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NINETEENTH YEAR

Mr. Chamberlain's Reply to  
Newfoundland's Governor.

THE REID CONTRACT HOLDS  
And There Will Be No Interference  
By Imperial Authorities.

Self-Governing Colonies Have Complete  
and Unfettered Control  
Over Financial Policy and Arrangements—Interference of Her  
Majesty's Government Would Be  
an Unwarrantable Intrusion and  
a Breach of the Charter of the  
Colony—An Important Deliverance.

St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 29.—Gov. Murray  
has made public the text of the message  
received by him from Right Hon. Joseph  
Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the  
Colonies, in which the Secretary faintly and  
definitely refused to disavow the Reid  
contract, or to interfere in colonial affairs,  
the purpose of which previously was made  
known. The message is regarded as a  
rebuke to the Governor, and is considered  
an important pronouncement on the constitu-  
tional and legislative control, which the  
imperial authorities may safely exercise  
in colonial questions.

The message of the Colonial Secretary,  
after acknowledging the receipt of copies  
of the resolutions passed at the public  
meeting of the inhabitants of St. John's,  
in October, urging that Her Majesty should  
be advised to disavow the Reid contract,  
in the recent session of the Legislature  
of Newfoundland, to give effect to the  
contract with Mr. Reid, or that in any case,  
he should refer tendering advice to Her  
Majesty to regard to the Act until the  
people of the colony have had opportunity  
of expressing their views on the question at  
a general election, goes on to say:

"The step which I am urged to take in  
the history of colonial administration. The  
measure, the misallowance of which is  
sought, is not only of purely local concern,  
but one, the provisions of which are  
exclusively of a financial character, and  
administrative character. The right to con-  
sider an unfettered control over financial  
policy and arrangements is essential to  
self-government, and has been invariably  
acknowledged and respected by Her Majesty's  
Government, and is a right guaranteed by  
the colonies. The Colonial Government and  
the Legislature are purely responsible to  
the Emperor, and the latter is not a  
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WARNING FROM SOUTH AFRICA

Sentiment Has Been Roused to the Point of  
Asserting Claims for Justice—An Intolerable Situation.

London, Dec. 30.—The Johannesburg cor-  
respondent of the Daily Mail, who utters  
a warning against the optimistic reports  
cabled to London in the Kruger interest,  
says: "I have interviewed the British  
Consul, who says the Saturday demonstra-  
tion impressed him as based upon deep  
popular feeling, while the deputation which  
presented the petition was, to his personal  
knowledge, composed of men of high char-  
acter and standing."

"Signs are multiplying that the Ulterior  
sentiment has been roused to the point of  
asserting claims for justice. The ex-ile-  
form leaders are debared, under pain of  
banishment from interfering in politics,  
but they declare that, despite Pretoria  
terrorism, they will not keep silence much  
longer. The present temper of the coun-  
try is such that opposing demonstra-  
tions will almost inevitably be followed by  
serious results."

"I learn on high authority that during  
the negotiations at Pretoria regarding Sat-  
urday's rebellion the British agent  
carefully avoided any admission that the  
British Government assented to the Pub-  
lic Meetings Act. He even suggested that  
Great Britain might test the loyalty of  
the measure under the London convention."  
The present position, which is the  
deepest public excitement known since the  
Jameson raid, and it is plain to see some-  
thing must be done quickly to terminate a  
humiliating and intolerable situation."

The Cape Town correspondent of the  
Daily Mail says: "President Kruger, in  
the course of an interview, has asserted  
that he deprecates the warlike article pub-  
lished on Wednesday by the Boer organ,  
'The Rand Post,' and declared that he will  
prohibit the showing of anti-Jameson demon-  
strations."

Butest Shooting of Wire-pullers.

The Johannesburg correspondent of the  
Times, telegraphing Thursday, says: "Yes-  
terday's issue of The Rand Post contains  
further inflammatory reports. The paper  
calls Saturday's proceedings 'A rebellion  
not against the emperor, but against the  
British Agent' and strikes the petition 'A lying and libel-  
ous document, compiled in conjunction  
with the British Agent's staff.'" It sug-  
gests that if a couple of wire-pullers were  
shot, it would have a salutary effect. It  
says that Great Britain should be requested  
to appoint a new consul staff, failing im-  
mediate compliance, the British agent  
expulsion of the members of the present  
staff should be withdrawn."

THEY DIDN'T ADVERTISE

A Significant Fact Concerning New  
York Firms That Have Failed  
Since Christmas.

New York, Dec. 29.—Since Christmas  
there have been 10 failures reported of  
concerns that made a specialty of goods ad-  
tended for holiday presents. Some of these  
concerns carried large stocks, and were  
entitled the designation "big." In one  
or two instances the stocks were valued at  
more than \$250,000. The noticeable thing  
about each of the collapsed concerns is  
that it did not advertise in the newspapers.  
The stores that did advertise were crowded  
with customers from the commence-  
ment of the holiday season to the hour of  
closing on the night before Christmas. They  
all report the greatest holiday business in  
years.

TIM HEALY AND JOHN REDMOND

Talk on Irish Topics—The Latter is  
Glad That the Liberal Party  
Has Been Split.

Dublin, Dec. 29.—Irish political plans are  
the subject of much discussion at the pre-  
sent time, and there is speculation as to  
the course of the action in the coming  
Irish League, Timothy Healy, the anti-  
Parliamentary leader, says, in an interview,  
that while the old question in Ireland  
was prominent, there would be no real  
among the party factions would arise in the  
question, and would also make way for the  
union of the Liberal and the Home Rule  
parties.

John Redmond, the Parliament leader, says  
he rejoices that the Liberal Party in Eng-  
land was in a disorganized condition. It  
was allied with the Home Rule Party, which  
had prevented the growth of Irish  
Nationalism, but now, he believes, the  
Liberal Party in Ireland will be able to  
bring home the Liberal Party to Ireland, and  
that the Home Rule Party will be able to  
bring the Liberal Party back to England.

A BANK WITH AN EYE TO BUSINESS

Bank of Commerce Will Send Offi-  
cers to Establish a Branch in  
the Atlin Lake District.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 28.—(Special.)—The  
Canadian Bank of Commerce has advised  
the Dominion Government that it is send-  
ing officers to establish a branch of the  
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THE TORONTO RUBBER CO., LIMITED  
185 Yonge St. (Opposite Eaton's).  
ONE CENT

MANY SUDDEN DEATHS

Toronto's Weight of Sorrow  
is Unusually Heavy

IN THIS FESTIVE SEASON.

Homes That Have Been Afflicted by  
the Grim Monster in Two Days.

Thomas Collins Falls Dead in His  
Bedroom—Mrs. George Brennan  
Falls From a Chair a Corpse—  
Mrs. McBurney Dies Before a  
Doctor Could Reach Her—Mrs.  
Sarah Addison, Apparently Well,  
Dies Instantly—A Sad Story.

Toronto's death roll is of unusual length  
this morning.

Mr. Thomas E. Collins, an old resident  
died at 383 1/2 Spadina-avenue, yesterday  
morning. Deceased was a metal polisher  
and had a shop at his home. He retired in  
excellent health the night before. He arose  
about 8 a.m., went to the bathroom, fell  
down and died instantly. He leaves a family  
in comfortable circumstances. Funeral this  
afternoon to St. James'.

Sudden Death of Mrs. Brennan.

Mrs. George Brennan died very suddenly  
at her residence, 78 Lower-street, a few  
minutes before 9 o'clock last night. She  
had been suffering from a stroke of apoplexy, and  
was apparently in good health. She fell off  
a chair a corpse. Her husband is Mr.  
Thomas Brennan, a gardener at the Horti-  
cultural Gardens. Her son Thomas is a  
fireman at 82 Power-street. Had the suc-  
cessor of Alford Lodge, 83 B.E. Deceased  
leaves seven children. Funeral to-morrow  
at 4 p.m. to St. James'. Mr. Harry Ellis  
will have charge.

Died From Apoplexy.

Mrs. McBurney, housekeeper for W. H.  
Smith, 515 Queen-street west, died early  
yesterday from a stroke of apoplexy. She  
had been subject to epileptic fits and before  
Dr. Watson, who was summoned, reached  
the spot, life was at the ebb. Funeral to-  
morrow at St. James', at 2:30 p.m.

Died Suddenly, Aged 81.

Mrs. Sarah Addison, widow of H. Ad-  
dison, law student at Osgoode Hall, died  
instantly last night at her son's residence,  
14 Leavelle-avenue. The deceased was 81  
years of age and had been unwell for three  
months, though her sudden taking off was  
unexpected.

She was the widow of Wm. Addison, who  
died 25 years ago. She was born in  
Ireland, in 1817, and came to Canada in  
1847. She had resided at Fort Hope, Wm.  
Addison, died at 107 Front-street, and had  
come to the city about ten years ago. She  
leaves one son and two grandchildren. The  
other, General Addison of Toronto Univer-  
sity.

Mrs. Esther Cooper Dead.

Mrs. Esther Cooper, aged 70, died yes-  
terday morning at the residence of her son  
in-law, Mr. Thomas E. Collins, after a  
long illness. Mrs. Cooper was the widow  
of a prominent merchant who died about  
six months ago and her sudden death was  
unexpected. Mrs. Braine is connected with  
the shirt manufacturers, T. Braine & Co., 24  
Front-street.

Found Dead by the Police.

Richard Oskman, a disolute character,  
was found dead by the police on Wednes-  
day afternoon in an old shop on Downer's  
lane. Oskman was a familiar character  
about the streets and several years ago was  
tried at the Criminal Assize on the charge  
of murdering his wife. Which his body was  
discovered in a ditch near the city walls.  
Mrs. Oskman was lying across his corpse,  
shrieking with grief. It is said that his  
relatives are well connected, but he was  
three brothers, Rev. J. Oskman, in Win-  
chester, and Joseph Oskman, in  
England, and James Oskman, in  
London.

Dickerson's Body Found.

The body of Frederick Dickerson, who  
met his death in the bay on Tuesday last  
was recovered from the water by a fisherman  
near the foot of the city walls. The body  
was removed to the home of the parents at  
162 Dundas-street.

Cook's Turkish and Russian Baths.

Open all night, 202 and 204 King St. W.

Another Cold Dip at Hand.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Dec. 29.—  
(11 p.m.)—The depression central near the  
Lake of the Woods yesterday is now over  
the Upper Lakes. The high pressure area  
is moving down from the Northwest to  
towards the lakes, accompanied by decidedly  
cold weather.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:  
Victoria, 32-38; Calgary, 4 below-2 below;  
Baltimore, 10 below-10 below; Qu'Appelle,  
10 below-10 below; Post Arthur, 8-20;  
Parry Sound, 2-40; Toronto, 20-44; Ot-  
tawa, 12 below-6; Montreal, 10 below-2;  
Quebec, 20 below-10; Halifax, 2-20.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes—Strong west and  
northwest winds; fair to cloudy  
weather; turning decidedly colder by  
night with snow squalls.

Ontario Valley—Strong west and north-  
west winds; cloudy to fair weather, turn-  
ing decidedly cold; local snowfalls or fur-  
rows.

Ottawa Valley—Cold, local to-day; de-  
cidedly colder again to-night or to-morrow,  
with light local snowfalls.

Upper St. Lawrence—Mild and partly fair  
to-day; much colder again to-morrow.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Mostly  
cloudy and much higher temperatures; light  
local snowfalls.

Maritime—Fair to cloudy and much milder  
at night; fresh to strong from the south-  
west.

Lake Superior—Fair and decidedly cold  
with strong northwest winds and light  
local snowfalls.

Manitoba—Fine and decidedly cold to-day  
and to-morrow.

Oak Hill Clothing, 115 King-street east,  
on Saturday offer three great bargains in  
men's winter clothing. First, imported  
fleece overcoats, sold all season at  
\$15 for \$15. Second, imported heavy  
overcoats, with silk velvet collar, regularly  
sold at \$15.50, for \$10.50. Third, imported  
fleece lined suits, with velvet collar, regu-  
larly sold at \$12, for \$9.50. The  
store will be open till 10 o'clock.

Steamship Movements.

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Pember's Turkish and Vaper Hats, 127  
and 129 Yonge. Bath and bed \$1.00.

Smoke Union Blue Label Cigars.



Desion Laurier will find nothing in that coop for him—and he may go up against a bird that  
will cost him his political life.

IT WAS NOT THE FIRST CASE  
OF AN ELECTION TRICK? FRANK MCGOWAN'S HOT TALK

Evidently Someone Was After Mem-  
bers of the Knickerbocker Club  
of New York.

Charles A. Macdonald Arrested for  
an Alleged Theft Now Six  
Months Past.

He Roasted the Police and the Wit-  
nesses in the Botkin  
Case at Frisco.

HENRY C. BARNET GOT A PACKAGE

Took a Portion and Died.—Mrs.  
Adams' Daughter and a Crim-  
ple Arrested.

New York, Dec. 29.—It now appears that  
the bottle sent to young Cornish, supposed  
to contain bromo-seltzer, and which really  
was loaded with cyanide of potassium, and  
which killed Mrs. Katie J. Adams who took  
as she thought, bromo-seltzer for a head-  
ache, was not the first bottle of the kind  
sent through the mails by some third  
party.

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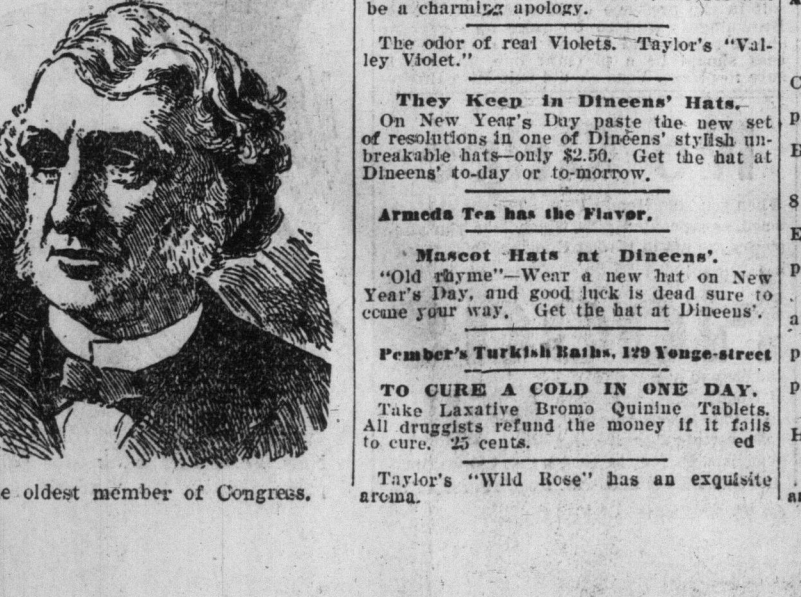
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