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Naval architects, apparently carried away by the wonders of the Dreadnought, have recently been planning their faith to the "all-big-gun" ship and have apparently lost sight of the fact that since the end of the Russo-Japanese War the size and power of the destroyer has rapidly increased and likewise the torpedo, the largest type being 21 inches in diameter, with an effective range of 7,000 yards. Working on the lines that one torpedo "home" is of more destructive power than a dozen big shells, pointing as an example the Russian battleship, Katia Svaroff, which at Tsushima received fourteen terrible blows from the Japanese big 12-inch guns, and yet continued to steam and fight, the Austrian naval experts have designed a huge heavily-armed ship to carry three torpedo-tubes placed twelve in front of the foremost funnel, eight between the fore and midship funnels, and eight between the aft midship funnel and the aft smoke-stack, whilst a further couple of tubes will be placed right aft. She will also be fitted to carry a gun but little better than our 4.7 weapon, presumably for repelling torpedo-boat attack and commerce destruction. Her bulging sides and rounded decks, all heavily armored, will be constructed to throw off the heavy projectiles of her enemies whilst she is steaming into effective range, and with the speed of three knots faster than any big-gun ship afloat she will be able to outmanoeuvre them.

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WARM IN TORONTO. RICH SAMPLES OF GOLD. B. C. DAM BURSTS. A MINING EPISODE.

Toronto, June 22.—Toronto yesterday averted in a temperature hovering around 90. The mercury went a trifle above this mark about 4 o'clock. This is about ten degrees above the average for this time of year. Observations of the weather bureau indicate a southerly wind, which has been prevalent of late. Port Arthur, Ont., June 22.—P. Hickey, a prospector, has arrived from Sturgeon Lake gold fields, with several very rich samples... B. C. DAM BURSTS. Vancouver, B. C., June 22.—The dam of the North Columbia Gold Company at Surprise Lake, at the head of Pine Creek, in Atlin District, gave way on Thursday. A wall of water eight feet high rushed down the creek, twelve miles into Lake Atlin, sweeping all before it.

NECESSARY MANOEUVRES.

(Punch.) C. O.—Fix... bayonets! Sergt.-Major—Beg pardon, sir, 'radin' without bayonets. Order from headquarters—return all bayonets to store last week. C. O.—Oh, yes, yes—my mistake. Uddis an aa ba bayonets.

MAY CELEBRATE WAR OF 1812.

Toronto, June 22.—The proposal to hold a national centennial celebration of the war of 1812 was discussed at a well attended meeting in the Military Institute yesterday, at which were represented the Daughters of the Empire, chiefs and warriors of the Six Nations Indians, United Empire Loyalists Association of Ontario, Canadian Military Institute, Veterans of 1866, 1855 and Seventh African and York Pioneers and Historical Societies, Lieutenant Colonel W. Hamilton Merritt occupied the chair. It was proposed that the official co-operation of all Governments as well as that of the public generally be sought. A suggestion, also, that the chief scene of the celebration should be the frontiers of Ontario and Quebec, where the historic attack was met and repulsed. Finally, a committee

WITH HIS SANCTION.

(Argonaut.) Others may have said the same thing, but this rather unsympathetic comment is attributed to the late Judge Hoar: "Are you going to attend the funeral of General Butler?" a friend asked him. "No," was the calm reply. "No, I am not going to attend—but I heartily approve of it."

DOLBY'S DOUBLE



BARNESVILLE.

Barnesville, June 21.—One of the most fashionable weddings of the season took place on the 16th inst at 8 o'clock p.m. when Lily May, youngest daughter of Mrs. Mary E. Magowan, was united by the Rev. W. H. Whalley, rector of Hampton, assisted by Rev. C. R. Whalley, of Upham, to Allison Robertson, of Otter Lake, St. John county. The bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. Thomas Rodgers. The bride was attired in white organdie, she was assisted by the groom's sister, Miss Annie Robertson, while the groom was supported by Joseph Magowan, brother of the bride. Immediately after the ceremony the wedding guests sat down to a bountiful wedding supper, after which the bride changed her wedding dress for her travelling suit of tailor made green broadcloth, with hat to match, and left by team for St. John and other Canadian cities. On their return they will reside here for the summer. The bride received a large number of gifts. The groom's gift to the bride was fifty dollars. Mrs. William Darrow, sister of the bride, was presented with twenty dollars in gold. David Love and daughter, of St. John, drove up yesterday and will remain for a few days on account of the serious illness of Mr. Love's uncle, Thomas Love. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jones, of St. John, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. Duncan Brown, whose little daughter is critically ill with little hopes of recovery. After a long illness death came to Ellen, wife of Thomas McMahon, on Tuesday. The funeral took place on Thursday and was largely attended, interment taking place in the R. C. cemetery at 1 o'clock. She was 73 years of age, and leaves to mourn her husband, one sister and one brother. Quite a number of young men from here intend to go to Hampton for inspection, preparatory to going to camp at Sussex. Mr. Charles McGregor, of St. John, came to visit Mr. Robert Hastings last week, who is quite ill and has been confined to his bed for the last two days. Gentle Knock. They sat at a table in the old German inn. "Yes," said the callow youth in the purple waistcoat, "I always call for liverwurst when I come here. Weally, I just love goose liver." "Goose liver!" laughed the pretty girl at his side. "Gracious, Clarence, don't you feel like a cannibal every time you eat them?"

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