BELGIUM DEPUTIES VETO UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE

Amendment to Constitution the maintenance of order has been assumed by the military. Rejected.

Rioting Renewed by Various Bands of Socialists.

A Number of Persons Killed or Wounded-Terrible Ravages of Disease in Russia-Talk of Steamship Combine.

Brussels, April 19.-The Chamber of Representatives yesterday, by 84 to 64 Notes, rejected the proposal to revise the Belgium constitution so as to prowide for universal suffrage.

M. Smeets, Socialist, accused the loose 60,000 soldiers against their brethren, but, he added, they would be undirectly and plead for his intervention. the vote was taken.

in the chamber. The Socialists held a pendent positions. meeting in the Maison du Peuple, at the Socialist movement in Belgium, urged his hearers to be calm. He said that he hoped King Leopold would still persed without disorder.

vain, near Brussels. The Socialists ential treatment. held a demonstration in front of the residence of M. Scolaert, the president of the Chamber of Deputies. When the police attempted to disperse them they were received with a shower of stones. The civic guard then fired on the mob.

A similar riot occurred in another part of Louvain and altogether five persons were killed and five wounded. Some of the members carried the dead and wounded to the Maison des Pro-

Another riot is reported to have occurred at Bruges, in Flanders. Here persons inexperienced in business, from the police charged the Socialists with drawn swords and ten of the latter

The rioting at Louvain began at about half-past seven in the evening. A peror William's brother-in-law. band of Socialists paraded the streets CHINESE REBELLION CRIPPLES the town, smashing windows with bolts and rivets. They broke through the police cordon in the Rue Tirlemont. The civil guards stationed in the Place St. Antoine ultimately became hard pressed by the rioters and fired a volley. The guard fired a second volley in front of the Catholic between Nan Ning is paralyzed. The Club. It is reported that twelve police- stores there are packed with goods men were wounded. In some quarters the number of wounded policemen. The total rebel force numbers about is placed at twenty, and several are 10,000 well-armed men. The country said to have been mortally injured. All around Nan Ning is simmering with the streets of Louvain are barred, and discontent arising from the oppression

DISTRESS IN RUSSIA. St. Petersburg, April 19.—Scurvh and typhoid fever are devastating the peasantry throughout the whole of the Altai region, formerly the chief granary of Siberia. The starving people there have consumed even the last remnants of their seed grain, and no spring crops have been sown. Many houses here been unthatched to save houses have been unthatched to save the lives of horses and cattle. The czar contributed 200,000 roubles to the relief fund, and has remitted the taxes of the

At Menzolinsk, Government of Oufa. there have been over 4,000 cases of typhus-hunger and scurvy. At Belibeisky 682 cases have been reported, and at Akmollinsk over 1,900 cases have occurred. Similar reports come from Vorenej, Kasean and Saratoff.

GREAT SHIPPING COMBINE. London, April 19 .- The Daily Telegraph announces this morning that prolonged negotiations have resulted in a new combination among the steamship lines, involving no change of flags and little change in management. government of being anxious to let The lines involved are the White Star, the Dominion, the Leyland and At-lantic Transport, the American and the Red Star Lines. The joint control of these amalgamated companies, says able to exterminate socialism and the Daily Telegraph, will be practically enough Socialists would remain to continue the struggle. As the government | tention being to reduce working exwas not willing to counsel the King penses, to avoid ruinous competition was not willing to counsel the king and to secure harmonious working reto do his duty, nothing was left but lations with the great American railfor the Socialists to address his majesty ways. The Times confirms the Daily Telegraph's announcement of the for-If he but said the word peace would The Times adds that Mr. Pirie, of be refestablished. After other speeches | Harland & Wolf, and J. Pierpont Morgan have been the principal agents of the affair and notes that the Cunard Great excitement followed the vote and Allan lines maintain their inde-

THE DUTY ON WHEAT. which M. Vandervelde, the leader of | A dispatch from Melbourne to the London Times says the new wheat duties are accepted complacently. Some protectionists urge that the time is opportune to secure preferential terms intervene. The meeting adopted a res- for Australian wheat, but it is not likeolution to continue the strike and dis- | ly such a proposal will be made, be cause the loss arising from the with-RIOT AT LOUVAIN.

A serious riot has occurred at Lou-

> FLYING MACHINE SWINDLER. Herman Ganswindt, whose so-called flying machine has attracted wide attention in Berlin and abroad has been arrested for protracted deception, forgery and gulling the public into sub-scribing for shares of an aeroplane company. He obtained money, in small sums, from hundreds of persons. Granswindt recently flooded the papers with immense advertisements of flying machines, containing the inall parts of Germany. It transpired that some of the names were forged, including the name of Duke Ernest Guenther, of Schleswig-Holstein, Em-

TRADE. Rev. Mr. Landis, an American missionary, who has arrived at Hong Kong from Nan Ning, Province of Kwang Si, confirms the reports of the seriousness of the rebellion in the southern provinces of China. He says all trade stopped on their way to the interior.

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selves. But I bring back the nerve power which alone

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do themselves an injustice and wrong.

I don't doctor the symptoms, nor the organs them-

Then, if you think me right, I will let you take the

of the prefect of that district. The rebels are friendly towards foreigners and Christians, and allow the imperial The Hague, April 19.—A bulletin is-

QUEEN WILHELMINA'S ILLNESS. The Hague, April 18.—The gates of Castle Loo have been placarded with a notification reading: "Typhoid fever within." This is in compliance with the Dutch law.

The question of establishing a regency is being earnestly considered by the Netherlands Government, and in view of the possibility of long illness of the queen, the states general may be summoned in a joint session at an early date to take action in the matter. 7 p.m.-Queen Wilhelmina's fever

has not abated, but the condition of the royal patient is said to be satisfactory. The queen is visited by her doctors three times a day. She is supposed to have contracted her illness as fice at Bishopsgate station. the result of a chill. London, April 19. - Cabling from

and Christians, and allow the imperial post to penetrate into the interior districts and deliver mall to foreigners. Canton, April 19.—The rebels are besieging Nanking (an important city in the Province of Kwang Si), and it is fallen. The telegraph wires beyond Wu Chow (between Canton and Nan-king) have been cut. dition of Queen Wilhelmina, cables the London correspondent of the New York Tribune. The heir presumptive to the throne is a German prince of the Orange blood, but the succession is undetermined. The Dutch constitution provides that, in default of a legal heir the sovereign and states general shall designate a successor. This has not been done, and the states general will exercise the right of selection in case of the queen's death. CABLE NOTES.

Diplomatic relations between France and Venezuela, which were broken in 1895, have been resumed. The International Banking Company of the United States will shortly begin operations in London, with an of-A Vienna newspaper reports that the Grand Duchess Helena of Russia, Rotterdam, the correspondent there of the Daily Chronicle says he learns that the queen mother will decline the the daughter of Grand Duke Vladimir, recently eloped with a student; that they were arrested at Warsaw, and that the

cepted, and the cases of 14 will come up for further consideration. No more men will be chosen until Monday. Winnipeg, April 18.—Already up-wards of 100 applicants have sent their regency, because she wishes to nurse student was sent to Siberia. The reher daughter, and that the govern- port is discredited. Africa. Recruiting will commence on April 24. The number to be taken PEACE TERMS NOT YET

PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED

Cease June 1

Leaders Will Have to Submit to Burgers' Verdict.

Boers Have Made Overtures Spontaneously-They Are Evidently in Earnest.

London, April 19.-The ministerial announcement concerning the peace negotiation situation in South Africa is regarded in both houses as tantamount to the early cessation of hostilities. The general inference is that the Boer leaders have reached an understanding regarding the terms which they have accepted, and think worth while submitting to their countrymen as the basis of terms of peace.

parliament that the Boer leaders did ly democratic nature of the Boer Government, which prevents Schalkburger and his colleagues from formally surrendering Boer independence without the consent of the burghers.

UNAVOWED ARMISTICE. It is generally felt in parliamentary circles that, although an armistice was refused, the permission given the delegates to consult with representatives of the commandos must imply a formal, unavowed armistice. Satisfaction is expressed in the lobbies of parliament that neither Mr. Kruger nor Mr. Leyds were apparently consulted in the

present negotiations. PRESS COMMENT. The principal editorial in each of the London morning papers is devoted to a discussion of the possibility of peace. Each paper dwells upon the two points that the Boers made overtures spontaneously, and that the British have evidently shown no signs of abandoning their policy as already laid down, yet the interchange of opinion has not ended in a break-down, as was previously the case when Gen. Botha and

Lord Kitchener met. Hence the Times concludes that the Boer delegates have recognized the necessity for bringing the hopeless struggle to a conclusion, and that they have satisfied Gen. Kitchener that they are least are in earnest.

EXPECT PEACE IN JUNE. Another dispatch says: Mr. Balfour's statement confirmed the general impression that peace would be made about the first of June, that Mr. Chamberlain had shown firmness in resisting the demand for an armistice, and that the ministers had supported him. Military operations will be conducted without reference to the conferences which are now proceeding between the Boer leaders and burghers. This policy may not be pleasing to the pro-Boers, but it is heartily commended by the

press as SAGACIOUS AN REASONABLE. While the prolongation of the war for a month disappoints sensational journals, which have been inventing terms of peace and arranging conditions for immediate surrender, there is a feeling of genuine relief that firmness has been displayed by the government. The comment is a natural one that a peace made too easily might not be permanent, and that the burghers will be more likely to be reconciled when they have been fully consulted by their

generals. TERMS OFFERED. Mr. Balfour was silent respecting terms offered by Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner. These must have been definite or the Boer leaders would not have dispersed to consult their commandoes. While the press is on guard against over-confidence, there is general agreement that the Boer chiefs felt assured that their followers would favor a settlement, and that the continued pressure of military operations will not tend to excite irritation and resistance.

CONSOLS ADVANCE. There was tremendous excitement on the stock exchange yesterday in anticipation of a definite announcement

that it had been applied for about fifteen times over.

drive has captured sixty-four Boers. AT BOTHA'S PASS.

Premiers Murray, of Nova Scotia; Tweedie, of New Brunswick, and Peters, of Prince Edward Island. Ottawa, April 18.—Trooper. T. G. Owen, of the second C. M. R., writing from Kitchener's Kopje, under date of March 10, stated that about one hundred of the men had participated in an important fight at Botha's Pass, but no one had been hurt. It was expected that the troop would join Kitchener's

The London Times, in an editorial article on the Spion Kop dispatches, says that the single redeeming feature of the battle was the splendid conduct of the troops, but that from every point of view the story of Spion Kop and the behavior of the principal actors must remain painful reading to Englishmen. BAD FOR BULLER.

The Times declares that the dispatches contain crushing condemnation of Buller's behavior as commander, out Some disappointment is expressed in | of his own mouth. They show that if the ministers had acted weakly in first publishing an incomplete version of the not feel justified in making terms with- dispatches, it was done out of a severe desire to spare Buller's reputation. out incurring the risk of consulting desire to spare Buller's reputation.

The papers now published in reply to with the less responsible element. This Buller's offensive challenge, says the Times, fully justify the most severe tures passed upon his leadership by Roberts, and leave a strong suspicion among the public as to what that leadership must have been.

> FIRST CREMATION IN CANADA. Montreal, Que., April 18. - The first cremation in Canada is taking place this afternoon at Mount Royal Cemetery, it having been decided to cremate the remains of the late ex-Senator A. W. Ogilvie. The new crematory presented to the cemetery by Sir W. C. Macdonald is being used for the first

A New York dispatch says: J. P. Morgan & Co. and Baring, Magoun & Co. announce that \$25,000,000 of British consols, purchased jointly by them for sale in America, have been oversubscribed fully ten times.

guard of honor from the Royal Can-adian Regiment. A salute was also

CAPTURE OF SIXTY-FOUR BOERS. Klerksdorp, Transvåal Colony, April 18.—General Ian Hamilton in a further

THE SPION KOP AFFAIR.

Madden, died here last night. Mr. Palmerton was one of Norfolk's leading men, having for years past been prominently identified with the affairs of the country. New York, April 19.-Nathaniel M. Freeman, a wealthy retired physician of this city, died suddenly in the Aschenbroedel Club, from heart disease. He had been playing chess when some-

body told a funny story. Dr. Freeman was so convulsed with laughter that was unable to resume the game. Suddenly he lurched forward and died. A DRAYLOAD OF PENNIES. Indianapolis, Ind., April 19. - Herman Boyce, a German grocer, at Goshen, Ind., has made a fad of saving pennies for the last twenty years. The quantity became so great that Boyce had no safe place to keep them, and he has deposited them in a bank. were 19,700 pennies in the accumulation and the bulk of copper was so heavy that he had to take it to the bank on

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Arrival of General Parsons, the New

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in Canada.

Ottawa, April 18.-Advices to the

militia department indicate that up to

this evening about 700, or more than

half the number required for the third

and fourth regiments of the fourth

contingent have been tested and en-

shall command the Sixth Regiment.

It has not yet been decided who

Toronto, April 18.-At the completion

of today's recruiting 170 men had been examined by the doctor and 110 have

been accepted. Today 37 men were ac-

names as volunteers to Mai. Gardiner

for the fourth contingent for South

ARRIVAL OF THE GENERAL.

Sir Charles Parsons, the new comman-

der of the British troops in Canada, arrived here this afternoon on the royal mail steamer Iona, from Liver-

pool. Sir Charles was received at the

pier by the officers of the garrison and

CORONATION CONTINGENT.

Montreal, April 18.—The government

has closed a contract with the Allan

Line to carry the Canadian coronation

contingent from Montreal to Liver-

of passengers on this steamer, includ-

ing Lord Minto, Lady Ruby Elliott and

Deaths of a Day.

Simcoe, Ont., April 19.-Daniel B.

Palmerton, of the firm of Palmerton &

June 7. There will be a notable

pooll on the Parisian, leaving here

Halifax, N. S., April 18.-Major-Gen.

from Winnipeg is unknown.

fired from the citadel.

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day China Egg Cups, Monday, per

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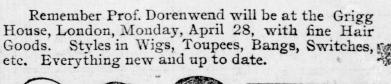
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