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Daughter Kills Mother

A Woman's Story of Her Child's Disgrace Ends in Death

After Waiting For Two Hours the Murderess Commits the Crime.

Chicago, Ill., May 5.-Mrs. Augusta Styles, after waiting two hours at the entrance to the Walles Hall last night, end a meeting held in the hall, and the laughter waited for her. Five shots were fired, three taking effect.

Styles was driven to the act by Mrs. Styles was driven to the act by Mrs. Schultz revealing a closed chapter of our (Mrs. Styles) early life to Mrs. Styles' daughter, who is 16 years old. The child's parents were not regularly married, and Mrs. Schultz is said to

SANG ON THE SCAFFOLD.

Two Colored Men Spend the Last Few Mizutes of Their Lives Singleg-A Double Execution.

anging of William Strather and Char-

Havana, May 5.—The stevedores here inaugurated a strike for an advance in wages to \$3 a day, in American money, instead of \$2.50. The attempts to fill the places of the strikers with Chinese resulted in severe fighting. About one hundred Chinamen are employed in spite of the opposition, of the strikers.

The Chinese Consul asked General Ludlow, military governor of Havana, for protection for the laborers, and also protested against the removal of the Chinese quarter outside the city, which had been ordered by Surgeon Major John C. Davis at the request of the citizens of Havana.

ADAMS MURDER CASE.

New York, May 5.—The grand jury again took up the case of Rolland B. Molineaux, charged with the murder of Mrs. Adams. District Attorney Gardiner said to-day that he would rejoice

bility.

Mrs. Dodger, the daughter of the murdered woman, Harry Cornish and Fred.

Hover, were all waiting to be examined

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Some Hard Fighting.

The Filipinos Bravely Resist the Advance of United States Eoliders

And in Spite of Artillery and Musketry Fire Hold Their Ground.

American Casualties - An Officer and Three Men Killed and Several Wounded.

Manila, May 5, 8:25 a.m.-In spite of he peaceful overtures of their commisthe advance of General McArthur's dire fighting desperately along the

sion, fighting desperately along the range, after running from trench to trench, when driven out by the American artillery.

Sam Fernando Evacuated.

Manila, May 5, 4555 p.m.—Major-General Gramount, power, by securing peace and five am. General Hale's brigade advanced along the road a few miles west of the railway line. General Whenton, with Hotchkiss and Gatling guns under the command of Lieut. Naylor, of the Utah light artillery, mounted hand cars, and pushed ahead, the Twentieth Kansas and First Montana regiments deeploying to the right and left.

The country to be traversed proved.

Transvaal Ropublic that it is arrived to the Queen as the paramount, power, by securing peace and order within the requision and order within the requision, and is taken to use an that the British government deems that the time to rush through Brigadier-General Overshine's line last night. The attempt failed by the rebels majutained a fusillady of the London convention.

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Lucky Soldiers.

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The country to be traversed proved the worst yet encountered, miles after marshes and many unfordable streams delaying the advance.

Both brigades me

Resistance Near San Tomas.

The centre span of the railroad bridge had dropped into the river, and the rebels only left a small force to check General Wheaton, the main body lining strong trenches in front of General Itale. Although the attacking force poured a heavy artillery and musketry finacross the river, the enemy stubborndy resisted for over an hour, ultimately breaking when Major Young shelled the left flank, and then retreating along the Washington, May 5.—The double anging of William Strather and Charses Wonston at the District jail passed quietly. The two colored usen startified for the scaffold just at noon, and to reach side of the embankment, the rebels regained courage and fought desperately and found were also attacked during the for three-quarters of an hour in face of Mante the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the nature of the country of Malate the demonstration was inselect that the n

About noon General Wheaton crossed the broken bridge, cleared the stragglers out of the villages and advanced toward San Fernando. General Hale effected a crossing simultaneously.

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After a short rest the advance continued, General Wheaton encountering further rebel entrenchments near. San Fernando. The rebels opened a hot fire.
Colonel Funston, of the 20th Kansas, was wounded One lieutenant was killed and four wounded, while leading four companies of the Kansas, regiment to outflank the curent.

flanking the trenches.

More than 100 sick and wounded men

New York, May 5.—Former Mayor T.

Strong to-day received a cablegram rom his son, Major Putman B. Strong, tere this afternoon Baron Hector Developed on the staff of General Metallic and the strong the strong the staff of General Metallic and the strong the staff of the strong the staff of the strong the strong the staff of the strong the staff of the strong the staff of the strong the strong the staff of the strong the strong the strong the strong the strong the staff of the strong the Arthur, combining the capture of Sau Fernando. The cablegram also stated that General Luna, the insurgent com-mander-in-chief had been wounded.

LAWTON'S ADVANCE.

Soldiers Have Again to Fight Filipino: Hiding in the Jungle.

Manila, May 5, 12:50 p.m.—Detailed reports of the work of Major-General Lawton's expedition show that harder fighting took place during the early part of the week than previous accounts indicated. In an attack upon San Rafael, the American forces met with a heavy fire from a large number of rebec's concealed in the jungle on all sides. It was only by the adoption of the tactics followed in Indian fighting, every man for himself, that saved the division from great loss. General Lawton, when attacking in force outside to death for killing Miss Reynolds. Captain McClusky, points out that the confession states the woman was shot, while an autopsy shows the woman was shot, at all.

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Were About to Retire
when a troop of the Fourth Cavalry
came up and with them chased the enemy into San Miguel.

There are two thousand Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Filipinos at
San Miguel. They are served with five
cents worth of rice daily, and are compelled to work hard on the rebel defences. Several hundred wounded Filiginos are at San Miguel.

The insurgents are sending their women and children to the Biancabatto
mountains. A Bolo chief and 100 men
were captured at Balinag. General
Lawton reseased many prisoners.

"Making Satisfactory Progress."

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London, May 5.-The Times in an edi-London, May 5.—The Times in an editorial this morning, expressing the opinion that the United States government is making satisfactory progress in the Philippines and that there is no reason to grow impatient. It says the action the United States Postmaster-General in directing certain pamphlets printed by Mr. Edward Atkinson, Boston, vice-president of the auti-Imperialist league, to be taken from the mails, is entirely justified by circumstances. Mr. Atkinson's conduct, the Times asserts, is quite inexplicable because if is calculated to prelong rather than sharten the war.

San Fernando Evacuated.

Scattle, May 5. Members of the regiment writing from the field say the Washingtons in Manila, notatory those of companies D. L and K. dug up large sums of momey in two towns. Pasig and Paterons, he continues, were evidently rich and prosperous towns, for when they were burned, soldiers by prospecting around the ruins found a great deal of buried money. The largest sum found in one place was \$4,200. One man found \$3,900; another \$3,000, and another \$1,200. One corporal made three finds of \$560, \$700 and \$8500. Some of the money is English and Spanish guit.

Every Mas is the Place No Chance

of the Fourth Cavalry came here yes-

man in town. A train of two coaches and six box cars, all heavily loaded. took them to Wardner. It is thought many are only wanted as witnesses.

The mountains are full of fleeing men. With the railroads all guarded, the only safe way out of the country is over the Glidden road to Thompson. Falls, Mont. That route is lined with them. Around Murray the fugitives have the symbathy of a majority of the

A teamster met 15 fugitives on that road within six miles of this place. They acknowdedged being last chance men, but frightened by the report they had received of troops at Thompson's Falls, decided to abandon the trip. They expressed themselves as feeling bad that hard working men should be driven out of the country by soldiers.

Buffalo, N.Y., May 5.—The situation at the diocks is practically unchanged. Two big freighters have been added to he large fleet of leaded vessels already here. There are no men to misonal them. The result of the grain tie up in the harbor is becoming a very alarming matter with the insurance men. The

penark was arraigned on the charge
of forsing cablegrams in the name of
Count Moro, with reference to certain
Chinese railway concessions and there
by obtaining money under false pretenses.

Indoor leaders along the docks as predicted last night unless the grand contractare agreed to the terms of the scoopers,
Neither have the contractors granted
the demands of the men.

No Nonsense

Clasmberlain Sharply Calls Com Paul of the Transvaal to Time.

The Letter and Spirit of the London Convention Must Be Observed.

Great Britain Will Insist on **Uitlanders Receiving Fair**

London, May 5.-Tile Outlook, in this week's issue, publishes a despetch from its Cape Town correspondent in which it is stated that the British secretary of

Now Been Completed.

Chicago, Ill., May 5.—The Times-Herald says: "John W. Gauss has confirmed the rumor regarding the combine of all the large steel companies of the country, and made the assertion that the deal was as, far reaching as the lagenuity of the minds making it could conceive. Mr. Gates has just returned from New York, where a conference of steel magnates was held to arrange details. The president of the American Steel & Wire Company said all the difficulties in the way of a combine had been removed and the financing of the great combine which could control the steel and wire prudnet of the country had been successfully carried to a conclusion. The headquarters are to be in New York."

Bought Out Carnegie.

Bought Out Carnegie. New York, May 5.—According to the Times, the entire interest of Andrew Carnegie in the Carnegie Steel Canpany has been purchased by a partner in the business, with H. E. Frick at their

teases.

Count Moro, the prosecuting witness, on cross-examination, admitted that his real mame was Philips. He said that he was a son of a manufacturing chemist named Moro Philips, of Philipdelphia, and that he had adopted the title for business purposes.

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Toronto, May 5.—The following is the special cable to the Evening Telegram: London, May 5.—The recent suggestions from the United States government at Washington in regard to the dispute over the Alaskan boundary were referred to by the home office to the government at Ottawa. On Canada agreeing to Great Britials a suggestions and endorsing the reply, the whole note was forwarded to Washington at the end of April. The government coes not antidepate any difficulty in soleying the point with the United States. Both governments a year ago practically as-

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trenches, two volleys were first at the front Paris, Mine. Ruea, the activation Case's party.

Ghief of Scouts Young, whose bravery at Balling was most notable, served as an Indian scout under Major-General Howard in his campaign in the Northwest in 1870. The work of Young's scouts was a feature of the expedition. Dreyfus case has been ordered for May on Paris, May 5.—The Matin to-day governments a year ago practically assents was a feature of the expedition. Dreyfus case has been ordered for May locality of the Dalton Trail on the Chilcont Pass from Pyramid Harbor."

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GRAIN BLOCKADE.

PACIFIC CABLE SCHEME.

ment made by Mr. Joseph Chamberiain in the House of Common on April 28 to the effect that the British government had made proposals to the governments of Canada and Australia on the subject of the proposed cable, but that no final arrangements had been made. To this is added that the statement that the government of Great Britain 1ad the government of Great Britain 1ad

United Kingdom, and that the government would not be discosed to recommend that parliament grant a vote in aid of the project, but for the desire to

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usidered that the construction is of far greater importance and Australia than to the agdom, and that the



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Become Very Rare.

Buffalo, May 4.—The entire commerce of the Great Lakes will be tied up tomorrow unless the contractors and grain shovellers come to some agreement regarding wages. Already there are between fifty and sixty Great Lake vessels lying in the harbor here loaded with grain, and men cannot be had to unload them. By to-morrow noon it is expected that fully 7,500,000 bushels of held-over grain will be in the harbor and this amount will be added to hour-lay to the continuous distribution. The collector of the continuous distributions are the metal, or rather, alloy of metals which go to form the ordinary beer tankard in an inn. The collector of

sat at a meal when the plates and dishes were of silver; but only a small circle; it is quite safe to say, have been at a dinner whea every article upon the table was made of pewter.

To the ordinary person the word "pewter" means the metal, or, rather, alloy of metals |which go to form the ordinary hex; tankagd in an im, The collector of pewter, however, knows very differently, and most people will be surprised to hear that real old pewter is extremely rare.

The modern public house tankard, although it may be known by the generic title of "pewter," is not pewter at all but a much cheaper and less interesting mixture of metal known as "sand pewter."

In fact, the old art of pewter making is almost entirely lost, and no modern makers have been able to produce a combination. The trouble began when the contractors for unloading grain at this port announced that instead of paying the men \$1.85 per 1,000 bushels, as in the past, they would be paid 25 cents an hour. This, the men claimed, was equivalent to a 25 per cent, reduction and they refused to go to work. It requires from 2,500 to 3,000 men to unload the boats

fused to go to work. It requires from 2,500 to 3,000 men to unload the boats arriving here, and as the contractors have not been able to secure more than 200 men to work for them matters on the docks are about at a standstill. Today the package freight handlers, to the number of 750, refused to work until the shovellers' grievances had been remedied.

A unceting of all the strikers was held and it was announced that unless a settlement was reached by noon to morrow, all of the grain and freight handlers at Cleveland, Detroit, Milwaukee, Chicago and Duluth would quit work.

London, May 5.—Embodied in a par-

liamentary paper containing the correspondence regarding the proposed Pacific cable issued to-night, is the statement made by Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the House of Common on April 28 Sketch Club.

It was owing to him that the first dinner was eaten entirely from pewter and it is through him that the 'pewter dinners' have become an artistic function, to which many amateurs of the curious in life would give a good deal to be in-

The originator of the idea began to The originator of the face account of collect pewter some time ago, in fragments. He would come across a dishbere, a plate there, or a fine tankard in some country, tavern. As the collection grew it became his ambition to have a complete dinner sorvice for at least six people, a thing which, as every collector knows, is extremely difficult of achieve-

ment.
Gradually the set grew: The fine collection of tankards belonging to one of the smaller inns of court came into the market and was at once bought up. Some wonderful tureens and basins of pewer were found in Rome, the remains of the table service of a cardinal in the middle aid of the project, but for the desire to afford support and assistance by the Mother Land to the great self-govern-ing colonies in a project, the success of which cannot fail to promote Imperial unity. For this reason the government

ages.

The greatest difficulty of all was experienced in the search for liquor
"glasses" of pewter. The artist determined that nothing should be wanting in his dinner service and that it should plete down to the smallest detail.

Eventually, stradge as it may seem, the liquor 'glasses' were picked up in Algiers They are of very rare and curious workmanship. Pewter seems so thoroughly an English product that one finds it difficult to imagine it of Moorish workmanship.

unity. For this reason the government considers that the responsibility of constructing and operating the cable should be borne by Canada and the Australasian colonies, they taking the profits and the United Kingdom giving an annual subsidy pot exceeding 20,000 for a period not exceeding 20 years, the exact subsidy being five-eighteenths of the shortage of receipts below expenses; and provided that the subsidy be payable only after Canada and the Australasian colonies shall have completed the cable and opened it for traffic, and only while the cable shall remain open. Other provisions of the proposed agreement necessitate that priority be given Imperial government messages at one-half the commercial rates, and Imperial approval of the construction and operation of the cable. the proposed an man the proposed at the sale ent messages at ship.

The knives were discovered at the sale ell country mansion with its effect of thick pewter Washington, May 4.—The despatches received from General Otis indicate that he has put a side the insurgent temporizing over peace and has turned his attention to most aggressive tactics. The wisdom of this course was fully approved by war department officials who is estem.

to a realizing sense of their position. McArthur will take San Fernando to-

sell it.

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Pat, writes: I take pleasure in expressing my
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prescription to all turnild ladies."

Dr. Pisvee's Pelles cure constipation.

Rt is a hard matter to find an American would be disposed of in due course.

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The main object of American officers is to intercept the insurgents, General Lawton moved northward to day to Massin and designed to keep a body of American troops to the north of the rebels and between them and their line of retreat to the mountains. A success ful execution of this move will leave the insurgents well nigh surrounded in the north, though there is a stretch of about seven miles from Massin to the Rio Grande, along which the rebels are retiring. If the rebels do succeed in getting into mountains the war department believe they cannot continue or ganized resistance, as the mountain localities afford much less opportunity for sustenance than the rich lands along the foot hills and bottoms.

ATTACK ON AN ENVOY. ATTACK ON AN ENVOY. Cairo, Egypt, May 4.—Ibraham Ali, whom General Kitchener sent upon a mission to Ibraham's uncle, the Suitan of Darfur, has returned to Cairo. Ibraham Ali found, upon reaching Darfur, that his uncle had been dethroned by Ali Dinar. The latter, on the appearance of Ibraham Ali, turned out with his troops, and routed the escort of General Lord Kitchener's envoy, numbering 150, of whom 120 were killed.

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Dominion Parliament

Bill to Compel Railway Companies to Furnish Members With

Montreal Harbor Improvements.

Mr. Monk (Jacques Cartier) asked whether the plans for the Montreal harbor improvements had been finally agreed to between the narbor commissioners and the Minister of Public Works. Mr. Tarte replied that Plan No. 12a had been approved long ago, and the works were actually in progress.

French in the Territories,

Mr. Monk inquired whether the Premier had obtained the opinion of the Minister of Justice in regard to the use of the French lenguage in the North west Territories, and the jurisliction of the Dominion in regard to the same, as the Dominion in regard to the same, as intimated, by Sur Miliral last Session. The Premier replied that he had already sobrataged such an opinion and would communicate the same to the House on Monday next.

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A Complaint From Chicoutimi.

Mr. Sevard (Chicoutimi and Saguenay) made enquiry as to whether the government was aware that Mr. Justice Gagne. of Chicoutimi and Saguenay, is a director of the Quebec & Lake St. John Railway Company, and that it is a serious inconvenience and considerable cause of outlay to the inharbitants of the district, who have claims against the said company or vice versa, inasmuch as Judge Gagne is obliged to decline to act and parties are compelled to proceed to Quebec, a distance, of two hundred and twenty miles; also, whether the government proposes calling upen Mr. Justice Gagne to resign his directorship or else vacate his judgeship.

The Premier replied that the government was not aware of the circumstances, but even if the case as stated was correct, he was not quite clear

whether the government would call on Mr. Justice Gagne to resigns

Retirement of Lieutenant-Colonels. The Minister of Militia, replying to a question by Mr. Foster, stated that the age limit for lieutenant-colonels under existing regulations was sixty years, and the term of service five years.

Fitzgibbon-Schafheitlin Case. Mr. Foster asked what further action the government proposed taking in the case of Fitzgibbon and Schafheitlin, of Montreal, from whom \$188,274 is claimed in customs duties and penalties. The Solleitor-General replied that the case is now before the Exchequer Court.

Mr. Borden (Halifax) asked whether the Minister of Pisheries had heard of a resolution said to have been made by the government of Newfoundland prohibiting the catebing of herring bait between March 15 and April 25.

Sir Louis Davies repined that representations to that effect had been made to him within the last couple of days, but the department was not informed as to the issue of such regulations. He could not believe that they had been made, however, but would take steps to ascertain definitely the facts.

A special committee composed of the Hon. Messrs. Fisher, Sirton, Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, Messrs, Rutherford, Douglass, Petiti, Davis (Saskatchewan), Richardson, Oliver, Roche, Campbell, Bourassa, Bain, Rosamond, Bertram and Casgrain was chosen to consider Dr. Douglas's hill to regulate the grain trade of the Northwest and Manitobal and to hear all evidence and representations that may be made.

Montreal Harbor Improvements

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The Premier could not agree with the statement made by the leader of the Opposition that the proposition involved in this bill was without precedent, for he was informed on very good authority is therefore entitled to be treated with our respect. At the same time the principle involved was of such a far-reaching nature that the House should have time for full consideration. If railway companies chose to carry passengers free that the House should have time for full consideration. If railway companies chose to carry passengers free the two proposition that the proposition into the proposition into the proposition into the proposition into the proposition that the prop

Scott Act in Brome.

Civil Service Bill.

Mr. Pope (Brome) inquired whether any application had been made to the Secretary of State for permission to have an election in Brome county to set aside the Scott Act. The Premier feplied that such an application had been received on March 3. The Minister of Justice had reported favorably thereon and a recommendation from the secretary of State for the holding of a vote was before the government, which would be disposed of in due course.

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government had no author'ly to override parliament in this way. What right had they to act as they had in the face of the legislation of last session? Mr. Foster considered the situation an extremely grave

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Evening Session.

At the evening sitting of the House the discussion was continued by Mesers. Taylor and Branett, who supported the Unit, and Sir Heury Joly de Lotbiniere, who held that the spoils-system involved vindictive action on the part of the government, while in Canada no such motive could be attributed. He defended the Sovernment is policy generally in the treatment accorded to the service.

A vote was taken on an amendment proposed by the Premier for a six months host, resulting in the defeat of the mean sure by skyty-four to thirty-nine.

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Victoria West People Prepared to Fight For Craigflower Road in Court.

The Indian Reserve Extension Claimed as a City

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Highway.

The intense interest which has been excited among the residents of Victoria West by the morement to close with the construction and the large audience which almost filled Seny ple's Hall last night. The people, as Mr. Jenkinson, in a vigorous speech remarked, "are evidently determined that this long standing vexed question must be finally disposed of." Another feature of the evening's proceedings was the claim made by Mr. Beaumont Bogss, supported in a lefter from Mr. Loms, Indian agent, and Mr. McKay, that the road through the reserve is not a part of that territory and ought to be kept in repair by the city.

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Mr. Jenkinson used the road which passed his place.

Mr. Jenkinson said if Mr. Fairall had a buggy he would take no risks in driving on the neglected Craigflower road, and if he rode a wheel he would want two life insurance policies before renturing on it. (Laughter.)

Capt. Gaudin said he had lived in Victoria West since 1883, and they had in that time about a survey every year. In the early days, when he first knew it. Craigflower was an excellent highway. Exception had been taken to the fact that Craigflower was not 66 feet wide. He would remind the audience that the best country roads were rot graded 66 feet. It was a great pity that the council could not see its way clear to properly maintain the highway.

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GODFREY AND THE GUARDS.

The announcement that Lieut. Dan Godfrey, "the Garter King of Bandmas-ters," and his glorious British Guards Band are coming to Victoria late in ticipation the heart of every resident of the Pacific coast. The veteran conduc-tor of Her Majesty's Grenader Guards is one of the most popular men in Eng-land. All the great military heroes of the day, Lord Roberts, Lord Wolseley and Lord Kitchener have marched to his stirring times. London society has re-joiced in his dreamy waltzes, and every-one in Great Britain and her colonies know his music.

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Lieut. Dan Godfrey was born in London, in 1836. He received his musical education at the Royal Academy of Music, of which institution he has since become an Associate, Fellow and Professor in Military Music. In July, 1856, he was appointed by H.R.H. the Prince Consort (the late husband of Queen Victoria) to the position of bandmaster of Her Majesty's Grenadier Guards, upon the recommendation of Six a, chael Cos. as "The Foundation of Health."

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Canada is going to the dogs say the Tories, and in reply all the statisticians in the country, from the Ministers of the Crown down, present reports which show that Canada never in its history enjoyed so much prosperity. Probably the Ministers and the statisticians and their facts and figures, and the evidence of the people's own senses, are all lying, for the Tories, of course, can't be

SHOULD VANCOUVER BEAR THE COST?

To the Editor: In this day's Colonist I read that Mr. Dunsmuir's ferry scheme had delighted the Vancouver people. "Everyone is in favor of it," says the Colonist's Vancouver correspondent. Since the scheme has captivated the Vancouver public, and as under it Victoria's commerce will continue to dribble Vancouver public, and as under it Victoria's commerce will continue to dribble
through Vancouver; and, further, for
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maxim in municipal law, all over the
We world that the city which would benefit most by the adoption of any scheme
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of the financial burden of its creation;
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that the ferry will confer any benefit
upon Victoria, I move that Vancouver
be asked to contribute substantially towards the cost of creation and maintenance of the system.

QUICK TRANSIT.

ELECTRIC LIGHT BATHS.

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learn that the aliens excluded from Atlit's rich placers are about to sue the
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The suggestion reminds us of the reply
of the Irish traveller who was pitched
out of a railway carriage and badly
knocked about. He was advised to sue
the company for damages. "Damages,
be jabers," said he, "no fear, I'll be doin'
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Official Notification of His Lordship's Appointment to the Oregon Arch-diocese.

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A letter received from Castoms Officer Menzies, dated at Athin on Apr. 17th, by Collector, Milne, says, the Northwest Monnted Police party at Athin went back to Lake Tagish on April 18th. The trails leading to the new mining district are in very bad condition. The portages are bare and in places the trail is knew the trails with every ining in the backery line from a bride's cake to a ginger nut, and were trust that by giving strict attention to a supply that we have opened up at the public generally that we have opened up at the public public generally that we have opened up at the public public

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success of future investigation, as Mr. Sorby's data had been proved to be conservative.

The engineering sub-committee will meet on Monday and expect to have the presence of J. R. Roy, resident Dominion engineer, and to consult with him on the accuracy of the ongineering data.

Ald. Hayward suggested that as the board had now rerified the figures on revenue, which it alone could verify, the matter should be hrought without delay to the astention of the cittawn government. He considered it of the greatest importance that the present stage having been reached no time should be lost in sending the matter on to Ottawa. This view was supported by Coat. Cox, who thought that it was unnecessary to wait for the conference with Mr. Roy. When the matter came before the goavernment Mr. Roy would doubtless be asked for an opinion upon it. Money could not be better spent than in sending Mr. Sorby to Ottawa.

Mr. B. W. Pearse thought this step should be delayed until the engineering sub-committee had met Mr. Roy. If the latter was to be the unpire he would have to adopt his own moulus operand and the contemplated step of the committee might be a mistaken one.

Ald. Hayward reminded the board

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says Harper's Bazaar. That is not the whole truth, for the snuff itself is in the air. Most of us nowadays are familiar with the ways of snuff takers only as they are imitated on the stage, and post of us would be quite content to let Dazzling Richness of Its Public Func our acquaintance stop there. It is not

post of us would be quite content to let our acquaintance stop there. It is not safe to assert that we will do so, however. It is said, that the new fashion is being introduced by women—by women, too, who are accustomed to set fashions and to haw them follows.1. It this is the case, the new century hard find us tapping the lids of our small boxes just as the choleric old gentlemen on the stage do, and brushing off stray particles with the same gestures they use. The sanuff box possibility is—not univiting. The average woman waild willingly add a jeweled specimen to the chatelaine treasures, hanging, like scalps, at her helt. But when it comes to stray particles which would settle on the front of one's gown it is a different story, and one which may seal the fact of the snuff fad.

Physicians say that the grip is responsible for the revival of this old custom. Various powders were given to aliay the irritation of the nostrilis, and this led to independent snuff taking.

STORY OF MOCHA.

The Drink Was Popularized by Shelt Schoedeli.

Mocha is not alone the name of a kind of coffee, but also a port in the district of Yemen on the Red Sea. The patron saint of both was Shelt Schoedeli, whose memory is venerated by the Mahommedans almost as muphs as that Mahomod-hismelet, says a writer in Low Angeles Times. One day 500 years ago a vessel from the lodder cast anchor in the port. Those on board had noticed a nut, and they disembarked to see what it was. The patron of it and attributed great virtue in it. The travelers, who had never soon board had noticed a nut, and they disembarked to see what it was. The shelt if for it was his dwelling) received the strangers kindly and gave son board had not of one of the shelt for it was his dwelling) received the strangers kindly and gave son board had not of one of the strangers who had never soon of the form the control of the strangers who had never soon board had not of one of the strangers who had never soon the feet Sea. The patron shad noticed a nut, and they disconded the came to listen to the hermit's preaching, and among them were some merchants, who purchased all the goods on the ship. The Indian visitor returned home, and, telling his strange adventure and profitable trading, many of his compatriots came to visit the saintly Schoedell.

Schoedeli.

A beautiful mosque was built over the tomb of Schoedeli after his death, and his name will never be forgotten as long as Mocha coffee is drunk. All of the Moslem coffee housekeepers venerate him, mentioning his name in the mogning devotions. Travelers say that in the core of Mocha or Ocha as the Arabs town of Mocha, or Ocha, as the Arabs call it, men take the oath, not by God, but by the memory of Schoedeli.

with certain eddities of conduct, have rendered it necessary to hold an inquiry into his state of mind, and the Commissioner in Lunacy decided that he was incapable of looking after himself and of managing bis affairs.

It is difficult to decide when eccentricity merges into madness. Some 30 years ago one of the richest and most prominent men in England always went round the recertion rooms after an entrough the recertion rooms after an entropy of the recertion rooms after an entro

years ago one of the richest and most prominent men in England always went round the reception rooms after an entertainment had been given in his house, and carefully gathered the ends of candies so that they might be preserved for use on a future occasion. Another very well known man imagined that he was a squirrel and refused to cat anything but nuts. A third, whose income must have been well over fifty thousand a year, prowhed around the clubs picking up the ends of cigars, and these he smoked They were all of them, however, very shrewd business men, and it was never suggested that they should be placed under control.

One who died a year or two ago, and whose will was proved at over two millions, denied himself many comforts which he could well afford to enjoy. One winter, the weather being bitterly cold, his children clubbed together to buy him a handsome sable coat, for which they paid over a hundred pounds. In order to persuade him to accept it they had to pretend that it had been bought at a bargain; indeed, they even declared that the coat for which you gave thirty pounds to a friend of mine for forty!"—Graphic.

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SUPERSTITION AND ITS EFFECTS

effects, as distinguished from and posed to revealed religion and its fects. This curse of the world, civiled or savage, deserves a worthy chr dor savage, deserves a worthy chron-teler. Supersition in all its hideous phases: "While living in Chicago I was in a terrible shape with Itching and bleeding piles; I tried several of the best physicians and was burnt and tortured in various ways by their treatments to no avail, besides spending a mint of money to no purpose. Since coming to Toronto I learned of Dr. Chase's Ointment. I used but to one box and have not been troubled with piles in any shape or form since."

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The steamer Slocan will continue running till after May 24th.
Once more a potato famine esists in town. The same prevails in other need-

PLUMPER'S PASS,

Mr. Aifred Raynes, acting mader instructions from the Provincial government, has just completed the job of rebuilding the government wharf at Tumper Pass, making an exceedingly strong wharf of it, which, under ordinary circumstances, ought to lust for years. The repairs were leadly nessled. For the past eighteen months the wharf was in a deplorable condition.

The settlement is booming. A year large addition is being put on the Mayne Island House, and other improvents going on. Seeding is well advanced and although the season is rather backward woos look remarkably well. The prospects for a large fruit

The prospects for a la ects bright.

During the month of April there were 38 arrests made by the police of Rossland and \$553 was collected in fines.

There was a very pleasant wedding on Sunday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mes. J. W. Westfall, on Columbia avenue, Rev. H. Irwin officiating. The happy man was A. J. Long of this city, and the bride was Miss P. A. Mole of Birkhamstead, Herts, England.

land.

The customs returns for the port of Rossland show that the imports and exports at this port had a very large increase over last year. The imports for April 1899, of dutiable goods were valued at \$47,090, against \$21,810 for April, ed at \$47,090, against \$21,810 for April, ed at \$47,090, against \$21,810 for April, ed at \$47,090, against \$21,810 for April, \$2,000 for this month, against \$3,411 last year, an increase of over 100.

A LEARNED SAMOAN MAID.

Provincial News.

The girl who holds the place of maid of the village," or "taupon," in Samoa, has the rank of a chier, is pettern.

The May Day feet is being held at queen's Park to-day.

The Epworth League Convention of the Province will meet in this city on May 18th and 19th, and the local Society is proparing something special in the way of music.

The Vancouver.

The Vancouver Fire Department report for April shows that the men were called out ten times during the month of April theze were 30 raterments in the Wancouver City Cemetery.

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Daily Mail

Mr. G. W. Steevens Tells of

trict which they intend developing on a large scale.

O. A. Brown expects to start work soon on his group of claims on Toby creek, which is a gold property and assays on an average of \$15 to the ton. It is a smelting proposition and has a ledge 40 feet. In width. It resembles the Boundary Creek propositions in many respects. The Reindeer, owned by Ben Abel, has a foot of grey copper in sight. It is situated near Windermere.

The Golden smelter will probably be blown in at an early date to handle the Windermere ores.

John Boorman will make a trial shipment from his group of claims on Windermere mountain early in May to the Golden smelter.

Starbird and Collette will resume work on the Red Line and White Elephant

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If you question the memsah'b of the ordering of her household, you will find that she knows very little about it. She knows that the bearer is supposed to dust the drawing-room and does not, and that the hansamah presents a mouthly account. This account is

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PEOPLE PAST TID-LIFE STRONG
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The quiet men who wait at the drive by the Heights at Calcutta, on the shore of Back Bay at Bembay, on the table know more English than they pretend; usually there is somebody in the Marina at Madras. The for men the Bouse who can read English letters; Augilo cable, the country of Marina at Madras. The for men the Bouse who can read English letters; Augilo cable, the country of the Weetling or badminton, which is but the forement.

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SHIPPING NEWS *

The law passed a short time ago by the United States government by which masters of sailing ships are only aflowed to give one month's advance to a sailer, is not working very well. The boarding house masters are determined to resist the law, and are using every means to secure its repeal. They control the supply of sailors and refusing to accept any advance, asked \$100 "blood money" for each man furnished. This demand has latterly been raised to \$112 per sailor. The master of the Brit-\$112 per sailor. The master of the British ship Howard D. Troop, Capt. Coining, whose vessel is now at Astoria, refused to pay the \$1,400 "blood money"
for the face he needed, and sent to San
Francisco for them. They were secured by the payment of a month's advance and a "gift" of \$200 each, and
were sent to Astoria on the steamer
Columbia, which is due there to-day,
guarded by two armed watchmen. Trouble is expected when the Columbia arrives at Astoria. The Columbia has on
board fourteen sailors with the two
armed watchmen, and in another part
of the vessel are two boarding house
masters, who have undertaken to preof the vessel are two boarding house masters, who have undertaken to prevent any deep water ship from getting a crew, except on terms imposed by the Boarding Masters' Association of Portland. These men are also armed and there may be a clash when an attempt is made to put the sallors aboard the Troon at Astoria. The bearding house Troop at Astoria. The bearding house keepers say they are confident that they can dissuade the sailors from manning the Troop.

Notice is given to mariners by the Department of Marine and Fisheries that the light exhibited from the new light-house on Sisters rock, Strait of Georgia, has been changed in character from a fixed white to an occulting white ignt, yisible 20 seconds and eclipsed 10 seconds alternately. The height and range of the light remain as heretofore. The illuminating apparatus is dioptric of the 6th order. This notice affects admirally charts No. 579, 580 and 1017; British Columbia pilot, 1898, page 210; and Canadian list of lights and fog signals, 1898, No. 1191. With reference to notice to mariners No. 64, qr 1898, notice is given that the striking of the fog bell at Prospect Point lighthouse has been changed from two strokes in quick succession every minute to one stroke every 20 sec strokes in quick onds. This notice affects admirally charts Nos. 922, 1917 and 1922; British Columbia pilot, 1898, page 181; and Canadian dist of lights and fog signals, 1898,

Despatches received this morning from San Francisco say advices received there from the Yukon basin confirm the previous reports that nearly half of the Yukon fleet of river steamers is fast in the ice, and will probably be destroy-ed when the expected spring freshets come. The fleet is composed of thirteen steamers, and there is little hope of their escape.

British ship Levernbank, for Queenstown or Falmouth, for orders, with 141.884 bushels of wheat, was to have salted yesterday from Tacoma, but the underwriters' agent refused to let her go. She was loaded too heavily for safety, the mark being submerged. She was towed back to the elevator and took off fifty tons. She will get to see to-day.

have given a bond in the sum of \$150,000 in the United States court in the libel filed by the owners of the steamer Kingston. Deputy Clerk Bridges yesterday made an order for Deputy Marshal Crosby to release the steamer.

A combination has been formed by the northern steamheat and railway companies, and it has been agreed to provide a first-class fare from British

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Columbia or Puget Sound to Dawson for \$135, or \$127.50 second-class. The outward bound fare will be \$185 first-class, or \$177.50 second-class.

The top liner of the sealing fleet, the schooner Geneva, Capt. W. D. Byers, returned to port this afternoon with 1,582 skins. Capt. Byers reported that seals were very plentiful, but the weather was very bad. During February and March rain, snow and hall storms were encountered almost continuously and during last month heavy gales and high winds from the northwest were experienced.

Coal Finds.

Carmanah Point and Vicinity the Scene of the Latest Stampede.

Tug Lorne left for Chemainus this afternoon with bark Sebastian Back. On her return she will tow the Star of Russia to sen, and then she goes to the Fraser to tow the Brunell out.

Steamer-City of Seattle will call here on her way down from the North on tastrip. She is due to-morrow morning.

The remains of the last City of Kingston, which were sold yesterday at Tacoma, brought \$2,200.

Steamer Charmer left Vancouver at 1.35, connecting with the Pacific ex-

Steamer Danube left for Lynn Canal

NOTES FROM OTTAWA.

Ottawa, May 5. The committee on banking and commerce this morning passed a bill respecting the Home Life Association of Canada, The company is now an assessment company, but warned by the failure of the Massachusetts and other assessment companies

derwriters' agent refused to let her go, she was loaded too heavily for safety, the mark being submerged. She was loaded too heavily for safety, the mark being submerged. She was loaded too heavily for safety, the mark being submerged. She was loaded too heavily for safety, the mark being submerged. She was loaded too heavily for safety, the mark being submerged. She was loaded too heavily for safety, the mark being submerged. She was loaded too heavily for safety, the mark being submerged. She was loaded too heavily for safety, the mark being submerged. She was loaded too heavily for safety, the mark being submerged. She was loaded too heavily for safety to day on the fundamental principles which make agricultural successful and profitable in this country. Mr. Robertson's address, which will be published in the committee or staked in the vicinity. The first exheulte mark that every day a peace of the steamship Gionogle valuable reading for Canadian farmers.

CONNAUGHT TO SUCCEED ROBERTS.

cadegan will retire from the vice-royaltry of Ireland after the visit of the
Prince of Wales in August next. The
Duke of Connaught will replace Lord
Roberts as commander-in-chief of the
forces in Ireland.

The Wales in August with 411,
bound here: the Ainoka was spoken on
the 17th with 308; the Arietis on the
24th with 362, and the Penelope with

THE CRUISER AT GIBRALTER.

Gibraltar, May 5.—The United States cruiser Chicago arrived this morning. Salutes were exchanged with the British squadron in the Straits. Rear Admiral Howison and staff called on the commander-in-chief of the British oil forces. The Chicago will sail to-morrow for Tangier.

PENITENTIARY CHANGES.

Kingston, May 5.—The Kingston Whig anounces a change that is revolutionary in its provisions that is expected in toba have begun. The work is being laid out and timber has been ordered shortly retirements will be the order of the day, and that twelve guards of the age limit will be struck off the list.

Preliminary operations on the entire tropic of the outlet of Lake Manilary toba have begun. The work is being laid out and timber has been ordered from British Columbia for the construction of scows.

The French government has intimated

Rich Seams of Excellent Coal Discovered by Lucky Prospectors.

Copper at Uclulet—News of the

Sealers Brought by the

Willana Willapa.

According to news received by the steamer Willarpa all Caramanh Point and the lands of the surrounding districts have been staked off as coal lands.

Coal has been found in paying quantities within a stone's throw of the lighthouse. Seams were unearthed over a

lands, and looks forward to being a coal chasetts and other assessment companies. Iands, and looks forward to being a coal it desires to be made a straight life company. The bill makes provision for the baron in the near future. He intends Mr. Osler called attention to the danfor take down a diamond drill on the next

showings of copper and gold looked as if steam schooner Brant was at Uclulet tice is of m

when the Willapa was there. New York, May 5.-A London des-artch to the Evening Journal says Lord ward was at Clayoquot with 318 skins:

ology would a study of the mind come?

Professor (with malice aforethought)—
Well, in some cases it would come under
the head of mythology—Philadelphia
North American.

age limit will be struck off the list.

SPANISH MINISTER TO THE STATES.

Madrid, May 5.—The Duke D Arcos, the newly appointed minister of Spain, started to-day upon the journey to Washington by way of Paris.

ENGINES FROM PHILADELPHIA.

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This morning the Mayor and aldermonday to the common MacGregor and Hayward met the Chief Communicationer of Lands and freight engines from the Baldwin Locomofore Works, Philadelphia.

The #shing industry of Maryland gives employment to 42.512 persons.

Sporting Rews.

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THE TURF. Kempton Park Races.

London, May 5.—At the first day's rac-ing of the Kempton Park meeting to-day, Mr. D. France's Emotion won the Royal Two-Year-Old Plate of 3,000 sovereigns. Lord William Bereeford's Democrat (9 to 2) fluished second and Lord Roseberry's Bonnie Lad was faird. Twelve horses ran.

The Kempton Park May Handleap, 1,000 rovereigns, was won by Frince Soltykyoff's Turbolton. Lord William Beresford's Grodno (7 to 1) with Sloane up, was un-

Victoria Cricket Club Meeting.

orrow afternoon the Albiens will go o Work Point, where they will play house. Seams were uncarthed over a foot thick and great excitement prevails along that part of the coast.

Mr. Daykin, the lighthouse keeper at Carmanah, was in carly on the strike.

He has secured 640 acres of the coal lands, and looks forward to being a coal

Mr. Osler called attention to the damger of a life insurance company falling
under the control of any one person. He
held it was absolutely necessary for the
protection of the insured that a provision should be made to prevent any individual getting control of the whole funds
of a company, and said a clause could
castly bis friends to this effect. No notice was taken with respect to this suggestion.

A party who has paid money into the
company during its existence as an assessment company, is to be repaid the
amount of money he has so paid in or
shall receive shares of the capital stock
equal to the amounts so paid in by
him,
equal to the amounts so paid in whole.

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A party who has paid money into the company during its existence as an assessment company, is to be repaid the amount of money he has so paid in or shall receive shares of the capital stock equal to the amounts so paid in by such party shall be entitled to one share upon which 20 per cent. shall be paid up.

A bill was passed at the committee at uthorizing the Quebec Steamship Company to do mercantile business. This is an exceptional privilege and was granted because the company down as a large trade with the Windward Ist ands, and in a contract with the Imperial government it proposes to tender for respecting mails. etc., it is provided that the successful tenderer must purchase all fruit offered it at specified ports in these islands.

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Professor Robinson addresed the com-

The lacrosse bogs of the city are sexious for it to be known that as far as their choice is concerned the Caledonia ground will continue to be the home of the nationnegt, and as as change of when the Willapa was there.

News is also brought by the Willapa of the returning sealers. The Dora Sie to be the remiervens.

THE RING. diner: Got-the Fight.

POOR-NOODLE.

Noodle—Don't you say, professor, that physiology is the science that treats of the functions of the body?

Professor—Yes, sir.

Thursday's League Games,

At Raltimore-Haltimore, 6; Philadelphia At Pittsburg-Pittsburg, 3; Lonisvide, 4. At New York-Boston, 10; Brooklyn, 2. At Cleveland-Cleveland, 2; Chicago, 10.

Personal.

Major McKeon and wife, of Shawnigan, are at the Queen's.

A. G. Pemberton was a passenger from Vancouver last night.

A. H. Lloyd and wife, of Chicago, are registered at the Driard.

Capitain J. Barnesson, of Port Townsens, is quartered at the Oriental.

Several members of the "Devil's Auction" Company are at the Dominion.

C. A. Clark, London, Erg., is among the C. A. Clark.

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Thomas O'Brien, a well-known lawyer of Calgary, is a guest at the Dominion.

J. Bidwell Mills, of Hamilton, is at the Dominion. Mr. Mills is a nephew of Dr. Lewis Hall.

Downs Hark
Lowis Hark
Melville Collinson
Fead scaler of the formation of t the Occidental.
6co. L. Courtney, traffic manager of the E. & N. Railway, returned last evening

Fig. J. Coyle, D. P. A. of the C. P. R

P. J. Coyle, D. P. A. of the C. P. R., came over from Vancouver last evening and left later for the Sound Alex. A. Bruadle, of Telegraph Creek, who came down on the river stramer Glenora, is at the Geodamid.

Mrs. Prauk, B. Kellogg, Miss Cook and Mrs. Munn, of St. Paul, and Mrs. Sintourga, of New York are a party of tour later of New York are a party of tour later. Sam. M. Dawson and H. C. Röbeg, of New York, advance agents for Mafadden's "Row of Plats," which appears at the Victoria in the near future, are at the Deminion.

The Hague, May 5.-The second cham

a vote of 74 to 4 a credit for the reception of delegates to the Peace Confer-

natrolled by have amalport would to make a chidenot to Russia, in whose name, thousands who are fighting for the welfare of the people were peaceuled, tortured or massacred. Russia, he continued had violated the rights of Finland. The discussions and deliberations of the comcussions and deliberations of the conference would be held secret; he concluded, and he looked for some direct o indirect fruit in the interest of unive

The castle of Heidelburg is the largest in Germany.

A male adult has half an ounce of august

PASSENGERS.

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Per stramer G. E. Starr from the Sound

-W H Lovello, J J Brady, Dagner Moller,
B F Grunwell, Elize Gardenez, Elo Wallace, Secil Vanchief, Ross Briscardis, W
Wise, Elidred Hoden, Madge Forrand, Ed
Colby, France De Witt, S MyNeil, Pearl
Raymosed, Alex Dickin, Phil Brace, Sadie
Stevens, Fred Armsiel, W L Ubrich, Griselder Basseggia, Elleanor Bulleris Maylni,
Mayo B Wasserman, Neille Edmonds, Cenathlo Chilin, Della Ichal, M Winchester,
Maude Hartley, Amanda Hills, Botte Bog
Seider, Ed Snow, Ebnitz Mice, Ettile, Nice. Mrs F. B. Rivers, Mrs Lamberson, R. M. Bogd, J. T. Deaville, L. Blath, J. B. Mills, Wm Bishop, Jas O'Neill, Chs. Warner, J.



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Per steamer G. E. Starr from the Sonad—Miss Kate Deverend, Hutchinson, É G Prior & Co, Victoria Book & S Co, & J Walker, H C Beeton, F R Stewart, Oulons & Pilmley, Colonist P & P Co, M W Waltt & Co, S J Saunders, & Co, McFarlane & Co, Weller Bros, Jno Sluggett, R T Cooper, Victoria Magch Depot, Wilson Bross, J Piercy & Co, Mno Barnsley & Co, E G Prior & Co, M J Thompson, Valo & Brisoks, Sinciale & Co, Moore & W, Dominion Express Co,

DIED.

JOHN—In this city on the 5th Inst.,
Elizabeth, second daughter of R. I
Rose Ella John, aged 13 years an
months.
Funeral announcement later,

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