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VICTORIA TIMES, FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1900

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Suide Cake I.

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other joy reigned supreme, and bunting

London, March 1, 7 p.m .- The

) "Neithorpe, March 1, 5:20 p.m.-

I have just returned from Lady-

Y "Except a small guard north of

Surprise Hill, the whole of the

lenemy lately besieging the town

have retired in hot haste, and to

the south of the town the country

"The garrison were on half a

pound of meat per man a day, and

were supplementing the meat ra-

"The men will want a little nurs-

ing before being fit for service."

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is quite clear of them.

tion by horses and mules.

the Town.

THE ENEMY HAVE RETIRED

Text of the Official Message to the War Office-Garrison

Were on Half a Pound of Meat Per

BOERS IN FORCE NEAR PAARDEBERG.

Mafeking-Gallant Defenders Twice Repulse

London, March 1 .- When the news of was everywhere flying in the bright

known, London literally went mad with In the harbors all the vessels dressed

vitnessed have no parallel in the memo- scenes of the wildest enthusiasm pre-

guild no longer be controlled, and with d following is the text of Gen. Bul-

vailed.

smith.

the Enemy.

Tuoy Rout

the relief of Ladysmith became generally March morning.

to-day's crowning triumph, the national) ler's dispatch:

State angle fait signed their state

(Associated Press.)

The pent-up jubilation at the relief of

Kimberley and the defeat of Cronje

trait of self-restraint was thrown to the

Congratulations.

The Lord Mayor of London immedi-

ately telegraphed his congratulations to

Gens. White and Buller, and when the

Queen received the news at Windsor, the

bells on the curfew tower of the castle

This storm of jubilation centred around

the Mansion House, and by noon thous-

ands of persons blocked the many ap-

proaches to that grim building. It was

a dense, black mass, composed chiefly of

business men, the majority of them car-

Cheering the Generals.

House was by mounting the busses, which

soon began to resemble chariots in a

triumphal pageant. Stock brokers, bank-

ers, and workingmen clambered on top,

and as the busses immbered past the his-

toric building the passengers stood up

Business Suspended.

The stores put their shutters up and

Message for Lady Buller.

The Lord Mayor wired Lady Builer as

follows: "My sincerest congratulations

for your gallant husband's achievement."

He also ordered a holiday for the city

Orders were given to ring the bell in

The West end was enthusiastic though

The stately foreign office displayed

A cabinet meeting was held, and as the

nembers met at the entrance to the for-

eign office they exchanged the warmes

congratulations. Crowds blocked the

War office lobbies, struggling to see for

themselves the announcement of the glad

From one end of the metropolis to the

not quite so demonstrative as the city.

large Union Jacks from the windows.

such a day as this did stread

gave their employees a holiday.

St. Paul's this evening.

and up went flags,

for a louder yell.

schools

tidings.

Traffic Blocked.

were rung in honor of the event.

ries of this generation.

winds.

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General Buller Returns to Nelthorpe After The infantry cheered and charged, and to bayonets. Having Paid a Visit to Here they met with a heavy musketry fire. the state of the state of the state The British now command Railway Hill and the direct road to Ladysmith. ORANGE FREE STATE. The second of the second to a second the second at

Large Numbers of Burghers Reported to the South West of the British Camp.

Paardeberg, Feb. 28, (evening) .- The Boers are reported in force to the southwest. da that the asadt and a Man a Day. And benetice of The British are well and cheerful. The Surrender of Boers.

London, March 1 .- With such determined enomies, says a special corresndent telegraphing from Paardeberg under date of Feb. 27th, one would suppose that the Boers would have destroy-British Have Occupied Colesburg-Flight of Burghers Attacks on ed the guns, small arms and ammunition before surrendering. The only thing in-(jured, however, was a Vickers-Maxim piece, which had been hit by a British. shell

> A British officer and nine soldiers, who deep holes by the Boers and kindly treated. The Boers inquired whether Bloemfon-

ov, and throughout England the scenes ship, and at the military and naval depots tein was in peril from the British. When the order came for the Boer prisoners to cross the river to the British camp' they took all that they could carry of such things as pots and pans and blankets, throwing their rifles in two heaps, that gradually increased to huge proportions. As the ford had been swollen by a

heavy rain, the Boers took off their some grim faces, which looked with disting required elsewhere. favor on such sportiveness.

OCCUPATION OF COLESBURG.

come From Inhabitants-Enemy in 18

the government would not allow adequate tawa; Pte. G. T. Thomas, Governor-Genmedical subdles " A 17() [") [eral's Foot Guards, Ottawa; Pte. F. J. ManaGibson Bowics's Proposal Living, 43rd, Ottawa. The list of wounded is a long one. London, March 1-Mr. G.bson Bowles, . In the House, servative M.P. for King's Lynn, who Ottawa, March 1.-Ia the House towas much struck by the statement of Cecil Rhodes, the other day, that the pro- day Mr. G. Taylor askal the Premier if

its of the De Beers Co, last year were it was the intention of the government £2,000,000, and that there are diamonds to place a sum in the estimates to erect The infantry cheered and charged; and in Kimberley now valued at £167,000, m- a monument at the capital in memory of tends to suggest to Mr. Balfour, First Canadian volunteers who fell in the bat-Lord of the Treasury, that the rescued thefield in South Africa. property be distributed among the troops Sir Wilfrid in reply, said that unforas salvage, or at least be applied to the tunately the war was not at an end, alrelief of widows and orphans of the though the success which was lately at-

tained by British arms, the last of which 3 11 - Co & STA was the relief of Ladysmith (cheers), Congratulations From Ottawac. Congratulations From Ottawa. Ottawa, March 1.—Mayor Payment, of tance. The government believes that so long as the war lasts it is their duty to Ottawa, sent the following cable to-day

to the Marguis of Lansdowne, secretary fight battles, and when the war is comof war: "Ottawal Ont., March 1, 1900 Otta-wa tenders, congratulations, and rejoices living as well (cheers).

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An Unparalleled Scene--Every

Member. Leaves the

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House

in the brilliant success of the British sol-The House Montreal, March 1 .- The news of the relief of Ladysmith was received with much greater enthusiasm throughout Eastern Canada than the news of the relief of Kimberley or Cronje's surrender,

In this city crowds thronged the newspaper bulletin boards and manifested the greatest interest in the news, many cheers being raised for the general who has had the most difficult task, to perform in relieving the beleaguered garri-son. Many stores displayed flags and bunking. The MeGill students upon hearing the news, visited several news , As a Protest Against the Actions paper offices, some of whom had leaned mewhat in their sympathy with the Boers. In some instances they took possession of the bulletin boards and com-

fallen.

pelled the proprietors to display British flags. Finding no flag displayed on the were prisoners had been provided with city hall, they marched in a body to the tower of that building and hoisted a flag. Five hundred High school boys are also

parading the streets with banners. Police patrol wagons were ordered out at the instance of some of the French papers to arrest the students, but Ald. Lebeauff, chairman of the police committee, ordered the wagons back to the respective stations without their prey. The Canadian Pacific railway offices and other business houses gave their employees a half holiday. Mayor Prefontaine, in issuing a proclamation for a half holiday, delivered a warm patriotic speech."

Employment of Colonials. Melbourne, Victoria, March 1-The Sectrousers and walked across. The scene retary of State for the Colonies, Mr. looked like a play rather than war. The Joseph Chamberlain, has asked the Ausmen laughed and splashed each other tralian governments whether they would be able to send additional troops to So ith from the water, but among them were Africa in the event of Imperial troops bi-

The Canadians. Ottawa, March 1,-A cable received to- diately rose and left the hall as by mu-Milner to Lord Minto, gives Major Ar-Gen. Clements Received an Enthusiastic Wel- Arnold was given as dead a few days read the following address: ago. The message also says that Private Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legis- pole which would carry a flag was adora-McCreary, Sussex, N. B., is dead,

The usual references to the various tinual fusilade of fire crackers was keep Cable From Col. Otter.

measures passed during the session cannot up. In the development of the celebra-Rensberg, Feb. 28.-Gen. Clements, es-dians did well in the engagement 20 have been sitting almost to a day for the initial contained well in the engagement 20 have been sitting almost to a day for the initial contained well in the set of the have been sitting almost to a day for the joined, setting off a number of giant corted by a squadron of Inniskillings, Tuesday, especially Capt. H. H. Stairs, same period of time occupied by the House crackers at Campbell's corner at norm

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS

Victoria Meteorological Office February 21st to 27th, 1900.

February 21st to 27th, 1900. The week opened Wednesder, 21st time with a storm area over the province, which gradually gave way on the rise of barometer on the Californian coast, the influence of an extensive high area. the Northwest, the pressure increase here on Thursday to 30.44 inches. barometer continued high during the are of the week until the 27th, when it area began failing on the approach of anoth storm area from the North. The following is a record of the mean temperature are precipitation at the stations mamed.

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Relief of Ladysmith Celebrated in Royal Style by Victoria Citizens. and Citizens. in the second state that the second state Bonfires and Fireworks To-Night

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In Honor

where the state and the second The relief of Ladysmith, which has Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2:10 p. been looked for with almost painfel eagerness, was announced early this

Mr. Prentice on question of privilege morning through the medium of the press service. The first intimation armoved, seconded by Mr. Irving, that this rived about 2 o'clock and was quickly House has no confidence in the hon. communicated to the public in the form third member for Varcouver City, Mr. of bulletins at first, but almost as quick-Joseph Martin, who has been called in ly in the noisy demonstrations by means by the Lieut,-Governor to form a gov- of "firecrackers and other mediume

Mr. Speaker said this would require to the remotest part of the city. two days' notice and could only be fire bells took up the news first and moved by the unanimous consent of the their clang was quickly joined by the House. The resolution was carried hoarse notes of the steam whistles, Fairun infimously, with the exception of all's siren in Victoria West passing the Messrs Dunsmuir and Robertson, who tidings on to that suburb and to Merefused to vote, and Messrs. Eberts and quimalt. Hall, who were absent. The result was No time was lost in signalizing the

hailed with cheers. Dr. McKechnie asked that the names of those who refused to vote be taken

His Honor, attended by naval and military officers; here entered the House and took his seat in the Speaker's chair. Both sides of the House imme-

day, dated March 1st, from Sir Alfr.d tual consent, the officials and reporters efforts, and by noon the city presented a nold, Wannipeg, as dangerously wounded. from the galleries. His Henor then excellent displays often made on the oc-

ernment

| lative Assembly:

through which the news was transferred

event in other ways. The Times enjoys the distinction of first throwing its banners to the breeze, the streamers and bunting being out five minutes after the receipt of the intelligence. But all aver the city decorations were quickly displayed while bonfires blazed in front of the Colonist office, the Savoy theatre and at other points.

With the day came more pretentions atione remaining. Loud cheering broke gala appearance far surpassing even the casion of the Queen's birthday.

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STORMING OF PIETERS HILL. rying little Union Jacks... Never before was there such a sale of flags. Through-The Position Carried at the Point of the out this cheering throng there was only an avenue open to traffic, and this was utilized by the business going from east to west. All traffic in other directions was stalled for hours.

Bayonet Boers Raised White Flag. Colenso Camp, Feb. 27 .- The British

successfully stormed to-day the Boer position on Pieters Hill. The only way to get past the Mansion

Since Friday's attack the whole face of the position has been shelled at intervals, but from early this morning the trenches directly opposite the British front and the neck separating Pieters occupy Colesburg Junction, and rode into strewn with lyddite shells and shrapnel. siastic welcome. waving flags, hats and handkerchiefs and It appears marvellous that any human calling for cheers for Buller and Roberts. being could live on the hill. At three Mighty shouts answered them from the this afternoon the batteries fired salvos crowds through which they were passing. and all the heavy ordnance was in con-

The procession became continuous, yet stant action. the crowd never tired of cheering. Every Gen. Barton led his command to the time the name of White, Buller and

extreme right. Col. Kitchener who had Roberts was mentioned off came hats taken Wynne's command, stormed the

centre. The brigade under Col. North-The strain that for 118 days kept the cote attacked Railway Hill. nation in anxiety was removed. The The infantry on the right advanced Lord Mayor showed himself at a window over the hill and forced the Boers into out of which hung a huge City Imperial the neck, while Kitchener led his men Volunteer flag, and the crowd strained over Railway Hill, meeting with little opposition.

The Boers remained in the trenches, All thought of business was forgotten. from which a terrible cross fire was sent Nothing could be done on the stock exduring Friday's fighting. A few of change except to sing "God Save the them escaped to the next trench and Queen" and to cheer. Business closed at oosted a white flag, which they waved 1 o'clock. No one wanted to trade on vigorously. Some prisoners were taken.



them growing the other, advantage of the shelter of earth works, way? Growing weaker, growing thinner, growing

Scotts Emulsion It's both food and medicine. It corrects disease. It makes delicate children grow in the right way-taller, the Portuguese border. He describes stronger, heavier, healthier. soc. and \$1.00. all druggists. SCOTI & BUWNE, Chemists, Torente.

entered Colesburg this morning and received an enthusiastic reception. The Boers are in full retreat. A number of eading men have been arrested. The inhabitants are well and not starying. They have suffered many indigni-

ties at the hands of the Boers but no violence. Official Message. London, March 1.-The war office has

received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts:

"Paardeberg, (date uncertain): Clements reports that on hearing Colesburg had been evacuated, he sent a' force to identification. It will be ready early this Hill from another hill were simply Colesburg, where he received an enthu- vate Johnston of Lambton, and a son of "He secured a certain amount of ammunition, arrested several rebels and 90th Battalion, Winnipeg. then returned to Rensburg. "He reported the railway line clear and working to Lanewelewman's siding. of Militia to-day. Those killed in action "He will report to-morrow as to the were: Pte. A. C. Page, Governor-Gen-

"He will report to-morrow as to the few culverts which have been blown up. "Colesburg and Colesburg Junction are reld by our troops."

Boer Losses at Janeston. Sterkspruit Cape Colony, Feb. 28 .- The New Brunswick Regiment, C.A.; Pte. Boers admit that their losses when Brabant recaptured Janeston were 50 killed,

123 wounded, and 300 missing. ATTACKS ON MAFEKING.

Besiegers Twice Driven Off With Heavy Losses-British Casualties Two Killed and Three Wounded.

A Dreadfully Fatal Disease is Prevent-London, March 1.-A special from Capetown says that relegram has been received there from Mafeking, announcing that the Boers made a severe and

protracted assault on Feb. 17th, but were lriven off at all points. The truce, which is usually observed on Sundays, was broken on the 18th by tection, and with the single exception

children growing nicely is another fierce attack, but after deter- of consumption is the most fatal disease Stronger each month? A mined fighting the Boers were repulsed known to man. trifle heavier? Or is one of The defenders, who were able to take

> lost only two killed and three wounded. -----BRITISH PRISONERS.

paler ? If so, you should try A Contractor From Pretoria Describes Their Treatment as Disgraceful

London March 1.-The Pietermaritzburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph under the date of Tuesday says. "Mr. Gutridge, contractor, who resides at Dandee, after being kept in prison at Pretoria for five weeks, was put beyoad the treatment of the British prisoners :18 disgraceful. Fever had broken out before he left, and a Boer doctor told him

66th Princess Louise Rifles, Halifax, and Capt. A. H. Maedonnell of the Royal Canadian Artillers work accomplished. Canadian Artillery

CREAT LOSS OF LIFE

ed and Cured by Dr. Chase's

Kidney-Liver Pills.

Batteries at Kimberley.

Onebec, March 1 .- A cablegram - has been received here from Captain Ogilvie, dated at Kimberley, reported himself as well. Capt. Ogilvie went with "D" and "E" batteries of the second contingent. which arrived at Capetown a week ago

on Saturday. Evidently both batteries Commandant Cronje, and the relief of have been rushed to the front. Ladysmith, have brought joy to our hearts, and I am sure you will join with me in Killed and Wounded praying that the war may be satisfactorily

Ottawa, March 1.- The military de ended at an early day. partment is working to-day on the line I refer with pride to the conspicuous ga!of killed and wounded for the purpose of lantry shown by the Canadian, troops in action. The message of Lord Roberts must, afternoon. It is also reported that Prihave brought home to the hearts of all Canadians in a most striking manner the intimate relations which exist between the Dr. Johnston, M.P., was not the Johnston killed in the charge on the Boer Mother Land and her Colonies. trenches, but Private Johnson of the While we rejoice over the gallantry of

our Canadian troops, our rejoicing cannot Later-The official list of killed and but be tempered with sorrow for the loss of those, including some from our own wounded was issued by the Department province, who have given up their lives in their country's service.

They have fallen, however, in a noble eral's Body Guard, Toronto; Corp. B. cause, and no higher praise can be awarded Whithey, Royal Canadian Artillery; Pte. G. Ormond, 93rd Cumberland Infantry; to any man than that he died fighting bravely for his Mother Land. Pte. W. A. Riggs, Charlottetown En-I now release you from further attend-

gineers; Pte. J. B. Scott, Royal Canadian Regiment: Corporal F. W. Withers, 3rd As soon as His Honor retired from the House the members streamed back amid Jos. N. Johnston, 62nd St. John Fusilgreat cheering. Mr. Price Ellison swung

his hat in the air and velled: "We Other Canadians who died of wounds are the people." at which deafening received in the action are: Pte. F. Wasdell, 3rd Victoria Rifles, Montreal; Pte. cheers broke forth. Mr. Pooley moved that Mr. Foster A. Roy, 89th Temiscouata and Rimouski Battalion; Corp. W. S. Brady, 43rd O' take the chair, which he did and

Mr. Helmcken moved the following resolution, seconded by Mr. McPhillips: Be it resolved that this House humbly from Bright's Disease. desires to acknowledge with devout

> vidence in the relief of Ladysmith, and ther renewal of assurance of its loyalty. and devotion to the person and throne of Her Most Gracious Majesty, Queen

Victoria, and to tender to her its con-Bright's disease is a further developgratulations upon the glorious achievement of kidney disease, and has for its ment which has just been accomplished most marked symptoms backache and through the extraordinary valor and enuninary troubles. It is insidious in its durance of her loyal and dutiful officers, beginnings as to frequently escape desoldiers and men. That this House desires to extend its hearty thanks to Gen. Buller and staff and men under him, and to further express its deep appreciation Bright's disease is a wasting away of of the love, devotion and bravery con-

the tissues of the kidneys, and in its spicnonsly displayed by the Canadian later stage cannot possibly be cured. So confingen long, however, as the kidneys are not That this House desires also to extend in an actual state of decay, Dr. Chase's its high appreciation to Gen. Sir George Kidney-Liver Piks will revitalize the dis-White and his noble band of defenders eased parts and positively cure Bright's

of the beleaguered garrison of Ladysmith Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are a Be it further resolved that this House perfect and ideal remedy for all kidney extends its deep sympathy to all who have lost relatives or friends during

the war in South Africa. Be it further resolved that copies of these resolutions be telegraphed to His Excellency the Governor-General of Can-

Twenty-five cents a box at al dealers, or Edmanson, Eates & Co., Toronto.

Croup, bronchitis, asthma, and all coughs and colds yield promptly to Dr. band of defenders. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpen-

year. there has which created a great uproar. Business was practically suspended

I regret that on account of this failure At the Albion Iron Works, Penrayar to transact the business required in the Soup Works, the British-American interests of the province, it will be neces- Paint Co., and numerous other mansary to go to the expense of holding anfactories. the men immediately assembling gand cheers for the Roberts and Buller, and the buys other session before the expiry of the fiscal

front, and then dispersed to be During the last few days there have been exceedingly gratifying reports of British energies to augmenting the se success in South Africa. The surrender of monstration. The same was true of the street rallway trackmen

In the harbor the a gallant sight. The C. P. N. ran the Amur the signal, "We VOIL

Early in the day the mayor co the patriotic committee, when decided that a monster der should be held this afternoon followed by general rejoicing The parade was formed at the chr at 3 o'clock, and comprised the partment, with its four fire eng three chemicals, hose wagons etc., the police force, boys' school children, mayor and and citizens generally. An effort also made to secure Algie and her lion to head the procession-the lion a fine symbol of the power whose greatness is eing celebrated to-day.

The Fifth Regiment hand again de monstrated their patriotism by practically giving over the day to musically expressing the joy of citizens. They paraded at 11 o'clock and followed the same route as on the occasion of Cronje's surrender, serenading Turner, Beeton & Co. and other Wharf street firms, the Times and Colonist offices and ending at the city hall. The line of procession was followed by a shouting crowd, who punctuated the numbers readered by the band, with cheers. At fire United States consulate, Hen. Abram Smith acknowledged the compliment thanksgiving the work of Almighty Pro- paid him and invited the boys to when Pretoria was taken. Mrs. Davie takes the present opportunity of a fur- of the Poodle Dog restaurant, afterwards entertained the band to a luncheon, which was thoroughly appreciated and enjoyed by the tired musicians.

To-night the band will give a concert on the root of the Salmon building. Bonfires are to be the chief form of demonstration, those at Beacon Hill and on the Reserve being ignited at 8 o'clock. At the Heimcken homestead several bonfires will be started as well as on the estate of Mr. Dallas Helmcken on Esquimalt harbor. It is hoped that the parliament buildings will be illuminated in honor of the occasion. Clover Dale and other points will celebrate as well. The Union Club has expressed its in-

tention of marking the occasion with a display of fireworks, while citizens are urged to alumate their buildings. Pressure of space forbids a reference

to the individual displays throughout the city. D. Spencer, and indeed all free firms, large and small, snaring nefficient pains nor expense to make the desactstration a great succes.

At Nanaimo.

Nanaimo, March 1 .- News of the relief of Ladysmith was received with wild enthusiasm. Mayor 'Bate immediately proclamed a public holiday, and all places of husiness and workshops without All business buildings are a mass of The House then adjourned with flags and bunting. Bands are playing and everyone is out in holiday "ttire.

bowels. One pill a dose.

ailments. They act naturally and di rectly on the kidneys and promptly and positively cure Bright's disease, diabetes, dropsy, rheumatism, and the most serious complications of kidneys, liver and ada for presentation to Her Most Gra-

cious Majesty Queen Victoria, to General Buller and his officers and men. and to Genera' White and his gallant

cheers.