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HER MAJESTY IN OLD LONDON

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followed by a lady in the plainest black costume, who had come for a few days stay at Buckingham Palace, as she had done many times before. Her hold upon the hearts of her people was probably never more strikingly manifested. Unlike that of the diamond jubilee yesterday's outburst was almost impromptu. The exultation in the strength of a mighty empire that pervaded London when the Queen last drove through the streets, in 1897, gave place to genuine thankfulness and rejoicing for the victories which had succeeded months of gloom. Mothers in deep mourning for some killed on the far-off world, bravely to get a glimpse of the Queen, whose womanly sympathy for the soldiers had touched their hearts. Often the long cold vigils were rendered fur by tears that dimmed the eyes and blurred the vision as the royal carriage passed. As one very old woman said: "I've seen her many a time, but she said she was sorry for my boy, and I must see her again afore I die." Thousands braved the raw east wind, and stood for hours waiting patiently who had often seen the Queen, and who, in ordinary circumstances, would scarcely have endured the hardship to watch her pass.

JUBILATION OVER THE WAR.
The occasion was evidently an outlet for jubilation over the war, and a natural inclination to let their Queen see and share the gladness of her people, developing one of the most memorable celebrations of Victoria's reign. Moreover, mingled with rejoicings of

TROUBLE IN THE STOMACH

Which Doctors Failed to Remove Cured by Less Than Two Boxes of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

The experience of Mr. Blackwell is similar to that of many sufferers with chronic indigestion. Stomach medicines will seldom really cure indigestion. The kidneys and liver must be set right and the bowels made regular and active. For this purpose no remedy can compare with Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, because they act on kidneys and liver alike, make the bowels regular, and so remove the causes of chronic indigestion and stomach troubles.

Mr. Joseph Blackwell, Holmesville, Ont., says: "I derived more benefit from the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills than from any other medicine I ever took, and can highly recommend them for stomach troubles. I was in a terrible state and could hardly work at my trade. I tried most every kind of medicine and doctors, until I was tired of doctoring, and before I used one box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills I could see that they were helping me, and after taking a box and a half, found that I was cured."

Every dealer in medicine sells Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and nearly every family on this continent has used them. They are a standard medicine of known worth that never disappoints. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

the wrong thing at the right time may do for a while; "right thing at any time" is our idea of it. We have the right kind of Ready-to-Wear

Many of the patients are now in a critical condition, without medicine at hand, when dying at the rate of from 3 to 5 per day. The death rate exceeds 75 per cent, and the entire lower portion of the county is demoralized.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Third Reading of the Redistribution Bill—Amendment by the Opposition Leader Voted Down.

Ottawa, March 8.—The house today disposed of the redistribution bill, which received its third reading. An amendment by Sir Charles Tupper, providing for the appointment of a judicial tribunal to redistribute all the constituencies after the next decennial census, was voted down, the vote being: Yeas, 45; nays, 91; a majority of 46. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, without passing any opinion upon the merits of the amendment, which, he said, was not relevant to the bill before the house, insisted that the gerrymander acts must be wiped out at once.

During the discussion that followed, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said if a stranger in the gallery of the house this afternoon, when the speaker was reading in the speaker's hands the amendment to the bill, had been in the gallery when the redistribution bill of 1882 and of 1892 were passed, he would have been surprised to see the leader of the opposition come down as he did to propose such an amendment. The amendment was not, he contended, an amendment to the bill before the house. As regards the merits of the amendment he would not say anything at this moment, but he would call attention to the fact that it had already been considered and voted upon by the house. (Hear, hear.) It is absolutely foreign to the subject at hand, which is whether or not there should be immediately—not after the next census but immediately—a redistribution of seats in the province of Ontario, for the purpose of remedying in part, at all events, the wrong committed upon the people by the redistribution bill of 1892, and still more by the bill of 1882. This bill was fought by the opposition with great tenacity last year, and again this year, on the ground that it was illegal, and that if parliament has the power to pass such a measure, it would not be opportune to do so, because a redistribution must take place. The opposition had, however, changed ground, and the amendment simply asserts that certain rules should be laid down for the redistribution after a census. (Hear, hear.) If the amendment were passed it would not affect the measure before the house. He had only to his part to congratulate the house that at last the opposition had come to understand the principle which should guide the house when the redistribution takes place. (Cheers.) The Liberals had contended in 1882 that the redistribution should be by the judicial authorities, but the honorable gentlemen opposite would not hear of it. (Cheers.) They insisted that instead of being done by the judicial authorities it should be done by the authority of this parliament. It was the same in 1892, and Sir Wilfrid said that he saw in the amendment at least a confession that on each of these occasions the honorable gentlemen knew in their own minds that they had abused the power of the house. (Cheers.) The leader of the opposition had at least a confession that on each of these occasions the honorable gentlemen knew in their own minds that they had abused the power of the house. (Cheers.) The leader of the opposition had at least a confession that on each of these occasions the honorable gentlemen knew in their own minds that they had abused the power of the house. (Cheers.)

THE 'PINO WAR

Appears To Be Drawing to a Close—United States Regulars Ordered Home.

New York, March 8.—The first orders for the withdrawal of regulars from the Philippines have been sent to Gen. Otis, and the home-coming of such troops as he can spare will begin in a few days, says a Washington dispatch to the Tribune. The decision to begin the withdrawal of troops was reached before Secretary Root started for Havana last week, the latest reports from Gen. Otis indicating that the occasion for maintaining so large a force in the islands had permanently passed, and that most of the Tagals had returned to their homes, so disgusted with the rebellion that they were not likely to be induced again by promises or threats to take up arms against the Americans.

100 DEATHS

From Smallpox in a District of Michigan.

Jackson, Mich., March 9.—An appalling state of affairs in the Jonesville neighborhood, in Hinds county, is revealed. The community is literally honeycombed with smallpox of the most virulent and loathsome form, and during the past six weeks nearly 100 deaths have occurred. On some days the death rate has been so large that it was impossible to secure coffins and rude caskets were made from rails. Whole families have been wiped out of existence, and of several large families only one or two children are left.

THE STARVATION PLAN

Of Treating Dyspepsia and Stomach Troubles is Useless and Unscientific.

The almost certain failure of the starvation cure for dyspepsia has been proved time and again, but even now a course of dieting is generally the first thing recommended for a case of indigestion or any stomach trouble. Many people with weak digestion, as well as some physicians, consider the first step to take in attempting to cure indigestion is to restrict the diet, either by selecting certain foods and rejecting others or to cut down the amount of food eaten to barely enough to keep soul and body together, in other words, the starvation plan is by many supposed to be the best essential. All this is radically wrong. It is foolish and unscientific to recommend dieting to a man already suffering from starvation because indigestion itself starves every organ, nerve and fiber in the body. What people with poor digestion most need is abundant nutrition, plenty of good, wholesome, properly cooked food, and something to assist the weak stomach to digest it.

This is exactly the purpose for which Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are adapted and the true reason why they cure the worst cases of stomach trouble. Eat a sufficient amount of wholesome food, and after each meal take one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets to promptly digest it. In this way the system is nourished, and the overworked stomach rested, because the tablets will digest the food whether the stomach works or not, one grain of the active digestive principle in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets being sufficient to digest 2,000 grains of meat, eggs and other albuminous food.

Dr. Harlandson and Dr. Redwell, recommend these tablets in all cases of defective digestion because the pepsin and diastase in them are absolutely free from animal matter and other impurities and being pleasant to the taste are as safe and harmless for the child as for the adult. All drug stores sell this excellent preparation, and the daily use of a few tablets will be of great benefit, not only as an immediate relief, but to permanently build up and invigorate the digestive organs.

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LONDON, ONT.

WILL HOLD A CONCERT

Funds Will Be Raised for "B" Company as a Whole—Efficient Committee Appointed.

A meeting of citizens was held yesterday in the board of trade rooms to decide on arrangements for holding an entertainment, the proceeds of which should be forwarded to the members of B Company. Among those present were: Mayor Rumball (chairman), J. S. McDougall (secretary), ex-Mayor Wilson, Ald. Winder, Jenkins, Cooper and Wray. W. J. Reid, James Mattinson, J. H. Brown, J. Case, Adam Beck, James Colerick, Frank E. Lawson, R. D. McDonald and W. E. Hiscott. The mayor briefly explained the object of the meeting, and asked for suggestions. W. J. Reid and W. E. Hiscott, on behalf of the Seventh Battalion Band, at once volunteered the services of the band gratis for anything that might be decided upon. Mr. Reid suggested a promenade concert in some large building, and mentioned the main building at Queen's Park, or Princess rink, if the concert was not given till the ice is out. Mr. McDougall wished the question settled as to whether the funds raised should go to the London boys alone, or to the company as a whole. Adam Beck thought the concert should be held at once, while enthusiasm was still running high. Secretary McDougall had figured it up that a concert in the London Opera House would yield over \$500. Ex-Mayor Wilson wanted the London boys to have the proceeds, London had not dealt as liberally with her soldiers as other municipalities. Ald. Cooper thought the council should at once send the boys \$500 and let the concert be held after. Mayor Rumball thought the council would have plenty to do in providing for a reception when the boys come back, and in helping the wives, children and others left behind. Ald. Jenkins, Adam Beck, W. J. Reid, James Colerick and others expressed themselves in favor of having the funds go to B Company as a whole. All motions were carried unanimously that a concert be held at once, and that

MINISTER LIBELED

Two Ladies Will Have To Pay \$750 Damages.

Brockville, March 9.—At the assizes yesterday, before Hon. Mr. Justice Robinson, the libel suit of Rev. T. J. O'Connor-Panton against Isaac McDonald, of Gananoque, and Miss Lily McDonald, of New York, was concluded. The jury found a verdict for the plaintiff, damages \$750. Plaintiff is a member of the English clergyman. He was a curate in the old country and came out to Canada about four years ago for the benefit of his health. Taking up his residence in Gananoque he became acquainted with the defendant, Isabella McDonald, who is an aunt of the other defendant, Lily McDonald. He was mentioned in letters that passed between the two ladies, and the latter wrote to Rev. Hylton Stewart in England inquiring about Mr. Panton's antecedents. In reply she received the following: "Curiously enough, Judge McDonald, on leaving England, asked me about this Mr. Panton, of Birkenhead. I have found out a little more about him since. The family accounts that he gives of himself are right enough, but he is on our clerical blacklist. This means that he is neither a desirable acquaintance nor a reputable person, so you had better tell your friends to steer clear of him."

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Feb. 10—To supplementary... \$23 31
10—To wages for Jan... \$38 05
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