

the status of the co was one slavery, and expressed the conviction that the liberal government never contemplated the insane attempt to drive out the Chinese. He said that the whole outcry was nothing but an electioneering maneuver.

The Conservative papers in their ed-torials this morning appear to be pleas-d with the moderation of Mr. Cham-berlain's manifesto, and to be some-what relieved that it reveals no hostilwhat relieved that it reveals no hostil-ity toward Mr. Balfour. They note as the chief point of difference that Mr. Balfour gives the first place to retal-lation, while Mr. Chamberlain places colonial preference in the forefront. The standard instances this as an in-dication that an important rapproche-ment has been effected, and congratu-lates Mr. Chamberlain on the loyalty he displays toward his leader.

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The Daily Telegraph expresses equal satisfaction. It says that Mr. Cham-berlain's manifesto is a "document to which all unionists can heartily and sincerely subscribe. It proves that Mr. Chamberlain has turned a deaf ear to those evil advisers who urged him to place himself in open rivalry with Mr.

Balfour." On the Liberal side the most serious troubles yet threatened are the atti-tude of the Labor party, especially the section opposed to the elevation of John Burns to the ministry. The section in-sists in forching the three cornered con-tests which will almost inevitably re-sult in giving seals to the Unionist. sult in giving seats to the Unionist.

MCCALL PAID UP.

Puts up \$235,000 to Cover Money Re-

ceived by Andy Hamilton. Now York, Jan. 1 .- The Times tomor-

row will say: "Although neither John A. McCall nor any member of his family would discuss the matter yesterday, positive confirmation was obtained that Mr.

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ars of their marriage were spent at Chattanooga and in Arizona. Then the general was ordered to St. Louis. A year later they went to Berlin and from there to Rome.

'The colonel is more in his element 'The colonel is more in his element now', perhaps, than ever before—that is, for a long time,'' said Mrs. Bing-ham yesterday. "He loves to accom-plish something. He wants to help to make this one of the best administra-tions New York has ever seen. I am so glad that he has not any axe to grind; that he hasn't any debt to pay, that he has only a clean road to a grood end and a beart full of sand to da good end and a heart full of sand to do

with. "The colonel was always loved by his men. I don't think he ever had an enmen. I don't think he ever had an en-listed man under him who wouldn't give his best endeavor to do anything the colonel wanted done. I think he'll just be the colonel of the police force.'

## PRESIDENT SAID TO FAVOR ENGLISH LIBERALS

London, Jan. 1 .- So far the letter of Cameron Corbett, a parliamentary candidate for Glasgow, in the Union interests, calling the attention of Ambassa-dor Reid and Premier Campbell-Ban-nerman to the alleged unconstitutional ceased.

nerman to the alleged unconstitutional action of his opponent, D. M. Mason, who, Mr. Corbett said, at a meeting of his constituents, announced that in a friendly interview which he had with President Roosevelt at Washington the president expressed his hearty sympa-thy with the Liberal party in Great Britain has not attracted much atten-tion in political circles. The Times, however, says editorially that it does not believe President Roosevelt said what has been imputed to him, but agrees with Mr. Corbett in saying that the president might make some dis-claimer and thereby render impossible any further misrepresentation. The Times incidentally recalls the Sackville incident. incldent

## **CONTROVERSIES WITH CANADA** Secy. Root is on the Eve of Arranging

All But Reciprocity.

Chicago, Jan. 2 .- A dispatch to the

Chicago, Jan. 2-A dispatch to the Tribune from Washington says: An advertised of the present lakes fish-eveloped yesterday that Seev. Root is on the evelop arranging practically all the other controversies existing with Canada save the of reciprocity. The present will be made shortly, it agree to pay to the British government africal between the the the states and agree to pay to the British government africal between the the the states and agree to pay to the British government africal between the the states and agree to pay to the British government africal between the the states and agree to pay to the British government africal between the the states and agree to pay to the British government africal between the the states and agree to pay to the British government africal between the the states and agree to pay to the British government africal between the United States and of the seal catch. With this agreement will terminate the dispute which about 15 years ago brought the United States and of the treaty of 1817. Imiting the arma-ment of each power on the Great Lakes. Then will be discussed the minor ques-tion in connection with the transmission of goods in bond through the territory of the other, regulation of immigration, etc. The dustries and is unwilling to reduce her function manufactured goods, and in all probability will increase it. The senti-ment in Congress here is against recipro-by settlement of other questions for a reel-proper treat, has determined not to be settlement of other questions. This will be the most important negotation astituted with the British government.

CREWS ARE FARING WELL.

Santa Rosa, Cal., Jan. 2 .- In a letter to his father and mother in this city, Henry H. High, mate of the whaler Alexander, now in the ice at Herschel Island with the rest of the fleet, says the crews were faring well on seal and deer meat and had plenty of flour, etc., on hand



### WRECK ON GREAT NORTHERN. Services Were Simple, Being Conduct-Helena, Mont., Jan. 1 .- A special to the ed by a Quaker Minister. Record from Glasgow says No. 4, the

New York, Jan. 1.-The funeral of Charles T. Yerkes, the late traction promoter, took place from his home at Fifth avenue and Sixty-eighth street

Record from Glasgow says No. 4, the eastbound flyer of the Great Northern, crashed into the rear of a stalled freight train a few miles west of here about mid-night. The caboose and four cars of the freight took fire and were burned. The engineer of the passenger train was badly injured and the passengers given a se-vere shaking, but so far as known none were injured. The engine of the freight got out of the way and left its load after sending back a flagman to warn the ap-proaching flyer, but the signals did not seem to have been heeded. A PECULIAR ACCIDENT.

Promoter, took place from his home at Fifth avenue and Sixty-eighth street today. The funeral services were con-ducted by a Quaker minister. They were simple and attended only by mem-bers of the family and a few close friends of Mr. Yerkes. The body was placed in the Yerkes. The body was placed in the Yerkes mausoleum in Greenwood cemetery. While the funeral services were be-ing conducted, Charles Yerkes of Johnsville, Pa., who said he was a son of Samuel Yerkes, a brother of the dead man, arrived and requested permission to attend the service, but the servants refused to admit him to the house. The visitor induced one of them to take a message to Charles T. Yerkes, son of the dead man, but it did not secure his admission. Four coaches followed the hearse from the house. The second was occupied by the widow of the de-ceased.

A block from the house the proces-sion was joined by a hack in which was Charles Yerkes of Pennsylvania.

A PECULIAR ACCIDENT. Portland, Or., Jan. 2.-J. H. Adams. bridge tender on the Burnside street briage, one of the structures which span the Williamette, was the victim of a pe-culiar accident last night. A large gas main crosses the river on the bridge, and when the draw opened the valve of the pipe became opened. When the draw closed, Adams closed an electric switch to turn on the lights and a terrific ex-plosion of gas followed. The flame shot into the air a distance of 30 feet, literally bathling Adams in a fountain of free. His beard and hair were singed off and he was otherwise burned about the head and hands.

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