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DIDN'T LIKE HIS WAYS LONDON'S HOLIDAY.

BOER WAR CLOUD NO LONGER SADDENS THE PEOPLE.

ENGLISH COAL SHIPMENTS TO

Dec. 26.—Not many years have Londoners experlenced such delightful Christmas wea-The streets yesterday were dry, the air sharp and bracing, and at times the sun shone brilliantly. Eveybody seemed merry and light-hearted. There season of peace and good-will, and the disturbance in Somalitand and the dispute with Venezuela were not suffi-

general gaiety. Mr. Arnold Forster, rather than the Earl of Selborne, is believed to be the real author of the British Admiralty's new naval scheme. As might be exvoking a great deal of criticism. They are far too revolutionary for some of Britain's senior naval officers, but the younger ranks welcome the new order of

58c 3 The United States demand for English coal is again in evidence. Four large steamers, carrying among them 17 500 tons, have this week been engaged on the Newcastle market for New York and Boston. The coal covered by these transactions is for January loading, and the rates at which the vessels have been chartered show a smart advance.

The Belfast shipbuilding returns to 1902 constitute a remarkable record The two great firms of Harland & Wolff and Workman, Clark & Company have carried all before them and left the highest outputs of both Seotch and English firms about ten thousand tons in the year.

The Harland & Wolff's yards turned

ut six huge liners, with an aggregate of 79,497 tons, and Workman, Clark & Company twelve vessels of 73.933 tons. Adding a small steamer of 130 tons built by MacColl & Company, Belfast has been responsible for nineteen vessels, with an aggregate of 153,560 tons, an increase of 7,533 tons compared with A strong team of lacrosse players drawr from England and Ireland will probably visit Canada in 1904. The preject has been favorably received, and inquiry into the possible playing the company of the possible playing the playing the possible playing the possible playing the possible playing the playing the possible playing the playing the possible playing the difficulty will be experienced raising a strong side. The trip may made either in April or at the end July, according to the arrangements ship league games there.

THREE DAYS' SUFFERING.

Captain and Crew Reach Safety Af ter Period of Paril.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 26.-The steame Goana, from Australia, brings news that the rescued captain and crew of the ketch Marquise, of Linlithgow, have been brought to Lancaster by a steamer which picked them up in Buss Straits, where they had remained on a small rock, two miles and a half from the mainland, without food or water, and with the sea sweeping over them, for three days. The ketch was wrecked close by, and they ultimately patched up a broken dingy, which enabled them to

SEARCH FOR MUTINEERS. Looking For Men Who Killed Mate of Leicester Castle.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 26 .- According to advices from Honolulu the British cruiser Shearwater, which has left there for Pitcairn and other South Sea Islands will make a search for the mutimeers who left the ship Leicester Castle, after shooting the captain and killing Second Mate Dixon. The mutiny occurred three hundred miles from Pi eairn, and it was thought the mutin-ears might have reached that island.

CHIEF DETECTIVE KILLED.

Was Trying to Arrest a Negro-Latter Fatally Wounded.

Hot Springs, Ark., Dec. 26.-Chief Detective John Donahue was shot and killed on the street by Frank Dougherty, a race-track follower here. Dougherty, it is claimed, had struck a woman with an axe, and, as Donahue attempted to arrest him Dougherty shot the de-tective over the eye, killing him instantly. He then started to run up the street, but only got a short distance when a boy sixteen years old, who was in a buggy, got out a gun and shot Dougherty in the face and breast. Dougherty then fired a shot in his own head. The doctors say he cannot live. There was much talk of lynching, but on the assurance that Dougherty not recover this was soon silenced.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

The price of crude rubber has advanced

A BRUTAL LYNCHING

Levi Brooks, a Detroit colored ma

Levi Brooks, a Detroit colored man, was a visitor at the Windsor police court to-day, at the instance of Detective A. Skirving of the Lake Ere & Detroit River ra Iway.

The two met on the afternoon train east bound and struck up an acquaintance without the formalities of an introduction. Brooks was jolly, in fact, hilariously so. He had just left Detroit on the eve of a holiday and had begun the celebration early. The diffbegun the celebration early. The diff-culty, however, was that his ideas of a good time did not compart with what his fellow passengers deemed au fait. He tried to introduce western

ways along with his western small talk. In fact he went so far, it is said, as to pull out his revolver. Then, con-trary to all rules of western etiquette the women screamed, men quailed and the train men went for cover. His last prank was to pull the ball rope. Detective Skirving, who was riding in the baggage car, was notified and he finally took the man in charge. Magistrate Bartlet imposed a fine of

GERRYMANDER

What the Liberal Rank and File Demand A New Electoral Map.

O. tawa, December 25.-In politica circles it is now an understood belief that a redistribution bill will be in troduced at the coming session. Just what the scope of the bill will be is purely conjecture, but there is a feeling that there will be considerable of a shaking up of the Ontario constituencies. It is said that Liberals who have fought the battles of the party for the past twenty years are determined that the bill shall take the form of a complete gerrymander, so far as Ontario is concerned. It is claimed that Optario L berals suffered in the redistribution of 1881, and the

Whether the government will yield to these demands or not cannot be learned but the knowing ones say a brand new election map of the West ern Ontario peninsula will be neces sary after the bill becomes law. I is certain that Man'toba and the Norethwest will be given additional representation, and the demarkation of the electoral boundary lines will fall largely to the lot of Mr. Sifton. The maritime members are expecte to put up a vigorous fight against reduction in representation.

GETTING READY

the Coming Bye-Election Stubborn Contest

Toronto, Dec. 25,-A series of mee ings in the interests of the Liberal-Conservative candidates has been arranged to take place in North Grey, North Perth and North Norfolk, when by-elections will be held on Januar Final arrangements have 7th next. not as yet been completed, but meet-ings will occur at Stratford, Owen Sound, and Meaford, between the 26th and 31st of December. A number of other meetings are being arranged in the different constituencies. Among the speakers who will be on the circuit are Messrs. J. P. Whitney, D. Hen-Jerson, M. P.; Andrew Miscampbell, M. P. P.; J. P. Downey, M. P. P.; J. J. Foy, M. P. P.; J. W. St. John, M. P. P.; Richard Blain, M. P., and number of other well known parlia mentary debaters.

The Reformers are also preparing for a series of political gatherings, and unusually lively campaigns are

expected. As each of the three constituencies is a pivotal point under the present extraordinary political conditions, i is expected that no effort will be spared, legitimate or otherwise, to secure the return of Liberal mem-bers from all three ridings. On the other hand, the Conservatives in each fact that they have a double duty ahead of them-to see that every fair effort is made to record all possible votes in their favor, and that no unfair work is done by the Government supporters.

Reports from each constituency in-dicate that in spite of the holiday season and the remarkably early date fixed for the elections, energetic preparations are being made to bring out the vote.

CHRISTMAS

GATHERING

The home of Mrs. L. Patterson Bleoheim, was the scene of a Merry Christmas gathering yesterday, when her children and other relatives to the number of about 30 assembled, as has been their yearly oustom, to spend Christmas at the aged lady's home. The Christmas dinner was particularly enticing and appetizing. In addition to the splendid spread of choice viands, the table was artistically decirated.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Potter and Miss Gertie Potter, Mrs. Carns and son Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Patterson, Chatham; Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Pat-terson and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Laird, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Carns, Miss Patterson, Guilds; Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, Ridgetown; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sterling, Elk Rapids, Mich.

NEGRO HANGED AFTER HAVING HIS THROAT CUT.

Horrible Action Committed by Pittsburg, Kansas, Mob-Vengeance on a Negro Murderer.

ery Godley, a colored man, was taken rom the jail here and lynched by mob. He had shot and killed Milton linkle, a policeman, while the officer was trying to protect himself against a crowd of unruly negroes. At the first growd of unruly negroes. At the first effort to lynch the negro the rope broke. Someone in the crowd then cut Godley's throat, severing the jugular vein. After this he was hanged a second time. The shooting of Policeman Hinkle occurred at a dance, which was attended by a large number of negro men and women from neighboring mining camps. Montgomery Godley and his brother were drinking, and had become very disorderly, when Policeman Hinkle interfered. The negroes attacked the policeman, and when Hinkle drew his club to defend himself, Montgomery Godley slipfend himself, Montgomery Godley slip-ped behind him, grabbed the officer's pis-tel and shot Hinkle behind the ear. The eman died soon afterwards. When the mob broke into the jail they did not touch the other prisoner.

death occurred in Detroit on fuesday of Louis A. Blackburn, formerly of this city. Deceased was 66 years of age, and leaves a wife and family to mourn his loss. The funeral will take place to-morrow from the G. T. R. station to the Maple

MOROCCO TRIBES WAVER

THE SULTAN MAY BE OVER-THROWN SPEEDILY.

His Fault is a Too Great Tendency to Accept European Custcms-Troops Strongly Reinforced.

London, Dec. 26 .- The correspondent of The Times at Fez, Morocco, describes the situation there are very serious, owing to a large increase of the pretender's followers, whom the Government troops are too weak to attack. Reinforcements amounting to 12,000 men, he says, will leave Fez to-morrow, and an admitional force of irregular cavalry has

Many tribes not already in rebellion are avering, and are ready to join the rebels in the event of a serious Govfesses not to claim the throne for himself, but to desire to overthrow the Sultan on account of his European tendencies, and if successful the rebels are to nominate a new Sultan, who would promise to continue the war against the

ANDERSON'S CREDITORS MEET. Discussing Methods of Winding Up

the Oakville Bank. Oakville, Dec. 26 .- An informal meeting of the creditors of C. W. Anderson & Sons was held in the Council Chambers yesterday, about 75 being present, Mr. John Macdouald was appointed Chairman, and Mr. W. S. Davis Secretary.

Mr. Macdonald in his opening remarks said he was probably one of the largest creditors, and the object of the meeting was to get an expression of opinion as to the line of action they should pursue in this matter. He thought there was crooked work somewhere, and wanted to find out where it was. Messrs. Coote, Young, Patterson, Macdonald, Wales and Captain Morden had drafts and checks returned dishonored by the Bank of Hamilton that had been sent some ten days previous to assignment by the Andersons, while others typeared to have been paid. The feeling was rather strong against the Bank of Hamilton in the matter.

Mr. W. S. Davis said he was in a position to state that the Bank of Hamilton was quite willing to act fairly in the matter, that the securities they held as collateral were obtained, by them for their own protection, and no doubt could be seen at any time by applying to the general manager. the line of action they should pursue in this

Mr. Chas. Hall of Trafalgar also defend-Mr. Chas. Hall of Trafalgar also defended the action of the Baak of Hamilton. He said, referring to a recent interview with General Manager Turnbull, that that gentleman had said they had never felt at all anxious, and were not aware that an assignment was to be made. They were willing to assist the creditors in any way possible. All present seemed to be of the opinion that the proper and most economical way of closing up the defunct bank's affairs would be to appoint a tocal man to wind it up and pay off the Bank of Hamilton's claim.

A committee, composed of John Macdon-Hamilton's claim.

A committee, composed of John Macdon-aid, D. O. Cameron and Geo. Andrews, was appointed to go to Hamilton and investi-gate the securities held by the bank and report at next meeting.

TO BUY FANNING ISLAND. British Cable Company Makes Offer

to Owners. Honolulu, Dec. 17, via Victoria, B.C. Dec. 26 .- The British Cable Company, owning the All Red Line from Vancouer to Australia to Fauning Island, has made an offer to James and Henry Bicknell of Honolulu to purchase their half interest in the island. The company has a cable landing there now, and is understood to be seeking to pur-chase the island. "King" Crieg owns the other half interest. James Bicknell leaves for San Francisco on the Zealandia, and may close a bargain

with the British company after

POOLROOM EXPLOSION

TWO OF THE VICTIMS DIE OF THEIR INJURIES.

everal Other Men Are Not Expected

Hot Springs, Ark., Dec. 26 .-- Wm, Hel rig and H. Joe Kennedy, both of Hot ion, died during the night. Thu explosion, died during the night. Thus far these are the only fatalities recorded, although four more of the victims are likely to die. These are C. R. Donnelly, Wm. Metze, Thomas Ozier, Hot Springs, and W. S. Mcinerney, Louis ville, Ky. The explosion wrought dreadful havec to the poolroom, which was located in the rear of the Turf Exchange, and in the heart of the city. change, and in the heart of the city. When the explosion occurred the pool-room was crowded with people, and all went down in a mass of wreckage. The recovery of R. C. Chambers, one of the proprietors of the club, who had both egs and both wrists broken, is expected C. Burch of Chicago, who sustained a broken leg, is seriously injured. Ben-jamin Murray, the driver of a gasoline tank waggon, who was arrested, charg-ed with criminal negligence, made a statement to-day. He says he made a connection from his waggon to the gasoline tank in the cellar under the poolroom. Upon entering the cellar he
found that 20 or 30 gallons of gasoline
had overflowed and formed a pool on
the floor. Fearing an explosion, he ru'h ed to an open window and closed He says the door was then opened by a negro porter, and the gases coming in to contact with lights in the poolroom ignited, and the explosi n followed. Mur-

KILLED THE CAPTAIN.

ray was blown against the side of the cellar, but escaped with slight injury.

TROUBLE, WITH THE NATIVES OF NEW HEBRIDES.

Murder as the Result of a Superstition Regarding the Burial of the

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 26. - The steame Goana, from Australia, brought news of an attack on the recruiting schoone Lily, by the natives of Millicolo, in the New Hebrides. Captain Henry Asmos Atkinson, British, was killed and two of the Lily's crew wounded. The of the Lify's crew wounded. The schooner was employed in taking a large number of natives, who had been employed in New Caledonia by French planters, to their homes, and one of those consigned to Mallicola died when near there, and Captain Atkinson decided to bury the body ashore instead of at sea. When Captain Atkinson landed from the whaler, which brought the natives ashore, he was rushed and his rifle taken by the blacks on shore. He was then shot and killed with his own rifle two balls being sent into his breast. Some of the native crew tried to save the dead captain's body, but the na-tives, who were just landed, aided those ashere, and the crew fled, two of them being wounded as they swam back to the schooner. The attack was the reault of superstition attached to the bury-ing of a dead body, the natives believ-ing it to be necessary to kill the whites to prevent further deaths from occur-

OFFERED TWO MILLIONS.

crew were wounded.

ring. The schooner Pearl was attacked

on this island a few days later. She called at Espigle Bay, another part of the island, to land natives, when she

was fired upon and several of the native

ALLEGED PROFFERED PRICE FOR SUDBURY PROPERTY.

The Diamond Drill Said to Have Disclosed a Large Deposit of Iron Ore.

Detroit, Dec. 26 .- A special to The Free Press from Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. says:-Chase S. Osborn, State Railroad Commissioner, who not many years ago paper, and later owner of The News of this place, and his associates have been offered \$2,000,000 for their iron ore pro perties in the Sudbury district, north of the Canadian Soo, in Ontario. Dia-mond drill operations have been in progress for several months, and it is be lieved a large deposit of ore has been encountered. The offer to purchase is said to come from the Clergue interests, and is said to be one reason for the loan of \$3,500,000 arranged by the Consoli-

SAULT STE. MARIE CANALS. Enormous Business Reported For the Year Just Closed.

Sault Sts. Marie, Mich., Dec. 26 .- The greatest volume of commerce in the history of the canals is shown by the completed statistics of the traffic through the water ways at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and Onario, for the present year, which amounted to 35,961,146 freight tons; exceeding that of last year, also a hanner season, by 7,558,081 tons. It illustrates the development that is being made of the great northwest, whose products to a large extent find their way to the east via the great lakes route. Of this freight the east-bound amounted to 30,275,989 tons, west-bound 5,695,137 tons.

Frank Scott, of the Detroit Medical

CHRISTMAS BLIZZARD

Marquette, Mich., December 25.—Christmas weather with a vengeance What is believed to be the worst bliz zard in six years is to-night increasing in violence, after having raged throughout the upper peninsula since yesterday afternoon. The blinding snow and heavy gale are accompanies by zero temperature, and the mercury is steadily falling. All trains are several bours behind time, and in this city street car service has been abandoned, at least for to-day. Telephone and telegraph wires have suffered severely, so that in many instances details of the big storm are lacking Reports have been received from Ish peming, Bessemer and other points indicating the storm was uniformly heavy.

heavy.

Advices from all over Michigan are to the effect that the storm was general, though loss violent in the lower peninsula. Some trains are hours late and in many cases country roads are impassable. At East Tawas and other mainta the snow is welimpussable. At East laws is well-lumbering points the snow is well-comed, as it will greatly facilitate lumbering operations.

JUDGE BELL

Has Been Appointed to Probe Charges of Ballot Frauds at St Thomas.

St. Thomas, Ont., Dec. 24.-Chancel r Boyd, at the request of Crown Attorney Donahue, has appointed Judge Bell, senior judge of the county of Kent, to try the alleged ballot-box scuffers, Branton, Foster, and Walsh, the alleged offences being committed on December 4. The summenses were served upon the defendants to-day The enquiry will begin here on Mon-

Otawa, Ont., Deco .24.-Crown Atorney Batchie received word to-day hat Judge Deacon, of Pembroke has been appointed to conduct the inves-tiation into the chares of alleed irregularities in the recent referendum election in Ottawa. The date for the investigat on has not yet been fixed. The Crown Attorney communicated with Judge Deacon, notifying him of the appointment which was made by Chancellor Boyd.

CHRISTMAS DAY

low it was Spent in the Maple City-Churches Well Attend. ed-Qun Club Shoot

Christmas Day-a day which is cele arated the world over-passed off very quietly in Chatham this year. nerchants, every place being closed, The hotels and churches were about the only public places open. In the first mentioned, business prospered, though with smaller proportionate profits, owing to the ancient and honorable custom requiring the proprietors to dispense much good cheer without price. There was not, howver, any decrease in disorder on this ccount, and everything passed off very peacefully indeed.

Santa Claus made his usual visit to the children and brought happiness and joy with him. One commendable feature of the day was the fact that the poor of the city were not overlooked. The churches took it upon themselves to distribute good things to the poor families of the city, and not one family in need was overlooked, thus making it an enjoyable day all round.

There were no amusements on hand, in fact the day seemed more like a Sunday than an old-time Christmas, Services were held in Christ Church Holy Trinity and the Catholic church es in the morning, and these services

were all well attended. The Maple City Gun Club spent th day at the traps, when some good shooting was made.

The city was overcrowded with vis itors, former residents and friends of residents, and a number of Chathamites left the city and spent the day with friends and relatives in other

RESULTED IN A DRAW

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Dec. 25 .- / ace which has been quietly arranged between the boots of the United States battleships Alabama and Mas sachusetts, over a distance of three miles for a stake of \$10,000, was decided to-day and resulted in a tie. The time over the course was twenty-nine minutes and twenty-eight sec-The British eruiser Charybdis and

the British torpedo boat destroyers Quail and Rocket arrived here this

Wilfrid Bray Favley, son of T. F. Farley, Colborne street, returned home for Christmas. Mr. Farley, Jr. has not been home for 18 years. Lorne Farley, of Wallaceburg, also spent Christmas with his parents. Mrs. Farley continues very low and little hopes are entertained of her

D. K. McNaughton, of Detroit. spent Christmas with Judge Houston.

CLERGUE'S COMPANY

THE CONSOLIDATED LAKE SU-PERIOR'S REPORT.

NONE OF THE COMMON STOCK HAS BEEN PAID FOR

SOURCES OF REVENUE FOR THE COMING YEARS.

Sault Ste. Marie, Dec. 26,-A study. of the annual report of the Consolidated Lake Superior Company for the year ending June 30 last throws considerable light on the financial situation, It should be understood that this comahould be understood that this com-pany owns all the stock of all the sub-sidiary companies, therefore there is small chance of confusion in referring to the various branches of the great orranization. The relations of the subsidiary companies are such that the service rendered by one for another is charged against the latter, and the amount is counted as part of the earnings of the former. Thus the state-ment shows that the Algoma Central Railway's freight earnings were \$852,009 last year, which considering the isolated location of the railway, would be absurd did it not include a tariff charged the Lake Superior Power Company for ore shipped from the Helen mine. The gross earnings of the railway were \$1,-036,582, and the net earnings \$382,084, the shipment and sale of 341,000 tons of ore enabling the Consolidated Lake Superior to take that sum out of one pocket and put it is another.

In explaining the position of the capital stock, Mr. Clergue declared to The Globe correspondent that none of the common stock was paid for; it was all bonus to the apprehenses of preferred.

common stock was paid for; it was all bonus to the purchasers of preferred. Inasmuch as the annual report shows that there is \$23,547,250 of preferred stock outstanding, and \$70,151,800 of common stock, one is forced to conclude that the price of the so-called "goodwill" the "compensation for risk," or whatever business men call it, has been very liberal, while to an outsider it would appear that the "water" from Lake Superior has broken the floodgates and entered the common stock books. The common stock is made up of \$38,600,000 acquired in exchange for \$14,000,000 of the original Consolidated Lake Superior common stock; \$28,000,000 of the Ontario Lake Superior Company common stock, and \$14,151,800 stock is sued for the acquisition of the Algoma sued for the acquisition of the Algoma Steel Company. For the i st-named pur-pose a balance of \$11.848,200 remains to be issued, making \$82,000,000 in all of common stock. Since June 30 \$2,213,-650 of preferred stock has been issued, loaving \$9,239,100 still to be received from purchasers of perferred stock in in-stalments for completing construction and providing working cap. al, which when paid in will complete the total preferred capital stock authorized of \$35,000,000.

What is the company's earning power as compared with last year? One of the largest new items is the lease of 25,-000 of the 60,000 horse-power developed in the American canal, at an annual revenue of over \$250,000, according to Mr. Clergue, which will pay interest on the whole investment of \$6,000,600 in the canal, and leave the larger portion of the power yet to be leased. The completion of the Algoma Central Ratiway from Sault Ste. Marie to Michipis cotem at an early date will give it business the year around in carrying ore, pulpwood, pine and hardwood for the various industries. The Josephine iron mine will also be shipping ore shortly, as will probably several others recently. acquired. Then, too, the returns from the Grace gold mine should shortly loom large, for all reports go to show that the quality and quantity of its ore, already being shipped out, make it a bread-winner that would sustain many families. Then there are the two blast furnaces, the street railway systems in the two cities, now nearing completion, and the charcoal plant, from which the charcoal will go to smelt iron ore, and the byproducts of wood alcohol, worth over

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