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ANTI-BRITISH DEMONSTRATION.

A certain portion of the German press and people have of late been particularly open in its anti-English demonstrations. A speech of Mr. Chamberlain's, and more especially a passage quoting historical precedent for greater severities in the Boer war has been made the pretext of this attack. In referring to the matter the London Telegraph says:—

Fortunately for the future of the relations between the two races, there is at the head of the Empire a ruler with the blood of Queen Victoria in his veins, who knows, understands, and appreciates the nation which has not forgotten and will never forget his sympathy with them in their hour of deepest anguish. An estrangement between Germany and Great Britain would be a calamity to the world second only in gravity to an alienation from one another of the two great branches of the Anglo-Saxon race. There are those, unhappily, in England, as well as in Germany, who would establish such a breach if it were possible. If anything could give pause to the assailants of this country in Germany, it might well be the results of the late elections in Natal. Hitherto the Germans, who constitute a considerable body of farmers in the north of that colony, have habitually voted with the Dutch. On the last occasion, only a few weeks ago, they gave their suffrages for Imperialist candidates. Could such a change of German opinion in South Africa have been effected if the British had been guilty of one hundredth part of the acts of cruelty and oppression with which they have been so basely discredited? At home a portion of the Nonconformists has been led astray by the falsehoods deliberately circulated; in South Africa it would be impossible to find a dozen representatives of Wesleyans, Baptists, Presbyterians, or Congregationalists who are not the most ardent supporters of Lord Milner and his policy. Do all men alike, German farmers, English and Scotch, lose their humanity the moment they set foot in South Africa? That is a question which our foreign critics might well ask themselves.

INTERESTING BUT FALLACIOUS.

When the bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal church was in this city some months ago, he said, in the course of an address in St. Philip's church that possibly when the white race had worn itself out with the feverish activity of life the brain of the happy-go-lucky negro would be the virgin soil through which would be developed a new and splendid civilization.

Oddly enough, a German who had been studying the question of Russian expansion in the direction of the Orient is quoted by Senator Beveridge in the Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post as making a similar remark about the Slav. The German said:—"The Russian people are hardly a people yet—they are still in the process of being compounded. Our children's children may find themselves worn out when these Slavs are just coming into their prime; and, similarly, our posterity may find themselves without markets when the future Russian may find himself in the actual possession of the only markets of the world now capable of seizure."

THE WEAK POINT IN THE ARGUMENT OF BOTH THE NEGRO BISHOP AND THE GERMAN IS THE ASSUMPTION THAT WHILE ONE RACE IS DEVELOPING THE OTHER WILL BE DRIFTING BACKWARD. THERE IS NO MORE REASON TO SUPPOSE THAT ONE WILL DEVELOP THAN THAT THE OTHER WILL ALSO CONTINUE TO IMPROVE.

At a recent meeting of the National Union of Conservative and Constitutional associations at Wolverhampton, England, at which Sir Alfred Hickman, M. P., presided, a resolution was presented calling the attention of his Majesty's government to the present inequalities in the parliamentary representation of the people of the United Kingdom, and respectfully urging upon the government the necessity of introducing into parliament a measure having for its object the abolition of the injustice occasioned thereby. All that Ireland was entitled to, it was stated, was forty-four members. Scotland provided three times as much as Ireland to the national exchequer, and yet has had thirty-one members, fewer than Ireland. If the people of England wished to be masters in their own house then they must support the resolution which he now proposed.

PRESENTATION TO SENATOR ELLIS.

In the Globe office Saturday afternoon, on the fortieth anniversary of his purchase of the paper, Senator Ellis was reminded in a very pleasant and substantial manner of the esteem in which he is held by his employees. Members of the various departments of the paper waited upon him, and J. A. Clarke, on behalf of the mechanical staff, presented him with an appreciative address, accompanied by a gift of a handsomely upholstered easy chair. On behalf of the business and editorial staffs, Mr. Ellis was presented by H. B. Codner with a superb edition of Carlyle in twenty-six volumes, bound in morocco.

The meeting of the St. Stephen's Church Guild this evening will be in charge of the historical committee, and George M. Robertson will deliver a lecture on Electricity.

HOLIDAY GIFTS.

Where and What to Buy for Christmas.

W. H. THORNE & CO.

W. H. Thorne & Co. are showing this year an exceptionally fine line of Christmas goods. Among the many different articles suitable for presents are pretty pieces and sets of cut glass, manicure sets, brushes and combs, mirrors and children's mugs in sterling silver, electro-plated teapots, bake dishes, side, fern and chafing dishes, and cutlery in cases. There are some beautiful desert and fish knives and forks and a number of handsome clocks. In brass ware the display is a large one and includes fancy andirons, fire irons and fenders, coal hods and wood boxes.

For younger people there is an endless variety of skis, snowshoes, skates, sleds, carts, games, dumb-bells, Indian clubs, ping-pong, and in fact almost everything which tends to gladden the hearts of the children.

GIFTS FOR SMOKERS.

Charles Baillie has sold smokers' requisites over his own counter for twenty-five years, which means that he knows where to buy and how to buy the best class of goods for holiday as well as everyday trade. "Got it at Baillie's," is enough to say about an article to prove its good quality. In his store at 70 King street Mr. Baillie has just received a new stock of elegant things for Christmas gifts. These include Havana cigars, in boxes of 25, 50 and 100; best quality of pipes, fine leather and gun metal cigar and cigarette cases, pipe racks, tobacco jars, pouches, and other things that delight smokers. Mr. Baillie is a direct importer of Havana cigars, and of pipes of highest quality.

J. P. HOGAN.

No nicer present nor one which would be more highly appreciated by a lady, could be suggested than a fashionable tailor-made coat. J. P. Hogan, of 101 Charlotte street, has in stock a large assortment of goods suitable for winter wear. The very rough cloth coats in exceedingly fine quality are decidedly the most 'chic,' if one leaves furs out of the question. The special feature is that none of the shops carry a line of these coats ready made and they are seen only in the models imported by the best tailors. Some of the long skirted coats are very fetching. The Norfolk jacket is decidedly graceful and is used for suit jackets rather than for outside coats, and besides being attractive has a youthful air. Some of the prettiest outing costumes are made with a Norfolk jacket either belted down all around or belted across the sides and back.

EMERSON & FISHER.

whose extensive business has an established reputation throughout the maritime provinces, are featuring a vast list of practical articles for the Christmas trade. Their large show-rooms on Prince William street are filled with articles which will make sensible holiday gifts. Apart from the holiday trade the establishment of Emerson & Fisher is an advantageous place for intending purchasers of kitchen furnishings, heating apparatus or hardware.

J. N. HARVEY.

The Union street clothier, whose establishment is located in the corner block, is offering special inducements to Christmas purchasers. By conducting his business on a cash basis and exercising special care in selecting stock Mr. Harvey has been able to give his patrons the benefit of the lowest prices. Any article in the store will make a practical holiday gift for men or boys. There are ulsters, overcoats, reefers, hats, caps, ties, braces, gloves, mitts, underwear and other articles almost innumerable.

T. L. BOURKE.

The old established wholesale wine and spirit house of Thomas L. Bourke, 43 Water street, as heretofore, has imported stocks of the choicest vintages for the festive season's trade and is prepared to fill orders with facility.

JAMES RYAN.

grocer and wholesale liquor merchant, corner of King Square and Charlotte street, offers splendid opportunities to the Christmas buyer. The firm has secured a full line of groceries and is making a specialty of wines and liquors for the Christmas trade. There are inducements presented for all householders and Mr. Ryan is enjoying a brisk trade as a consequence. Country patrons will find it especially advantageous to purchase at this store, which is one of the oldest up-town establishments.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. See E. W. Grove's signature on each box.

MARCONI'S TRIUMPH.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Major Flood-Page, of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company, confirmed to a representative of the Associated Press that Mr. Marconi, at St. John's, Nfld., had received signals from the experimental station at Poldhu, Penzance. Major Flood-Page said the severe weather made continuous tests very difficult, but there was no doubt that the wireless signals had been successfully transmitted across the Atlantic.

Mr. Marconi today made a further explanation of his trans-oceanic signals. He said he expected them to be stronger than they were. He was very confident that he would receive them. He attributes their faintness to mid-ocean wind currents and imperfections in his kite apparatus. He expects better tests tomorrow as the weather enables his balloons to ascend. There is some fog on the coast today. Poor conditions will give better signals than will clear atmosphere.

THE BILL OF FARE.

A few nights ago a countryman evidently suffering from the not uncommon ignorance of the true nature and treatment of smallpox, accosted the night guard at the Vincent house on Richmond street and enquired "What do you give them to eat?" Without even the faintest glimmer of a smile the guard responded: "For breakfast—Sulphur; for dinner—carbolic acid; and for supper—cream of tartar."

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MOUNTED RIFLES.

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—The minister of militia was notified by the British war office yesterday of an offer to increase the Mounted Rifles up to 900 men. This means an addition of two squadrons, and is made because there is sufficient accommodation available on the transport Victoria and Manhattan.

One squadron will be raised from Winnipeg to Vancouver, the other in the eastern provinces. Recruiting in the west will commence on the 23rd inst. The dates of recruiting and quotas in the east will be begun tomorrow. The men will be chosen from the west and will be thoroughly experienced.

Infants too young to take medicine may be cured of croup, whooping cough and colds by using Vapo-Cresolene—they breathe it.

YORK CAMPAIGN.

FREDERICTON, Dec. 14.—Hon. Mr. Borden, leader of the conservative party in Canada, and J. D. Hazen, leader of the provincial opposition, will address a mass meeting at the Opera House on Thursday evening in support of the candidature of Rev. Dr. McLeod. Dr. McLeod and the speakers supporting him, have done a week of effective campaigning throughout the county, and reports received are that his candidature is most enthusiastically received.

PRICE OF DEALS.

Lumber operators who get lumber cut by portable mills close to railway points for shipment to St. John are now talking about contracts for their deals. Some have doubtless been made, but others are still negotiating. Of one thing they are assured—that prices will be much better than they were last year. The man on the street says \$11 to \$12 per thousand is being talked of by those who have the stuff to sell, but the large buyers are not showing their hand just yet.

ST. JOHN MEN PASSED.

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—The following candidates have passed the lower grade civil service examination: At St. John—Cosman, Geo. C.; Coughlan, T. E.; Crowley, Jas. I.; Donovan, Jeremiah; Polking, Geo. W.; Jackson, John; Kelly, Arthur C.; Melick, Arthur K.; Morrissey, Michael; Macdonald, Wm. L.; Wallace, Harry W. B.

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Grand Division S. of T. of N. B.

The Officers and Past Officers of the Grand Division S. of T. of New Brunswick are requested to meet at the Methodist church, Fairville, at 2 p. m., tomorrow (Tuesday) to represent the Grand Division at the funeral of our late brother, Rev. Job Shenton.

A. J. ARMSTRONG,
Grand Secy.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.

Sometime last week an unsuccessful attempt was made by unknown depredators to break into the summer residence of General D. B. Warner at Pokok.

A man who lives near there discovered on Saturday that the premises had been tampered with and conveyed the information to the police. Sergt. Kilpatrick visited the place Saturday and notified Mr. Warner, and yesterday Sergt. Hastings, accompanied by J. Warner, drove out.

After the sale of his house on Mount Pleasant, Mr. Warner had stored a lot of dishes and other household furniture in a shed adjoining this summer residence. A boarded-over window of this shed showed evidence of an attempt of some persons to force their way in there, but their purpose was not accomplished, and nothing was removed from the building. No entrance was effected into the house itself, which contained considerable furniture, but a stove, a refrigerator and some other articles standing on the verandah were wantonly thrown off and down a declivity in front.

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NEPTUNE SMOKER

The Neptune Rowing Club said good by to an old and very popular member on Saturday evening in their well known and pleasing manner. The Neptune club smokers are always successful and remarkably pleasant. The fair Saturday evening was no exception and everyone present thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

The guest of the evening was Douglas Sutherland, long a member of the club, and for several years one of the hardest workers on the managing committee. Mr. Sutherland leaves shortly for Newfoundland, having accepted the position of general freight agent of the Newfoundland Railway. The club presented Mr. Sutherland with a handsome gold chain and locket accompanied by an address.

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