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A despatch from Potsdam says: Prince Frederick, William, the imperial crown prince, and Eitel Frederick, second son of Emperor William, received the sacrament of confirmation yesterday. Each prince read in a loud voice a confession of faith, which he himself had drawn. It is alleged that the crown prince registered a vow that he would prove himself a living member of the Protestant church and shed his last drop of blood in serving his king and country.

A New York despatch of the 21st ult. says: The Sun this morning prints the following leading despatch. A grave report, having its origin in official circles, has caused serious uneasiness in quarters that are not often disturbed by political rumors. It is to the effect that the British government served notice on France several days ago, in terms amounting to an ultimatum, that she must renounce all claims in the African Hinterland within a month and withdraw her expeditions and other representatives. The correspondent of the Sun does not venture to vouch for the story, but it is significant that it finds a somewhat ready credence among persons whose knowledge and judgment are entitled to respect.

The following is taken from the speech delivered by Mr. Chamberlain before the Conservative-Unionist meeting, and gives his views on the Anglo-American alliance:

What is our next duty? It is to establish and to maintain bonds of permanent amity with our kinsmen across the Atlantic. (Loud cheers.) They are a powerful and a generous nation. They speak our language, they are bred of our race. (Loud cheers.) Their laws, their literature, their standpoint upon every question are the same as ours; their feeling, their interest in the cause of humanity and the peaceful development of the world are identical with ours. (Cheers.) I do not know what the future has in store for us. I do not know what arrangements may be possible with us, but this I know and feel—that the closer, the more cordial, the fuller and the more definite these arrangements are, with the consent of both peoples, the better it will be for both and for the world. (Loud cheers.) And I even go so far as to say that, terrible as war may be, even war itself would be cheaply purchased if it is a great and noble cause the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack should wave together—(loud and prolonged cheers)—over an Anglo-Saxon alliance. Now, it is one of the most satisfactory results of Lord Salisbury's policy—(cheers)—that at the present time these two great nations understand each other better than they have ever done since more than a century ago (hear, hear) they were separated by the blunder of the British government.

ST. JOHN LETTER.

Hustling Cities in the East—The Gossip of the City—the Markets, etc.

It is a mistaken notion that the progress of the last hundred years has been confined to this hemisphere. Its greatest advances have been made in the western states and western Canada because of their vast and undeveloped agricultural and mineral resources and the opportunities they afforded to young men in the east to gain homes and fortunes, but away in the east there are cities whose growth within the century has been phenomenal, and so far as we can see, without any apparent reason. Thus the population of Antwerp since 1800 has increased from 53,000 to 257,000; of Liège from 46,000 to 160,000; of Ghent from 55,000 to 155,000; and of Brussels from 66,000 to 187,000. The population of several other European cities has multiplied in a similar way. If we had not had the vacant territory the record of our eastern cities would be different from what it is.

A woman under the influence of liquor who was driving a horse and carriage about the city last Wednesday was sent home by the police.

A young woman, a native of this city, died in Boston the other day from the effects of a criminal operation.

Several fine salmon have been captured in the harbor this week.

A three year old boy was knocked down by an electric car the other day but escaped injury.

Burglars are operating in the city but so far they have not made themselves rich.

Some young ladies will appear in military uniform and drill at a North End church next month.

The Queen's birthday was a melancholy day in St. John, as holidays always are, for everybody was out of town and the streets were deserted. City men, women and children of every degree are learning more and more every year of the benefits to be derived from an occasional outing in the country.

Thomas C. Carle, a well known livery stable keeper and merchant of the North End died at the Public Hospital last Tuesday aged 65 years. He was a native of Queens county, and a gentleman who was respected and esteemed by thousands of friends all over the province. He left a wife and one daughter.

The money sent to the Windsor fire sufferers has been equitably distributed, but the hundreds of thousands sent to St. John suffers twenty years ago an equitable distribution has never been made. "Verily," as is said in the Scripture, "they will have their reward."

The market has been quiet this week with few changes in prices. Packers quote a further advance of 50 cents on plate beef which now costs \$16.20 to import. Canned corn beef in two lbs has advanced to \$3 per dozen. Choice new cheese is down to 9 cent per pound. Codfish are very scarce; very few new caught fish have yet arrived; prices are nominally medium \$3.50, large \$3.80 and pollock \$2 per one hundred pounds. Owing to the high price of evaporated apples, 10 cents, there is a large demand for dried which sell at 5 1/2 cents per pound. Sugars remain very firm. G. S. DeForest & Sons are importing 200 sacks very handsome yellow C, from Liverpool which they sell at 3 1/2 cents and shows better value than local refined. P. R. molasses is firm at 35 and Barbados at 30 cents. Butter of good quality is in demand at 18 cents and eggs at 10 cents.

The business of the week has been dull. The depression in the lumber market abroad has brought that branch of industry to a standstill. Operators are doing no business at all which naturally has a depressing effect upon trade.

EDWARD EDWARDS.

St. John, May 28th.

Women Unjustly Treated

When Dealers Sell Them Common and Deceptive Dyes.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

TO EDITOR QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE.

Dear Sir.—I noticed an article, in the GAZETTE of May 25th, from your Johnstone correspondent, giving an account of a grand concert held in the public hall of this place on the evening of the 14th inst., the said concert being under the management of Deacon Leverett Thorne, of St. John. In the above referred to article the scribbler informs us that the entertainment was highly appreciated and at the close of the concert Mr. Thorne made a substantial present to the Baptist Sewing circle of Johnston.

Now, Mr. Editor, I am creditably informed that the Sewing circle of Johnston does not belong to any particular denomination, but that the members of any other church (as well as Baptists) may belong to the Sewing circle.

Furthermore, I cannot say that I highly

appreciated the, so called, evening's fun, neither do I think that such an exhibition is fit to be held in connection with anything pertaining to the Baptists; for anyone who believes in tripping the light fantastic toe could have kept perfect time to several of the pieces rendered during the evening. Then when we know that dancing is not upheld by the Baptists, why should we (Baptists) so highly appreciate an entertainment which is the key note of success for a graceful step in, what I term, a dancing performance?

Then, Mr. Editor, please pardon me, for, perhaps your correspondent may not be a Baptist, and fully appreciated the evening's amusement, while others of the Baptist faith may not have stopped to consider the responsibility resting upon the Baptist church. Lastly, allow me to say, that such a letter is no good recommendation of the character and habits of the people of that section of Johnston, neither is it throwing the true light upon the subject, for I am truly convinced that quite a large number of the congregation did not appreciate the concert to the high degree depicted by your far seeing organ of Johnston.

Yours truly,

X. X.

Cody's, May 30.

TO EDITOR QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE.

We would ask our friends of Gagetown why is the Methodist burying ground in such a condition. We think those who have fathers and mothers, brothers and sisters buried there ought to respect them enough as to lift up the stones and brush, etc., off their graves; or is there too much self pride in the little village to forget their dead friends. No one would believe that in a Christian land such a disgraceful and uncared for burying ground could be found. If some of the young men who are leading and smoking around the streets were to take axes and other implements required and cut down the brush and clean up the ground so as to make the place look respectable, it would be some credit to them; or must the women turn out with spades and shovels to make the necessary improvements. It may well be asked by those visiting the place, "Where do you people bury your dead?" Even the fence around the yard is a disgrace, the gates being fastened by two old rotten sticks.

Now, if those who would like an idea how a burying ground should be cared for would take a trip to Hamstead or if this be too long a voyage just take a drive down to the Otanobog and see how much pride they take in their dead friends' graves.

Yours, etc.

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Gagetown, May 28th, 1898.

War News.

New York, May 20.—The Sun this morning prints the following from Madrid, under date of May 19: The tone of the press continues hostile to Great Britain because of Mr. Chamberlain's recent speech. The newspapers strongly condemn the governor of Hong Kong for allowing Admiral Dewey's squadron to revictual there and also for not preventing the insurgent leaders from returning to the Philippine Islands.

Apart from the press comments, Great Britain seems in the eyes of politicians, to be becoming almost as much of a factor in the situation as if she had actively intervened. It is declared that the new government's foreign policy will be expectant, because of the attitude of Great Britain toward Russia and Spain. It is said that Great Britain, within a fortnight, has landed 100,000 tons of coal and large quantities of ammunition at Gibraltar.

A correspondent at Gibraltar says that the Spanish residents are greatly alarmed over the possible Anglo-American alliance. Many of them are withdrawing their deposits from the local banks. Nine warships seen off the coast of Nova Scotia. Command not discern what nationality but think they were British.

AN EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS.

Col. Cortijo and Surgeon Julian now at Fort McPherson, Ga. are to be exchanged for the newspaper men, Thrall and Jones, now in Morro Castle.

May 12.—Admiral Sampson bombards San Juan de Porto Rico. Admiral Dewey reports the destruction of another Spanish warship. Maj. Gen. Merritt accepts command of expedition to Philippines. Four members of the Spanish Cabinet resign. Cape Verde squadron reported off Martinique.

May 13.—Flying squadron sails from Hampton Roads. Joseph Chamberlain advocates an Anglo-Saxon alliance.

May 14.—Spanish fleet reported off Curacao, north of Venezuela.

SPANISH MINISTER OF MARINE ANNOUNCES WHERE CERVERA'S FLEET IS WHILE U. S. GOVERNMENT IS SPENDING THOUSANDS TO KNOW.

MADRID May 20, 8 a. m.—At 10 p. m. yesterday the Minister of Marine, Capt. Annon received a dispatch from Admiral Cervera, in command of the Cape Verde Squadron of the Spanish fleet. It reads:

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, May 19.—"This morning I have, without incident, entered this port accompanied by the Squadron."

CERVERA.

The Minister of Marine immediately went to the residence of the premier, Senor Sagasta, and communicated this information. He then proceeded to the palace for the purpose of informing the Queen Regent, but Her Majesty had already retired, and the news was conveyed to her by the Infanta Isabel.

The new Minister of Marine has injected the greatest activity into his department. It is said he has been offered war munitions from many quarters.

LONDON, May 25.—The morning paper

ers here give prominence to the despatches from the United States telling of the celebration there in honor of the Queen's birthday. The Daily News says: Certainly some opportunity should be given to reciprocate these demonstrations of good will. This will naturally occur on the fourth of July.

LONDON, May 25.—In the newspapers to-day, there are several striking instances of American anti-American feeling. While the majority of the papers allude with pleasure to the references to the Queen in yesterday's celebration at New York and Tampa and in the prayer of the chaplain of the senate, the Morning Post has allowed to appear in its columns a violent denunciation of America from Hon. Stuart Erskine, a brother of Baron Erskine, who alludes to America's present immortal warfare against Spain and asserts that the sentiment of the country which is worth having is for Spain. On the other hand, the St. James Gazette, which has hitherto been bitterly anti-American, seems to be becoming much more friendly.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The president issued a proclamation calling for 75,000 more volunteers. This will make the total army strength, regular and volunteer, 280,000.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The secretary said this afternoon that the additional volunteers called for would not be recruited from the national guards, as were the first 125,000, but that the enlistment would be open. It is further said that the decision to issue an additional call for volunteers was not reached until the cabinet meeting yesterday afternoon. The call, it is supposed here, indicates a determination to press the campaign actively and vigorously from now on.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—It is expected that the last cable connection between Cuba and Madrid will be cut to-day.

MOLE ST. NICHOLAS, Hayti, May 30.—There is no longer any doubt that the Spanish fleet is bottled up in the harbor of Santiago de Cuba.

From the Echo, Plattsville, Ont.

The Echo has read and has published many statements from people who have been cured of various ailments by the timely and judicious use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, but never before have we had such personally convincing proof of their efficacy as in the case of Mrs. George Taylor, who with her husband and family reside in this village.

To an Echo reporter Mrs. Taylor gave the following history of her illness and cure, and asked that it be given the widest publicity, so that others might be benefited.—"I am thirty-two years of age," said Mrs. Taylor, "and in 1885 my husband and myself were living on a farm in Perth county, and it was there I was first taken sick. The doctor who was called in said I was suffering from heart trouble, due to nervous debility. All his remedies proved of no avail, and I steadily grew worse. The doctor advised a change, and we moved to Moncton, Ont. Here I put myself under the charge of another physician, but with no better results. At the least exertion my heart would palpitate violently. I was frequently overcome with dizziness and fainting fits. While in these my limbs would become cold and often my husband thought I was dying. I tried several medicines advertised to cure troubles like mine, but with no better results, and I did not expect to recover, in fact I often thought it would be better if the end came, for my life was one of misery. We moved back to the farm, and then one day I read the statement of a lady who had been cured of similar trouble by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, so I said to my husband that I would try this medicine and it seemed to me that it was my last chance. Before the first box was finished I felt an improvement in my appetite and felt that this was a hopeful sign. By the time I had used three boxes more my trouble seemed to be entirely gone, and I have not felt a single recurrence of the old symptoms. Since moving to Plattsville I have used two boxes and they had the effect of tuning up the system and curing slight indispositions. To-day I am a well woman and owe my life to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and to me my restoration seems nothing short of a miracle. I was like one dead and brought back to life, and I cannot speak too highly of this medicine, or urge too strongly those who are afflicted to give it a trial."

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Some of the Symptoms are Palpitation After Slight Exertion, Sometimes Severe Pains, Dizziness and Fainting Spells. It Can Be Cured.

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