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PEACE RECEDES

Mr. Roosevelt and his principal adviser, Mr. Hay, are frequently quoted as desiring another peace conference and as anxiously awaiting the day when there shall be no more war but only a sort of international police system.

Our possession of the Philippines, our interest in the trade of the Orient, our building the Isthmian Canal, our insistence upon the Monroe Doctrine, all these things are very much of the same nature and for the same purpose.

The United States navy has grown within less than a generation, from a second-rate battleship and a few gunboats to one of the most powerful naval forces in the world.

Mr. Roosevelt describes the navy as so much insurance. Apparently then the risk insured against grows greater year by year, for the premium increases quickly and steadily.

BEEF CATTLE IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Mr. J. F. Tweeddale gave the farmers of this province something to think about in his paper on beef cattle, published in The Telegraph yesterday.

He argues for a hardy breed of cattle, of good size, good milks, and first class for beef, indicating the Shorthorn as his choice.

anything like it should. It is not comparable with the Western product. But some good beef is grown in this province already, and for it a good price is paid.

ONLY LAUGHING GAS

When Dr. William Osler was recently described by some one as the greatest physician in the British Empire he was at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, but his call to Oxford had been announced and had made him more than ever a popular figure.

Society talks lightly of such proposals, and sometimes discusses the advisability of ending the lives of the hopelessly insane or incurably sick by anaesthetics, but society pays policemen and judges who arrest and punish anyone detected in an attempt to use chloroform in lethal doses.

THE FINDING

Earlier reports of the North Sea tribunal's finding were incorrect, as we had hoped. The commission finds for Great Britain in the matter of all the important contentions.

The statement that the Russian commander is not to be censured because he steamed away without stopping to assist the injured travelers is not an unreasonable one; for, if we are to assume, as the commission does, that the Russian believed his fleet in danger from a torpedo-boat flotilla, his business was to save his fleet by whatever means seemed best.

THE PRICE

There is news this morning of what may be the initial moves in another great battle in Manchuria, perhaps the greatest of the war, although the preliminary work, the flanking and sparring for advantage, may occupy a considerable period.

THE TROUBLE IN CARLETON

If one were to accept all of the newspaper testimony in evidence of late he might be convinced that certain people in Carleton county, and in Woodstock in particular, had been engaged in a series of attempts to suppress liberty and set back the hands of the clock in several important respects.

True, it is not to be supposed that he had any reason to expect that he would not receive fair play; but it is usual in such cases to be up and doing and not to take long and seemingly unnecessary dances. One man's watch may be right

READ THESE ORGAN BARGAINS

An unexcelled opportunity for church or lodge to secure a practically new Organ at a ridiculously low price. D. BELL, cottage style, \$43. UNBRIDGE, suitable for Sunday School, 57.

LAYTON BROS.

144 PEARL STREET, MONTREAL.

A GREAT WAR-TIME ENGINEER

Prince Khilkoff, the czar's minister of ways and communications, contributes a striking article to Collier's, telling of the manner in which the single track Trans-Siberian railroad has stood the tremendous strain put upon it by the war.

MR. RUSSELL N'T ILL

A false impression was created by a despatch concerning Mr. David Russell recently printed in the St. John Sun and Star. Mr. Russell is not going to Europe for twelve months as was stated. He intends to go to England for a few weeks in the near future, to attend to his business interests there.

NOTE AND COMMENT

The Russian ambassador, at Washington says all talk of peace is nonsense. Russia will keep up the war until she wins. The Japanese minister says the same for Japan. And probably the Japanese means what he says, while Count Cassini merely says what he is forced to say.

PAARDEBERG

SEARS (Majuba Hill, Feb. 27, 81—Soldiers of the Queen, Paardeberg, Feb. 27, 1900.)

THE LUCKY WOMAN

How Good Health Came to Mrs. Deschamps After Much Suffering. Mrs. Abraham Deschamps, wife of a well known farmer at St. Leon le Grand, Que., considers herself a lucky woman.

D. A. R. ANNUAL MEETING MARCH 31

Canada, Feb. 24.—(Special)—Tomorrow's Ottawa Gazette will contain the notice of the annual meeting of the Dominion Atlantic Railway in London, England, March 31st, to receive a report of the directors authorizing the purchase of the Midland Railway and sanctioning the agreement entered into by the directors for this purpose.

Maud Gonne Wants a Divorce

Paris, Feb. 25.—(Special)—The tribunal of the Seine today heard the preliminary application of Mrs. Maud Gonne, formerly Maud Gonne (the Irish Joan of Arc) for a divorce from Major Macbride, who was a prominent member of the Irish regiment of the Boer army.

Queens County Man's Hard Luck

The Rapids, Queens county, Feb. 21.—R. J. Phillips has met with another loss, this time a valuable blood mare. The animal broke her leg in the stable and had to be killed. It is only a short time since Mr. Phillips lost his pocket book containing \$70.

DISTINGUISHED WOMAN DEAD

Mrs. John Medley, Widow of Metropolitan of Canada, Passed Away. Frederick, Feb. 26.—(Special)—Mrs. Margaret Medley, widow of Right Rev. John Medley, Metropolitan of Canada, passed peacefully away at her home here at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

News of her death occasioned deep regret among all classes here and was referred to in feeling terms by Canon Roberts at St. Ann's church this evening, and by Rev. Sub-dean Street at the Cathedral service.

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WOMAN'S SAFE DEPOSITORY

A Germantown householder who had given various valuable papers to his wife to take care of, recently passed all over the house for the insurance policy on his furniture and could not find it.

HILLSBORO NATIVE DEAD AT BOSTON

Daniel M. Keating, a Well Known Telegraph Operator, Passed Away Yesterday. Boston, Feb. 24.—(Special)—Daniel M. Keating, a widely known telegraph operator, who has been ill for the last six weeks with a complication of diseases, died yesterday afternoon at 483 Alway Avenue.

RUSSIA GLAD NORTH SEA TROUBLE IS OVER

Montreal, Feb. 27.—(Special)—"The judgment in the North Sea affair should be entirely satisfactory to both England and Russia," was the opinion expressed today by M. De Strive, the Imperial Russian consul to Canada while discussing the finding of the court. "It was fortunate," he added, "that it was possible to secure a judgment that would satisfy both countries." Owing to the much more serious trouble at home Russia will be pleased to have this outside matter satisfactorily settled.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE

Chief Justice Tuck Monday celebrated his 74th birthday and received many expressions of congratulation from his friends here and elsewhere. Miss Mamie McNally, of Fredericton, came in from Hampton Monday and is visiting Mrs. Thos. Butler, 204 Douglas Avenue.

Stop Coughing with the help of the favorite family remedy that has been curing Coughs, Bronchitis, Pleurisy, Hoarseness, and Throat Inflammation, for the best part of a century. JOHNSON'S COD LIVER OIL WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES. A few drops on sugar will effect a rapid cure of cold, croup, whooping cough, and external inflammation. There is nothing like it. Price 50c; three times as much 50c. At all druggists. I. S. JOHNSON & CO., BOSTON, MASS.

EV. A. M. WALKER OPPOSED TO SEPARATE SCHOOLS

Unitarian Minister Devoted His Address Last Night to Subject Arising With Birth of New Provinces.

Rev. A. M. Walker delivered an address in the Unitarian church Sunday night on the separate schools question with special reference to the bill now before the dominion parliament to establish such schools in the new provinces.

MURRAY CHOSEN OVER BURCHILL

Northumberland Local Government Convention Was Well Attended ONLY TWO CANDIDATES

Successful Man Says He Doesn't Court Opprobrium, But He Is Not Afraid of It—His Opponent Also Addressed the Meeting—Delegates Chosen from Each Parish.

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