# Zondon Adbertiser.

aging Director John Cameron London, Saturday, March 3.

## Britain and the World.

cussion of the question why Britain have for several years been conducted was unpopular. One notable contribution from the King of Belgium gave success in colonizing, which stirred the far he has not found the bacilli identienvy of continental nations. Of course, cal in any instance. It would not do for us to lay the flather colonies and the manifestations of dence taken by the committee," to use loyalty in India show the effect of this. It is not her own subjects or the weaker nations that are restive at this a person contract tuberculosis from time. The ill feeling is manifested in three of the most powerful nations of the world, Russia, Germany and

The frothy demagogue in the United States, who prays that the price of crape may rise in London, does not count. If it was not that free people have found that it is wisest to let fools rave he and his like would be muzzled in England and America. When we turn to the three continental nations and note the unofficial manitestations of ill feeling-we say advisedly unofficial, because in some quarters they have already been disclaimed-it seems to us that jealousy has as much to do with it as anything else. The Russians regard the British power as barring their way in several directions. The French still feel irritation over the Fashoda business, and while believing that their diplomatists were largely to blame, by putting South African crisis there are many themselves in a false position, we can allow something for wounded pride, but there is surely something of the dog-in-the-manger policy when we remember what Great Britain has done and visions, has championed the cause in Egypt, which had to be done, and of the Boers, and appealed to the nawhich they declined to do, and refused to help in the doing.

These nations have no special love to have a strong Boer Republic in South Africa instead of Britain. The Rhodes. French would not be any more comthan it would be for Britain to have ony. Germany crippled on the Continent.

this as well as in other cities of a dislong holidays at Christmas and the war." New Year, and again at Easter, and She ascribes the war to "the moving

the progress of the school children.

### Tuberculosis.

Meat eaters and milk drinkers will take comfort from the results recent ly ascertained by the investigation of scientists who have been considering the theory, hitherto pretty widely entertained that bovine tuberculosis is communicable to human beings through the consumption of dairy pro-A few years ago there was a dis-ducts. Experiments in this regard by Dr. Theobald Smith, of Harvard University, who now declares that certain differences exist between bovine

Dr. Smith, it will be remembered, tering unction to our souls that all the was one of the authorities consulted manifested against Britain by the special investigating commitcomes from that source. There are dis- tee of the New York Assembly on bocreditable things in British history. vine tuberculosis, whose report took Her statesmen have made mistakes, the back track in regard to the tuberand her people have at times given culin test by recommending that here-Way to folly. We make no claim to after the state "only force the concorrection. But we do claim that as demnation, quarantine and slaughter things go in this imperfect world, of such animals as are found to be British rule will bear comparison with tuberculous by physical examination," any other that the world knows or has leaving the choice as to the use of The present co-operation of tuberculin with the dairyman. "Evifurther words of the report, "would indicate that very rarely, if ever, does meat or milk of animals," and this led naturally to the conclusion "that the state can better use its funds along the lines of educational work, rather than following the present policy of destroying all animals showing a reaction under the tuberculin test."

An experienced veterinary surgeon pointed out to the committee that where cattle tuberculosis is plentiful human tuberculosis is so rare as to have no relation to it. This is reassuring, but it does not afford an excuse for anyone not using every precaution against the sale of meat or milk obtained from animals affected with this or any other disease. While there is less cause for alarm than seemed at one time to exist, there is every need of caution.

## A Peculiar Family.

One wonders whether in this great families like the Schreiner family. Olive Schreiner, well known as the author of "An African Farm," and other stories tions ugainst the injustice of the English. It is said that she sent to her mother a part of the first money refor the Boer. We do not think that it ceived for one of her books, and the would fit any better to their schemes mother handed it over to the fund raised to give a testimonial to Mr. Cecil

One brother of this Olive Schreiner is with a Boer at present prime minister of Cape Colfleet at Delagoa Bay. It is not so ony. According to the view that is much sympathy with the Boers as most popularly held, he tried to sit upon said: "I think now they will begin to roll the Boers have into the Boers to the Boers have into the Boers to the Boers have into the Boers hav jealousy of England that stirs the the fence, talked about Cape Colony roll the Boers back into the Transvaal French mind. Then as to Germany, being neutral, and hindered reinforce-French mind. Then as to Germany, being neutral, and hindered reinforce-Britain is one of her best customers, ments being sent to Mafeking and Roberts will corral the Boers at and has always treated her fairly. Kimberley, while he allowed ammuni-The Government sees that it is in their tion to pass into the Orange Free interest to be friendly with Britain, State. As prime minister of an English but the press delights in throwing colony, who owed his position to Dutch stones, and has exulted a little too influence, he was in a peculiar situaprematurely, we believe, over the tion, and he did some things which will downfall of the British Empire. It need explaining; but perhaps on the would not be good for Germany for whole it was as well that he was in ofthe British Empire to fall, any more fice when the Boers invaded Cape Col-

Another brother. Theodore Schreiner. The policy of nations is guided by is strongly British in sentiment, and responsible statesmen, and yet these thinks that the Boers are going to rewild ravings do harm and cause bit- ceive a God-appointed punishment for terness which rankles for a long time. their many transgressions. Now still It is a great blessing that these na- another Schreiner appears upon the tions, on account of conflicting interests scene, Mrs. Lewis, a sister of Olive and mutual jealousies, cannot act Schreiner sends to the Methodist Times against Great Britain, but in a crisis "A Message to the Christian People," like the present their unfair criticisms entitled "A War for Truth and cause unrest and give rise to all kinds Right." She cannot understand how it of rumors. We are prepared to ad- is that "a considerable section of the mit that Britishers would be none the Christian world of England, because of worse off if they had a little more tact its tender sympathy with present sufand politeness, but we do not believe fering and its yearning after a presthat any body of men hold faster to ent peace, is being fed by writers who a just thing when once they see it. Crit- have appealed only to these sentiies say that the Briton may be brusque ments, into an attitude with regard to in his style, rude in his bearing to- this war which is out of harmony with wards foreigners, but he is just. Well, the Divine purpose at this time." She justice is a great thing, and a thing evidently has no scruples about praythe world needs more of. This the ing to the Almighty for a blessing up-Britisher will have if possible, and he on British arms because she is conis prepared to fight for it to the bitter vinced that they are fighting for a fust cause. She speaks with no uncertain sound, as the following statement Excuses for School Holidays. | shows: "In the name of the Lord Jesus Complaints are frequently heard in and for his dear sake, I appeal to the Christian people of England to suspend the judgment they have been led position on the part of those charged to form on the question of the war, in with the management of our public which Great Britain is now engaged. schools to much too frequently break If ever there was a war for the Lord into the teaching days of the year of Hosts, if ever there was a war for with holidays. Every excuse seemed truth and right, for the putting down to be adopted for declaring a holiday. of oppression and wrong, for the de-Not contented with a whole holiday liverance of a people powerless to deevery week, in addition to Sunday, liver themselves, whose wrongs have when there is a teachers' meeting Fri- cried up to heaven until the Lord has day is declared a holiday. There are come down to deliver them, this is that

but the other day in a neighboring power of the omnipotent," and gives city, much to the disgust of mothers, only a small place to the grievances of Friday afternoon was declared a holi- the Uitlanders and the recent insult to day in order that the children might British power and prestige. "Let no go to a show matinee in the opera Christian heart think that the immehouse. There was a matinee of the diate events which have led up to this same performance on the following war are the chief cause, why the lifeday, which was, of course, a school blood of the British Empire is being holiday, but that was not enough. The poured out today. No! British soldiers school work-days of the children-90 are dying on African soil today to put few to the great mass of them-had to an end to a condition of atrocious be broken into to gratify the whim of wrong-a wrong continued throughout some one who had more regard for generations, and which apparently nothe coffers of the show people than for thing but the sacrifice of life could right. Burghers of the republic and There can be no doubt that all such colonists together, the innocent with undue breaking into the hours of study the guilty, are today explating crimes. has an unsettling sect on the minds which, unaverged for long years, have of the pupils. Heavy home work ought sent up their cry into the ear of eterto be dispensed with in all our schools: nal justice. Through weary periods of but steady day work is needed, not years, generations of human beings only that progress may be made, but groaned in this land under that pupils may be taught the duty of wrongs, oppressions and tyrannies too steady application and the benefits various to be enumerated within the limits of this paper." Thus she goes on

to denounce the life of the Boers as "a ceaseless committal of crimes.'

If she has not the power of literary expression, she has all the passion of her more famous sister. It surely shows the greatness of the upheaval. when, out of the same family, there can come such varied views. Whether we accept all Mrs. Lewis' statements or not, we believe with her that our soldiers are fighting for a just cause, and that they do not die in vain.

They are teaching children to dance as part of the public school "education" in Chicago! What next? In this as a chief point Britain's wonderful and human tubercle bacilli, and that so country, there is certainly variety enough to choose from in public school studies, but we have not yet got down to this species of gymnastics during school hours.

> In England, the rule is that the best men in the community seek for and obtain municipal honors, and many aldermen serve for long terms without opposition. But in Hyde they have an alderman who has served his town in the council for half a century. Is there any city or town in Canada that can produce a councilor with a record of continuous service that length or

## THE CANADIANS

What the Contingents Cost-Colonel Ayimer's Views.

Ottawa, March 3.—The minister of militia has laid on the table of the house a detailed statement of the cost of the two contingents in South Africa. The total amount estimated as required is \$1,859,653, but the government is taking a vote for the round two millions in order to provide for unforeseen items. The pay list will be \$59,647 24 for the first contingent; \$85,835 10 for the Canadian Mounted Rifles, and \$29,602 67 for the Royal Canadian Artillery, these two together forming the second contingent. horses purchased cost \$163,350. Transportation by sea came to \$557,221, and transportation to ports of embarkation, \$94,250. Separation allowances to wives of non-commissioned officers and men will total \$12,000. The allowances to officers for outfits are: officers, first contingent, at \$125, totals \$5,625; 60 officers, second contingent, at \$150, totals \$9,000; four nurses, second contingent, at \$30, totals \$120—making in all \$14,745 allowed to officers and nurses for outfit. The cost of clothing is: First contingent, \$50,744, and second contingent, \$286,077; rifles, revolvers, ammunition, tents, etc., \$54,294, first contingent; and \$411,887 60 second contingent. Sundry articles of equipment are put down at \$50,000. This makes \$1,699,653 61 required to fit out the two forces and keep them going to June 30 1900. A further amount of \$160,000 is put down as sufficient to pay the bill until Dec. 31, 1900. These two amounts make up the grand total of \$1,859,

COL AYLMER DELIGHTED. Col. Aylmer, who is in command of the Canadian militia, on hearing the news of the relief of Ladysmith, was delighted. When asked his opinion of Buller will go on to Laing's Nek, un-Bloemfontein, and all will then com-bine. Methuen will be on the left, Roberts in the center, and Buller on the right, and the British will have a base line extending from Kimberley to Durban. They will then concentrate for an advance on Pretoria and Johannesburg. Plumer is coming down from the north with a force, and Mafeking will be relieved at once. The relief is a great achievement for British arms. Buller had almost insuperable obstacles in his way. The relief will have a great effect throughout the empire."

BEHAVED SPLENDIDLY. London, March 3 .- The Evening Standard, in its account of the engagement in which the Royal Canadian Regiment participated previous to Gen. Cronje's surrender on Tuesday morning, says: "The Canadians advanced a quarter of a mile in dead silence, then halted, the order being sent along the ranks by each man pressing the hand of his neighbor. They behaved splendidly, and combined steady gallantry with an implicit obedience to orders." A. Parker, of the 68th King's County Rifles, H company, Royal Canadian Regiment, was wounded at Paarde-

GALLANT FRENCH-CANADIANS. London, March 3 .- The Times publishes the following from Paardeberg,

Shed a Tablespoonful at Night. Hair Full of White Scabs. Offer \$100 for Cure. Friend Suggests CUTICURA REMEDIES. Tries Them and is Cured.

Last summer I had company,—a man and his wife. The man's hands and face had dry, scaly seres on them, and his head was covered with the same, his hair being full of those white scales the same, his hair being full of those white scales or scabs. His wife said, "Some mornings she would find a tablespoonful or more of them in the bed." I asked him what alled him, and he replied "that he did not know." "Why don't you cure yourself?" "I would give a hundred dollars to be cured. I have paid out a lot of meney, but don't get cured," he said. Well, I told him "I would cure him for less than that," and told him to get the Cuttcura remedies and he would be cured. As he was living in Bristol, Vt., I did not see him for some time after, and then he fairly shouted to me: "I am cured. Cuttcura has done it. The Lord bless you and Cuttcura." Mrs. SARAH E. MINER, Feb. 27, 1893. Lincoln, Addison Co., Vt.

I had Tetter on my hands for two years. My hands were all cracked to pieces, and bled so that I could not decently dress myself, and they itched terribly. I tried everything, but nothing seemed to do me any good. I tried the CUTICURA remedies and they no longer bother me at all.

SALLIE E. COPELAND, Woodland, M. C. Sept. 17, 1898.

## CUTICURA Begins with the Blood and Ends with The Skin and Scalp.

That is to say, CUTICURA RESOLVENT, greatest of blood purifiers and humor expellers, purifies the blood and circulating fluids of fluxon Germa, and thus removes the cause, of fluxon Germa, and thus removes the cause, while warm baths with CUTICURA BOAR, and gentle anointings with CUTICURA (ohtment), greatest of emolilent skin cures, cleanes the skin and scalp of crusts and scales, allay ftching, burning, and inflammation, soothe and heal. Thus are speedily, permanently, and economically cared the most torturing, disjuring humors of the skin, scalp, and blood, with loss of hair, when all other remedies fall.

FACE HUMCRS falling Reir, and B

# AR-O-SCOPE VIEWS

THE RUNIANS, GRAY, CARRIE CO.

By an Up-to-date War-o-Scope Showing The review Of the Gallant troops Now fighting In the Transvaal.

Beautifully Decorated.

N view of the patriotic spirit that pervades the community at the present time over the recent success of the British soldiers in South Africa, we have made arrangements to present in our large showrooms upstairs for one week commencing

# Monday, March 5 PERFORMANCES DAILY 10:30 a.m., 1:30, 3 and 4:30 p.m.

Moving Pictures showing the bravery and sinew of the gallant troops of the British Empire now fighting in the

# Transvaal War

Also a number of other interesting pictures never before exhibited in

In order to regulate the enormous crowd that's sure to witness this wonderful exhibition we are compelled to make the following stipulation:

With every 50c purchase or over a free ticket will be given, commencing Saturday morning, March 3.

Following is a partial list of moving pictures that will be given during the exhibition:

The Brain, Brawn and Bravery of Great Britain, showing the strength of the British Empire. The longest moving picture in the world.

Bathing Scenes at New Orleans, Panoramic View Clapham Junction, The Village Blacksmith, Naval Review at Spithead, Charge of the French Cavalry, Czar's Entry into Paris, The Spanish Dancers, The Joke on the Gardener, A Flirtation Scene, Taken In by Police, and many other interesting and comical views.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE IT. FREE--To Our Many Patrons--FREE

# ine numana, uray, varrie uv

208, 210, 210<sup>1</sup>, 212 Dundas Street, London.

dated Wednesday: "It will always remain a puzzle how Gen. Cronje, although an undisputed military genius, kept control of his retreating and undisciplined hordes, while the other Boer leaders were unable to bring more than half their commandos from Ladysmith to Paardeberg.

"Burnham, the American scout, after creeping many a night around the laager, reports that very few Boers escaped, perhaps not more than twen-

The correspondent expresses admiration for the Canadians, of whom one company is composed entirely Frenchmen, unable to speak English. He especially mentions Col. Otter, Lieut.-Col. Kincaid and Capts. Mac-Donnel, Stairs and Boileleu for conspicuous gallantry.

FROM BARONESS MACDONALD. Ottawa, March 2.-Sir Charles Tupper today received the following cablegram from Baroness Macdonald, of Earnscliffe: "Waterford, Ireland, March 2.-Sir Charles Tupper, Ottawa: Bravo, ed) Macdonald of Earnsliffe."

PHOTOS IN DEMAND.

Relatives and friends who have photographs of members of the Canadian contingents would do well to forward them to the minister of militia, as they are required in London, doubtless for purposes of "war" illus-trations of a high class. Today Hon. Dr. Borden received from the high commissioner the following cable: "London, March 2.—Hon. Dr. Borden, Kindly send over by first mail good photos of individual mem-bers of the infantry, mounted rifles and artillery sections of the contingents. (Signed) Strathcona."

"Ill weeds grow apace." Impurities in your blood will also grow unless you promptly expel them by taking Hood's

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

James F. Hunt & Sons'

Bed and Mattress Cleaning Factory. We have New Mattresses, Feather Pillows, Cushions, Brass and Iron Bedsteads, sold by the pound. Ticks filled with feathers. Upholstering and repairing. Stoves bought and sold. Richmond street north. Telephone 997.

A pretty face is often made prettier by good teeth. The teeth nature gave you are the best you will ever have. Andrews' Plugs are common sense treatment for toothache. Price, 10 cents per bottle. Andrews' Dental Company, 34 Yonge street, Toronto.

### Electric Turkish Baths You cannot have good health with

impurities in the blood, and the best way to eliminate them is to take a good Turkish bath, with massage, at 320 Dundas street. It will purify the blood better than medicine.

A DINNER PILL - Many persons suffer excruciating agony after par-taking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is life a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healing nutriment, it becomes a poison healing nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions, and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indigestion.



to tone and name.

Put up in soil proof, tangle proof patent "holders."

Send a one cent stamp or three "holder" tags for our "Blue Book"—tells exactly how to embroider 50 different

The Corticelli Home Needlework Magazine-25c. a year. CORTICELLI SILK CO., Ltd. St. Johns, P. Q.



The Oven Bakes Perfectly At any hour of the day in the new

RANGE

Their diffusive flue construction ventilates the oven and keeps the heat perfectly even—the same in back, front and sides. Think of the turning and twisting this saves while roasting or baking! And the fire is so quickly regulated that the oven

can be heated to any desired degree at a few minutes' notice. You're making a mistake if you don't see all the

new improvement, found only in the Imperial Oxford, before purchasing.

Make a Point of Seeing Them.

# J. W. CHAMBERS,

382 Richmond street, The Garney Foundry Company, Limited, Toronto, Winnipeg, Vancouver.