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front of the British right flank was a veritable slaughter pen and when the Arabs were finally repulsed they left 800 of their number dead upon the field. The number of their wounded who were able to march or to be carried from the field is estimated at 2000. Most of the canalities on the British side of the British Killed and

Over a Hundred of the British Killed and
Wounded-One-Fifth of the Enemy
Placed Hors de Combat-Col. Rurnaby
Among the Stain.

London, Jan. 21.—A despatch from

Well. Gen. Stewart, with the remainder of his croops, is progressing toward

Wolseley dated Korti, Jan. 21, reads: Metemneh. During the night preceding the action the Arabs threw up small earth-"Gen. Stewart has had a heavy engagement with a portion of the mahdi's forces near Abuklea wells, near Metemneh. The rebels had collected from Berber, Metemneh and Omdurrmann. This last place was recently captured by the mahdi, and thus the men were released from there to fight Stewart. On the afternoon of Jan. 16 Stewart's cavalry reported that the enemy were in position a few miles this side of the wells. As it was too late in the day to allow an advance and successful encounter, Stewart bivouacked for the night. The enemy kept up a harmless fire all night, and erected works on Stewart's right flank. On Saturday Stewart en shall attack the English forces. Another deavored to draw the enemy on to make an attack, but the rebels hesitated In conattack, but the rebels hesitated. In consequence of this Stewart left all his impediments and camels under guard and moved forward, keeping his forces in form of a square. The men were on foot. The British army passed round the enemy's left flank, forcing them to make an attack or be subject to an enfilled fire. The pediments and camels under guard and In British army passed round the enemy's left flank, forcing them to make an attack or be subject to an enfilade fire. The enemy wheeled to the left and delivered a well organized charge under a withering fire from our men. The square was nafortunately penetrated by sheer weight of numbers about its left rear, where the heavy cavalry and the camel regiment were in position. The admirable steadiness of our men enabled them to maintain a hand to hand fight with the opposing force, while severe punishment was being in flicted upon the enemy were finally driven back under a heavy fire from all sides. The 19th Hussars then pushed forward to the wells, which were in our possession by 5 in the evening. The enemy left not less than 800 slain around the square. Prisoners who were taken while the enemy were retiring report the number of the enemy wounded was quite exceptional. One immediate effect of the battle is that many of the rebels are submitting. It was necessary for the army to remain at the wells some hours to obtain water. As soon as practicable the intention was to push on with all expedition to Metemneh. The English wounded are doing well."

Wolseley says Stewart concludes his report as follows: "It has been my duty to command a force from which exceptional work, exceptional hardship, and exceptional fighting have been called for. It would be impossible to adequately describe the admirable support given me by every officer and mentals and clenched in death about the struct through the coloned's neck. Additional particulars say: The battle throat of an Arab, whose spear was thrust through the coloned's neck. Additional particulars say: The battle throat of an Arab's spear will hand clenched in the struct through the coloned's neck. Additional particulars say: The battle through the coloned's neck. Additional particulars say: The battle through the coloned's neck. Additional particulars say: The battle through the coloned's neck. Additional particulars say: The battle through the coloned's neck and wounded on t

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officer and man of the force. I regret to mass of falling camels and struggling Arabs

Wolseley adds: "Stewart's operations mander and the nation has every reason to be proud of the gallantry and splendic spirit of her majesty's soldiers on this oc casion. Our losses were 9 commissione officers killed and 9 wounded, 65 non-cor missioned officers and men killed and 8 ride to Khiva), the following were killed Major Carmichael of the Fifth lancers

enoon the enemy commenced ad

reforms I and the discipline of the men was splendid throughout. A steady and

Besides Col. Burnaby (hero of the Replying to the remark of a prominent Major Carmichael of the Fifth lancers, Major Atherton of the Fifth dragoons, Major Gough of the Royal dragoons, Capt. Darley and Lieut. Law of the Fourth dragoons, Lieut. Wolfe of the Scots Greys and Lieuts. Pigott and DeLisle of the Naval brigade. Lord St. Vincent and Lord Airlie were wounded.

Reuter's Telegram company give the following account of the engagement: "When the hussar scouts returned yesterday, announcing that the rebels held the wells, the British forces promptly formed in a mass column and advanced. The guards marched at the left of the column, the heavy corps in the centre and mounted infantry on the right. The column halted within three miles of the wells, but the rebels showed miles of the wells, but the rebels showed no signs of moving. The British troops set to felling trees and clearing away the grass in front of the column. An absolute property of the column. in front of the column. An abbattis was formed around the baggage and a stone breastwork was erected. In the afternoon the enemy's camp was sighted four miles dist to the store breastwork was erected. In the afternoon the enemy's camp was sighted four miles dist to the store breastwork was erected. In the afternoon the enemy's camp was sighted four miles dist to the store been impossible through the operation of the American navigation laws and to iff. England would find America the most intelligent competitor she had met yet. sighted four miles distant. It comprised numerous tents and ppeared to be fairly well fortified. Meanwile groups of Dynamiters Caught in the Act.

rebels were watching us from the hills on surprised this evening in the act of lightour left front. At 6 in the evening the our left front. At 6 in the evening the enemy fired a few stray shots and the mite in rear of police headquarters. Pat-British replied with several shells. The enemy continued firing throughout the night, causing one slight casualty. Saturrick Leary was arrested.

A COLD NIGHT FOR BARY

vancing in two divisions, each numbering 5000, beating drums and waving flags.

Many of them were armed with rifles.

The enemy occasionally halted as if trying to discover the British formation. Meanaight some heartless mother deserted her three-months' old child on the steps of 80 for the reception of the rebels. They formed a square with artillery in the centre and advanced to meet the overwhelming force of the enemy, who occupied favorable ground and displayed great knowledge of the art of war. They drew us to a difficult position for operating, when by a eleverly executed the state of the for operating, when by a cleverly executed movement they almost disappeared, leaving only their standards visible. Suddenly a sent to the infants' home this morning. large body of rebels appeared and furi-

The Commissioner to Antwerp. Editor World: Why does not the gov fire, which the rebels were unable to withstand, and they turned and attacked the
left rear of the square. The heavy cavalry
and camel corps borne down by the onslaught broke formation for a few minutes,
but quickly rallied. A hand to hand fight
ensued. The rebels penetrated the British
rolls but were while sted to a heavy flark. ranks, but were subjected to a heavy flank fire and finally driven back. Gep. Stewart had a narrow escape, his horse being killed under him. It is reported that the rebels

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Another account of Gen. Stewart's evening, Prof. Galbraith occupying the chair. A carefully prepared paper on the made their attacks in a tumultuous rush,

IMPORTANT CONFERENCES AT THE

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procure aid from Arabia.

London, Jan. 22 — The morning paper

officer and man of the force. I regret to say our loss was severe, but our success has been so complete that it may dishearten the enemy to such an extent that all their future fighting may be of a less obstinate character."

I the require presented a mass of falling camels and struggling Arabs and English. Three hearty cheers were given when the square reformed on fresh ground. The rebels had 900 special negro obstinate character." LOWELL ON FREE TRADE.

The U. S. Minister to England on the Possibilities of His Country. London, Jan, 21.-Minister Lowell presided at a meeting of the society of atta this evening, at which the subject of American labor and wages was discusse speaker, that although wages were 60 per

CORK, Jan. 21 .- A party of men were

A Meartless Mother Deserts Her Child on a Centre Street Boorstep.

Notwithstanding the bitter cold of last

A meeting of this society was held last made their attacks in a tumultuous rush, directed principally on the side of square held by the hussars, to the breaking of which the officers attributed the unruly conduct of the camels, which got powder burned and became uncontrollable. The line was speedily reformed and the discipline of the men handed in to the society.

LANDLORDISM IN THE STATES Twenty-one Million Acres Owned b

FOREIGN OFFICE. An Alleged Act of Hostility to France-Fehmi Pasha's Propositions-An An- acres of land within the United States. glo-Italian Alliance. PARIS, Jan. 21 .- The Republique Fran- state the quantity owned by untitled caise says France and the other continental aliens, nor is it so important as it is genpowers do not desire in any wise to impede erally held in smaller bodies. This alien

The German ambassador had a long conference with Granville,
Granville and Childers received Waddington at the conclusion of the cabinet council to night and communicated to him

the result of the councils. It is inferred the reply to the French proposals has been prepared, and that the next step in the Egyptian question will be taken in Paris.

FEHMI PASHA'S MISSION. An Outline of the Propositions He Has CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 22.-It is beeved Fehmi Pasha's propositions regarding Egypt are as follows: That Turkey agrees to recognize the Egyptian loan guaranteed by England; that part of the xpenses of the English expedition shall be defrayed by the Egyptian treasury; that the Euglish occupation shall continue eight months and shall not exceed two ears : that the sultan will recognize the e tribunals of Egypt; that Turkey shall occupy certain ports on the Red sea, and that the right of Egypt to conclude treaties of commerce shall be modified. It is stated that the despatch of 6000 Tarkish troops to Suakim depends on the accept-

Italy Ready to Act with England. ROME, Jan. 21 .- It is rumored here that Italy is prepared to act in concert with England in establishing an Anglo Italian military occupation of Egypt. It is stated 20,000 Italian troops are in readiness to

Further Oppression of the Poles. St. Petersburg, Jan. 21.—An ukase has been published forbidding the giving of anded property in the governments of Kieff, Podolia, Voltynia, Wilsa, Kowno, Gradno, Witepek, Mohilev and Minsk to persons of Polish extraction, wither by ortgage or right of tenancy; furthermore, joint stock companies and associations are not allowed to acquire more than 500 acres.

Avatanches in North Italy. Rome, Jan. 21.—The snow falls in Piedmont, Savoy and other departments in the vicinity of the Alps mountains were very Frassino in Piedmont yesterday causes great loss of life. Thirty bodies have al ready been recovered. Forty persons are

A beflance to All Comers. MELBOURNE, Jan. 21 .- The commander of the Australian squadron has hoisted the British flag over the Louisiades, Wood-lark, Huron and Entrecasteaux islands, off

CABLE NEWS.

Madagascar advices state that a small body of volunteers, under an American officer, has run the blockade and reached It is reported that China is sending som

German officers to the frontier. It is thought that China intends to take steps prevent Russian aggression. During a reheareal at the Folies Dramatines in Berlin, Montanbray, the baritone, sipped, and the sword he held pierced his breast. His condition is critical. UNITED STATES NEWS.

Southampton, L I, is greatly excited ver the fact that seven whales have been eaught there during the past week. James Blythe, now serving a five months sentence at Eall River for being a common drunkard, has fallen heir to \$68,000.

The general passenger agents at Chicago of eastern trunk lines failed to arrive at any agreement for the settlement of existing troubles and adjourned indefinitely.

The managers of the United States National Temperance society have adopted a memorial asking Cleveland to exclude in-toxicating beverages from the White house. A judge at Chicago has decided that any man, whether he buys beer or not, has a right to partake of a lunch laid out by a saloonkeeper. The question came up on one Henry Kemper being charged with assault for throwing out a lunch fiend.

DOMINION DASHES. The Grand Trunk railroad has given

notice of withdrawal from the eastern freight and passenger pools. This does not Mrs. Demaray of North Dorchester, Ont., is died on Monday last at the residence of her son David, in her 99th year. Decrased was the oldest resident of the township. She lived to see a long list of great, greatgrand children, which would aggregate about sixty. Her remains are to be interred at Gladstone on Thursday.

Edwin Johns, a farmer of Tuckersmith, was instantly killed. He was drawing cordwood. The horses escaped, but the sleigh was badly wrecked. An ugly gash appears on Johns' right temple, which probably caused his death. He was found fearfully mangled about the body. When the train was stopped he was lying on top of the cowcatcher.

The Rank Suspends and the Defaulter Le-

JAMESTOWN, Pa., Jan. 21.—The James-

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Representative Oates says that certain noblemen of Europe, principally Englishmen, have acquired an now own on the aggregate about 21,000,000 There is not sufficient information to caise says France and the other continental powers do not desire in any wise to impede the action of England in Egypt. They only seek to obtain a just settlement of the Egyptian difficulty, and hope that England is similarly disposed.

The Gaulois declares the instructions sent by England to the governors of the British colonies in the east for enforcement of the foreign enlistment act constitutes an act of hostility to France.

London, Jan. 21—The cabinet met at noon and entered into further consideration of the French proposals regarding Egyptian finances. The meeting lasted three hours. Subsequently there was a long conference between Gladstone, Granville and Hartington.

It is reported that the cabinet decided that if the French counter proposals in regard to Egyptian finances were modified they would afford a basis for parleying.

The German ambassador had a long conference with Granville.

Granville and Childers received Waddington at the conclusion of the cabinet metals and land bonds, covering perhaps 100, 000,000 acres, the greater part of which, under foreclosure sales, will most likely before many years become the property of these foreign bondholders, in addition to their present princely possessions. The probabilities of the near future, Oates says, imperatively demand legislation for the provention of this alien ownership.

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BEVARE OF VIDDERS.

A Young wan Pays For Ignering the
Elder Weller's Advice.
CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 21.—Seth Franklin, a bachelor, for some time had paid his
addresses to Mrs. Lena Knight, a young
widow residing near him. Franklin had
obtained a promise of marriage from the
widow, and the wedding shouldhave taken
place last Christmas. In the meantime
Seth fell in love with a young girl living in
the neighborhood. Franklin refused to
entertain any overtures of marriage with
Mrs. Kuight, and at last she wrote him a
note giving him notice that she would
shoot him on sight. This morning while
Franklin was walking on Broadway, Mrs.
Kunght anddenly stole up behind him, and
drawing a huge blacksnake whip from beneath her shawl commenced to belabor bim
with it. A crowd congregated, and
Franklin, being unable to force his way
from the irate woman's presence, fell
down on his knees and begged her to desist.
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to with interest, as all the parties move in the best society circles.

MILITARY SCANDAL.

Garrison Chaplain Charged With Indecent Exposure.

HALJFAX, N.S., Jan. 21.—A military nvestigation is in progress regarding a harge made by Mrs. Talbot, wife of a enarge made by Mrs. Talbot, wife of a sergeant, against Rev. Wm. Lough, assistant garrison chaplain. Mrs. Talbot de clared that during her husband's absence the chaptain, who had been drinking, made indecent overtures to her and finished by exposing himself.

crossing about two miles east of this place, Edwin Johns, a farmer of Tuckersmith,

The audience at the Grand opera house

last night was large and fashionable, and JAMESTOWN, Pa., Jan. 21.—The James brilliant in color by reason of the uniforms of the cfficers and men of the city corps and there has been a defalcation of and the dresses of the ladies. Three excelover \$40,000. One of the officers has been missing for several days. Many citizens had all their savings on deposit. the Swan." The parts were fairly taken and some ability to act was displayed, but, as is usual, considerable prompting had to be done, and nobody seemed to forget that was splendid throughout. A steady and deadly fire was kept up by the Hussars The third-annul ball of the Old Firement of the control of the old Firement of the control of the control of the space in the dead Arabs up in heaps. The space in the control of the performance, and nobedy seemed to forget that the control of t

THE SECOND DAY'S GATHERING OF

THE ONTARIO ALLIANCE:

apers Read to the Convention-J. J. Mc Laren, C.C., Says the Scott Act is Sound-Mr. Mowat Interviewed. The Ontario branch of the dominion lliance for the total suppression of the iquor traffic re-assembled in Temperance hall yesterday morning, S. H. Blake, Q.C.,

in the chair. Reports were heard from Waterloo and Guelph on Scott act affairs. The voting on the act in Guelph takes place to-day, and the convention was greatly in-

delegates. Prof. Foster's pet scheme of to the grand lodge or Quebec, it is admit to rested in the result, here the General Rev. W. S. Griffin, president of the Guelph Scott act association, addressed the convention. He said his party was very hopeful of the result, but they were not over-confident.

Dr. W. B. Geikie of this city instructed the convention with an able paper on Alcohol as a Cause of Disease. The Joctor's paper went to show that of all the diseases which attacked humanity through strong drink insanity was the most prevalent. He was thanked for his able paper. At the afternoon session W. H. Young police magistrate of Halton, delivered an address on Scott act suffered the convention with the bear adopted in his county three years ago crime had decreased 66 per cent,, and he compared Halton with other counties where the act was not in force, all showing, according to his figures, that their oriminal records were all far worse than Halton's. As an experience, all the most of the provisions were not half severe enough. For a third offence he would suggest three months at hard labor.

J. J. McLafen, Q.C., addressed the convention many hints as to enforcing the act when once they got it passed in their counties. Mr. Young sold the convention to the grand lodge of Canada until the formation of the grand lodge of Canada until the formation of the grand lodge of Canada until the formation of the grand lodge of Canada until the formation of the grand lodge of Canada until the formation of the grand lodge of Guebec. This admit the part of the next general legation. Young to the part of the grand lodge of Canada until the formation of the grand lodge of Ganada until the formation of the grand lodge of Ganada until the formation of the grand lodge of Ganada until the formation of the grand lodge of Ganada until the formation of the grand lodge of Ganada until the formation of the grand lodge of Ganada until the part of the grand lodge of Ganada until the formatio

young men were all beginning to ask for the Scott act. So were the old topers. Another mass meeting will be held in St. Andrew's hall to-night. At the convention to-day W. H. How-land will read a paper on Lager Beer and Light Wines, the officers will be elected and adjournment will follow. The Annual Meeting and Election of

THE ONTARIO MANUFACTURERS

that court was never known to reverse one of its own decisions. [Cheers]
Chairman Blake enlightened the convention on a question over which there has been a good deal of talk. He said: "It Soft managed to get away during the recital.

AN INDUSTRIAL REVIFAL.

A Hundred Thousand Men Resumed Work this Year.

BALTIMORR, Jan. 21.—The Manufactur-erris Record reviewing the industrial protection on a metal protection of the work of the Year.

BALTIMORR, Jan. 21.—The Manufactur-erris Record reviewing the industrial protection of the work of the Year of Year

ness of 1884. It was not during the identical year of an extra good or an extra bad harvest, but the next year, that its particular effects became widely apparent. The recent advance in wheat was something e police magistrate's or the county crown

recent advance in wheat was something important and meant a great deal in Canada's favor. There was already a marked improvement in the iron trades, and the increase in railway traffic since the new year was also a good sign. He thought that a decided change for the better was even now in progress and would show itself all round ere long.

Among the other subjects recommended by him for consideration were a new attorney's.

A deputation of the convention, headed by Senator Vidal, at this moment entered the room. They had been sent to interview Mr. Mowat as to the action the local view Mr. Mowat as to the action the local government would take in enforcing the Scott act now that the supreme court had pronounced certain clauses of the McCarthy act in force. Hon. A. S Hardy and Hon. G. W. Ross were closeted with Mr. Mowat when the deputation had the interview. Senator Vidal, as spokesman, said Mr. Mowat had told them they would now have to look to the dominion government to enforce the Scott act, but if the dominion.

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Among the other subjects recommended by him for consideration were a new bankrupt law, railway discrimination against local interests, and the better organization of manufacturers for their own protection against injustice in various forms.

Mr. Lukes, who has lately traveled in indecent overtures to her and finished by exposing himself.

The suit against the Spectator for libel brought by William Cathro, contractor for block paying, ended in the jury disagreeing. The paper had said the work was not well done. One of the witnesses was not well done. One of the witnesses was not well done one of the witnesses was not well of the appointment of police magistrates as he liked in counties where he Scots act was in force. When these magistrates made a conviction the many serion of the proper in the proper of the witnesses was not well as well the reliaways systematically.

The dispute between the rolling mills people and their employes has been sastifated the work was a same of the proper of the witnesses was not well as well the reliaways systematically as people and their employes has been sastifated by the convention was evidently disappointed with Mr. Mowat's asswers. Other questions submitted to the premier heads of Locke street.

A Farmer Killed on the Track.

CINIYON, Jan. 2I.—This forenoon about 10 c'dook, as the mixed train on the Grand Truck rallway was passing the new of constitution of the solution of the solution

asked. He said it was a doubtful question, but the attorney-general, the highest authority in the province, had admitted the dominion government's power over druggists' license. As the dominion was supposed to look after the general health of the country, perhaps they could control druggists on this score.

The druggists' license appears to be of great concern to the delegates from small places and rural districts.

Prof. Foster submitted the report of the legislation committee:

who went over the lake to see the Full-

who went over the lake to see the Fulljame Gilmore fizzle were among the crowd.

I. That this provincial alliance refer the question of amendments to the Canada Temperance act to the council of the dominion alliance continue to vigorously prosecute its efforts to secure the adoption of the Canada temperance act in all the counties and cities of the province in which it is in operation.

That the dominion council be memoralized to ask parliament to provide, at the next general election, for the taking of a "yea" or "nay" vote upon the question of the total prohibition, importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes.

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PRICE ONE CENT.

THE MASONIC MUDDLE

WILL THE GRAND LODGE OF CAN-ADA BECOME INVOLVEDS

Result of the Edict of Grand Master Johnson of Quebec—English Lodges for the Province of Ontario.

opposition.

The third clause met with a thunder of opposition. Several delegates said it would have the result of interfering with Scott act. work. They had began a line of action and if that course masonic circles yesterday over the action were to be diverted they might be thrown back twenty-five years. The clause was of the grand master of Quebec in issuing attacked by several speakers.

Prof. Foster came to its rescue, but his able speech could not turn the minds of the delegates. Prof. Foster's pet scheme of getting the sentiment of the whole dominion on the question of total prohibition in to sale the gravenment for a plabicite.

Montreal are perfectly legal, and exist by

Canada will be drawn into the fight, along with the majority of American grand ludges. In the event of the grand lodge of Canada taking the Quebec side in this unfortunate quarrel, it is said the Prince of Wales will authorize the chartering of English lodges in Ontario.

Knowing ones predict a recognition of the grand lodge of Ontario by the grand lodge of England should the grand lodge of Canada depart from a strictly neutral attitude. At present writing all is conjecture as to the course that will be pursued by the American grand bodies, but already a number of grand masters have telegraphed their approval of Quebec's position to Grand Master Johnson.

Officers Yesterday Afternoon.

The annual meeting of the Ontario

The emperor of Germany is improving. Truth says Carlyle's niece, Mrs. Aitken, is about to publish a life of Carlyle controverting Froude's blunders and erroneous impressions. Rev. Hugh Johnston, pastor of the Metro-politan church, is suffering from a severe at-tack of throat disease, and has gone south by order of his physicians. Miss Victoria West, daughter of the British minister of Washington, is the charming chaperone of her younger sister Flora, who ately made her debut at the capital. It is said that Queen Victoria has a purpose in requiring Prince Battenburg, her new son-in-law, to live with her. She will read her books to him, and as the prince is lame he can-

the game belongs to the farmer.

General Grant is recovering his former good health. He is engaged finishing his recollections of the war, which will embrace the Mexican war as well as the tof the rebellion. The work will be completed in about three months, and will be about the size of a volume of Appl ton's Cyclopedia. The copy has not yet been edited, neither has the publisher been selected.

To Editor John Cameron, managing director of the Toronto Globe, born in Markham town-

ship, Ont., Jan. 22, 1843,