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Champagne, Liberal, and McDougali

To-Day at Hull.

Mr. Smart Will Assume His New Posi-

tion in Interior and Indian De-

partments April 1st.

-The International Fisheries

Ottawa, March 16.-Champagne, Lib-

eral, and Macdougall, Conservative, were

Wright. Messrs. Laurier and Paterson

Mr. Smart will assume his new posi

and deputy minister of Indian affairs on

seeing Hon Mr. Sifton on business con

ourchased a \$10,000 residence on Theo-

The report of the international fish-

eries commissioners refers at some

length to the salmon fisheries of British

Columbia and suggests recommendations

to apply only to waters adjacent to the

boundary between British Columbia and

the state of Washington which are tra-

versed by the main body of sockeyes.

The recommendations cover traps and

drift gill nets, and urge that commercial

fishing with nets be restricted to the

tidal part of the river. The weekly close

day to 6 p.m. Sunday; the close season

from October 1 to April 1, during which

all net fishing shall be prohibited. The

commissioners believe the present re-

Services in memory of the late Profes-

Winnipeg. March 16.—The debate on

he would be glad to see the local govern-

ALIEN LABOR ACT.

Bill to Prevent the Employment of

Chinese.

yesterday relates to the employment of

son or body corporate the right of "er-

ecting a bridge, making a railway, tram-

way, turnpike road, telegraph or tele-

or other like work, the right of ferry,

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body corporate any property, rights or

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Conservative, Were Nominated

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GREEKS CROSS

Nearly All the Troops Have Now Left Athens for the Frontier.

Commencement of the Blockade Likely To Be Signal for Opening Conflict.

Accident on a Russian Man-of-War Daily News' Allusion to Emperor Willia

Athens, March 16.-Dispatches received at midnight from Volo and Larssa state that two insurgent bands, ne composed of one thousand men and the other of three hundred, have crossed into Macedonia.

The Greek troops have arrested near Larissa a Turkish major spying upon

The receipt of the news from Paris the government determined to maintain its position and await a pacific blockade. It is generally believed that the enforcement of the blockade will be the signal for the conflict on the frontier The papers yesterday spoke in a moder- Immense Damage Has Been Done by ate tone of the situation.

In the boule the president of the chamber read many messages from abroad expressing sympathy with the with great applause. The minister of war introducd a bill permitting the enrollment of Greek volunteers and the creation of a foreign Phil-Hellenic le-

Athens, March 16.-The regiment of the Crown Prince Constantine, the only one now remaining at Athens, will start for the frontier before the blockade be-

Canea, March 16.—A sensation has been caused by the report that the Italian vice-consul, who has visited the trict by the Christians last month. He brought to this city by harbor gives details of the revolting barbarity, with barges attached. and fixes the number of victims at one thousand. The evidence, however, is ; not very convincing, and does not predude the possibility of severe fighting. port calls for strict consular inquiry, say great additional suffering and loss The difficulty is that no competent in-

rpreters are available. The Mussulmans make the most of the affair and accuse the Christians of bjection which Europe entertains to have been lost. annexation of Crete by Greece. The vasperated Moslems are finding an outlet to their rage in wholesale pillage. Greek men-of-war are still in the har-

It is believed that the bursting of a was due to an ill-closed breech. All he occupants of the turret were killed, vhile the falling debris killed and counded others.

No serious damage was caused at the feet. inbardment of Kissamo. The foran warships went there and pro-The Sissoi Veleky is one of the largest

vessels in the Russian navy. good effect upon the stock exchange. of Greece had started for Thessaly. According to a later dispatch from Athens, tendency towards despondency is beginning to show itself at the Greek capital. "The last hope of a rupture shop. of the concert of Europe having been scattered by the decision of France to join in coercion," the dispatch adds, this medicine. there is much speculation as to whether the forces of the powers will proceed blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla. to active measures against Col. Vassos' troops. While it is formally announced cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, re-

Greek troops and ships in Crete to oppose force by force, it may be doubted whether the orders were really given Brave words, however, are indispensable in the prevailing popular mood. The king and the government have no choice

but to swim with the tide." The Daily Mail says: "The vagaries of a certain continental sovereign are causing profound anxiety to his family, and especially to diplomatists, who recognize that the concert of Europe may at any moment be disturbed. Pinching the guests and trying to trip them with a sword are among the antics attributed to the insane sovereign." The para graph unmistakably hints at Emperor William of Germany.

Canea, March 16.-Noon-At this hour the admirals of the foreign fleets have not yet proclaimed the blockade of the island. 'The Greek squadron, with the exception of two vessels, has left Cretan waters, and the two vessels referred to are preparing to leave.

WAR OLO NAFRICA. Germany Lands Arms-Transvaal Buying More Guns.

London, March 16.-The Daily Mail's Cape Town correspondent states that tion as deputy minister of the interior Germany has recently landed large shipments of munitions of war at Walfisch the first of April. Mr. Burgess will then Bay, a circumstance which causes sus- become Dominion lands commissione picion. The Transvaal is also arming and Reed will be superannuated. steadily, the shipments of ammunition, H. Smith will also be superannuated, guns and military supplies from France alone amounting to 300 tons monthly. caused a pessimistic feeling here, but All are being lodged at important stra-

Floods in the State of . Tennessee.

efforts of Greece. These were received Many Homeless, Half-Starved Per. sons Rescued-Eastern Arkansas All Overflowed.

> Memphis, Tenn., March 16 .- Rain began falling here shortly after 7 o'clock and is coming down in torrents, adding to the misery and suffering already House yesterday. caused by the overflowing of the

streams.

The gauge reads 36.3 feet, a rise of 1 foot in 24 hours, and indications point toward a further rise. News comes to-day of the partial breaking of the St. Francis levee, 60 At any rate, the Italian vice-consul's remiles above Memphis. Steamer captains

will result. The break in the St. Francis levee at Nodena, Ark., was more serious than at first reported. The water fell 25 feet and rushed upon the people of the lowotting their extermination, on the lands behind the levee in almost a solid ound that their presence is the only wall. It is expected that many lives

> The steamer City of Osceola saved many people washed out of their homes by the water, which went through every crevasse.

The Cumberland river reached 42 feet on the gauge at Nashville to-day. Forty feet is the danger line. Lowlands about yesterday on a Russian warship the city are submerged and many cellars of business houses are filled with water. Families in the threatened districts are moving out. Merchants are taking their goods to the second floors. The river will certainly reach 45 and possibly 47

Nearly 2,000 homeless, half-starved persons, rescued from the overflowed districts in eastern Arkansas, are being aimed the place under the protection cared for in this city to-day. The rethe powers. The firing then ceased. fugees are mostly negroes. The citizens Canea, March 16.-While the sunset relief commission is practically backed suns were being fired by the fleet in by unlimited capital, merchants, bank-Sada bay last evening, a turret gun on ers and corporations having subscribed the Russian warship Sissoi Veleky ex- great sums to prosecute the work of resploded with a terrific crash. The tur-forty miles north and south of Memphis. ret was blown to pieces and fifteen men The steamer Governor Flett, stationed stationed near the gun killed outright. here, through Captain Fitch, engineer These included two officers. Thirteen in charge, has been pressed into service. others were so badly injured that they The situation to-day is critical. News is will die. Portions of the bodies of the expected hourly of breaks in the levees, killed were found strewn on the deck, and when this happens the loss to prowhich presented a ghastly spectacle, perty and stock will reach up into the The Sissoi Veleky is consecutive thousands. The first loss of life has been reported. A family of five negroes have been drowned at Marion. Sensca-London, March 16.—The decision of tional stories of a wholesale drowning the French chamber of deputies in ap- at Nodena, Ark., are denied by steamer proving of the policy of France in ad- hands fresh from the scene, The gauge ering to the concert of the powers had now reads 36.4 feet. Railway trains arrive and depart without reference to schedules. All tracks, except the Iron Consols went up 5-16; foreign securities Mountain, are now submerged. Kansas visions, no Chinese shall be employed in firm. Later the prices of the stock ex- City and Little Rock roads use the Iron hange relapsed somewhat on the weak- Mountain roadway. It is expected that by to-night the rescue steamers will land It was rumored that the Crown Prince another thousand refugees on the Chickasaw bluffs.

Truth in a Nutshell. Impure blood is the natural result of close confinement in house, schoolroom or

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ese are employed.

CABLE FLASHES.

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Bayard Praised in Church-Admiral Von Hollman Resigns.

London, March 16.—On Sunday Mr. Bayard attended services at St. Paul's cathedral: Archdeacon Sinclair, in the course of his sermon, made eulogistic references to the ambassador, and said was not unfitting even in such a place to offer heartfelt acknowledgement of Mr. Bayard's powerful contribution to the peace of the world.

Berlin, March 16 .- The National Zeitung states that Admiral Von Hollmann esigned the portfolio of the navy a the close of Saturday's session of the budget committee.

HON. SIR EDWARD KAY. Death of the Distinguished Jurist in

London, March 16.-Hon. Sir Edward

The Hon. Sir Edward Ebenezer Kay, Judge of the High Court of Justice, was born July 2, 1822, at Meadowcroft, near Rochdale, being a son of Robert nominated at Hull for the election in Kay, Esq., and Hannah, his wife. He was a brother of the late Sir James Kay-Shuttleworth, Bart.

Secret Negotiations Said To Be Proceeding Between Greece Mayor McCreary, of Winnipeg, is here and Russia. It is stated that Hop. Mr. Laurier has

dore street, near the Rideau rifle range. Playing a Two-Faced Game With the Turkish Government and the Powers.

> New York, March 17.-A special cable dispatch from the Press correspondent at Athens says: to run over them with his staff before

"I learn that secret negotiations are proceeding between King George of season suggested is from 6 a.m. Satur- Greece and Russia, This information to be inadequate and impracticable. ers. There is an understanding that making energetic prepartions. Yester be permitted to retain the province." A dispatch to the Herald from St. day was the last day for entering names on the voters' lists in nearly all the dis- Petersburg says:

Bulgaria and Servia have, in view of tricts. Many who voted Conservative in the federal elections of last June will the condition of affairs on the Greek vote Liberal in the coming elections. and Turkish frontier, formally communi-Hon. J. L. Beaubien, commissioner of cated their intention of remaining quiet. agriculture in the Quebec government, is It may, however, be noted by those candidate for Chambly county in the who doubt that nothing could have stopped those two countries from breaking It is now known that Mr. Langlois, out into war should Crete have been the present editor of La Patrie, will be given to Greece, and further, that the appointed senate translator at the end present good behavior of both will be, of the coming session, and that he will it is thoroughly understood, considered be replaced by Mr. Bourassa, M. P., in their favor when the map of Europe may need a change.

The report that Italy is going to take the school bill was continued in the the responsibility of restoring order in legislature yesterday by Messrs. Jonas-on and Lauzon, the latter being the simplifying the action of plans under connew member for St. Boniface, who said sideration, the fewest powers possible. -say two or three-will undertake the occupation of Crete, one of whom will be Italy.

Stratford, March 16.-W. C. Moscript, of St. Mary's, has been rominated can alter the decision, as it has conpast ten days, because she has views far Toronto, March 16.-Referee Cart, above cheap clap-trap and the sentiments of Byronic societies, revolutionary wright has given indement setting aside the election in Ingersoll for the county students and Athenian demagogues. She sees clearly that the great humanitarian question of peace would be involved, and with that there can be no trifling or

hesitation. All the papers produce the Journal de St. Petersburger's article on the gov- disqualification. The bill introduced by Mr. Adams ernmental declaration of its policy. London, March 17 .- The Chronicle says the ultimatum to proceed with the Chinese under franchises granted by pri- blockade will take the humiliating form vate acts. It provides that any act of a peremptory summons from the adpassed by the legislature giving any per- mirals to the Greek authorities. The Chronicle believes that although owing to pressure brought to bear by the powphone line, the construction or improve- will send troops into old Servia to establish her claims there.

ment of a harbor, canal, lock dam, slide The correspondent of the Times is irrounts, formed on high authority that the ad- J. H vance of Turkish troops across the Fifteen thousand Greek troops will em- at his residence. bark to-night and to-morrow for Volo. The government is reserving £16,000 of disputes between Ontario and Quebec specie for the payment of July coupons. sat here yesterday. M. Averoff, the wealthy Greek of Alexandria, who contributed a million drachms towards the expense of the re- aged 17, are under arrest for stabbing storation of the Stadion, has offered to John Foreman in the vestibule of St. cupation or property given, granted, conprovide the government with 40,000 uni- Mark's church. firmed, authorized or affected by the forms. Greeks of Marseilles have act." Penalties are provided of fines not sent £10,000 as a contribution to the em-ergency war fund. The Times corres- where he went for the benefit of his every Chinese employed contrary to the pondent at Canea says that autonomy is health. not in the least degree understood the Mussulmans there, and it is not impossible that there will be trouble when they learn that it means the departure of the garrison and officials. A strong force ought to be present when the of-ficial proclamation is formally made.

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Government Not Surprised at Strong Protectionist Feature of New U. S. Tariff.

Canadians Denounce the Duties Lumber and the Lumber Manufactures.

Ottawa, March 17.-The supreme court adjourned at 2 o'clock to-day and will meet on Wednesday next to deliver

udgment in the election cases. One of the ministers who recently went to Washington said the government Ebenezer Kay, Lord Justice of Appeals, was not surprised at the strong protectionist feature of the new United States tariff measure. They were informed of it when at Washington, he said, but were assured that this would not prevent negotiations looking to reciprocity. He added that early in April the government would likely invite the Mckinley administration to appoint a joint commission to inquire into the whole subject of international trade, with a view to arrange for reciprocity. Twenty-five tons of seed grain have been distributed in three-pound packages from the experimental farm this year.

Hon. Peter Mitchell has been appoint ed superintendent of fisheries for Que bec and the Maritime Provinces, with headquarters at Ottawa. The Conservatives of Ottawa county vesterday selected Hon, G. A. Nantel, commissioner of public works, as their candidate for the Quebec legislature.

Judge Taschereau, of the supreme court, has returned from India. Major General Gascoigne, Lieut.-Col. Panet, deputy minister of militia, and Lieut.-Col. Lake, quartermaster-general eft vesterday afternoon for Lakewood, N. J., to see Lieut.-Col. Borden, minister of militia, respecting the militia estimates, which are about to be submitted to parliament. The minister desired

they were sent to the printers.
Toronto, March 17.—The United States duties on lumber and lumber mancomes from a high and absolutely trust- ufactures, being shown to several repreworthy authority. Russia is uncoubted- sentatives of Canadian lumber companly playing a two-faced game with the ies, all denounced the tariff. Said the gulations regarding the disposal of affai Turkish government and with the pow- president of the Georgian Bay Lumber Company: "It is nothing more or less when the Greek army crosses the front. than, a direct blow to the white pine sor Drummond were held in Government, ier Russia shall find a pretext to seize trade of Canada. The Americans have Constantinople. The understanding, as the advantage of protection of \$2 against caused by the overflowing of the Montreal March 16.—The provincial far as King George is concerned, is that Canadian white pine, and get our logs free feeting campaign is moving slowly. The the conflict in the Balkans, which is sure to follow fighting on the frontier, and the places \$2 duty on pine lumber, Canadian organized. Hundreds of head of stock paign of free primary education, the reand many men, women and children duction of taxation by the consolidation would follow a seizure of Constantinopie Canadian people who believe it would spot, confirms the alleged treacherous massacres of the Moslems in Silia distowboats erals are busy selecting candidates and Czar's promise in advance that she shall that the government take such action on day on opium withdrawn from bond. Americans feel some of the disadvan- from this source in the history of the tages they are trying to impose on the customs house at this port.

lumber trade of Canada." feature concerning Canada. "The Am- from retail dealers in the city and else trade. If the Americans are determined sult in injury to themselves, we can afford to be just as independent."

Election protests were filed yesterday return of Bennett, Conservative, elected in East Simcoe, and Graham, Liberal Patron.

Hon. John Dryden, minister of agriculture, has issued a writ claiming \$10,- price. Liberal candidate for the legislature in stantly been telegraphed during the 000 damages for alleged fibel and slan-

der against William Smith, ex-M.P. for North Ontario. Brantford, March 17.-Robert Henry agitators, radical orators, boisterous the defeated candidate at the recent parliamentary bye-election, formally entered a protest against the return of Charles P. Hevd vesterday. He charges Heyd, by himself or agents, with being guilty of bribery and threatening per sonal undue influence, and demands his

CANADIAN NEWS

Bridge Retween Montreal and Long-

ueuil-J. H. R. Molson Ill. Montreal, March 16.-The provincial government has granted a half million ers Bulgaria and Servia will remain to a scheme for building a bridge beneutral, yet in the event of war Servia tween Montreal and Longueuil, on concondition that the federal government and the city each contribute like am-

J. H. R. Molson, the well known brewer, banker and philanthropist, is frontier is now confidently expected. lying dangerously ill of nervous debility

> The board of arbitration to settle the Hamilton, March 16.-Thomas Farlane, aged 15, and Ben. Whitney,

J. Jackson Sanford, son of Senator

HOME HELPERS. The Broposal to be Considered at a Public Meeting.

To-morrow evening a meeting will be held in the city hall, at the call of His Worship the Mayor, to consider the scheme of the "Victorian Order of Home Helpers" as a memorial in the Dominion of Queen Victoria's diamond

jubilee. The proposal to establish this order came from Lady Aberdeen, and has been under consideration by the Councils of Women throughout the country, who are inviting the cooperation of the public. Briefly described, the object of the scheme is to bring skilled nursing aid within reach of settlers in the outlying districts, where under present conditions such aid is almost impossible to secure. At the meeting to-morrow evening the scope and objects of the proposal will doubtless be described at length by capable speakers on behalf of the ladies, and the public

ALASKAN BOUNDARY TREATY.

should make it a point to attend.

Amendment Introduced by Senator Stewart of Nevada.

Washington, March 17.-In the executive session of the senate yesterday Senator Stewart, of Nevada, offered an amendment to the Alaskan boundary treaty, which is in the nature of a substitute for the provision of ascertaining the meridian. It provides for the survey of the whole boundary as provided in the treaty of 1867, which is the treaty of cession from Russia to the United States. The boundary line in that treaty is incorporated in the amendment of Senator Stewart, and if carried is made a part of the treaty.

WAR ON HIGH HATS. California Legislating Against Stage-Obstructing Headgear.

San Francisco, March 17.-At a meeting of the supervisors yesterday Supervisor Rottanxi introduced an ordinance which makes it a misdemeanor, punishable by both fine and imprisonment, for a woman to wear a high hat in a thea-Owners and managers of theatres are also prohibited from admitting women to their theatres whose hats are above the limit prescribed by law. The ordinance was referred to the judiciary committee, which will render a report on the measure at the next meeting of the

The Weather for Colds This is the time when colds are in the fashion-everybody who is anybody has one, if not himself there's one in the family. For no complaint under the sun are there more remedies than for a cold in the head, but of the thousands Chase's Catarrah Cure is the best. "In twelve hours I was cured of a bad cold in the head by Chase's Cure," writes Miss Dwyer, Alliston, Ont. 25c. of all druggists, with blower free.

PAID IN HEAVY DUTY. Twenty-Four Thousand Dollars Paid on Opium Withdrawn From Bond.

San Francisco, March 17.—Duty to the amount of \$24,000 was paid yester-

The big withdrawals of the drug were G. H. Bertram, vice-president of the due to the fact that the big seizure of Collins Inlet Lumber Company, also re- February 27 left the market practically garded the \$2 duty on pine as the chief, without any stock on hand. Orders erican import duty of \$2 per 1,000 on where had piled up. The order for the pine." he said, "must be met by an ex-release of the opium received from the port duty on logs. Of course if this is treasury department by Collector Wise done we are threatened with 25 per enabled the importers to fill these orders. cent, increase over and above the \$2 To do it it required the withdrawal of on white pine, which would seriously af- 100 boxes, each containing about 41 whole Georgian Bay lumber pounds. The price of opium, which immediately after the seizure rose fully to enforce tariff legislation against the 50 per cent., has fallen back to its nor-Canadian lumber trade, which will remai figure, about \$12 per pound. The increase in the price was not as much as would ordinarily have been expected from the withdrawal of so large a quanin the high court of justice against the tity from the market as was included in the seizure. The opinion, which was strongly held, that the treasury department would release the seizure, had a strong influence in keeping down the



## Rain Storm

the man got very wet. The wetting gave him a cold. The cold, neglected, developed to a cough. The cough sent him to a bed of sickness. A dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, taken at the start, would have nipped the cold in the bud, and saved the sickness, suffering, and expense. The household remedy for colds, coughs, and all lung troubles is

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