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## TRANSVAAL PRISONERS

Sentences Not Yet Fixed-Complications Probable-That Massing of Company's Troops.

Irish Convention in Dublin on September 1-Birthplace of William Wilberforce.

LONDON, May 21.-Mr. Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, presided to-night at the South African ansided to-night at the South African annual dinner at the Hotel Metropole. In his address he expressed his regret at the small progress which had been made towards the reconciliation of the Dutch towards the reconciliation of the Dutch and English in South Africa. He said he could not regard the sentences finally acter, and the only way by which they fixed upon the reform prisoners as satisfactory and they would not tend arrival at which the bodies were lowered arrival at which the bodies were lowered.

ment had received a sworn declaration as to the massing of troops and cannon in the Mafeking district and of other military preparations. Dr. Ledys de-sired an explanation. Sir Hercules replied regretting that reliance had been placed upon erroneous reports, the in-accuracy of which might easily have been learned.'

Napier's column from Buluwayo has oined the Salisbury column at Gwelo. Captain Napier reports that he has seen natives since his last fight. Cecil Rhodes, addressing the column, said the neck of the revolution was broken and that a powerful police force would in future man a number of forts along the road. The combined column will start orthwith and drive the rebels from the

The revised sentences of the reform prisoners, as announced yesterday, have peen unfavorably received at Pretoria, and a great revulsion of feeling evinced among the Afrikanders. declared by a most independent and trustworthy source that President Kruger persistently urged that all the sentences to imprisonment should be re-placed by fines. For three days he pressed this view, but he was evercome by a majority of the executive council. It is felt everywhere a great opportunity for reconciliation, and there is a strong feeling in favor of the sentences. The fate of the four eaders, Col. Rhodes and Mesers. Philtences were provisionally commuted to convention." 15 years' imprisonment, will be announced on Monday.

The Volksrand of the Orange Free branch railways.

A Times dispatch from Moscow says This city never looked so gay and so are more extensive and more remark-

Mr. John Dillon announces that the convention of the Irish throughout the world, which it was decided yesterday at the meeting of the Parnellites to call in Dublin, has been fixed for Septem-

The birthplace of William Wilberforce at Hull, to which many American negroes have made pilgrimages, was sold yesterday for \$8,000. The public subscription to secure it failed.

The Grand Duke George of Russia, the czarewich, has arrived on board the imperial yacht Starnitza and proceeded to Castellamare, where he will remain for a few days.

In the Spanish chamber of deputies to-day Senor Gasset, made a motion requesting the Spanish government to protest against the language used in the United States senate with reference to Spanish institutions. The president of the charmonic forms are supported by the charmonic forms. the chamber refused to permit a debate on the subject.

## THE NATIONAL POLICY.

In regard to this allow me to ask is the involve heavy duties, the same as those which the United States impose, on articles of British manufacture.

CANADIAN.

CONSERU, the result of a family quarrel, was acquitted by the coroner's jury, which he that held acted in self-defence. Pons was thereupon freed.

### FOR "CHRISTIAN BURIAL."

Bodies of the Victims of the "Cowan Wreck Are Brought to Victoria by the "Quadra."

With all her flags at half-mast the Dominion steamer Quadra entered port yesterday afternoon, bringing with her the bodies of Captain Thompson and three others of the crew of the wrecked vessel lanet. Cowan to have them interred in others of the crew of the wrecked vessel Janet Cowan, to have them interred in Ross Bay cemetery. Since the disaster last winter the remains of these unfortunate men, who died from cold and exposure, have been lying interred near the scene of the wreck, one of the wildest and most desolate parts of the coast of Vancouver Island

A party of three men, in charge of Mr. Caselton, employed by Mr. Hayward, of this city, were sent up in the Quadra last Tuesday to the scene of the wreck and

now form a gang plank from the rocks. Among those who will be in attendance at the funeral will be a detachment of eighteen marines from H. M. S. Royal

Dillon Makes Overtures to John Redmond-Official Celebration of Queen's Birthday.

Uncertainty as to the Fate of the able discussion was resumed. Pretoria Prisoners-Explosion in Germany.

Commons to-day, Mr. John Dillon pre- June 1 and members hurried away to siding, it was resolved to make an earthe reconsideration of the decision as to yearnings of the Irish race for a tho-

bridge, the late commander-in-chief and rescue those imprisoned higher up. Emperor Alexander. Moscow has be- a prince of the blood royal, claimed precedence over Lord Wolseley in the funccome immensely richer under protection and prohibitive tariffs. The decorations are more extensive and more remarkavoided only by the Prince of Wales marred by some lively rain showers. hungry. By means of ropes, cans of A Full Force of Men to Be Put at

> naval stations. The colonial secretary, Mr. Joseph was resumed. Not until noon to-day Chamberlain, had not received any news were the prisoners finally released, amid executive council of the South African assembled to witness the rescue. other hand it is rumored on the stock ships that were present at Kiel. exchange to-day that all the prisoners

are to be released unconditionally. Another private dispatch received prisoners who were condemned to im- trial on the charge of murdering numerprisonment and banishment and to pay ous infants entrusted to her care, has

Liberal policy of reciprocity, which allows the free importation of manufactured goods in competition with articles which we are at present making in Canada, going to make us rich? Besides, this policy would intelled him and the coroner's jury, was acquitted by the coroner's jury,

Excursionists Detained In a Gigantic Wheel For an Inordinate Length of Time.

London, May 22.—At noon to-day the House of Commons was still in session, having been sitting for 21 hours, with a prospect of further weariness for members. The dead-lock began yesterday over a discussion on the agricultural of the American side full of the content of the co

ceeded in purchasing the entire contents of a fish store located in the neighborhood of the house. He loaded these provisions into a cab and conveyed them to the house. He then started on another foraging expedition and eventually re-turned with two cabs full of fresh bread, outter, milk, coffee, tea, rolls, sausages, bacon, ham, etc., and the prospects of starvation for the members soon vanished. Everybody enjoyed a good break-

of for luncheon, with the manager of the coffee room preparing for another reconnoitering expedition, all the clauses London, May 20.—At a meeting of the of the bill were agreed to, and with many

their clubs or homes. It is a curious coincidence that while siding, it was resolved to make an earnest lit is a curious coincidence that while nest effort to bring about a reconciliation with the Parnellites and to reconstruct a united Home Rule party. The resolution adopted says:

It is a curious coincidence that while the members of the House of Commons of the House of Commons where they purchase in Alaska duty the troops disloged them with a bayonet free; and on the contrary:

1. The province loses that amount of fish which is carried away in addition to that which is carried away in addition to that which is destroyed, as nothing less that a plant of the cavalry returning to the party. The resolution adopted says:

| Alaska duty the troops disloged them with a bayonet charge, and as the enemy retreated, which is carried away in addition to that which is destroyed, as nothing less that a plant of the cavalry returning to the party. The resolution adopted says: party. The resolution adopted says: women and children, were undergoing a somewhat similar experience at Earls-Redmond and his friends to co-operate court. A quiet party had entered the that the Transvaal government has lost with us in the common, earnest engreat wheel there known as the "Gigandeavor to make the coming convention tic wheel recreation tower." This structhe effective means of satisfying the yearnings of the Irish race for a tho- of the Chicago world's fair, only larger, rough reunion, and we ask them to join the highest point of the London wheel us in making such arrangements as will being 300 feet from the ground, while lips, Hammond and Farrar, whose sensecure them full representation in the the top of the Ferris wheel is only 264 birthday, which occurs Sunday, took number of passengers on board. Everyplace to-day throughout the country. thing went merrily until 8.20, when the On the parade ground of the Horse structure stopped revolving. At first Cape Colony for the construction of Guards there was the usual attractive little or no attention was paid to the ceremony of trooping the colors, which matter, but as time passed and the was witnessed by a large crowd of dis- wheel would not budge, those able to do tinguished people. The Duke of Cam- so left the cars, and steps were taken to

'Ladders were procured and later fire escapes were used. In spite of all these efforts many persons were compelled to hungry, and every means were devised stepping in and asserting his right as to feed them and make them comfortable heir-apparent to outrank both. Much for the night. Eventually they went to of the attractiveness of the occasion was sleep, but awoke this morning very There were the usual Queen's birthday coffee and baskets of bread and other bservances at all garrison towns and provisions were hauled up to them, and the work of trying to revolve the wheel this morning of the final decision of the much cheering from the crowds who had

Republic regarding the commutation of the sentences on the Johannesburg reform prisoners, but a private dispatch from Pretoria to-day states that no decification of all the additions to the from Pretoria to-day states that no decification of the past year, and sion has yet been arrived at. On the with comments upon the qualities of the to the property is now clear. A full which caused the insurgents a heavy

The London stock exchange will be bank holiday. The woman Dyer, who has been on

a fine of \$10,000 each. No mention is been sentenced to death. She was armade of the further commutation of the sentences on Col. Francis Bhodes, John Hays Hammond, Lionel Phillips and charged with having strangled to death To the Editor:—The Toronto Globe of May 15, has in glaring headlines: "Laurier for premier"—"Has the National Policy made you rich?"

Unwittingly they have asked a question that generally speaking has the ready answer—"Yes."

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### that they were responsible for a large number of them. The North German Gazette to-day "The German Government is

desirous of the total abolition of the sugar import bounties, provided the other states enter into an agreement to

To THE EDITOR:—In reference to the letters recently printed in the COLONIST re the American schooners which come to Virago Sound and Rose Spit for hallbut, permit wat the theta there have been seen to be the theta there are a less than six and the companies of the companies of

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

teen schooners were seen fishing for hali-but close to the shore, on the outside not two miles from the beach, between Massett over a discussion on the agricultural variety over a discussion on the agricultural rating bill, providing for a reduction of rates on agricultural land. The house was in committee of the whole from 4 o'clock yesterday forenoon, and at 3 o'clock yesterday morning the closure was moved. Several members refused to enter the division lobby, whereupon the Speaker, Mr. William Court-Gully, summoned and named Mr. John Dillon, see a discussion on the agricultural land. The house believe the following particulars be noted and complete the following particulars be noted and communicated either to the local newspaper of the schooners fish on their grounds and drive them elsewhere.

Sometimes the Indians are bribed by liquor to keep quiet and not report them. tollowing particulars be noted and communicated either to the local newspaper or to some learned body, naming the day and hour in which the balloon was seen—direction of the balloon and direction.

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Now, the remedy for such illegal proceedings is to have a person appointed with sufficient authority to seize every illegal Landing of an Expedition in the Province of Santiago de

vessel that makes an appearance. A customs officer could easily be maintained here. In addition to the schooners that come from the American side the Massett Indians have for many years brought over considerable supplies from Alaska. Why are white men compelled to pay duty when the Indians are allowed such privileges? A few years ago a boat was purchased in Alaska and sold at Massett to a white man, Alaska and sold at Massett to a white man, whilst at the same time and ever since the Indians have been sufficient to restore good humor among the commoners, for they began to look at the agricultural land rating bill in a more favorable light and amicable discussion was resumed.

Finally, at 1:30 p. m., just as the members were getting hungry again, longing for luncheon, with the manager ovincial authorities.

ooners.
. The Indians are allowed to bring home forty-pound fish is kept; the others are thrown overboard.

2. The settlers are unable to live here if

Massett, Queen Charlotte Islands, March 11, 1896.

Ground Secured as Well.

Work-Machinery to Be Ordered.

Co. last evening received a telegram thereupon entrenched themselves and force of men will be started at work on during the retreat, the latter including The London stock exchange will be closed to-morrow and Monday for the Whitsuntide holidays. Monday is a at once. As a result of the announce—The column had one man killed and ten ment, the price of shares in Rossland wounded. The majority of the men were advanced to twenty-five cents. All who have seen the Nest Egg mine are agreed camp, and the arrangement just completed has added fully half a claim to positions which they defended. The in-the former holding. As soon as the surgents left ten killed, carried off many believe that the Nest Egg will be one of the great mines of Trail Creek.

Onions & Plimley, the Broad street cycle makers and dealers, have decorated coroners had been puzzled for some time their premises most tastefully with evergreens, bunting and Chinese lanterns. The picture last evening, when illumitween Wapping and Battersea. It was nations were added, was a highly pleas-

to Palmer, but it has been suspected THE SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST. \$1.50

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Cuba.

Engagements Between Government Troops and Insurgent Forces-Spaniards Gain Victories.

HAVANA, May 22.—The column of tion, debility and nervous headaches? above let me state that last year:

1. The Americans got immense quantities of halibut in and around Virago Sound, troops commanded by Col. Delgado has anti-Parnellite members of the House of Signs of relief the house adjourned until Commons to-day, Mr. John Dillon pre
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June 1 and members hurried away to Commons to-day to Commons been attacked at the Teresa plantation, surgents to the number of 1,000 men nerve tonic because it is the true blood The troops dislodged them with a bayonet defender of thousands of housewives, the insurgents with their swords. In all the insurgents lost 76 killed, among their cattle are stolen every year.

3. The whites have their taxes and customs duty to pay on their provisions, etc., and are without expansions, etc., ment of troops under Col. Landa has "I think it is my duty to tell what their taxes are unable to have needed. A detachment of troops under Col. Landa has "I think it is my duty to tell what their taxes are unable to have needed. A detachment of troops under Col. Landa has "I think it is my duty to tell what their taxes are unable to have needed. A detachment of troops under Col. Landa has "I think it is my duty to tell what their taxes are unable to have needed. A detachment of troops and their sufferers of their cattle are stolen every year.

3. The whites have their taxes and customs duty to pay on their provisions, etc., where their taxes are unable to have needed. A detachment of the troops had 18 wounded. A detachment of their taxes are unable to have needed to have needed to have needed. The troops had 18 wounded to have needed to have nee dislodged a force of insurgents from the Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me and fortified village of Banes, province of Pinar del Rio. The enemy in retreating left six killed and retired with sev-

eral wounded. Reports have been received from Col. gent vanguard under Aldama, which beat a retreat. He pursued them to the cattlesfarms of Motembow, where hecame up with the main force of the insurgents. The insurgents awaited the approach of the troops and received the little, it would cause me such misery that The Title Cleared and Additional column with volleys of musketry. The I was often wicked enough to wish mytroops advanced to the attack in order self dead. I had that of battle. The insurgents made three attempts to turn the flanks of the columns but were repulsed each time. After fighting for three hours the insurgents beat a retreat in disorder and the troops took their camp. The insurgent loss is stated to be heavy. They left on the field five killed and fifty The troops still further pursued with carbine firing and The secretary of the Nest Egg Mining with cavalry charges. The insurgents defended their new position wounded by explosive bullets at a short range. After the report of these engagements had been received Colonel that it is one of the most valuable in the Arroyos met the insurgents encamped in Gonzales and dislodged them from all

tramway to Trail is running ore will be wounded and abandoned over a hundred shipped to the smelter. Mining men saddle horses. The troops had six wounded. In the maritime district of Velia, province of Santiago de Cuba, it has been ascertained that an expedition of filibusterers landed from a steamer or sailing bark about six days ago. The vessel anchored a number of miles from the shore and lowered several boats which were filled with men and war materials, including cannon. The appearance of a Spanish steamer off that point of the

positions which they defended. The in-

they hurried to get aboard their vessel. but in doing so one of the boats having a cannon on board was everturned and sank, drowning three of the filibusterers. Some boat loads, however, are understood to have been landed, and it is further stated that a force of 4,000 insurgents was waiting ashore for the landing f the expedition.

JUVENILE TEMERITY AND IGNOR-ANCE.

TO THE EDITOR:-The judicial committee of the British privy council, the high-est tribunal of justice in the Empire, has pronounced the opinion that the Catholic minority of Manitoba has a grievance, and that an appeal to the Governor-General-in-Council for a remedy will be in order; but Mr. W. B. McInnes, who of course knows more than the Lords of the Judicial Committee, gives as his opinion that the Cath-life bed no special rights and have none olics had no special rights, and have none

Mr. Laurier has given the opinion that

the Catholic minority had well-established

rights to separate schools, by the with-drawal of which they are suffering a griev-ous wrong, which he is desirous to remedy; but Mr. W. B. McInnes says they have no grievance. Mr. David Mills, who is sup-posed to be a good lawyer, and a man of parliamentary, experience, says that the

but refuses at present to say whether or not he will accept the nomination of the anti-remedial Conservatives for East

# Weak

Worn out, nervous women, receive criticism where they should have sympathy. They cannot help being nervous, if their blood is impure. When the blood fails to feed the nerves upan proper nourishment what can you expect but nervous prostra-

If the cause is found in impure blood the cure must be in making the blood pure. This is just what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, and it has proved the true purifier, and the solace, comfort and

## Vervous

teachers, clerks and other sufferers of "I think it is my duty to tell what my family. Two years ago I was in a weak, nervous condition and had dreadful palpitations or jumping of my heart, followed by sinking spells, which would last Melina to the effect that after eleven for several minutes. Sometimes it would hours' pursuit of the band under Zayas seem as though I would never come out in Polyorosa he encountered the insur- of them. I was treated by the best physicians, but only for a little time did they help me. I seemed to be growing worse instead of better. I would often seem hungry, but when I ate, no matter how

languid, all-gone feeling and suffered awful distress in my stomach. I had given up all hopes of ever being well, when my mother wished me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I consented, to please her, and before I had taken the whole of one bottle I could see I was improving, and soon was indeed very much better. Its effects have been truly wonderful and I hope this letter may be the means of help-

## ing other suffering men and

to try Hood's Sarsaparilla and be benefited by it. We have used Hood's Pills in our family and find them very excellent, especially for constination. We give Hood's modicines great praise, and if anyone complains of feeling badly, I say 'You should take Hood's and only Hood's.'''
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