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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.

THOMAS - On April 30, 1901, David Thomas, aged 70 years. Funeral will leave his late residence, No. 21 Askin street, on Friday, May 3, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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PALACE ACADEMY - ADVANCED class closing night, Wednesday, May 1. Dayton & McCormick.

MEETINGS.

REGULAR MEETING OF ST. George's, 42, A., F. and A. M., G. R. C., will be held this Wednesday (1st inst.), 7:30 p.m. sharp, in East End Hall, Conferring degrees. Visitors welcome. J. Harley Deeks, W. Master; A. Ellis, P.M., Secretary.

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MISCELLANEOUS. F. B. LEYS' OFFICE WILL BE AT the London Hat. Cap and Mantle Manu-facturing Company, 255 and 257 Clar-ence street, for the present. 22tf

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FIFTEEN KILLED!

Catastrophe Caused by Collapse of a Church Steeple at Klissura, Albania.

Daily Telegraph from Constantinople tators. asserts that fifteen persons were killed

London, May 1.-A dispatch to the have been the work of Bulgarian agi-

It is expected the Marquis of Salisby the collapse of the cupola of the villa at Beaulieu, France, toward the bury will return to London from his Greek Church at Klissura, Albania, end of the week if the improvement and that the catastrophe is said to in his health continues.

CANADIAN GALLANTRY!

Fully Recognized in Gen. Colville's Report of Paardeberg Operations.

Two Obstacles Said to Stand in the Way of Peace Negotiations---Boers Burn a Loyal Farmer's Fine Homestead.

London, May 1 .- General Sir Henry | ment of the Cape rebels-have not Colville's dispatch on the operations at Paardeberg, which were mislaid in the war office, and which Mr. Brodrick, the war secretary, declared was never received, was published last evening. It contains nothing damaging or that could have induced the government to wish to hide it. There is little in it praises most highly the gallantry of

the operations. At the reception given the prime killed, 3 wounded, and the remainder minister of Queensland, on his visit said they were investigating matters means to improve the commercial relations between the two countries. States, and that Canadians were more

honest in their dealings. OBSTACLES IN THE WAY OF

PEACE. London, April 30 .- The Daily News says there is reason to believe that General Kitchener has kept alive the peace negotiation with Commandantpeace negotiation with Commandant-General Botha, and that they will raysburg, and Middelburg, Cape Colpossibly take a more active form, but ony districts.
that two obstacles to an understandThe Boer prisoners now number 17,ng-Sir Alfred Milner and the treat- 1 953.

SITUATION IN THE FAR EAST

Almost as Unsatisfactory as Ever.

Quite Is Not Restored in China—Petty Attacks on Foreigners Continue-Bodies of Well-Armed Chinese Secretly Drilling.

London, May 1.-"It is reported that the Japanese Government has reserved subsidized mail steamer for its own ise," says the Shanghai correspondent of the Morning Post. "This suggests that Japan is preparing for emergencies. The desperate state of the private finances of Japan is said to be making the war propaganda peculiar. "According to opinion in Shanghai,

signal for a rising throughout China. UNREST EVERYWHERE. "Everywhere among the Chinese here is a feeling of unrest," says a diseatch to the Standard from Tien Tsin.

an outbreak of hostilities would be the

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LIVERY STABLES. LILLEY'S LIVERY-NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont.. Telephone

Auction Sale of Cows, W. H. ODELL SELLS A CARLOAD of cows at Belmont by auction on Satur-

been removed. BURNED BY BOERS. Cape Town, April 30 .- The Boer invaders, under Commandant Scheepers, burned down a fine homestead in the Somerset East district because the owner refused to swear that he would

Commandant neutrality. Scheepers formerly lived on the adjoining farm. The transport Manila has sailed for Bombay with 1,000 Boer prisoners. not already known. General Cofville BIERS ACTIVE IN CAPE COLONY. Cape Town, April 30 .- Sir Gordon Sprigg, premier of Cape Colony, rethe Canadians, who were engaged in ports that eleven members of the Western Province Rifles were attack-

captured. to Durban, representatives of the Kenhardt district of Cape Colony are The Boers in the neighborhood of the Canadian Government spoke. They actively engaged in removing supplies to various laagers. connected with the trade between with Col Henniker's Victorians, in Canada and Natal, and were seeking which the burghers are said to have suffered somewhat, retreated with the

purpose of joining Scheeper's com-mando in West Craddock. They were They claimed that Canadians could driven back, however, by the Cape Mounted Riflemen into Waterkloof. The British casualties were one killed and one wounded. Commandant Kritzinger's commando being very closely followed by the British. The main body, estimated to number 500, was engaged by Col.

Crew's column near Gelgenfontein, and is being driven towards the Orange River. Boer raiding and looting parties are

There is no doubt that petty attacks upon foreigners continue, and the statecurrent that bodies of wellarmed Chinese are secretly drilling. strength in the vicinity of Pao Ting Fu. The situation demands the reten-

THE FRENCH FORCES. Pekin, April 30.—Gen. Voyron, com-mander of the French forces, is about to leave Pekin for Tien Tsin. He will make his headquarters there and supervise the reduction of the French troops, who will be gradually with-drawn in accordance with the wishes of the ministers and of the powers who

tion of the foreign troops for the pres-

desire that a partial reduction of the foreign troops should begin immedi Today Count Von Waldersee sent the reply of the generals to the views of the ministers regarding the military questions issued yesterday by the generals in conference. The reply agrees in the main with the suggestions submitted by the ministers, and names 300 as the number of troops by which each of the powers shall be represented in the garrisons at Tien Tsin and Shan

Hai Kwan. At their meeting tomorrow the ministers will receive the report of the special committee that has been investi-

gating Chinese finances. ANARCHY AND DISORDER. Dr. Morrison, wiring to the Times from Pekin, April 2, protests that Count Von Waldersee's policy of puniive expeditions has "thrown the greater part of the Province of Chih Li into anarchy and disorder." "This is so complete," he says, "that the neighborhood of Pekin is more unsafe STOVE COMBINE FOR MICHIGAN. or foreigners than at any previous ime since the occupation began. trade with the interior is crippled. The only armed Chinese are robbers and Boxers. Restitution to the Chinese of territorial jurisdiction has become

paramount need.". DISTRESS AND TROUBLE. A Pekin dispatch says: Li Hung Chang has received a dispatch from the government of the Province of

Shan Si asserting that 300 French soldiers, accompanied by 2,000 armed na-tive Christians, are within the bor-ders of Shan Si and have caused great distress and trouble wherever they have passed. The British have enlisted a number of Chinese at Tien Tsin for the Wei Hai Wei Regiment. Liu Kun Yi, the Nankin viceroy, has mem-

inaugurate a subscription list in or-der to assist the government in paying the Chinese soldiers.

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY.

The Minister of Justice Made an LL. D.

Degrees Conferred at Today's Convocation Upon Graduates and

Others.

Kingston, May 1 .- This afternoon the annual commencement exercises of Queen's University were held. They were a great success. There were 62 graduates in all, divided thus: Bachelors of divinity, 5; testamurs in theology, 2; bachelors of science, 2; masters of art, 11, 2 being ladies; bachelors of arts, 42, of whom 13 were ladies. The medallists in moderns, English and history were ladies.

Among the degrees conferred was that of LL.D., bestowed on Hon. David Mills, Minister of Justice. There were many regrets that the state of public business at Ottawa prevented this distinguished statesman from being present to receive the honor in person, but Principal Grant has a strong conviction that Dr. Mills will be prevailed upon to attend at one of the autumn convocations, and deliver the introductory There was great applause when the name of Hon. Mr. Mills was presented for the degree by the senate of the university, who unanimously chose him as a fitting native Canadian upon whom to confer the high honor.

BUFFALO INVITES THE WORLD

Gates of the Pan-American Exposition Thrown Open.

Big Crowd in Spite of Threatening Weather-A Turfman Pays \$5,000 for Admission Ticket No. 1.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 1.-The gates of the Pan-American Exposition were thrown open this morning, and notwithstanding it rained all night and the weather was threatening, large crowds were gathered at each of the engineer who died as the result of an gates, and as the morning brightened the various routes to the grounds were well patronized by those who desired to be persent at the opening. At 8:30 o'clock the turnstiles clicked, and the first of the millions who will visit the Rainbow City during the six months of its existence passed in to the grounds to view and study the products of ingenuity and scientific research and the resources of the two continents of the western hemisphere, which fill the magnificent buildings.

NO CEREMONIES. . marked the opening of the gates this tively short time. morning, it having been decided by the management of the exposition to comthis morning bore ample evidence of spend on last year's note any of the their efforts. Storm and the inevitable delays incident to any undertak- what is due on last year's note should ing of this magnitude made impossible be paid as the arrears of taxes. the realization of the hope that this might be the first of the great expositions to be complete on its opening day; but so much more already has been wrought than was deemed possible at the inception of the project that all are satisfied with the extent and beauty of the fair as it appears a few important stocks. this morning, carried through the beginning by the citizens of Buffalo without state or federal aid.

salute of 45 guns, following this there will be one shot for each state in the At 3 o'clock 5,000 pigeons which have been brought from cities east of the Mississippi River and north of Georgia will be liberated. They will carry messages to the governors of various

At 2 in the afternoon there will be a

states announcing the opening. At dusk the electrical features of the exposition will be displayed. Wm. Hamlin, the well-known horse man, secured admission ticket No. 1.

He paid \$5,000 for it.

THE QUEEN'S DIARY. London, May 1.-Portions of Queen Victoria's diary, which was arranged for publication after her death, will probably be published in the course of the summer. It is reported that the

Detroit, May 1.—The Detroit Tribune says: Recent reports that a consolidation of all of the principal stove companies of this country was about day, when Charles B. Warren, a wellknown Detroit attorney, acknowledged that plans for the consolidation are under way.

STEAMERS ARRIVED. Reported at. April 30.

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New York ... Liverpool
Glasgow New York
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CENSUS RETURNS

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SATISFACTORY. Eight Hundred and Seventy-Five Enumer-

ators Have Been Heard From to Date. Ottawa, April 30 .- Up to today resus enumerators, or about one-tenth of the total number engaged in counting the population. This is a remarkable showing, as compared with the census of 1891, when only 53 returns for the month of April reached headquarters. Of the 875 for the present month, 479 came from Ontario, 359 from Quebec, 20 from Manitoba, 13 from New Brunswick and 6 from Nova Scotia. An examination of the schedules which have come in indicates that the enumerators have performed their duties with greater intelligence and fidelity than at previous censuses.

Gist of the News.

Navigation is open at Port Arthur.

The Natal Government wishes to ob. developed in Carden township. Saltfleet township has dismissed its clerk and treasurer and appointed

The Grand Onrage Lodge may meet at Brockville instead of Winnipeg, owing to trouble concerning railway rates.

Major F. M. Carpenter to the dual

Victoria University will acquire land north of the college grounds as a campus and site for a woman's resi-A commission to revise the statutes of Manitoba has been appointed, consisting of Chief Justice Killam, Messrs. E. L. Taylor and L. H. McMeans. General Sir Archibald Hunter has

Hamilton has been appointed military secretary to the war office. The C. P. R. will pay the family of George Lumsden, of Smith's Falls, the accident to the Montreal express, on March 15, at St. Polycarpe, the sum

been apointed to the command of the

forces in Scotland, and General

of \$3,000. General O'Grady-Haley would like to see the employers of labor in the large cities of Canada give their employes who belong to the militia half a day off on Wednesday of each week during the summer months for training. Canadian Pacific shares established

a high water mark on the Montreal Stock Exchange Tuesday, selling up to 1001/4. At 101 Canadian Pacific common sctock is valued at \$65,000,000, which is a rise of \$5,000,000 within a compara-Mayor Morris, of Ottawa, threatens the aldermen who voted for an alleged bine the opening day ceremonies with illegal payment that steps will be taken those of dedication day, on May 20.

The change in the date, however, did not cause a moment's relaxation of the strenuous efforts being put forth by \$280,000 is due on a last year's note. everyone connected with the exposition to have everything as nearly ready as possible for today's opening. The apposition this year's note should be paid out of this year's loan, while a majority of Thinese picket troops are reported in pearance of the building and grounds the aldermen say the city neen not

> New York, May 1 .- The stock market showed a rather feverish tone at the opening, the striking gains of May stocks being offset by sharp losses in

from BAD BREAK IN WELLAND CANAL. Port Dalhousie, Ont., May 1.-Trere s a bad break in the Welland Canal. The steamer D. R. Van Allan, in coming down last night, struck the flood gates of lock No. 6, and the upper gates not having been properly closed, carried away the whole four gates. As a result navigation will be at a standstill for the remainder of this

> The City of Mexico is now in the hands of the contractors who are put-ting in the new system of sewers, which precedes the paving of the

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