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### A CANADIAN OFFER of Transvaal Regiment to Insured for a Million.

Object of Her Majesty's Government Herein Set Out Plainly.

Promised by the Boer Govern ment in 1881, is a Sine qua Nonplied Threat.

plied Threat.

London, Sept. 26.—The officials of the Foreign Office last evening gave out the text of the letter of the Serotary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Josoph Chamberlain, to the British High Commissioner in South Africa, Sir Alfred Milner, dated Sept. 22. The British reply expresses regret that Her Majesty's offer—No. 5—of Saytember had been refused, and says: "The object Her Majesty's Government had in view in the recent negotiations has been stated in a manner which cannot admit of misapprehension, viz." To obtain such substantial and immediate representation for the Outlanders as will enable them to secure for themselves that fair and just treatment which was formally promised them in 1881, and which Her Majesty intended to secure for them when she granted privileges of self-government to the Transvaal. No conditions less comprehensive than those contained in the telegram of Sept. 8 can be relied on to effect this object. The refusal of the South African Government to entertain the offer thus made, coming, as it does, after four months of protracted negotiations, themselves the climax of five years of extended agitation, makes it useless to further pursue the discussions on the lines hitherto followed and the Imperial Government is now compelled to consider the situation afresh and nes hitherto followed and the Im-erial Government is now compelled o consider the situation afresh and ormulate new proposals for a final ettlement of the issues which have een created in South Africa by the olicy constantly followed for many rears by the Government of South Africa. They will communicate the result of their deliberations in a later

in silence."

Mr. Chamberlain then says: "The proposals made by the South Atrican Republic in its letters of Aug. 19 and Aug. 20, were not induced by suggestions given by the British agent from the State Attorney, as claimed, and that, on the contrary, the State Attorney sounded the British agent, in writing and in conversation, the conditions on which the

mperial Government would waive he invitation to adjourn the enqui-y, and the result of these communi-ations was proposals made by the louth African Government in these touth African Government could have South African Government could have had any doubt as to the Imperial Government's answer to the conditions named, and my reply was actually the same as the British agent had foxeshadowed to the State Attack. orney, and which, therefore, they nust have anticipated in making the

proposals."

The Imperial Government also denies that its telegram of Sept. 8, substituted an entirely new proposal for the invitation to the joint comon of enquiry.

The Imperial Government then quotes the despatch from South Africa of Aug. 19, containing an alternative proposal, identical with that

for misapprension on the part of the South African Republic as to its answer regarding non-interference and suseraint, as the Imperial Government had already stated it would not press for that already stated it would not press for the first comment of the control of the core ment officials of South Africa, prejudice she right of full imperial Government.

Use of English Language, As to the use of the English lan-guage in the Volksraad, the Imperial Government regards this as reason-able, and is astonished that the Gov-ernment of the South African Repubernment of the South African Repub-lic should deem it unnecessary, and make a point of denying that the Government ol the South African Re-public ever promised the same to the British agent.

A special despatch from Pretoria says that the members of the Volksread, believing that the British notes are intended to gain time for the concentration of treeps, urge the Government to adjourn the Raad immediately, and to send Great Britain a note declaring that further mobilization will be regarded as ans unfriendly act. Trenches, earthworks and sand-bag defences are being crected in all the available approaches to the capital. Boers Erecting Defences.

Has Changed His Views in Regar

of Lord Salisbury has a distance of Lord Salisbury has been investigating personal and the Company of the lord ly the Transvaal situation and feeling of the Afrikanders of Cape lony. It is reported that what has learned has caused him to change his views in regard to the Transvaal

The blacks of South Africa centir The blacks of South Africa continue to grow more menacing in their attitude toward the whites. Should the Basutos attack the Orange Free State while the latter is assisting the Transvaal Government against the British it is believed that no earthly power could prevent the Dutch of Cape Colony from rushing to the defense of their republican nsmen against the hordes of sav

kinsmen against the hordes of savages.

Mr. Innes, leader of the moderate British in Cape Colony, has refused to subscribe to an indorsement of Sir Alfred Milner's policy. Leading colonists say that should war occur life in South Africa would be almost impossible, owing to the enmitties which would be aroused among the various races. Some of them say that there could be no peace even after the close of the war, and that it would be necessary for the British settlers to and Mr. P. F. Cronin secretary.

he Urdaneta and Crew Were Coralled by the Filipinos.

Only a Small Boat,

Will Raise the Flag on Sulu.

London, Sept. 26. — Sunday journals, without mentioning any name, say a prominent Canadian offers to insure the lives of members of a Canadian regiment, 1000 strong, if enrolled, for the Transvaal, to the extent of a million dollars, the dependents of the killed or wounded to receive the insurance money. I am told that the Canadian referred to is in Canada. ing-The Capture Was Made on Bay-Vessel a Small One-Wash. ington Authorities Make Light of

that the Canadian referred to is in Canada.

The Sunday papers also say that Ottawa cablegrams announce that Hon. J. I. Tarte, Minister of Public Works, is meeting with success in organizing a contingent of French-Canadian volunteers for service in South Africa. They also state that Mr. Tarte, interviewed in Ottawa Friday night, declared it his intention to create a system of buoy lighting on the St. Lawrence similar to that at present followed in Bristol Channel. The cables also refer to his statement regarding the reduction of the grain rates.

Leyds Expects War.

The Brussels correspondent of The Manila, Sept. 26.—It is reported hat the insurgents have captured he United States gunboat Urdaneta n the Orani River, on the northwest patrolling. One officer and nine of her crew are missing.

The United States gunboat Petrel was sent to investigate the matter and has returned here after having discovered the Urdaneta beached opposite the town of Orani, on the Orani Rayer. She had been riddled with bullets and burned and the following guns, with their ammunition, had been captured:—A 1-pounder, 1 Colt automatic gun and 1 Nordenfeldt 25 millimetre gun. The crew of the Urdaneta are prisoners, or have been killed. Further details are lacking.

The Brussels correspondent of The Standard says that Dr. Leyds, European representative of the South African Republic, now recognizes the hopelessness of any attempt to obhopelessness of any attempt to ob-tain European intervention.

A great number of Johannesburg refugees are arriving here daily. The Reltef Committee is paying every at-tention to those who are in need of Harrisburg, Pa., Sept. 26. — The new 28th regiment left Camp Meade yesterday for service in the Philip-

Troops Arrived at Durban, Troops Arrives at Jarssas.

Durban, Natal, Sept. 26.— Seven
enundred and fifty men of the Leicesershire regiment, 750 of the Royal
Jublin Fusillers, 200 mounted inantry and the 18th Hussars have arived at Dundee from Ladysmith.

Despatch Read in Volksraad.

The imperial

Pretoria, Sept. 26. — The imperial despatch was read yesterday in the Volksraad, President Kruger amounced that the reply of the Government of the South African Republicans ic would be presented to the Volks-aad to-day.

#### 60 PEOPLE PERISHED. Terrible Results of Himalayan Earthquakes and Floods.

Earthquakes and Floods.

Calcutta, Sept. 26. — Earthquakes, floods and terrible land slides occurred at and near Darjeeling, in the Lower Himalayas, last night. Great damage was done, and no fewer than 60 natives perished. There was a rainfall of 28 inches in 38 hours. Three bad land slides took place between Darjeeling and Sonada, involving the transsl ipment of a railway train of passengers. According to the latest reports, nine Eurôpean children and 20 natives were lost between these two points. The whole Calcutta road is blocked, and the Paglajhora line has been seriously damaged. About 1000 acres of teas have been destroyed from Jalapahar to Burchill. At the latter place some 8000 feet of the water supply pipes have been ruined. The electric plant has suffered seriously, and the town is in darkness. There is great fear of further rain.

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A despatch from Jalpaiguey, on the River Teesta, 40 miles southeast of Darjeeling, says that a boat crossing the Teesta, with three Europeans and six natives, was awamped by the high waves. The body of one of its occupants has been found 14 miles down the river. It is reported that three Europeans, Messrs. Anderson, Kuster and Whitten, Jumped oversboard. Their fate is unknown. Search parties have been sent out to look for them.

Knezevic Publicly Shot. Belgrade, Sept. 26.—The court yeterday morning rendered judgment the case of prisoners who have been on trial for some time past charge on trial for some time past charged with the attempted assassination of former King Milan of Servia, July 6, when he was shot at by a Bosnian named Knezevic. Knezevic and Paisitch, the leaders of the conspiracy, were sentenced to death; the others were condemned to 20 years' imprisonment. Knezevic was shot publicly yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large crowd.

The Ameer Reported Dead. London, Sept. 26.—The Times publishes the following despatch from Simla: "It is persistently rumored here that Abdurahman Khan, Amee of Afghanistan, is dead, and that awar of succession has already begun So far as the Indian Government is aware, the report is absolutely unfounded.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 28.—At noon yesterday a telegram was sent to the lieutenant-colonel commanding the 48th Highlanders to the effect that the G. O. C. does not approve of the 48th Highlanders taking part in the celebration of Admiral Dewey's victories over Spain, a power friendvictories over Spain, a power friend ly to the British Empire. The appli-cation for permission to go to New York was only received at headquar-York was only received at fleadquarters yesterday morning, and this was the earliest answes sent. Neither this application nor that of the Royal Scots' Pipers' Band was referred to the council, by whom the permission to a regiment to go into a foreign country must be authorized. The decision is, according to a cable, highly approved in London.

Summer Hotel in Kingston. Kingston, Ont., Sept. 26. — At a meeting of citizens last night \$12,-500 was subscribed towards building ner hotel in this city.

Bear Has 15 Prisoners. Seattle, Wash., Sept. 26. steamers City of Seattle and Cottage City, which have arrived from Lynn Canal, had a combined gold cargo of

\$500,000. The revenue cutter Bear, arriving at Sitka, is reported to have had 15 prisoners from St. Michael's and Cape Nome. Writs Against the C. P. R. Toronto, Sept. 26.—The widow of Roadmaster Giles of the C.P.R. is suing for \$25,000 damages for the death of her husband in an accident

at Bull's Head, B.C. Robert Higgins is applying for \$10,000 for injurie received at the same time. Reception to Mr. Blake Toronto, Sept. 26.—A public reception is to be tendered to Hon. Edward Blake, M. P., in the Pavilion, on Oct. 18. Senator O'Donoghue is chairman of the committee in charge, and M. F. Committee in charge,

### \$1.00 a year in advance. \$1.25 if not paid within 8 mo the B. LOVERIN, Proprietor. KAISER SAID ADIEU.

Ir. Rudyard Kipling Intends to Be Awhile in South Africa,

Grand Trunk Railway System earnings, 15th to 21st September, 1899, \$558,310; 1898, \$520,915; increase, \$37,395.

\$558,310; INFO, \$520,910; Infrease, \$37,305.

Mr. Rudyard Kipling intends to revisit Australia, and will possibly stay a short time in South Africa while on route.

Emperor William bade adieu on Monday afternoon to the Crown Prince of Sweden, Prince Ocar Guetavus, and embarked upon the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern.

Jack Bennett arrived in Toronto Monday ready for his 20-round battle with Rufus McNab Wednesday night in the Mutual Street rink. Albert McGrady and Jim Thomas box 8 rounds the same night for the 105 pound championship of Canada.

Toronto, Sept. 26.—At 10 o'clock yesterday morning about 200 tailors and tailoresses, members of the Journeymen Tailors' Union, went out on strike. Nearly all the shops in the city are concerned except a few on

A despatch from General Otis and their willingness to the island of Negros are about to recognize the authority of the United States. An election in Negros will be held on Oct. 2.

When is the majority of stores on street that have been visited signified their willingness to the new scale.

When is the C. P. R. Elevat Winnipeg. Sept. 26. — Who Wheat in the C. P. R. Elevator

War Cests Meney.

New York, Sept. 26.—A special to The Herald from Washington says:
It is already apparent to naval experts that the Government will have to spend several million dollars in refitting for active service the vessels which comprised Admiral Dewey's fleet in the far East. Secretary Long has approved the making of repairs as approved the making of repairs of the cruiser Raleigh which will ost approximately \$500,000, and nother \$500,000 each will have to

be spent on the cruisers Boston and Olympia in order to put them in condition for re-commission. INSPECTION FEES REFUNDED.

en. Spaulding's Protest Results in Washington, Sept. 26 .- Acting Sectory of the Treasury Spaulding Washington, Sept. 26.—Acting Secretary of the Treasury Spaulding yesterday advised collectors of customs at ports on the Great Lakes that taxes on tonnage of steam vessels which have been imposed since Jan. 1, 1801, as inspection fees by Canadian authorities in the Province Canadian authorities in col-of Ontario, will no longer be col-lected. This action is the result of a protest by General Spaulding last month with the Department of State

month with the Department of State that these so-called inspection fees were in contradiction of the agreement by which Canadian vessels entering the United States from Ontaric are exempt from tonnage taxes. The Governor-General of Canada telegraphs that the Ontario officials have erroneously construed the Canadian Steamboat Act and that instruction been issued for a refund will be fully \$3000. Mather Chapman's Will, tions have been issued for a refunction of fees paid by American vessels since Jan, 1.

SIR LOUIS DAVIES Announces a Probable Early Settle-ment of Alaskan Boundary.

ment of Alaskan Boundary.

London, Sept. 26. — Indications point to a speedy and successful termination of the negotiations concerning the Alaskan boundary. Sir Louis Davies, discussing the subject yesterday, announced that the negotiations were proceeding in a way that promises an early and satisfactory adjustment of the dispute.

Now a Fail-Fleagea Frinces.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 26.—The Episcopal marriage service, supplementing that of the Russian Orthodox Church, that was observed on Sunday, which made Prince Catacuzene, Count Speransky of Russia, and Julia Dent Grant, daughter of Brigadier-General Frederick D. Grant, and Julia Dent Grant, daughter of Brigadier-General Frederick D. Grant, and Julia Dent Grant, daughter of Brigadier-General Frederick D. Grant, and Julia Dent Grant, daughter of General U. S. Grant, husband and wife, was celebrated of All Saints' Church chapel here at noon yesterday. The ceremony was one of the most brilliant ever witnessed at Newport. Miss Grant was gowned in white. The prince was in the full uniform of the Chevalier Guards, brilliant' with red and gold. The prince and princess go to St. Petersburg.

Got More Than They Asked.

Buffalo, Sept. 26.—The threat to strike unless their wages were increased 12½ per cent. made by the crossed 12½ per cent. made by the control of the grant was growned active were increased 12½ per cent. made by the control of the grant was growned active were and princess the cup races at New York, after which she will sail for England.

The engagement is announced at Newport, R. I., Sept. 26. - The piscopal marriage service, supple-

Buffalo, Sept. 26.—The threat to trike unless their wages were in-reased 12½ per cent. made by the Buffalo, Sept. 26.—The threat to strike unless their wages were increased 12½ per cent. made by the lake marine engineers has been withdrawn. At a meeting of, the Lake Carriers' Association held in Cleveland yesterday it was decided to increase the wages of all men employed on lake vessels. The engineers are to receive an advance of 20 per cent., which is 7½ per cent. more than they demanded.

National League Baseball Testerday. New York 1, Boston 2. Brooklyn 13, Washington 1. Philadelphia 6, Baltimore 0, St. Louis 3, Louisville 16.

Charged With Manslaughter. Stratford, Ont., Sept. 26, -- Conductor William Bright of Stratford, 7tho was censured by the coroner's pary n connection with the late accident in connection with the late accident near St. Mary's, by which two Brant-ford boys lost their lives, has been arrested on a charge of manslaugh-ter. On being arraigned at the Po-lice Court yesterday he was admitted to bail and the preliminary hearing was fixed for next Friday.

Strike of Journeymen Tailors and

strike. Nearly all the shops in the city are concerned except a few on King stre?t and the establishments of Kennedy & Douglas, A. MacDonald, Coulter & Douglas, A. MacDonald, Coulter & Douglas, Hunter & tovel, and B. Alyward, who since the Strike Committee began to work, have sent in letters to the directors of the union, stating that they will give the desired raise. The new scale which the union demands shall be paid is 20c per hour. The union inow has \$15,000 to back them up. In the afternoon a meeting was held about 4.80 o'clock. Letters of capitulation were read from four Washington, Sept. 26.—The gunboat Urdaneta, which was captured with her crew at Orani, about 25 miles from Manila, on the Bay of Manila, is a little craft of only 40 tons displacement. She was captured by the navy early in the war and has been on police duty in the bay for months past.

Negroes to Become American.

A despatch from General Otis at held about a.so over read from four capitulation were read from four more firms. J. A. White, Window & Son and J. Williamson, King street, Vonce street. Besides Son and J. Williamson, and Mack, Yonge street. Besides this the majority of stores on King the the majority here visited have

Wheat in the C.P.R. Elevators.
Winnipeg, Sapt. 26. — Wheat in store at C.P.R. elevators alorbranch lines in the province and the main line as far west as Sintaluta, aggregates 1,923,000 bushels. This is nearly all No. 1 hard, and represents to farmers, calculating at an average price of 55c per bushel, \$1,060,510. On Saturday the marketing amounted to 247,700 bushels. The top price paid on Saturday was American flag will be raised in Sulu Island. The chief insurgents in Zamboanga are reported willing to accept the authority of the United States, but desire to name conditions which General Otis would not accept.

Meaford, Sept. 26.—On Tuesday morning last about 3 o'clock Mrs. Stopellben, wife of the station agent at Klock's Mills, who had been stay at Klock 8 ania, ing with her father, Mr. Thomas Harris of this place, and for some time of unsound mind, stole away from the family residence, and has not yet been found, although a vig-orous search has been made for miles

Conductor Breaks as area, Toronto, Sept. 26.—Conductor Alton of the Canadian Pacific Railway, while at Mimico, last night, was clinibing down the ladder of the baggage car, when he lost his footing and fell. His right arm got caught in one of the rungs of the ladder, and in falling it was fractured just below the elbow. He came on to the

Elgin Mills, Sept. 26.—The large arns on the farm of Messrs. Newton Bros. here, were shown ton Bros. here, were shown to stroyed by fire on Sunday afternoon. The farm threshing had just been completed, and the season's grain all went up with the buildings, as did, likewise, a number of pigs, the farm wagons and harness. The

London, Ont., Sept. 26.—J. Chap-nan of Norwich has received a letter

man of Norwich has received a setter from Toronto stating that the will of the late Mather Chapman had been registered in the Registry Office, north riding of the County of York, leaving him a fortune of \$500,000. The writer of the letter offers to aend a copy of the will for the usual fee. Toronto, Sept. 26.—The Dominion igar Manufacturers
nened their third annual convention the Council Chamber of the To-

in the Council Champer of the Avronto Board of Trade yesterday.

There were 20 representatives present. Technical and trade papers were read and discussed. The body of Mrs. Frederick Bridg

and.
The engagement is announced at London, Eng., of Miss Isabel Howland, third daughter of the late W. H. Howland, several times Mayor of Toronte, Canada, to Captain Barnett, a surgeon in the Indian sarray. Mrs. W. H. Howland is at present residing in England, and will winter in Switzerland.

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The Dominion Labor Congress, in session at Montreal, on Friday unanimously resolved to form an independent political party, condemned the Government for not enforcing the alien labor law, and for its course on the Chinese question, and elected Ralph Smith, M.P.P., Nanaimo, president. The next meeting will be held at Ottawa.

THE FIRE MECCHE.

Fire on Saturday in the furnace room beneath the dry kiln at W. C. Edwards' mills at Ottawa caused damage amounting to about \$7000. A great fire on Thursday evening almost completely destroyed the famous and beautiful church of San Francisco, Peru, founded by Fissare, in 1886.

