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The Toronto World. TEN PAGES-WEDNESDAY MORNING FEBRUARY 7 1900-TEN PAGES

WAR EAGLE SLUMPED TO \$1.60 **CENTRE STAR ALSO DROPPED**

Panic Reigned Among the Stockholders, But the Worst Seems to Be Over-Mr. Gooderham Thinks the **Properties Are Great Mines.**

WAR EAGLE. June 6, 1899-1.750,000 shares \$3.88 equals \$6,790,000 Feb. 6, 1900-1.750.000 shares at \$1.60 equals \$2,800,000 Depreciation in stock valuation of

Government's policy and turn topsy-turvy House, but were stricken dumb. Sir Richmine \$3,990,000. the specious argument advanced by Liberal and Cartwright had dumped their apple-CENTRE STAR. peakers; but also the evident desire of cart. Mr. Tarte was absent, preparing a Sept., 1899-3,500,000 shares \$1.65 equals \$5,775,000.

ness of the House threw the Ministry and no doubt is now tearing his hair be. Feb. 6, 1900-3,500,000 shares legs and exposed their utter incom- cause his chance to defend his peculiar \$1,00 equals \$3,500,000. ency and unreadiness to proceed with speeches and acts had been snatched away Depreciation in stock valuation of

mine \$2,275,000. sch is considered to be the best effort The Conservative party had no desire to Total shrinkage in stock valucontinue the debate, for Sir Richard had ation of the two properties \$6,265,-

ounced that the Government was willracial cry on Mr. Tarte was forged with ad- ing to go even farther than this policy out-The above set of figures mirable skill and incontrovertible argument. lined in the address promised. Mr. Tarte public's ideas of the respective values of Mr. Foster has again proved his right to had been proven to be the originator, in the two mines at the periods when the best debater in the House. stigator and fabricator of the racial cry, stock in each touched high-water mark, and

single of and fabricator of the radial cry, and, altogether, the Conservative party had is when the two issues reached the lowest point yesterday. A drop of mearly \$4,000, **The Opposition Caucus.** Ottawa, Feb. 6.-(Special.)—The first party caucus of the session was held this party caucus of the session was held this island presided over the Opposition. It island presided over the Opposition. It island presided from 11 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. There was a large attendance. The discussion circled about the Transvaal war and Cauada's sson in advanced loyalty to triumphed in a patriotic cause.

"Is there any single a large attendance. The discussion circled climbed last summer was based on the re-about the Transvaal war and Canada's gular payments of dividends at the rate of contribution. Altho the seal of secrecy was 18 per cent. per annum on the par value of member of the British Empire?" he asked placed upon all, yet it is understood that the issue on the expectation of a speedy in defiant tones. Many a Liberal recalled Sir Charles Tupper and a number of others ncrease in the dividend rate, and on the favored an am hint that War Eagle shareholders were of ndment to the

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unloading of their holdings by something who seemed to have an idea that something fact will be generally recognized. Many Complaints Heard'. Ottawa, Feb. 6 .- (Special.)-When the No amendment to the address was House assembled at 3 o'clock there was a grade, the at intervals smart rallies of the cause the Government had good attendance, for the fact that Mr. Fos. security, owing to purchases of good-sized

tors of an outraged ter was to make a speech was a drawing blocks by outsiders, who thought that the bottom had been reached, have occurred a Certain petitions and papers were laid on intervals. With the depreciation the banks which have been lending \$1 to \$1.50 on the stock, have been calling for larger m

as Mr. Hosmer of Montreal and a number of Toronto gentlemen, who are heavy stock holders in both War Eagle and Centre Star.
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The street evidently took the worst possible view of the case, and a panle on the Stock Exchanges followed. The Montreat board met first, and the opening sale of War Eagle there was at \$1,66. A few minintes later the Toronto Stock Exchange as sembled, and the issue opened six points lower still, at \$1.60. Several sales were

lower still, at \$1.60. Several sales wer

veral sales were proved to be the The news had The news had Despite the official statements to the con-trary, it was rumored about town that the War Eagle Company had a big reserve fund on hand, out of which dividends might made at this figure, which proved to be the low point for the day. been so thoroly circulated by the newspapthe whole situation had been discounted before hand. Later the stock rallied, selling up tot 180, but again declin-

ed, closing at 166 asked and 165% old in

The result to a number of Toronto an Montreal people is more than serious, not a few speculators on margin having dropped thousands of dollars in the slump. One un fortunate Toronto party was yesterda,

the past history of his party and its will-known yearning towards the United States, and was silent. Not Up to Date. But the greatest stroke was struck when, just after Sir Richard Cartwright had fin-ished his speech on the address, the read-ness of the Conservatives to attend to busi-uess nonplussed the Government and show-ed them up in a puerile light. The policy of the Opposition in this regard was well defined, and has been stated in The World for action. Mr. Maclean Brings in His Bill to for fee Opposition in this regard was well defined, and has been stated in The World sepeches on the address to one or at most

Meantime, however, there is a feeling alroad that the shareholders have not been treated properly by the directors. It is pointed out that Mr. Gooderham and hi



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Lower House.

The Matter of Contraband as Defined By Mr. Balfour-Mr. Wyndham Says Pretoria Has Been Denuded of Guns to

Supply the Frontler-No Grounds for Croaking.

London, Feb. 7.—The House of Commons has rejected Lord Fitzmaurice's amend-ment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne by 352 against 139 in its favor. Debate on the Address. The delution on the amendment to the address in the throne by 352 against 139 in its favor.

before hand. Later the stock ral-ling up tot 180, but again declin-ing at 166 asked and 165% old in and at 169 asked and 167 bid in Norder a chance of re-editing before hand been a demonstrable lack of foresight and insight. Mr. Chamberlain no doubt would give much for a chance of re-editing bis despatches. But there was no ground

in anything which had happened or in anything which they could contemplate at pre- The Government Leader Strongly

ication to Sin Alfred Milner, the British High Commis-Is There Anything in This ?

Is There Anything in This f By the way, it was mooted about the si street yesterday that one object in the closing down of both properties is to force the C.P.R. smelter at Trail to give the companies a better freight and treatment rate on their ores. It is thought that the shutting down of these Trail reduction works, and it is even bluted that the Good of erham syndicate is trying to get hold of the smelter at a low figure, by shutting off its ore supply. The Labor Question. Another idea suggested is that, as a side sioner in South Africa, as published by The Manchester Guardian to-day. According to the story referred to, Major-General Butler, the former comander of the British forces in South Africa, objected to reinforcing the border garrisons, and said 50,000 men should be on hand at the outbreak of war, even if it was confined to

the South African Repub Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman, Another idea suggested is that, as a side issue the action of the two corporations is partly due to the labor troubles over the eight-hour law in British Columbia, the ar-Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman also de- issue the action of the two corporations is a party fue to the labor troubles over the general transmistic common the second of the phory during the second the phory during the second the phory during the nied that the Opposition were actuated by

MR. BALFOUR SPEAKS.

Defended Mr. Chamberlain in His War Policy.

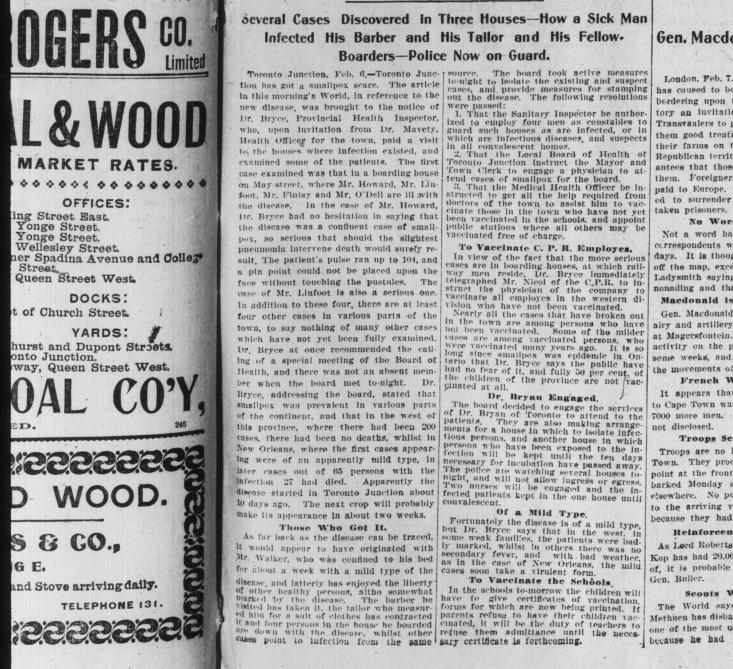
Mr. Balfour, who, on rising, was heered, said: "What is the object of the amendment? What is it likely to attain? would have been attacked, but that case. I am driven to the con

upon the Colonial Secretar Well, the Colonial Secretary these persistent attacks. 'The right gentleman may remember that it has during his term of office as Colonial tary that the British Empire as a has first shown its full consciousness. it is, and of what its destinies an

of what it is, and of what its dest [Loud cheers.] "Others have certainly contr this result, but it is in no sm owing to the great administrativ of the right hon: gentleman, th Secretary, that the dramatic m cocurred for the first time in of when every British colony has Mather Country to carry out a

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oublie to take an active and progressive

stand on the contingent matter, a stand differing widely from what Mr. Tarte and the table.

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Bryce, addressing the board, stated that

make its appearance in about two weeks.

ise, and latterly has enjoyed the liberty

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co-adjutors had demanded. Mr. Tarte

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House with a masterly denunciation of the

fastening of the blame for raising the

A Lesson in Advanced Loyalty.

made in the House, and his

nt when, in answer to a ques-

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idence away from Great Britain would

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ing of an independent man that is out-

raged by the position we hold to-day as a

the past history of his party and its well-

Monet, he said he was at

CONSERVATIVES MET

IN CAUCUS AT OTTAWA

Both Stricken Dumb.

Mr. Bourassa and Mr. Monet were in the

Sir Charles Tupper and Others Proposed to Pay the

Contingents in Full While at Ottawa-No

Decision Was Reached.

In the House Hon, George E. Foster Showed How the Liberals

Were Traveling Under False Colors-Sir Richard Was

Up in Reply-The Insolvency Bill Introduced.

triumph for the Conservative party. Not where angels had no desire to tread.

atters of national import, Mr. Foster's by Sir Richard's ultra-loyalty.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.-(Special.)-To-day was a | even they were not fools enough to step in

the Conservative party to facilitate the speech in reply to Mr. Foster's castigation,

enthusiasm. He took such a thoroly Bri-its object would be to prevent Chinamen

eard.

tish and anti-Boer stand on the war that and Japanese who were British subjects Tarte, Bourassa and Monet did not dare to from voting at Federal elections. raise their voices in opposition to the mani-fest sentiment of the House. They would Mr. McNeill informed the House that in raise their voices in opposition to the mani-

AT TORONTO JUNCTION

To Vaccinate C. P. R. Employes.

Of a Mild Type.

To Vaccinate the Schools,

doubtless have relished a chance to rate Continued on Page 2. the Imperialistic principles enunciated, but i

OUTBREAK OF SMALLPOX

beveral Cases Discovered in Three Houses-How a Sick Man

Infected His Barber and His Tailor and His Fellow-

Boarders-Police Now on Guard.

his co-adjutors had demanded. Mr. Tarte had been thrown down, and the proper agi-tation of the Conservative party, backed by public opinion, justified. They Were All Choked Off. Just here the Government's right-hand man, Sir Richard Cartwright, in his speech isad aroused his followers to Imperialistic enthusiasm. He took such a thoroly Bri-tish and anti-Boer stand on the war that

A Bolt From the Blue,

A Bolt From the Blue. The secret had been well kept, and the management's circular came like a "bolt out of the blue" to most people. Even many who have considered themselves "in-siders" have been evidently taken by sur-prise. This is the case with such men What Might Have Been. Those who make these suggestions admit that they would not be in place were it not for the fact that the directors have let to understood that an increase, instead brought about this yery month. Moreover, it is asked why did Messrs.

has caused to be distributed in the towns ing with the Boers.

bordering upon the invaded colonial terri-

tory an invitation to Free Staters and

Transvaalers to go into the desert, offering

ed to surrender in preference to being

No Word From Buller,

Not a word has been received from the

correspondents with Gen. Buller for three

days. It is thought Natal had been wined

off the map, excepting the hellogram from

Ladysmith saying that the Boers are can-

nonading and that "fighting" is going on.

Macdonald is in Shape to Fight.

Gen. Macdonald, with 4000 infantry, cav-

airy and artillery, theatens the Boer right.

at Magersfontein. This is the first sign of

activity on the part of Lord Methuen for

the movements of the British further east.

French Wants More Men.

paid to Europe. Colonial rebels are advis- visible."

What Might Have Been.

Gen. Macdonald Now in a Position to Threaten the Boer Right Flank at Magersfontein

-Lord Roberts to the Colonial Dutch.

Capt. Congreve Gets a V. C.

Capt. Walter Congreve, who received the

Victoria Cross for gallantry in endeavor-

Heavy Boer War Tax.

3.000,000 acres of English owned land, a

He Now Threatens the Right of the

Boer Position at Magers-

London, Feb. 6 .- The Standard has re-

ceived the following despatch dated Mon-

"Gen. Macdonald, with a brigade of in-

fantry, a regiment of Lancers and one bat-

fontein.

HAS BEEN RECEIVED FOR THREE DAYS

NOT A WORD FROM GENERAL BULLER

London, Feb. 7 .-- (4.20 a.m.) -- Lord Roberts | members of the corps had been communicat-

them good treatment and a restoration to ing to save the British gurs at Colenso,

their farms on the British occupation of writes : "I never saw a Boer all day, and

Republican territory. The manifesto guar-antees that those bringing horses can cell ands of bullets pattered and shells burst all

them. Foreigners will have their passage over the place, but the Boers were in-

Heavy Boer War Tax, The Transvaal special war tax of two of Boers, despatched to the scene, was

shillings and sixpence per acre affects attacked from the trenches, and all re-

assist the British to advance within 50 yards, ted the British to advance within 50 yards, when they fired a volley, killing three men. This was seen from the British fort, which fired a shell, and sent cavalry to assist the British. The Boers beat those back, killing two men.

the occasional roar of a Long Tom. The firing, it is added, continues.

BOERS DISCOVERED THE BRITISH

Who Were Protecting Coolies Cut

ting Grass Near Ladysmith-

Five Were Killed.

Modder Spruit, Monday, Feb. 5 .- On Sat

arday the Pretoria corps discovered a party

of British, from Ladysmith, entrenched at

a railroad bridge, protecting a number of

treated, except four, who, hiding, permit

STEYN. KRUGER AND KOBERTS

Are in Communication Over the Al-

leged Destruction of Farm

Property.

Cape Town, Feb. 6.-President Stevn and

President Kruger have communicated with

A Pointer.

Matinee Days in Furs at Dincens'

Try the new Carlton Hotel dinners, cor-ner Yonge and Richmond-streets; strictly first-class, A matinee air attends the Valedictory Sale of Fur Garments at Dineens'. A greater number of ladies visited the store yester-

day than on Monday, and there was a live-lier interest in the attractive assortments sleeping accommodation. 129 Yonge. of ladies' fur neckwear-scarfs, ruffs and

At the Front.

collarets-at the clearing prices. More are now there with the best quality sales were recorded yesterday, but the

sales were recorded yesterday, but the aggregate receipts were a little less, than on Monday, when a number of Alaska seat and Persian lamb garments of costly qual-ity helped to swell the amount of the day's total. In some things, notably the more expensive class of fur, garments-Alaska

sites were receipts were a little less, than on Monday, when a number of Alaska seal and Persian lamb garments of costly qual-ity helped to swell the amount of the days total. In some things, notably the more expensive class of fur garments—Alaska seal and Persian lamb—the assortments for expensive class of fur garments—Alaska seal and Persian lamb—the assortments for of the whole stock are fur sleigh robes, and this seems strange, considering that there is never any change in the style of sleigh robes, that they last a lifetime, and that really dependable qualifies were never offered at such close prices. In all other respects Dineens' Valedictory Sale of Fur Wear is proving a pronounced success. t Edwards and Hart-Smith. Ohartered Accountants Bank of Commerce Build fung. George Edwards, F. C. A., A Hart. Edwards and Hart-Smith, Chartered Accountants Bank of Commerce Build ing. George Edwards, F. C. A., A. Hart. Smith, C. A.

fair. Minimum and maximum temperatures-Victoria, 46-58; Barkerville, 12-28; Cal-gary, 2-10; Qu'Appelle, 8-below-2; Win-nipeg, zero-22; Pi. Arthur, 12 below-2; Parry Sound, 12-28; Toronto, 16-34; Ot-tawa, zero-20; Montreal, 8-14; Quebec, zero-14; Hallfax, 22-46. Probabilities. Band Concert, St. George's Rink, Feb. 8 W. H. Stone, undertaker, 348 Yonge Street, Phone 932

Lower Lakes-Mild to-day; snow or rain setting in towards evening; turning colder on Thursday. Georgian Bay-Mild to-day, snow or rain etting in towards evening, turning colder

on Thursday. Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence --Fair to-day, becoming comparatively mild, snow or rain setting in at night or early on Thursday. Lower St. Lawrence--Fine and moderate-

MARRIAGES.ARMSTRONG - MASSEY - On Tuesday,
Feb. 6, by Rev. Septimus Jones, Rurai
Dean, at the Church of the Redeemer,
Arthur Leopold Armstrong, son of
Thomas Armstrong, M.D., to Bessie Irene
Massey, youngest daughter of the late
Charles A. Massey, both of Toronto.--Fait to-day, becoming comparatively
mild, snow or rain setting in at night or
Lower St. Lawrence-Fine and moderate-
ly cold.Maritime Provinces-Moderate winds, ft.ir
and comparatively mild.--Fait and comparatively mild.DEATHS.DEATHS.BROOM-On Feb. 6, 1900, at 173 Bleecker-
street, Frank Davis Broom, aged 6 years
and 8 months.Shannon Letter Files cost little, save
much time. Office Specialty Co. 77 BayCharles A. 240 College-street, on
Funeral private.Shannon Letter Files cost little, save
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STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS

Funeral at 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 6.
Funeral at 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 5.
LENNOX—On Monday, Feb. 5. Elizabeth, Mackrell, aged 80 years, wife of John Lennox, Scarboro.
Funeral on Thursday at 2 o'clock to St.
Margaret's Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.
At his residence. 616 Spadina-

C O P Y

POOR

Gen. Buller.

Scouts Were Crooked.

some weeks, and doubtless his relation to day, Feb. 5, from Kopples Dam:

 Imake its appearance in about two weeks.
 Of a Mild Type.

 Those Who Got It.
 Fortunately the disease is of a mild type, is that in the west, in some weak families, the patients were bad. It would appear to have originated with Mr. Walker, who was confined to his bed for about a week with a mild type of the
 Tortunately the disease is of a mild type, on the mark in the west, in the methant in the west, in the mark willist in others there was hos secondary fever, and with bad weather, as in the case of New Orleans, the mild for about a week with a mild type of the
 Tortunately the disease is of a mild type, but Dr. Bryce says that in the west, in the west, in the mark willist in others there was hos secondary fever, and with bad weather, as in the case of New Orleans, the mild cases soon take a virulent form.
 because they had to leave immediately.
 trating to oppose our further advance. The troops suffered from heat and scarcity of water during the march."
 No

 Mr. Walker, who was confined to his bed for about a week with a mild type of the
 The case of New Orleans, the mild case. The case of New Orleans the set of the case. The case of New Orleans the case of New Orleans. The case of New Orleans the case of New Orleans. The case of New Orleans the case. The case of New Orleans the case of New Orleans the case of New Orleans. The case of New Orleans t

Long Toms on the Beleag-

French Wants More Men.
It appears that General French's visit to Cape Town was to ask Lord Roberts for 7000 more men. Whether he got them is not disclosed.
Troops Sent to the Front.
Troops are no longer detained at Cape Town. They proceed immediately to some point at the front. Three thousand disem-barked Monday and were quickly sent cleawhere. No public reception was given to the arriving volunteers at Cape Town because they had to leave immediately.
Reinforcements for Buller.
A Lord Roberts for Buller.
Intry, a regiment of Lancers and one bat-tery, had reached here from Modder River, movement to the right of the Boer position at Magersfontein.
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fantry, a regiment of Lancers and one bat-tery had reached here from Modder River, movement to the struction of a property. Lord Roberts, in re-plying, declared the charges were not sub-stantiated, adding that wanton destruction of property was contrary to British prac-tices.
BOER GUNS FOR THE FRONT.
Ninety Said to Have Been Taken From Pretoria, Which is Now Dennded, water during the march."
Cape Town, Feb. 6.—The Argus an-mounces that 90 guns have been destanteed

uered Town,

Band Concert, St. George's Rink, Feb8.

GREENE-At 240 College-street, on Tues-day morning, the 6th inst., Annette Graves LaPenotiere, beloved wite of Columbus H. Greene. Funeral private. No flowers.

GLENDINNING-On Feb. 6, 1900, Jane Ann, relict of the late Walter Glendin-ning, at Ellesmere, aged 46 years. Funeral at 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 8.

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MARRIAGES.

from Pretoria to the front, and that the Pretoria forts have been practically denud-

