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necessary to raise the scaffold. said after the hangnable to account for weight more than r than Raisinger's ade no statement on ly saying as he pass-

which Frank Raisinwas the brutal murwife. On October 18. ent into the kitchen as at work and enher. She repulsed left the house. Later in order to protect inger seized a gun shoot her husband. house, but quietly ne, and securing the Death was not in-Raisinger sent anot into the woman's ranged the body and Raisinger to make it tives, however, fastupon Raisinger, who

### CEDAR RAPIDS.

oids. Iowa. Gazette of nts the following acriage of a City Road. ods merchant and the

few intimate friends ests today at a wedt the home of Dr. and pley, 853 Fourth avege of Dr. Whelpley' e Mildred Whelpley, ord Patterson took he cermony was percanopy of white lace leted with masses of les. The pretty bride carried a bouquet of J. Lockwood, pas-M. E. church, said the and the Lohengrin

all were seated at one courses. Covers were Broad white ribbons. nilax, fell from the corners of the table. ce and for favors. A a bundle of white white ribbon

ide, among which was pin from the groom. John, N. B. Miss en a member of her a year past and has le of friends in that Patterson is an old ng merchant of St.

groom left on the af-Chicago. A tailory blue cloth and a bride's going-away isits in Chicago, Toeal, Mr. and Mrs. Patay of their arrival a will be given. atterson will be at after February the

ncle, C. B. Whelpley, dental surgeon at formerly a school on and held a capin the 8th Princes! Captain Hanford de's father, is one of ccessful coasting cap-

S, Me., Feb. 15.—John ear old son of Mike rned to death today his father's home. nt to the barn this ng the child in the returned the little It is believed that

# AUSPICIOUS OPENING OF BRITISH PARLIAMENT

Believed That Government Will Manage to Hold Out Until End of Session---Many Aspirants to Leadership of Next Liberal Ministry---Earl Spencer and Lord Lansdowne Refer to War in the Far East.

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WAR IN THE EAST.

Earl Spencer, the liberal leader, re-

said it was the most earnest desire of

majesty's government would not lose a

fair and proper opportunity to bring

Foreign Secy. Lansdowne expressed

tervention now would mean retarding

honored policy of securing the narrow-

est possible restrictions of the defini-

tion of contraband articles. It was

rive at a reasonable "modus vivendi."

one was clearly a blockade runner.

NORTH SEA INCIDENT.

its conduct of the negotiations follow-

subject of Macedonia, said there was

a consensus of opinion among the

stroke of the pen, but the condition

many difficulties. In regard to South

THIBET EXPEDITION.

Touching upon the Thibet expedition,

Lord Lansdowne said that the attitude

of the government toward Thibet had

been absolutely consistent. Colonel Younghusband (the British political

representative institutions.

ferred to the war in the Far East. He

LONDON, Feb. 14.-The sixth session of the first parliament of his reign was opened this afternoon by King Edward with all the historic pageantry which har marked the ceremony since his ac- the people of Great Britain to see the cession. The sovereign himself read end of the conflict and he trusted his the speech from the throne to the assembled lords and commoners in the the conflict to a peaceful solution. ipper chamber. The document was The only reference to his sorrow and concern at the continuthe war which His Majesty said "un- ance of the war in the Far East, and happily continues," was to announce added that should an opportunity for that "my government has been careful bringing it to a close present itself, the to observe in the strictest manner the government would avail itself thereof obligations incumbent upon a neutral

Good weather favored today's pag- the very object desired. eant, which followed the proceedure of former occasions. Big crowds were about from an early hour watching the est neutrality.

In regard to the most difficult and assembling of the troops, which lined the brief route from Buckingham Palace to the House of Lords. the government, Lord Lansdowne con-tinued, had upheld the wise and time-

The usual interest was shown in the time-honored search of the vaults beneath the house of parliament by the yeomen of the guard with their lanerns and halberts. Between this ceremony and the appearance of the royal sion a constant stream of carlages containing peers and peeresses in their robes of state and officials in orilliant uniforms enlivened the somewhat tedious wait.

The royal processions were the same as last year. That of the Prince and Princess of Wales from Marlborough House, consisting of three carriages with an escort of household cavalry, preceded by a few minutes the carriage of King Edward and Queen Alexandre from Buckingham Palace. Five state carriages, each with six horses, bearing state officials, preceded the royal coach with the sovereigns, drawn by the eight cream colored Hungarian horses which have figured in all the Lord Lansdowne, speaking on the horses, which have figured in all the state processions of recent years. The Household Cavalry acted as a bodyguard, while in pursuance of their privilege a detachment of yeomen of the guard marched alongside the state coach.

point whence to view the pageant and when the sovereigns issued from the in Macedonia were not equalled anywhen the sovereigns issued from the where in the civilized world at this berlain's proposals.

was in agreement with Joseph Chamburgher this is as yet only a plan for the berlain's proposals. gates of the palace they were greeted with a great burst of enthusiasm which moment. Russia and Austria, upon quickly spread the whole length of the the site of the Victoria Memorial to have put forward a new scheme of rethe Horse Guards' Parade, and accompanied the monarch and his consort

throughout the route. At the royal entrance, beneath the Victoria tower of the House of Lords, the King was received by the high officers of state and passed in procession to the robing room. Thence, accom-panied by the Queen, His Majesty repaired to the House of Lords, preceded by the crown and other regalia, carried by their hereditary bearers, and troach of the sovereigns.

GOVERNMENT MAY HOLD ON. The first day's proceedings in parlia-ment left rather a decided impression in the lobbies that the government will manage to hold out till the end of the session. The government's legislative programme, which is devoted in the main to social reforms, will be fairly popular, whilst the avoidance of difficult questions like that of the edistribution of seats and Premier Balfour's firmness in thrusting aside the fiscal problem, all will tend in the

On the other hand, the liberals apapproach to unanimity on the vexed uestion of leadership. Sir Henry Herbert Henry Asquith and Sir Henry Hartley Fowler all are spoken of as possible leaders of the next liberal house. ninistry, to say nothing of Lord Rosebery's even superior claim to that thing will depend upon Mr. Balfour's gether and overcoming the apathy born of the knowledge that the whole the government must deal with the by the sovereign.

CHURCH UNION.

Rev James Ross Sees no Reason Why Presbyterians, Methodists, and Congregationalists Should

Not Unite.

MONCTON, Feb. 13.-In St. John's church last evening, Rev. James Ross, superintendent of Presbyterian missions point of doctrine, he said, the three deominations were practically the same, and he saw no barrier in the way of early union, the advantages of which, making one strong body of would take four or five years to consummate the union scheme after the people voted for it.

serious illness of typhoid fever in Winnipeg of Blair Murphy, formerly of the I. C. R. offices here. At last accounts

idly as consistent with wisdom.

more favorable. Mrs. Arthur W. Elliott died on Saturday night after three months' illness. She was 34 years of age, and is survived by a husband and three small

Mr. Murphy's condition was slightly

Mr. Spooner, the publisher of the Railway Record, is making arrangements to remove the paper to Monc-

The Moncton and Buctouche railway in New Brunswick, spoke strongly on is at Buctouche without a plough, but the question of the proposed union of an effort will be made to open the line the Methodist, Presbyterian and Con- line from the Moncton end. The congregational churches in Canada. In dition of things since Saturday's storm is the worst this winter, the cuttings being filled and the track all along be-

ing covered to a considerable depth. Many friends in Moncton have learned with regret of the death of Edward learly two million members and adher- Walker, the well known lumberman of its, would be very great. He thought Bass River, Kent county, which occurred on Friday. Mr. Walker was a Borden, minister of militia, was the frequent visitor to Moncton, where he guest of honor at a reception given by had many warm personal friends. He the officers of the Montreal district Word has been received here of the was about 70 years of age.

exclude the legitimate competition of

REDISTRIBUTION BILL

conclusion Foreign Secretary Lansdowne referred to the redistribu tion bill, which he said could not be passed at the present session. twitted the opposition on its haste to turn out the government and repudiated the idea of Earl Spencer that the government would be found occupying the opposition benches next year, "I cannot help retorting," said Secwith alacrity, but an attempt at in- noble earl's trumpet sounds a somewhat clearer note, the walls of Jericho Great Britain had endeavored, not and we may not only supervise the unsuccessfully, to maintain the strict- preliminary operations of the redistri- over two hours, including stops. bution, but may perhaps give effect

embarrassing question of contraband, ment." After a few words from Lord Gos chen (liberal unionist,) the address was agreed to and the house of lords adjourned at 6.50 p. m.

to them in another session of parlia-

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

satisfactory to have been able to ar-A. Mount (conservative) moved Since July not a single British vessel and Samuel Roberts (conservative) had been interfered with except where seconded the address in reply to the king's speech. The first division approaching party lines occurred in the house of commons when Mr. Dalziel Referring to the North Sea incident, (liberal) moved that the house censure little time and the planking is now Lord Lansdowne said that once and Lord Arlington for breach of privionly once were they near being drawn leges by his action in the North Dorinto the vortex of war. He need hardset election. Premier Balfour said noly say that arose in the North Sea inthing could be gained by continuing cident, to which he only referred bethe discussion and moved the prevcause he desired to acknowledge the ous question, which was carried by 257 kindly remarks of Earl Spencer, who to 191 votes. had congratulated the government on

ASSAILED THE GOVERNMENT.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the liberal leader in the house, speaking on Mr. Mount's motion, bitterly assailed the government, which, he said, was evading the fiscal question, as shown by the failure of the mover and over thirty inches. seconder of the address to mention Buckingham Palace was particularly a case of Turkish mismanage animated. Large crowds selected this

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman opens nothing definite will be decided, whom the powers conferred a mandate spoke at great length, attacking the to deal with the Macedonian problem, government's policy in Thibet and South Africa, and in fact at all points. form, which is under discussion, but He continued speaking almost up to the foreign secretary was unable to 7.30 p. m., when Sir Edgar Vincent present it in detail to the house this (conservative) took up the debate, evening. The British government was and was speaking when the house sussatisfied that it marks a considerable pended its sitting.

step in advance.

H. H. Asquith tomorrow will move as the official opposition amendment H. H. Asquith tomorrow will move, Anglo-French agreement. He said it to the address in reply to the speech had been of no little value in settling from the throne, the following: "We humbly represent to Your Ma-Africa the foreign minister said that jesty that the various aspects of the fiscal question have been fully disthe government was prepared to give by the heralds announcing the ap- the Transvaal first, and the other col- cussed in the country for nearly two onies later not self-government, but years, and that the time has come for submitting the question to the people

without further delay." It is understood the leaders of the the opposition to the government favor conclusion of debate on this resolution

JUSTIFIED GOVERNMENT AC-

agent who headed the mission) had transgressed his instructions when he At the night session, Premier Bal-four replied to Sir Henry Campbellarranged for British forces to remain in the Chumbi district for 75 years and Bannerman. He justified the governthis action had been repudiated by his ment's action in Thibet; said it was ceeded, and to emphasize the difference majesty's government. The foreign secretary declined to en- friendliest relations with Afghanistan, fashioned treatments, he gave it the pear to be as distant as ever from any ter into an explanation of the pro- and that negotiations to that end were gress of the negotiations with Afghanproceeding satisfactorily: touched on istan. He said the situation was ex-Chinese labor in South Africa, and re-Campbell-Bannerman, Earl Spencer, tremely difficult and intricate, and it peated Lord Lansdowne's pronouncetremely difficult and intricate, and it peated Lord Lansdowne's pronounce-would not be desirable at the present ment with regard to the future of the pill habit left to be overcome later.

moment to lay the papers before the South African colonies. Replying to Sir Henry Campbell-Fyle Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont The secretary briefly referred to the Bannerman's assertion that the govnaval and military situation, saying ernment was too feeble to carry out position, should he be inclined to ex- the departments were moving as rap- an effective policy, Mr. Balfour said the decision lay entirely with the In regard to alien immigration, the house of commons whether it could efsuccess in holding his followers to- secretary said it was clearly indicated fectively carry out the mandate of the by the sentiment of the country that people and the duties entrusted to it

country is looking for and expecting a question thoroughly. The government The house of commons adjourned at intended to do so, but with no desire to 11.12 p. m.

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RECKLESSLY DRIVEN.

HALIFAX, Feb. 15,-Cragg & Hodgson, commission merchants, lost a team a year ago through a collision with an electric tram company. They sued for the deceased's son. The services will \$265. The jury today awarded them be conducted by Rev. Mr. Baird. In-\$225.50, holding that the car had been recklessly driven

GUEST OF HONOR,

MONTREAL, Feb. 15 .- Sir Frederick.



PROF. S. P. LANGLEY, OF THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTE, who promises to build an air ship that

\_\_\_\_ THE NEW RIVER STEAMER

The steamer Clifton, at a pinch, makes seven miles an hour and has been known in recent years to come down from Hampton in almost three retary Lansdowne, "that unless the and one-half hours. The new steamer which which next season will take her place will, it is expected, develop may still stand a considerable time, speed of not less than twelve miles ar hour and will make the run in little This new steamer has not yet beee given a name, nor has she reached

that stage where christening is a par of the programme, but she is coming along well and will be ready for business on the river by the first of July. Captain Arnold Mabee, present man ager of the Clifton, will be the principal owner of the new boat, and she will replace the Clifton, which has become too old and too slow for further activity on the Kennebeccasis. The new boat is being built at Hampton village by Daniel McLaughlin, one of the best known builders of St. John The frame has been finished for some well under way, Flemings have the contract for the machinery and have made a start on it. They guarantee to have it ready as soon as the steame is brought down to Indiantown. cording to the model of the boat and specifications of the boiler and engine the new steamer is expected to have a speed of not less than twelve miles. The boat will be larger than the Clifton, being 110 ft. in length, and 21 ft. beam, while the old steamer is only 100 ft. long and 18 ft. beam. She will

be a stern wheeler and will draw not It is the intention of the owner

WHAT IS ANTI-PILL?

SOMEWHAT PECULIAR NAME EXPLAINED-HOW DR. LEON-HARDT CAME TO CALL HIS FAMOUS PRESCRIPTION "ANTI-

Dr. Leonhardt found in his practice that chronic constipation and its kindred complaints were the result of a dried-up condition of the mucous membrane lining of the stomach and bowels. He investigated further and found that this condition was invariably brought about by the use of cathartics, which all contain a certain amount of resinous matters.

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N.S. LEGISLATURE.

Sole agents for Canada.

HALIFAX, Feb. 15 .- The house of assembly sat for thirty minutes today, during which the auditor's report and that of the N. S. hospital were laid on the table. The government does not seem to have anything ready, though Tanner cut out a lot of work today by asking a large number of important questions regarding road commissions. railways, etc. Kendall has not yet taken his seat. He is still confined to his room suffering from a severe attack of la grippe. He was reported better today.

DIED AT SUSSEX.

The death of Mrs. Mary Aiton, widow of the late William Aiton, of Sussex Corner, occurred yesterday, at the residence of her son, Sussex Corner. The deceased was seventy-seven years of age. She leaves one son, Hugh. The late Mr. Aiton was one of the most prominent farmers in Kings Co. The funeral will be held on Thursday at two o'clock from the residence of the deceased's son. The services will terment will take place at Kirk Hill.



### AN ODE OF EMPIRE.

(Written by a Canadian on a Visit to England.)

Under a night of dim and alien stars, With homeless heart and angry tears I cried: "Is this the land of immemorial pride? Of sainted chivalry and heroic wars? Of happy vales and glooms of witchery, My farborn boyhood's land of dream and song? Of manhood's faith, and sternest loyalty, Britannia the fust and strong?

O, heart defrauded, what is here to cherish? And what to hope amid this wide disgrace, Where hunger stalks and where the faithful perish

While sullen sluggards crowd the market place? Britannia's sons across the seas are calling, Joyous and strong from many a fruitful plain, On heedless ears their love and cheer are falling, Their birthright bartered for a cold disdain. But they of British sires were born, And they shall answer scorn for scorn; Nor long shall fools their youth deride, Sons of the proud are born to pride."

"O, for an hour of the ampler stainless spaces That breathe the health of nations, where the sun Spreads his wide tent upon the hallowed places, That toil's battle from the waste has won. Give me my birthland, still unknown to story, Dearer than dream, remembered from afar, Where love and plenty yield a golden glery, That shames the cruel, barren pomp of war, And, O, ye spirits of that world unsung, That serve the god of solitude, once more Send me the vision though with faltering tongue I voice your music on a friendless shore, Strike your wide harp and to acolian numbers Marshal the legions of the patient dead From noteless fields whereon their lives were sped, Where harvest winds and birdsong lull their slumbers,

> Heroes of bloodless victory; May see and learn to love and bless The silent vanguard of the wilderness.

Call them again that men may see

A rousing wind among the wintry trees. Made ancient murmuring and the huddling night Thrilled with the fear of whispered mysteries; When, lo around me fell the olden light And rank on rank I saw them marching by, With cloudless brow and dreadless eye, The heroes of my eager youth, Druid and saint and kings of chivalry; Fierce plunderers of the uncharted sea, Unknown alike to fear and ruth; Warriors and minstrels and the lords of truth, All memory's roster of idolatry, And not from guarded graves they came, But from the lands where honor leads,

Where still they serve, and by their fame Urge humble hearts to mighty deeds, And through that vision, at their side My brothers marched with fearless stride And voiced with that heroic throng The choral music of phophetic sons.

Fool, to be wroth with but a noteless day, To heed its spawn or have their scorn in mind, The dead are all imperial, and their sway Not islanded and to no shore confined,

Once more my soul puts out to ports of daring With all the lordly comrades of my choice, The soaring wind is master of our faring, The sea's wide freedom bids our hearts rejoice, Far as the day span our adventure urges A dateless voyage through the reach of time. The past goes down behind oblivious surges, The future rises with a dawn sublime

Fronting the world with calm and level vision, New sons of empire, heirs to all its pride, Smile back their answer to a dull derision Serving and building where their fathers died. Theirs is the truth and not the boastful seeming, Theirs is the deed and not the foolish dreaming, Theirs is the harvest of life's proudest pages, And theirs the empire that shall awe the ages.



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NOT TO BE POSTPONED. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 15, 1 a. m. The departure of Grand Duke Alexis and Vice-Admiral Avellan for Libau ed no change in the programme yesterday afternoon.

BOSTON, Feb. 14.-The police of this city are endeavoring to fathom the who registered as "S. B. Neal of Chi- close Belfast bay and hartor.

cago."
The hotel employes were attracted to his room by the odor of chloroform, and the door was forced open. The occupant of the room was found dead in bed, and by his side was an empty bottle of poison.



THOMAS A. EDISON, 'The Wizard of Menlo Park," who is recovering from a recent delicate operation to remove an abscess from

FOUR FOUND DEAD.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 15 .- Four persons were found dead in a small house at No. 502 1-2 Centre avenue to day. It was at first supposed that the deaths had been caused by escaped natural gas. But the coroner upon viewing the bodies, stated that he was not at all sure that such was the case. The dead: Charles Heller, Josephine Heller, his wife; George Nolan, son-inlaw; May Nolan, wife of George Nolan, and daughter of the Hellers According to the statement of neighbors, there had been much discord in Heller had recently said: "If things

BREAKING THE ICE.

don't get better, death will come to all

of us." The coroner will make post-

mortems to learn the exact cause of

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 14 - The last evening, to bid farewell to the Portland steam lighter Reliance, which third squadron on its departure for the has been bucking the ice in Penobscot Far East, does not indicate that there Bay since Monday morning, reached is any intention of postponing the sail- a point within a mile of her destining of the squadron, as has been ru-ation, Stockton Harbor, today. She mored at Kiel. The admiralty mention-was obliged to haul off and go to Camden for repairs on her bow plates. She has made a channel across from Castine nearly to Cape Jellison, the ice being from six to ten inches thick. No attempt has been made to raise the blockade of the river made by the mystery which surrounds the suicide ice jam at Fort Point, which is grow-at the Hotel Touraine today of a mon ing stronger as are the icefields which

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DUEL TO THE DEATH.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.-Following enement house in Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, today, two Italian laborers, whipped out revolvers and engaged in duel which resulted in the death of both participants. The duellists were John Maricago and Joseph Vallo, who occupied adjoining rooms on the sec-ond floor of the house.

FOUGHT 20 ROUNDS.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 14. - Kid Herman got the decision last night ov-er Billy Finucane. The fight went the This is the sixth fight between the



Wood's Phosphodine is sold by all St.

ESCAPED IN THEIR

John Druggists.

NIGHT CLOTHES. Mrs. David Thompson and Children,

Home in Flames. PARRSBORO, N. S., Feb. 14.-Al welling house on Western avenue, dwelling house on Western avenue, owned and occupied by David Thomp-son, was totally destroyed by fire last night. The fire originated in the kitchen and was first seen about eleven

of Parrsboro, Woke to Find Their

Mr. Thompson was away from home, and his wife and two small children were asleep when the fire started. the Heller household, and that Mrs. Mrs. Thompson was awakened by the smoke, and she and her children escaped in their night clothes. The fire company was called out, but the house was outside of the town water system and more than a mile from the fire hall, so the firemen could do nothing. Everything in the house except the furniture of two rooms was destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$1,500, and the property was insured for \$800.

DALHOUSIE LUMBER COMPANY. A meeting of the stockholders of Dalhousie Lumber Company was held at noon yesterday at the office of H. Scammell & Company. The following gentlemen were elected directors: James Manchester, George McKean, Joseph T. Knight, Henry Hilyard, W. T. Whitehead. At a subsequent meetwas elected president of the company and Mr. McKean vice-president.

A few days ago George Anderson of St. Patrick street fell from the back yard window down the elevator shaft to the basement. He fell about fifteen feet. Two of his ribs were broken, but he is recovering nicely under the care