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A CHINESE FAMINE

Great Misery in the Province of Kwang.

Victoria, B. C., May 13.-According to mail advices received from South China, hundreds are dying in Kwang Province as a result of the famine there. Correspondents writing from several sections say the destitution, suffering and deaths are appalling. families subsist on a few ounces of rice a day, or on roots and leaves. Missionaries are aiding thousands daily. The famine is causing the rebellion in that province to grow, for the poor are being driven to pillage to obtain food. Women and children are being sold by the famine-

A HAMILTON SUICIDE

stricken people.

Young Man Blows Out His Brains With Revolver.

Hamilton, Ont., May 13. - Abraham Myles, aged 23, unmarried and living with his mother at 151 Bold street, committed suicide yesterday morning by shooting himself in the head with The deed was apparently premeditated, as Myles sent his mother down town to buy him a couple of shirts and sent his sister a corner store, and shot himself during their absence. He had been bothered considerably of late, but did not divulge the reason of his troubles. No inquest will be held.

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ney-Liver Pills, because the kidneys are Frank Moore were the purchasers. usually the first of the bodity organs to give out, and the result is backache, lumbago, pains in the side and limbs, urinary disorders and constipation. Old people learn to trust in Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, for when all other treatments fail this great medicine seems to go directly to the

Mr. David Misener, Farmer, an old Mr. David Misener, Farmer, and ception will be need. Miss Reynolds, Fope, at the request and respected resident of Port Robin-who arrived from England on April 1, liam, will appoint a pontifical delesion, Welland County, Ont., writes: "I will be in the United States for the gate to Berlin. wish to state to you that I had pain in summer. my back and left side for over 20 years. At times I could not turn over a membership of over 500,000. In her in bed, I was so badly used up. I had cramps in my feet and legs, and my hands were so entirely useless that I tour of the world.

could scarcely lift anything. Kidney disease was, no doubt, the cause of all my sufferings, and some- in the city yesterday. times the urinary trouble would be so bad that I would have to get up five street, has succeeded Mr. Murray Armor six times during the night. For- strong as sorter at the postoffice. tunately. I began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and they cured me completely. I am now 79 years old and quite well now, but still occasionate quite well now, but still occasionate the post-based of pocket-picking were reported to or discovered by them. Very few strangers were in the city, the ally use these pills to keep my system detectives say. order. Several persons to have recommended Dr. Chase's

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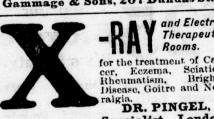
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LONDON AND DISTRICT.

-Rev. Father Tobin, of Stratford, is spending a few days in London. -Mr. J. P. Ross, Chatham, is spending a few days in London.

-Robert Gardiner, formerly clerk of the Tecumseh house, and lately with the has secured a clerkship in the Toronto hotel.

-A Dutton correspondent says: J. Mitton, of London, is at his home here, having had to give up work for a few For Twenty Years days. His hand was torn in a lathe. Wilson, Dr. John Wilson ond Mrs. ing in this village.

-The firemen have been having an easy time this month. Not one alarm neys and Bladder Affected-Ex- has been sent in since the 1st, which is an unusually long rest. Were it not for the ladder practice held at 5 fascinating little actress, May Saro'clock in the morning life at the three gent, who will be seen in her clever halls would be very monotonous.

-Six vacant lots belonging to the Wilson estate, situated in London effort in designing Miss West, were sold at auction yesterday

-Miss Anna M. Reynolds, of London, England, the general secretary of the Young Women's Christian Associations of the World, is to visit London on Friday next, this being one of the places to be visited by her during a three weeks tour of Canada. At o'clock in the morning she will meet diseased part, and promptly affords reand at 4 o'clock in the afternoon a reception will be held. Miss Reynolds, There are 5,500 associations capacity of general secretary, she has

-Mayor White, of Woodstock, was

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attention to the children of school age who are engaged in factories of different kinds, and he has already served notice on a number of firms to discontinue employing either boys or girls under 14 years. Two firms had hired boys to distribute matter through the school hours, and both were served the work done by the youngsters they must not start until after the schools close for the day. DIED IN DURANGO.

An account of the death of Miss Margaret Kettlewell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kettlewell, formerly of London, appears in a recent issue of the Durango (Col.) Democrat. Mr. Kettlewell formerly lived in South Lon-

MR. HEWLETT'S RETURN. The return of Mr. W. H. Hewlett to this city was the occasion of a very large attendance at the organ recital given by him at the Memorial Church Therapeutic last night. He was ably assisted in giving an excellent concert by Mr. Chrystal Brown, tenor, of Toronto, for the treatment of Cancer, Eczema, Sciatica Rheumatism, Bright's Disease, Goitre and Neu-

POLICE HAD A SNAP. The police yesterday had an easy me in one way. The only arrests made were two intoxes. Their appearance in police court this morning was their first, and they were discharged. dress, expressed appreciation of the The police contradict the statement honor accorded the graduates in rethat a woman had her purse taken ceiving their diplomas from the Gov-

Mr. William Moore, a former resident of this city, is on a visit to relatives here. Mr. Moore is the manager of the Gavin-Spence and Flora Macdonald Company, of Edinburgh, Scotland, and has just completed a three years' tour of Canada, the United States and Mexico. In a few weeks he s to start on a tour of Australia. During his three years' tour he has visited nearly every city of any importance in the countries named, meeting with success, particularly during the last

MUSIC AND DRAMA

STRELS TONIGHT. Among the familiar faces which will appear with the Al G. Field greater minstrels at the Grand tonight, none will be received with more favor than Lord and Lady Minto's Visit to Victoria that of Tommy Donnelly, with his inimitable witticisms, and his original

some fun. A WINSOME ACTRESS. intense and tragic love story of "Strathmore," is the attraction at the Grand tomorrow. "Lord Strathmore" is plac-Waldorf-Astoria, New York City, ed upon the stage with human accentuation of all the thrilling heart scenes

in which the book abounds, and has accordingly made a sensational hit. Manager David Traitel gives the pro-COMING OF DAINTY MAY SAR-

Few have gained as many friends in the theatrical profession performance of "Other People's Money. Miss Sargent's modiste, Madame Giannie, of New York, has made an extra gowns for this tour, and they can The old people especially appreciate the effectiveness of Dr. Chase's Kid-Wilson, Dr. John Wilson and Mrs. Wilson, Dr. John Wilson and Wrs.

German Atlantic Cable.

Berlin, May 13 .- The laying of the second German Atlantic cable was begun Sunday at Borkum, in the North It is hoped the cable will be in working order in 1905.

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> London, May 13.-Every now and then some discontented person returns from Canada and vents his grievances in the newspapers. Little attention is paid to such complainers, however, as from the most reliable sources Canada's prosperous condition has been vouched for, and it is believed such grievances ventilated in the newspapers have their origin in the labor organizations

ENTERTAINMENT OF VICE-REGAL GUESTS ENDS; GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND PARTY LEAVES CITY

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hands the coveted rewards for several years of faithful service. The class in-cluded thirteen nurses, who were presented in the following order, indicat- the room. ing their standing at the final examina-tion: Miss Eva Hill, Miss J. Whitten, Miss Christina K. Clark, Miss Anna Miss Christina K. Clark, Miss Affina McGillivray, Miss Mary Morden, Miss Agnes McDougal, Miss Sara Howard Griffith, Miss Edith Grierson, Miss Edith Essex, Miss Sadie Barker, Miss J. W. Douglass, Miss Florence B. Struthers and Miss Lydia C. Battell. The medal handed to each nurse was of gold, and had engraved thereon the propriate motto. The majority of the you a more heartfelt welcome. roses and carnations from friends.

THE COTTAGE HOSPITAL SCHEME.

Governor-General spoke briefly, expressing the pleasure he felt at being able to officiate on such an occasion.On have taken in all Canadian institutions behalf of Lady Minto he wished to say that the subscriptions received for the pleasure they have in appearing before cottage hospital scheme received from London were very liberal. London had thus shown itself to be one of the most sires. with notices that if they wanted to have the work done by largely due to the influence of Mrs.

The party then withdrew and proceeded to the Victoria Hospital. The remainder of the programme at the Auditorium consisted of the reading of the valedictory by Miss Hill, who led the class in the examinations, and by Frank of one brother

the graduates. Before Lord and Lady their interest in hospital work in Canwould receive a welcome nowhere that would be warmer than the one accordamong the sick.

THE VALEDICTORY.

Before leaving, Miss Mayou and Miss Smith, the superintendent and assistant Miles, a student at the school, presentof Victoria Hopital, were presented to ed Lady Minto with a large bouquet of Mr. George Carnegie Gunn, Miss Min-Lord and Lady Minto, the latter also shaking hands with the members of the graduating class and exchanging a few words with each.

Miss Eva Hill, in the valedictory ad-Miss Eva Hill, in the valedictory ad-

dress, expressed appreciation of the them. home might be erected in which they played an appropriate selection. had been raised to the dignity of a profession. Some of the requirements for the visitors were called for by Dr. W. M. fession. Some of the requirements for success in the profession were outsucced. In conclusion, the valedictorian lined. In conclusion, the valedictorian tendered the thanks of the class to the afternoon, lack of time—for it was then medical profession for their many a few minutes to six o'clock - prekindnesses, and paid an appreciative venting the party taking in the trip THE AL G. FIELD GREATER MIN- tribute to the lady superintendent, Miss to Springbank. Mayou, for her work of the past year.

NEW WARD OPENED

Hospital.

The journey from the Auditorium to way of expressing them. As usual, "Tommy" will be seen and heard in the city hospital was accomplished in By the time the Earl and Countess of "Tommy" will be seen and neard in an entirely new programme of whole- a few minutes, and on arriving at the home for the sick, Lord and Lady thronged with people. Minto found the officers of the institu- who had cards were allowed upstairs, The recent dramatization of Ouida's tion waiting to welcome them. Their so that the crowd outside was larger visit was brief, the presentation of the than that inside. Cheers greeted the medals and the diplomas having been representatives of royalty on their arthe most important part of the cere-rival at a quarter to 10 o'clock. monies in connection with the hospital.

The visitors were shown through the council chamber where from a temwomen's ward, where Lady Minto council chamber, where from a temshowed interest in the patients by conversing with a number of them. They also went through the children's plete, including Miss Virginia Drew Trescott in her new celebrated creation of Lady Vavasour.

COMING OF DAINTY MAY SARpatient in the pavilion, a little boy, and and a Union Jack and a red ensign going up to the tiny cot, Lady Minto draped with a British arms flag in the

> tioned, Lord and Lady Minto proceeded railing in the hall proper were seated to the new private ward, which Lord the spectators. Many were in the gal-Minto in a few appropriate words de- leries. An orchestra discoursed pleasclared open. The ceremony was as ant music. Those who came with the simple as that performed at St. Joseph's intention of being presented were in Hospital, lasting only a minute.

PRETTY SIGHT AT THE NORMAL

Highland Cadets

they were driven up to the entrance of announced them. The vice-regal trio regret that owing to the very limited the Normal School on Elmwood avenue. received most graciously. Besides a company of several hundred citizens, there were drawn up on the The Governor-General wore the badge Paris, May 13.—It is reported that the lawn the St. Andrew's Highland Ca-oross of the most distinguished order dets, under the command of Col. Munro. of St. Michael and St. George. The cadets were out full strength, and in their kilts, and having every part of their uniforms as neat as it was possible to get them, they presented a most creditable appearance. They were drawn up in two columns, and the first duty of Lord Minto, after alighting, was to inspect the corps. His excellency was very much interested in the organization, inquired concerning its formation, itable corps, the objects of which were a diamond coronet, too, and pink carthe betterment of the boys. The Sev- nations. and during the stay of the party fur- white over duchess satin. Her gown and

and a company of invited guests. The aldermen and the civic officials occupied seats on the platform. The de-

PRINCIPAL MERCHANT'S WELCOME.

The welcome to the distinguished visitors was extended by Principal Merchant, who said: "On behalf of the Minister of Education, the staff and the students of the Normal School, I have great pleasure in extending you a hearwelcome to the school. You will find, I believe, that there is no class of citizens more patriotic than our student bodies, and none will extend to own students feel it an honor that you have visited the school, a special honor that you have consented to have your name connected with the opening of After making the presentations the an important department. For this reason and many others, and especially on account of the keen interest you

AN IMPORTANT DEPARTMENT.

we are glad to welcome you. On behalf

of the cadets, I wish to express the

In reply to the welcome Lord Minto said he was glad to have the opportunity of being present at the Normal School and meeting the students. The duty which he was about to perform was one of interest, for the addition of the manual training department to the school was of the greatest importance to the students, helping, as it would, Frank Whitten, to mold character and benefit the pupils who would in the future pass under the care of those who are now stu-Minto retired Mr. Purdom spoke of the dents at the school. Lord Minto was prominence they had achieved through delighted with the Highland Cadets, the formation of which, he said, would be a ada, and he assured them that they great benefit to the boys—a benefit

which would last through life. Lord Minto concluded by saying that ed them in this city, for the people of he was very glad to hear that the man-London were interested in the work ual training department was completed. Such a department meant a great deal to the students, and he had very great pleasure in declaring it open.

At this stage of the proceedings, Miss Miss Tara Falls, Ald. John Forristal,

The school was thrown open to the isitors, who took no little interest in Joseph Smith, Miss Laura T tory of the past three years, referring visitors, who took no little interest in (Ottawa), Rev. C. Cameron and Mrs. to the changes and additions made to the several departments. None of them the hospital during that time. After were overlooked, and this visit of the mentioning the various improvements, vice-regal party was one of the most the valedictorian referred to a new interesting on the day's programme. nurses' home as an improvement that The manual training department was should be made in the near future, inspected thoroughly, their excellencies She thought it was a pity that in this showing more than a passing interest city of beautiful homes the nurses were in the operations of the several stulive in a gloomy, dents who were at work. After a light weather-beaten building that was not lunch Lord and Lady Minto said fareconsidered good enough for a hospital, well to the school, and as they marched and hoped that a brighter and cheerier down the lawn to the walk the band From the school they proceeded to could spend their time after their long and weary hours of service. She referred to the work of nurses, work that vate car Victoria, and as the latter was

RECEPTION AT CITY HALL

1: Was a Public Affair and Many Citizens

Attended It. The public reception at the city hall in the evening drew out a large crowd.

The chamber had been carpeted and brightened. Back of the Countess'

presented the occupant with a large arcade were the only decorations. The guard of honor stood in front After inspecting the pavilions men- of their excellencies, and outside the

At the point of reception Lady Minto stood in the middle with Lord Minto on her right and Lady Eileen on her left. Mrs. Beck stood back of the sent an address to Lady Minto, but Hundreds of Citizens Were There With latter and to the right of the were Major Maude and Capt. Graham, council the following letter was handand back of the latter stood Mayor ed to her excellency: It was a pretty sight indeed that met Beck. Those to be presented came in the gaze of Lord and Lady Minto as the south door. Their cards were taken by Capt. Graham and Major Maude cil of Women of London, very much

The gentlemen were in correct attire. have been unable to arrange anything cross of the most distinguished order

MAGNIFICENT GOWNS.

ladies were magnificently The gowned and Lady Minto, her daugh ter, Lady Eileen, and Mrs. Beck all the Local Council of Women were beautiful. The Countess wore an exquisite gown of duchess satin with pital, I remain respectfully hand embroidered trimmings of beau-tiful design. Diamonds sparkled at the corsage, while about her neck was the privilege of inspecting such a cred-

nished a programme of music.

The proceedings at the school were second to none in point of interest. Lord and Lady Minto were met at the endrance by Principal Merchant, Vice-trance by Principal Merchant, Vice-trance by Principal Dearness, Rev. J. G. Stuart, Principal Dearness, Rev. J. G. Stuart, with chiffon, and wore diamonds and Mrs. Coffey, Mrs. C. S. Hyman, M. P., with chiffon, and wore diamonds and mrs. Elliott, Judge William Elliott, Sheriff Cameron and Mrs. Cameron, Sir John and Lady Carling. Senator and Mrs. Coffey, Mrs. C. S. Hyman, Col. Peters, D. C. honor-and Mr. Pickles, the instructor in many with chiffon, and wore diamonds and diamonds and was the object of admiration. She wore lilies bliott and Mrs. Elliott, Judge William Elliott, Sheriff Cameron, Sir John and Lady Carling. Senator and Mrs. Coffey, Mrs. C. S. Hyman, Col. Peters, D. C. Mrs. Grameron, Sir John and Lady Carling. Senator and Mrs. Coffey, Mrs. C. S. Hyman, Col. Peters, D. C. Mrs. Grameron, Sir John and Lady Carling. Senator and Mrs. Coffey, Mrs. C. S. Hyman, M. P., with chiffon, and wore diamonds and diamonds and diamonds and diamonds. Senator and Mrs. Coffey, Mrs. C. S. Hyman, M. P., with chiffon, and wore diamonds and diamonds. Senator and Mrs. Coffey, Mrs. C. S. Hyman, M. P., with chiffon, and wore diamonds and diamonds and diamonds and diamonds and diamonds and diamonds. Senator and Mrs. Coffey. Mrs. C. S. Hyman, M. P., with chiffon, and wore diamonds and diamonds and

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themselves unworthy sons of worthy hall, where separately they chatted lowing telegram from London's men with various officers and other gentle- ber:

was a thing of the past.

LIST OF THOSE PRESENTED. Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bartlett. Miss Beddome, Miss Geraldine Beddome, of Mr. G. de C.O'Grady, where a beau-Those who were presented were: Mr. Robert Boston, Mrs. George T. and Mrs. T. H. Carling, Miss Carling, Miss Nenone Carling, Mr. John Innes Carling, Miss Effie May Colquboun. Miss Kathryn Black Colquhoun, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Coo, Miss Minnie Coo, Miss Laura Cooper, Miss Pearl Cooper, Mrs. Hume Cronyn, Mrs. Septimus A. Denison, Miss Denison, Miss Helen Dillon, Mrs. W. A. Drummond. Lieut. Angus Elliott, Miss Grace Essery, Mr. Arthur T. Essery, Miss Falis,

joining in singing the National An- McGivern, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Matthews, Miss Meredith, Mr. Meredith, Mrs. B. A. Mitchell, Mrs. G. Waller, Miss Iva Walper, Miss Lottie Williams. Col. Little, Col. Young, Col. Smith, Col. Denison, Col. Peters, Major Cronyn, Major J. A. Stevenson, Capt Kingsmill, A. Becher, Capt. Campbell Becher, Capt. Uniacke, Capt. McCrimmon, Capt. Graham, Lieut. Elliott, Lieut. Peters, Lieut. Westlake, Lieut. Andrews, Lieut. Bailey and Lieut. Mc-

FAREWELL TO LONDON

The Vice-Regal Party Left This Morning

for the West. Lord and Lady Minto bid farewell to C. Trebilcock, grocer, 235 Dundas London at 10 o'clock this morning, go- street, at the rear of his store, and in ing on their special train to St. Thomas. Their excellencies have another busy from there they go to Chatham, Wind- with such rapidity that for a time it sor and Detroit. Chatham will be favored with only a short stop, as the greater part of the day is to be devoted and the firemen quickly responded. The to the cities by the riverside. At De- work of checking the blaze was exto their excellencies, for a visit from a choking and dense cloud of smoke.

most unheard-of thing there. greater part of the time. They spent the night at Hedley, the residence of the mayor, and this morning they were at the Grand Trunk station half an will be between \$500 and \$600. hour before the train left for St. Thomas. About three hundred people had gathered to see the vice-regal party leave, and as the train pulled out three hearty cheers were given. Among those at the depot were Mayor and Mrs. Beck, Sir John and Lady Carling, Miss Carling, Col. Peters and Mrs. Peters. Miss Carling presented Lady Minto with a

bouquet of roses. Lord and Lady Minto were well pleased with their visit to the Forest City, and in conversation with Mayor Beck they said they wished to express their gratitude to the citizens of London for their kindness. They both said that the day was one of the most enjoyable of their tour and would not be

forgotten. INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Owing to the lack of time, the Local Council of Women were unable to pre-Earl with the bouquet of roses from

"To Her Excellency Lady Minto: "Dear Madam-We, the Local Countime at your excellency's disposal we whereby to mark our appreciation of our honorable president's visit to our city, as under other circumstances would have been our privilege and pleasure to do. Hoping, however, that your excellency and Lady Eileen will graciously accept these our tokens of all good wishes on behalf of ladies' advisory board of Victoria Hos-EMMA YARKER,

"Permanent Secretary L. C. W. and L. A. B. "May 12, 1903."

The dinner given at Mayor Beck's residence last evening was attended by Lady Eileen looked fairy-like in the members of the vice-regal party white over duchess satin. Her gown and Bishop McEvay, Bishop Badwin was a model of beauty and was the and Mrs. Baldwin, Judge Edward El-

"To Mayor Beck, London-Will men and the ladies until ten minutes you kindly express my regrets that after ten, when the party left the important Parliamentary duties prevent my joining the citizens of London hall, and the public reception in London of the Earl and Countess of Minto in tendering their excellencies the

heartiest of welcomes.' During the progress of the vice-regal party from the Conegiate Institute to Mayor Beck's residence yesterday tiful bouquet of roses was handed to Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Muir Burns, Sir John and Mrs. Carling, Mr. Lady Minto. The presentation was made by Miss Winnett Cox, the little daughter of Mr. Willis T. Cox, of 742 Waterloo street, who was led to the carriage by one of London's veterans, Mr. John Christie, now past 80 years of

A pleasant little social function in connection with the visit of Lord and Lady Minto to the city was the aftertea given at the London Hunt Club kennels in honor of Lady Eileen Elliott, daughter of their excellencies. The tea was given by Mrs. George C. Gibbons, and the attendance included 150 of the young people of the city, the desire of Mrs. Gibbons being to have as many of the younger class as possible meet Lady Elliott. The guest of honor of the afternoon arrived at the an hour. The affair was one of genuine pleasure both to Lady Elliott and the

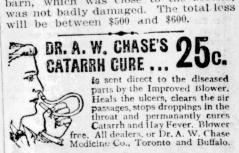
young people. SEVERAL BARNS BURNED

Fierce Fire Raged for Two Hours on Dundas Street.

Two Structures Almost Totally De-

stroyed-A Third Scorched. About 3:20 yesterday afternoon fire broke out in the barn owned by Mr. J.

a few minutes had gained such headway that two adjoining barns also an hour and a half at St. Thomas, and broke out in flames. The fire spread troit the civic authorities are making tremely difficult, as the structures were elaborate preparations for the reception filled with hay and straw, which made a governor-general of Canada is an al- Several horses were saved. The flames spread from the first barn across a lane Lord and Lady Minto were pretty to one occupied by the Gorman, Eckto be visited keeping them hurrying the short time. Four streams of hose were required to drown the fire. The third barn, which was close to the second,



Palace of Peace. The Hague, May 12.-It is stated that the Hotel Vieux Doelen will be pur-chased as a part of the site for the Peace Palace, which is the gift of Andrew Carnegie. The site is the best at The Hague. The price is £60,000.

PAIN OVER

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