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Don't Understand the Meaning of All the War Preparations.

NO CESSATION OF THE NAVAL ACTIVITY

Newspaper Men Are at Their Wits End, and Surmise That the Government Must Have Information Which is Not Vouchsafed to the Public-One Correspondent Suggests That Britain is Taking a Hand in the Philippine Question.

The unexampled vigor with which Great Britain is pushing war prepara-tions is astopishing the whole world. All news agencies look upon the presence of the Channel squadron near Gibraltar as an ominous sign, yet no indication of what the Government's intentions are has been given out, and the nation is in a state of pernexity. Every officer and man in the navy has been ordered to the post of duty, and in the dockyards all the men that can be placed are employed and working overtime. The settlement of the Fashoda dispute has made no difference in the matter of pressure in naval quarters, and, of course, there is a difference in the matter of pressure in an question is to be coding that either the whole Egyptian question is to be nixed up in the Philippine question and is working hand in hand with the United States, with whom she has arranged for a coaling station, if nothing more ial, and that this is the cause of the unwonted activity. While nothing very taughted is found in the cable news this morning, there is a good deal which makes interesting reading. 

ENGLAND'S WAR PREPARATIONS.

Public Opinion Perplexed - Everybody in the Dark Completely

dwells at great length on the haste with which war preparations are being carried terances of Lord Salisbury at the banquet

it has been during the past week. Everybody has been completely in the dark. Not earth does it all mean? a single newspaper has received official ina single newspaper has received official in-spiration. Even Lord Rosebery, who broke "Lust night Lord Salisbury especi a' two years' political silence to support ally emphasized his announcement that the Salisbury, has been vouchsafed no information whatever, though it is his policy upon which the country is now united, 'The puzzle is this: Why is England arming to nor I asked one of three leading states arm

An Omnious sign.

The magnitude of our naval preparations is probably not fully realized in those is probably not fully realized in dozen others, with men have in the sunderstood fat Gibrattar, ready for acidity in the back wrops suffer in the sunderstood fat Gibrattar, ready for acidity in the back wrops and the squadron has nothing to do with the squadron has nothing to do with the squadron has nothing to do with the form Break affects on the squadron has nothing to do with the squadron has nothing to have the squadron has nothing to the call the called the squadron has nothing to the called the s Colossis, Rodney; the port guard battle-congo, there is open water communication damage. The entire con-ships Howe, Nile, Sansparell, Thunderer via the Rivers Yobo and Cole to Mesuraand Trafalgar, and the training service bat. Er-Rek, the port of the Bahr-el-Ghazal tral eastern portion of the great marole and vindictive.

force, however, is not specially concerned thate. Yet this is precisely the demand for left to what is called a division of the larly declared she will rather fight for than flect reserve, the composition of which is forego. In view of these facts the occupancy published. This is supposed always pation of Fasheda is seen to be wholly un-

in; yet, although immediately sent aboard means of cutting a Cape-to-Cairo poute, turns received are:

and with every yard of space and every sending gunboats to the head waters of the Moscomin, Smith, 217 majority; Souris, cloak, and by the Queen's request the boy sending gunboats to the head waters of the Moscomin, Smith, 217 majority; Souris, cloak, and by the Queen's request the boy sending gunboats to the head waters of the Moscomin, Smith, 217 majority; Souris, cloak, and by the Queen's request the boy sending gunboats to the head waters of the lead wa Monteil, who was originally charged with this mission.

"This, then, as it seems to me, is the explanation of the relations, between England and France, which impel the British

to Gibralfar and Malta a few weeks ago.

ship loads have just been despatched, 500

and 2000 seamen sent from the naval depot
were 'discharged,' not lent,' which means
Mr. Norman then reviews at length the sent with their bedding to man the 80-ton gur turrets at Dover. The Admiralty has ordered 200 six-inch wire guns put in hand in Stanley at Sheffield. Orders for 200,000. In Stanley at Sheffield. Orders for 200,000,-000 tons of smokeless coal have been distributed among 17 Welsh firms. Although the usual quarterly supplies were sent

is Russia and he is convinced the latter

Continued on Page 4,

lion pounds of tobacco have been prepared at the chief victualling yard, exteen new hydraulic presses being added to handle it. Even a thousand flasks of special wine for

"This rough summary is sufficient to show the extraordinary scale of the British preforward by England, despite the pacific utgiven to General Kitchener on Friday over, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is an ex-Mr. Norman says in part: "I have never quer. Usually every penny for public pur known public opinion to be so perplexed as chases has to be wrung from him. Now

Only a Partial Settlement, well known for a fortnight that the French Government would evacuate Fashoda unconditionally?

An Ominous Sign.

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Where country how far does this take us Supreme Court foom, located near the centre of the Capitol, is wrecked, the valuable resignation of Mr. Morine, Minister of Findule law library connected with it serious the French could not stay at Fashoda. It is a pestilential swamp, swarming with huge, poisonous mosquitoes; white men have to keen their faces and hands away in the Valuable resignation of Mr. Reid, huge, poisonous mosquitoes; white men have to keen their faces and hands away in the Capitol have been destroy.

orpedo boat destroyers. This enormous Lord Salfsbury absolutely refuses to nego-

the quickest to respond, and would man learned from the positive statement of Col.

Proposed by Russian Ambassador dissed to men, all ready to despatch. The land and France, which impel the British Government to prepare for a great war, as it is evident they are doing."

as Commissioner for Crete.

Constantinople, Nov. 6.—M. Novazieneff, the Russian Ambassador to Turkey, has formally proposed the appointment of Prince George of Greece as Commissioner-General of the European powers in Crete.

comparative strength of the two navies; en- Furs for the Little Folk, at Dincens' country neither will nor can fight, and The Bishop of Huron being unable to attend the special convocation at Truity on Saturday, sent his son Mr. Day Baldwon to represent him

New York, Nov/6.—Henry Norman, in his first London letter to The Times to-day,

tremely penurious Chancellor of the Exclie-

to get me out of here?

SUPREME COURT BURNED OUT.

Deal of Damage.

PRINCE GEORGE OF GREESE

as Commissioner for Crete.

Province, whence the way is free to Fasho- pile, from the main floor to the subter- It is feared that complications will arise,

NORTH WEST ELECTIONS.

cers, men, coal, food and shell are poured Egyptian territory, and would possess the dispute. Other Northwest election re made herself godmother. Her Majesty has bed occupied, on Thirsday there were 15. Nile, jeopardizing the security of Hower Connell elected; Wolseley, Dr. Elliott elect- has been christened Victor Alexander. Egypt and joining hands with the Abysed, 52 majority; Edmonton, McCauley has prince of Wales Much Better. the coast guard rserves were summoned by sinians if these were ever hostile to 65 majority as far as heard. nt on leave. The commanding offi- France in 1895 and that she began again defeating Speaker Betts. ers of the volunteer artillery received the in 1896 to attempt, after having abandoned

HAS BOUNCED MORINE.

MR. WHITNEY: Doc, that's terribly bitter stuff you've been giving me lately. When do you calculate

DR. ONTARIO; Don't you fret yourself, my boy. You're a great deal stronger than you were a

Governor Murry of Newfoundland Has Demanded the Resignation of the Finance Minister. St. John's, N. Nov. 6.—There is a Washington, Nov. 6,-The United States

"These twelve, with full crews, ammunida, Khartoum and Cairo, except one break ranean basement, practically is a mass of wrecking the Cabinet and seriously pre-"These twelve, with full crews, ammunition, coal and provisions aboard, are ready
to put to sea, while the cruisers' squadron,
comprising the Terrible, Diadem, Niobe,

Later Returns.

Later Returns.

Winnipeg. Noy. 6.—(C. P. R. Press Report.)—Complete returns from Banff con
Complete returns from Banff conworked at Highest Pressure.

To prepare the above ships for sea in so short a time, of course, the dockyards are worked at the highest pressure.

To prepare the above ships for sea in secured the vital portion of the original are worked at the highest pressure.

Only the portion of Fasheda is seen to be wholly and important since that place is merely one in port.)—Complete returns from Banff constituency reverse the result wired east on Saturday, A. L. Sifton of Calgary having defeated Dr. Brett, leader of the Opposition, by 36 votes. There are 23 ballots in Market Pressure.

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emptory telegrams in one case. Police England or Egypt. It was precisely in the Prince Albert districts McKay and covered from his accident at Sandringham, ere sent in all directions to discover men against this that Sir Edward Grey warned McLeod are probably elected, the latter where he has been joined by the Prin-Batoche, Fisher 20 majority; Mitchell, house without the aid of a stick. The remain till after the celebration of the Prince of Wales' birthday, on Wednesday,

and dressiest styles from the best makers, direct. They arrived last Saturday. Noth-ing newer in town.

while the there's at Particular the work-ing over time on ordered garments every evening, the new store, 140 Yonge-street, corner Temperance, will remain open until 9 o'clock every night."

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pearcan coyness in her after-dinner speech mouth. The channel of the Dvina will be at the Pavilion Saturday night, and reused for the canal as far as Dunaburg,

is very busy just now. Of course it's mild, but it will be colder.

Don't you procrastinate but come right along and sequences and sequences are sequenced by strong winds and gales from the topographical conditions are sequences.

made herself godmother. Her Majesty has also sent the infant a handsome baptismal cloak, and by the Queen's request the boy has been christened Victor Alexander.

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DEATHS. DURZON At her son's residence, Sunday, Nov. 6, 1868. Sarah Anne, reliet of the late Robert Curzon, in the 65th year of her age.

Funeral Tuesday, Nov. 8, at 2.30

The solution of facilities in which the late and discharge cargo with the commerce of the canal.

The solution has always a kindly smile for anchor, and take and discharge cargo with the black King-street cast, have a full assortment of reliable at modest prices.

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## THE CAT EMERGES FROM THE BAG

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## CANAL FROM BLACK SEA TO THE BALTIC

The Big Ditch Could be Finished in Five Years and the Russian Fleet Could Then be Combined Without the Use of the Dardanelles-The Cost Would be About \$154,000,000, and the Scheme Could be Easily Financed.

ever eager and anxious to obtain Constantinople, while Great Britain feared that, with the holding of Constantinople, Russia would do great destructive deeds in Europe and in the East. The City of St. Sophia was the strategical point of the Eastern question. Exit all such lessons!

A capal wholly through Russian territory relegates the Dardanelles to the rank of a ditch. Russia will not be confined. Her fleet can now sail anywhere, thanks to no one but Russia. Verily, "the Bear that walks like a man" has proved himself also able to think and do as a man!

This canal scheme is the startling surprise of the century, and is sprung upon the world at a time when everything points to bear-baiting by John Bull. sides the commercial revolution bound to result, there is the dreadful prospect that the time for declaring all truces off with "the Bear that

REASON NOW APPARENT

New York, Nov. 6 .- (Special to The and Europe and Africa more quickly and World.)-The Press' correspondent at St. economically than can the Americans. The Petersburg sends the following im- canal passes through the best petroleum terportant matter: Russia's disarma-ment proposal and the war talk which Russia the outside world, though it is so enormous

The project is nothing less than a ship canal when it is finished. stocks are more active at prices generally unchanged. Monte Cristo sold as low as 9. Two feet of quartz carrying pay values has been found in Deer Park shaft at 300 feet.

A. R. M.

Will Be in the Band Wagon.

The plan is, it is so simple in its engineer in the entire and also from a financial view ing aspects, and also from a financial view graph would be remarked even in the United States, the country of rapid urban growth. Riga has 282,000 inhabitants, and is growing at a rate which promises to double this the waterway will be ten times as long as the Suez Canal, the territorial conditions are so favorable, and the existing water-way will be in the Band Wagon.

Nicol Kingsmill, Q.C., B.V. (Bon Vivant), across the Lepel watershed, and into the Hat quality is always assured at Dicomprising the Terrible, Diadem, Niobe, Retribution, Blonde, Europa, Australia, Galatea, Melampus, Severn, St. George, Crescent, Sybell, Latonia, Nalad and Mercury, are almost ready. Add to these 11 torpedo gunboats and no fewer than 24 complete the content of the States and Retribution, Blonde, Europa, Australia, It was the best menu, on a large scale, drawn up in Toronto for many a day.

Here there is little work except dreaging plosion occurred, were builded states and it was the best menu, on a large scale, drawn up in Toronto for many a day.

Crescent, Sybell, Latonia, Nalad and Mercury, are almost ready. Add to these 11 the fere is little work except dreaging plosion occurred, were building were blown out and looked doors the territory administered by Egypt before the contented to the stetement only one of his little efforts. Everyone said it was the best menu, on a large scale, drawn up in Toronto for many a day.

"Of course these places are well within two inches; windows in all that part of the building were blown out and looked doors the territory administered by Egypt before the Content of the States and it was the best menu, on a large scale, drawn up in Toronto for many a day.

THE QUEEN'S KINDLY ACT.

Edwards and Hart-Smith, Chartered Accountants, Bank of Commerce Building.

Fine and Cool.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Nov. 6.—

Stood Godmother to Son of a Sold
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Stood Godmother to Son of Kherzon (11 p.m.)—The low area which was nearling the course for the Content of the Content of the States and dispute two inches; windows in all that part of the building were blown out and looked doors to be drawn up in Toronto for many a day.

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Stood Godmother to Son of the Port of Kherzon (11 p.m.)—The low area which was nearling to the course of the Beresina to the Content of the Content of

most the whole territory through which the Territories, and snow is falling heavily over acter, being clay of exceptional consistency Minimum and maximum temperatures:

culated will be necessary to complete the work and open the canal for shipping. The cost is estimated at only 200,000 000 roubles, or \$154,000,000, or about one-half that of the recent valuation of or \$154,000,000, or about one-mair that of the recent valuation in American gold of first; fine and cool.

that are almost isolated at present. The Lake Superior-Fair to-day, light falls of canal will practically give them the import. sleet or snow at some places at night. ance of coast cities, for in each it is planned Manitoba-Cloudy to partly cloudy, with to construct harbor facilities in which the local falls of snow.

this great Russian waterway estimate that urday, the 5th inst., William Mayne
Homer Dixon, second son of B. Homer
Dixon of Teronto, aged 25 years,
WARD—At 104 Adelaide-street east, on
Saturday morning, Nov. 5, Ann Anderson,
widow of the late David/Ward, aged 85
the Duleper, most of which are deep and
the Duleper, most of which are deep and Saturday morning, Nov. 5, Ann Anderson, widow of the late David Ward, aged 85 years, a resident of Toronto Island for 60 wide, can be opened as feeding canals, and thus an immense inland territory of Rustinus and Indiana.

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Perhaps the most direct interest for Am.
Ceryona.

will open a cheap and quick route of transportation to the wheat growers and petrothe Baltic and the Mediterranean with equal

keeps all Europe busy just now, are rerevolution in industrial conditions in Europe, and, indeed, in the whole world, and a complete change in the naval pro-

ROSSLAND SHIPMEN'S.

ROSSLAND SHIPMEN'S.

Rossland, B.C., Nov. 5. (Spe fial.) The canal across the empire, which shall connect the Baltic Sea with the Black Sea, so that the largest battleships can pass through it at reasonable speed. Great as through it at reasonable speed. Great as through it at reasonable speed. Great as through it is so simple in its engineer.

Stocks are more active at the same and the same are size of the plan is, it is so simple in its engineer would be remarked over in the same active at the same are same as the same are same are same as the same are same are same as the same are same as the same are same are same are same as the same are same are same as the same are same are same as the same are same as the same are same are same as the same are same are same as the same are same as the same are same are same are same are same as the same are same are same as the same are same are same as the same are same are

the Black Sea, where the Port of Kherzon (11 p.m.)—The low area which was nearing

and much other necessary material can be pelle, 26-34; Winnipeg, 18-28; Port Ar. manufactured as the work proceeds, from thur, 28-32; Toronto, 38-46; Ottawa, 42-50; Montreal, 42-52; Quebec, 48-50; Hall,

the fluctuating rouble.

Besides the two terminal ports, fifteen inland ports are to be created from cities take Superior—Eair to-day light falls of