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HOUSE, NEARLY NEW, FOR SALE cheap. Apply H. N. Fleming, 474 Pall Mall street. 27n

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EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ES-TATE, cattle, horses, farming implements, etc.—Under instructions from Mrs. Gilbert W. Harris, the executrix of the last will and testament of the late George Vail Burwell, deceased, there the last will and testament of the late George Vail Burwell, deceased, there will be offered for sale by public auction on the premises, on Thursday, the 20th day of March, A. D. 1902, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, by Mr. A. M. Hunt, auctioneer, the following property, namely: The northwesterly half of lot No. 18 in the fourth range, south of the Longwoods road, in the township of Caradoc, in the county of Middlesex, containing 100 acres, more or less; and the northwesterly 20 acres of the southeasterly 100 acres, more or less; and the north-westerly 20 acres of the southeasterly half of said lot No. 18, the said 20 acres to extend to equal depth completely across the said half lot, and to be bound-ed on the northwesterly side by the northwesterly half of the said lot, and on the southeasterly side by a line parallel to the southeasterly limit of the said northwesterly half, to be drawn a suffi-cient distance therefrom in and com-pletely across the said southeasterly half lot to make up the said 20 acres. This pletely across the said southeasterly half lot to make up the said 20 acres. This property is part of the well-known Burwell Estate, in Caradoc township, and is situate on the Burwell road, about two and one-half miles from the Longwoods road. There is upon the premises an apple, peach and pear orchard, bearing fruit, and an excellent sugar bush of very valuable timber. There is an abundance of water, supplied by never-failing wells. The buildings consist of a two-story brick house, with good cellar; two large barns and corn-crib. Terms for above: Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale; balance, without interest, within one month thereafter. There will be offered for sale at the same time and place, the for sale at the same time and place, the Burwell, comprising amongst other things the following: One very good general purpose mare, 1 good work team, 1 good brood mare, 1 2-year-old colt, 3 1-year-old heifers, 3 2-year-old heifers, 3 good cows, heifers, 3 2-year-old heifers, 3 good cows, 18 sheep, 1 pig. Terms of sale: For chattel property, cash. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the auctioneer; to MRS. GILBERT W. HARRIS, 359 Piccadilly street, London; or to the undersigned solicitors. Dated at London this 4th day of March, A. D. 1902. MEREDITH & FISHER, solicitors for the executrix.

Mortgage Sale of City Property.

UNDER POWER OF SALE CON-FAINED in four several mortgages, searing date respectively the 12th February, 1900; 15th June, 1901; 25th June, 1901, and 12th July, 1901, made by William 1991, and 12th July, 1991, made by William C. Kipp to the vendors, there will be sold by public auction by John W. Jones, auctioneer, at his auction rooms, No. 242 Dundas street, city of London, on Tuesday, the 18th day of March, 1992, at 2 o'clock p.m., the following property, viz.: Lot 34, on the east side of Hellmuth avenue, and lots 48, 49 and 50, on the west side of Waterloo street, all according to registered plan No. 242.

On each of said lots 34, 49 and 50 there is a good solid brick house, stone cellar is a good solid brick house, stone cellar under whole of each house; 7 rooms in each house. The house of lot 34 is plastered, and the other houses are partly plastered. These houses can be finished at a small outlay. On lot 48 a cellar has been excavated and a stone foundation laid for a similar house to those tion laid for a similar house to those above mentioned. The properties are in an excellent locality, and well worthy the attention of buyers. Each lot will be sold separately.

Terms of Sale: A payment of 10 per Terms of Sale: A payment of 10 per cent of the purchase money will be re-quired at time of sale, and the balance within fourteen days thereafter. A po of the purchase money may secured by mortgage on the property. For further particulars apply to A, GREENLEES vendors solicitor, London, Ont., or to JOHN W. JONES, Auctioneer. Dated 25th February, 1902. 17c-x

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In the estate of George Vail Burwell, late of the township of Caradoc, in the county of Middlesex, yeoman, deceased: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said George Vail Burwell, who died on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1902, are required on or before the 4th day of April, A. D. 1902, to send by post prepaid, or deliver to Messrs. Meredith & Fisher, the solicitors for the executrix, at Lonthese 1902. or deliver to Messrs. Meredith & Fisher, the solicitors for the executrix, at London, Ontario, their full names and addresses, with a full statement of their claims, duly verified, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them. And notice is further given that after such last-mentioned date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the executrix. will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have be fiable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by her. Dated at London this 4th day of March. A. D. 1902. MEREDITH & FISHER, solicitors for the executrix.

sioner at Winnipeg. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. D. McLEAN, Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa 28th February, 1902.

N.B.—Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority of the Department will not be paid. . Sn-vax tice, and the said executrix will not fiable for the said assets or any part

SHE STANDS BY BRITAIN

Germany's Words of Cheer for John Bull.

London Times Comments on the German Foreign Secretary's Speech.

King Edward Desires to Visit Paris, But Cannot Find the Time-Rosebery Does Not Seek to Supplant Bannermann.

Berlin, March 12 .- Following are the concluding remarks of Secretary Baron Von Richthofen, made yesterday in the

"The sacrifices that Great Britain has made in blood and treasure made it only humanly natural that her susceptibilities should grow more acute. Every harsh word was felt by her. Every friendly address was accepted with double gratitude. If the members of the diet wished to secure the co-operaion of the British in helping the Boers, they must abstain from provoking Great Britain's susceptibility. There was need of a somewhat more equitable adjustment of light and shade." Continuing, Baron Richthofen said:

MORE THAN COUSINS. "If we feel ourselves more than cousins kin to England we shall be able the more effectively to help our

common cousins in South Africa. "Let us not always assume that verything done by the English is wrong and bad. I may quote an example. I have read descriptions of the prisoners' camps which made by hair stand on end. A few days ago Gen. Von Trotha, who, from his own experience, was in a position to report on the matter, was at my house. He said to me: 'I consider it my duty, and authorize you to use my name, to declare that I found the prisoners' camps in Ceylon to be perfect models. The former German officers in the camps had only a single complaint-that there was

not sufficient variety of food." SYMPATHY DUE. Baron Von Richthofen proceeded: "In my opinion, the dignity of the nation would not have suffered derogation if it had displayed some human sympathy as, for instance, yesterday when the news came of the severe wounding of Gen. Methuen. proper consideration for national feelings it will be possible to make further progress in the direction desired by the

Boer relief committee." The foreign secretary concluded with saying that no obsequiousness was ment to the delegation needed on the part of Germany, whose policy was conducted with the object of pleasing the German people and no one else. But, he believed, that the lines he had laid down might be fol- north of Pekin, and personally superlowed without any relinquishment of vise the punishment of the bandits German views in regard to the war it- who recently murdered a Belgian German views in regard to the war it-

"Let us do what we can in the way of services to humanity," said the secretary, "and then, perhaps, we can go further, perhaps we shall be able without drawing upon ourselves a sharp rebuff, to address ourselves as cousins to our cousins on the other side of the channel and speak a good word for our

mutual cousins, the Boers.' BRITISH INDORSEMENT. London, March 12.-The Times, reerring editorially to the speech of the German foreign secretary, Baron von

Richthofen, in the Prussian diet today "Since the English and American cousins stand well together, Germany probably considers it time to be the cousin of both. That is all proper and satisfactory, but the English will not forget that it is to America they owe this rather touching rapprochement. The circumstance form a new link between us and our cousins in the United States, while both they and we will accept with due cordiality the sage conclusion of the

German government that it is well to

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BAKE SHOP FOR RENT. INQUIRE at St. James P. O., London South. 62tf MISCELLANEOUS.

HOME FOR INCURABLES, LONDON, Ont.—The comforts of home, with nursing, for invalids, male and female, city or country, on moderate terms. Apply to Mrs. Pattuilo, secretary Women's Christian Association, Lon-

CLAIRVOYANT. MADAME BAKER WILL BE ABSENT



TENDERS FOR INDIAN SUPPLIES. SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and indorsed "Tenders for Indian Supplies," will be received at this office up to noon on Monday, 14th April, 1902, for the delivery of Indian supplies during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1903, at various points in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories.

Forms of tender containing full particulars may be had by applying to the undersigned, or to the Indian Commissioner at Winnipeg. The lowest or any

be on good terms with the two great English-speaking world powers." THOSE IRISH CHEERS.

The Times says the Irish National jubilation in the House of Commons when Mr. Brodrick announced Lord Methuen's defeat is strongly resented by the Liberals, and is likely to drive into the Roseberyite camp several members who hitherto have been following Campbell-Bannerman. Even ex-treme pro-Boers think it un-British to gloat over the misfortunes of soldiers

doing their duty.

The leading Nationalists affect indifference as to the government's action. They declare that if the cabined decides to suppress the United Irish League the government must carry the matter to a logical conclusion, and abolish all representative government in Ireland.

ROSEBERY AND BANNERMAN. Lord Rosebery visited Glasgow and his presence excited immense enthusiasm. Enough applications were made for seats to fill the hall in which he spoke six times over. His speech was virtually a reiteration of his previous addresses. He declared that he had no designs on the leadership of the Liberal party, and that he could not, even if he wished, supplant Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman in the House of Commons. He did not desire the leadership in the House of Lords. The am bition of the new Liberal League was not to be excluded from the party. They meant to live and work inside the party, attempting to penetrate it in the only direction they believed to be sound. Lord Rosebery also said: the mischief-makers can distort what I said at Liverpool about the clean slate, I can make it no clearer. At Chesterfield I said that if I were a minister now I should write on the slate Efficiency, Education, Temperance and Housing as the most pressing reforms. Registration reform would probably have to be followed by a general elec-

tion, so it is not the most urgent." CHAMBERLAIN'S CONFIDENCE. Mr. Chamberlain, replying to the resolution passed by the council of the Liberal-Unionist Association of Liv-erpool and district, in connection with Lord Rosebery's recent speeches, expressing its unabated confidence in the leaders of the Liberal-Unionist party, "I share the satisfaction of the meeting at the patriotic tone of Lord Rosebery's speeches, although I am unable to accept all his conclusions. In view of the attempt which has been made in some quarters to detach the Liberal-Unionists from their leaders and from the Unionist alliance, heartily appreciate the expression of continued confidence which you are good enough to express in the Duke of Devonshire and myself."

THE KING'S BUSY TIME. Referring to the reports of the visit to France by King Edward, the Paris correspondent of the Times says he is able to state that his majesty desires to visit the South of France, but he is so busy at present that there is no immediate prospects of his doing so.

BRITISH TRADE WITH CUBA. Delegates from a number of the British Chambers of Commerce visited the foreign secretary, Lord Lansdowne, at the foreign office, and presented a memorial relative to British trade with Cuba, pointing out that it was feared that, when the administration of that island was handed over to the Cubans a reciprocity treaty would be negoadmitting Cuban produce into the United States at reduced duties, and granting corresponding preferential terms to American produce and manufactures by Cuba. While promising to look into the matter Lord

Lansdowne gave but faint encourage-THE RUSSIANS IN CHINA. 'A Pekin cable says: An imperial edict just issued commands Gen. Ma to proceed to Jebol, about 100 miles The Russian troops were sent priest. across the border to avenge the mur-der, on the theory that the Chinese were unable to repress the operations

anxious to remove all excuse for the presence of the Russian troops in that part of China. The court has sent a special envoy to Northwestern Mongolia, where Russian agents are fomenting trouble in conjunction with General Tung Fuh

of the bandits which menaced Rus

sian interests, and the government is

Siang. St. Petersburg, March 11.-The Russian press has had extraordinarily little to say about the Anglo-Japanese treaty. Neither the Novoe Vremya nor the St. Petersburg Viedmosti, the two newspapers which are usually most interested in the Far East, have had a word of comment.

CABLE NOTES. H. G. Eams & Co., diamond merchants, London, have failed. Their liabilities are estimated at £70,000.

The iron and steel industries of Russia are clamoring for permission to organize a trust and for higher tariffs. The Folkething, in committee of the by a large majority in favor of the ratification of the treaty, providing for the Standard and other papers to s.sk, the sale of the Danish West Indian Is-

lands to the United States. A dispatch from Vienna to the London Times says there are indications of a disposition in Russia to adopt stringent measures to avert the Germanization of the Western Russian provinces, where trade and industry

hands of German merchants. The semi-official North German Gazette, commenting on the departure of from the scene of action, Prince Henry of Prussia from the United States refered in the warmest terms to the generous hospitality and unvarying courtesy and good will extended to the emperor's representative. A number of engagements between Rusian troops and Tunguses occurred in Manchuria during the past two months. Several bands of Tunguses who had been raiding and plundering were dispersed and 133 of the raiders were killed or wounded. The Russian casualties were light.

would be unable to officiate at the Lahowever, will be in place. He is exhad any experience, and lack of ready a bid for the job. One Hull man made

personal application.

RADCLIFFE WILL BE THERE.

IN ORDER TO BAG DEWET

Kitchener to Start Out With a Special Force.

Methuen Is Not Likely to Have Another Command.

Leyds Says the Boers Can Hold Out Funds Wanted From the United States-Praise for Delarey.

London, March 12. - The Daily Chronicle understands that Lord Kitchener will be relieved from administrative work in South Africa in order to enable him to take the field in person and head a large mounted force in an endeavor to capture Dewet. The Chronicle is also informed that when he is released Gen. Methuen will not assume any further military command in

A casualty list shows that four officers were killed and ten wounded, including Gen. Methuen, dangerously. He is doing well. DR. LEYDS AGAIN.

Dr. Leyds is again in Brussels, says the Times correspondent in that city. Leys confided to a local interviewer his belief in the Boers' power of resistance, and explained that the object of the Boer delegates' visit to the United States was solely to reorganize the Boer relief committees. THE FEELING IN PARIS.

The disaster to Gen. Methuen's column caused a deep impression in Paris. The newspapers express the opinion that it will have a great moral effect in encouraging the Boers to more obstinate resistance. At the same time the papers do not speak too harshly of Gen. Methuen, owing to his generous conduct in the Gen. Villebois-Mareuil affair. The Temps says: "Will England end by realizing that it is impossible to exterminate the

gotiations for a treaty of peace acceptable to both sides?" the demonstration of the Irish mem- remained in active service to the close day, says:

Boers, and that the only issue is ne-

ing and mortifying manner than at the present moment." TOOK ROBERTS' ADVICE. without hesitation. Indeed, sympathy outweigh in some quarters consideration of the military effects of his reverse. His popularity is unquestionable, and excuses are readily made in his case, which have not been extended to others who are perhaps more deserving. Gratification is acordingly expressed that he has fallen into the hands of Gen. Delarey, who is regarded as being a humane man, and who, it is believed, is certain to treat him chorus of stern disgust over the disas-

THE BOER LEADER. The Daily Telegraph does not withhold praise from the Boer leader. says editorially: "The Boer command-er in his latest, as well as in his previous, exploit, of a few weeks ago near Kroonstad, has shown what no other leader on the side of the enemy has ever done—a mastery of daring, yet severely scientific tactics, which would do credit to any professional soldier. If Delarey were steeped in Clausewitz and Jomini he could not have struck

with more skill and design or certainty in action. Against such estimates of the Boer leader's prowess may be set the asser-tion that his men were, contrary to the laws of war, wearing the uniform of their enemy, a fact which in the popular view here outweighs any claim to bestow admiration on the conqueror.

BRITISH WERE IN THE DARK. Concerning the details of Delarey's coup, nothing at present can be added to the official dispatches. It does not escape notice that on the face of these Gen. Methuen and his staff were abwhole and in executive session, voted | solutely unaware of Delarey's presence in the neighborhood, which prompts notwithstanding their professed resolve to suspend judgment, what the British patrols were doing. Furthermore, it is remarked that the Boers were in nowise overwhelming strength, being apparently but 1,500 to the British in Boston in 1855, and was married This, says the Standard, is undeniably a severe shock to the British self-respect, but probably the bitterest have passed almost completely into the drop in the dose is the fact that more than 500 British mounted troops were chased by the Boers for four miles

PRO-BOER VIEWS. This, exclaims the pro-Boer Daily perience. She thinks they should wait News, is terrible, a most humiliating until they are 24 before marrying. statement for any Englishmen to read. The News, however, adds: It must be remembered that these men were not regular soldiers. They were jingoes, Rudyard Kipling's waifs and strays from a system of recruiting which

would never bear examination. This criticism is aimed at the new Yeomanry, of which it is believed the bulk of Gen. Methuen's columns consisted, and many of whom are assumed to be raw and untrained. One critic sarcasticaly remarks that the flight Ottawa, March 12.-The report that reflects much needed credit on the re-Radcliffe, the professional hangman, mount department, as it was not exeroix hanging in Hull, on March 21, pected that British mounted troops has brought Sheriff Wright letters from | would be able to show their heels to a half dozen men who are desirious of the Boers in such a long run. The serdoing the job. All are willing to accept lous criticism of the press, on the the regular remuneration. Radcliffe, whole, may be summed up in the statement that the reverse is grave and pected to arrive in about a week's time humiliating, tending to add months to superintend the erection of the scaf- the duration of the war, but that the old. None of the would-be hangmen net result can be easily exaggerated. Gen. Kitchener is commended for takfunds prompted most of them to make ing a proper course in sending immediate reinforcements to rectify the position.

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DEATH RECORD

Sudden Demise of Ex-Gov. Alt-

geld, of Illinois,

After Delivering a Pro-Boer Speech at Joliet, Ill.—Other Deaths.

Joliet, Ill., May 12 .- Former Governor John P. Altgeld, died in room 58, Hotel Munroe, this morning at 7:09 o'clock. He had been unconscious since midnight. Mr. Altgeld was the principal speaker at a pro-Boer mass meeting last night in the Joliet Theater. Just at the close of his speech a sudden dizziness seized him, and he was assisted from the stage. The meeting proceeded, the audience not realizing what had happened. Mr. Altgeld was taken to the hotel across the street. He retained consciousness, and urged the newspaper men to keep the affair quiet for fear of alarming his wife. Shortly before midnight he became unconscious, and remained in this condition until death. of death is given as cerebral hemorrhages, there having been an apopletic

seizure of the brain. John P. Altgeld was born in Germany, in December, 1847. His parents brought him to America when he was three months old. In 1863, when sixteen years old, he gained entrance to the The Journal des Debats, alluding to army of the union as a private, and bers in the House of Commons yester- of the civil war. Later he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1869. The double and grave problem He was always a Democrat, and in which England has to face could not 1884 was a candidate for congress, but rise up before her in a more menacof the regular party ticket. In 1886 he became judge of the superior court of Cook county, but suddenly resigned in Lord Roberts' appeal in the House of 1891. Next year he was nominated for Lords for a suspension of judgment on governor, and was carried into power Gen. Methuen is generally accepted on the crest of the wave which landed Grover Cleveland in the White House for Gen. Methuen personally seems to for a second term. During his term as governor, Mr. Altgeld had ardent champions and bitter enemies. One of his acts that caused much dispute was the pardoning of the anarchists, Fielden, Schwab and Neebe, who were in the Joliet penitentiary for participation in the Haymarket riot. His enemies called him an anarchist. His action during the great Pullman strike in Chicago, in 1894, when he failed to call well. The success of Gen. Delarey's out the troops, and President Clevetactics almost escapes notice in the land himself ordered them to the scene of trouble, was also a subject of much ter that has befallen the British arms. | debate. For years Mr. Altgeld was an ardent advocate of the free coinage of silver, and the municipal ownership of public utilities. In the municipal campaign of 1899, Altgeld bolted the nomination of Harrison for mayor, and was defeated as an independent candidate.

> OTHER DEATHS. Chillicothe, Mo., March 12.-Coloner Charles Adams, a civil war veteran, and a member of the last legislature of this state, is dead at his home here, age 65 years. He was major of the 1st Vermont Cavalry in the civil war. Amsterdam, N. Y., March 11.-Caleb Hamlin, a widely-known hotel man, died today, aged 67. He had been con-nected with the St. James' Hotel in New York, the Tifft House in Buffalo, the Palmer in Chicago, the International at Niagara Falls, the Clarendon in Saratoga and the Delevan in Albany. For the past three seasons he was proprietor of the Adirondack Inn at

candaga Park.

composer of popular songs, died today a pauper in the London lunation GREAT-GRANDMOTHER AT 44. Omaha, Neb., March 12.-All previus records for young great-grandmothers have been broken by Mrs. Minnie Davis, of Omaha, whose first great-grandchild was born when she was 44 years old. Mrs. Davis was born when 12 years old. Her eldest daughter, Mrs. Ellis, of Council Bluffs, was orn in 1867, and was married at 13. Mrs. Ellis' daughter, Mrs. Rigby, of Seattle, was born in 1883 and married at 15. Her oldest child, little

Eva, was born in 1899. Mrs. Davis is

strongly opposed to girls marrying

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