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FRIDAY, AUGUST 8.

THE COLONIAL REVIEW.

Colonial troops, written by correanything else that has yet been written on the subject, and will bring surprise to many Canadians even.

First time the Canadian militia - fine men who have earned eternal fame as same word of command, all persoldiers during the last two years. forming the same manoeuvre, all They swung past their Queen and Prince, as men in full knowledge of their worth. The majority were in scarlet and blue, but there were a sufficient number in the more modest brown to reawaken memories of that fearful night of sapping up to the Paardeberg trenches, of the many Port, Dorn kop, and Bergendal. The flat-brimmed hat now effected by the South African Constabulary, what memories can it conjure up! Strathcona's inimitable troopers, the men who cared not for God or man in the moment of triumph in battle, and who returned without knowledge of defeat. And, to come to the closing episodes of the war, who will forget the history of that solitary Canadian picquet, when there was no surrender even though every officer or man was killed or wounded? But the music changes! there are other stalwarts marching past who can claim as gulogistic appreciation as the Canadians. Here are raw-boned "Cornstalks," tough "Croweaters," sinewy "Banana. landers"-all the best that Australia could put into the field. More thoughtful and, if possible, more dogged New Zealanders, and Tasmanians. But it is not only from the Antipodes and Great Northwest that the Empire has drawn her sons. Again the bands change, and the concourse of spectators shout. An elderly, white-haired veteran is leading past the South African Colonials. The crowds cheer with delight when they recognize in the kindly face of the African leader Brigadier-General Sir E. Brabant. And what traditions have been built up by the men who follow behind him! Dark-skinned troopers of Thorneyeroft's Mounted Infantry - what could they not tell of Spion Kop and a hundred fights! Remington's Tigers, with their jaunty catskin hatsbeau ideal guerillas of a stamp South Africa alone can produce. The Imperial Light Horse-what a history is theirs! A lump rises in the throat as one thinks of what this regiment has done. What were they to start with? A body of down-trodden merchants and English gentlemen who, having

urged their country into war, deter-

mined to face the brunt themselves.

Will the memory of their gallant charge and rally at Elandslaagte ever dim? Who will forget the long, long

months of deadly peril in Ladysmith;

who the blood-washed approaches of

Wagon Hill ! Then the great awak-

ening, and the gallop to the relief of Mafeking under the intrepid Mahon.

But others followBorder Mounted Ri-

fles, Natal Carabiniers, and Natal Na-

val Volunteers, Bethune's Mounted

Infantry, invincible and magnificent,

moulded as a unit by the character

and sterling quality of the soldier who

led them, and from whom they take

their name. The Railway Pioneer

Regiment-the men who might have

been earning high wages as civil engineers, but who upon a pittance and

bad food faced inestimable dangers in order that the great army of occupa

tion in South Africa might live, and it was upon their railway construction work that that army was able to live surely they deserved the honor of the Queen's salute. The Scottish Horse and South African Constabulary -youngest of the South African corps, it is true, but, young though they may be, they have done their duty. Have not the Scottish Horse Vlakfontein and Brakenlaagte upon their honor roll, and has not the constabulary furnished patient garrisons to blockhouses and kept clear the worst areas in the new colonies?

But in the enthusiasm for the sol dier back from the field of battle we must not forget the other contingents in vesterday's parade, who in every way were as worthy as their bemedalled comrades the honor of a Prince's inspection. It would be impossuble, when dealing with a parade composed of the smallest units and detachments to go into detail. But there filed before the Queen and Frince representatives of nearly every Colonial orps in existence. Sturdy planters from Ceylon, marched pasts; gay savages in semi-uniform from Fiji, and the dir ant Pacific; detachments of colored soldiery from Bermuda, British North Borneo, Cyprus, Sierra Leone, and Gambia, gay Haussas in Zouave pkit, and scarlet slung jackets; negroes from Jamaica, sipahis from the Gold States journals, but the follow- Coast, Lagos, and Northern Nigeria; ing graphic and heart-stirring pen- men from St. Lucia, Trinidad, and picture of that glorious spectacle South Nigeria, stalwart troopers in taken from the London Times, will scarlet chapkaus, and with penbring home to the most superficial nant lances, belonging to some reader a lasting and impressive sense Asiatic Governor-General's bodyof the world-wide extent and the guard; straight, fine drawn Sikhs, enlisted in the far away Punjab to pire, with infinitely greater force than make the Hong-Kong regiment or fles; and more extraordinary than all, a detachment of Anglicized Chinamen in quaint green kits from ed heroes of the day had marched the Wei-Hai-Wei Regiment, Perhaps away, the band struck up the never in the whole history of the inspiring strains of "The Maple world has there been such a dis-Leaf," and the parade, led by the Duke play of Empire power as was of Connaught, began to march past Guards parade. Here we had men the saluting base in column of fours. of every color, creed, denomination and descent, all answering to the

After the whole of the force had marched past, and the parade taken its original post, the Duke of Connaught gave the order, "Hais stories of Canadian gallantry-Israel's off." He then called for three cheers for the King. The cheers were given with great fervor, the men of their own accord, adding a fourth. The Queen then drove from the parade, amid the clash of the "National Anthem" from the massed bands on the grounds; the Prince and his entourage followed immediately, and an unprecedented event in the annals of the British army came to an end.

greatest Empire the world has ever

COBDENITES SIZE UP LAURIER.

The last time Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in England, the members of the Cobden Club presented him with a medal. They did this because, not knowing the Canadian Premier, they believed that he would stick to what he said and fulfil his Free Trade since the first napoleon."

Apart from this phase of matters, however, the secretary of this selfsame club has now awakened to the hollowness of the so-called British preference, and in a letter to the London Times, he says :-

"The Canadian tariff, in spite of the nominal British preference, is actually more favorable to the United States than to Great Britain." "The special favor shown to United States products was deliberately increased at the very moment that the nominal British preference was given, so that what was given to Great Britain with one hand was largely taken away with the other." "Taking the year 1901, and contrasting it with the average for the five years preceding the adoption of the preferential tariff I find that Canadian imports from Great Britain have increased 23 per cent., from Germany 31 per cent., from the United States 93 per cent. from France 102 per cent., and from Belgium 421 per cent. Thus relabeen a decline of British goods entering Canada,"



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> THE DIFFERENCE. Ottawa Journal. Kitchener talks little and does a lot, Rosebery talks a lot and does nothing.

WHERE WOMEN ARE WANTED Ottawa Citizen. The census returns make it clear that the advice of Horace Greely will

woman, go west." OP AGAINST A NEW COMPLAINT

have to be amended to read .

Toronto Telegram. "Referenditis" will be added to the list of aristocratic ailments when the prohibition party of Ontario presents itself for diagnosis next December.

OSMAN DIGNA'S VALUE.

London Paper. As Kitchener was starting on one of his earlier expeditions into the Soudan old Gen. Olyphant (Hell-Fire Jack) said to him : "Watch Osman Digna, watch him, but whatever you do don't kill him. He's been worth more promotions and decorations than any one

CARD OF THANKS. Lebanon, Ind., Patriot.

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THE REASON WHY.

St. John Telegraph. A curious feature of trade is illustrated in the project of building a barbed wire fence between Montana and Canada to prevent cattle from straying across the border, in that tively to other countries there has Canada can furnish the wire half a cent a pound cheaper than the United States, the American steel trust Sir Wilfrid had better pack up his being able to charge that much more

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