

# WILLIAMS PIANOS

EIGHTEENTH YEAR

## THE MULLAH DEFEATED

### General Elleš Attacked Him and Secured a Complete Victory.

## TRIBESMEN MADE A STRONG RESISTANCE

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#### The British Now Hold the Heights Commanding Bedmal Pass, as Well as the Village of the Same Name—Punjab Infantry Stormed the Heights in Gallant Style—British Continue to Advance, and Expect to Capture the Mad Mullah's Own Village To-Day—London Bankers Make a Concerted Movement Against the Bimetallic Idea—Cable News.

Sept. 23.—The expected attack by General Elleš with the brigades from Camp Nawagai, on Bedmal Pass, held by the Haddad Mullah, with a large force of Mowruds and Shikharis, took place yesterday. The tribesmen made a strong resistance, but after sharp fighting, they were finally driven out of every position. The British now hold the heights commanding the pass, and Bedmal village, on the other side.

The mountain guns first bombarded the enemy, whose positions were then stormed in capital style by the 20th Punjab Infantry, supported by a Maxim gun detachment. It is a significant fact that the 20th Punjab is partly composed of Afghans.

#### LONDON BANKERS MOVING.

Bimetallists are afraid they will induce the Government to recede.

London, Sept. 23.—The protest which the London bankers drew up at their meeting in the clearing house yesterday against the policy of the Government of England in announcing its willingness to maintain one-fifth of its bullion reserve in silver, was presented to the bank-to-day. The resolution is accompanied by a formal letter to the clearing house association, in the name of the clearing house association, and a majority of the membership was present, and the meeting was held in the presence of the following:

That this meeting entirely disapproves of the Bank of England agreeing with the Government to maintain one-fifth of its bullion reserve in silver, as other portions of the circulation of Bank of England notes.

That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Bank of England, the Prime Minister, the Lord of the Treasury, the Chancellor of the Exchequer.

An organized movement has begun to induce other commercial bodies to protest against the announcement of the Governor of the Bank of England, in which a high official of the Bank was a participant in the negotiations between the United States bimetallic commissioners and the British Cabinet.

Lord Farrer on the Subject.

London, Sept. 23.—Lord Farrer has this morning on bimetallic and the Indian situation. He says:

AS MR. GLADSTONE SEES IT.

Turkey Stronger Than at Any Time Since the Crimean War.

London, Sept. 23.—The Chronicle publishes an extract of a letter written by Mr. Gladstone under date of yesterday. In it Mr. Gladstone says:

## THE TORONTO WORKER.

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### TIME FOR ARTHUR STURGIS TO WAKE UP.



Ontario voters: As the Yankee lumbermen seem to have been doing some "log-rolling" with Mr. Hardy lately, I think I'll do a little myself.

#### JAMES LACE POISONED.

Half an Ounce of Arsenic Was Found in His Stomach—Recommendation of the Jury.

#### CONWAY GETS FIVE YEARS.

The Aged Slaughterer of Young Frost Was Sentenced by Judge Meredith Yesterday at Woodstock.

#### THE TRUTH OF IT.

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#### WILL VISIT THE COLONIES.

Bank of York Has Been Appointed a Commissioner and Will Visit a Greater Number of Colonies.

#### ALARM AT THE VATICAN.

Rumors of the Spanish Government of the Bishop of Majorca, who communicated the Spanish Minister of the Interior, Sr. Romero, for seizing the treasury of a church in his diocese, and the evident approval which the Bishop's action is meeting with upon the part of his Spanish conferees, has so alarmed the authorities at the Vatican that the Pope has again instructed the Papal Nuncio, Madrid, to insist upon the clergy opposing Carlism, and to urge the clergy to earnestly support the present Spanish Ministry and present Spanish dynasty.

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#### CRUISE NOT SICK.

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### Which Formally Opened the Great Arch Bridge Over the Raging Niagara.

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