

"GREETINGS TO ALL FOR A NEW YEAR TO COME."

YET ANOTHER REVERSE IN THE ORANGE RIVER COLONY

Lord Kitchener Reports that Boers Captured Helvetia, Killing and Wounding 50 and Taking 200 Prisoners—The Place Was Retaken, However—The Yeomanry Released.

THREE-FOURTHS R.C.D. OFFICERS FELL ON THE TRANSVAAL VELDT

Stirring Story of the Work Done by the Corps Under Major "Bush" Forrester—Toronto Men With General French in Twenty Different Fights—A Game Lot.

THE JAILER KEPT HIS NERVE

"You Started the Fire, Now Bake or Put it Out," He Shouted to His Prisoners.

ASHANTEE REBELLION ENDED

Col. Willcocks Called to London That All the Rebel Chiefs Have Surrendered.

COLLIERIES WILL OFFER DEMAND

Courts an Inquiry and Blames Kitchener for the Lindley Disaster.

REFUSES TO BE SCAPEGOAT

Insufficient Orders Were Given Him, He Declares, and He Was Obeying Lord Roberts.

WAR DECLARED ON BRODRICK

Quotes Lord Roberts as Saying He Should Have Sacrificed His Force for Rich Yeomanry.

ONE HERO OF PARDEBERG

Tablet Unveiled in St. John's Church, Norway, Yesterday in Memory of Pte. Jackson

DEV. W. W. WEEKS OF TORONTO

Rev. W. W. Weeks to Rockefeller's Church in Cleveland.

W. S. SIDDAU, ARCHITECT, 75 YONGE, TORONTO

Advertisement for W. S. Siddau, Architect, 75 Yonge, Toronto.

AN INTERVIEW WITH "BIG BEN" IN THE BELFRY OF CITY HALL

Climbing Up the Wooden Stairs—The Big Fellow Will Belch Forth a Dozen B Flats to Usher in the New Century—Smaller Bells Will Give the Ting-Tang.

Big Ben and his colleagues. The capacity of the three bells, with B flat as the key note is as follows:

St. James' Cathedral Chimes. There are eight bells at the Royal Courts of Justice in London, which were cast in 1854.

Other Large Bells. "Big Ben" is probably the largest bell in the world, and there are few larger in Great Britain.

TWENTY BODIES WASHED ASHORE

RESULT OF GALES IN CHANNEL

Victims of the Wrecked Bark Primrose Hill—Beaver Liner Lake Megantic Bound for Canada Had a Rough Time and Had to Return to Queenstown.

STEAMER LAKE MEGANTIC

Was Battered and Had to Return to Queenstown.

SCRANTON STRIKE OFF

The Scranton street car strike was called off last night.

MILLIONS OF MONEY ADDED TO CAPITAL

Dominion Iron and Steel Company Held an Important Meeting.

MARKETABLE PRODUCTS

Will Be Ready to Compete With the Whole World Within Twelve Months.

BIG COKE OVENS FOR MONTREAL

Coal to Be Brought From Cape Breton and the Sudbury Smelters Supplied.

IRON FURNACE IN JANUARY

It was also stated at the meeting that the first iron furnace would be started in the middle of January.

DROWNED BY THE HUNDREDS

Shipwrecks in Japan Result in Awful Destruction of Life, Say Reports Received.

A TRAINING VESSEL GOES DOWN

Officers, Cadets and Sailors Perished—Total Loss of Life Estimated at 118.

MARRIAGES

BRIGGS-CHRISTIE—On Dec. 28, at the residence of Mr. Briggs, Mr. James Christie, 17 St. George Street, was married to Miss Mary Christie, daughter of Mr. R. G. Christie, 17 St. George Street.

CHINA ACCEPTS TERMS AND ASKS FOR SUSPENSION OF HOSTILITIES

An Imperial Edict Issued Unexpectedly Which Authorizes Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang to Open Negotiations With the Powers at Once—Some Late Skirmishes.

China accepts the joint note and authorizes Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang to negotiate and to ask for a suspension of hostilities.

WEST LORNE VILLAGE ALMOST WIPED OUT BY FIRE LAST NIGHT

The Loss is Estimated at \$100,000, and the Business Part of the Village is in Ruins—No Fire Fighting Appliances—Help Which Came Too Late.

ALEXANDER JARDINE DEAD

President of the Pure Gold Manufacturing Company Passed Away in the Night.

When a Member of His Family Went to Wake Him on Sunday Morning.

COLD WAVE COMING

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Dec. 30.—(8 p.m.)—A disturbance which is developing with rapidity over the Central States, promises to be important on our Atlantic coast.

PROBABILITIES

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Strong northerly to westerly winds; cold snow falls, turning decidedly easterly Tuesday, decidedly cold.

Table with columns for ship names, destinations, and dates. Includes entries like 'From Liverpool', 'To London', etc.