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SIXTH YEAR

MONDAY MORNING MAY 11, 1885

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Riel's Skirmishers Finally Beaten Back.

THE ENEMY LOSES HEAVILY

One Soldier Killed and Seven Wounded.

CAPT. MASON SLIGHTLY HURT.

Gallant Conduct of the Grenadiers.

MIDDLETON AT BATOCHE.

-Tough Experience of the Steamer Northcote-Escape of Half of Rici's

WINNIPEG, May 10.-A despatch re seived via Humboldt and brought by courier who left camp at Gabriel's crossing at 7 o'clock Friday night, reports that orders had just been issued for reveille to sound at 4 a.m. Saturday, preparatory to a march upon Batoche at 5 a. m.

Gabriel Dumont's house near camp was burned Friday by order of Gen. Middleton. escaped from Riel's camp came nes on Friday.

breeds in the fight at Fish Creek with a number of Indians. The loss of the rebels is put down at six killed and three wounded and the names are given.

Me gives the strength of Riel's force entrenched at Batoche as 500 armed men and that they have resolved to fight to the

Riel has preclaimed himself a prophet. The halfbreeds, should Riel attempt to desert them, would shoot him.

Lotte further says that after the Fish Creek fight the rebels wanted to kill their prisoners off hand, but Riel forbade them Finally the rebel leader found it necessary to secrete the prisoners in a cellar. The halfbreeds are fairly well armed with rifles and shot guns, but the Indians have every kind of weapon, including rifles, shot guns, bows and arrows, clubs, swords, tomahawks and axes. Rifle pits have been dug at every place, and the insurgents believe they can at least hold out for several days, if indeed they cannot maintain their position for a week to come Their only difficulty is a scarcity of ammunition, and they are doing their best to remedy that deficiency by melting down everything available. Riel, Gabriel Dumont and the other rebel captains swear over and over again that they wil never be taken alive. Riel has a daily seance, at which he professes to perform miracles and cleverly succeeds in deceiving

THE BATTLE. CLARKE'S CROSSING, N.W.T., May 10 .-Gen. Middleton engaged the rebels a Batoche yesterday, where they were strongly posted in a ravine, the fight lastin from 8 in the morning till after 7 in the

his followers :

evening. on our side as at Fish Creek, but the rebel less is believed to have been greater. The Gatling gun in charge of Capt

Howard did good service and early in the fight beat off detachments which had crept up the ravine where they were posted and were charging A battery.

Both forces camped on their own ground last night and the battle will be resumed early this morning.

Killed. GUNNER WILLIAM PHILLIPS.

GUNNER MICHAEL TWOHEY, shot in the leg.

GUNNER NAPOLEON CHARPEN. TIER, both legs, one being fractured. GUNNER THOMAS STOUT, run over

by gun carriage. GUNNER W. FAIRBANKS, in the

All of the above belong to A battery. Of Captain French's scouts W. Cook was alightly wounded in the leg, and C. Allan was hit in the shoulder.

CAPTAIN MASONof the Royal Grena diers was slightly wounded in the thigh.

BATOCHE'S CROSSING, May 9, via Clarke's Crossing, May 10. - We have had a warm day's work, but it has been devoted mainly to fighting the rebel skirmishers, who were forced gradually to fall back.

met with as far as four miles out and and the Winnipeg battery resumed their We struck tents at six o'clock in the

We advanced slowly for six or seven panied by Capt. Howard and C infantry the Royal Grenadiers in command of Cel, ming the reserve.

All at once on the still air broke the sound of the steamer's whistle screeching without ceasing, and then we heard firing and knew we were in for it. We responded with a signal and quick march was the order.

The scouts and the Gatling pushed forward with all possible speed until they came upon a couple of houses near the bank of the river, which is very precipitous at this point. A party of rebels who had been firing at the Northcote were here seen. They turned upon our advance, fired, and fled, seeking shelter behind a house in a hollow-The Gatling was brought to bear on them and speedily scurried them out of their refuge. They next sought shelter behind the church of St. Laurent, but the terrible Catling was once more on to them and they made helter skelter for the bush, eaving one behind dead and two wounded. By this time A battery had come up and sent in some shells, which appeared to arouse the whole district, for firing began from many points, but it was a waste of mmunition, all falling short.

Then the Royal Grenadiers came up and deploying into line steadily advanced until the church was within a stone's throw. Here they were halted and a white flag was seen waving from a church door.

Gen. Middleton and his staff came up on the gallep. Father Moulin, three priests, five sisters of mercy and a number of halfbreeds came out of the charch and approached the general, who shook hand, with the priests and conversed with them in French.

Father Moulin stated that the Northcote arrived at Batoche shortly after 5 o'clock, and was met by a sharp fire from both banks. The men of the Midland on board the steamer returned it in good style, but little damage was done on either side, the men on the steamer being well protected by the bales of hay and the other means of protection employed, while the rebels protection employed, while the rebels plished.

of the steamer proved an excellen target and suffered considerably from the on the steamer stuck on a mud bank, but swung clear again and went on down the river; bu the smoke stack by that time had gone.

Meantime the Grenadiers had resumed heir advance through the bush on the ight of the trail, the Gatling being orward down the declivity toward Baoche's, which was now plainly visible in he valley below.

Here A battery unlimbered on the ton

and the remaining actually turning tail an, scampering off to the shelter of the friendly bushes, where they were reinforced by another party. Here they once more faced about and opened a warm fire, the bullets raining in on all sides of Capt. Howard, but he most marvelleusly remained untouched. Finally the rebels were unable to stand his galling fire and deserted their cover here and retreated to the ravine containing their rifla

Our line was now as follows: Two companies of the Midland with the Winnipeg Battery supported by E and C companies of the 90th in the centre and extending across to the right where the Grenadiers, who were supported on the left by BCompany of the 90th, on the right centre by D company of the 90th, and the extreme right by F and A companies A battery occupied the left centre, after wards returning to the right rear. Col Straubenzie, who commands the entire in-

fantry force, is in the rear. The firing was maintained with unwaver. ing success, the rebels being forced to retire at points.

A battery did remarkable work, but failed with the aid of French's scouts to drive the enemy out of their pits. Unfortunately they paid for their intrepidity by suffering more than all the remainder the attacking force together.

During the atternoon the firing was of a more desultory character until shortly after 4, when it became dropping and then ceased altogether. Major Boulton's cavalry were new sent

back to bring up the supplies and tents, and preparations were made for camping for the night on the positions taken, Gen-Middleton considering it unwise to attack the stronghold itself until the following

Between 6 and 7 o cleak Capt. Young, of he 90th, ascended to the roof of the hurch and discovered snumber of Indians about a mile away. The Winnipeg batery was ordered up and sent some capitally aimed shells into their midst, scattering

hem in all directions. A little later the rebels again opener fire from a bluff near the rave on our left front. They fired several harmless volleys exercise, with the result that they speedily drove out the insurgents, who sought morning, leaving all supplies and stores shelter in sorie houses near by, but a few behind in charge of a few from each de- well-directed shells sent the houses into

The intervening time between the cess miles, the morning being bright and warm, ation of hostilities and retiring was occu-and exactly fitted for the task in hand. pied by the troops in fortifying their posi-First came Major Boulton's scouts, accom- tion, throwing up earthworks and so on.

Another of Riel's Prisoners. CLARKE'S CROSSING, May 10 .- William Bruce, another prisoner escaped from Riel, has been brought in. He corroborates Lotte's story, and says Riel's force comprises about 500, half of whom, however, are on the other side of the river and he thinks will make toward Poundmaker's reserve in order to help the Cree chief in his defence against Col. Otter. He states that Beardy is not at present with Riel but ha been sent for. He advises caution in attacking Batoche itself, as he says the breeds are desperate and will sacrifice their lives dearly. The women and children have been sent to the other side of the river. He thinks the rebellion will scarcely be crushed, even if Riel should be

The Commission and its Scrip.
OTTAWA, May 9.—A Calgary report today says: After much discussion many halfbreeds accepted the commissioners' terms, and it is expected the majority will to-day accept the scrip. The commissioners will go to McLeod on Monday, but will return to Calgary. The conduct of the Winnipeg land sharks who have been plying the breeds with whisky \$to catch the scrip may lead to continued diesatisfaction.

Col. Otter's Position. WINNIPEG, May 9.—Despatches from attleford seem to confirm the idea that Col. Otter will not strike the enemy again Col. Otter will not strike the enemy again until reinforced. He is really in the presence of a larger enemy than General Middleton, but the latter cannot assist him until he clears out the Batoche district. The impression prevails that if the rebels are routed they will fall back upon Battleford and endeavor to effect a junction with Poundmaker; others again report they will take shelter in the big bend of the North Saskatchewan.

The Opinion of the Times. London, May 9.—The Times says tha

London, May 9 .- Subscriptions rapidly pouring in to swell the fund started rebel bullets. While the firing was going by the Princess Louise for the amelioration of the condition of the Canadian troops engaged in putting down Riel's rebellion

A Man Who Knows How to Do It. St. PAUL, May 10. - Gen. Crook Minnesota Indian war veterar says: — Middleton must achieve decisive victory, or all the Indians will have on their war paint in a week, Should the halfbreeds achieve a signal victory over Middleton the result would be most disastrous. He says the best plan of the ridge, sending shells into them, and whilst doing so were almost surprised by a the front and flank, have Col. Irvine fall whilst doing so were almost surprised by a number of the rebels, who crept up through the bush, and were not discovered until twenty yards distant, when they made a rush for our guns, firing and yelling as they ran.

Capt. Howard recognized the danger and ran his gun in front of the battery, letting the enemey have a hail of bullets that was terrible in its effect, many being shot down and the remaining actually turning tail and the remaining tail and the remaining actually turning tail and the remaining tail and then storem into disorder, mass them in possible and then rake them with Gatlings, rifies, shot and flank, have Col. Irvine fall in upon the rear with his 300 mounted police, force them into disorder, with the remain into disorder, mass them in possible and then storem into disorder, mass them in possible and then rake them with Gatlings, rifies, shot and flank, have Col. Irvine fall in upon the rear with his 300 mounted police, force them into disorder, mass them in possible and then storem the rear with find police, force them into disorder. The remaining tail and the remaining tail

Lord Lansdowne has subscribed \$250 to Ottawa volunteers' relief fund. Ledy Lansdowne called on Friday on the family of Osgoode, who was killed in the Northwest. Osgoode's father lives in New Edinburgh. The people of that place are getting up a purse for him. Col. Irvine, inspector of artillery, will inspect the Toronto Field and Garrison artillery te-morrow afternoon at the new

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 10 .- Train wreckers set fire to a trestle on the Savannah. Florida and Western railway about 50 miles north of Jacksonville Saturday. The miles north of Jacksonville Saturday. The train ran into the trestle. The locomotive and 15 cars were burned; no lives lost. This morning another trestle near the scene of Saturday's accident was set on fire, but discovered by an approaching train. All the trestles are now guarded.

Everything Looks Levely. LONDON, May 10 .- The News expects that the Marquis of Hartington will announce in the house of commons to-day the definite withdrawal of the British forces from Suakim, the abandonment of the Khartoum expedition and favorable progress in the negotiations on the Afghan frontier in every way acceptable to the Ameer.

The Plymouth Plague. WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 10 .- A cem sittee of Philadelphia physicians made a post mortem examination of some epidemic victims to-day and declared the disease true typhoid fever. There have been five deaths to-day. Many others are at the point of death.

Parts Green and Poverty. NEW YORK, May 10 .- Chas, Liehman aged 72, a workman for Buddenserk, a ogus builder, and his wife, aged 71, were found dead in their rooms this afternoon.
The couple had taken paris green. Utter poverty was the cause.

The Garnet Leaves. New York, May 10. - The British manof-war Garnet left port this morning, apparently eastward bound. The Canada in also apparently preparing to leave. The Russian corvette Strelok is still in port.

Blaze at Prospect Park. New York, May 10 .- The reporters, udges and grand stands, Prospect park fair grounds, Brooklyn, were burned today, the loss being \$150,000.

Prince Arthur on Furlough.

A NIHILIST CONGRESS.

The Czar Given Two Years to Live. KHARKOFF, May 10. - A nihilist congress was held here last week. A sort of nihilist reformation has been proclaimed on To-morrow (Sunday) we expect to deal principles no longer confined merely to the company in charge of the Gatling. Then the rebellion a blow from which it will not destruction of the existing social system, but to the creation of a new system cap-In addition to the casualities mentioned able at any moment of being put in force Millar, and boldly they marched and well. in a previous despatch Col. Straubenzie, and of fulfilling all requirements for the A battery flanked them with the 90th batalion supporting and Winnipeg field batery and two companies of the Midland

in a previous despatch Col. Straubenzie, and of fulfilling all requirements for the who was in command of the reserves, seriously strained an ankle by stepping in a decided that for two years no attempt shall be made against the life of the czar, nor any member of the imperial family. Every possible effort will be made to in-Every possible effort will be made to induce the czar to issue a constitution that was actually signed by the late czar on the day of his assassination, but which was never promulgated. A copy of this ukase was read and unanimously approved by the congress. The constitution is of the most liberal character and is based on that of Germany. If at the expiration of two years the czar refuses to grant the constitution, a policy of assassination and terrorism will be inaugurated on a scale never yet attempted. Nihilism, the document says, exists to-day in more force than ever and has power to overthrow the entire social fabric at one blow. Over four thousand officers of the Russian army are in the nihilist ranks. An Anglo-Russian war would not be an element to be made active use of by the nihilists. They would work heart and soul with the government to fight the common enemy.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

The number of Germans now resident America is estimated at 1,967,000. The council of catholic prelates which met at Baltimore last week decided upon Washington as the site for the proposed National catholic university. At Chicago on Saturday Miss Geanie Vandebeuter recovered \$6500 for damages received by being thrown from a cable car, the train being set in motion while she was getting on board.

Another successful trial of the dynamite gun was made at Washington on Saturday. A number of military officers witnessed the test, including the captain of the Russian corvette Strelok. The safety of the system in firing is considered assured.

An Oswego Mystery. Oswego, May 10 .- Saturday night soon after eight o'clock two masked men entered after eight o'clock two masked men entered the house of S. Ihrall during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Thrall. One of them, with a drawn knife, seized a daughter aged 14, and under penalty of death commanded silence, but said she would not be harmed if she made no outcry. He then with a large scissors cut off ber hair and out her clothing, saying he wanted to be revenged on her father. They took some articles of silverware and left the house without doing her further harm. The affair is shrouded in mystery. Thrall knows no one who could have a motive for

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The Fate of a Ferry. PITTSBURG, May 10.—Thompson Snyder, who runs a skiff ferry on the river bewho runs a skiff ferry on the river be-tweed Hazlewood and Hay's Station, started across last night with four-men, one boy and a woman. When midway in the stream the skiff was caught in the swells of a passing steamboat and capsized. Mrs. Guebenal and son, aged 8, and August Rose were drowned. The others were res-cued.

The War Against Polygamy. SALT LAKE, Utah, May 10 .- Angus Cannon, Milton Musser and J. C. Watson were sentenced to-day for unlawful cohabitation. Each received the full extent of the law—\$300 fine and six months' im-prisonment. Each declined to make any pledge to obey the law or admit his obligation to obey it. The defiant utter-ances of the culprits were applauded by

The Evidence Against Maxwell. Southern hotel was taken by the police today to compare the signature of Maxwells the murderer of Prelier, with the inscription, "So perish all traitors to the great cause" found in the trunk containing the body. Experts declare that both were written by the same man. All the testimony necessary for extradition is now ready.

More Firemen Hurt. rbocker Ice company's stables were dam. aged by fire to the extent of \$25,000 to-night. Twelve horses perished. Seven firemen were working on a frame bridge connecting the second stories of the two wings when the bridge gave away and precipitated them into the area. It is feared three were fatally injured,

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 10 .- While Alex. Hibbard, aged 16, was tossing up a trade dollar and attempting to catch it in his sleeve the money struck his mouth and he swallowed it. All the prominent physicians of the city are being consulted on the case.

France Arthur on Furlough.

Simla, May 10.—Two months' leave of constaught.

From the Wall street News.

"Statistically," said a large coal dealer terday, "statistically, the coal trade never in a better position. As a matter of I have seldom known the trade to be well as the coal trade of the coal

RUSSIA MUST HAVE HERAT

THE BEAR'S ORAVINGS. ismal Prospects of Peace by Arbitratic

London, May 10.—The Anglo-Russian situation continues to be enveloped in a cloud of uncertainty. The average Englishmen finds it difficult to disabuse himself of the feeling that whatever Mr. Gladstone and Earl Granville may say to the contrary the Russian diplomatists are getting the better of the British. Every delay in the negotiations has redounded to Russia's advantage. While of the Russian railway has been actively pushed toward the Afghan frontier and the the thruston of the police. A free fight were search and under the members among whom the toward the Afghan frontier and the the thruston of the police. A free fight were search had not the intrusion of the police. A free fight with the police ensued, many club members had not the intrusion of the police. A free fight were search had not the intrusion of the police. A free fight were search had not the intrusion of the police. A free fight were search had not the intrusion of the police. A free fight were search had not the intrusion of the police. A free fight were search had not the intrusion of the police. A free fight were search had not the intrusion of the police. A free fight were search had not the intrusion of the police. A free fight were search had not the intrusion of the police. A free fight were search had not roughs quickly assembled and smashed in The Patched up Truce.

use of their guests. This innovation was resented by regular gondollers, and they organized a mob, attacked the hotel gondollers and souttled their boats. Several serious casualties have occurred. Many arrests have been made.

that nothing but Herat will long appease its cravings.

Well-informed Russians here openly assert that Russia intends to take Herat when the opportunity comes, no matter what the treaty stipulations may be. They say Russia does not contemplate intervening in the affairs of Herat of her own accord, but when the local tribes together with the Heratis shall ask the protection of the ezar, Russia is bound to incorporate them in her dominions. The practical upshot of the whole matter is that Russia refuses to enter into a treaty fixing a definite limit to her territory, and binding her to a maintenance of the frontier so fixed unless the rule of the ameer shall be so firmly kept within the line of frontier that all tribal disturbances will be premptly repressed, collisions be-

bet even on 1200 miles was recorded. About 3500 witnessed the start. Noremac was the favorite in betting.
Score at 1 a.m.: Maddocks 12 miles; Walton 12; W. Boyst 12; Omelia 12; Small 12; Snowden 11; Emery 11; Schook 11; A. Beyst 11; Reynolds 11; Claxton 10; Graham 9; Harriman 9; Francis 8; Noreman 8

An Anti-Engishman

To Be Settled Without Arbitration. London, May 10 .- Lord Granville stated to have signed an agreement on the scope of the proposed arbitration which leaves matters between England and

Paris, May 10. - Ferry remains in Rome He has been unable to obtain an audience with the pope. Cardinal Jacobini refused to receive Ferry, believing his aim is to present overtures with the effect of induc-ing the French catholics to believe that the vatican is friendly to the government.

Naples, May 10.—King Humbert and seen were rapturously received here. They drove through the streets in an open carriage unattended and sucrounded by crowds of people all cheering enthusiasti-

MOBBED AT MIDNIGHT.

two Clubs at Lendon Attacked by a Crowd

Pelice Interference.
London, May 10.—At midnight Satur

ejected from the European club raised the

ory that they had been swindled and

assaulted in the club house. A mob of

Left England for Life.

Riotous Gondollers.

VENICE, May 10 .- A serious riot is in

notel proprietors keeping gondolas for the

The Irish Episcopacy.

LONDON, May 10.—The vatican oppose

the introduction of the relations of the

Osman Digna at Berber

Something of a Surprise.

The Canadian Nile voyageurs left Lon-

Lady Parker, wife of Viscount Parker, while temporarily deranged jumped over-board from a steamer in the Red sea and

Six Days on Rollers.

Jottings From Hamilton Hamilton, May 9.—J. W. Jardine and

ther hop growers in Wentworth county

ave petitioned parliament to amend the

An Infant Burnt to Death.

HAMILTON, May 10 .- This afternoon

Mary, infant daughter of T. J. Holland,

was sitting beside a fire while her father

was at Sunday school and her mother at a funeral, and pulled a coal out on her clothes. The little girl was so badly burned that she died in an hour.

P. Blumestiel accidentally shot himself in the groin.

A Feud at a Festival.

Nincteen Days on an Ice-Fioc.

Didn't Know It Was Loaded.

Getting the Bogs Ready.

of the Dog Sports club went over to the

island and warmed the dogs up in six splendid to al heats. Spaniels, terriers and setters tok part. The dogs will be in good fettla for the races on Friday and

day afternoon about 30 m

ST. JOHN'S, Nfid., May 10. - The sealer

Toung Prince collided with an iceberg in

New York, May 11.—The six-day go-as

n for home yesterday.

arrests have been made.

NOTHING ELSE WILL APPEASE day night four or five men who had been

-Britain's Position Said to be Weak-ened-Fresh Sources of Disturbance-

Russian railway has been actively pushed toward the Afghan frontier and the Russian troops have seized debatable territory. A general feeling of insecurity exists and the announcement to-day that there is likely to be considerable delay in preparing preliminary details strengthens the opinion that the chances of arbitration taking place at all are decidedly slight. It is likely to be considerable delay in preparing preliminary details strengthens the opinion that the chances of arbitration taking place at all are decidedly slight. It is humorously suggested that the cabinet may be obliged to resort to a preliminary arbitration in order to determine what shall be submitted to the arbitrator. Whether the views of both governments on the primary questions can be reconciled and a common standpoint reached from which to consider the main question is by no means certain. Paris, May 10.—Gounod, against whom a verdict for \$50,000 damages in favor o Mrs. Weldon was rendered in London recently in a suit charging libel and assault.

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Baron De Staal has proposed that the whole scheme of arbitration shall be abandoned in case a comparison of the evidence regarding the Penjdeh incident sustains Russia's interpretation of the agreement of March 17. Earl Granville is inclined to accede to this proposition on condition that Russia will grant a definite treaty pledging herself not to make any further advance into Afghanistan. There is little likelihood Russia would make any such treaty.

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It is believed the possession of Penjdeh has whetted the appetite of Russia and that nothing but Herat will long appease

Irish episcopacy with the English govern, ment into the program of the bishops reunion in Rome. The pope prefers to leave to the council of the clergy to be convened in Dublin the decision of its policy toward the English government. rived at Berber and that the

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No Stomach for Further Fighting.

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Suscide of a Skipper.

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The Pittsburg Trunk Tragedy.
CEICAGO, May 10.—Jurado, the man arrested in New York for complicity in the murder of Fillippe Caruso, the Pitts. burg trunk victim, arrived to-night. He declines to talk of the murder the murder to see the proper to the past the proper to the proper to the proper to the proper to the past the proper to the proper to the proper to the proper to the past the proper to the pro

you-please on roller skates began at 12 05 this Monday morning. There were fifteen starters. Even bets were made that 1000 miles would be covered in six days; one bet even on 1200 miles was recorded.

The Army and Navy Gazette states that one effect of the patched up truce is to furnish Russia relief from the coal famine from which she is suffering. The stock of coal had become so low at St. Petersburg that the Russian fleet could not have gone to sea. Manufacturers had been forced to close the shops and work has been retarded at the imperial dock yards and arsenals.

A Russian Representative at Calcutta.

London, May 9.—A despatch from St.

Petersburg states that the Journal de St. have petitioned parliament to amend the Scott act so as to exempt ale and lager beer from its operation, or that a commission be appointed to make enquiry as to the operation of the measure.

Wm. McKee, a moulder employed by R. M. Wanzer & Co., while intoxicated Saturday wandered on the Northern and Northwestern track. A freight train coming along he was knocked down and so horribly injured that death came to his relief within an hour or two. He leaves a wife and three children destitute. Petersburg to day declares that Russia will shortly open negotiations with England for the appointment of a representative of the Russian government at Calcutta.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 10.—It is reported that Prince Lebanoff-Restowski, Russian ambassador to Austria, is about to succeed DeGiers as foreign minister. Lobanoff is known to hold strong anti-English views.

Russia open for settlement without reference to arbitrators. The Angle-Turkish alliance has not been completed. This is attributed to Lord Granville's withdrawal of the proposed terms on the prospect of peace with Russia. Negotiations have led to a closer alliance with the porte on the

Supplies Ordered Stopped. CALCUTTA, May 10 .- The purchase transport animals and the further despatch of stores and war material to Quetta was ordered stopped yesterday.

Herat Not to be Mentioned. London, May 10. - A St. Petersburg de spatch stats that DeGiers has informed Sir Edward Thornton tha Russia declines making reference to Herat in the further progress of negotiations with England. Ferry and the Vatican.

the gulf of St. Lawrence on April 19 and sank almost immediately. The crew barely saved their provisions and clothing. Thirty-two men lived on an ice fice nineteen days. Yesterday thoy were descried, and landed in good condition. CAYUGA, May 9 .- A day or two ago George Harper, aged 13, was playing with a shot gun when it was discharged, the charge entering the legs of his sister, Miss Francis Harper, aged 15. The young lady lingered for twelve hours or so and then breathed her last.

CAIRO, May 10.—Kassala was still hold-ig out against the rebels, April 12.

PRICE ONE CENT

ANDREW MCGUIRE'S GIRL.

BEING UNABLE TO SEE HER HE SHOOTS HER FATHER,

The Old Man Badly Wounded and the frate Lover Lodged in Jall with Much

Cosourc, May 9. -Andrew McGuire

painter, shot John Tucker, it is thought atally, this afternoon. McGuire has been courting Tucker's daughter Maggie. He was disliked by the family on account of drunken habits and forbidden the house. A week ago McGuire started drinking again, though he had been sober since Christmas. Saturday morning, apparently over his spree, he went to Hayden's hard ware store and bought a Young America revolver, 22 calibre and loaded the seven revolver, 22 calibre and loaded the seven chambers. He visited several barrooms and then went to Tucker's house. As he approached it was noticed that he was drunk inasmuch as he could hardly walk. Tucker went out and advised him to go home and at the same time offered him a ride in the vehicle of a neighbor who was passing. He refused, saying: "I have come to see your daughter, and I will not go till I have seen her." Tucker went into the house, locking the doors, as he feared from McGuire's actions that he was bad-intentioned. Miss Tucker works down town, and was advised to beware of McGuire. She got home while McGuire was there and into the house unnoticed by him. After she had been in a while she went to the window near by where recently in a suit charging libel and assault, is here. He makes a general denial of the charges, and says he will never pay the award. He has abandoned his intention to conduct Mors et Vita at the Birmingham festival, declaring that he will never go to England again. was there and into the house unnoticed by him. After she had been in a while she went to the window near by where McGuire was, and advised him to go home. He made no answer, butpicking up a sledge hammer began breaking in the door. Mr. Tucker came out and remonstrated with him again when McGuire drew the revolver and fired three shots, one taking effect in the left side of the abdomen. They carried the old man into the house. Dr. Cra'g searched for the bullet but could not find it. Dr. McNicol was sent for and could not find it either. Officer Rankin soon arrived and arrested McGuire. He was standing by quietly watching the doctors. McGuire protested against being marched along the main street. Rankin refused to go along a back street. McGuire then tried to break away. Rankin got him into a wagon and handcuffed him to himself. McGuire threw himself out of the wagor. He was got to the station at last and brought before Mr. Dumble, who remanded him till Tuesday. He made two more attempts to escape while being taken to jail. The doctors have not yet found the bullet and it is feared inflammation will set in. progress here. The trouble was caused by

NIAGARA'S NEW BISHOP.

Dongola, May 10.-It is reported Osman Digna with few followers has ar The Right Rev. Chas. Hamilton's Intro. agara, and Mrs. Hamilton arrived here this afternoon. He was escorted from A Turkish Failure.

Constantinople, May 10.—Fehmi Pasha. Toronto by an influential and specially apspecial Turkish envoy to England, has failed to effect an arrangement with England for the occupation of the Soudan by Turkey because he claimed the right of Turkey to garrison Cairo. pointed delegation, and was met here by a number of our leading churchmen headed by the Rev. Canon Curran. After innoh St. Petersburg, May 10 .- The Journal des St. Petersburg thinks Gladstone may anticipate Northcote's vote of censure with a surprise for both his opponents and friends.

by the Rev. Canon Curran. After lunch
his lordship was excorted to the cathedral
schoolhouse, where Rev. Canon Read read,
an address on behalf of the synod of
Niagara. The bishop made an excellent
reply and won golden opinions from his
audience. Service followed at the cathedral, led by Ven. Archdeacon McMurray
and Rev. Dr. Mockridge.

This evening his lordship was presented
with his episcopal robes in the Ascension
school room, which was thronged representatives from all parts of the diocese being
present. An address was presented by Mrs.
Edward Martin. The bishop replied in a
speech that stamped him as an orator. The
robes were presented to his lordship by
Mrs. Adam Brown and Mrs. Papps, secretary of the ladies' committee. The robes
were the gift of the ladies of the Church of
Ascension, All Saints', St. Thomas' and St.
Mark's and were imported from London.
Rev. Hartley Carmichael moved and Canon
Curran seconded that thanks be given to
the ladies' committee for their successful
exertions. The school was beautifully
docorated.

ORANGEISM IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

More Fighting in Conception Bay-Several St. John's, Nfld., May 10.—Anothe fracas beoween Orangemen and Catholics at Conception Bay was quelled before any serious consequences resulted. Some of the combatants were severely wounded, knives and other weapons being freely used.

Sir Watkyns Wynn, M.P. for Denbighshire Sir David Macpherson continues very mucl indisposed.

H. M. Stanley has been appointed gover of the Congo state.

Prof. Huxley is in feeble health and has been obliged to cease work.

Schouvaloff, the new Russian ambassador t Berlin, arrived there Sunday. Chief Justice Wilson leaves for Brampton to-day, where he will open the criminal assizes for Peel.

Manirni has resigned as foreign minister of Italy and his portfolio has theen taken by Premier Depretis. Premier Depretis.

Count William Bismarck, second son of the prince, is to be married to the daughter of Count Von Arnim.

A private message received on Saturda states that Sir Leonard Tilley is coming around nicely and that he hopes to be able take his seat in the house the latter part onext week.

GEORGETOWN, May 11.- Last night at a We Give it Up. festival had by colored people Officers Cole and Susby attempted to arrest two dis-orderly boys. The efficers who were knocked down with stones by friends of the effenders fired into the orowd and killed Geo. Stratham, father of the boys. It is thought the officers cannot recever. If Canada, which recognizes the supruthority of a woman can't go woman rage, what sort of a show has Susan B. go the States, where the boss is a man.

LOGICAL OFFICE, TORONTO, May 11 METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, TORONTO, May 11, a.m.—the pressure is comparatively low over eastern Canada and about the normal elsewhere. The weather has been showery in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces and mostly fair in Ontario. Throughout the Northwest it has been fine and mild, the temperature ranging from 30 in the morning to over 90 during the day.

Probabilities—Lakes and upper Lawrence light to moderate winds, generally fair, milder weather.

DEATHS. HIRST—In this city, on the 10th of May, at as father's residence, 43 Homewood avanue, Trottie, eldest daughter of John Hirst and wife of Harry G. Clayton of Hamilton.

Funeral will leave for Mount Pleasant cemetery on Tuesday, the 12th of May, at 1