of Author.

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Montreal, July 30:—A cable was received here this morning from Vallombrosa, Italy, or the death there of Wilsiam McLennan, the well known Canadian author. Mr. McLennan had not been in good health for some time past and had been residing in Europe with his family. He was a second son of the late Hugh McLennan.

Coming to Coast.

General Manager Hayes, of the Grand Trunk, is shortly to leave for the Pa-cific coast with a view to locating the Pacific terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Changing Churches,

The Montreal Presbytery this morning gave Rev. Prof. Ross, of the Presbyterian Theological College, leave to accept a call entended to him by the St. Andrew's church of London, Ont Keen regret is felt in the college at the loss of the professor.

CURE THE MOST EXTREME CASES

STONE IN THE KIDNEYS CANNOT STAND BEFORE DODD'S KID-NEY PILLS.

Mr. S. A. Cassidy, of Ottawa, Perman ently Cured After Years of Suffering by the Great Canadian Kidney Rem-

Ottawa, Ont., July 29.—(Special.)—
While all Canada knows that Dodd's
Kidney Pills are the standard remedy for
all Kidney Complaints it may surprise
some people to know they cure such extreme cases as Stone in the Kidneys. Yet
that is what they have done right here in
Ottawa.

Mr. S. A. Cassidy, the man cured, is the well-known proprietor of the Bijou Hotel on Metcalf street, and in an inter-Hotel on Metcalf street, and in an interview he says: "My friends all know that I have been a martyr to Stone in the Kidneys for years. They know that besides consulting the best doctors in the city and trying every medicine I could think of I was unable to get better. "Some time ago a friend told mo Dodd's Kidney Pills would cure me. As a last resort I fried them and they have cured me.

"I could not imagine more severe suffering than one endures who has Stone in the Kidneys and I feel the greatest gratitude to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

If the disease is of the kidneys or from

If the disease is of the kidneys or from the kidneys Dodd's Kidney Pills wil

Disappointed in love, Matthew Wood, a young Grimsby, Eng., fisherman, tried to kill himself by cutting his throat with an oyster shell. He finally gave up the attempt, and at the local police court he promised not to repeat his conduct.

WANTED MALE HELP.

SELLING AGENT WANTED-To handle very attractive, interesting and profitable proposition. Conkle & Co., Drexel Bldg. Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED Energetic man to menage office for large manufacturing company; salary \$4,500 per annum and extra profits; must furnish \$2,000 cash and good references Superintendent, 12th and Johnson Sts. Chicago.

WANTED-Active youth, about 16, to ico after horses and delivery wagon. Dea ville, Sons & Co.

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FOR SALE-5-acre blocks fruit land on North Dairy Farm (near raimer's orchard; price \$130 per acre.

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FOR SALE-Lots on Niagara, Battery, Charence, Simcoe and Carr streets, James Bay. FOR SALE-7 roomed house, modern, Carr street, large lot; price \$2,000.

FOR SALE-160-acre ranch, Oyster Dis-trict; price \$1,280.

FOR SALE-Cottage, on Foul Bay road, second north from Oak Bay avenue; price \$650, on terms. FOR SALE-2 large lots, Terrace avenue;

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al Estate and Insurance Agents, 9 and 11 Trounce Avenue.

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ITS CAPITULATION

AT JAPANESE LEGATION.

REPORT AT ST. PETERSBURG. St Petersburg, July 29.—A brief, report was received by the Emperor to-day from Vice-Admiral Skrydloff announcing the arrival of the German steamer Arabia, captured by the Russian cruiser Gromboi-July 22nd, at Vladivostock, The

local prize court."

Although the steamer Arabia has arrived at Vladivostock, the report of the commander of the Vladivostock squadron has not yet been received, and the

ON PROGRESS OF WAR.

Headquarters of Gen. Kuroki, July 27, via Scoul, July 29.—The fighting at Chantan afforded evidence of the superior tretical ability of the Japanese in comparison with their enemy when executing preconceived plans. A turning movement executed by the Japanese before Chanton, involving a march of sixteen miles over a precipitous country and in great heat, was a remarkable performance, demonstrating a high off-der of stamina on the part of the Japanese army. The Russians here again failed to employ their artillery to advantage. The Japanese mountain guns, employing an indirect fire from a concelled position, more than held their own against the field guns of the Russians.

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last Tuesday for Scattle.

The Korea did not go to Midway istand-because she was late and was trying to make up lost time.

ON PROGRESS OF WAR.

GEN. KUROKI REPORTS

ron has not yet been received, and the foreign office has done nothing further than reply to the United States, whose communication yesterday, it has transpired, was only in the nature of a presentation of facts regarding the character of the cargo declared by the Portland Steamship Company.

In regard to the British steamer Knight Commander's case, the correspondent of the Associated Press learns London, July 30.—A correspondent of the Times at Tokio cabling under date of July 30th, says: "The cruisers of the Vladivostock squadron were seen south of the Island of Idzu, at the entrance

- Teachers' Convention Closed -

Toronto, July 20.—Bradstreet's review says: In Montreal holiday dullness is being displayed in a good many departments of wholesale trade. Many travellers are taking holidays and orders for the fall, while quite up to the usual volume at this time, are not showing as much expansion as they will later on. The conditions of trade continue satisfactory and the prospects are still bright for the fall and water business. Woodlen goods, are showing increasing woodlen goods, are showing increasing

formal protest at the foreign office against British shipments of contraband to Japan. The Associated Press learns that the Russian government, since the beginning of the war, has carefully watched the manufacture of goods intended for use of the Japanese

200d movement in goods for the ensu-ing season and the prospects point to further growth in this trade as the sea-son develops. The conditions of husi-ness are healthy and the wholesale trade looks for a large turnover for the

Hacing at Fair.

About 40,000 people attended the Winnipeg exhibition to day. The big event was the free-for-all race, which was won by Harry O. Harold; "H" was second, Democracy third. Best time, 2.07. During the gentlemen's riding race A. J. Andrews, former mayor of Winnipeg, fell from his borse and suffered a slight concussion of the brain.

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THE CZAR OFFERED WITTE VACANT POST

Former Minister Would Be Given Title of Chancellor-British Comment on Situation.

London, July 29 .- The failure of the reactionary system in Russia, of which the murdered minister of the interior was a typical representative, is the leading theme taken up by the editorials in ment with horror on this latest political crime as a stain on the pages of Russian history. Little surprise is felt at the and able and well meaning, was regard editorials generally extend the utmost sympathy to the Czar, who is surrounded with difficulties both at home and

mistaking the meaning of the blow. The red spectre has reappeared at an un-happy stage of Russian history, and the system of czardom is again-threatened at its heart by an enemy destined, soon-er or later, to be more fatal than the enemy on the frontier. The wonder is that Von Plehwe has so long escaped his doom.

"It is a grim portent," says the Standard,' "and the best hope for Russia is that the warning may be understood and the opportunity asken for a change of men and an altered policy in the high-

Extended accounts of von Pienwe's career accompany the descriptions of his assassination. It is alleged that he spent as much as \$500,000 yearly in police measures for his personal protection. This is probably exaggerated, but it is known that the expense of the secret service has greatly augmented under his receime.

M. Witte Offered Post.

London, July 30.—The Daily Telegraph's correspondent says that Emperor Nicholas sent a felegram to the president of the Russian council of ministers, M. Witte, asking his advice and offering him the post of minister of the interior with the title of chancellor.

New York Sympathizers.

New York, July 29 .- Five thousand New York, July 29.—Five thousand persons cheered themselves hoarse over the death of the Russian minister of the interior. Von Plehwe, and shouted praise for his assassin in Copper Union to-night. Many anarchists, who waved red banners, were present. At every mention of the bomb thrower there was a din that lasted several minutes, and cries of "Lego, Lego, Lego." The mass meeting was held by the united Russian revolutionists to celebrate Von Plehwe's death, which, they believe, will mark a new era of liberty for their brethren in Russia.

known M. Von Plehwe's carriage well, as he pald no attention to the passage of several other ministers who had preceded Von Plehwe in going to Peterhoff.

So soon as the victim's carriage appeared the assassin ran forward with the evident intention of throwing the bomb through the window. Von Plehwe must have seen him, and felt his coming doom before the death-dealing charge burst.

The upper part of the battered remants of the deceased minister's portfolio, which was lying in front of his seat, was reduced to a pulp, and the lower part was completely riddled with

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Assassin Will Recover.

The recovery of Lego, alias Porozeff, the assassin of Von Plebwe, is practically certain. He is entirely conscious, although suffering acute pain in consequence of the operation in extracting the splinters from his abdomen, face and arm. He admits it was a carefully planned crime, says he was animated by humanitarian motives, and does not express the slightest regret.

Accomplice Arrested.

The captured of the accomplice of the murderer was affected under circumstances showing that the conspirators pursued the plan followed at the assassination of Alexander II.

sination of Alexander II.

The accomplice, who is now under arrest, stood near the Baltic depot ready to throw a second bomb in case the assassin stationed half a mile higher up the canal had failed. When the accomplice was satisfied that the murder had been accomplished he hastily hired a boat and directed the boatman to take him for a row toward the sea. The boatman saw his passenger drop a cardboard box overboard.

When the passenger landed he called

STEEL FACTORY DEAL

Purchase Made by Company of Exten-

New York, July 29,—It was apnounced to-day that the wire plant of
the Trenton Iron Company has been purchased by the United States Steel Company. The price was in the form of 5
per cent, second morfgage bonds of the
steel corporation. There are now of
these about \$107,000,000 outstanding.
The plant was founded by Cooper in
1847. The Trenton Company is capitalized at \$2,000,000, with about \$600,000
issued.

COTTON MILL STRIKERS. Many Canadians Are Leaving For Home -Distributing Assistance.

Fall River, Mass., July 29.-The fifth Fall River, Mass., July 29.—The fifth day of the cotton mill strike passed quietly. A settlement of the controversy appears distant. Attempts to operate the mills have been abandoned. Hundreds of the French-Canadian element among the strikers left to-day for Canada, where they will remain until the mills reopen, and still greater numbers are expected to leave the city shortly. Union officials are busy devising means for the maintenance of the less fortunate among the idle ones, while union committees received and acknowledged contributions from many sources.

Rienwe's death, which, they believe, will mark a new era of liberty for their brethren in Russia.

King Edward's Message.

London, July 29—King Edward has telegraphed to Emperor Nicholas his sympathy with him on the loss of his distinguished minister, Von Pichwe, and has received a very appreciative answer.

The assassin walked up and down the street at the corner, whence he threw the bomb, at least a quarter of an hour, awaiting M. Von Pichwe's carriage. He did not arouse the slightest suspicion on the part of several policemen who were almost alongside of him, because he wore an official (railroad) cap. A uniform of any kind invariably inspires confidence it. Russia. The murderer must have known M. Yon Pichwe's carriage will as he paid no attention to the passage of several other ministers who had preceded Yon Pichwe in guing to D. stomach troubles. I can truthfully say I never had any medicine act so promptly and give such satisfaction as the tablets do. I do not think you make any claim for them which their use will not substantiate." The tablets can be had from any medicine dealer or by mail from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. Price 25 cents a box.

J. J. Hill Is Diverting the Main Traffic of the Great Northern.

St. Paul, Minn., July 29.—In sixty days the Great Northern railway will abandon 100 miles of its present main line in Montana in favor of a new route covering the same distance which strikes north from Columbia Falls to a junction with the Fernie, B. C., branch at Rexford, thence back again over the Fernie branch to the main line at Jennings.

The existing main line will become a branch to all intents and purposes and fourteen prosperous main line towns—La Saile, Kalispell, Bafavin, Sedan, Athens, Marion, Hajkell Pass, Lucerne, Pleasant Valley, Lake View, Melbourne, Atlanta, Sterling and Fisher river—will be cut off from the principal channel of the through business.

By the abandonment of the 100-mile section President J. J. Hill will secure a minimum grade for the Great Northern which he claims to be slightly less than that of any of the American trans-continental routes. The new route will be used by all through trains of heavy tonnage, while lighter freights and local passenger trains will continue to use the old route, which will still be kept up.

Employees of the Branch Packing Houses in That City Are Called Out.

Chicago, July 29.—Unable to arrange a conference with representatives of the packers, President Donnelly, of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters' and Butchers' Workmen of America, has ordered a strike of all the mempers of his organization employed in New York by Schwarzhild & Sulzberger, and the United Dressed Beef Company. The order, which was telegraphed to New York to-night, does not go into effect until Sanday, as the men in the eastern packing houses do not report for work on Saturday.

The decision to extend the strike to the east was not taken until after Mr. Donnelly and his assistants had spent the day in a fruitless effort to arrange a meeting with the representatives of the eastern packers, who had come to Chicago last night.

General belief was that the New York packers had come west to make terms with the hydrogen but in the strike. Chicago, July 29.-Unable to arrange

General belief was that the New York packers had come west to make terms with the butchers; but if such was the case they changed their minds after investigating the progress that had been made here in working the plants with non-union employees. Late this after-roon, when Homer D. Callahan, of the pational orangiation of butchers, work-

sible.
On all sides it was conceded that the incident, will have a decided influence upon the future conduct of the strike.
Following the arrest of George Golden, chief of the packing teamsters' union, for picketing, riots became more frequent in the vicinity of the stock yards. In one disturbance a mob captured a loaded meat wagon after it had left the stockyards and unset the wagon

High Standards.

The high standard of workmanship demanded by the makers of the New Scale Williams Piano have attracted to them the very best of skilled labor. Bvery workman in their large factory at Oshawa is an artist in his particular line, and the pride they all take in the product of their united labor "The New Williams" is one of its best guarantees of excellence.

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THE DEFINITION OF A TRANSIENT TRADER

Prosecution Against A. Blygh in Police Court - Refused to Pay the License.

license fee. He came here from the Mainland some time ago and "opened up" in business on the corner of Fort and Donglas streets, advertising a bankrupt sale. Having lived here for a considerable period before embarking in mercantile pursuits in the Terminal City, Mr. Blygh didn't suspect for an instant that when he returned to his old home his bona fides would be questioned by the treasury officials.

time. Mr. Donnelly then decided on the strike order.

To-day when Henry C. Wallace, of Des Moines, and A. L. Ames, of Buckingham, Iowa, called on the different packers with a proposition from the strike leaders, offering to concede the most important point in the controversy, if the employers would agree to renew negotiations, they were told that there was no possible chance for any further conciliatory advance, and that the packers would ignore the labor unions, and that they proposed to do so.

From a statement made by President the police court.

bona fides would be questioned by the treasury officials.

But this is exactly what the action in the police court against him means. Collegion in the police court against him means. College of the police court against hi

In the midst of the fir forests with which Berlin is surrounded a day school is to ne established to receive children who are weak and sickly, though not actually suffering from any definite disease. The children will go out to school every morning and remain in the forest a whole day, and for a great part of it are to play about in the open air.

Proposal Made to Connect That Place With New Westminster.

With New Westminster.

The Chilliwack council is considering a proposition which, if carried to a successful conclusion, will mean great things for the development of the garden of the Fraser as well as for the entire Lower Mainland, says the New Westminster Columbian. For several weeks the municipal council of Chilliwack has been considering the offer which is made by R. Burtt Morgan, formerly of Rossland, and now representing a syndicate of capitalists of Grand Forks, B. C.

In brief the proposition is as follows: To construct an electric light and power plant, using the Vedder creek as a supply for the necessary water power. This will include a tramway running from Chilliwack to New Westminster. The franchise is for 25 years, with the privilege of a renewal for another 25. It is to be exclusive for 20 years. The terms offered to the council are most liberal, and will probably result in the construction of the proposed works and tram line.

As was mentioned above, the matter

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and the news has sent a wave of regret over theatrical circles. It has been a disastrous season. Strangely enough, "The Queen of Laughter" proved the death kuell of the famous old band of singers which will pass into operatic his-

singers which will pass into operate story as unique in its success.

Back of the failure there is said to be a plan to disband the company and reorganize it without Barnabee and Macdonald, the only ones left of the original group who made the Bostonians famous.

Emil Bruiguiere, of San Francisco, is a large sharcholder in the Bostonian Steek Company, which was chartered several years ago. L. G. Charlton, its several years ago. L. G. Charlton, its

the corporation.

The gossit of theatrical circles declares that Bruigalere and Charlton will gather a new company next season to supersede the present organization which, for lack of funds, has gone to pieces in Atlantic

and landlords ares demanding money due them. Charles Beacon, who has been the manager for twenty years, declares he was been mable to secure any financial aid from the stockholders, and Barnabee, who went to New York from Atlantic City to control of the stockholders. tie City to secure funds, has met with failure. Emil Bruigulere is now in New York. Several seasons ago the Boston-ians accepted an opera by the young San Francisco musician.

The history of the oldest opera com-

twenty-five years ago, with Zelie De Lus-san as prima donna. Barnabee, W. H. Macdonald and Tom Karl founded the

Smith and De Koven opera to crowded houses. The members of the company were all identified with their parts, and genial old Bernabeé was always warmly

Barnabee is one of the best loved members of the theatrical profession and his present misfortune has aroused much sympathy. Last October wheat he celebrated his seventieth brithday, the veteran comedian was given a reception at the Academy of Music in New York. Joseph Jefferson, the other veteran of American comedy, presented Barnabee with a loving cup and several hundred members of the dramatic profession gathered to do him honor.

The Bostonians produced several other Smith and De Koven operas, but even the success of "The Serenade" did not equal that of "Robin Hood."

It is a curious colucidence that the failure of the Bestonians should follow their parting with "Robin Hood." Barnabee is one of the best loved mem

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WHAT THE BLIND DO NOT SEE!

discover some wonderful things. We notice in the telegraphic dispatches that ne after a visit to this country has been telling the reporters that Canada is in a ferment-not about the eccentricities of Lord Dundonald, as might be supd-but about fiscal matters. We are in such an effervescent state that the Imperial cork is threatening to fly out of the bottle. Not to put too fine a point a republic, with the inevitable end of a to the American union. The law of gravity renders this final result inevitable. It is also curious that an Amerivinced that we are rapidly and surely becoming republican in our political senmouth of Uncle Sam.

O-o-o' What a bad, bad, wicked, purpose of granting representative government it is, that government at Ottawa! We had supposed that the blackest sin that could be laid up against it was the failure to that under no circumstances must it ap- was worthy of publication: "Wives fulfil proach the McBride government of British Columbia, and ask for a subsidy towards the construction of a road whose construction has already been provided be had built was his wife's property. for. But we underrated the fruitfulness "They used to be simply domestic of the Tory imagination. The perfidy of ernors, but now they are the trade pro-the Grits at Ottawa is merely being ex-tectors of the husbands as well. Some

the federal government has been guilty of a political crime of heineus character perpetrating." in refusing to make a grant of several hundred thousand dollars towards the cost of the New Westmiaster bridge, ment's iniquity yet full? It betrayed the McBride administration into the at Otsawa if the principle were thoroughly established that governments are bound to rush to the assistance of such Bride in all works undertaken purely for the purpose of securing political support, Any mere Grit government that under-We suspect that work is going to be a

of the terms of union. All the provinces of that case, but we believe it did that

clearly established that the federal au-thorities had not adhered to the compact in letter and in spirit. Mr. Hendry of New Westminster has pointed out in reply to pers that if a company had been formed for the nominal purpose of erecting the bridge a subsidy might have been secured not to be thrown off the scent by any that Mr. Hendry was after a "graft." He admitted to be patriotic enough to lene his name to the province without recom cent. "rake-off," which on three hundred thousand dollars would surely have been worth while. There can be no reply to such "arguments" other than nocent-minded contemporary on its re markable acumen. It has had specia the manner in which "grafts" are work ed by governments and on governments and may be presumed to speak with a at present engaged in the congenial task of preparing the public mind for a "graft" of Brobdingnagian proportions of which we shall doubtless hear more at a later date.

the offender who presumed to interfere with the "graft" specially reserved for these who are in the inner circles, leans in his politics to the Grit or the Tory side. Whatever his political faith may be, we have no doubt he appreciates the delicate manner in which the Colonist has exposed his plot.

SELF-GOVERNMENT

per in all respects but that of temper. In that respect it is short and crabbed. Nearly everything that is is wrong, especially if it is in Great Britain. Our outemporary has always looked forward with apparent satisfaction to the ernment in South Africa. It has always contended that responsible government of time, and then the trouble would be can, a writer in Collier's Weekly, a man gin. It was convinced that the agitator who has had special opportunities to study the Canadian situation, is conconfidence of the Legislature, and there has been no trouble since he was called into the counsels of the Governor. The a very short time until we shall essay advisers of the Post, we fear, are not shment of a brand new na- always well informed. They seem for republican in form of government, the most part to be people who look for-Of course he has no doubts as to the ward to the decline and fall of everything ultimate effects of the law of "manifest British. Some one told the Post that the destiny." Canada is gradually maturing Imperial government could not long withand will seen be a sweet morsel in the held self-government from the Transvaal, and that as soon as that was granted the . Are Canadians blind, that they behold treuble would begin. A Mr. - Solomon none of the wonderful things that strike takes strong exception to such state-the eyes and the minds of strangers? ments as being false in substance, and The Englishman says it is the preferen- likely to be mischievious in effects. He The Englishman says it is the preferential tariff that is causing the political waters to boil with angry bubblings. It had been supposed in this country that the preference given Great Britain was an English Afrikander, he emphatitude preference given Great Britain was an English Afrikander, he emphatically denies the existence of racial bittera tribute of goodwill, amity and affec- ness in the Transvaal on the part of the a tribute of goodwil, amily and antiness venture. Instead of that, it is lish; but he adds that the Dutch, who estimated by this shrewd observer as are now Britishers, are within their the final coal upon the fire that is going rights in forming a Dutch party, and to generate the steam that will burst the are entitled, equally with the English, to great Imperial boiler!

Now, despite the predictions of the two observers, we believe that if a really unbiassed person of sound judgment were to travel from Prince Edward Mr. Solomon believes that the English themselves. Island to Vancouver Island he would read in the minds of ninety-nine hundredths of the Camadian people perfect contentment with the present status of the Dominion and firm resolve to maintain the British connection.

There is nothing more certain in this world of change than the fact that the present generation of Englishmen and Yankees will behold no political revolution in Canada.

Mr. Solomon believes that the English will remain in a minority for many years, if not always. His opinion is that the British population will steadily decrease on account of the numbers of Englishmen leaving the country for lack of employment. He denies the right of recently imported fortune-hunters to dictate to mational aspirations. His letter has created a sensation at Pretoria, and is said to represent the opinions of a majority of both races.

We, suspect it must have been some cynical bachelor who sent the Tim tell the Grand Trunk Pacific Company following, with the suggestion that it day, I suppose, the legislature will wake in the second chapter it is charged that

is the cup of the Dominson governhands of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company in providing for the con-struction of a transcontinental railway. ovincial administrations as that of Me- It was guilty of a crime against the pectook to satisfy the cravings of the gang that is in power in British Columbia at the present time would be under the necessity of distributing largess from the federal treasury with a lavish hand.

Whatever government may be in control. Whatever government may be in power the Dominion, Grit or Tory, it is count to adhere strictly to the provisions must responsible for the present status



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regard for the Laurier administration as a scapegoat on which all the sins of the provincial government can be laid. Cannot the Dominton ministers be charged with vetoing the summer session of the British Columbia legislature, an event to which the provincial government looked forward as brim-full of promise of pro-fit? There is the railway policy of the McBride government. Did not Laurier voto that too? Are there no other extravagances that we in our state of perfect irresponsibility can enter upon and when it refuses to pay the bill? Why not throw a bridge across the inlet at Vancouver? There may not be such another opportunity for many years.

boodlers in the United States have against the people. One of the notori St. Louis gang is in jail yet. Not only is he in jail. He is in a dungeon after receiving forty hishes with the "cat" for insubordination. It is said Bersch has not been a model prisoner. Having been used to fine wines, good eigars and the best of fare generally, he spurned the prison bill with scorn. That is said to be the reason why the lash was applied. ed states evidence and gave the whole "graft" away. An informer is never popular even in prison. An example is evidently being made of Bersch.

The newspaper fellows are telling stories about Oom Paul again. The apocrypha of the ex-president is not yet cently imported fortune-hunters to dictivate to mational aspirations. His letter has created a sensation at Pretoria, and is said to represent the opinions of a majority of both races.

The most effective answer to the predictions of the Post is that the British government has already announced its purpose of granting representative government to the Transvaal.

We suspect it must have been some

Two hundred and sixty tombs, dating back some 3,000 years, have been opened at Tarquinia (says a Rome telegram), and found to contain helmets, breast-plates, gold amulets, vases, etc., of a highly-finished character, proving that Etruscan civilization was far superior to that of the Romans.

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Casting ever o'er me a mystic speil.
O! can ye tell this poor heart of mine
Why do we hate our life, yet dread to die?
Ever seeking after things that hidden He
From us, poor helpless ones of planet Earth
Who do not know enough—to know why
'tis we live.

Ah! here is one who cometh closer than the rest,
I seem to know, yet sorry guess at best.
"Beautiful Spirit, whence comest thou?
With the hair of gold and face of snow,
I know thee not—I dare not think
That once I saw thee on the brink
Of dire despair; because of one who loved.
Thee not. Ah! gentle Spirit, art thou then
the same?

Do whisper louder-Tell me whence ye

came.
I seem to know thee, too; bast had thy
share of pain?
If thou are she whom I could name,
It seems to me that he who brought thee

Would gladly know thou hast a brighter morrow,
And find relief if he but saw thee once

Now, knowing that my God doth all things

best,
I'll only seek to quell this mad unrest.
Nor seek to find what lies beyond, O, Death!
But this—be sure of this—no full stop is death,

death,

Not even comma, or a pause between,

But just a lightning change, once gone,

now seen.

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London Chronicle.

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-Mrs. Louise Frane, of Enderby, B. C., died last evening at the Old Ladies' Home, in this city. Deceased was 55 years of age, and a native of New York. The funeral is arranged for Monday at 10.30 a.m. from the parlors of W. J. Hanna. Rev. P. Westman will officiate.

The funeral of the infant son of T. W. Walker took place this afternoon from the residence at Foul Bay, Rev. Dr. Rowe conducting the services. The pallbearers were six little girls. These consisted of two daughters from each of three families in camp at Foul Bay, namely, Misses Stevens, J. G. Brown and Losee.

The board of directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital have opened tenders, and awarded contracts as follows: Groceries, Fell & Co.; meat, L. Goodacre & Sons; deugs, Hall & Co.; milk, Finnerty & Sons, Cadboro Bay: scavengering, E. Lines; printing annual report, Victoria Printing & Publishing Co.

The funeral of the late Joseph Belare took place this morning at 8.45 a. m. from the parlors of the B. C. Funeral & Furnishing Co., and at the Roman Catholic cathedral at 9 o'clock. Solemn requiem mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father Sobry. The funeral service at the church and grave was conducted by the Rev. Father Laterme.

Frederick Warde declares that his forthcoming tour with Wagenhal & Kemper's spectacular production of "Satammbo," in which he will be associated with Miss Kathryn Kidder, will be his farewell to the regular stage. This will not mean that he is to retire from public life, however, as he is to adopt the lecture platform with Shakespeare and the other great dramatic classics as his theme.

The employees of Wester Bros. have presented Miss Lulu Davies with a very handsome silver tea service upon her leaving the firm's employ; and the opportunity afforded was made the means of conveying to Miss Davies the sincere regret of every member of the staff, and of assuring her that the best wishes of their companions in service for the past three and a half years will follow her for all time to come. It may be stated that Miss Davies has occupied the position of stenographer for the firm, to whom she has given excellent satisfaction.

Rev. E. H. Shanks will speak at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday evening on the subject of "Obedience." Mrs. Shanks will also sing. The meeting last evening was well attended, when a stirring address was delivered by Mr. Shanks at an after meeting. The revival committee arranged for special afternoon lectures to be held next week at the Y. M. C. A. rooms from 3 to 4 o'clock. These will be conducted by Mr. Shanks, "Prayer" being the first subject to be studied. Mrs. Shanks will sing at each meeting, which will be open to all.

Ope of the happiest and most enjoyable gatherings in the history of the Sir William Wallace Society took place last evening in their half. Broad street. The occasion marked the return to the city, after an extensive business tour, of R. H. Jameson, one of the oldest and most enthusiastic members of the society. The proceedings were in the form of a reception, which included a programme of unusual merit, comprising pipe music, dancing, songs, recitations and speeding, all of which were much enjoyed. During the evening the members and friends sat down to a supper which reflected great credit on the committee in charge.

The appended communication has een received by Messrs, Radiger & been received by Messrs. Radiger & Janion, local agents for Buchanan Company, from H. W. Kent, secretary-treasurer of the North Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen: "I beg to advise that at the annual meeting of the N. P. A. A. at Portland, Oregon, on the 23rd inst., it was resolved that a vote of thanks be tendered Messrs. Buchanan & Co., through their agents, for their kindness in donating such a handsometrophy to the N. P. A. A. O." A post-scrip says: "It was unanimously decided at this meeting that all officers and members of the association not in training should in future drink Buchanan scotch."

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—Dr. Jameson will fecture at Labor hall, Douglas street, at 8 o'clock Sunday evening. Subject: "Continuance of the Occult Powers."

The Toronto News, in a recent issue, publishes a group of a dozen leading educationalists of Canada attending the Winnipeg convention. Miss Agnes Dean Cameron is the only British Columbian included.

-H. B. W. Aikman, who passed away on the 25th inst., was a member of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, in which he carried an insurance of \$2,000. The claim was paid on Friday, the 20th inst. The old order is being conducted on business principles, and prompt payment is one of the features.

—An entertainment in aid of the Church Building Society was held at Duncans on Wednesday, Miss G. Prior, Miss G. Loewen, Mrs. H. Pooley, Mr. Longfield, Mrs. Mellin and Mr. Williams were among those who contributed to the programme. A very enjoyable evening was spent, which concluded with dancing.

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—That the two big features on the programme at the Grand theatre on Johnson street would be the means of drawing large business this week was of course fully anticipated, and the most sanguine expectations of the management in this respect have been realized to date, as the receipts up to last night are already more than in any whole week since the opening and there are still the three closing performances to night to hear from Miss Jean St. Remy contributes in large measure to the attractiveness of the entertainment in the beautiful "Staccato Polka" and "Coming Thro' the Rye," and Miss Grace Armond, Herb Bell and Frederick Roberts must not be overlooked. An incident in last night's performance was the entry of about 50 well-dressed Japs in one body, who all took reserved seats and applauded vociferously whenever the Japanese flag appeared in the moying pictures. Mr. Jamieson promises for next week a programme fully up to standard. It includes the Cox family of juvenile harmony singers; Gilmore and Le Moyne, comedy sketch and musical artists; the Malcoms (Mr. and Mrs.), globe rollers, Mrs. Malcom also doing a serpentine dance on the revolving globe, and Le Witt and Ashmore (Charles and Hazel) in an original absurdity entitled "The Bold Mr. Timid," which is replete with high class singing. A new illustrated song by Frederic Roberts, and a new lot of moving pictures described as "A Trip to the Arctic" will bring the performances to a close.

THE BAND'S TOUR.

To the Editor:-The letter under the car deficient in either argument, logic

deficient in either argument, logic or common sense. It is evident "Pay No More" is no taxpayer, hence his desire to shift the expense of sending the Band to St. Louis on other shoulders—on those who do own property and pay taxes.

Had he to meet the annual taxation that we property owners suffer, he would not be so ready to increase the burden. The voluntary subscription solicited by the band is far more consistent. Anyone has the right of donation or refusal as he may see fit, "Pay No More" 'ncluded. Were he to inspect the list of contributors when complete, your correspondent would probably be astonished to find the majority of the subscriptions are from taxpayers. Many while be astonished to find the majority of the subscriptions are from taxpayers. Many of the property holders are workingmen of limited means, who have invested their hard earned savings in a little home, and who, in the general depression that pervades our city just now, find if difficult to meet current expenses. "Pay No More" should also remember that the \$250 donated to the band's expenses by the city council has aiready been drawn from the taxpayers' pockets. I shall not hide behind a vague designation, but am, sir,

JAMES A. DOUGLAS.

HINDOO JUGGLER'S TRICKS. A Traveller's Story of Marvels Performe

"When in India I made the acquaintance of a juggler, who tried to instruct me in all his tricks. He said that it was imaginary on the part of the spectators, as he simply willed that they should see those things. Yet I, in common with Western nations, was too animalized, sensual and materialized by flesh eating and consumption of alcohol to retain or accept any deep spiritual teaching.

"The most exciting performance that he gave for my amusement was the converting of a bamboo stick into a native servant, who waited at table and supplied our wants. Afterwards, in his absence, I tried it, and to my surprise the same man was before me asking for instructions. I direct-

ore me asking for instructions. I direct before me asking for instructions. I directed him to fill the chattles in the veranda with water from the well in the compound. This he proceeded to do. When he had filled them all to overflowing I requested him to stop. He, however, took no notice of me, and went on stolidly, bringing in the water, until, in my excited imaginal the water, unit, in my extend magnatos, it seemed that the bungalow would be washed away. Finding that I could not arrest or stop his movements, he passing through me as though I did not exist, I drew my sword and lay in wait for him.

recently been lamenting that Mr. Barrie has made the name of Mary unpopular are quite correct in supposing that this change of fashion will have its way.

Nothing, of course could change the universality of Mary in Roman Catholic countries, where it is frequently added to a boy's name, too. In England the Royal names of the moment are easily first. Albert and Alberta raged throughout England files years ago, and to-day Victoria, shortened to Vera, and Alexandra, shortened to Vera, and Internet and Alberta raged throughout the to him for an explanation. He said he had been present all though that half the ware f

cerning the existence of which no conceal ment is made, the Czar can in a momen

of which little is known, especially absord. It is known as the "Holy Gold Fund of Russia," and has been amassed by years every noble, every officer and soldier, and by every individual, no matter of what gems, all their most cherished treasures, until the cloth is completely hidden. On such festivals as these the Russians yield to a perfect mania for surrendering their wealth to the church, and as they are the most ardent, religious and excitable people on the face of the carth, especially she

classes, their generosity is ubbounded.

The expenditure of the church does not absorb a half, probably not even a third, of lits revenues derived from all these sources which I have just indicated. The remainder gaes to swell the Holy Gold Fund, of which the Emperor is

The Chief Custodian

in 1877, during the war between Russia and Tarkey, nor yet during the Urimean war, when Russia was confronted by a coalition comprising Great-Britain, France, Turkey and Italy, was a rouble of the holy fund touched to meet the expenses.

And so it will be during the present war with Japan. Russia before she even touches hor war chest will exhaust by every available means her capacity for borrowing money abroad. Not until the foreign money markets shut down hard and fast

Fight for Her Very Existence as a nation, that the Holy Gold Fund Rassia will be proclaimed by Emper Nicholas as available—but not until ther Compared to these tremendous resour at the disposal of the Russian Emper those of Germany, which has a war ch in the so-called Julius Tower, in the fortr of Spandau, near Berlin, estimated \$200,000,000, seem small. In the case Germany these forces are of course of

gular war fund are the United States and England.-Exchange.

If Necessary Russia Has Almost Incredit Hoards of Wea th From Which to Draw.

Among the things which seem to have struck Henry Norman the most during nis recent stay at St. Petersburg was the glimpse which he was allowed to obtain of the war chest of Russia, which dispelled in his mind all deubts as to the financial ability of the Russian government to prosecute the present conflict for a considerable time to come, independently of the assistance of the foreign money markets.

The Russian war fund amounts, it is said in Russia, at the present moment to 8000,000 in gold, an estimate which by some is thought to be exaggerated. But even if this were the case there is no doubt that it exceeds under any circumstances \$350,000,000, the tremendous monetary loss sustained by the absence of any returns from this vast pile of gold in the shape of interest being more than compensated for by the assurance which its presence in the treasury gives to the Muscovite government in crises

class, from Prince to moujik. On the great feast days a great cloth is spread near the altar in church and there rich and poor heap up gold, silver, paper money, jewels, copper kopecks, pearls, ikons studded with gems, all their most cherished treasures,

n his double capacity of temporal ruler and supreme pontiff of the church. Ever since the burning of Moscow during the great Napoleonic war, that is to say, for nearly a hundred years, the accumulation of this secret holy fund has been going on. The growth of the wealth of the church and the development of solid winter, have comin 1877, during the war between Russia

FASHIONS IN NAMES.

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Stanleys swarm round Liverpool. Howdisappeared."—Johannesburg Star.

The Turks have no war songs except
those which they have translated from
other tongues.

of the neighborhood?

Stanleys swarm round Liverpool. Howards round Arundel. Herberts round Highclere: while at Chantilly the Christian
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MELROSE TWELVE

EXCITING GAME AT CALEDONIA GROUNDS

Tramway Team Defeated by One Goal -Tennis Finals To-Day -Sporting Notes.

The grandstand at the Caledonia grounds was crowded last evening, when the B. C. Electric railway and Meirose teams lined up to decide the question of superiority. When the players were stasuperiority. When the players were startioned in their respective positions the B. C. railway team appeared to have the advantage in weight, but among their opponents were noticed a number of experienced players. From the blow of the whistle the game was eagerly followed by secretaries and over year play. the whistle the game was eagerly followed by spectators, and every good play on the part of either side was applauded. Although the contest resulted in a victory for the Melrose twelve by 3 goals to 2, their opponents claim that had the full match been played the result would have been different. Unfortunately it was impossible, owing to the darkness, to was impossible, owing to the darkness, to continue the game through the full

continue the game through the full-twenty minute quarters.

In the first two quarters the Melrose team had the advantage. The fun commenced immediately after the ball became in play. There were scrimmages in rapid succession, hand to hand combats, and any number of amusing incidents. These followed each other so quickly that the crowd was kept in good humor. It would have been difficult to believe that most of the players were not familiar with the game. Everyone went into it with a vim that would lead the uninitiated to believe they were veterans. While, perhaps, the reliability of the combination was not all that could be desired, there was not a player ignorwent into it with a vim that would lead the uninitiated to believe they were veterans. While, perhaps, the reliability of the combination was not all that could be desired, there was not a player ignorant of the value of the stick in checking an opponent. It was the too general proficiency in this particular that resulted disastrously to one of the tramway players, Oakes, early in the game. He received a nasty cut on the head and was laid out until the latter part of the game. Play had been in progress for about ten minutes before either team succeeded in obtaining any decided advantage.

STANDING OF CLUBS.

The Pacific Coast League pennant for the first half of the season's series have ing been captured by Tacoma, the second competition for highest honors has commenced. So far the Seattle and Tacoma teams are equal, both having captured they competition for highest honors has commenced. So far the Seattle and Tacoma teams are equal, both having captured they competition for highest honors has commenced. So far the Seattle and Tacoma teams are equal, both having captured they will have to play off with Tacoma teams are equal, both having captured they competition for highest honors has commenced. So far the Seattle and Tacoma teams are equal, both having captured they competition for highest honors has commenced. So far the Seattle and Tacoma teams are equal, both having captured the competition for highest honors has commenced. So far the Seattle and Tacoma teams are equal, both having captured they competition for highest honors has commenced. So far the Seattle and Tacoma teams are equal, both having captured they competition for highest honors has commenced. So far the Seattle and Tacoma teams are equal, both having captured they competition for highest honors has commenced. So far the Seattle and Tacoma teams are equal, both having captured they competition for highest honors has commenced. So far the Seattle and Tacoma teams are equal, both having the first half of the season's series have and the season'

ten minutes before either team succeeded in obtaining any decided advantage. The first goal was then made by the Melrose team through a really neat combination rush, the ball being finally passed into the stick of T. Gawley, who was standing directly in front of the flags, and from there dropped into the net. For the remainder of the game the tramway twelve played in determined style, but were unable to even matters. The match seemed to improve in the second quarter. There wasn't as much of that disagreeable roughness, and the teams put up a better all round exhibition. Once more the advantage fell to the Melrose team, the B. C. railway aggregation's defeuree not being sufficiently

the Meirose team, the B. C. railway ag-gregation's deferce not being sufficiently strong to repel the repeated assaults of their opponents. Just before the finish of the quarter two goals were scored close together. Both were long shots, one being made by Gawley from the left of the goal and the other by Erskine from the right side.

LAWN TENNIS FINALS TO-DAY.

More than usual interest was evidenced in the James Bay Athletic Association handicap tournament yesterday afternoon, there being in attendance a large and enthusiastic crowd. Undoubtedly the player who figured most prominently was B. P. Schwengers, and there is no doubt that if he continues to play in the same form the single championship will fall to him to-day. He took part in no less than four games, two singles and two doubles, and in each case was victorious. In the latter contests he was ably assisted by his brother Conrad, who put up a clever game throughout. One of the most surprising features of the nfternoon was Cran's defeat by Schwengers, The was Cran's defeat by Schwengers, The former received 15 while the letter owed 40, but in spite of this overwhelming

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handicap Schwengers won out with com-parative ease. Hilton, another first class man, also went down to defeat at the hands of Bernie, after an uninteresting:

man, also went down to deteat at the hands of Bernie, after an uninteresting contest.

One of the principal attractions was the match announced to be played between J. Leeming and F. A. Macrae. Both men had their supporters, and each exceptionally good play elicited appreciative applause. Macrae, however, proved too sure for his opponent, and won out by a score of 6-3, 8-6.

Miss Futcher defeated Miss Leeming after a hard struggle.

Commencing at 2-30 o'clock this afternoon the finals will be coptested. Some splendid games are expected. In the gentlemen's singles B. P. Schwengers will meet F. A. Macrae and there is a great deal of difference of opinion at to which will win out. The Schwengers brothers will be opposed by J. Leeming and F. A. Macrae in the gentlemen's doubles, Miss Schrappel and J. Leeming will play Miss Macrae and F. A. Macrae in the mixed double. All games will be best three out of five sets.

Following are the complete results of yesterday's play:
Gentlemen's Singles—F. A. Macrae

Yesterday's play:
Gentlemen's Singles—F. A. Macrae
beat J. Leeming 6-3, 8-6; B. P. Schwengers beat J. N. Cran 6-1, 6-2; B. P.
Schwengers beat E. W. Carr-Hilton 6-1,
6-1.

The fixtures for to-day are appended: Gentlemen's Singles—B. P. Schweng-ers, owe 40, v. F. A. Macrae, owe 30. Ladies' Singles—Miss Wilson, owe 15,

Addes Singles Alis Theody A. Miss Futcher, rec. 15.
Gentlemen's Doubles — Schwengers rothers v. J. Leeming and F. A. Macrae.

Mixed Doubles—Miss Shrapnel and J.
Leeming, owe 45, v. Miss Macrae and
Mr. Macrae, owe 30.

BASEBALL.

STANDING OF CLUBS.

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Seattle	3	0	1.000
Tacoma		0	1.000
Oakland	2	1	.667
Los Angeles	1	2	.333
Portland	0	3	000
San Francisco	0	3	.000
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RACES TO-DAY. This afternoon the fourth of the Vic-toria Yacht Club races is being contested. The races commence at 2 o'clock, and are expected to be keenly contested.

> THE TURF. MR. JENNINGS TALKS.

strong to repel the repeated assaults of their opponents. Just before the finish of the quarter two goals were scored close together. Both were long shots, one being made by Gawley from the left of the goal and the other by Erskine from the right side.

MR. JENNINGS TALKS.

Some excitement has been roused among members of the Victoria Driving Club as a result of the placing of \$50 by J. H. Greer, backing Tyee Maid, owned by D. A. Upper, against Baby Boy, owned by I. E. Wade; Marcus, owned by J. R. Jennings; Nellie S., owned by J. R. Jennings; Nellie S., owned by J. R. Jennings; Nellie S., owned by Jr. R. Jennings; Nellie S., owned by Dr. Humber. Yesterday the Times received a call from Mr. Jennings announces that he is quite willing to back his horse to the extinct required, and suggested the ball into the net from a pass and Kroeger repeated the performance a little later.

Geo. Snider gave general satisfaction as referee.

parations.

Continuing, he said: "Mr. Greer has stated that there has been talk between the gentlemen mentioned this summer. This is not so, but as he has deposited the money and issued an open challenge, I am quite willing to meet, not only Baby Roy, Neilie S., Victoria Girl and Tyee Maid, but Mr. Greer's own horse, Redora. As the latter was entered in one of the races at the last exhibition there should not be any objection on his part to allow my proposal. None of the others, I may say, will put anything in the way of Redora competing."

NELSON DEFEATED HANLON.

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San Francisco, July 30.—In one of the flercest battles ever witnessed in this city "Battling." Nelson, of Chicago, last night defeated Eddy Hanlon, of San Francisco, the end coming in the 19th round. From the time of the ringing of the signal for the commencement of the fight, the young-sters began mixing matters in the liveliest manner. Hanlon fought in his usual fashion, but the Chicago lad early penetrated the guard of the Californian, who bore several facial marks before the tenth round, testifying to the accuracy and force of his opponents' blows. It was almost an even thing until the fourteenth round with the boys fighting flercely.

After the fifteenth the tide of battle began to go towards Nelson, who throughout, although very heavily-punished about the face and body, had manifested endurance.

The sound of the gong in the eighteenth saved Hanlon from defeat at that period, but in the next round he came up dased. Nelson had him at his mercy and was battering him around the ring until the local lad became so helptess that the spectatore

Hymns

made a protest against the maintenance of the new one-sided fight.

Simultaneously with a signal from the police captain to the referce to stop the contest a towel was thrown into the ring from Hanion's second, and the referce abnounced Nelson the victor.

Throughout the affray the blows of Hanion did not have any apparent effect whatever upon Nelson, who came up gamely-and stubbornly, and always carried the battle to the other man's territory. At the conclusion he did not display a bruise, while Hanion's face was bleed ag and cut.

CRICKET.

VICTORIA V. VANCOUVER. An all-day match is being played to-day between the Victoria and Vancouver teams. The game commenced at 10 o'clock this morning on the Jublice hospital grounds. More than usual interest is taken in this contest, as, for several reasons, the opposing teams are on their mettle. Lunch was served on the grounds at noon. served on the grounds at noon.

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Ninth Sunday after Trinity. Preachers: Morning, Rev. Baugh Allen; evening, Ven. Archdeacon Scriven. The music for the day follows:

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Voluntary-Pastorale
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 Te Deum
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 Benedictus
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 Kyrie
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 Gloria
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 Hymns
 512, 176 and 219
 Voluntary-Fugue in E Minor Bach

Voluntary-Songs in the Night ... Spinner Vesper Hymn M. S.
Recessional Hymn 281
Voluntary—March in E Flat Wely

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN.

Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The preacher both morning and evening will be the Rev. W. Leslie Clay. Morning.

Organ-Nocturne in E E. H. Smith
 Psaim
 76

 Anthem—Sing a Song of Praise
 Simper Hymns

 274, 251 and 507
 Hymns 274, 251 and 507 Organ Offertorium Richmond

Organ-Audinte and Chorale Dicks Anthem-Light at Eventide ... Anthem-Light at Eventide ... Nichol Hymns ... 105 and 179 Solo-Gentle Holy Saviour ... Barri Miss Lugrin.
Organ-Postlude in D ... Driffell

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

The regular services will be held to-mor-row. Rev. Dr. Campbell will preach both morning and evening. Morning services at 11 a. m.; evening services at 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 2.30 p. m.

METROPOLITAN METHODIST.

The pastor, Rev. G. K. B. Adams, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Quarterly services: Love feast, 10 a. m.; Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at close of evening service. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. Strangers

VICTORIA WEST METHODIST.

On Sunday the pastor, Rev. R. J. Mc-Intyre, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Intyre, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morring subject, "Choosing the Hardest Work": evening subject, "Choosi

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It used to be one of the calm pleasures of these "maydes and gentlewomen" of whom Stow writes to devote the most cunof these "maydes and gentlewomen" of whom Stow writes to devote the most cunning needlework, the most graceful and artistic devices they could contrive, to the decoration of their pocket-handkerchiefs. And why not, indeed? These daintily scented scraps of fine lace and lawn were often destined to be love tokens and "keep-sakes," or even if the owner preferred to cherish each triumph of her skill in drawnthread work, or embroidery, or in the gentle craft of lace-making, the handkerchief was always a most effective aid to her arts of coquetry, a note, as it were, in the gamut of their airs and graces.

At one time, indeed, 'f a gallant loved a "ladye fayre," and she proved kind, she worked him one to wear in his hat, often edging it with rich gold lace. But this was in that far-off period of poetry and romance, ere chemistry and the washing machine had revolutionised our lives, our tranquil modes of "getting up" fine finen, or helped to evolve a whole supplement of expletives to Dr. Johnson's dictionary.

In Charles the Second's reign it was thought the wildest flight of extravagant fancy in a poet's disordered brain when Evelyn wrote:

"Of pocket-mouchoirs, nose to drain, A dozen laced, a dozen pack, and a mand 7 p. m. The evening subject will be "A Trip to the Mountain Top." This is the third in the series. Suitable music will be furnished by the choir. Sunday school and Bible class at 2.30.

CALVARY BAPTIST.

The pastor, Rev. J. F. Vichert, M. A., will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Prayer"; evening, "How We May Be Saved." Sunday school and Bible class at 2.30.

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Divine worship 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The pastor, Rev. Hermon A. Carson, B. A., will preach at both services. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper after the morning service. Subject of evening sermon, "Why Do Those Who Believe in Christ Continue to Do So?" Sunday school and Bible classes meet at 2.30 p. m. Young people's meeting after evening service, subject "Burmah" and Siam," led by the pastor. A cordial welcome awaits you at any or all of these services.

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By H. Kneeshaw gill hold a meeting at his residence, 136 Superior street, on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Subject of lee three will be "Forgivenness." Spiritual

the aid of handkerchiefs, they are again permissible, placed on one side, where the reigning tunic is looped up, and fastened with rich silk cord. The handkerchief is not used square, but with one point down.

not used square, but with one point down. The opposite corner is thrown over, but only a few inches. . . If the dress be of any material better than print, the hand-kerchief of which the pocket is made should be of silk in an harmonious color."

Why, certainly! Drummond says, "Happiness is perfect harmony with one's correspondences." No doubt that pocket was a dream of delight to someone, but let us be glad it has passed into the limbo of forgotten fashlons.—Exchange.

HYGIENE OF LAUGHTER.

the body that does not feel some wa from the great convasion produced hearty laughter, shaking the central n The blood moves more rapidly—probably chemical, electric, or vital condition is tinctly modified, it convers a different pression to all the organs of the body to visits them on that particular mystic j ney, when the man is laughing, from whi it does at other times. The time may com when physicians shall prescribe to a torpl patient, "so many peals of laughter, to b undergone at such and such a time."

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moment at which she believed the man she loved was about to marry another, a Warsaw girl woke up and jumped into a lake. When she was rescued she learned that her lover had been married a fortnight previously.

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NEWS OF DECK AND DOCKYARD.

Much discussion has been heard since the reports have been published of the blowing up of ships in Asiatic waters, of the kind of mines used in Esquimalt harbor A little inquiry along this line elicited some interesting information. The harbor now may have some mines in it, but they are said to be harmless, in that they have not all the explosives in them necessary for combustion. The contact mines are what are used. They are lowered by means of sinkers, to which are attached chains. The mine itself is a small cylindershaped thing about 30 inches in diameter, proportionate in length and charged with explosives which are fired when coming in contact with a ship's bottom. They are placed at regulation distances apart, and to mark their location there are small shore posts on either side of the harbor. Between these several are placed. These land marks are, of course, out of sight of an approaching ship, and are only known to naval officials. But it is stated at certain intervals, out be youd the Esquimalt harbor entrance, these are placed, so that a mine may be readily located at any time.

It is rumored that the Flora will go south in September, leaving the Bonaven-

Were it not for the routine which goes on in the dockyard and the work being done on Signal Hill, Esquimalt would be exceedingly quiet. All the ships of His Majesty's fleet are away, the flagship and Bonaventure being at Comox, the Flora having, it is believed, gone north to Skidegate, and the Shearwater to Behring Sea, and the Egeria being absent on the important survey which she is making of the waters on the east coast of this Island. The drydock was occupied for a few days this week by the big tramp steamship Caithness, which was placed on the blocks for a cleaning and painting. She is a turret vessel, the second of her kind which has been in the dock this year.

tially modest, retiring man, and said to a lady of my acquaintance, who ventured to reproach him for having holes in his shoes, that he knew no real advantage of wealth, except to be able to wear one's old shoes without criticism. But what is a million dollars to-day? To the eyes of many it represents economy; almost poverty; at any rate a step toward the almshouse. John Jacob Astor was said to be worth twenty millions, and that was such a colossal fortune, people had again to after their standard of figures in arithmetic. After this, Commodore Vanderbilt's forty millions seem

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Spans the River's Bed

to the granife and grey of the east. And this is the great Assouan dam. On up the road you ride, until you come to the eastern end of the dam, and the properties a small wooden greetion. On up the road you ride, until you come to the eastern end of the dam, and stop opposite a small wooden erection-looking like a box office, which is what it is. You give your horses to one of the many loafing natives to hold, and going to the box office, take a return ticket at to p. t (pinstres, 1s. 6d. English). A trolley is trundled up, a couple of Arabs seize the handles, and you are pushed swiftly across, the Arabs running at full speed with their bare feet on the almost red-hot metals. On your right as you move westward is the bed of the river; a great valley, golden walled, and dotted with Innumerable little islets of black rocks, blistered and burnt by the sun, and worn by the water into a thousand fantastic shapes and sizes. Nestling in and out among them, a small native town containing the bungalows and huts of the little army of workmen employed on the golden shore of the western bank, and on your left a great lake with

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Rear-Admiral the Hon. Tied-worth H. Rambton, C. Y. O., has hauled down his flag on the battleashy "The advance in the standard of wealth in the last century is recognized by all as suspected of heing a millionaire; and even in his case some regarded such wealth in the last century is recognized by all as suspected of heing a millionaire; and even in his case some regarded such wealth in the last century is recognized by all as suspected of heing a millionaire; and even in his case some regarded such wealth in the least century is recognized by all as suspected of heing a millionaire; and even in his case some regarded such wealth in the least century is recognized by all as suspected of heing a millionaire; and even in his case some regarded such wealth in the least century is recognized by all as suspected of heing a millionaire; and even in his case some regarded such wealth of the present

All the folionary changes are noticeable: a progressive shortening of the necks and a gradual elongation of the excess or the estimated cost. The Frod Into bricks a foot square, and arged in structure came changes in structure

means of the flexible, muscular shout.—

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European tour.
"It was valued at over £100, but the

actor was too glad to get rid of the Russian souvenir to be sorry for the loss.

"Three days later, however, a stranger came to the Osaku hotel, where Mr. Kawakami was staying, and left a parcel for the actor. It contained the watch and a letter, in which the pickpocket said that the watch with the image of the Czar was of no use to him. Even the light-fingered gentry seem to be ashamed of things Russian."

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Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 19th day of July, A. D., 1904.

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Notice to Contractors

R. MARPOLE,
General Superintendent.
Vancouver, B. C., June 20th, 1904.

The time for receipt of the above tenders extended until noon, August 1st, 1904.

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VINCENT SCHWABE, Secretary.

Victoria, June 20th, 1904. Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners, at the next sitting #8 a Licensing Court, for a transfer of my license for the sale of wines and liquors by retail upor the premises situate on the corner of Bianchard and Yates streets, in the City of Victoria, and known as the Retreat Saloon to Geo. L. Jones.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1904.

J. G. THOMSON,

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, at their next sitting as a Licensing Court, for a transfer of my license for the sale of wines and liquors by retail upon the premises situate at number *Bastion Square, in the City of Victoria, and known as "Steele's Salcon," to James Jeffrey Bothwell

rell.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1904,

T. D. DESBRISAY.

NOTICE.

Notice Is hereby given that we have deposited with the Minister of Public Works,
Ottawa, and tae Registrar General of
Titles, Victoria, B. C., plans and descriptions of site of a wharf proposed to be constructed by James Murisead, of the Victoria Planing Mills, of the said city, in
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open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notice in the Yukon Official Gazette.

Petroleum.—All unappropriated Dominion lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and within the Yukon Territory are open to prospecting for petroleum, and the Minister may reserve for an individual or company hav'ng machinery on the land to be prospected, an area of 640 acres. Should the prospector discover oil in paying quantities, and satisfactorily establish such discovery, an area not exceeding 640 acres. Including the oil well and such other land as may be determined, will be sold to the discoverer at the rate of \$1.00 an acce, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by order in-council.

Department of the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, February, 1004.

JAMES A. SMART.

Department of the Minister of the Interior.

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES HILTON NICHOLSON, LATE OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, DE-CEASED.

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All ersons who are indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of such indebtedness to the executors forthwith, and all persons who have any claims against the said estate are required to send in their accounts, duly authenticated, to Mr. Lioned Dickinson, No. 113 Douglas street, Victoria, B. C., on or before the 14th day of August, 1904, after which the executors will proceed to distribute the extact to the parties entitled thereto, Earing regard only to such claims as may have been received.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 13th day of July, 1904.

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Solicitors for Lionel Dickinson and John Joseph Cowley, Executors of the Said-Estate.

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Lands and Works Department, Victoria.
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Tenders will not be considered unless made upon the printed forms supplied for the purpose, and the agreement to execute a bond appended to the form of tender is duly signed by the contractor himself and two responsible sureties, residents of the Province, in the penal sum of \$400 for the faithful performance of the work.
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W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 27th July, 1904.



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tors. W. S. GORE, Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works. Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 28th July, 1904.

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ship of Ontario is a real Canadian epic. The mere Premiership of Mr. Ross is still in the fog. But the fancy of the ing a first when he comes back." And common reader turns with a fresh zeal the answer would be: "Ay! the lad'll be

to fancy him with the old red reader in forests, sullen, black in winter and solid walls of green in the hot summer. The roads were stumpy. Manners were hearty but rough. Morals were severely plain, even rigid. And the life was lanely. Instead of the claymore there was the axe, for the shepherd's pipe the clank of the log-chain; and for the turn the stern suits of homespun made at the wheel in the old log-cabin that in summer must have been often hidden in smoke. There were wolves for the sheep, and sometimes the young deer came out of the woods with the settler's cattle.

The Log-School.

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The result of the state of the

epic. In fancy he saw the figures of the ancient heroes. Like Macaulay he balladized the dry bones.

The third R was not so much his hobby. Said one of the foremost educators in Canada to the writer once: "Show me a boy that is apt at figures, and I will predict for him a brilliant future." Mr. Ross is an exception to the rule. As one of his schoolmates, now a prominent western judge, said lately, after referring to the Premier's brilliant career: "George W. Ross is today a poor man!" Yet how many of the stories of self-made men on this continent have been from rags to railroads! This man, like his great elder compatrict Macdonald, presents the anomaly of a self-made Scotchman not rich in this world's goods.

the old heads say in '71. "He'll be hav-

common reader turns with a fresh zeal to the man, George W. Ross. The homespun lad in the backwoods schoolhouse; the strennous young teacher; the apostle of temperance; the inspector; the editor; the lawyer; the member; the editor; the lawyer; the member; the minister; the Premier; the orator. All these!

Those Middlesex woods were a stern place for a crafle, Less rugged than the Highlands, there were more savagely remote and far less familiar to the elder Ross. There was no heather, and no blue haze on the hills. There were the forests, sullen, black in winter and solid walls of green in the hot summer. The

The Inspector and Member.

As school inspector for Lambton, Mr. Ross must have got a deep acquaintance with mud. There is no mud in Ontario like the mud of Petrolea. But he refused to stay in the mud. He was a Highlander. Ditches were scarce in those days. The future cabiner minister must have been deeply interested in public works. If he did not go horseback on his inspectoral tours, he probably drove a sulky. But wherever he landed at a schoelhouse he made a celebration. He was a travelling dynamo of knowledge. He could use large words aptly and sonorously. He could exhort the future citizens of this country on history, on ethics, on temperance. More wisely than he knew, perhaps, he was training up the phalanx of voters that stood so splendidly at the West Middlesex polls. His inspectoral tours were a picture in little of his triumphal stumpings through West Middlesex, capturing votes. And when in '72 Mr. Ross was elected to the House of Commons, there began to be a "braw day" for Middlesex, and an unmistakable, impressive figure in western politics.

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Cardinal Mathleu, the only French resident cardinal, has been severely reprimanded for publishing in the Revue despens. Mondes an article signed "A Witness." giving his recollection of the death of Lee XIII. and several incidents of the following conclave.

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mon's temple swiftly is liable to improvise many curious freaks of architecture. What these freaks have been, the opposition has pointed out more than once. Teachers remembering the work "exam" have sympathized with the children of Israel under Pharoah. But the system was built, and it was brilliant. That it was the creature of politics was no fault of Mr. Ross, who knew as well as any one that there is no divinely appointed connection between stumping for votes and teaching a little child to read. And he had long been interested in the large problems of Empire.

The Orator.

The Chief Procurator of Russia, in a late report to the Caar on the state of Russian religion, brings out the fact that the power and wealth of the Greek church are immense. There are 66,780 of these churches in the Empire. During the last year 883 new places of worship were consecrated. In connection with these churches there are 16,658 menks and 33,146 nuns. There are 2,050 head priests and 43,743 ordinary priests. These, together with 58,156 deacons and under deacons, make a grand total, along with seven other divisions, the figures of which he has not given exactly, of 170,000 persons in official positions. A sum of nearly \$30,000,000 was paid by the Russian people last year for the support of this vast organization.

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satisfaction.

The compass card, instead of having at its centre an arate resting on a fixed steel point, is fixed on a steel plvot which rests on a fixed agate. The latter is bathed in a drop of mercury, which serves to conduct the current of electricity that makes possible the registering of the movements of the compass. For this purpose the card has attached to it a small silver index, which is kept in constant electrical communication with the pivot by a fine and flexible wire. In the usual position this index does not touch the fixed basin surrounding the card, but by means of the electrical curthe usual position this index does not touch the fixed basin surrounding the card, but by means of the electrical current the circuit is rapidly closed and opened, with the result that the angle of the boat with the meridian is registered. For this purpose the basin is divided into a number of sections, isolated from each other and corresponding in each case to a special circuit, the registration being made on a sheet of paper by means of a spark produced by a small induction coil. Certain sections of the basin also correspond to certain call bells, the commander thus being instantly informed of any abnormal deviation in the direction of the boat. The apparatus also gives the speed of the boat by registering the revolutions of the screws, at each stroke of the piston a current being closed and a signal sent to the receiver, while the hour of departure is registered, together with that of every stop or start.

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RULE BRITANNIA.

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Richard Wagner's 'long-lost overture, "Rule Britannia," composed at Konigsberg in 1837, as a complimentary tribute to the British people and discovered recently by accident, is interestingly described in the London Daily Chronicle. The music comprises forty-one pages of manuscript, "There are in it some passages which remind one of "Tannhauser," and, among other things, the air of 'Rule Britannia' is introduced in a quartette for French horns." "Wagner is one of his reminiscences, "was completely tost to my art through the petitiest carea. I wrote one solitary overture, "Rule Britannia."

Wagner's attitude toward the English is partially indicated in the following passage, written fourteen years after the composite their test in the simple title. It is a full score for thirty-one instruments, including several which are now obsolete—such as the servent and the ophile-leide. It is scored on their vast arrangements for the public well-being, and the technique with which are an accidental is clear and perfectly distinct, There are in it some passages which remind one of "Tannhauser," and, among other things, the air of Rule Britannia" is the troduced in a quartette for French horns."

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MALASPINO'S CAVE ON GABRIOLA ISLAND

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The accompanying pictures show the celebrated Mainspino cave on Gabriola discovery in the Pacific ocean. He arrived on the Coast near Mount San Jacisto, or Edgecumbe, with his two peculiar grotto attained considerable prominence hist summer in consequence of a controversy with regard to its locality, which was finally established as being on Gabriola Island. The question came up in the following manuer: Professor Geo. Davidson, formerly of the University of California, and now of the Pacific Geographical Society, enclosed three pictures of the cure in a letter to Provincial Librarian Scholefield, inquir-



MALASPINO CAVE TO-DAY.

Photo by Pimbury.

ing for definite information of the spot.

The pictures were copies of an illustration in Malaspino's Voyages, and one of those accompanying this article is a reproduction of it. The account in the book says the grotto is on a "quiet lake along the Stanit of Juan de Fuca."

Professor Davidson's query for information elicited a large number of replies. Some of the writers described the location of the grotto as in the Okanagan district and other interior points. Finally, however, it was settled that the cave was on Gabriola Island. Alesandro Malaspino was an accomplished Italian navigator who accepted commissions in the service of Spain, and in 1790 he was en-



MALASPINO CAVE AS DISCOVERED, 1791.

EDWARD VII., AMBASSADOR.



Japan Does Not Want Port Arthur or Manchuria n n n n n

GEO. LYNCH IN LONDON CHRONICLE.

If may appear premature at this moment to speculate on what will be the end of the war, but I do not think it is premature to endeavor to direct public opinion towards the consideration of a position which will arise within a few months.

enforce its fulfilment.

"The War of the Broken Promise."

If, after a fight won with clean-handed honor by sea and land, Japan succeeds in doing this, then I think the other powers owe her something for the accomplishment of such a giganic task. It is up to the honor and sense of justice and of right of the peoples of the entire civilized world to see her through. This ought to be remembered in history as "the war of the broken promise." When the keeping of that promise has been enforced there should be intervention on the part of the others to whom the promise had been given. As to what character the infervention should take, or what degree of pressure should be brought to bear, is not for me to suggest. Some people ridicule the idea of armed intervention; personally I think that the intervention should be armedaye, and armed to the teeth in the cause of international good faith.

I have gone to no little trouble to collect the opinions of representative men on the subject of what terms would be acceptable to Japan, and would satisfy the Japanese in case of their bringing the war to that point which I have had the hardiness to anticipate. I have interviewed not a few of the sense-carriers of the nation, and found there was quite a strange unanimity of opinion regarding what these terms should be. Politicians, military men, bankers and others, were amongst those with whom I discussed this matter; for obvious reasons many of them requested me not to quote them, but amongst those who had no such objection were Count Okuma, Mr. Sonoda, of the Fifteenth National bank, Count Soyeahima, and one of the members of the great Mitsni firm.

Port Arthur For China!

The first question I put to them was

particularly in that part of China im-

Amongst minor points they suggested that Russia should give up the Island of Commandorski, with its valuable seal fishing rights along the northern coast.

It they continue as successfully as they have been doing up to the present, and if they work up to what I have prognosticated, the terms that they look to making appear to me by no means unreasonable. The powers owe a debt of reparation to Japap for making her give up Port Arthur, and the blood of every Japanese that is split upon its slopes lies at their door. The time for atonement will then have come. It will be put to that high tribunal of the conscience of the civilized powers that that atonement shall be made, and that Russia shall be compelled by whatever force or pressure is necessary to accept these terms as the price of peace.

A MODEST OFFICIAL.

Sir Francis Mowatt, whose elder daughter was married the other day, was, until three mone as ago, a power behind the throne. As permanent secretier, whom thancelors of the exchequer used to the decility and intelligence of the horses, the journey was safely accomplished, whereupon the youthful Jehn invited the congratulations of his friends. But the conclusion of the exchequer delaption of the exchequer delapti

She-Yes, I just love dogs!

He-Then I'd like to be a dog.

She-Never mind; you'll grow.-Harvard



THE TROPHIES OF THE BAYS.

The above photo represents the splendid collection of cups brought home on Monday by the J. B. A. A. four, who have won the N. P. A. A. senior championship three years in succession. The largest cup is the magnificent Buchanan

MARKING THE NEW BOUNDARY.

WITH THE SURVEYING PARTY ON THE DALTON TRAIL.

On the 27th of May, at 2 o'clock in the morning, the steamship Amur left. Youcouver for Skagway. She had on board, hesides a number of prospectors and the ordinary run of northern-bound passengers, two divisions of the Canadian party of surveyors sent out to determine the new boundary line between British Columbia and Alaska, asys a correspondent of the Toronto Globe. For two weeks members of this party haben arriving from all parts of the Dominion; axemen from the lumber camps of the Ottawa and the Gatineau; surveyors, picketimen and chainmen gathered together from Halifax to Victoria, picked as much for their knowledge of the Country and skill in mountain-climbing as for their proficiency in the actual work of the survey. A room in the Hotel Vancouver served as headquarters for the party, and here plans were discussed and instruments set-up and test-cit. The start, originally fixed for the 21sts was postponed for the convenience of the American party, but by the 26th preparations were complete and provisions and tents packed away in the hold of the Amur. From Vancouver to Skagway is a distance of close upon 900 miles. The channel runs through a labyrinth of mountainous islands. Rungsed peaks rising straight from the water's edge alternate with steep, pine-clad slopes to produce an effect grand and impressive indeed, but painfully fesolate. Snow lay the party disembarked on Skagway way is a distance of close upon 900 miles. The channel runs through a labyrinth of mountainous islands. Rungsed peaks rising straight from the water's edge alternate with steep, pine-clad slopes to produce an effect grand and impressive indeed, but painfully desolate. Snow lay the party disembarked on Skagway way is a distance of close upon 900 miles. The channel runs through a labyrinth of mountainous islands. Rungsed peaks rising and the chain of the party disembarked on Skagway way is a distance of close upon 900 miles. The channel runs through a labyrinth of mountainous islands. Rungsed peaks rising and the chain of the party di

The same evening the City of Seattle took them back along the coast to Haine's Mission, at the month of the Chilkat river, up which the start for the interior was to be made. At Haine's the United States over the United States ov interior was to be made. At Haine's the United States government have just completed a barracks and parade ground, and the negro regiment at present in Skagway is shortly to take up its quarters there. Next morning a walk of a couple of miles through the bush brought the party to an Indian village on the bank of the Chikkat, which is here a broad, shallow stream, winding in and out of a network of gravel beds and sand bars, between banks a mile apart. The entire male population of the village was engaged in the construction of a coffin—planing boards, sawing, hammering and fitting together like a gang of trained carpenters. All wore the white man's costume—boots, trousers and woolman's costume-boots, trousers and wool-

trained carpenters. All were the white man's costume—boots, trousers and woollen shirts—and presented anything but a picturesque appearance. Strings of dried colichans, little fat fish, very like the smelts of the fit. Lawrence, and a bigbrown bearskin pegged out to dry in the sun, were more in keeping with conventional ideas of an Indian encampment.

About 12 o'clock a canoe, poled by four Indians, came up the river with provisions and kit, and took the party on board. The Stickine Indians' canoe is a dug-out tree about thirty feet long, capable of carrying several tons weight, and drawing astronishingly little water. There was a strong breeze up the river, and with the aid of two large square sails the canoe made good time against the current until 6 o'clock, when the wind dropped and the Indians got out a tow line. The Chilkat is almost entirely devoid of rapids and falls for the last twenty miles, but runs with an even swiftness, against which paddles and oars can make very little headway. From 6 o'clock till midnight three Indians towed the canoe with its two tons of freight and ten men, sometimes up to the top of their long rubber waders in the river, at others plodding ankle-deep in sand, or breaking a way through tangled willow and alder bushes along the bank, but always moving at the same fast walk, and only stopping once, about 10 o'clock for supper.

Dalton barely got back in tolls the money he had expended in making the trail.

The Old Boundary Line.

The old boundary line runs through Wells, so that while there is a Canadian post office at the cabin of the only settler there, the survey party, camped just across the river from him, were in American territory. Iron monuments mark the line, which runs from the peak at Wells back towards another peak a dozen miles up the Klihini. A mile below Wells is the Ihdian village of Kluckwan, where, on home-made gun carriages, stand two small cannon. Old-fashioned and rust-caten as they are, they yet mark a time when the Stickine Indians were something fiercer and more independent than the present generation, for if report speaks truly, they were captured from the Russians by the Indians a hundred years ago, and set up as-trophies among the totem poles of Kluckwan.

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HIS LORDSHIP M R. JUSTICE DRAKE,

Who Has Just Been Given Six Months' Leave of Absence,

Who Has Just Been Given Six Months' Leave of Absence.

Mr. Justice Drake, who is now enjoying a weil-earned vacation, is one of the most highly esteemed judges that ever occupied a Supreme court bench in British Columbia. This regard is shared by all classes, who hear witness to the unfailing courtesy with which he has treated them not only since the time of his elevation to the bench, but in the days when he practiced his profession. He is descended from a very old English family, the Tyrwhirt Drakes, of Shardilves, Bucks. He was been at King's Walls, Hertfordshire, England, in 1830, and was educated at the Charterhouse school, one of the most noted institutions in the Old Country. He was admitted as a solicitor and attorney-at-law to the Superior courts in England in 1851. He came to British Columbia in 1863, and settled in Victoria. He took an active part in public affirshes shortly after his arrival, was elected a member of the Legislature Council of British Columbia, as representative for Victoria in 1868, and sat in the House till 1870. He was a member of the Board of Education for British Columbia from 1870 to 1879. In 1877 he was elected Mayor of Victoria, and at the general election of 1882 he was returned to the Legislative Assembly to represent Victoria. He was president of the Executive Council from January 20th, 1883, to October, 1884. Mr. Drake was called to the har of British Columbia in 1877, was appointed a Queen's Counsel on the 21st of September, 1883, and was elevated to the beach in 1880. He is a bencher of the British Columbia Law Society.

The Fringe of the Army

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Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners, at their next sitting as a Licensing Court, for a transfer of my license for the sale of wines and liquors by retail, upon the premises situate at No. 9 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C., formerly known as "The Louvre," to Joseph Ball.

Dated this Size day of June 1994

All persons who are indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount thereof to the executor forthwith, and all persons who have any claims against the said estate are required to send in their accounts, duly authenticated, to the undersigned, on or before the first day of September, 1804, after which the executor will proceed to distribute the estate to the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims as may have been then received.

Dated at Victoria, R. C., this 24th day of June, 1804.

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Payment of Sewer Rental and Sewer Construction Tax Due for the Year 1904.

Public notice is hereby given that the SEWER RENTAL AND SEWER CONSTRUCTION TAX, which became due on the 31st day of May last, must be paid not later than the 31st DAY OF JULY INSTANT, otherwise interest will be charged in addition to costs-necessary in enforcing payment of amounts in arrear.

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CHAS. Collector.

City Treasurer and Collector's Office,

City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,

July 22nd, 1904.

TAKE NOTICE

Dated this 21st day of June, 1904.

GEORGE WHASON.

NOTICE.

That thirty days from date I intend to apply to the Hon. Commissioner of Lands and Works for a public highway to be gasetted: Commencing at the N. E. corner of Sec. 4 Range 1E., North Saanleh, the due north to Breed's cross road, along the Range Selbert of Sec. 4 Range 1E., North Saanleh, the due north to Breed's cross road, along the Range line between Ranges 1, and II. east of said Range line.

Dated July 21st, 1904.

R. J. BOWEN.

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LEONARD H. SOLLY.

Salletter for the Sallet



LORD CHAS, BEFESFORD. The Idol of the Lower Deck.

HUMORS OF A DISPENSARY

The surgeon at any large dispensary sees many sides and phases of human life. He finds much to interest him, a good deal that is saddening, and also a large proportion of what is humorous. The latter is generally unconscious on the part of the patient. Their methods of describing or not describing their all-ments, the numerous scraps of personal and family history they will contrive to introduce, their strange and often wonderful nomenclature of diseases, the varying attitudes they will adopt towards the surgeon himself, these and other things will frequently afford him much more amusement than they are aware of, or than he must let them imagine to be the case.

Certainly their very eccentricities are trying at times. Even a good-tempered surgeon, with a hest of patients to be seen in a very limited time, may be excused if he now and then gets a little extense is a surgeon with his amine and family history they will and to a sing. "Hullot" I said, "what have yon been afterwards, an' then when I don't eat I gone the arm? "I had a bad fall on it one night," he after when I don't eat I gone the arm? "I had a bad fall on it one night," he answered, "and trace it; they done it up at the infirmary, it's goin' on all right."

"Another man who was under medical treatment, came up one day with his arm bandaged and in a sling. "Hullot" I said, "what have you been defined that I was that way last night, ""I had a bad fall on it one night," he answered, "and treat it they are into horder way last night, ""Ah," I said, "that's a nasty thing; he may be a suffering road soo prove me by when I like that I nearly falls with the dizziness if I tries to wak, and I was that way last night, ""Ah," I said, "that's a nasty thing; he per my own 'aving' ad a hole burnt in it last week when I went out for a minute to say as I had gone out to get something to drink, an' me that never to wards the surgeon himself, these and other had sustained to say as I had gone out to get something to drink, an' me that never to be read wanted to say a

A Bit of Gossip With the Doctor.

ly confidential. She likes to come over alongside you, and lean towards you, speaking close to your ear, and breathing close to your olfactory organs. In answer to the usual question she will

Some Amusing Mistakes.

In these days of—ains! I was almost saying hoard schools!—even the lower and poorer classes of patients show signs of acquiring some knowledge of medical terms and titles. Yet their mistakes are still frequent and amusing. One does not perhaps hear bronchitis so often described as "brown kiters," while the good old term inflammation of the lungs is being abandoned in favor of the more selentific "pewmony." Girls suffering from anaemia, usually have their affments converted into "amaenia;" while it is not uncommon to be told that she has also had an "ulster" of the stomach. One patient told me she had a lof of "very coarse veins;" and pain experienced after food is usually put down to "ingestions." An elderly man came to me suffering from much pain in the back across the loins, which prevented him from stooping to do his work. "The foreman at our place," he volunteered, "says as hethinks it's 'lumpacher,' but I don't think that mysel', for though it aches enough, there's never no lump there at all." Another man who was under medical freatment, came up one day with his arm bandaged and in a sling.

"Hullo!" I said, "what have you been doing to the arm?"

"I had a bad fall on it one night," he answered. "and fractured it; they done are giments and locate the mines. If the more selection was difficult, as numerous companies with one accord offered their services. The third of the Third Regiment were finally selected, and they dashed forward amid cheers. A little past five pum they had reached within fifty metres from the barbed-wire entanglements. Machine guns were now firing half the men were killed."

Sacrificing Men to Uncover Russian Mines.

Thereafter thirty engineers from the Coska regiments undertook to cut the ending the condition of the part of the properties and locate the mines. If they could clip a breach and pass beyond

Some patients are very anxious to know what they are suffering from. "What do you call it, doctor?" Naturally it is often quite impossible to make them understand.

But there is always one way out of the differents.

HOW THE JAPANESE FIGHT.

answer to the usual question she will probably say:

"It's all my 'ead, doctor. I'm sure I don't know what to do with it. And I can't eat a bit of anything, no appetite I haven't; I ain't touched a bit of food this blessed day. An' I believe my nerves is bad, doctor, leastways they said before at the hospital as it was my nerves. I have such funny feelings comes over me, and I gets that low-spirited as I could cry for nothing at all, an' if any one was to knock sudden at the door I'd jump off my chair with the fright, I would; and please, doctor, will you look at my tongue, it's that thick of a morning".

"Aye, and it's that long at all times," you think to yourself.

You prescribe something for her, and recommend her not to drink any liquor.

"Liquor! Why, I never touches it, doctor! It's my 'usband as can drink the heer, he can. Often I says to him, 'If you'd give me the money you spends on beer,' says I. I'd find something before day.

Stories of the Battle of Nanshan Hill, as Told by the Wounded.

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Not having been permitted to witness the Nanshan fight, second army correspondents are still unable to give any thoroughgoing narrative of what took place. Details dribble in, but they do not complete the account of a single division, or of a special part of the operations. In the morning which a Balloon.

In the morning a balloon had been used by the Russians to discover the position and size of the color of the balloon blended with that of the clouds and could scarcely be distinguished as a larget. "The enemy," says a returned officer, "observed our movements for six hours. The nature of the ground, however, seems to have made him broken rows at different heights across to have made him broken rows at different heights across the morning."

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tor! It's my usband as can drink the heer, he can. Often I says to him, If you'd give me the money you spends on beer,' says I. T'd find something better to spend it on, I know.'" Whether she intends to convey that her own preference is for spirits I do not inquire. But having repeated her asseveration that she never touches anything herself, she will come back just when nearly out of the room, and in a wheedling, confidential sort of voice ask:

"But do you think just a small drop, and a look just when nearly out of the room, and in a wheedling, confidential sort of voice ask:

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"But do you think just a small drop, and a look you think just a small drop, and the attacking force sought to advance through the action for the look of the face of the hill. They were closestrom the acce

Thereafter thirty engineers from the Osaka regiments undertook to cut the entanglements and locate the mines. If they could clip a breach and pass beyond the situation of the mines would be surely discovered because the enemy would set them off. Thus, by giving themselves to be blown on, they would express the set them off. Thus, by giving themselves to be blown up, they would expose the mines; and succeeding troops might live to sever the detonating connections. One must recognize something very soldierly in that. The thirty Osaka engineers advanced on their bellies, like tortoises. They had to keep that position even while seissoring the fence—not merely that they feared to be hit, but in order to carry out their instructions to live till they reached the mines. At 6 p.m., as dusk was falling, they had made an aperture, quite a good one. Then they went on, and discovered that the rain of the night before had washed off the covering of the buried mines. There they lay, with electrical fuses in plain view, easy to sever.

ay, with electrical fuses in plain view, easy to sever.

As I wrote in my last letter, Osaka men pressed through the aperture and planted the flag which we call "skating to-day" upon the height. From that critical point of time, aided by their own overhead artillery fire, the Japanese found less resistance.

ments for six hours. The nature of the ground, however, seems to have made this skillful reconnaissence of no value. Still earlier in the morning, before day-break, in the course of a thunderstorm, "the enemy discharged firelights during the intervals of the flashes of lightning (Shao-kin was struck seven times), and the morross of our troops was thus dis-

what an invalided officer relates:
The third and twelfth companies of
Osaka regiment had a very bitter experience. They were ordered to lead the assault. They made three attempts. The
first had to be suspended after they had
gone 100 metres. Officers and men fell
in heaps. The second attempt brought
our men within 400 metres of the enemy's
position. Their advance was suspended. Their advance was suspended een accomplished at the sacrific of five officers. At the third attempt Essign Imai, while leading the third company, his senior officer having fallen, was shot through the left shoulder, but, was shot involge the set shoulder, I despite the wound, which was bleed hally, kept on till he had made his port to the captain. His place was it taken by Sergeant-Major Yamama who with his men continued the advanant captured two of the enemy's mach

If an antagonist prefers death rather than life, and suffers little pain from wounds, how is he to be made to feel punishment?

Stoical Japanese Wounded.

Stoical Japanese Wounded.

One may learn in the hospitals for the captive wounded what the other side is like: George Kennan told me the other day that "the Russian is more like an American in all personal ways than the native of any other country." So you will perhaps comprehend the difference between the nervous organization of the two warring peoples. In the hospitals life Russians cry out and show shock under the kuife. We saw but a single Japanese who gave the slightest indication that his wounds and their treatment through his head, from high on the fore-head down to the back of his neck; also need down to the back of his neck; also a hole through his side, another from the wrist laterally so far as the elbow, besides a bayonet jab where the lower ribs join in front. He told quite calmly how he got these wounds, and also sanely, though one bullet must have passed through his brain.

The Ression rife hell is currenticle!

The Russian rifle ball is cupro-nickel; propelled by pyroziline, it penetrates 26.3 inches of wood at 300 yards. It seems to make a gentler wound than the Mauser, which the Spanish used in our last war. The Japanese use a lead bullet, and that blunts, flowers, and makes a tearing, ragged hurt. An American surgeon declares that he is convinced, notwitastanding the difference in weapons, and the training in suppression of emotional display, that Western peoples have a much greater sensibility than the Japanese. The whole theory of war is wrong for such modernized Asiaties. Defeat can come only through annihilation. Some of us here have not had, till within a few days, any doubt as to the outcome of the war; yet certain con-The Russian rifle ball is cupro-nickel

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Mothers, who want their children to grow Into sturdy men and women instead of pale, sallow dyspeptics, should see that the youngsters take a morning glass of ABBEY'S SALT. Children eat irregularly - indiscreetly. ABBEY'S SALT strengthens the stomach-regulates the bowels-so that "pain-killer" and "oil" are never needed. So pleasant to take, that mothers have no trouble in teaching the children to use it.

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Children's Corner

THE DISOBEDIENT COWSLIP. "Mother Nature," sighed Miss Cowsile,
"Tis so dark and dismal here,
And the creeping things around us.
Fill me with a nameless fear.
Green and tender leaves are budding
'Midst the branches overhead,
And the air is soft and ba'my,
'Yet you keep me still in bed.

And I pine to see the sunshine And to hear the blackbird's song; And I'm wondering if the mocker In its dingy coat of grey, Tells again the old, sweet story In the old impassioned way!"

"You are dreaming little Cossip,"
Mother Nature gently said,
"Close your eyes and pull the cover
Warm and saug above your head;
You are dreaming, little Cowslip,
For the sun shines bright and gay,
And you do not know, poor biossom,
That he has not come to stay."

"Silly thing! I will not heed you. "Silly thing! I will not heed you,"
Cried Miss Cowsilp, with a frown,
As she donned her white neck-ruffle
And her dainty new spring gown,
And the tall trees moaned and shivered
When they saw her wistful face,
Peering shyly from the covert
Of her leafy hiding place.

With a dull pain at her heart, For the dear familiar voices Of the friends that kept aparton the blackbird's merry whistle
Woke no echo through the delt,
and the mocker dreamed unheeding.
Chained to silence by love's spell.

rwillight, treading velvet f Trailed her dusky garments by: One by one the star-lamps twinkled In the windows of the sky, And the lonely little flower Perished in the icy blast

When the Frost King waved his Laughing as he hurried past. ON THE ART OF KEEPING YOUNG. There's no trouble at all about keeping young if you know what to do. Sarah Bernhardt says she has kept her youth by

smaller cities of New York state was ter

"Till hich 'm' in shiffy. Showmeem."

"You understand, of course," warned the doctor, 'that while my charge for a call in that district is a dollar in the day'ime. I'll have to charge you two dollars for going out there at this time of the sight."

The course the caller placed a two dollars.

experiences.

"Yes, Sydney," he said, "she made fools of both of us."

What did George do?" inquired Sydney.

"George, poor fellow," replied Nesbitt, 'threw himself into Lake Champiain," "Drowned himself?" "Proyned himself," "Well, what did you do, Nesbitt, old

hoy?"
- "What did I do? I didn't do a thing.
Sydney. I wrote some verses about the
affair and sent them to a magazine."
Lippincott's.

They had been discussing the baby's ears, eyes and note. "And I think it's got its father's hair," said the joyful young

mother. "Oh, is that who's got it? I noticed it was missing." And as the tall girl with the scave manner said, this, the mother looked dublously at her.—Judge.

"young lawyer: "you may remember that you saw me buying an slarm' clock the other day." "Yes." replied his friend; "you have to get up early these mornings, eh" "Oh, no. I use it to wake me up, when it's time to go home."—Philadelphia Press.

"Mush come 'medjtly."

hot bath and massage. When I am depressed nothing exhilarates and puts me in form so soon as a hot bath.

"Every night when I am playing, as well as when I am at lelsure, I take a hot scrub before going to bed. Yes, I scrub my face with soap and hot water twice, and sometimes three times in the twenty-four hours. "There is no beautifier like soap and water, and no preservative against illness, nerves and age that compares with hot water,"

Clara Barton keeps young by not putte "I don't putter," she says, "that's what

"I don't putter," she says, "that's what ages women-puttering.
"When I am not working I either rest or play. When I see a woman breaking down with nervous prostration, I wonder when women will learn to stop puttering.
"Sicep is a great thing for women. Half the women don't sicep enough. I've cultivated the accomplishment of napping. I shut my eyes and go to sleep whenever there's a tuil in my work.
"It isn't the work that wears women out—it's fretting and puttering. Here's the way to keep young: 'Stop worrying and go to work."

"Indulging in a fit of ugly temper no only shortens a woman's life, but makes her old and ugly before her time," says Mr.t. Annie Jenness Miller, the apostle of dress reform. "Control your temper, for every time you allow it to control your temper, for

every time you allow it to control you you spell spoil your good looks and injure yourself physically.

"Not only that, but the woman who governs iter temper is the woman who wins in this life; and, as a rule, she makes the best match, because men like sweet-tempered wives. fhen, anger curdles the blood, hinders circulation and consequently makes the complexion bad and dulls the

as: "Have great patience with fools.

Werrying or being annoyed by the foolist of others only makes unnecessary

ness of others only makes unnecessary lines on brow and cheeks.

Avoid food that contains lime. Every article of food contains lime, but of course there are some that are freer from lime than others. Onlons are admirable youth preservers; so are fish, rice, eggs.

Eat fruit of all varieties. Fruit contains a large amount of acid, and this neutralizes the effect of those elements which make old age creep fast upon us.

Not long ago a German discovered that

Jetsam, Jokes and Jingles.

THE DOCTOR'S STORY.

This story was told at a recent meeting may reader a contribution unsuited to our present uses.

smaller cities of New York state was aroused at midnight by an inebriated individual who insisted that the man of medicine accompany him immediately to his home, three miles back in the country.

"Replans case Doe," said the caller.

regular meeting day.
"Where is the comm

unknown visitor.
"If there was to be no meeting, why was not a notice sent me at the city hall?" asked the Mayor, icily.
"Well, who are you, anyhow?" said the clerk, returning the giare.
"I'm the Mayor."

"S'r!" exclaimed the injured party, "you

stuck your umbrella into my eye." "Oh no," replied the cheerful offender, "yo are mistaken." "Mistaken?" demande

are mistaken." Mistaken? demanded the lrate man, "you fillot, I know when my eye is huri, I guess," "Doubtless," replied the cheerful fellow, "but you don't know my umbrelin. I horrowed th's one from a friend fo day," Cincinnati Times.

"Do I understand that you favor govern ment ownership?" "Not exactly," answer ed Senator Sorghum. "I never favor ex tremes. But I do believe that governmen

ciaployees ought to own as much as pos-sible,"-Washington Star.

Hewitt-I had a poem accepted to-day, but these magazine editors are so slow that I don't suppose it will be published until after I'm dead.

Jew'tt-How true it is that the egil that men do lives after them.—Brookiyn Life.

Lawyer- Well, you have at last decided to take my advice and pay this bill of

Lawyer-"Very well, William, just add ten dollars to Mr. Smith's bill for further advice."

Sympathetic Friend—What's the row, old man? Don't you like the ship's fare? Suffering Editor. Oh, it land that I don't like it! The rejection of anything does not necessarily imply that it is lacking in bold of things and all went well. I must

she says. "When I am nervous I take a all you had to do to live forever an hot bath and massage. When I am deof lemons. There was only one objection to the plan, but that was fatal. You had to eat daily one iemon for each seven years of your age.

"TEACHER'S PET."

Eight years old and goin' on nine, reacher says I'm doin' fine.
Git my lessons every day,
Hardly ever have to stay
After school fer bela' slow—
Ain't so very happy, though,
'Cause the fellers laugh at me,
All but Johans Baker, he 'Cause the fellers laugh at me,
All but Johnny Baker; he
Takes my side. He knows, all right,
I ain't strong enough to fight,
'Cause I hurt myself one day
Failin' off a farmer's sleigh,
And the doctor cut my side
Awful deep, and ma'she cried,
And since then I'm awful thin,
And, gee whis! It hurts like sin
When I try to jump and run;
So you see It ain't no fun
When the fellers laugh and say:
'Fraidy-cat, you dassant play!'
And my eyes git kinder wet
When they call me "Teacher's Pet!"
Gee! They never talked that way Gee! They never talked that way

Till I tumbled off the sleight;
Wunst I licked three kids so quick
That it made 'em good and sick,
And I uster dodge and run
Jes' as fast as anyone,
Now when recess comes along
I jes' wait to hear the going
Call us back to work a lot, Call us back to work a lot,

'Cause that's all the fun I've got.

When the kids play "oue-old-eat,"

I jes' sit and hold the bat,

Wishla' I could cork the ball

Like I uster do las fall.

Yesterday when Reddy Lee

Seen me settin' there, says he,

"Fellers, took at Teacher's Fett'

He's afraid to play, you bet,

'Cause he knows I'd smash his face

All around this whole darn place."

Johnny Baker seen me cry, Call us back to work a lot

Johnny Baker seen me cry, And he blacked old Reddy's eye, And he made his nose bl Gosh, I wisht that I could do
Semethin' good for Johnny; he
Allers does so much fer me.
Maybe 'twon't be very long
Till my side gits good and strong.
If it ever does, I bet,
They won't call me "Tencher's Pet!"
—Milwaukee Sentinel.

retorted his wife, opening some more can ned meats. "The mothers of to-day will teach their daughters how to hunt for cooks."

old judge to the young attorney, "is to see that justice is done."
"Oh, of course," rejoined the youthful disciple of Blackstone. "I've noticed that the lawyer who succeeds in doing her the

oftenest gets the biggest fees."—Chicago Daily News. Bubblestock -Do you th'n't we'll be able to float all of the new issue? Old Sound share-You ought to; there's no lack of water.-Brooklyn Life.

"Mush come 'meditly."

The physician protested that his man Mayor asked.

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"Not likely to be any meeting," said the clerk nearest the door, with that cold and candid clearness which a young man some whom he wants to impress an Some people regard Shakespeare's plays with almost as much reverence as they do the Bible." "Yes. And are just about as familiar with them."—Chicago Record-

Softleigh—"I've-er-got a cold in me head, or something, doncher know." Miss Cutting—"Well, if you have anything there it must be cold."—Chicago Daily News.

Int bill in the doctor's hand.

They went out to the bars, the stranger shooked the horse up in no time at all and they set out for the back country at a good pace. Arrived there, Sawhones asked to see the patient. The interfaced one distributed out of the buggy and leaved at the other as he said:

"I'm the Mayor."

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"I'm the Mayor." After.-She-Ah, you men! Before ma riage you pay compliments, but after— He-After? Why, after, we do better; we pay bills.—Lafe.

A Penasylvania woman has pieced a quilt containing 1,775 pieces. She seems qualified to be a piece congress all by her-self. Cleveland Plain Dealer. other as he said:

"I'm se only patien". Tell yer how 'tils.

Doc. I went-zer liv'ry stable, seel Asked liv'ryman how musheed sharge take me home. Te sex four dollars, it is exe out rache. Sex I kin get home for two dollars, in 'e sex 'e'l bet len I can't. Mush bilged I' you Doc, I' puttin' me twelve dollars

'n 'e sez 'e'l bet ten l can't. Mush 'oliged
t' you. Doe, f' puttin' me twelve dollars
ahead o' the game."

What the physician sald was not reported
for publication.

SUICHDE AND POETRY.

Nesbit! Pineburst had returned from the

"m' and the saussage. I'm really not hungry.

"He says his wife is largely responsible
for his business success." "Well, she has
our poor pussy cat. A dog got in and killed her, and— Mr. Borden—Er—never
m' and the saussage. I'm really not hungry.

"He says his wife is largely responsible
for his business success." "Well, she has
certainly made it absolutely necessary for
him to carn more money."—Philadelphia
Press.

Not in His Line.—Employer—You don't
he able to do anything. Nex

seem to be able to do anything. New Clerk-Well, I always had a political job until I struck this one.-Judge.

Cope-I hear your boss expects to raise your salary this month? Hope-So he says. But he hasn't succeeded in raising all of last month's yet.-Philadelphia Ledger.

Mrs. A.—Your husband smoking again? Why, I thought you insisted that he should give it up.

Mrs. Z.-I did, dear, but then I found such a pretty smoking jacket at a bargain sale.—Chicago News.

Dolly Swift-He called me his dear little amb.
Sally Guy-What then?
Doily Swift-Oh, then he gathered me
into the fold.-Smart Set.

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"Great! Let me see your prospectus."

"O, we haven't got out a prospectus yet
The-er-the confounded printer wants his
pay in advance."—Puck.

Customer-Do you keep fur caps? Fresh Clerk-No, sir; we sell 'em. Customer-Not always, my friend. You may keep one that you might have sold to me. Good-day!-Philadelphia Press.

"That whiskey," said the host, "is over fifty years old." "You don't say?" ex-cisimed the guest, surveying the mere thimblefull that had been given him to

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taste. "Really-er-it's very little for its age."-Philadelphia Press. Nell-Oh, my. Here's a telegram fro amous

Jack, of the football team.

Belle-What does it say?

Nell-It says: "Nose broken. How you prefer it set-Greek or Roman?'
Youkers Herald.

Mrs. Oldstyle-I don't think that a col lege education amounts to much.

Mr. Sparerod—Don't you? Weil, you ought to pay my boy's bills and see,—Chicago Journal.

"Do you think, then, that men descended from chimpansees?" asked Willie Wishing-ton. "Sume did," answered Miss Cayenne, "and sozie merely remained stationary."— Washington Star.

Rustic (to conductor)—"Which end of the car do I get off?" Conductor (politely)— "Either you prefer; both ends stop!"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Mrs. De Piayne—"When I married my husband his eyesight was very poor." Mrs. Dimples—"Yes, it must have been."—Chi-cago Dally News.

"The great German writer Mommsen, who died some time ago, admitted that he was too verbose."
"Did he? Well, that's the way that so many of those Germans get. Why. didn't he diet for it?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Pa, what is a model man?" "A model man, my son, is generally a very small sample copy, or facsimile, of a real man, and is usually made of putty."—Smart Set.

A HOME PICTURE.

all about; And Johnny fetched the water and Ton

and many-hoy tied both his shoes, as every laddle should—
And Danny rocked the cradle with a clatter and a song.

To make the little sister grow so pretty and so strong.

neighbors as they pass! Oh! the scuffle, and the shouting,

little mother's laugh

And all along the meadow cow bell

And I hear her happy laughter as she cries

"The boys have come!"

And we know she's getting supper in the happy little home.

gleamed forth,

And Billy-boy would have it that it "rised in the north."

Oh! the raptures and the whispers near the little mother's chair

As the white-robed little figures are filting

mertals ever roam, When we kneel and say our prayers in the

here and there, And we're just as near to heaven a

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