WOOD!

### **Unemployed Massed** to Meet the Premier

#### Police Had to Clear the Way in Nanaimo-Hon. R. McBride Is in a Dilemma.

(Special to The Times.) Nanaimo, March 26. -While Conserwatives gathered in the Free Press hall tagonized the Conservatives of Nanai-

homes they would be distranchised un-der the English law.

The committee of the unemployed followed by the entire gathering, tried to rush the Free Press hall to press the resolution on Mr. McBride. The pre-later was not in the hall at the time and the crowd would not take the assurances of the Conservatives that he was find in the hall and continued to press for an entrance. Finally the Conservatives called the police and cleared the work are still many so that the premise is being therassed by the members of his party in Nanaimo for following the crowd into surances of the Conservatives that he of the government work was in his hotel and continued to press for an entrance. Finally the Conservatives called the police and cleared the hallways, driving the crowd into the street. There they learned the premier was in the Wilson hotel, and led by Mr. Hawthornthwaite, a committee waited on him. The premier stated that on his return to Victoria he would call a meeting of the executive to concall a meeting call a meeting of the executive to con-sider the point raised re disfranchise-ment in case of signing the declara-tion.

The Conservatives are much relieved premier's visit passed off any outward demenstration without any outward demonstration against him as it was first thought aculd ensue. A large number of men. who have been idle are employed on who have been

It is now generally acknowledged that Premier McBride in his efforts to serve the ends of the Socialist leader.

J. H. Hawthornthwaite, made a tactical blunder. It is also certain that the premier would gladly retrace his

#### SAYS HE IS SONO OF MULTI-MILLIONAIRE

#### Deserter. Awaiting Court Martial, Escapes From San Francisco Presedio.

San Francisco, March 26.-The obscurity enshrouding the career of Max Jagerhuber, jr., the alleged scion of a millionaire New Cork manufacturer, and relative to a United States Supreme justice, a United States senator and a New York judge, who was placed in jail on the eve of the San Franclisco earthquake for passing a fraudu-lent cheque at the St. Francis hotel, has been uncovered, and he is again thrust into notoriety by the efforts of the United States army officials at the Presidio to apprehend him on a charge of deserting while awaiting sentence court-martial.

army for nearly two years before beunder the alias of Charles Lacey, escaped from the Presidio on Tuesday, and was accompanied, it is He is the son, according to his own statement to the police, of Max Jager-huber, of 172 Fifth avenue. New York, who is reputed to be worth \$20,000,000. He also, it is said, claimed relationship with the United States Supreme Jus tice Fuller and a Finited States senato ACQUITTED ON MURDER CHARGE J. J. Hill Takes Gloomy Out-

charge in their favor by Justice La vergne, Franciso Civiarri, Giovanni Manci and Maria Ardita, three Italians Manci and Maria Ardita, three Italians who have for almost a week been on trial at the court of King's bench on the charge of murdering Ernesto Cassiori last month, were acquitted by the jury. The Italians were immediately set at liberty. In his dying deposition Cassieri declared the Cifavarri had shot Cassieri declared the Cliavarri had shot him, and he accused Mancini and Maria Ardita of being accomplices. Judge Lavergne in his charge upheld the main contention of the defence that Cassieri had committed suicide in a moment of jealousy and despondency. caused by loss of money and ill-health. BIG CHESS TOURNEY.

Leading in International Contest at Vienna.

Vienna. March 26.-In the third of the vienna, March 26.—In the third of the international chees tournament—yes-terday, Marshall (American) defeated Reti (Hungarian); Joiner (American) was beaten by the Berliner, Bardele-ban. Schlecter now leads in the tour-JAPANESE CABINET.

Tokio, March 26.—The changes in the cabinet announced yesterday are regarded as a declaration that the constitutionalists will remain in power until after the general elections.

GOING TO BERMUDA.

last night to welcome Premier Mc.

Bride, J. H. Hawthornthwafte addressed about 100 unemployed men who have not taken advantage of the government work in the district, as they will not sign the statutory declaration required by the government.

The unemployed passed a resolution condemning the declaration claiming that in case any of the men who signed it returned to their English houses they would be disfranchised under the English law.

The committee of the unemployed followed by the entire gathering, tried to rush the Free Press held: ter city to report upon the wit uation. He recommended as a of overcoming some of the wo

> ion that the city could handle all of destitution. The E. & N. Zaliway Company was also seeking help at the time to engage in the work of construction but it is said that the Socialist leaders, for their own selfish

purposes, persuaded those who would otherwise have sought work in these camps to desist from it. made capital against Mayor Planta, in connection with the whole undertaking and Premier McBride has now, been called upon to put himself right with to but himself ri Hence his visit to Nanaime last night.

DISCOUNT RATE UNCHANGED.

London, March 26.—The rate of disunchanged e-dsy at 3 per cent.

The weekly satement of the Bank of England strows the following changes: Potal reserve, decrease £327,000; circulation, increase £477.000:

s liabilities this week is 48.64 per cent. ompared with 51.26 per cent. last week. SLOCAN OUTLOOK BRIGHT.

anite-Poorman mine, situated on the otenay river about five miles below that vicinity starting work. Yesterday J. P. Swedburg made a small shipment from the Neyada. Work has been resumed recently on the Victoria, Eureka and Alman, and T. Brown is working some claims. This means six properties being opened up in that neighborhood. Altogether the mining outlook from the Sizem preperties is much her. ter to-day than it was at this time

## NOT PROSPEROUS

#### look on Immediate Future of Roads.

Washington, March 26.-Jas. J. Hill Washington, March 26.—Jas. J. Hill was in Washington yesterday, but he would not discuss the Minnesota railroad decision.

"The courts have said all there is to say on that head," he said. Referring to the statement issued by Franklin Lane, of the inter-state commerce commission to the Section 1.

iin Lane, of the inter-state commerce commission, to the effect that the railways are prosperous despite reports to the contrary, Mr. Hil said: "Keep that article before you, then follow the accounts of railways affairs for the next three months, daily, and see how the facts and the optimist's views compare with each other.

"We railway people are in no position to do too much talking just now. We prefer to let the facts speak for themselves—and they will speak loud enough.

themselves—and they will speak loud enough.

"The Pennsylvania would not lay off-any of its men if it could possibly afford to keep them," continued Mr. Hill, but it cannot afford it. It is not earning enough to do so. It is the same situation all over. It is too heavy a draught on optimism to see these affairs in the right light. The facts will make their own reply. It may take a little time, but the answer will come, sure."

PULP TOO CHEAP IN ST. JOHN.

GOING TO BERMUDA.

St. John, N. B. March 26.—Manager spaulding, of the Miramichi Puip
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ager company, announces that the
mills here will be closed down until the
price of pulp advances.

REDISTRIBUTION MIX-UP. Liberals Nominated in Huron Ridings (Ontario), Will Have to Stand Down.

(Special to he Times). Toronto, March 26.-The redistribu ion outlined by Premier Whitney makes new Liberal nominations necessary in Huron as the territory is greatly changed. Mr. Proudfoot was nominated in West Riding and Mr. Kerr in the east. The ridings are now north and centre and both men are residents in the new

There is a similar mix-up in Middle CLIFFORD SIFTON IN WINNIPEG

(Special to the Times). Winnipeg, March 26.-The Hon. Clifford Sifton, accompanied by Premier Walter Scott, came to the city last night from Ottawa. The former is here to see his father, the Hon. J. W. Sifton, who is several to the state of the second services where the second services with the second services where the second services with the second services where the second services where the second services with the second services where the second services with the second services where the second second services where the second s

# CRIME CARNIVAL BY BOY THUGS

#### SEATTLE'S YOUTH SHOWS TERRIBLE PRECOCITY

#### Nine Little Desperadoes Engage in Assaults, Robberies and Burglaries.

Seattle, March 26 - A gang of nine Seattle, March 20, 24 gains in age outhful desperadoes ranging in age rom 13 to 16 years has been operating a Seattle for the past few months. robbing netpless old men, holding up ritizens on the water front. looting houses and committing all sorts of thefts. They crowned their career of crime on Monday evening when, by the confession of Floyd Goodman, the er of the gang, and Timmy Murray, they held up John Dunning, an aged rancher from Marysville, robbed and assaulted bim, leaving him to be picked in in a second an unconscious condition by the

Goodman and Murray, who is only 13 Years old, were arrested by Patrolman Sam Corbett and Trugint Officer T. H. Ketchum. After a little questioning they both confessed to having assisted

refused to divulge. Goodman without apparent shame, told the police that the desperate nine worked in gangs of three. He told of holding up an old man two weeks ago stabbed in the back, near the right side.

The boy who is charged with the act is an American named Fraser. He is but 16 years of age. The weapon used prise. Young Goodman said many of the crimes that had pursued the course prise. Young Goodman said many of the crimes that had puzzled the police were perpetrated by the youngsters. were perpetrated by the youngste and he unblushingly admitted that

ARMADA'S PLANS.

U. S. Vessels to Visit Both Sydney and

Melbourne in Australia. Washington, D. C., March 26 .- When the

Washington, D. C. March 26.—When the United States battleship fleet reaches Australia, according to information given out at the navy department, a squadron will remain at Sydpey and a second squadron, composed probably of the faster ships, will proceed to Melbourne. After the call at Melbourne is completed the ships going there will join those at Sydney and the obward voyage will be resumed. By this arrangement a considerable saving in time will be made. FORTUNE FOR HEROISM

## AFTER MANY YEARS

#### Romance of Emigrant Wreck Ends in Legacy of \$375,000.

Chicago, March 26.—A dispatch to the Record-Herald from Tacoma, says: To have saved the life of a fellow emigrant in a wreck in 1873 and 35 years later to have read in a newspaper plastered on the wall of a homestead shack an advertisement which led to his becoming the recipient of a fortune shack an advertisement which led to his becoming the recipient of a fortune of \$375,000, is, the experience of Peter Anderson, a farmer near White Bluffs, Washington. Anderson yesterday received a cheque for \$5,000 to enable him to go to New York to carry out the final legal formalities necessary in the transfer of the fortune. His friend was Peter Knudsel, who made \$1,000,000 in the glove business in New Jersey.

600 IMMIGRANTS SAIL.

(Special to the Times). London, March 26.—Six hundred Salvation Army emigrants are sailing to-day on board the steamer Kensington.

# ARMORPLATES FOR CANADA'S NAVY

#### WHEN DOMINION HAS WARSHIPS OF HER OWN

Reason Why Soo Steel Industries Should Be Kept Alive.

(Special to the Times)

Toronto, Masch 26.—"To Liberalism, Ontario is indebted for her prosperity," said Colonel Atkinson, in resuming the budget debate in the local legislature. He referred particicularly to the keeping alive of the Soo steel Industries, which, said the Colonel, "would, in the hear future, not only be rolling steel rails," but also steel armorplates for the eruisers and warships of our navy; for twenty-five years from now Canada will have a navy of her own."

Hon. Dr. Pyne, presenting his education bills, stated; "In the future there will be continuation schools and fifth classes, the distinction being drawn between two grades of what were hitherto, terused indiscriminately Foronto, March 26.-"To Liberalism

re hitherto termed indiscriminately schools will be to all intents and pur-

### Condition of

Britain's Premier London, March 26.-Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Banner-man passed a restless night. The bulletin issued this morn-ing again states that he is suferwise his condition is unchang ed.

Young American Charged With Attack-

Calgary, March 26. An affray curred on Monday night at Laggan, resulting in a very serious stabbing. On Monday night Mr. Ainsworth, the locootive foreman at Laggan, went into interior of the snowplough shed at that point, discovering four young men inside, evidently of the "ride the bump-era" order, waiting for the next train west. The quarfet were building a fire at the time and Mr. Ainsworth objected. During the alternation he was stabbed in the back, near the right side.

nearly four inches long. Mr. Ains-worth was taken to the sanatorium wounds attended to at once.

### Added to Dynamite Death Roll

Kenora, March 26. — Three Italians at work at MacDougall's railway camp, No. 2, north of Dryden, on transcontinental work, were victims of a dynamite explosion which killed two. The third is dying in the

BLACK HAND THREATS.

Death to the Lady Unless Payment Was Prompt-Italian Arrested.

Montreal, March 26.-For some time ast Madame L. J. Forget, wife of Sen-

NO GRAFT IN ELECTIONS.

Calgary, March 28.—At a meeting of the Liberal Association on Monday night a letter from A. O. Macrae con-taining a resolution favoring pure elec-tions was read and discussed. At the conclusion the secretary was asked to reply favoring the same. INCREASE IN WAGES.

Windsor, Ont. March 26.—The strik-ing shield workers on the Windsor ap-proaches to the Detroit river tunnel have returned to work. An increase of wages was granted, but not the full amount asked for.

#### RAILWAY EARNINGS.

Montreal, March 26.—The earnings of the Grand Trunk for the week ending March 21st, show a decrease of \$88,-588, the total being \$694,762, for this year, compared with \$783,356 a year ago. The total earnings of the C. P. R. 567 the week ending March 21st, were \$1.247,000, as compared with \$1,-389,000 for the same period a year ago.

#### EDMONTON CONSTITUENCY. J. D. Hyndman Will Contest Seat With Hon, F. Olive. (Special to the Times).

(Special to the Times).

Edmonton, March 26.—James D. Hyndman, a barrister, was nominated at the Conservative convention yesterday to contest the Edmonton federal district in opposition to the Hon. F. Oliver., minister of the interior. Mr. Hyndman is a native of Prince Edward Island, and is married to Ethel, daughter of Sir Louis H. Davis, of the laughter of Sir Louis H. Davis, of the Supreme court bench, at Ottawa.

IMPERIAL INQUIRIES.

Winston Churchill's Statement About Deportation of Hindus From Vancouver.

(Special to the Times).

London, March 26.—In the Commons, Winston Churchill stated, speaking of the deportation of Hindus from Vanouver that inquiries were proc regarding the reasons actuating

# SAYS CHINA IS FRIENDLY POWER

VISCOUNT HAYASHI REVIEWS SITUATION

#### Statements by Japanese For eign Minister on Tatsu and Kaio Incidents.

Tokio, March 26 .- Foreign Minister Hayashi made a statement to-day in the Diet in ference to the Tatsu incident. He related the history of the case as has al eady been published, and said that the record had not yet been

received at the foreign office. He wished to say emphatically that the Chinese central government had shown a friendly attitude to Japan and a desire for the continuance of friendly relations between the two countries.

Regarding the seizure of the Japan-ese fishing vessel Kaio Maru, near St. Paul islands by the United States, Mr. Hayashi said that negotiations pending, and that it was premature to make an official statement In the matter of the Kantao bound-

ary, the minister of foreign affairs said that this was an old dispute between Korea and China, and that it would probably involve lengthy negotiations. In fact the boundary had not even been

Regarding anti-Japanese feeling by

of people, of whom probably anti-Japanese, but that it was impossible to influence the entire population. It is beyond the scope of the Japanese foreign office to reach all sections of China, and it will take time to prove to the universal satisfaction Japan's good intentions toward her neighbor.

The Diet will be prorogued to-night to the more source of the world and among Koreans in America and other countries.

The appreciation which the Japanese government felt for the notable ser-

CANADIAN FIRM WINS.

st. John Chronometer Accepted British Admiralty-Hundred Competeitors.

St. John, N. B., March 26.-The Lords f Admiralty in England have notified B. Mallen & Son, watchmakers of Montreal, March 26.—For some time past Madame L. J. Forget, wife of Senator Forget, has been receiving letters suggesting that the "Black Hand" of Sielly required some \$2,000, and that if prompt payment were not forthcoming her death would follow.

The would-be blackmailer aimed high and this resulted in his task of collection being all the more difficult.

The case was immediately placed in the hands of detectives, with the result that a man, who is known as Ive Edrado, an Italian, has been placed under arrest, and comes up for enquiry to-day.

#### Twelve Thousand Men to Lay Steel Between Edmonton and Prince Rupert.

Edmonton, March 26.-A force Edmonton, March 26.—A force of over 12,000 men will be employed this summer by the contracting firm of Foley, Welsh & Stewart in grading the right of way of the G. T. P. in Western Canada. By, far the greater proportion of this force, and, after July, all the force, will be concentrated on that portion of the line between Edmonton and Prince Rupert.

TOBACCO WAREHOUSE GUTTED. Costly Fire at Covington, Ky., S Away Five Residences and a Saloon.

Covington, Ky., March 25.—The leaf to-bacco warehouse of T. H. Hamilton & Co. at Fourth and Bakewell streets was destroyed by fire early to-day, entailing a loss etsimated at \$150,000. The fire is thought to have been of incendlary origin. Five residences and a saloon were \$150 destroyed.

# DEAD BY HAND OF ASSASSIN

#### DIPLOMAT'S LIFE ENDED IN SAN FRANCISCO

Koreans Will Be Tried for Murder of D. W. Stev-

San Francisco, March 26.-Durham shot by I. Whan Chang, a young Korean on Monday, died at the hospital last night. Death was due to peritonitis. The operation disclosed that the assassin's bullet had perforated the intestines in six places. At the heiside when death came were C. O. the intestines in six places. At the bedside when death came were C. O. otke, Japanese consul-general in San

Mr. Stevens regained consciousnes only once after the operation, and then said he was in great pain. The attending physicians realized last night that dashes was certain in a short time, and

operated in the faint hope of saving his life. Consul-General Koike was greatly affected by the death of Mr. Stevens.

I. Whan Chang, the Korean who shot the diplomat, when informed at the jail of his victim's death, received the news without surprise and with manifest selling. news without surprise and with manifest delight. Since the day of the shooting. Chang has been expressing the hope that Stevens might die. Last night when asked if he was sorry for what he had done, Chang said: "I am glad. He was no friend of Korea, and he is better dead."

Mr. Stevens' death will result in a charge of murter better beat.

Mr. Stevens' death will result in a charge of murder—being brought against both Chang, and Chun, his accomplice, who attacked Stevens as he alighted from his automobile at the ferry building. Chun, who was wounded by a wild shot from his companion's revolver, is at the Lane hospital, where it was last night said he was apparently on the road to recovery.

Dead Diolomat's Career.

Dead Diplomat's Career.

Washington, March 28.—Durham White Stevens, who died at San Francisco last night, was returning here for a fortnights vacation. Mr. Stevens had lived here with three sisters for many years. Mr. Stevens was in the United States diplomatic corps for tan years and until 1888 serving as the United States diplomatic corps ten years, and until 1883, serving as for ten years, and until 1883, serving as secretary of legation at Tokio. It was through his services there that the attention of Japanese officials was called to him. Then he served as confidential advisor and counsel for the Japanese legation in this city and enjoyed the confidence of Count Okuma. He was a prominent club man here and few men in the diplomatic corps were Regarding the forcible seizure of the Tiem Pesham mine near Kantao by Chinese troops. Minister Hayashi said that this matter was included in the Kantao negotiations, and that when the boundary was fixed the mine question would be considered.

Regarding anti-Japanese feeling by Regarding anti-Japanese feeling by the central government of China, he said he was unable—to diacover the slightest evidence of unfriendliness. China was a vast country, with millions of people, of whom a portion were probably anti-Japanese, but that it was impossible to influence the entire population. It is beyond the scope of the Japanese foreign office to reach all sections of China, and it will take time deferents of the Korean among the active adherents of the Koreans among the active adherents of the Koreans.

government felt for the notable ser-ylce Mr. Stevens had rendered was videnced by its bestowal on him of an honorarium of \$10,000 annually and decorations of the third class order of the Rising Sun and the order of Sacred Treasure. Governor Dunsmuir, and had put be-tore him the projects they had in con-templation for the improvements of the city. He had sought out Mr. Dunsmuir, he had assumed that the Lieutenant-Chysenor would take the lieutenant-

#### MORE WARSHIPS FOR HAYTIEN WATERS

#### U. S. Orders Two Vessels to Republic on Receipt of Disquieting News.

Washington, D. C., March 26.-Two additional war vessels have been ordered to Hayti, following a conference of officials of the state and navy departments. As the Des Moines already had been sent to the scene of the recent outbreak, which endangered the lives of foreigners on the island, the United States will be repre-sented by three warships in Haytten

The exact nature of the dis news from Hayti, the receipt of which brought about the precautionary ster was not disclosed by the state depart

#### WHY SENATOR DIED. Niagara Falls, N. Y., March. 26.

embers of Senator Franchot's family Members of Senator Franchot's family strenuously deny published reports that he died of a broken back or of any injury to that part of his body. The surgeons who performed the operation in Montreal, they say, were pleased when they had finished to find that the senator could move his toes, which encouraged them in the belief that he might be all right. However, his lungs, kidneys and heart were affected, which lessened the renewal of his strength. His left lung overlapped the heart, while his kidneys felt the paralysis, Under the cibcumstances the heart failed.

# OUTLOOK BETTER IN LADYSMITH

#### RESUMPTION OF MANY INDUSTRIES

#### Large Acreage Will Be Cleared in the Near Future.

(Special Corre

Ladysmith, March 25.-Condition re improving at Ladysmith. Last month was the slackest time there has been at the Extension mines for has been at the Extension mines for a period extending into years. With the total suspension of work at the smelter, the shingle mill and the logging camps, the short time at the mines rather aggravated the general duliness from which Ladysmith. in common with other mining and smelter cities in the appropriate and smelter cities and s

ter cities in the province, has suffered the last few months. However it happily proimses to be the low water mark of the trade de-pression locally. The mines have worked steadily all the month aver-aging five days a week. The shingle aging five days h week. The shingle mill has commenced running again and is expected to go regularly for a month or two. The smelter also will be opened out before the end of the week, and, although it may have to be stopped to allow the new arrangements to be completed, the stoppage, it is expected, will not be of long duration.

the near neighborhood of \$30,000, was secured by a Victoria firm. A representative of the firm, accompanied by J. T. Brown, was in town to-day looking over the site and arranging to commence work. Eli Rowland, a local man, has been appointed clerk of works, and he states that work will be commenced by the first week. April. The new buildings will have handsome exterior and will for

the outstanding architectural feature buncan firm, and should the report be correct work will be begun right away and the town will benefit largely way and the town will benefit largely immediately, and even to a greater extent in the future from these clearing operations. Altogether, the summer promises to be the brightest and most prosperous the city has ever enjoyed.

#### INTEREST IN WELFARE OF COAL CITY

#### Mayor Nicholson of Ladysmith Has Interview With Hon. J. Dunsmuir.

(Special Correspondence) Ladysmith, March 25 .- Mayor Nicholance to the city council. He stated that he had had an interview with L

Governor would take the lievliest in terest in all that concerned its welterest in all that concerned its wel-fare and development.

Accordingly he had outlined to Mr.

Dunsmuir the scheme they had in view for the lighting of the city, the vital principle of which was the public ownership of the plant. The difficulty was the floating of a loan, and he ask-ed Mr. Dunsmuir if they could count upon him taking up some portion of the debentures.

the debentures.

Mr. Dunsmuir contented himself with ecommending the scheme. The city needed lights and he would like to see it get them. There was a big enough population to make the enterprise a profitable one, but he was not prepared to take up any stock in it.

Mayor Nicholson then reminded Mr. Dunsmuir, that on a former occasion the Wellington Colliery Company had offered to supply coal for the city lighting purposes at \$2 a ton. Did this offer still hold good, he asked?

The reply of the Lieutenant-Governor was, in the negative. Since that

The reply of the Lieutenant-Governon was, in the negative. Since that time he had granted an increase in wages to his employees. He could not now reduce the rates on coal without touching his employees' earnings. This he did not want to do, and the city in the event of installing a lighting plant would have to pay the same rates for its coal as any other consumer.

Mayor Nicholson then brought up the question of a city sewer, and was assured that no objection would be raised by the Wellington Colliery Company to the city laying a pipe under their tracks, and that they were at liberty to find an outlet to the bay

at liberty to find an outlet to the bay wherever they could on the company's

#### IMMIGRATION APPOINTMENT.

Vancouver, March 26. J. B. Harkin cretary of the Hon. Frank Ollver, he can appointed to superintend the imm ration stations between Emerson as ancouver, with headquarters here.

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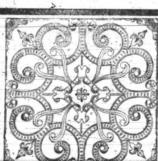
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#### UNDER WHICH KING DO JAPS SERVE?

In Future Immigrants Applying for Naturalization Will Be Cross Examined.

(Special to the Times).

Vancouver, March 26 - Judge Grant to-day gave permission for a cross-ex-tamination of all aliens who wish to be-come British subjects. This is the first time that a similar order has been made in Canada in 40 years.

Regarding Japanese, Chinese and Hindus, Judge Grant said: "With hun-freds of these immurants who seek dreds of these immigrants who seek naturalization the action has come to be purely a matter of form it is argued that many of these Japanese not only retain their allegiance to the Mikado while swearing allegiance to King Edward, but are under bonds to friends and relatives to return to the Flowery

ward, but are under bonds to friends and relatives to return to the Flowery Kingdom when called upon."

There are fifty applicants from almost everyspart of the globe now awaiting naturalization in Vancouver. On naturalization certificates alone can they obtain fishing licenses and other privileges.

WILL REDUCE WAGES.

One Hundred Men of Nov., Scotia Steel Company Will Be Affected.

(Special to the Times).

WITH IMMIGRANTS

Objection Raised in Habeas Corpus Proceedings Has Been Obviated.

(Special to the Times). tter causing suspicion to fait on a lative in connection with the death.

DEVOURED BY WOLVES.

Port Francis, March 26.—A little how kept in at school near Barwick was stopped and devoured by wolves when going home in the dark.

BANK OF VANCOUVER.

(Special to the Times).

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### THE RAILROADS MET REVERSES

THIS INFLUENCES THE STOCK MARKETS

Clews & Co. Report That This and the Political Situation Affected Trade.

The latest report of Henry Clews

& Co. is as follows: New York, March 21.—The upward movement, in stocks which has been in progress for some time past received a check in the latter part of the week, owing to unfavorable railroad reports and a disposition to take profits. A good deal of realizing has recently taken place, especially by the larger interests which bought stocks during and immediately after the panic to check the decline. Very substantial profits have been made by such buyers, and the inducements to realize were irresistible in view of the greater difficulty of

It evidently appears to be the motive of the big leaders to induce activity by of the big leaders to indice activity by creating frequent moderate fisctuations.

New Glasgow, N. S., March 25.—At The two most potent factors just now after a two hour discussion in company to the company in the directors were re-decied, atton. Now York Central, Baltimore & cheeper that the number was reduced, atton. Now York Central, Baltimore & cheeper that the number was reduced, and other representative roads are all pennant that as and other representative roads are all penting very unsatisfactory results in both gross and vert carrings. New York Central was obliged to reduce its division of 26 to 22. Then as soon as reporting very unsatisfactory results in both gross and vert carrings. New York Central was obliged to reduce its division of 26 to 22. Then as soon as reported to the house of a number of more highly paid men at the Trenton works. No reference was made at the meeting, but it is understood that conferences between the company's officials and the men are being held, and that as a result a reduction of 5 per cent, will be made. The number of men affected will be about one hundred.

NEW ORDER TO DEAL

WITH IMMIGRANTS.

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January and February were disassible months for nearly, all of the leading railroad systems, and the reduction of Baltimore & Ohio's February net from \$1,463,600 in 1907 to \$270,000 in 1908, is typical of ruffrend experience. Under such conditions it is inconceivable that abor should expect to escape taking its share of the business reaction. Yet railroad labor, stubbornly refuses to nainfaining the old rate of wages

With the heavy increase in expens was helders. In some districts traffic is besolers. It some distributes traine is begineling to recover and the gross-results
for March should not show so large a
decrease, as these in February; never
the new order serves the
theless, the rathroads have some serious
expense problems to settle during the
next few months.

The Toronto World is threatened with
a libel suit for having erroneously attributed the theft to a relative of
Findiay's with a somewhat similar
name.

While the technical situation of the market appears to favor the taking of profits and the secrets of caution in buying the general situation appears to be growing better rather than worse. Reports from the West as to business are generally of a more encouraging are generally of a mere encouraging nature. The depression there has been neighby like so severe as in the East, and the tendency to recover is more marked in the industrial centres of the West than in New York, which has all along been the cyclonic centre. The monetary situation, shows further improvement; and in consequence financial disasters resulting from the panic, though unpleasantly large, are proving less serious than at one time feared. Money rates are now reasonably fow, vives under its original title. The lat-and good borrowers have little difficulty of though banks are pursuing a conserva-though banks are pursuing a conserva-torial of 21,535 newspapers, reviews, and tree course and rigidly turning down. armer, who died suddenly in the sum-ier of 1966, has been exhumed by ar-er of the attorney-general's depart-ier. The stomach will be analyzed, he authorities admit having received some years. A favorable feature was 1880 and 1890 was 126.4 per cent. Bas the reduction in the Bank of England ing his conclusions upon these figures rate to 3 per cent, the lowest rate since Gen. Psylor estimates that the total 1995. High rates for money continue in Germany, where a reaction of more or United States in 1907 was not less than less severity is now being encountered ten billion copies, while he places the as a result of overdoing somewhat similar to what is experienced in the United States, Ganerally speaking, however,

the money markets of the world are now in a satisfactory condition as a re-cult of the check to inflationary meth-ods hich began in our panic of Oc-Ottawa, March 26—A bill for the Incor-poration of the Bank of Vancouver has slightly better demand for some prod-Among the signs of recovery are a slightly better demand for some products of steel and iren. Increasing orders have been received for both rail- foad and building shares, prices in the imeantime having been well sustained. There has also been a larger business—cities devote two or three pages to a meaning that in 1851 when America won the cup that has since become so famous, the New York and Boston papers printed only from 250 to 300 words about the event, and this read that the pages about the event, and this interpretation of the pages in these the pages of the pages to a meaning that in 1851 when America won the cup that has since become so famous, the New York and 100 words about the event, and this could be a since become so famous, the New York and 100 words about the event, and this read that has since become so famous, the New York and 100 words about the event, and this read that has since become so famous, the New York and 100 words about the event, and this read that has since become so famous, the New York and 100 words about the event, and this read that has since become so famous, the New York and 100 words about the event, and this read that has a few yorks and 200 words about the event, and this read that has a few yorks and 100 words about the event, and this read that the pages of the pages The committee appointed by the Central Farmers' Institute to wait on the Hon R. G. Tatlow, consisting of Messrs. Collins, Corbett and Graham, me the minister yesterday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. and put before him the various resolutions passed during the convention. The minister promised the committee that the resolutions passed and as placed before him would receive his favorable considered that the resolutions passed and higher and the committee that the resolutions passed and higher and the committee that the resolutions passed and higher and the committee that the resolutions passed and higher and the committee that the resolutions passed and higher and the committee that the resolutions passed and higher and the considered higher and the control of the most important matters and Hon. Mr. Tatlow intimated that these would be specially considered by him. in copper, American consumers having, cup race. It is understood, made liberal purchases during the past week at nearly fix. In ator sent tion of the most important matters and Hon. Mr. Tatlow intimated that these would be specially considered by him.

The Loschiavo case, which appears to have become a fixture in the local court this morning and again remand. courts, was again called in the police court this morning and again remands ed for a week.

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Justment following the panic has been more easily accomplished in the cotton goods industry than in any-other. This is partly due to the fact that cotton manufacturers are not under drust or monopoly influence; while the unions are frequently led by men of intelligence and conservatism who are able to recognize and accept changes in business conditions. There is no question but that the cotton industry of the United States is in a safer condition than any other branch of manufacturer to-day after being overhauled.

tensity and more or less uncertainty is inevitable until the nominations can be ascertained. The attempt of labor to secure through the president exemption from operation of the Sherman Act and to make itself a privileged class is absurd and untenable. Whoever are responsible for this movement their judgment is at fault and their conduct unwise. Such class legislation will kever be accepted in the United States, and its advocacy simply further diminishes the sympathy and respect of the cause of labor. Labor had already secured-likeful share of the prosperity which culminated in 1907, and its refusal to take its share of adversity, coupled with its determination to make itself a privileged class, is simply placing itself beyond the reach of reasonable discussion.

An early spring is promised, and this will account as the starting of construc-

An early spring is promised, and this will encourage the starting of construc-tion work. It will also permit early planting and lessen the chances of danger to the crops from frost in the autumn. Last year, it will be remem-bered, the season was from two to three weeks lete. weeks late.

CALLED FOR CASTING VOTE.

Division on Changing Moving Day in Quebec Legislature Results in Tie.

Quebec, March 26 .- For the first time in several years and one of the first actual divisions in the present session, Speaker Roy was called upon to give his casting vote in the legislature to-day.

moving days in the province still hang

Said to Have Got Away With \$42,000—Libel Suit Threatened.

Toronto, March 26.-Douglas B. Finds at Tottenham and will be brought to Toronto to-day on a charge of stealing \$42,000 from the firm. Findlay has been employed for two and a half years and handled each year between two milemployed for two and a half years and handled each year between two mil-lion and three million dollars. Find-lay is said to have dissipated the maney.

The Toronto World is threatened with

Facts relating to newspapers and Facts relating to newspapers and newspaper growth in the United States are presented in Appleton's Magazine in an article on "The Newspaper As It Is." written by Gen. Charles H. Tay-ior, of the Boston Globe. "Statistics of American newspapers, giving the number in each state."

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Of the advance of the newspaper as of the advance of the newspaper as a news conveying agent, Gen. Taylor says that there never was a time when, a newspaper reader got so much for his money as now, and he illustrates the point by recalling that in 1851 when

Similarly, in 1861, one tolegraph opertors employed at a national cor

POETS FIELD DAY.

India would seem to be a pleasant land for minor goets, since the Rajah of Rampur recently sent out invitations to all the poets in India to a gathering, in his state. About 200 poets accepted the invitation, and some of the poets recited their own compositions. His Highness was too unwell to be present.

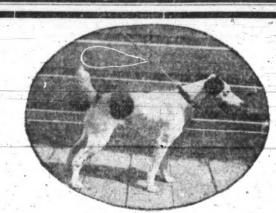
-Two drunks contributed to the civic exchequer to-day. One of them urged that he had merged had a fit and had fallen down. It's excuse, however, did not go. The tug Pilot was launched from the

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FOX'S N. B.—Mall orders promptly attends

-The regular meeting of Victoria Nest, No. 10, Brotherhood of Owls, will be held this evening in the Eagles' hall, when the committee on the mas-querade ball for the 23rd of April will roake a report. All members of the Brotherhood as well as visiting brothers will be made welcome.

TWO YOUNG MEN to learn a trade, will pay \$15 a week after two weeks; \$25 re-guired. Room 4, 606 Fort afreet.

FURNISHED ROOM, with use of kit-chen, offered to person that will look after child 1½ years during mother's working hours, month suit dressmaker. Apply 25 this office.

MAN DESIRES WORK—Small contracts undertaken. Carpontry, paisting, fenc-ing, sidewalks, land clearing and gar-dening, in the city. Box 77s, this office, SNAPS-Yates street, very superior contage, lot 60x120, most desirable home, \$4,600; five acres, 800 choice fruit trees (mixed), also strawberry and smill fruit, good income made, \$5,600, terms, il acres, 3 acres cleared, spiendid buyonly \$1,060; four fine lots, 60x120, cheapest buy in the 61x, only \$800. A. Williams & Co., 707 Yates street.

WANTED-To purchase, about 20 timber claims in any good logging location, must average not less than twenty thousand to the acre. Apply Box 198, Times Officer

TO RENT-April 1st, partly furnished or unfurnished modern 8 room house, furnace, etc., on car line, rent moderate. Apply Box 276, Times Office. TO LET-Furnished rooms and board, piano and phone. Bellevue, Quebec St., third house from Parliament Buildings.

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original plans and estimates free of
charge. Will furnish plans of houses
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estimate required. James Fairall, contractor, builder and architect, \$6 Springfield Ave. Victoria West.

### Replies to Advertisements

Letters in reply to advertisements in classified columns of the Times await

laimants as follows: ing at this time.

The most disturbing issue in the stock market is the political outlook. The presidential campaign is growing in Investigation of the stock market is the political outlook. The stock market is the political outlook. The Suva.

LETTERS—W. K. S. W. A. T. X. Z. NUMBERS—174, 184, 189, 196, 198, 207, 209, 218, 1777, 221, 224, 234, 237, 240, 301, 245.

# **CEDAR POLES**

TENDERS will be received by the midersigned up to Monday, the 6th day of April next, for 75 cedar poles, 35 feet long, when a banquet will be served, to at top end, and not less than 14 inches at top end, and not less than 14 inches ng when a banquet will be serventhen those interested in physical development have been invited. The banquet will be held in the gymnasium and will commence at 6.0 clock sharp. Dr. Fisher is expected to put the science of physical training in a whelly new light.

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### PROSPERITY IS SHOWN IN BUDGET

IN SPITE OF WORLD-WIDE FINANCIAL DEPRESSION

Hon. W. S. Feilding Delivers Notable Summary of Canada's Strides.

Ottawa, March is .- In the course of his budget speech yesterday afternoon, W. S. Flelding, minister of fin-announced that the actual surlus for the nine months ending March 31st, 1907, was \$16.427,167.20, nearly three nd a half million neore than his estinate. It is worth while reflecting on the statistics as given by the finance ninister, whose budgets, by the way, ne parliamentary classic

may be come parliamentary classics.

"The outturn of the financial period to which I have referred proved somewhat more favorable than the anticipations which I ventured to present form the budget speech of the previous Nevember. I had estimated a revenue of \$85,000,000, but the actual revenue of \$85,000,000, but the actual revenue for the nine months was \$67,999,328.29. It estimated an expenditure chargeable to consolidated fund of \$2,000,000; the exhediture proved to be \$51,542,161.09. which was less than the estimate to the extent of \$47,888.31. I had estimated a surplus for the nine months was significant to the extent of \$47,888.31. I had estimated a surplus for the nine months was significant to the extent of \$47,888.31. I had estimated a surplus for the nine months was larger than the surplus of any fiscal year in the history of confederation. It may be well to note, in passing, though the figures are "The outturn of the financial period which I have referred proved somefor the time months was larger than the surplus of any fiscal year in the history of confederation. It may be well to note, in passing, though the figures are in the possession of the House already, that the inaln sources of our revenue

ware as follows":		*	
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quite a change from the half million deliar deficit which Mr. Foster used to present to the country. Regarding the public debt, Mr. Field-

moderate increase in the public from time to time is to be expect-ind would be quite defensible. I k it must be a cause of surprise to. persons and even to our critic ow that after the lanse of 103 provided for our capital and second ex-penditure. We have expended \$127,000. 900. apart from the ordinary charges on what is called the capital and special account. Yet notwithstanding all these ilberal allowances for all the public services, notwithstanding the Jarge capital and special excenditure, notwithstanding the liberality with which all branches of the public services have been market and the public services have an end of this 10% year period with an addition to the public debt amounting

whatever, but a very considerable surplus over expenditures of every kind. If we look into the outside of the debt in its relation to the population of the country, which is a very fair way to look at it, we find reason for be laving that Canada is very modest in the matter if incurring public debt. As the country increases its ponulation, we, by course, increase in ability to bear the burden. If the increase of the public debt have well be able to meet a difficulty of the kind in the future without even a technical yielding of our currency have. If the increase of the burden. If the increase of the public debt should simply keep necessary with the increase of population and the development, of our resources, there would be nothing to complain of. But when we are able to show that from the point of view of the debt per head, I think it will be admitted that we are making a very gratify and there has been no reduction, but in reality an actual decrease of the population as furnished from time to time by our census department, we find the met debt of Canada per head stands as follows:

Net Debt Per Capita.

June 30, 1891 49,09

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1893 49,40

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- 44	1902	
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	1905	45.63
	1906	. 44.63

Mch. 21, 1907 .. A. .. .. .. .. 42.84 The minister predicted that the closal of the current fiscal year, March 31st, would see the most magnificent surplus since the Laurier administration was born, about \$12,000,000, and yet the Conservative critics claim the Liberal regime to be a failure!

Purning now to the fiscal year 1908-1909, upon which we shall soon enter. I think I am correct when I say that the general feeling of our business men is one of hopeful confidence united with much caution. We are just emerging from a period of world-wide financial stringging. from a period of world-wide financial stringency. Financial systems and in-

stitutions of all countries have been period of crop movement which would be defined, beginning probably in Oction to us all that none have stood the tober and ending after the turn of the countries. test better than those of Canada. In year, to issue circulation to the extent the single case if which one of our of 15 per cent of their combined re-banks became embarrassed, sister inbanks became embarraised, sister in-stitutions promptly took over its af-fairs and its business went on without the slightest bitch so far as the public interests were concerned. One of the conditions which accentuated the diffi-

interests were concerned. One of the conditions which accentuated the difficulties in the neighboring republic was focusætely, unknown here. I refer to what is called the hoarding of money. In the United Stafes men lost faith in financial institutions and withdrew their money and locked it up. Happily nothing of the kind occurred in Canada. There was a justifiable confidence in our banking institutions. Where money was withdrawn it was not to be floarded, but to be applied to investment or other useful purposes. The curtailment of credit naturally produced some embarrassments. But even out of this condition good may come. There was danger that the kapid expansion might lead to overtrading and imprudent ventures. It is as well, perhaps, that all someomed should be warned against such things. Business has received a cheek, but I do not look for a continued period of depression. Conditions should improve in the early summer, and if we are blessed with a season of good crops confidence will be fully restored.

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Year Ended	June 20.

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Year Ended June 30.
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61,493,671 After an explanation of the account he government in connection with what is called the moving of the crops and the finance minister said: last autumn, the finance

Mr. Fleiding forecast some important changes in the excise laws. He said: "We propose to readjust the taxation on tobacco. There is a well-known ex-pression: "Readjustment without inpression: "Readjustment without increase." This, Fibrink, is entirely a case of that kind. At all events, we do not aim to increase it, we aim to so readjust the tobacco duties as to meet the conditions which have arisen, but without adding anything to the burden of taxation. The first object of the change will be to establish a uniform rate of licenses for tokes and licenses for tobacco manufactu stead of the varying rates which now exist. The second object, will be to carry a larger part of the burden of taxation on the raw leaf as it is introduced into the manufacture of tobacco; and the third purpose is to establish a uniform standard. The resolutions bearing on that subject will be introduced by my hon, friend the minister of inland revenue, and I shall lay them on the table at the conclusion of my remarks." marks.

on the table at the conclusion of my remarks."

In conclusion he said:

"Coming now, in conclusion, fo the question of the customs tariff, I have to may that we do not propose to make any thanges in it at present. We made a revision of the tariff a year ago, and while I do not imagine that it is a perfect instrument, we think that on the whole it has worked well and is well adapted to the requirements of the country. Some institutions have made representations that things are not quite as well in their line as they would like to have them, and they would be glad to have some change. T'do not suppose that we shall ever reach a time when there will not be some persons who think there should be a change, that present conditions are not all they wish. There is always a disposition teached. that present conditions are not all they wish. There is always a disposition to feet that when any business difficulty arises the proper remedy is to be found in a higher tariff. One would think that what is occurring across the line to the south of us would go far to dispei that old-time heresy because over there they have the benefit, if it be a benefit, of a much higher tariff than we

the south of us would go far to dispel that old-time heresy, because over there they have the benefit, if it be a benefit, of a much higher tariff than we have in Canada. We know that the conditions of business over there during the past few months have been very that the Canadian tariff is in a pretty fair condition, and we think that those who have made representations to us with a view to la change-in some respects, possibly not in all-will find that as business improves, as we think it will in a short time, their disadvantages will disappear and theft industry will have all the encouragement that it reasonably requires.

"One deputation came to us at the eleventh hour. Yesterday we were waited upon by a deputation of quiterested in the production of pork, who complained to us that the present time in relation to their trade placed them at a disadvantage. They seemed to think that to some extent at least that disadvantage arose from an evasion of the customs laws as respects the inflortation of foreign pork; and they seemed to think that if the customis taws were more rigidly carried out in respect to the dumping clause, they would get some measure of relief. Whether they are correct in their impression as to the cause of the evil is a matter to be inquired into. My hon, friend the minister of customs will be glad to find a remedy. The production of pork, particularly of bacon and hams, has become in Canada a very large and important trade, and we should be very careful to see that everything possible is done to encourage it. I am hopeful that the result of the inportant trade and we should be very careful to see that everything possible is done to encourage it. I am hopeful that the result of the investigation by careful to see that everything possible is done to encourage it. I am hopeful that the result of the investigation by the minister of customs and of the application of the law, if necessary, in a stricter form, will give these gentlemen the relief that they desire."

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of bronchitis or consumption, Many could be cured if they would just use common sense in selecting their remedy.

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#### BUSINESS AND THE BUDGET.

Fielding's budget speeches are subject to the extraordinary criticisms that they are easily comprehended, the ts the speeches of Mr. Foster have ecn and as his so-called criticisms are. If the Finance Minister's budgets are ent tariff, therefore it is not proposed it in a Christian manner." to make any changes. Revenue for the past year exceeded expectations, and, notwithstanding heavy expenditures on the National Transcontinental Railway, the national debt was reduced by nore than three million dollars, The net debt is less than at any period for considerable number of years. But stupendous undertaking as the construction of a transcontinental road without adding to the debt. The expenditures now until the work is completed will be heavy. These expenditures, however, will be offset by the addition of a great national asset in the form of a line of railway extending from Winnipeg in the west to Monctou in the east. That line of road will be the property of the country, operated by the Grand Trunk Pacific Company, the company paying during the term ominion through Northern British Cadominion through Northern British Circ Places substitute with the importance of the last the result of blows and the team in lumbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manimensurate with the importance of the last the result of blows and the team in lumbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manimensurate with the importance of the last result of blows and the team in lumbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manimensurate with the importance of the last result of blows and the team in lumbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manimensurate with the importance of the last result of blows and the team in lumbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manimensurate with the importance of the last result of blows and the team in lumbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manimensurate with the importance of the last result of blows and the team in lumbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manimensurate with the importance of the last result of blows and the team in lumbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manimensurate with the importance of the last result of blows and the team in lumbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manimensurate with the importance of the last result of blows and the team in lumbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manimensurate with the importance of the last result of blows and the likely to do so. wick. It will add millions to the popurescause within a short time will not expand in a manner which will make the expansion of the past ten years

seem insignificant? Mr. Fielding is unquestionably an original type of Finance Minister. His budget speeches are unique in their simplicity! They are comprehensible to the average person, and it is undoubtedly because they are so that Mr. Fielding has occupied the post of Fireance Minister for a longer period than any other statesman in the history of Canada, and, being still a young man, the country is likely to retain his services for a long time yet. He has seen the revenue double in a decade. It will have doubled again during his occupancy of one of the most important positions in the government.

SOME CONSEQUENCES OF OB-

Soldiers in the permanent forces on the Atlantic coast are complaining be-cause their pay has not been forthcoming as promptly as usual. Who is responsible for this condition of affairs? The opposition at Ottawa has been obstructing the passage of supply, upon the alleged ground that the govern-ment has refused all the information asked for. There is absolutely no ground for the charge that information has been withheld. All returns have been brought down as Some members of the opposition have try. What a change of tone there professed to believe that the copies would be if Mr. Siften professed to believe that the copies were not true copies that the returns had been faisified, hence they insisted upon seeing the original documents. A

sight of the originals at once disposed signt of the insinuations of these most hon-orable gentlemen, whose characters Nanaimo, with indifferent success. The rable gentlemen, whose characters may be gauged from the very nature of people of the Coal City are evidently heir suspicions, and proved that they beginning to understand the game and had been blocking business in the hope to analyze the motives of the gameof creating false impressions through-out the country. We have already taken occasion to point out that it is only since the Conservatives went into opposition that the sessions of parliament have been prolonged to an undue extent. The opposition has been engaged in a diligent hunt for scandals, has been futilely endeavoring to find evidence of wrongdoing upon which to make an appeal to the constituencies. The complaint of the soldiers is the illustration of what has been accomplished. Parliament is meeting from two to three months earlier than usual, and still business cannot be transacted sails to the breeze, sums up the corin time to meet the requirements of the departments. The inevitable out- "Courage and caution." come has been predicted by Conserva tive newspapers and by reasonable Conservatives in the House itself. A of the Speaker of the House of Representatives at Washington or at the dis position of the majority at Westminster must be sought unless the people of Canada leave such vicious obstructionists as Foster at home. There little trouble while he was out of the House. Mr. Borden is not strong enough to keep the more hungry of his followers in hand; but he would be de-

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(9. & S. T to the rectors of his diocese Biship Colton, of Buffale, N. Y., urges all the unmarried spinsters of marriageable unmarried spinsters of marriageable age to pray to God to send them suitable partners. The letter was read in all the Catholic churches of the city at all services. After impressing on all his parishioners that it is the sall his parishioners. The marriageable innguage on the streets and the other wantonly, cruelly and unnecessarily beating his horses. Both offences, it was charged, had been committed early Sunday morning. He pleaded guilty to the use of the other charge and was fined \$10, but defined the other charge and was defined \$10. unmarried spinsters of marriageable all his parishioners that it is the sacred duty of all who do not intend to enter holy orders to get married, the bishop urges that they conscientiously consider the proposition and pray for divine guidance. The bishop's action is in pursuance of the following recently promulgated by Pope Pius X. statements of a business man to busi-ress men not merely "stump speeches," "It is timely to remark that persons cently promulgated by Pope Pius X .: bility and the duty of entering the mony is a sacrament and brings the lanche of words. The country has blessings of God on those receiving it \$10. lanche of words. The country has blessings of God on those receiving it in preserved exceedingly under the preserved exceedingly under the preserved exceedingly under the preserved it in a Christian manner."

In connection with the second charge Special Officer W. A. Ostrom told of having seen him about 12:30 midnight.

lighted if the electorate would act for

Thirty Russian political offenders were lately condemned to death in one day. The revolutionary spirit has been temporarily subdued: and no wonder. But while sitting upon the lid may stop the noise of escaping steam, it does not quench the fires beneath the pot nor relieve the pressure of the stand on Yates street. He also kicked one of the horses and pulled them up almost off their feet. He first heard Ohin flogging this horses and pulled them up almost off their feet. He also while he was standing in front of driving toward the stand and the horses were going quietly.

Mrs. Blanche Baynton told of having heard the flogging of the horses it is obviously impossible to carry out pot nor relieve the pressure of the turbulent elements within it. The lid will either blow off, with the usual result, or the pot will explode, with re- animals. sults more disastrous for all concern-

Only a few days ago the Colonist was striving to show that cheap rates to and from Puget Sound points could day our contemporary is chortling over the prospect of cheap fares from Chicago and all interior points to the coast. If low rates from Chicago are of its operation the interest upon its stimulative to business in some decost. This railway will open up a new gree, are not low rates from all other places stimulative in a degree com-

> The Whitney Conservative govern- time. new Hazen government shall dismiss ed one.

There is said to be only the matter of 'religion" standing between the marriage of the Duke of Abruzzi and Miss Elkins. That can be easily arranged. It has been in the cases of lesser personages—lesser from the American point of view. So it may be assumed the great matrimonial event is a high-spirited one.

"go." Never mind what happened to the Duchess of Mariborough, nee Consuelo Vanderbilt, and others. After all, the great thing is the title.

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"To Magistrate Jay he admitted that the desired process." the Duchess of Marlborough, nee Con-suelo Vanderbilt, and others, After all. the great thing is the title.

James J. Hill, once so optimistic, is in the "doleful dumps." Some one has said the rallways will soon be as busy as ever. Mr. Hill says, "wait and see," Business must surely be in a bad way in the United States when we find the he would discharge him. Great Northern man standing upon the walls and prophesying woe and lamentation.

Hon. Clifford Sifton was a bold, bad man when he was a member of the Dominion government. Now that he is quickly as they could be copied by the out of the government, he is a strong largest staff of cierks ever employed. man and a star of hope for the coun-

and co-laborer Comrade Hawthornthsters.

One day last week the Ottawa dispatches announced that the House on that day had made great progress with business and had cleaned off the order paper in three hours. It is now learned from the newspapers, just to hand, this morning before Mr. Justice Irving that Messrs, Foster, Bennett and other in Chambers, the sequel of the late obstructionists were absent on the day

check such as that placed in the hands before the measure which flattened out speculative prices was introduced.

#### HACK DRIVER HAS A BIG PLACE IN COURT

#### Aubrey Ohin Answers Two Charges, But One Fine Does for Both.

Aubrey Ohin, a Hack driver for Scholefield's livery barn, occupied quite a prominent place in the police court this morning, having to answer to two charges, one of using obscene nguage on the streets and the other other offence.

of marriageable age, and who feel no vocation to the religious life, should conscientiously consider the advisa- the by-law he could give him one clear, concise and not ornamented with of the control of the contain an exact statement of the condition of the finances. No attempt is direct them in their choice, for matrices and the condition of the finances. month in jail without the option of a

flogging his horses rather severely on

Frank Lorenge, hack driver. called, denied all knowledge of the affair. Ohin's team, he said, was a spirited one and he could not them it they were beaten as O Ashton swore they had been. If horses had been beaten as it was not be other than an unmixed evil. To- they had been they would have been

marked.

Andrew Baynton, hack driver, corroborated Mr. Ashton's evidence as to
the character of the beating administered to the horses by Ohin. Lorense,
the previous witness, notwithstanding his evidence to the contrary, had been present with him at the time of the beating. All horses did not raise marks

lation of Canada. Will anyone seriousiy centend that the venture will not amply recoup the Dominion treasury the most outrageous gerrymanders in the history of the country since the history of the country since the beautiful at 6 o'clock next morning but obfor all initial expenditures, or that the the history of the country since the

Charles Mitchell, a local pugilist, charles Mitchell, a local puglist, who spends his spare time driving a places for the hungry horde in that province. In the meantime listen to the professions of the federal opposition at the capital of Canada. The Canadian Tory cannot change his spots.

looked particularly to see it the analy.

Aubrey Ohin gave evidence on his own behalf, and swore that on the night in question one of the horses had commenced backing up, and he had hit them a couple of cracks to make them go forward, but the blows had fallen on the harness instead of the horses. The trouble had been that the lines had become eaught. The team was a had become eaught. The team was a

To Magistrate Jay he admitted that he had had a few drinks.

The imagistrate in giving his decision said that he was not satisfied that. Ohin had not unnecessarily beaten his horses, but in view of the fact that he had been fined \$10 for lusing obscene

#### BILLIARDS IN NEW YORK.

New York, March 26. George Sutton defeated Firman Cassignol by a score of 400 to 143 in their 18.2 balk line exhibition billiard match yesterday. Sutton added to his honors last night by winning a victory over Slosson, whom winning a victory over Slosson, whom he defeated by a score of 500 to 211. Jacob Schaefer was ill and unable to

#### A TIMBER CASE IN THE SUPREME COURT

#### Applications Made in Chambers This Morning-Benchers' Meeting April 6th.

obstructionists were absent on the day in question.

Canada's great Finance Minister, who a few years ago gave the pusiness men of the country the right tip when he advised them to shake out all their sails to the breeze, sums up the correct attitude of to-day in the words, "Courage and caution."

A Was creatry is now accused of selling hotel property at inflated values before the measure which flattened out restrain McDonald from selling these transferred the properties to one of selling hotel property at inflated values before the measure which flattened out restrain McDonald from selling these transferred the properties to one of selling hotel property at inflated values before the measure which flattened out to the courts here for an injunction to restrain McDonald from selling these to the courts here for an injunction to restrain McDonald from selling these limits, but the application was too late as the properties had already been transferred twice. The application was accordingly adjourned to come up again at a week's notice if found necessary, plaintiff to pay all costs. H. L. Crease appeared for the plaintiff and Exact. Misches the defendant. Frank Higgins for the defendant.

An order was made to remit an ac-tion brought by the Victoria Machinery Company against Turpel & Son to the County court. The case will ac-cordingly be tried there. W. J. Taylor is for the plaintiff and H. H. Shandley for the defendant. This is a suit to re-cover for work done and materials upplied.

Probate was granted in the case of Francis Burgess, deceased. Marshall Bray was appointed judical

rustee for F. P. McNamee, an infant. Legal Notes.

Legal Notes.

The first meeting of the benchers after the election will be held on April 6th. At that meeting the announcement of the successful candidates at the examination, which concludes to-day, will be announced.

The next session of the County court will take place on April 6th. There are a number of cases down for trial on

-The Victoria Transfer Company The victoria transfer Company give applied for a building permit in domection with their new structure on Broughton sisset, the amount being \$14,000. The permit for the main por-\$14,000. The permit for the main por-tion of the building was taken out last year and this additional amount is to extension eastward bought from the Japanese mission

to date total \$93,300, so that the figures for the month will likely run well over the \$100,000 mark. The total for the year is \$221,340. January contributing \$54,000 to this amount and February

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-There will be a general meeting of the Gun Club of the Fifth Regiment C. G. A. at the Drill hall this evening. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock. All in-terested are invited to attend.

-D. H. Bale has been awarded the contract for two modern dwellings for Dr. Ford Verrinder, to be erected on

-The Phrenological Society will meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening, the subject for discussion being "The Lives of Mahomet and Oliver Cron-

-The many friends of Joseph McAP-—The many friends of Joseph McAr-thur, Esquimalt road, will be pleased to learn that he has been transferred from Victoria to Vancouver to fulfill the po-sition of express agent and stenograph-er for the Great Northern railway.

The body of Peter Campbell, who died at New Westminster from pneumonia whife on a visit to friends, arrived from that city on last evening's boat. The deceased was 23 years of age, and was a son of H. Campbell, Otter Point.

-To-morrow evening at 8 o'clock the To-morrow evening at 8 o clock the Pythian Sisters will hold their regular meeting at the K. of P. hall, corner of Pandora and Douglas street. A full attendance is requested as business of importance will be discussed.

-The funeral of William D. Currall took place yesterday from 1249 Pandora street, at 2 o'clock. The pallbearers were: N. Shakespeare, W. B. Deville, F. Adams, J. Shirk, E. A. Elliott and E. Fawcett,

-Faith Eresttine Fieet, the little 5-year old daughter of Rear Admiral and Mrz. Fleet, died very suddenly after only a day's illness at the St. Joseph's hospital yesterday: The funeral is arranged to take place from Armadale, the residence of Senator McDonald, at 2 o'cleck, and from the Reformed Episcopal church at 2:30 p. th., on Friday next.

-Victoria Aerie No. 12 has just re —Victoria Aerle No. 12 has just received word that Grand President Bell, of California, will pay an official visit to this city. The position of grand president is the highest one an Eagle caa reach, but Grand President Bell is very deserving of it. He is congressman from California, governor of that state by a very small majority. He is one of the ablest speakers in the United States, so the local Aerle will engage the Victoria theatre, where Victorians will have a chance to hear him. Further particulars will be published later when word is received from the

Further particulars will be published later when word is received from the grand president's secretary.

—A large attendance and an excellent —A large attendance and an excellent musical and literary programme were marked features of the annual spring concert under the auspices of the Ladles' Aid Society in St. Paul's church, Victoria West, on Puesday, evening. The pastor, the Rev. D. Macrae, presided, and the following took part: Master Geo. Williscroft, instrumental solo; an authem by the choir; Mrs. Savrta, Miss Cocker, Miss McIntosh, Prof. Forster and Messrs. Brown and Morrison, solos, several esponding the second time. Mrs. McLaughin and Mr. A. W. Semple gave recitations, which were well received. Mrs. Forster and Mrs. Lewis Hall were the accompanists.

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The Canadian-Mexican liner Lons-dale, Capt. Percy Shadforth, leaves this afternoon for Vancouver, after which she will visit New Westminster and Ladysmith, leading at these poits 3,000 tons of box shooks. Iumber and coal for her next voyage south. coal for her next voyage south,

#### MONDAY, THE 30th,

Is the Last Day on Which to Have Names Enrolled on the Voters' List.

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go to the Court House.

Anyone living in Esquimalt District can have their names put on at the Liberal Rooms, the Court House, or by applying to the post-master of Thoburn or Beaumont Postoffices.

The Liberal Rooms' Phone is

ing lecture on "Cousin Jack's Land" in the Congregational church, There was a large attendance, and the lecture was much enjoyed.

Damariscatta, Me., accompanied by Mrs. F. L. Beebe and daughter, M. Newcastle, Me., who are returning from a pleasure tour of the West, are at the Dominion for the day.

Dan. Savoy, the well known scout and guide of Cowichan Lake. is making a short stay at the Dominion prior to going to the Yukon and Tanana district on a trapping and hunting expdition.

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R. A. Bainbridge, assistant to C. E. Cartwright divisional engineer of the C. P. R., was in Victoria yesterday. He was inspecting the E. & N.

K. D. Munro, of the Victoria & Van-couver Stovedoring Company, is in the city from Prince Rupert. He is a the Driard.

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FINISH SITTINGS.

Last Meeting of the Central Gathering Held Yesterday Afternoon.

Five additional resolutions were brought before the Central F. rmers' institute at the fourth and final session of its innual meeting yesterday after-noon. Twenty-one delegates were pres-ent, who decided that four of the mo-tions should go through in quick time, and that the fifth should go out with equal speed. The latter motion, however, which was brought by Mr. Hills, asking that the government be petitioned to tax all but one dog in each homestead, was only lost after a close call, the voting being ten in its favor and eleven against it. The procedure adopted eleven against it. The procedure adopted was very different from the previous essions. There was little sessions. There was little or no discus-tion on any of the matter's beyond their introduction by the framers of the mo-lons. Copies of the superintendent's different and the superintendent's ded to members before th meeting closed, and votes of thanks carried to Captain Tatlow, Hon, R. Mc-Bride, the secretary, and the stenographer, and to Mr. R. M. Palmer. Mr. Palmer made a short speech at the close of the meeting, and presented three of the medals won in London; and showed photograph.

and showed photographs of the Br Columbia exhibit at the Royal Hort tural Exhibition at London last seathe Nelson Fruit Growers' Association which was handed to Mr. Johnston; the took place yesterday from 1249 Pandora street, at 2 o'clock. The pallbearers were: N. Shakespeare, W. B. Deville, F. Adams, J. Shirk, E. A. Elkiott and E. Fawcett,

—Last evening Rev. E. Tremayne

—Unstan, the Australian Congregational minister, gave a very interesting lecture on "Coulin Jack's Land" in F. L. Bebcock and Mrs. Babcock, of Damariscatta, Me., accompanied by Mrs.

G. L. Babcock and Mrs. Babcock, of Damariscatta, Me., accompanied by Mrs.

F. L. Bebec and dawsters and several constraints and the was blanded to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmon Arm Farmer's Exchange, which was handed to Mr. Johnston: the Salmo was handed to Mr. McCallum, and to the Kaslo Fruit Growers' Ascociation. Mr. Paimer in a short address, said he was righted This evening at 8 o'clock the Canadian of the day.

This evening at 8 o'clock the Canadian order of Foresters will meet in Sir William Wallace hall, Broad street, when Organizer John, Muir will initiate a large number of candidates. All members of the order are requested to attend.

—Faith Eresttine Fleet, the little 5-year old daughter of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Fleet, died very, suddenly after only a day's lilness at the St. Joseph's hospital yesterday: The funeral is arranged to take place from Armadale,

Dan. Savoy, the well known scout and the gold medal has now been won four times, and that it is safe to say that it is not an accident. Mr. Ealmer answers down the nitention of living there, finds that Victoria has chrome as which the Terminal City does not possess. He accordingly has returned and will remain in Victoria.

Capt. J. W. Froup, superintendent of the coasting service of the C. P. R. who left a few days ago for England to inspect for the Pacific, will sall on April 1st from New York.

Dan. Savoy, the well known scout and

instructions being at present printed as to the size of any packages or boyes."

Moved by Thomas Corbett and sec-Moved by Thomas Corbett and sec-onded by D. Graham:
"Resolved, that the subject of co-op-eration in sale and distribution of pro-duce on the lower mainland be discuss-ed and the principle adopted by the

meeting."

Mr. Corbett said he had brought up the matter to obtain information upon it from the members, and as he thought others were there who would like to

Mrs. W. E. Ditchburn's condition has improved considerably and the doctors believe she is now out of danger. Mrs. Ditchburn has been ill for several weeks.

Superintendent Goodfellow, of the E. S. N., was up the line yesterday inspecting the work in progress on the new portion of the line.

Mrs. O. C. Bass is down from Shawnigan Lake and is spending the week at the Balmoral. She is accompanied by her son.

Harry Betterton, who has been visiting in this site.

Harry Betterton, who has been visiting in this city, left yesterday for the old land.

Lindley Crease, who is on his way to England, will leave New York by the Mauretania on April ist.

A. J. Brace, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. is back from Vancouver.

Maurice Hills returned yesterday from Vancouver.

T. M. Henderson is spending a few days in the city.

J. H. Dewar, of Nelson, is at the Empress.

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Woyed by V. D. Curry and seconded by James Johnston:

"That it is in the interests of water."

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sers in the dry belt that the legislaure next session incorporate in the irrigation act proper machinery to handle the stored water through natural channels to the used ditch head, allowing for scaleage and evaporation, and defin-ing the rights of the storage record holder as against the record in the nais to the used ditch head, all

Mr. Collins gave out to the press for Mr. Collins gave out to the press for publication the dimensions of the proposed new apple box, which, was the subject of the first resolution before vesterday's meeting. The dimensions are ten and a half inches by eleven and five-eighths inches by eighteen inches. These are of the same cubic contents and the old boxes, and are used by two thirds of the Hood river packers.

STRANGE FATE IS

PURSUING FAMILY

Brother to Be

A strange fate appears to pursue the Muir family of Sooke. One member of the family, William, was brought to St. Joseph's hospital yesterday suffering from a broken leg, the result of being

victim of the accident removed to St. Joseph's hospital, where his injuries were attended to by Dr. Frank Hall.

Curits Muir, the brother, is just recovering from the effects of an accident which occurred about six weeks ago and in which he had both legs broken. Six years ago the two cousins were instantly killed, through a wagon accident. They were driving along the Otter Point road, and when on a slope the weight of the load forced the horaes forward to such an extent that the two on the wagon could not hold them back. Both the young men were thrown from the top of the wagon to the bottom of the guich, their necks being broken in guich, their necks being broken in the guld

-To-morrow evening at 8 o'clock the regular monthly meeting of Mrs. Shei-don's Young Peoples' Bible class will be held in the schoolroom of the Me-iropolitan Methodist church. The meet-ing, which is in charge of the social committee, will take the form of a box nasket social

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ed to turn over their registration lists to the union, the club giving the neces-sary assurance that they, their playare amateurs as under the consti-

B. C. ATHLETIC UNION.

Messrs, J. S. Henderson, W. J. Risk and J. G. Davidson, members of the committee appointed a few weeks ago to arrange for the organization meeting of the British Columbia Amateur Athletic Union, have called the meeting for April 30th, at the Vancouver Athletic Club.

The Templeman CUP WON.

The Templeman cup, which follows the intermediate Rugby football championship of the city, was won gesterday afternoon by the high school team when they defeated the University team at the Cak Bay grounds in an eazy manner, as the final scores 12 to 3 indicate. TEMPLEMAN CUP WON.

The game, which was seen by a big erowd of partizans and friends of the The C. A. A. U. definition of an amater has been adopted by the provincial body, although the British Columbia organ sation is in no way affiliated with the governing body east of the Rockies. The contribute has addressed the fellowing letter to the various at hietic clubs throughout the province:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of delegates from athletic club and the province of the strength of the final call of time.

With the score at six to nothing against the hearing of the score at six to nothing against the hearing of the score at six to nothing against the meeting of the score at six to nothing against the meeting of the score at six to nothing against the meeting of the score at six to nothing against the meeting of the score at six to nothing against the meeting of the score at six to nothing against the score at six to noth the sco

crites from athletic bodies held in the Stancouver Athletic Club. March 13th, against them at the beginning of the second half the university team went into the field with a determination, which they certainly put into effect throughout the second half but only to be repeatedly forced back by their and protecting the interests of throughout the second half but willightes in this province, All to be repeatedly forced back by a construction of the control of the contro are in a become members. A from the at every attack. The winners of the union to be ejected the officers of the union to be ejected. from among their number. playing field the fresher of the two.

C. A. A. U. and to time. They, however, failed to He played at short in place

dividual sports, a fee of 25 cents being score made through their aid. The charged for registration. Clubs play-

over the bar and tolded three points to the school.

Spencer, for the high school, proved of great strength to his side, his tackrs and halves he proved a tower of

strength.

The play of Winch, for the university, called for merit, and he was continually applauded by the spectators of both sides. Although Roberts led the university men in fine style and received all the support that could be asked for they could not hope to beat

igh school. W. Newcombe gave satisfaction as

THE RING. FOLEY-DUFTY FIGHT.

Sandy Monteith, of the Victoria West Athletic Club, made a flying trip to Nanaimo yesterday to make final ar-rangements for the meeting of Kid years of age and is training hard.

This fight will be under the auspices of the Victoria West Athletic Associa-tion and will be held in the A. O. U. W. hall'en April 2nd. The men will box fifteen three-minute rounds, and will weigh in at 136 pounds. It is thought that this event will attract a

ketts will box four-tw These boys are feather weights going

try six rounds of two minutes each at 130 pounds, and Tem Saunders will box the same number with Harry Warburton. These middleweights will weigh in at about 155. Gold medals will be given to the winners of each bout. All since taking part in the preliminaries those taking part in the preliminaries. Vancouyer—Rain, 2.75 fitches: highest toward 50 ac 20th/lowest, 20 on 18th. those taking part in the preliminaries are members of the Victoria West Ath-

ABOUT AL. CHASE. The Atlanta, Georgia, correspondent of the New York World says of a game played in that city by the New York

Americans:
Chase's all-round playing was the feature of the game. He was a demon with the bat. In the opening session he sent two men arrows the plate with a triple to left, and his single scored A general idea of the union as at successful the union as at successful the union as a successful the union as the union a

lal game on Sunday next at the Oak

GENERAL NOTES. Bob Foster says that Dufty is train

ing hard and will be in excellent condi-tion by the time he meets Foley. Bob insixts that the training shall be done faithfully and will permit no indul-

e same teams on the 3rd. The Grand National Sweep, man ged 'H. L. Saimon, closed last night and awing will take place to night at 8

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office Victoria Meteorological Office,

18th to 24th March, 4908.

The weather during this week was for
the most part unsettled and showery
throughout Vancouver Island, the Lower
Mainland and along the Coast to Port
Simpson. In Cariboo the unusual amount
of over I', inches of snow fell during this
period, and in addition to the deep snow
already three traffic has been greatly imlready there traffic has been greatly im-

peded.
At the same time the weather in Koute-nay, that is about Kamloops, was remark-ably mild, and only light frosts occurred upon three days. The weather has not been stormy until Tuesday, 24th, when a heavy southerly gale was reported on the Oregon and Washington coasts, and at the mouth of the Columbia river the hourly wind velocity reached 68 miles. At the same time a moderaic southerly gale

uget Sound.
This storm spread rapidly eastward to
see Rockies, and during the hight of the
th it caused high winds and snow in Aferta and Saskatchewan. The weather

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FISH ARE REPORTED

Some Sportsmen Have Had Good Results at Opening of Season.

The opening of the fishing season has brought some pretty good results, alweek it could not be expected that there should be many busy people out Most of the fun was obtained at Saan ich Arm, where a targe number of fine grilse were caught.

G. D. Christle and wife were among those at the Arm, They landed half a dozen fine fish, two of which were aught by Mrs. Christie,

A party consisting of Bob Porter, Miss Porter and another lady went up yesterday and will return to-day. They caught a good many fish opposite 17-Mile.

Mile.

Of the others who made good catches were Messrs. Tye and Gaudin, who took a dozen; W. A. Smith and a friend, who brought home 28 between them, Mr. Brook and another from the cable ship Restorer, who went up Tuesday and returned yesterday,

river and caught a good basketful;
Jack Grimmason and Roland Powell
are at Shawnigan lake while Revs. G.
W. Dean and Calvert caught 28 in
Shawnigan stream, bringing them
home last night.
One of the most futareaties Gus. Porter went up to Cowichan

one of the most interesting opening catches was that made by J. Large at Swan lake. Mr. Large, who is an expert caster, used a small spoon and caught his fish standing on the shore of the lake. He caught a number, but they were rather lark expectably the they were rather dark especially the

It is thought that there will be a big todus on Saturday if the weather is of too cold or wet. At this time of year

Notable Spectacle Will be Seen at Victoria Theatre on Monday.

the Victoria Theatre on Monday, Messrs Miller and Plohn will ent a new version of "The Black k" one of the greatest successes

ver known to America. In seviving this notable spectacle, management while they extent followed tradition have not some extent rainowed tradition max not not hesitated to introduce much that is modern, but not so much that "The Black Crook" will lose its identity. The version of the play, for it is unlike the new arge of extravaganaa and can lay claim to the title "play" inasmuch as t possesses a definite plot, is an entireew and modérnized one. It is dividod intd three acts and fifteen scenes and the story of Hertzog the "Crook," Rudoiph and Amina, the youthful hero and heroine, and the wicked Count Wolfenstein is carried out to its logica sallet has been discarded in the presenchorus of beautiful girls are

everal high class vaudeville acts, among them being that of "The Donsetta Family," noted European acroazetta Family," noted European acro-bats; a novelty costume singing act by Pierce and Roslyn. The dramatic cast includes J. Edward Pierce, William G. Welp, Ralph Gordon, Paul S. Bell. Al. Lang, Charles Fortesque, Frank Den-shore, Arthur Van Court, Hazel Edna, Marle Roslyu, Lillian Newcombe, Ade-laido Sponger, Beste Browing, Estelaide Spencer, Bessie Browning, Estelle Gould, Freeda Knott, Lillian Dean,

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piece of land at Gordon Head for \$2,-

Grubb & Guizer have recently sold out their real estate business to Free-man & McKay. The senior partner is an old Toronto man who has spent the well known on this coast, Mr. Mc. four-horse-power oil Kay is a Winnipeg man who has spent in operation shortly.

Consequently he knows the eastern one. It was he who subdivided the Wilmot Place property last year. The

the steamship Cascade, under charter to the marine and, fisheries department, left port at noon for Cape Beale carrying a construction gang and W. H. Roebuck, constructional engineer, to install the large diaphone fog-alarm at that point.

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OWNERS WILL PLACE ENGINES IN BARGE

Local Vessel With An Interesting History Will Make Another Change.

The fall of this year will see a historic craft, one with a career at once intersting and pathetic, resurrected the undignified position of a parge to a place of importance among barge to a place of Importance among the freight carriers of British Columbia. An official of the Pacific Towing & Lighterage Company this morning informed the Times that the barge Alexander, formerly the largest and most powerful tug in provincial waters, but latterly used as a freight hulk, will be converted into a twin serve freighter, baying a capacity for serve freighter, baying a capacity for serew freighter, having a capacity for general cargo of 500 tons and accom-modation for 25 passengers. The Alex-inder will be operated coast-wise as business offers, and it is anticipated that the stout, if unfortunate craft, will, in the sale of a comparatively modern n the role of a comparatively modern arrier, reap profits for the local concarrier, reap profits for the local con-cern, that were deciled to her former owners by reason of her great size. The tug Albion, also owned by the Pacific Towing & Lighterage Company, is having new tanks, a new house and a larger boiler installed preparatory to entering the summer towing, and the Alexander will receive the boiler which is now in the well-known tune of com-plete overhauling of the hull, which is of yellow cedar and built with a view to strength and durability, character-istic of yesterday in the world of wooden yesterday in the world of be provided for passengers. She will be ready for service in the fall or early winter, and many old-timers who have probably lost track of the Alexander's identity during her career as a barge, will rejoice to see the stout vessel, once the pride of British Columbia builders again travelling under her own have found no trace of seem and independent of the tugs months, but are still pro-

one. It was he who subdivided the choosing this site because of the ac-Wilmot Place property last year. The cessibility of the redar of which she new firm are doing a general real es. was made. The steamer Otter towed mew firm are doing a general real-estate and brokerage business, dealing in timber and mines, for which they have clients in the East. They also fraing the clients in the East. They also fraing the clients in the East. They also free and her beam 27 feet, which even in these days, represent the Richmond and Drummond Fire Insurance Company in this city.

C. H. Revercomb reports that he is selling mostly cheap lots. He has a subdivision on Cook street beyond Hillside avenue, that is going off well. There is a good deal of building soing on in the Oak Bay municipality. Houses are going up in every direction. On the Wilmot Place property several houses are being built ands a number more planned. Robert Jamieson is building a home for himself on Mone.

Wat pophod out, the officials on both they wat for a moment their vigilance and vessels would not relax for a moment their vigilance and vessels wou

New Addition to Greer Fleet-Move-

J. H. Greer has taken over the management of the powerful Vancouvertug J. E. Boyden, owned by the Boyden Tug Company, and will operate her out of the maintand port. The Boyden is one of the best tugs in B. C. waters, 105 feet in length, 20 feet beam and 12 feet depth of hold. Her engines are 15-30-20, and she has just undergone a thorough overhauling. The Trader is due to-day from Sestille, where she went with sait transferred from the Canadian-Mexican liner Lonsdale. She will leave again to-morrow morning with general freight for the Fraser river ports,

The tug Stetson was hauled out for overhauling on the Victoria machiny depot ways to-day.

The tug Queen is due at chemainus ith a boom of logs from the north.

The scows Gog and Magog have been launched from Turple's ways, after undergoing overhauling and being painted. When the Albion is refitted and placed into service again in June the Greer fleet will be in a high state of efficiency for the mid-year towing business;

LAUNCH OF THE AJAX

ousiness.;

Powerful New Tug Built by Morans For Southern Pacific Takes Water To-day.

The new tug Ajax, built at the Moran and, Seattle, for the Southern Pacific, sallway Company, is to be launched o-day. The tug is looked upon as one of the most powerful of her class on the Pacific coast. She will be used for owing at San Francisco and for fire-string. For the latter work he will fighting. For the latter work she will pliances including very large pumps.
The Ajax is 110 feet long and her engines have an indicated horse power of 800. She cost in the heighborhood of \$100,000. equipped with the most modern ap-

# Stop Those Headaches

Headache and neuralgla are pro-produced signs of blood poisoning. This pisoning of the blood comes from the aste matter of the body being left in

When the bowels do not move regu

"Fruit-a-tives" keep blood gure and rich-relieves the stomach and kidneys regulate the bowels; and invigorate the skin to healthy action, "Fruit-a-tives" are a wonderful discovery, being a combination of fruit

#### MAY LIFT QUARANTINE ON SOUND VESSELS

#### Dr. Watt Will Report to Ottawa on Bubonie Prevention.

of passengers boarding steamers at Se-light yellow cedar and built with a view of strength and durability, character-tic of yesterday in the world of modern set of twin-screw engines, ill make the Alexander an excellent firier, and good accommodation will the Seattle officials to prev result in this practice being dropped He stated that the officials in Seatth whose queen she once was.

The hittry of the Alexander The Intersting enough to bear brief repetition. The present candition of affairs gave no indication of another case being discovered, and it was there can be constructors. ore, quite passible that the examina ion of passengers would be dropped a

more planned. Robert Jamieson is building a home for himself on Monterey avenue and a couple of houses are just laid out on the opposite side of the street. Reg. Hayward is building in the same locality and T. O. Mc. Kay is getting out plans and specifications for a nice house nearby. R. Freeman has secured three lots on the locality and the lo There is nothing to the same locality and T. O. Metate that property will go any lower,
in fast in maily cases the tendency is
the other way. The brokers and dealers in the city are all optimistic and
appeal them but are doing some busilags, while some of them are doing as
good deal.

The carey Castle Garden sale of
The Carey Castle Garden sale
lots which commenced yesterday has
smalle a good beginning. Herbert Cuthbert states that the first day's work
was most encouraging and that in a
few days they expect to have cleared
McConnell & Taylor have sold threes
and bungalows at moderate prices.

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to operate another line to southwestern Alaska.

Pacific Coast Company's Steamship No Longer Call at Port Los Angeles

There is considerable speculation rifemong San Francisco shipping men as d the circumstances which have led be Pacific Coast SS, Company to aban-in Port Los Angeles, California, as a

ort of call. On Sunday last a P. C. 88, Company's steamship called at ocean pier, built at the cost of \$1,70,000 and a mile in length, for the last time. No official statement has been publish-ed to explain the absorptionment of the port which was the only point on the southern coast which appealed to C. P. Southern coast which appealed to C. P.
Hundingdon as a deep water barbor.
Pigs Los Angeles was the port of Los'
Angeles when first opened, but the
ranid growth of San Pedro has given
the latter place most of the trade that
formerly passed over the great pier.

#### "O! MY POOR HEAD" HOPE FOR SARATOGA

Vessel Impaled on Alaskan Rocks Will Be Total the system, instead of being regularly carried off by the bowels, kidneys and

when the bewein do not move regu-larly, the refuse is absorbed by the blood. Thus, the blood is loaded with foul poisons which britate the nerves. Poor skin action also causes head-ache and neuralgia, lanpurities cannot escape through the skin, so the blood must take them up and deposit them of the nerves.

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If the bowels and skin are not ridding the system of waste, the kidneys try to do so and are overworked.

There is just one way to cure headaches and neuralgia—to regulate bowels, kidneys, and skin so that all the poison of the body will be properly carried off.

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#### WEST COAST SHIPPING REPORT

Loss.

(Special to the Times)

(By Dominion Wireless.) Tatoosh March 26, 9 a.m.— Light rain; wind 10 miles; bar-ometer, 29, 72; temperature, 38. In straits bound-in a four-masted barque and a fourmasted schooner; passed out, steam schooner Jim Butter. Forecast for straits and coast: Moderate breeze; occasional

Estevan, March 26, 9 a.m.

Fine and clear; wind south-west; sea moderate, Pachema, March 26, 9 a.m.— Partly cloudy; sea smooth. four-masted barquentine, Estevan, March 26, noon. Clear; wind southwest; call sea; two-masted schooner to

the west; outbound at 10 a.m.; steamer on the horizon to the south, outbound, 10 a.m., Pachena, March 26, noon.—Cloudy: light southeast %5° sea. falm; steamer with two masts, black hull, red funnel, passed in at 12-probably Shaw-

(By Dominion Wire.) Carmanah, March 26, 9 a.m.-Calm; cloudy; sea smooth; barneter, 29.63.

Cape Beale, March 28, 9 a.m. North wind; clear; sea smooth Carmanah, March 26, 12 noon -Calm; cloudy; sea smooth; barometer, 29.70; steamer Shaw-

The Prince Rupert Empire tells the following story of Capt. Stratford, of the B. C. Salvage Comapny's tug William Jolliffe. The William Jolliffe, the most powerful twe-funnel tugboat on the North Pacific, made a call at Prince Rupert during the week, and during her stay her captain took a Reports received from the Skeena are Prince Rupert during the week, and the stage of the stay her captain took a Reports received from the Skeena are walk out on Rupert load. Passing and the saw the two smoke stacks that project from Andy's French range, and adjusting his spees remarked to himself: Well, Fill be dashed if the tide doesn't rise rapidly in this harbor. He mistook Andy's Is now on the way to Port Townsand. (wo-funne) kitchen for the William where it will be stored till the buildings

Transit will coal at the former port and will await orders. Her next voyage is not definitely settled but it is expected that she will carry a large cargo of coal to Ounalayka.

SALVAGE OF POMONA. Capt, Thomas P. Whitelaw, of San Francisco, May Make Attempt to Raise Wreck.

A San Francisco dispatch says that Capt. Thomas P. Whitelaw, of the Bay. City, who successfully raised the Academic last year and has a reputation for ciever salvage work, his left for the scene of the Facilic Crast S. S. Co. s. flect.

The captain has taken with him on the steamship Greenwood a gang of workmen and a complete salving outfit. Soweral divers will be employed in examining the hell of the steamer in order to ascertain, whether it is possible to save her. So far since the wrock the weather has been calm at Fort Ross, though a slight swell last hem present.

#### Sleeping Sickness in Africa Still Destroying Thousands

Science has found it well nigh impossible to counteract the ravages of the African Sleeping Sickness, It is a painless sickness, like you feel when all tired out. In Canada people don't die of the "tirad feeling," but is no reason why they shouldn't try to oversome it. For instance take your own reason why they shouldn't try to oversome it. For instance take your own case, there may be no special ache or bain, yet you are pale, nervous, color-less and weak in the muscles. Your system is crying for nourishment, clamoring for purer, richer blood, Your pures are starving for the support that only a healthy body can give, and its small wonder you feel so fagged out, so utterly run down and helpless to work as you would like to.

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the question at rest. In any case a big effort is to be made to recover all the cargo possible, as well as the machinery on board. Up to the present fifty-six bags of mail and an automobile have been recovered by Diver C. O. Abrahamson. Captain Swangen is still at the seene of the wreck and will remain there until the salvage work is completed.

#### MARINE NOTES,

Advices have been received by E. E. mania reached New York yeastriany with Loss passerigers. He also received ad-vices from the North German Lloyd Company to the effect that all accommo-dation has been disposed of on the Kaiser Wilhelm H. which sails for Europe from New York 66 The Hist Inst.

Either to-morrow or Saturday the sealing schooner Markland, Captain Heater, will leave port for Clayoquot, where she will ship her Indian hunt-Heater, will ship her Indian hunt-ers afterwards proceeding to the north to hunt sea-ofter. The Markland will-hunt for this valuable pelt until Aug-ust when she will commence sealing.

After an uneventual rip the steam-ship Amur arrived in port this after-noon from Vancouver and British Co-implia ports, bringing a small con-signment of white lead for the local paint works from the former place, and several passengers. She sails again on the 1st 'Abril.

study in Stacks.

The Union Steamship Company's fast steamship Camosun sailed last night for the north with the following passengers: P. Hickey, A. Hamilton, W. Hariock, W. De upser, W. Moray, H. Humphreys, C. Taggerty, Mr. Bos-

He mistook Andy's is now on the way to Port Townsend are completed.

The new leviathan Rotterdam, recently launched from the Harland & Wolff yard, Belfast, will make her maiden trip to New York on June 13th sailing again eastbound on July 1st. According to Seattle advices the recontemplated among the Sound pas-senger boats, is denied by an official in good standing.

The British barque Inverneil, bound for the U. K. with ever one million feet of lumber, was towed to see from Vancouver.

f. K. with over one million feet er, was towed to sea from Vancouv ast night by the tug Lorne The Boscowitz steamer Vadso sailed north last night for Naas river and way ports with a fair-sized cargo and everal passengers.
The British ship Clan Galbraith left Santa Rosalia on March 19th for Vic-

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WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Victoria, B. C., March 4, '08.

#### NOTICE.

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ERS IN ROYAL BAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under and pursuant to the Revised Statut's of Cahada, 1966. 'Chapter Lie the undersigned, by petition dated this day, have applied to the statut's and the statut's of the statut of the foreshore and submerged grounds adjoining or abutting on all those teerstain parcels of land lying in the District of Esquimall, in the Province of British Columbia, known, numberged and described as Blocks two (2) and three (3) of subdivision of Section sixteen (16), namely:

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Ogilvie's Royal Household, 

Moose Jaw, per bbl.

Excelsior, per sack

Excelsior, per bbl

Cak Lake, per sack

Oak Lake, per bbl

Hudson's Bay, per sack

Hudson's Bay, per bbl.

Enderby, per sack

Enderby, per bbl.

'astry Flours—

Snowflake, per sack
Snowflake, per bbi.
O. K. Beat Pastry, per sack
O. K. Best Pastry, per bbi.
O. K. Four Star, per sack
O. K. Four Star, per bbi.
Drifted Snow, per sack
Drifted Snow, per bbi.

Almonds, shelled (Valencia) . Almonds, shelled (Jordan) ...

Almonds, Shelled Gordan
Applies, dried
Apricats, dried
Peaches, dried
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Decenses
Pratt's Coal Oil
Eocens

Lemons
Wainuts, Cal.
Wetnuts, Eastern
Garlie, per lb.
Apples, per box
Pineapples, per dow

Butter (Creamory), per lb.

Latter (Darw)

Eggs (ranch), per dox.;

Eggs (selected)

Hay, per ton

Oats, per ton

Peas (field, per fon

Barley, per ton

Corn, per ton

Sweet Potatoes

Crunberries

Cranberries
Figs, Cal., per lb.
Figs, Cal., per lb.
Figs (new), bulk
Grapes (Malaga), per bbl.
Figs (Simyrna)
Figs (Vicena), per dos.
Grape Fruit (new)

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Spinach, per lb. ....

ons (Car.), per 1b. .......

### The London Exchange

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2 8	(By Courtesy F. W. S.cvenson).
15	London, March 26.
13	Consols for money
20	Consols for account 87
25	C. P. R:
20	Chicago Great Western 5
80	De Beers 11
פלי	Eric
15 20	Erie, 2nd pfd
ls.	Grand Trunk 15
10	Ill. Central
20	M. K. & T 34
79	N. & W 66
70	Do., pfd
18 15	Rand Mines 4
10	Spanish 48 92

#### NEW YORK STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson). New York, March 26.—To-day's stock narket after opening fractionally lower han yesterday's close manifested i reactionary times the movements became quite viofent. While realizing was apparently bewere held strong, and in many cases carried up to new high levels until the mar-ket presented a remarkably mixed appearance. At one time the market pre-sented quite a weak front, but just be-fore the close a sharp advance in Amal. Copper, which carried that stock to a new high level, turned prices up again, although, the list generally closed under

bonds steady, railroads ir-The following were the ruling quota-

Showneke, per out	6.75	dons.			./
O. K. Best Pastry, per sack	1.70	Open	. High	Low	. Close
O. K. Best Pastry, per bbi	6.50-	Awal. Copper 5934	60%	58%	60%
O. K. Four Star, per sack		Amn. Car F'y 331/4	33%	3234	32%
O. K. Four Star, per bbl	1.70				
O. R. Pour Star, per soi	6.50	Amn. Cot. Oil 281/2	2814	28	28
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.70	Amn. Loco 46%	46%	45%	46%
Drifted Snow, per bbl	6.50	Amn. Smelters 741/2	74%	7236	739
Grain-		Do., pfd 97%	98	9734	9736
	** ******	Amn. Sugar 126%		125	12516
Wheat, per ton	30.00@45.00		3916	3834	3876
Wheat, per lb	214	Anaconda 3914			
Oats, per ton	\$3.00@38.00	Atchison 74%	74%	745/2	74
Barley	35.00	Do.; pfd \$5%	8578	8554	- 8532
Whole Corn	36.00	B. & O 8215	83	81%	82%
Cracked Corn		Do., pfd		-	84
Cracked Cotta (D & Bars 7 th at	38.00	B. R. T 46%	4734	4614	46%
Rolled Oats (B. & K.) 7-lb, sk. Rolled Oats (B. & K.) 224-lb, sack	46				
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 22%-lb.		C. P. R150			149
sack	1.25	Cen. Leather 19	19	18%	18%
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), &-lb. sk.	2.35	C. F. & I 23	24	2224	2234
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 90-1b. sk.		C. & O 31%	32	31%	2176
	4.50	S. & G. W 4%	4%	454	434
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	56				
Oatmeal, 50-lb. sack	2.25	C., M. & St. P119%	119%	118	118%
Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs	60	C. T. & T	9		5
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	56	Do., pfd.			109920
Wheat Flakes, per packet	- 40	D. & R. G 20%	20%	1944	19%
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs			52	51	5114
	45	Do., pfd. 7 52			
Graham Flour, 10 lbs	45	Erie 16%	17	164	26%
Graham Flour, 50 lbs	1.60	F. M. & S., pfd., 74	74	7-3	73
Feed-	10.00	Gt. Nor., pfd123%	124% 1	122	12216
		Int. Paper 9%	956	976	936
Hay (baled), new, per ton 2	0.003/22.00	L. & N 99%	100	98	9914
Straw, per bale	75.1				
Middlings, per ton 3	2.00@34.00	Met. St. Ry	44		159/17
Bran, per con 3	2.009835.00	M.,St.P. & S.S.M.1071/2	107% 1	106	106
Ground Feed, per ton	35.00	Do., pfd	++		128@130
Shorts		Mo. Pac 41		39%	40
	34:00	N. Y. C 981/2		9714	97%
Poultry-					
Dressed Fowl, per lb	30@ 26	N. P1275			127.
Spring Chicken, per Ib	. 30	N. & W 64%	65	641/2	6436
Ducks, per lb	25	Do., pfd	1		50
Geese (Island), per lb	NAB 25	N. Y., O. & W 33%	-34	33%	224
Turkey, per lb	WG 35				117
€ish-		People's Gas 90		5912	
Salmon (spring), per lb	1234	Pressed Steel Car. 244		13%	1.4
Salmon (smoked)	20	Reading 105%	1077% 1	0514	106% -
Halibu:	10	Rock Island 15	1554	1456	1476
Halibut (smoked)	14	Do., pfd 2814		17%	2776
Crabs		8. P 75%		73	7536
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	16	Do., pfd			1091/2
Flounders	8	S. R 1512	16%	15	15%
Codfish	860 18	Do., pfd	4.6		34
Cad			12816 /	25	12614
Black Cod		Do., pfd			7955
Bass			27% -		
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Prawns, per lb		Do., pfd 991/9	19% 1	39	5914
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Walnuts				40	20
		West Union 49%	40.8		
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out the session, May closing is lower at 66%, and July is higher at 64%. Outs strady at a fractional decline. Pro-visions firm and higher.

The following were the ruling quota
tions:
Open. High, Low. Close
Wheat No. 2
May 9476/995% 95% 95% 95% 95%
July 89%@90 90%-14 89% 90 Corn No. 2—
May 67 616716 6714 + 6674 6675
July 64% @64% 64%-% 64 -% 64% Onts No. 2
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July 46%
May 12.60 12.90 12.60 12.90
July 12.97@13.00 13.30 12.97 13.30
Liverpool Wheat-
May 78. 014d 78. 014d.

-An insane Chinaman was removed An insane Chinaman was removed from the Jubilee hospital to the police station this morning and will be sent over to the asylum at New Wests sent over to the asylum at New West-

119 15 (
1.75 A silver mug is being given by the 2.50 Mayor and Mayoress of Darwen, Eng., 2.759 2.2 to each child born in the town during 549 9 their year of office.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson).

MINING STOCKS

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3	Bullion 47%	53
<	Chas. Dickens 17%	
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-	Echo 1	25
	Evolution 11/2	3
	Gertie 414	4/50
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ŭ.	Hecla	450
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	Idaho Glant 54	6
14	Lucky Calumet 1614	99 1
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	Nine Mile	2
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- 1	Intl. Coat & Coke 65	75
	Rambler Cariboo	2734
- 1	Sullivan 11/2	11/6
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1,000 Alameda 2,000 Dickens 1,000 Dickens

### A CAMPAIGNER'S **ASSOCIATION**

MEETING OF THOSE WHO SAW SERVICE

The Veterans of British Campaigns Met Together Last Night.

At a meeting of those interested in. the matter at the Y. M. C. A. roo last night, was formed the British Campaigners' Association; the membership of which is to be drawn from those who have seen service under the Brit-

Those who have seen active service any campaign are eligible for membership and a number nave already sig nified their intention of joining in new organization. Although less that twenty were present at the first meet ing at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last nigh number at least one hundred and fifts number at least one hundred and fifty, which will include a number of South African veterans that are at present residing in Victoria and the vicinity, It was decided at last night's meeting to apply for a charter of incorporation. ation. The association when formed will devote time to looking after claims Shares. Will devote time to looking after claims 211,200 of members in regard to pensions, land 487,500 grants for service and other matters.

A. J. Brace, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and J. Winkel, who was appointed secretary of the new body, were appointed a committee to arof the Y.

winkel, who was a secretary of the new bod were appeinted a committee to an range permanent meeting quarters. The sum fixed for membership charge was \$2 and it was decided to request from all applicants proofs of active service under the Union Jack. Immediately after the organization of the association, it is decided to hold weekly meet to day, the May option opening \$46%, higher at \$9%,69%, and July \$4,6%, higher at \$9%,69%, and July \$4,6%, higher at \$9%,69%, and July \$4,60%, and \$4 respectively for May and July.

The core market was steady through out the session, May closing \$5,000 the session \$5,00

been arranged for April 8th, but no place has as yet been fixed.

The names of those who were present and enrolled ast night are: W. P. Bevan, Isi Imperial yeomanry; A. J. Bruce, Zud Canadian Mounted Riffes; W. C. Winkel, Stratheona Horse; Sargeant Major W. J. Edward, 38th R. A. Engineers; J. Weates, 7th battery, Royal Field Artillery; F. C. Hilson, Brabaut's Horse (S. A. colonial regiment); A. C. Boyce, 2nd Canadian Mounted Riffes; J. R. Converton, 6th Regular Imperial Bushmen (N. S. Wales); H. A. Green, Grand Trunk Artillery; A. A. Walker, 5th Imperial Yeomanry; R. W. J. Leemin, 1st Toyal Canadian Contingent; F. J. Quinlan, Canadian Contingent; F. J. Quinlan, 7th Royal Fussillers.

The police patrol was called to the corner of Johnson and Douglas streets this morning, where Thomas Slater was found in need of medical assistance. On the order of Dr. Frank Hall, Slater was removed to the hospital in the patrol.

The Pythian Sisters will meet to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock in K. of P. hall. Business of importance

# STOLEN WATCH

TWO MEN IN COURT ON THEFT CHARGE

Charged With Taking Timepiece From Sleeping Man

Nearly two hours were taken up in Nearly two hours were taken up in the police court this morning hearing the charge against James Payne and Alfred Mason of naving robbed Edward Belankemof a gold watch and chairworth \$350 in the Palace saloon on the afterneon of March 18th. The missing watch was found yesterday hidden in can of fat in the cabin shaped by Payne and Mason with John Dempsey After the evidence for the prosecution had been presented. Mason, who is largely acting as the spokesman of the two, asked for a remand in order that they might produce certain witnesses on their own behalf. The story of the theft as told by one witness and practically corroborated by another was that Mason took the watch from Belantat Mason the watch from Belantat Mason took the watch from that Mason took the watch from Belan-ger and passed it to Payne, who imme-diately made himself scarce. Mason was accused of the theft at the time then searched the watch was not found. The case has given the to be found. The case has given the police considerable work, but they presented what looked like a strong case in the absence of the evidence for the defence, which will be presentd to-day. Edward Belanger, a logger, was the first witness. He identified a watch produced Th Gourt as one that had been stolen from him while asleep in the Palabe saloun. He had felt some out. rat his vest and wakened up and found a man standing over him, whom he thought was Payne, although he would not swear to it. He accused him of stealing the watch, but when the man was searched the watch was not found on him. He was not found He was under the influence of lquor and also very much excited, for he watch and chain had cost him \$350

Richard Longbottom, a bridge carrer, swore that he had seen Belanger. Mason and Payne in the Palace saloon the day of the robbery. He saw Mason stand in front of Belanger, and while holding a paper in one hand to hide his operations, take the watch with the other had and passed it to Payne, who can out of the door with it. He follow. ran out of the door with it. He followed Payne out and saw him disappear ded Payne out and saw him disappear toward Chinatown. He had thought at first that they were friends of the vic-tim. He had next seen Mason in Van-couver on Monday had and had handhim over to the police. He had givinformation to the police concern

he actions of Mason and Payne a short hime after the robbery.

James, Welsh, a longshoreman, told of

in Saloon.

etective Clayards and himself having seen Mason and Mr. Seibenbaum, the proprietor. The latter had told of Belanger having been robbed but said that he had searched Mason and could not find the watch. Mason had told him was Cleary's. Detective Palmer then told of the movements of Mason and Payne following the robbery. Upon information secured Payne had been arested about a quarter to six on the vening of the robbery. After being yarned, Payne had denied to him that he had visited his cabin, following the fift of the watch.

Mason, when asked if he had any juestions to ask the detective, replied:

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Oh, no; he has told what I said to him. en Mason and Mr. Seibenbaum, the

Detective Clayards corroborated the Detective Chayards corroborated the vidence of Sergt, Palmer in so far as what he said about their joint movements. The day after the robbery, in omnsany with Detective McDonald and Special Officer Ashton, he had visited te cabin where Mason and Payne livthe cabin where mason and rayle he ded and Dempsey had given them per-mission to search the room. He had again visited the cabin yesterday and ngain visited the cabin yesterday and had again been given permission by P. O. Esquimalt. P. O. Esquimalt. The produced in court as one he HAS PURCHASED THE CECIL and seen in the cabin on both occasions. This fin was then partially filled Dr. Hart Will Occupy it as Residen

utes, and the detective replied that it was.

Detective Macdonald told of having met Payne on Store street going toward Hernild street shortly after 5 o'clock on the day of the robbery. He had assisted Detectives Palmer and Clayards in searching the cabin the day after tobbery and again yesterday. He had taken the tin in question out of the robbery and again yesterday. He had taken the tin in question out of the oven yesterday and had seen Detective Clayards take the watch produced out of the fat. It was an old trick of the result of their raids into.

Special Officer Ashton told of having with Detectives Macdonald and Clayards, searched the cabin occupied by the men the day after the robbery and on the day after the robbery and one to Vancouver Tuesday to identify Mason.

Jesus Mason, when sivan an apportunity to the property of the property of the property of having gone to Vancouver Tuesday to identify Mason.

having been with Belanger in the Palace bar and of having seen both Mason and Payne there. The former, while bending over Belanger, made a quick jerk and then made a pass to Payne, who disappeared. He had seen Payne afterwards and had told him to return the watch and save trouble.

John Dempsey, a fireman, who lived with Mason and Payne at room No. 19 Carpenter's cabins. Herald street, swore that on the day of the robbery. Payne had come in about 5 o'clock find had asked for Mason and had then gone out, following which Mason had come in and had asked for Payne. A man could not specified that they would like to call two men named MeNeil had also been in the abin that day. To-day was the first time he had seen them since, although they had not spoken to him of going away.

Sergeant Detective Palmer told of

to the Palace hotel and having James Miles is Ready to Meet Bert

Dear Sir: Seeing that Bert Griffithe ols looking for a match to box the win-ner of the Adams-Paris match, I wish to state that there is no reason for him to box a heavyweight as I will hox him at the middle weight, 158 pounds, any number of rounds.

An early answer will lead to busi-

with fat. Yesierday he had our the fat with a knife and had found a clean produced in court.

He wanted to know if it would be possible for him to render the fat in the time at his disposal, about fifteer minutes, and the detective replied that it was.

Mandonald told of having rooms.

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having gone to Vancouver Tuesday to

Dr. Frank Hall will continue

practice at his present rooms

Mason, when given an opportunity to Yates street.

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WEATHER BULLETIN

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, March 26,-5 a. m.-The baro

reather, fair: Kamloops-Barometer, 29.68; tempera-ure, 28; minimum, 26; wind, 3 miles W.;

eather, part cloudy, San Francisco-Barometer, 29.30; tem-

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MONDA ., MARCH 30th, 1908 The New

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given Hat I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners, at their next sittings as a Licensing Court, for a transfer to Sidney Herbert Clarke of my license for the sale of wines and liquors by retail upon the premises situate in the Wilson Block, No. 50 Yates street, in the City of Victoria, and known as the Wilson Hotel. known as the Wilson Hotel, ted this 14th day of March, 1908, H. E. VERDERA-RICHARDS.

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### News From Four Corners of B. C.

Interesting Happenings Gleaned From All Sources in the Province

**FARMING LAND ON** QUEEN CHARLOTTE

Climate and Soil on Isles Well Adapted to Fruit Growing.

Prince Rupert, March 25 .- Among the pussengers from here recently on board the Amur, was A. C. Pallant, a set-tier at Tiel river, 25 miles north of Skidegate, who is taking over three horses and farming implements. He says that sixteen different settlers are located in Tiel river, and that the outlook is encouraging. A resident, locally known as "Mexican Tom," has a band of cattle, about 180 head, among them three registered bulls, and all the cattle are rolling fat, there being good stretches of bunch grass in the district. Between Tiel river and Skidezate is another settlement, known as orses and farming implements. He rict. Between Tiel river and Skide-jate is another settlement, known as Lone Hill, which is fifteen miles from kidegata. There are twenty settlers ocated there. Asked respecting the tand, Mr. Pal-

PROF. H. QUAGLIOTTI (Romano) ant may be quoted as saying: The coll is sandy loam, and potatoes and other vegetablives grow to perfection.

Judging from the wild fruits that grow, the land and climate are well adapted for fruit growfing. Some of the land will be hard to clean, but none of it will be as hard as the land around Sentitle or on Purer Sound. The stumes SCHOOL OF MANDOLIN AND attle or on Puget Sound. The stumps will not need powder to blow then out, as they can be pulled out, as the roots do not go down deep in the

The oil works at Skidegate are to be started up by Mr. Leary, the well known canneryman, who is taking his burnly to the island, and as there are nine in the family, the population of the island will soon be worth count-

W. E. Palmer, Chemainus; Clair Taylor, E. Jones, Vancouver; J. P. Hull, Kamloops; R. E. Bullick, A. E. Macnaughton, R. Wilson, G. Read, R. J. Snowdon, J. McGown, R. Vaughan, R. H. Cliburle, Vancouver; B. A. Clarke, Toronto; F. M. Dockrill, Port Moody; C. Barritt, Hazelton; G. T. Bater, Winniper; Don M. Harris, Cleveland, O.; F. Jacobs, New York; J. A. Dewar, Nelson; C. Hale, Saturna 4shand; D. S. Fotheringham, G. H. Tinder, P. Rowe, L. Sampson, Seattle, J. T. McCormac, Miss Alice McCormac, Coos Bay, Ore; S. S. Goodman, G. J. Fisher, W. H. Graf, New York; A. P. Lange, Portland. As there is no harbor at Tiel river and the settlers at Tiel river and Lone Hill are asking the government to build a wagon road. Asked as to how much land is open

for pre-emption and purchase under the Land Act, Mr. Pallant said that the had heard of but one spectacular tak-ing up land in the district, and that there must be thousands of acres on the island open for preemption and

Skidgate is about 110 miles south-DOMÍNION.

J. E. Hisey, R. E. Simpson, Lanning, Mich.; A. J. Thurston, Chemainus; J. D. Cronin, San Francisco; F. J. Kennedy, Seattie, W. Deever, Regina; Dan, Sayor, Cowichan Lake; J. D. Barstad, Spokane; Mrs. Geo. Palmer, J. A. Cameron and wife, Vancouver; W. D. Gehrs, and wife, Seattie; A. Bihelair; B. Drummond, Jhos. Newsome, R. H. McNair, S. Nurtie, W. McRae and family, Vancouver; G. Thurston, Spokane; W. Evans, Chicago; G. L. Babcock and wife, Damarescatta, Me; F. L. Beebe, Dierothy Beebe, Newcastle, Me; G. L. Hobson and wife, Boulder, Collo; G. Chicassenian and wife, Bartison, Mo; C. A. Rafnaford, Vancouver; M. C. Stuart, Seattle; A. J. McNenzie, Sidney; Ben. A. Merrick, Spokane; J. B. S. Annis, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Beck, New Zealand. arily can be reached by steamers like the Amur in ten hours.

The climate is mild, like that of Vancouvers Esland, owing to the nearness of the Japan current.

GOLD DREDGING IN YUKON.

Vancouver, March 25.-Dredging for vancouver, march 2s.—Dredging for gold in Yukon promises to be brisk this summer, and J. Satchell Clark, of Dawson, is reported to be negotiating for the purchase of a Frasér river dredge to ship to Dawson, Messrs, Channing and Banford, two well known the purchase of a frasér river dredge to ship to Dawson, Messrs, Channing and Banford, two well known keps, under restraint, When examined mistakes and short-comings of other should be prince Rupert should profit by the mistakes and short-comings of other mistakes and short-comings of other mistakes and short-comings of other mistakes and short-comings of the short-comings of jobbing houses in Vancouver is that they seldom fill it with a class of goods that the buy says that he cannot control his buyer does not want. mining men of the north, are working with Mr. Clark in this scheme. The Oglivie brothers are also planning to operate dredges, and their outfit is expected at White Horse this month.

# John Hamilton, Winnipeg: Geo. H. Young, Vancouver; T. E. Lewis, Walter Lund, Duncans; J. W. Kelly, Vancouver; R. L. Ross, Seattle; D. D. Smith, R. W. Frost, B. J. Menzie, Regina; H. L. Orton, Big Ticukee; D. MacRae, Prince Rupert; P. H. Browne, Bellingham; J. S. Rankin, T. Ball, W. & Albutt, S. G. Spence, Mrs. Spence, Mrs. Brown, Vancouver; Mr. Freeman and wife, Vernon; Henry Parker, Cache Creek. KETTLE VALLEY LINE

Will Take Over Entire Holdings in Boundary Next Month.

T. Martin, Pier Island; Mrs. C. Gladstone, England; S. R. Courtney, Sidney; W. A. Kingscote, W. Anthony Williams, Saan-leh; R. A. Bainbridge, Vancouver; Mrs. O. C. Bass, Master Bass, Shawnigan Lake; R. G. Lefavor, E. P. Odlang, Sc-(Special Correspondence). Grand Forks, VICTORIA. Miss Edna Le Roy, Seattle; J. Murray
Thompson, Portland; John P. Christopher,
Perett; F. J. Million and wife, Gus
pencer and wife, Seattle; W. E. Morris,
L. E. Marriott, Vancouver; V. Sanotter,
Catings; G. Marchand, Paris, France;
V. Ford, Duncans; H. McKay, Cariboo;
V.

It, has been the general opinion that the C. P. R. has all along shown the C. P. R. has all along shown rather a fatherly interest in the Kettle Valley Line Company and this new report is therefore not a great surprise. It is also stated that before the North-Fork, extension of the Kettle Valley Line railway can be again operated a ccuple of steam shovels and large gangs of men will be required for several weeks to work on the big work. QUEEN'S.

Miss E. Thomas, Chemainus: Mrs. C.
S. Clifton, Seattle; E. Grimani, Nanaimo;
D. Lyons, Ladysmith; Alex. J. Siverson.
Cobble Hill; John Anderson, Walter Anderson, Vernon; Rev. D. Holmes, Duncans: H. Hooton, Sidney: G. McPhechemainus; R. C. Lyons, Seattle; Mrs. E.
McLean, Reveitsoke; J. Chisholm, Duncans; C. O. Richards, Welkington; J.
Gillis, Banff; P. M. Gook, Brändon; Murdock Hay, Thomas Clark, Vancouver;
Chris. Bensen, Esquimait. gangs of men will be required for several weeks to work on the big rock-slides which now extend on the north fork track for hundreds of yards to a' depth of five and six feet. It is ex-pected that the C. P. R. will again in-augurate a regular train service on the

victoria, March 26.—5 a. m.—The baro-meter is low, and showery weather is general from this to California, and mod-eratus to fresh winds prevail along the Coast. Gold weather is reported in North-ern British Columbia, and zero tempera-tures extend from Calgary eastward to Manitoba. says that he will form another Asiatic Exclusion League in Vancouver, and this will be affliated with the American league, and will have no connec-tion with the present organization. Mr. Gothard will call a meeting next week For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday.
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy, with showers.
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy, with occasional rain or sleet, not much change in temperature.

Reports.

o enroll members.

J. E. Wilson, president of the Asiatic Exclusion League, thinks it was an sult to Canadians to go across border for help which only the Doi ion government can give.

COAL PROSPECTORS.

Reports.
Victoria-Barometer, 29.70; temperature, 36; minimum, 35; wind, 6 miles N.; rain, 23; weather, rain.
New Westminster-Barometer, 29.74; temperature, 32; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, fair. Mineral in North Vanvouver and Hastings Townsite.

New Westminster, March 25.—Mining Recorder C. C. Fisher, of this city has received no less than seven applications within the past few days for licenses to prospect for coal and petroleum in North Vancouver and in Hastings townsite. They are from John Lee, Herbert Walker, Margaret Mc-Phee (Keefer street), W. W. McPhee (Keefer street), John McKee and Jas. Philmore, all of Vancouver.

Mineral in North Vanvouver and beyond nis expectations, and confidential was only a matter of three or four days before it was healed. This is Zam-Buks Wonderful Way. It goes to the root of the trouble—removes the cause and then the healing process—as in Mr. Johnson's case—is often only a matter of days. Eam-Buk cures cuts, burns, scalds, court to-day for assautling C. Ford the standard in assault was committed in a blood poison, bad leg, salt rheum, abrasions, abcegses and all skin diseases. Of all sfores and druggists 50 cents ton, asked to have the accused bound over, but the court refused to do so. san rancisco-Barometer, 23.9; cem-perature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N.W.; rain, 51; weather, clear. Port Simpson-Barometer, 25.90; tem-perature, 22; minimum, 26; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear. Edmonton-Barometer, 29.96; tempera-ture, 2010, minimum, 2010; wind, calm; weather, mart cloudy.

FARM WORK IN KETTLE VALLEY. WHENCE TRADE WILL

(Special Correspondence) (Special Correspondence).

Grand Forks March 25.—Spring farm work is now on in full swing in the Kettle Valley surrounding Grand Forks. A large acreage of new land is being cleared and ploughed which gives work to quite a number of idle men. The average wages being paid for this special class of work is \$40 per month including board.

HOTEL EXPANSION.

(Special Correspondence) Grand Forks, March 25.—Owing to the rapid increase of business, Emil Larsen, of the Province hotel, is build ing a large audition to his hotel, while ing of enlarging their premises also, in order to contend with the rush of business in the spring.

LEFT OPERATING LANCE IN PATIENT'S SIDE

Criminal Carelessness of Vancouver Surgeon Resulted in Death.

(Special to the Times). Vancouver, March 26.-William Argyle Campbell, a laboring man, aged forty years, died yesterday, apparently as the result of the gross carelessness

as the result of the gross carelessness of a surgeon who performed an operation on him several months ago.

Campbell suffered from appendicitis and the operation being performed he recovered. After recommencing work he was attacked by pains in his side

"HARMLESS LUNATIC" WANTED ASYLUM

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New Westiminster, March 25.-Chas.

keps under restraint. When examined many references of good character were found among the papers Laws carried, including references from former employers in Australia and Ontario. He also had papers showing he was the owner of some property in Ontario.

Laws was later liberated by the po-Laws was later liberated by the police, as he was considered harmless, and the city did not care to go to the expense of conducting a medical examination on him for lunacy. Laws was asked to pay for the examination when he refused to do so he was

ROMANCE OF THE VELDT.

vencouver, March 25.—A. J. Brace, of the Victoria Y. M. C. A., gave a very interesting address on the perils and reday from the east adventures of war as Y. M. C. A. adventures of war as Y. M. C. A. representative, last evening. There was a large attendance in the Wesley church and all thorcughly enjoyed the lecture. The souveenirs exhibited previous to the lecture were greatly admired and the musical programme was much entered in Seattle last night. It is understood that he will oppose extradition, but the Vancouver police will probably press for his return. Freyer was serving a six months term in the city jail when he made his escape. He is a bad man and the posthe musical programme was much en-loyed one of the features being "The Joyed, one of the features being "The Russian Patrol," excellently played by Mr. J. Deane Wells. The Epworth league, which had charge of the arrangements and under the auspices of which Mr. Wells lectured, is to be greatly congratulated on the success of its initial effort in this line.

BICYCLE THEFTS.

Vancouver, March 25.—Hert Scott was before Magistrate Williams to-day charged with the theft of a quantity of goods from W. J. Ramsay, his

Prince Rupert Has Empire of Productive Territory to

Draw From.

COME TO TERMINUS

From the west, Prince Rupert is not farther than 175 miles from any part of Queen Charlotte islands on which there are settlements. If the islands have the minerals that surface showseveral of the other hotel men are talk- ing indicate, and the area of land that looks as if it was suitable for farming these islands alone should have as large a population in ten years as Kootenay district has, for it has a milder cli-

From the cost Poly has. Prom the east, Prince Rupert has an empire to draw from. An empire that has farm lands, fruit lands, grazing lands, and mineral areas already being prospected. Vancouver draws trade from Kootenay district, which is from 300 to 500 miles east of it. Prince Rupert should draw trade from as far east as Barkerville, in Carboo dis-trict, and between Barkerville and Frince Supert will be over 500 miles of the main line of the Grand Trunk Paelfic railroad,

From the north, Telegraph Creek, best known district on the river, will send its trade to Prince Rupert, as the distance is only 300 miles. Whitehorse in the Yukon is only 600 miles distant, and Naas river. Ob-servatory inlet, and Portland canal sal-mon cannerles and mines are from 71 to 125 miles.

From the south, the farmers at Bella he was attacked by pains in his side which increased so that he nearly became insane. So ill did he become that a new operation, in the abdomen was performed. Imbedded between the ussues was found the surgeon's lance used in the first operation.

"HARMI FCS I HAATIC" couver, that the Pacific Coast terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific will have

an advantage.
But trade will not come to Prince
Rupert until Prince Rupert has houses
that can meet the demands of the people who must buy away from home. This is an age when no one buys any-thing because of sentiment. Everyone buys where they can buy to the best

dvantage.

Prince Rupert will get the trade of
the North if her business men sell as
cheap or cheaper than the business men of cities farther south; not otherwise Laws, a young man thirty years of More: Business houses in Prince Ruplaws, a young man thirty years of age, who came from Vancouver, was taken in charge yesterday while attempting to force himself into the provincial asylum and is being examined as to his sanity.

Business nouses in Prince Rupert age in stocks, not mere barreary was places must get what he orders, not what the seller has on hand. One of the short-comings of jobbing houses as to his sanity.

Prince Rupert should profit by the

ARE ARRESTED

in Seattle, Pending Extradition.

Vancouver, March 25.-Wm, Preyer, who with McKenzie, escaped from the

escape. He is a bad man and the police are desirous of getting him back McKenzie, who got away with him; is still at large. He was suspected of being one of the safe crackers who operated at P. Burns & Co.'s butcher shop some time ago.

#### BAD LEG ALBERTA MAN HEALED BY ZAM-BUK

curing skin diseases, Zam-Buk is to of goods from W. J. Ramsay, his curing skin diseases, Zam-Buk is toemployer. There were three charges,
creek as soon as the track has been sufficiently cleared.

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of hildren it is alleged that Scott stole include a bicycle, bicycle tires and other
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representing a value of \$110, but one
Thildren would be involved. The articles
The articles of the commenced on my right leg caused by
a ruptured blood vessel, Ag time went
on if yot worse and my sufferings were
representing a value of \$110, but one d clude a bicycle, bicycle tires and other fittings for bicycles. Some of them I were recovered in a second-hand store. Scott pleaded not guilty to the two charges and was remanded until Friday for trial. He was released on \$1,000 ball.

GRAPES IN KOOTENAY.

Nelson, March 25.—A large number of homeseekers are flocking into Nelson purchasing fruit land. An Italian named Corlani, who located two years ago on Crawford Bay on Kootenay Lake, and who has planted three acres in grapes, declares that he has succeeded beyond nis expectations, and confidently expects to clear \$3,000 per acre after this season.

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F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff's Office, Victoria, B. C., March

The above sale is postponed to Thursday, April 2nd, at same hour and place, when the stock will be offered in lots to suit intending purchasers.

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CHAPTER XIX.

Upon The Plaza De Toros. We arrived at Madrid three days

at Shaikawati she called fifteen times every day at the War Office and five-times at night. There's devotion for you. They reported me wounded, and it killed her. Poor thing. I was in England three months afterwards, as

ound as I am this day." He stared at me aghast.

"Not wounded, sir! Why, I had a ball through the lobulus quadratus and a sword cut which touched the inferior vena cava. Not wounded.

sir!"
Mr. Cavanagh fortunately saved me
from further reproach upon this very
delicate matter, and we all went down
to breakfast, Directly the meal was done and we had taken our coffee, car-riages came to take us to the Plaza de Trongs and I set out to see my first bull-fight. This was something that, despite my English prejudices, I very much desired to see. No man can write justly of other nations until he knows the truth about them-and nothing is more difficult to be learned nothing is more difficult to be learned by a foreigner than the truth about the Spanish bull-fight. So I set out with great expectation, Mr. Cavanagh in the arriage with me and the lo-quactous doctor at his side. Remember that it was a burning hot day & July, and although we had the

> DODDS KIDNEY

hood of the carriage up to protect us

English eyes."

"Exactly what I would have said," chimed in Dr. James. "In Shaikawatt, they used to cut off your head to prevent your catching the fever. But they meant well, sir—they meant devil-Promeans well, and will go to Mass on Sunday. Who have we to judge him? In England we should like to youch his tead-in Spain we remember then he carries a knife and that

and spurned.

"Then brace yourself up my boy, and see one now. When I was at Shalka see one now. I shalk see of now circuses, would he manner of our circuses, and the manner of our circuses, would he manner of Then brace vourself up my boy and peared to be of great size, and the e one now. When I was at Shalka seats and boyes round about, built up in the manner of our circuses, would rumans who seemed to have stepped out of the picture books of a hundred years ago. These were all crowded to have stepped out of the picture books of a hundred years ago. These were all crowded upon the lower benches, while above them in the boxes were the noblest wo-Vienna o Paris had taught them to dress and killed her. Poor thing. I was in ngland three months afterwards, as bund as I am this day."

"Then you weren't wounded, Dr. of the earth. When I add that there were priests and even monks among the number of spectators, and that pre-cisely at two o'clock the Royal box alone remained untenanted you

> "Will the King be here?" Dr. James asked me as we sat down and unstrap-ped our glasses.

> I told him that I had not the otest idea and turned to Mr. Cavanagh for an opinion.

> "Do they expect the King, Mr. Cavanagh? "They did expect him, Ingersoll, but

he is not coming. The Marquis of Mer-cia is the President for the day."

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No medicine extant has such a dong and numerous record of cures in such cases often run into maladies which demand the surgeon's knife if they do not result fatally.

No medicine will. Nor devices. It is a companying catarrhal, throat, Isryfin. each most cough, but for ture consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. Nor medicine will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. Nor medicine will. Nor medicine will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. Nor medicine will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. Nor medicine will. Nor medicine will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. Nor medicine will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine like a cough, and bronchial flex and cia is the President for the day."

"But I know that the King is in Madrid." persisted the doctor.

Then a smile erossed Mr. Cavanagh's face, and he merely shrugged his shoulders. For me a look was sufficient. I knew that he himself had prevented the King coming.

"Keep your eyes on the Royal box when the Marquis enters," he whispered to me presently. "you will see

when the Marquis enters," he whispered to me presently, "you will see a girl dressed all in white with a great pink feather in her straw hat. Somewhere below, a man will make a signal to her. Tell me if you see them, Ingersell-but it won't be just yet."

The mob below was all expectancy by this time, chatting, perspiring, laughing, and even shouting. Over in the sun the theeys and wastrels of Madrid sang flity songs, or exchanged raucous witticisms with their comrades who were at play in the sandy rades who were at play in the sandy rades who were at play in the sandy ring. Presently a trumpet sounded from the Campos Elisees out-side, and the Marquis of Mercia, accompanied by a suite of gaily-dressed officers and smilling women, entered the box, and instantly made a signal to the alguaciles below to clear the eng. It you have seen the police of London trying to keep the peace in Piccadilly Circus

upon a night of public rioting, or the park-keepers chasing roughs from the frozen Serpentine when the parks are frozen Serpentine when the parks are to, be closed, this business which the Spaniards call the despejo will be readily understood. What shouting oaths, and horse play attended the melee, it would be waste of time to chronicle. I remember only that the ring at length was cleared and that mounted collections.

We arrived at Madrid three days after the chisode at Bruges, and went at once to an apartment in the Calle de Alcala itself, that defied all cala. I knew nothing of the business which carried Mr. Cavanagh into Spain and had no curlosity to inquire. This swift current of a changing life we were leading suited itself admirably to my mood. It mattered nothing to me whether we were in Spain or Si. Petersburge in Europe or America. I had learned to live as one following some great campaign—leading me I knew not whither, but certainly to great issues.

There was a Doctor James waiting for us in the Spanish capital, and he, I learned, had come from Cambridge-skire-doubtless with news of the unhappy lady I had discovered there Whatever his tidings were they gave considerable sgitisfaction to my patron, who took any-early opportunity of telling that the doctor was a worthy many who should not have been the mere country practitioner that he was.

"He Is an odd creature. Ingersoll, and you must deal kindly with him. I thick he knows more about medicine than the average—but that is little sough. He will tell you much of the service he saw at a small town in India with an improssible name. A chief, I judges the serven was a wonned in the hards was "Exactly what I would have said."

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"In a feel; their fast afterion the cells with the field of the record of control of the record of the players in this tra-delivery to control the call the said with the cale of the

in the wooden wall and a dark aper-ture revealed. The players in this tra-gic and cruel game ranged themselves about the ring as fielders upon a cricket pitch—the piearflores nearest to the barrier and the oncoming buil, the chulos at the back awalting their turn. Then, for the briefest instant. "A mush fell, and upon that the splendid horns and the splendid horns." Red pitch—the piegaffores, nearest to the barrier and the oncoming bull, the chules at the back awalting their turn. Then, for the briefest instabit. Thus, the below our box, I saw the blade flash as below our box, I saw the bl

appeared above the sand; and the surrent creature, defiant, perplexed, and baif blinded by the glare, stood await-ing-bis aggressors.

We should have called him a small built in England, I suppose; but the power of neck and limbs none could power of neck and limbs none could deny. By what means they forced him into the arena I could not say, but out he came presently, trotting-for a few steps and then halting again as though to spy out the scene. Flerce-cries from the beit her, the artiller of all the benches, the rattling of sticks and the categories of the rabble were needed to swake him to any overt act; but when he did awake it was instantancously as though a lance had already not had him. In truth, he charged so swift of the ageorat pleader that both the about the scanning were done with almost before I realized what was harmost before I realized what was harmost before I realized what was

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in the sunlight, a horse adroitly wheeled about upon a tight rein a crash of good horns against the barrier, and there stood my lord the bull, pawing the sand restlessly, and there rode the pleader, bowing to the multitude. Henceforth I kept my eyes so closely upon the scene that nothing could established the scene that nothing could established.

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The freshness, the

many women. The freshness, the charm, the bridge vanish like the bloom from a flower which is rudely bandled. The matron is only a dim shadow, a fished color of the charming maiden. Few young women appreciate the shock of the system through the change which comes with marriage and motherhood. Many neglect to deal with the unpleasant pelvic drains and weaknesses which too often come with marriage and motherhood, not understanding that this secret drain is robbing the chard of the "Favorite Prescription." It will not perform miracles; will not cure tumors—no medicine will.

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ASTUTENESS SHOWN IN ACQUIRING BISON

Attempt of U. S. to Preserve Animals Likely to Prove

Futile.

The announcement which appeared in the Times yesterday to the effect that Dr. Wm. Hornaday, the president of the American Bison Society, had completed the complete It is an oak cradle of oblong rectangular form, slightly tapering to the feet the sides deeply carved with horizental fluting, and pierced at the base for that Dr. Wm. Hornaday, the president

> the Dominion government during the spring of last year. The herd numbered in all about 560, and at the time of writing some 450 are grazing at Lamont, a town forty miles east of Edmonton, on the Canadian Northern railway. These Buffalos were brought grounds whereon the buffalos can live and move and have their some and the wild and wolly element of Missoula faded away.
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ot an expression which should, be sed by any person who claims to write intelligently, but it is the only word which describes the action of the American government in purchasing the Flathead reservation for the purpose of breeding buffalos. The government of the United States and many opportunities of buying the Pablo herd, and from time to time approached El Pablo and offered as much, or even more, than the Dominion government eventually paid.

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But the U. S. A. government made one mistake, and this mistake was not the result of diplomacy. It was the outcome of foolishness. El Pablo is a half-breed, and, as is the case with all half-breeds, he is touchy to a degree. Also his wife is a full-blooded Shoshone Indian, and the family circle, as may readily be imagined, are difficult to coerce.

When the government of Washington offered to buy the heard El Pablo refused the price that was tendered, or rather to be more correct, he asked for time in which to consider the proposal. This tardiness on the part of El Pablo did not please the executive, and they wrote to him and stated that if he did not accept the offer which had been made him they would throw open the Flathead reservation for settlement, and would send surveyopé to divide it up into homesteads. This threat did not appail El Pablo in the very least, and he replied that under no circumstances would he sell the herd to the States, no matter what price they offered. About this time Alexander Ayotte, the Dominion im ligration avent for Montana, who has been in Missoula for a number of years, got wind of the trouble which had taken piace between the government of the U. S. A. and El Pablo, and he wired to 'be Hon. Frank Oliver that the purchase of the buffalos was possible. Negotiations went on for many moons between Mr. Ayotte and El Pablo before the deal was accomplished.

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he returned, he encountered the invest strenuous opposition.

Not only did the Missoulian, the Helena Independent, the Missoulian Herald, the Great Falls Tribune, the Butte Miner, the Anaconda Standard, and all the papers in the state of Mon-tana suggest in their editorials that the buffalos should act be allowed to leave the country. The people of Mis-soula went farther than that. They soula went farther than that. They took upon themselves to make the six Mexian cowboys who were in charge of the buffalos intoxicated beyond the utmost confines of delight! When they had succeeded in accomplishing this somewhat easy task they proposed to break open the box cars and let the buffalos loose upon the prairies.

But once more the astuteness of Mr. Oliver, through the medium of Howard Douglas, was exhibited,

This statement closed the dispute, and the wild and welly element of Missoula faded away.

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