OW-Prepartory Work on the Hillsberg Bridge-A Bay of Fundy Fisherman Believes East River a Good Place for Shad

DWH Chews Notes

CHARLOTTETOWN, May 30.-C. A. Myers, B. A., a graduate of Pine Hill. has been engaged by the foreign mission board to visit all the Presbyterian congregations on the Island. On Monday evening he organized a missionary ty in the Souris congregation. officers are as follows: President, Mrs. (Rev.) J. F. Polley; first vice-president, Mrs. John McLean; second vicepresident, Mrs. C. H. S. Sterns; secretary, Mrs. A. Currie; treasurer, Mrs. John Garrett. The boys' Highland brigade of St. James' church were presented with a

set of Highland pipes a few evenings ago. Rev. Mr. Fullerton presided. The presentation was made by John Mc-

A yachting club has been formed in Summerside with a large membership. The officers are: Captain John L. Reid, commodore; H. J. Holman, vicecommodore; P. D. Grady, rear com-modore; A. C. Saunders, secretary;

Neil McLeod, treasurer.

The Sons of England, headed by Worth's band, marched to Grace church Sunday morning, where an appropriate sermon was preached by the pastor, the Rev. J. W. McConnell. Hector McLeod of this city, one of P. E. Island's well known horsemen, returned Friday night from a business

trip to Boston.
G. S. Wallace of Berlin, Ont, the new manager of the Charlottetown branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia, entered upon his duties this week.

Sergt. Hessian, R. C. A., a member of the first Canadian contingent and a native of Georgetown, has left Quebec for Port Stanley, Ontario, to act as instructor on the dominion cruiser J. R. McDonald of Montrose died a

few days ago in his 73rd year. He leaves a wife and family.

Mrs. George Smith of New Glasgow

died a few days ago at a ripe old age. Deceased emigrated to this country with her parents from Lanarkshire, cotland, in 1843.

The funeral of the late William Mc-Gregor took place on Friday to the People's cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. William Smith. It was to this, their father's funeral, that the three ladies were hastening who were carried past Painsec Junction by mistake, and in consequence missed

me in Tr ment. The deceased had been working

has been gazetted second lieutenant 31st Grey regiment of the Canadian

The first match of the Charlottetown Rifle club was concluded Monday afternoon. The winner of the first prize was Lieut. J. M. Davison, with a score of 93, and of the second prize Capt. J. O. McDonald with a score of

Geo. H. Reddin has sold his trotting stallion Beau Prince to Councillor P. S. Brown.

Harry Steele of Charlottetown was killed on the 27th inst. in Boston in Houghton & Dutton's store, where he had been for several years in charge of the elevator. Owing to some over-sight in handling the machinery the carriage dropped upon him with fatal There arrived in Charlottetown by

There arrived in Charlottetown by the last trip of the S.S. Halifax a gentleman of unique experiences. His name is Thomas Shannon. He was born in County Monaghan, Ireland, in 1825, and at the age of sixteen arrived in Charlottetown. He resided here four years, after which he settled in Miramichi, where he remained till 1918. Miramichi, where he remained till 1848. He then went to Chicago, where he enlisted in the U.S. army and was ordered to Texas. He served three years in the Indian war, Texas against the in the days of the civil war. He after- to wards engaged in ranching, which he followed till he sold out this spring. Mr. Shannon is now in his seventymark.

Sixth year and is enjoying good health.

It is fifty-three years since he last liam of Germany, he was hunting visited P. E. Island. He intends residing with his sister, Mrs. A. Mcsiding with his sister, Mrs. A. Mchis horse. The horse reared and threw him to the ground. He was only him to the ground. He was only healthy bruised.

A stock list has been opened, and is meeting with a ready response, for the purpose of procuring a suitable steam-er to ply between Summerside and

John McIntyre of Mt. Stewart has been sent up to the supreme court on a charge of stealing a suit of clothes and a set of underwear from the store of S. C. Clark. McIntyre is about 30 years of age and has already served a term in Dorchester penitentiary. About a week ago he arrived at Mt. Stewart from Sydney.

The 26th annual business meeting of the Queens County Rifle Association was held Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Lieut, E. McDougall; council, Major Weeks, Major Stewart, Capt. Jones, Capt. M. Allen, Sergt. Major Raird and Dr. Kanaca. Sergt.-Major Baird and Dr. Kennedy; match committee, Capt. M. Allen Lieut. McDougall and Lieut. McDon-

D. O. M. Reddin has received from Dr. Chase's Ointment

and stealing four bottles of whiskey, was sent up today to the supreme court. It is said she is laboring under temporary insanity, but no evidence of this kind was brought forward at

Mrs. May, an old lady of Gran River Road, Kings Co., while dipping water from a brook, lost her balance and fell downward. She was too old and feeble to rise, and died in that position.

Her friends have received word of the death in Boston of Mrs. Charles M. Jenkins. The deceased was a na-

tive of Crapaud, P. E. I.

Dorsey Stanley, formerly of Charlottetown, was married a few days ago to Delia Cook of Augusta, Maine. The marriage took place in Medford, Mass. Mr. Stanley has seen considerable service in the Philippines, and has been mustered out of the service at Presida, California. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley will reside in Augusta, Maine. Dr. Kelly and George Wheatley were Ward 5 in the City Council.

Two large scows are being built at Pictou. They will be launched next week. They are each sixty feet long, fifteen feet wide and seven feet deep. Another scow is being built at Pugwash. Each caisson for the bridge will be fifty-five feet long, thirty-five feet wide and about twenty feet deep. The clam-shell dredge to be used in mak-ing excavations will be built here at

a cost of about \$25,000. Wilmot Lemont of Fredericton has main here during the summer months. Blanche Webster of Nudgell arrived last evening in poor health from Port-land, Maine. Her father accompanied

Albernia Townsend of Traveller Rest has returned home after spend-ing the winter with her brother, Rev. William Townsend, in Bass River,

N. B. Joseph Blanchard of Urbanville has been appointed inspector of French schools, instead of Prof. J. O. Arsen-

ault. Mrs. Jacob Judson, aged 67, died a Alexandra yesterday. She leaves a husband, four sons and two daughters to mourn. The sons are: Isaac, on the homestead; William A., a physician in Newark, New Jersey, John and Walter of the same city. The daughters are: Mrs. Albert Jenkins of Alexandra, and

It is reported on good authority that Charlottetown is shortly to have another daily paper, to be conducted in the interests of the conservative party At the annual meeting of the First Methodist church Sunday school, held last evening, the following officers were elected: Superintendent, G. D. Wright; assistant, A. E. Smith; sec-retary, William Wellner; treasurer, R. M. Johnston; librarian, Charlie Drew. the Island boat, and are now bringing an action against the I. C. R.

Prof. Collier of the Manual Training School and Miss. Vitula Lathan Voulkes of London, Eng., were married in St. Peter's church Monday, the Rev. J. W. Godfrey officiating. The bride was given away by W. A. O. Morson, K. C. Prof. H. A. Fontoin proceeded at the organ. morson, K. C. Prof. H. A. Fontoin place to carry on the shad fishery.

The body of Michael McAskill of Farmers are through with their Tracadie, who died in Boston a few spring seeding, which is unusually days ago, has been brought to his early for this country.

erection of a fine new store and dwell-

in Boston for the past five years.

Alfred McIsaac, formerly of Charlottetown and now of Thornbury, Ont., here on Saturday night, when Clark Bros:' store was entered through a small office window and several ar-ticles of clothing stolen therefrom. The thief has been arrested and sent up to the supreme court for trial.

KING EDWARD'S LUCK.

King Edward has had eight brushes with death. 1. While a schoolboy at Oxford boat in which he was rowing was over turned. He saved himself by swim

ming ashore. Upon returning to England in 1860, after his visit to the United States and Canada, his voyage was so delayed by storms that warships ent out in search of the warship

3. In 1871 an attack of typhoid feve threatened to result fatally. His life was despaired of, but was saved hrough vigorously rubbing him with

4. In 1875, while tiger shooting in India, a tiger sprang upon the Prince's elephant. His life was saved by Col-onel White of his suite, who killed the

5. In 1898 he slipped and fell on stairway, sustaining an accident to his lame for life. Within a few months he

to Copenhagen, he was shot at by a half-crazed youth named Sipido at the Brussels railway station. Two shots His wife died in 1897, leaving no family. were fired, both of which missed theh

slightly bruised.

8. He missed death by about 10 sec

nds on the Shamrock, Wedne May 22, 1901.

To cure Headache in ten minutes us Kumfort Headache Powders.

A SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.

A fund of \$2,400 has been raised to erect a monument in Charlottetown in memory of the Island men who died in South Africa. The government of the province was asked to give a grant of \$1,000, and has agreed to give \$600.

Who Has Travelled Within the Arctic Circle and Fought in Africa.

A Tramp of 1,760 Miles on Snowshoes Going Back to South Africa Once More -Will Sail This Week from St. John.

The Sun held up W. E. Read of Port Hope, Ontario, on Saturday, long enough to ascertain that this stalwar young soldier will sail this week from St. John direct to South Africa.

Mr. Read expects to join the Ba Powell force or one of the colonial corps. He had commissions offered him in the South Africa Light Horse and other corps before he left, when his time with the Strathcona Horse had expired. He goes back armed with letter from Col. Steele to the officer commanding the commander-in-chief's bodyguard, recommending him for a commission, also another letter to any and all to whom Read may find occasion tion to present it. In both letters Col Steele writes of Read: "He was one of

Mr. Read told the reporter that h nad served with the Strathconas, which he was a non-com cer, all through the compaign, and had fought in the Northwest in the rebellion of 1885. Though born at Por rebellion of 1888. Though born at Port Hope, Ontario, he had spent nearly all his life in the western country. He left Fort McPherson, in the Arctic circle, two and a half years ago, coming out by water to Fort Simpson and thence travelled 1,760 miles on snowshoes to Edmonton, and the second day after his arrival enlisted in the South African Horse, starting al-most immediately after on his journey to Cape Town. It is a long distance from the North Pole to the Transvaal In less than three and a half years this Canadian soldier travelled over 35,000 miles, about 5,000 miles of which

he covered on foot. Asked why he was leaving Canada once more for South Africa, Mr. Read said: I am going out this time for the good prospects I see in the immediate future of that country. Glory is a thing of the past there. The attraction now is dollars and cents. I do not think for an instant that South Africa compares with our country for a poor man. The seasons are more trying than if Africa were blessed with a good steady Canadian winter. Speaking of his travels in Canada fr. Read said that British Columbia had a great farming region yet to be opened up. He might not live to see its best arable land thickly settled, but once its richness was made known its development would be merely a matter of time. It was as good and possibly better than that part of new Ontario, known as the Lake Temis camingue district, which is now being exploited with every prospect of becoming one of the richest and best
parts of the greatest province of the
dominion. Some idea of the vastness
of the Temiscamingue region may be
gathered from the fact that it is as great as the twenty-two counties of Ontario lying west of Toronto and south of Georgian Bay. The distance entrance to the district, as the crow flies, is about 300 miles.

ran away when they saw me."

A FRENZIED SPEECH.

CHICAGO, June 2.—"I am Elijah, the prophet, who appeared first as Elijah himself, second as John, the Baptist, and now comes in me, the Restorer of all things Elijah was a prophet, John was a preacher, but I in myself the attributes of combine in myself the attributes of prophet, priest and ruler over meu. Gaze on me then; I say it fearlessly. Make the most of it, you wretches in ecclesiastical garb. I am he that is the living physical and spiritual embodiment of Elijah, and my commission to earth a third time has been prophesied by Malachi, by God Himself, by His Son, Jesus, by Peter and three thousand years ago by Moses. All who believe me to be in very truth all of this will stand un."

And over 3,000 people rose to their cet and greeted the declaration with cheers and handelapping.

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John Alexander Dowie, true to his romises, made this statement from he platform of the auditorium tonigh in the presence of five thousand peo ple. It was the culmination of a fren zied speech, in which he denound everybody not in Zion, cursed the Pop and the Roman Catholic church, spa literally at Masonry, the newspaper and the bankers of Chicago, and raged and tore up and down the stage like

madman.

"Understand well what I mean," he continued. "I will take no counsel in my methods of government. I have come to proclaim theoracy, pure and simple, the government of God, by God and for God, and I will never rest till all other forms of government have been driven from the earth."

"You talk about your democracy, Bah! I tell you democracy has been tried in the belance and has failed. The government of the people, by the people and for the people is twaddle. I stand loyal to the flag and countenance no revolution. Eat I demand here and now that the name of God must be placed foremost in the constitution of the United States and the supreme authority of God over all things must be recognized.

"Listen to the first message of the prophet," he said. "You must pay your tithes and offerings into the storehouse of God. Accursed be ye if ye would seek to rob Hishuse of its fullness by not obeying this, His will, sent through Elijah."

BUILDING QUEBEC BRIDGE. Submarine Work Promises to be th Most Difficult Ever Performed

in America. QUEBEC, May 18.—The submarin QUEBEC, May 18.—The submarine work in connection with the new Quebec bridge over the St. Lawrence promises to be more difficult than anything of the kind ever yet done on this continent. The main north pier is to be erected in twenty feet depth of water, and its foundations, which are to be dug inside the giant caisson built for the purpose, will go down sixty feet below the surface. This caisson, which is now about completed, is 150 feet long, 50 feet wide and 25 feet high, and over a million cubic

sides three feet. The interior is a mass of beams and joists, and the caisson has already cost \$30,000. The Iron bolts used to hold it together vary from 30 inches to 7 feet in length, and if placed end to end would extend in steam pile drivers are at present engaged in driving the supports for a temporary wharf, alongside of which the enormous calsson is to be sunk, when it is launched about the 1st of June. The lower edges of the calsson are pointed and sheathed in steel, so that when the huge structure is sunk in present position it will sink with in proper position it will sink with its own weight into the hard gravel bed of the river upon which it will be lowered. Then the water will be pumped out of it by powerful pumps, and workmen, with specially prepared tools, will descend into the opening and excavate to a depth of sixty feet from the surface of the water for the oncrete foundations for the pier. As the calsson gradually sinks a coffer dam will be erected around it, and when a proper depth has been attained

dation where the masonry is to be added. The masonry will be the handsom rose-tinted Laurentian granite from Riviere a Pierre quarries, in the Lake St. John country. The work of the men who will be employed in the calsson at its greatest depth will be exceedingly difficult and exhausting and the men will probably be able to work in it for only a few minutes at a time on account of the foul gases that will consequently descend and find no means of escape.

the whole interior will be filled up with concrete, up to that part of the

FISH WITH WINGS AND BEAK. A Cyrano de Bergerac in the Ocean Has Been Discovered.

(Philadelphia Record.) Flying-fish, called by naturalists "Exocaetus," is a common sight to all voyagers in tropical and sub-tropical seas. Their usual length is from ten to twelve inches, though one eighteen inches long has recently been described. They are enabled to execute flying leaps by means of the great development of their forward or pectoral fins. During flight the fins are kept quietly distended, without any motion. Their flight is rapid, greatly exceeding that of a ship going ten miles an hour, but graduelly decreasing in velocity and rarely extending beyond a distance of 500 feet.

Another curious fish is the halfbeak, which has an extraordinarily long protuberance from the end of the lewer jaw. They usually attain a length of about a foot. Of course, they have not the power of flight as the flying-fishes have. Yet naturalists consider them closely related to the flying-fish. The relationship has been fully confirmed by a unique specimen discovered in the ichthyological collection of the Academy of Natural Sciences and named "Hemlexocaetus candimaculatus," or "the half flying-fish with a spotted tail." This curious creature, although only a little over an inch in length, is certainly one of the most interesting discoveries recently made in ichthyology. It has a tail and large forward fins exactly like the flying-fish, but its head is wholly different, for, as will be observed, the lower jaw is extended into a curious beak-like structure, the mouth being at its base. In this respect it exactly resembles the halfbeaks. Hemiexocaetus is, therefore, an intermediate form connecting two important groups of fishes, and his advent upon the ichthyological horizon will, no doubt, be hailed with much interest, as it is just such forms as hese that are needed in zoological science to pridge over gaps in the genealogical history of many animate creatures. The specimen in uestion was obtained from the western Flying-fish, called by naturalists "Exoactus," is a common sight to all voyagers

ONTARIO MEATS
Capturing the Market at Sydney, C. B.

Saunders & Newsom, the well known butchers of this city.

Mr. Saunders stated that the prices asked by many...rs for cattle are unprecedented, and as a result shippers of meat and live stock to the Sydney market find that Ontario is rapit! taking the trade which should be enjoyed .../ the people of this province. It is to be regretted, said Mr. Saunders, that cattle raisers of this province cannot afford to sell at a price that will allow butchers to compete.

compete.

The dead meats of Ontario are being shipped in refrigerator cars and placed on the market in fairly good condition. Only yesterday, said Mr. Saunders, a large shipment was made of live stock—a shipment of three cars arrived in Sydney, which, of course, will be used as the market demands.

Unfortunately in P. E. Island a large number of farmers never take the trouble to look up the markets of Montreal and other large centres and as a consequence fabulous prices and prices the buyers are unable to pay, are asked. The holding of cattle for large prices will be a great advantage to shippers in Ontario, and as a consequence a foothold win be established which will be difficult to eliminate at regular prices. Again, the season is advancing and prices will certainly blover later on.

As many are aware the best cattle do not go to Sydney A large per cent of the people are of the working class and cannot atford to pay the large prices asked for first-class beef. The meat shipped from this province is the product of small steers, cows and cheap cattle. Butchers are unable to buy good stock cheap enough to compete with the producers of Ontario.

HOW BOXERS USED A DOG. compete.
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diary of Sir Claude McDonald, writ-ten during the siege of Pekin by the messages between the Chinese and the foreign forces. Sir Claude says:

"During the early days of the armis tice, from the barricades on the east of the Fu, the Chinese adopted a nove of the Fu, the Chinese adopted a novel way of communicating with the Japanese defenders. One day a large dog trotted into the Japanese barricade with a note tied round its neck. This was from the Chinese general commanding in that quarter, pointing out the futility of further defence, and recommending unconditional currender. A reply, declining the suggestion in somewhat forcible terms, was tied on the dog's neck, with which it trotted back.

"This was repeated several times,

"This was repeated several times the advisability of surrender being urged with greater insistence each time. The constant time. The answers varied only in the strength of the language. Letters demanding and suggesting surrender were also tied to arrows and shot into the Japanese lines."

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

AUGUSTA, Me., June 2.—Robert Keating of Red Beach, Me., was found dead in hed at Hotel North this afternoon, the gas being turned on full head. Keating came here on the Pullman to see his son, who is sick at the insane hospital. It is believed that the cause was accidental. The remains will be sent to Red Beach Monday noon.

OTTAWA.

Programme for Their Royal Highnesses' Visit Arranged.

Will Visit St. John Before the Middle of October-Will Travel in an Absolutely New Train - British Columbia Fisheries.

OTTAWA, June 2.- The Canadian programme of their Royal Highnesse the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, has been arranged by the Governor General and a sub-committee of ministers. It provides first for a grand state welcome at Quebec on the 16th of September. All the energies of the dominion and Quebec governments are bent towards making this function one of great magnificence. From Quebec the royal party will proceed to Montreal, where they are to be the guests of Lord Strathcona. On Friday 20th, the Duke and Duchess will arrive in Ottawa and remain here until Tuesday, 24th, on which day they will leave for the Pacific coast. Necessarily owing to the distances which have to ney will have to be a rapid one, stops of the royal party in the prairie section will be few and brief, being confined to Winnipeg, Brandon, Regina and Calgary. It is not likely that any stay will be made at any point in the mountains, but the programme contemplates a two-days' visit to Vic-

The royal party will travel in a magnificently equipped train. The Duke and Duchess will occupy a car which the government is having constructed specially for the royal visit. The members of the household and staff will be accommodated in cars which the C. P. R. is having constructed so that the royal train will be absolutely new throughout. Returning from the coast, the Duke and his party will proceed via North Bay to Toronto, over the Grand Trunk. One week will b spent in Ontario, the tour including assing call at Hamilton to see the nountain, a visit to Niagara Falls, and obably a trip through the Thousand

From Montreal the party will take the short line to St. John and Halifax Halifax will say good-bye for Canada to their royal highnesses on October 15th. They will arrive at Newfoundand, according to the schedule, on October 17th, and after a few hours spent there, the Ophir will start for

The minister of marine and fisheries is somewhat puzzled what to do in connection with the British Columbia fisheries. It appears Premier Duns-muir made an offer to surrender the ishery rights of the province for a fixed number of years for a fixed um. Sir Louis Davies could not see his way clear to recommend the acceptance of this offer. The minister leves that the best method of dealing with the question is to submit a test case to the privy council for a decision as to the respective rights of the dominion and provinces on the sea-coast. It was on the refusal of the almon canners, it is said, are at the

bottom of the movement. Ex-Mayor George Robertson, of St. ohn, arrived here tonight to again discuss the dry dock scheme with the r inisters.

BENTLEY'S is the best Liniment. A QUIET HOME WEDDING.

Miss Annie Yerxa of Minneapolis and J. C. Day of Seattle. (White River Journal, Kent. Washing-

ton, May 18.) A quiet and beautiful home wedding took place last Tuesday evening at the residence of H. R. Yerxa on Meeker avenue, on which occasion his aun Miss Annie Yerxa of Minneapolis Minn., and J. C. Day of Seattle, were married by Rev. Omelvena, pastor of the Presbyterian church. The parlor had been beautifully decorated for the ceasion, largely with ferns, and th happy couple were made one in the bay window which had been turned into a floral bower for their reception. The handsome bride carried an exquisite bouquet of lilies of the valley. Mr. Yerxa's mother, Mrs. T. I Yerxa, and his sister, Miss Mabl erxa, graced the occasion with their presence, having come from Los Angeles for the purpose. Miss Mable Yerxa acted as bridesmaid during the ceremony. The wedding party entered the parlors to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Miss Morrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Day left Kent for Seattle on the late train and after a short wedding tour will make Seattle their home where Mr. Day is in business as e, having come from Los Anme, where Mr. Day is in business as a building contractor.

WOLFVILLE NOTES.

Miss Margaret Coates, Acadia, 195 was recently married in London to L. L. Heritage, an English gentleman. Miss Coates has resided abroad since graduation, being engaged in teaching and literary work. She and her hus-band will reside in Paris.

Dr. Austin De Blois, pastor of the first Baptist church of Elgin, Illinois, has sailed for London. He will do England and part of Ireland on his olcycle and will then visit the southern parts of Europe. The Rev. J. D. Spidel, pastor of the

Baptist church at Gaspereaux, has re-ceived a call to the West End church, Rev. Judson Kempton and Mrs. Kempton of Mount Carrol, Ill., are

ding a short vacation in Wolf-

MADRID, June 2.—The two anarchists, a spaniard and an Italian, arrested here as the result of advices from the Marsellies police that they had projects against the Spanish ministers, have been liberated owing to lack



LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE. Commissioner Hickman Contradicts Some Chatham World Statements.

18 St. George's Sq., London, S. W., May 11, 1901. To the Editor of the Daily Sun, St.

John, New Brunswick: Sir-In the Sun of April 15 you publish a paragraph headed "Mr. Hickman's Gardener," which was more or less extensively copied. I hope I am not trespassing too much on your space in asking you to publish this paragraph once more. Here it is:

MR. HICKMAN'S GARDENER. MR. HICKMAN'S GARDENER.

The Chatham World is responsible for the following: The province has paid several thousands of dollars on account of salary and expenses for Mr. Hickman, the nice young amateur photographer who is in England for the purpose of sending emigrants here, and the attention he pays to his duties is shown by the experience of a Chatham gentleman who tried to profit by his services. Geo. E. Fisher sent to him for a market gardener with a general knowledge of farming, and Mr. Hickman sent a man in reply to the request. The man presented himself to Mr. Fisher, the other day, with a letter of introduction from Hon. Robt. Marshall, and said the would like to go to work at once, as his means were exhausted. Mr. Fisher looked rather wonderingly at his natty clothes and small white hands, and said: "I suppose you understand market gardening and know all about farming?" and precived the assionish. small white hands, and said: "I suppose you understand market gardening and know all about farming?" and received the asionishing reply: "No, sir; I never was on a farm in my life." "Then, why have you come here?" said Mr. Fisher. "Because I was sent to you," replied the man. "What is your trade?" asked Farmer Fisher. "I was draughtsman in a manufactory," replied Mr. Hickman's market gardener. He was, of draughtsman in a manufactory," repli-Hickman's market gardener. He we course, no use to Mr. Fisher, but Mr. secured him work in the pulp mill. A man who was sent here on a fool's a and arrived without a cent, was also mate enough to find employment in the establishment. Mr. Fisher is keenly a counted, as he had depended on getti armer from England, and is now

I should like to note or points in the above which, to the cur-sory reader, might lead to misconcepof these inaccuracies, loses some of the subtle merit which is now its most valuable characteristic. The statement, for instance, that Mr. Fisher sent to me for a market gardener, is not true. As far as I know I have never received a letter from Mr. Fisher in my life; in fact, the first intimation I had of the gentleman's existence was derived from the paragraph in question. A search of the files and through the correspondence-book of this office fails to reveal Mr. Fisher's name and, no doubt, Mr. Fisher himself would deny ever hav-

ing written to me. The statement that I sent a man to.
Mr. Fisher is also, of course, untrue.
If Mr. Fisher had applied to me for a market gardener he could have been supplied at once with a good man.
Concerning the other man, who was sent to Chatham "on a fool's errand,"
as the over counterns editor of the as the ever courteous editor of the World puts it, I must also plead ab-

> I am, yours sincerely, W. ALBERT HICKMAN.

Brigh's "Isaase of the Kidneys Mr. Andrew Duffin, Aultsville, Ont., writes:—'I was troubled with Bright's disease of the kidneys for five years. I tried a number of doctors and pre-parations, but got no relief. My son abvised the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I got a box, and, to my surprise, I got relief at once, and am now thoroughly cured." One pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

ANXIOUS ABOUT MR. MILLIGAN. Freeman about the unhappy condition of the party in Northumberland Coun-

ty says:-"What has become of Mr. Milligan, the organizer? He has visited Northumberland and knows how the "machine" works. Perhaps this complexion of the party here, as now constituted, does not suit him, or perhaps he is too busy editing the Telegraph, the great "Blair" organ that refused to miblish accounts sent to it of successrrissy sistin 10the

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THE PRES The presentation James' Palace, Lo weks ago, and was of its kind that has King's accession. accompanied on brilliant staff, incl V. C., command British army, and who had taken p the war. The occa by the presence of Queen, Lady Rob cona, and certain nected with the re In presenting Richardson, the emphasis on the South Africa by al army from over cially in the Stra congratulated Ser

his success in wimed distinction as the his heroism. At the conclusion son a commiss army, but the 1 honor, as he prefe HIS DEED

In a conversatio porter this aftern son gave a brief scription of the cross was given. said, happened at 5th of July last sion he was engag in an attack on then occupying ar When they opene the order was Sergt. Richardson his magazine befo the order, and co away. When the r he turned to rejo troop, who were in the distance. ground he notice named MacArthur near by, and on a the shoulder and h juries were such sible for him to m fire from the Boer hot and deadly a Richardson picked and carried him ac a place of safety.

was witnessed by imperial army, the incident to Lor recommendation th the Victoria Cross, Sergt. Richardson the Cross, although speaking about th it was won. "Hund said, "have been w that will never the notice of the of luck, I suppose, s kept his eye on r Arthur across the his efforts to obtain But I can assure in the position I would have done was simply a dut have been many the war, and my

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