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Hon. Mr. Chamberlain Expresses Optimistic Views.

THE GOVERNMENT WILL NOT BE RUSHED

Into Any Action Not Warranted by Circumstances.

TRANSVAAL TO BEAR PART OF WAR

London July 29. - Colonial Secretary Chamberlain appeared in the House of Commons today for the first time since the recent accident in which he was hurt. He was greeted with bearty cheering and later he was variety congratulated by Sir Henry Campbeil-Bannerman, Liberal leader in the House.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman enpplimented his congratulations by asking for information of the Colonial Conference. He expressed the hope that lenient treatment could be extended to the

Boers in South Africa. Mr Chamberlain replied that the one spirit animating the members of the conference was the desire to draw closer together the constituent parts of the Empire, and he thought it safe to say that the conference had made important progress towards a perfect union to which he himself looked forward.

Mr Chamberlain dealt comprehensively with the past and future of South Africe. "We have no intent'on," he definished perfectly before leaving clared, "that the Boers should break with their old traditions. We desire that they should preserve all the best characteristics of their race, and hope they will shake hands with us, thus securing prosperity in Scuth Africa, under the flag which protects different races and different religions." That sentiment was the keynote of the speech. Dealing with the much discussed labor question, Mr. Chamberlain said he believed every inducement to labor should be held out to the blacks, but he said no scheme of compulsory labor would receive the elightest Government support. There was no intention of packing the country with Britishers, but so much Transvaal land was lying idle that the colonies could only be made a great corn producing factor by bringing in British settlers. Lord Milner, the High Commissioner of South Africa, had telegraphed spontaneously that he did not think further legislation necessary to make the banishment proclamation effective. The Government, however, reserved to itself the important right in the new colonies to refuse to allow the return or to keep watch over persons who showed themselves inimical to good order and peace. "We are not going to allow the result of the war to be undermined," said Mr. Chamberlain, "by in-

> tional means." Regarding the future status of South Africa the Colonial Secretary said the Imperial Government had established a Crown colony in the strictest sense. The next step would be to add a nominated official element. Thereafter there would be an elected official element, and then nothing but circumstances and time would separate the new colonies from self-government, the ultimate goal of their ambi ion. That consummation would not be delayed if for no other reason because it might relieve the government of the tremendous burden of responsibility involved in the present situation, but all must understand that the Government would not be rushed or bustled into any action which circumstances did not war-

> trigues carried on by nominally constitu-

Toe speaker said he was one of those optimistic enough to believe that the new colonies would reach the ultimate goal of their ambition much sooner than many persons now thought possible. So far as the government was concerned, the surrender promises would be kept in spirit as well as in letter. The government, he said, was bound both by honor and by interest to this course.

There remained many questions to be dealt with; a new tariff must be arranged involving incricate questions concerning which experts must be consulted, and the taxation of mines must be settled, but he wished to say nothing would be done to punish owners of mines, as had been suggested in many quarters. The Government would do nothing to interfere with a quick revival of development of the country. Subject to that consideration Mr. Chamberlain continued, no man was more anxious than he to recover some cossiderable part of the cost of the war from South Africa. He thought it would be perfectly fair to lay a fair part of the cost of the war on the principal industry of the Transvaal, but what amount, it was too soon to say.

THE AUSTRALIAN PREMIER.

Of Sir Edmund Barton, Australia'a representative at the Colonial Conference, Mr Ambrose Pratt writes as follows in the London Daily Express :-Sir Elmund Barton is in person a man of medium height and rather ponderous physique. His face is large, good-humored and intelligent. He has the eyes of a humoriet, the mouth of an orator. His mobile upper lip slightly protrudes when he speaks, and assumes a thousand shapes, as though to lovingly caress each departing word. His voice is sonorous and its delivery somewhat slow. Everything about the man is massive, solid and confidence-inspiring. His manner is full of charm, and is respon-

clude this sketch with an anecdote which will display Sir Edmund Barton's character better than a long-winded panegyric. At the last great electioneering fight, whose issue was understood to practically decide whether or not New South Wales should join the Commonwealth, Mr. Barton was opposed by gentlemen whose adherents resorted to every trick and artifice known even to Australian politicians. Lies were unblushingly promulgated, and personal abuse of the most cowardly, foul and malignant type was utilized to secure Mr. Barton's defeat. Shortly before the polling day Mr. Barton's friends met together, and so doubtful was the issue that the majority declared for reprisals in kind. A scheme previously prepared, was recited-a scheme which, if put into practice, would undoubtedly have turned the scales in the statesman's favor. Mr. Barton listened to his advisers with his usual courtesy; but when the scheme was completely unfolded he got to his feet.

"Gentlemen," said be, "if I cannot win clean-handed I prefer to los-!" The phrase has become a proverb.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S SON.

London, July 30,-Mr. J. Austen Chamberlain, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, son of the Colonial Secretary, will, it is announced, succeed Mr. Gerald Balfour as President of the Board of

The office of President of the Board of Irade carries with it a salary of \$10,000. and in recent Ministries a seat in the Cabinet. Mr. Gerald Balfour, who resigns the post in consequence of the change of Premierabip, is the brother of Mr. Arthur B. lfour, the new Prime Minister. He was Chief Secretary for Ireland in Lord Salisbury's 1895-1900 administration, and has lately suffered from

Mr Austen Chamberlain, who is thirty nine years of age, is the son of Mr Joseph Chamberlain, the Coloniai Secretary, to whom he bears a remarkable likeness. He entered Parliament in 1892 as a member for East Worcestersbire, and was Civil Lord of the Admiralty from 1895 to 1900, when he was ap pointed financial secretary to the Treasury, both of which offices entail ce of parliamentary business. As head of the Board of Trade the president is responsible in the House of Commons for passing great bills of domestic commercial importance, such as the proposed Water Supply and Dock Unification Board for Loadon bills.

WATCH CAST UP BY THE SEA.

After having been tossed up by the waves of the Pacific for probably more than a year, a gold watch, its hands gone and its dial figures almost obliterated by the wash of the sands, was found yester day at high tide on Baker's Beach. The finder, Mrs. O. Haldeman, wife of a collector for the telephone company, who lives at 437 O'Farrell street, thinks the timepiece may be a relic of the wrecked Rio de Janeiro.

Mr. and Mrs. Haldeman were strolling along the beach when Mrs. Haldeman bserved what she thought was an unsually bright shell. She stooped to pick it up, and found that it was a wa'ch which the incoming tide had cast up.

The timepiece is of French make and undoubtedly was at one time valuable. Although its mechanism is rusted and clogged with sand, the case is as bright as the day it left the watchemith. The case is handcarved. On the back are traced two doves. Inside the case are engraved the numbers 22,164 and 8,659

Haldeman says a local jeweler has already offered to buy the watch from him, but he will not sell it.

It might be a priceless memento to some one who lost a friend or a relative at sea, he says: "If any one can prove his right to it I am ready to give it up."

Charles C. Horton and J. P. Hofele filed notice with the clerk of the United Sta es District court yesterday that they had located the wreck of a vessel off the shore of Martin county. The wreck which may be that'of the Rio de Japeirc, is 600 feet of the shore line, between Examiner.

Unmistakable Signs of Catarrh.

If you have ringing in the ears, droppin the throat, bad breath, headache, morning weakness, had taste in the mouth -then it's catarrh. Use Catarrhozone Inhaler four times daily and erradicate this awful disease from your system. Catarrhozone kills the germs, heals the inflammed membranes, clears nose, throat and air passages at one application. Ferrcand deafness, prevents dropping, and is warranted to absolutely cure all forms of Catarrh, Bronchitie, Asthma and Lung \$1.00; trial size 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Oat. Dr. Ham ilton's Pills Cure Headache.

A NARROW MAJORITY.

London, July 31 .- After being subjected to vigorous attacks from the Liberal leaders, one of the most important sessions of the government's education bill was passed in the bosse of commons last night by 230 votes to 189. This small government majority was greeted with prolonged cheers from the opposi-

Previous to the vote Sir William Vernon Harcourt (Liberal) made a speech which was characterized by all his old time vigor. He declared the present house did not reflect the opinion of the country and that if the government did not know this it would soon learn it. The speaker said Mr. Balfour, the premier, demanded unconditional surrender but that he would never get it, that the education bill was sible for the fact that he possesses the the negation of popular control and a viomost numerous personal following and lation of every principle of sound finance

THE WHIRE OF SOCIAL AND BUSY GOSSIP.

EASILY DIGESTED.

FRIDAY'S DAILY.

The schooner Panders, R.A Holder, master, cleared today for Salem, Mass., for orders, with a cargo of hemlock lumber belonging to A F Randolph & Sons of this city.

John McGilvery who has always been considered a first class barber, is soon to go into business on his own account, in the rooms recently occupied by T. J. Carter, just below the Queen botel. The officers and men of No. 4 Company

now parade in their shirt sleeves and wearing cow breakfacts turned up at the aide. It is a committeense outfit for the very much. J. M. Johnson, of Calais, has sold to

George Leavitt, of Boston, the well known stallion Kwation, reported price \$2,500. Kwanon bas a record of 2 20 and many predict a much lower mark for this handsome horse.

A late militia order states that Capt. P. E. Thacker, baving returned from service in South Africe, resumes duty with the Royal Capadian Regiment and is posted with No. 5 Company at Quebec. Capt. Thacker was formerly adjutant of No. 4. Company of this city.

A young son of Allan Russell, of Newcastle, was drowned off Point Au Car vesterday afternoon. He was a passenger on the steamer Miramichi and was accompanied by his mother and family. In playing he stepped overboard. The body has not been recovered.

The contract for the new skating rink, to be erected on Carleton street in rear of the post office, has been awarded to Wm. Minue, of Gibson. He is to commence work at once and undertakes to have the much acquaintance with the inside prac- building completed by November 15th.

> Premier Tweedie writes from London under date of 15th inst, that he had expected to leave for home by the Parisian on the 14th inst., but as the coronation was likely to take place on the 9th of August, he had decided to remain and see it, as most of the other premiers intended to do so.—Chatham Advance.

> Miss Millie Robinson, daughter of Policeman Duncan Robinson of Marysvide, died this morning at 2 o'clock of consumption. She was but 16 years of age hut for some time has been in declining health. Besides her parents seven sisters and four brothers survive her. The funeral will take place on Sunday, Rev. W. R. Robinson officiating, and Undertaker John & Adams in charge.

> Work on the new fountain on Parliament Square, has been completed and the water was turned on last evening. The fountain is a large one of splendid design, and not withstanding the adverse criticism of a few people who evidently know not a good thing when they see it, adds materially to the beauty and attractiveness af the square. The flower beds on either side of the fountain also took well, but would be better appreciated by the public if the wire fences which surround them, were taken away.

The funeral of the late Thomas Sansom took place from his son's residence at Nashwaaksis this afternoon and had a large attendance. An impressive service was conducted at the house by Rev. S. Sykes, of this city, in the presence of a number of friends and relatives of the deceased. The remains, which were incased in a beautiful charcellor cloth casket with drop shripe sides and textile mountings, were afterwards taken to the Pickard burying ground and interred. Robert B. Adams, the well known undertaker of Cavallo and Sausalito. - San Francisco this city, was in charge of the arrange-

Mr. L. W. Bailey, jr., of the Bank of B. N. A., who is spending a few days here before resuming his duties at Hali fax next week, has just returned from a delightful outing on the St. Lawrence with a party of friends. Mr. Bailey, so the Herald hears, contemplates committing matrimony at an early date, the prospective bride being Miss Gale, daughter of Dr. G. Goldsworthy Gale, a prominent ozone quickly remedies the head noises resident of Quebec. Mr. Bailey is a highly esteemed young man, who has made excellent progress in bis employ, and his numerous Fredericton friends will wish Troubles Two months' treatment costs him every success in his domestic

Policeman J. A. Simpson of Amberst, N. S., arrived here by this morning's train and will return bome this evening, taking with him, Lena Adams, the girl arrested by the Fredericton police yesterday on the charge of theft. Is appears that the girl is wanted for the theft of a pocket book, containing \$100, from a Mre. Aboud, who lately removed to Amheret from St. Mary'e, this county, with the object of locating there. The Adams girl was in Mrs. Aboud's employ as a domestic, and took her departure rather suddenly from Amherst, on Saturday. She bought a ticket for Portland, Maine, and seemed to have plenty of money when she left Amherst, though when searched after her arrest here not a cent could be found. The police think that, fearing arrest, she handed her money over to some friend here for safe

At a regular meeting last evening of Woolastook encampment, No.17 I.O.O.F. the following officers were installed into

Golden's where refreshments were served and a pleasant hour spent.

Messre. J. M. Torrance of this city and George Hulme of Maryaville are the representatives to the Grand Encampment which meets at Charlottetown, P. E. I., on the 12 h inst.

MONTHLY STATISTICS

Substantial Increase in Customs Returns and Savings Bank Deposits.

Judging by the Savings Bank returns it is quite evident that there are some people in Fredericton and vicinity who are making money and saving it as well. During the month just ended no less than \$24,676 was deposited in the government savings bank here and only \$7,403.93 withdrawn, making the net deposits for the month, \$17,273.07. The amount due depositors on July 31st was\$919,475.41.

The value of goods entered for consumption at the port of Fredericton during the month of July was \$21,396, against \$19,102, for the corresponding month last year. The duty collected during the month just ended was \$2,446,19, against \$1,713,06 for July

Ten burial permits were issued at the city clerk's office during July as follows Heart failure.....2 Alcoholism.....1 Accidental.....1 Pneumonia.....1 Drowning.....1 Cancer.....1 Bright's Disease.....1 Paralysis1 Cholera Infantum.....1

Total..... 10 The amount collected in fines at the Fredericton police court during the month just ended was \$210, which includes penalties in four Scoot act cases.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers are Interested.

(Friday's Daily.) CH Baird of Toronto, is a guest at the

Queen. R A Austin of Ottaws, is stopping at the Queen.

A McN Shaw of St. John, is a guest at he Queen today.

N D Hooper of St. John, is a guest at Windsor Hall today. J W Godard and son of St. John, are

guests at the Queen. E G Evans of Hampton, is among the

guests at the Queen. J M Robinson of Toronto, is among the guests at the Barker.

George E. Miller and wife of St. John, are guests at the Queen.

D D MacLaren of St. John, is among the guests at the Queen.

W. G. Lee, of Truro, N. S. is among he gueste at Long's hotel. John Stewart of the C P R, Woodstock,

registered at the Barker yesterday. Policeman J A Simpson of Amherst, is

among the guests at Windsor Hall. Eugene A. Raw and wife of Bethle hem, Pa., are guests at Windsor Hall.

Inspector McKenzie of the Bank of B. N. A., is among the guests at the Queen. Mrs Carlisle of Douglas, is visiting ber daughter, Mrs A E Hanson, St. John

C B Foster, district passenger agent of the CPR, registered at the Queen last

W H Fry, equity court stenographer of St. John, is among the guests at the Queen today.

W Max Aitken of Halifax, is among the visitors to the city today. He is a guest at the Queen.

CE Higgins and wife, and Charles'R Hayes of Boston, were among the guests at the Burker yesterday.

Miss Blanche Whitehead of Boston, who has been spending her vacation here. leaves for the Hub tomorrow afternoon. Capt A G Morris, R A, of Bermuda, and Capt C Lincoln of the Imperial army service, Halifax, were at the Queen yesterday.

Robert Turner of St. John, who served in South Africa with the 2nd C. M. R., is a guest at Long's hotel with Mrs.

Capt H F McLeod, who has been enbying an outing on the headwaters of the south west Miramichi, returned bome last evening.

Mrs. B. H. Thomas, and Mrs. Ermerson of Dorchester, who have been visiting friends at Mangerville, return home tomorrow morning. R F Black, of F B Edgecombe's estab-

lishment, left last pight for St John where be joined Rev Willard Macdonald for a acation trip to Grand Manan. Mr and Mrs Norman McDonald and

children returned by boat yesterday from a pleasant vacation trip to Prince Edward Island, Mr McDonald's former home. H V Brown of Worcester, Mass., who was bere last summer on his bridal tour

and made many friends, arrived by hoat yesterday, and is a guest at Windsor Hall Mr and Mrs Alfred Draper, Mrs Catherine Draper, Misses Mary E., Charlotte H., and Master Percy Draper of Boston, arrived here by the noon train today,

and are gues's at Windsor Hall.

Rev Charles R McNally and Mrs McNally, of Lowell, Mass, are on a short visit to Halifax. They are guests of the proprietor of the Carleton. Rev Mr McNally is a former Freder ctonian. Mrs McNally was formerly of Truro. - Halifax Chronicle.

Colonial's Will See the King.

London, Aug. 1-It has been practically decided that King Edward is to reRemarkable and Alarming Disturbances in California.

PEOPLE FLEEING IN TERROR FOR THEIR LIVES.

Territory 15 by 4 Miles Full of Gaping Holes.

San Luis Ohispo, Cal, Aug. 1.-A strip

of country 15 miles long by four miles wide rent with gaping fissures and dotted with bills and knolls that sprung up during Wednesday night as if by magic, village in rains and hundreds of people fleeing for their lives, are the results of Wednesday night's seismic disturbance in the valley of Los Alamos, in the northern part of Santa Barbara country. During the last four days that section of the country has been shaken by a series of earthquakes that is without precedent in the history or tradition of the Pacific coast, and the continuance of the disturbances and the increasing severity of the shocks have so terrorized the inhabitants that they are leaving for other ports as rapidly as possible, and even now the village is almost entirely deserted.

The disturbances began Sunday evening with a shock which caused several thousand dollars' worth of damage to property in the village and the surrounding country, being more severe and disastrous in the vicinity of the Western Union Oil Company's oil wells on the Carriga ranch This shock was followed by a number of disturbances less severe and less disastrous, continuing through the remainder of Sunday night and Monday.

The most severe shock of the entire series occurred Thursday. Hills were shaken and twisted to their foundations, and the valleys trembled and rolled like the surface of the ocean. Great fissures were run deep in the earth, hills and C Dillon of Fort Fairfield, is a guest at | knolls appeared in level valleys, springs of water appeared in places that had been dry and the general topography of the valley was greatly changed in many re spects. The disturbance had no general direction, but was what is known as a

With the first warning of the sound o the approaching disaster the terror-strick en people rushed into the streets and sought places of safety in vacant lots and roads, while many fled toward the neighboring bills.

The earth trembled and rolled and twisted until it was impossible for people to stand erect, and the terror-stricken inhabitants crouched together in the darkness fearful that the earth beneath might open and swallow them.

When the most serious shocks had passed and the rumbling noises had died away the people gathered in groups about the ruins. In the darkness of the night it was impossile to determine the full extent of damage wrought, but with the dawn of day the stricken village had the appearance of the ruips of a city long deserted. A church had been levelled to the ground and not one brick building was left standing. Chimneys had toppled over, frame buildings had been wrenched apart and thrown from their foundations, telegraph and telephone wires had been broken and there was not a building in town that had not been damaged more or less seriously.

A conservative estimate of the loss to property in the village is \$30,000 and this amount will probably be greatly increased by the damage in the surrounding country.

The extent of the most severe portion of the disturbance is 11 miles long by four miles wide, but the shock was felt throughout Santa Barbara and San Louis Obispo counties.

The disturbances continued throughout the day at intervals of two hours; but none of the shocks were severe. The people have deserted the village, every conveyance has been taken and the passenger and freight trains that have left here since the severe shock of last night have been loaded with people fleeing for

Since the first disturbances on Sunday night there have been more than 70 distinct shocks, and those who have been keeping records have now given up, as the disturbances have become almost continuoue.

A CONTRAST.

Mr. McHugh an Irish Nationalist M.P. has been sent to jail for three months for contempt of court. During a trial for libel Mr. McHugh called the presiding justice a -- liar, and refused to apolo gize, saying to the magistrate: "I never express regrets to sweeps of your kind."

Mr McHugh, bowever, gets off much better than the British Columbia editor who, charged with contempt of court, humbly apologized, but was eent to jail for nine months, illustrating that justice in Canada is not tempered with mercy to the same extent as in Ireland.

In deprecating the imprisonment of the British Columbia editor, the Hamilton Spectator gives the following story of an earlier experience in the same line: "Early in the history of the province, the late Hon. John Robson, afterwards Premier of the Province, published The British Columbian in New Westminster. British Columbia was then a Crown colony, and the young editor's criticisms

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