dwell on this point because this matter burning question.

"We have made a tremendous sacrifice of blood and treasure in the conflict. There are misleading prophets, whose action bulks as large in the columns of the newspapers as the action of more nfluential and powerful people, who mislead the rulers of the Transvaal to continue resistance far beyond the time when all resistance has ceased to be even possibly successful. These men are perpetually pressing us to make some conditions or offer some arranged stipulations that will leave a shred of independence to the two republics.

recurrence of this fearful war is to in they are also marching on Laing's Nek.

shall such vast accumulations of armaments occur, and that not a shred of the former independence of the republics shall remain. (Cheers.)

"We are not yet at the end of the war; but, I shall venture to lay down as a primary condition of any future settlement, that precautions will be taken of such a character that such a war will never occur again. Of course, what measures will be necessary it is impossible at any moment to determine, be cause that depends largely upon the action and tmper of those with whom we have to deal.

"I have already intimated that their resistance has gone beyond the limit to which resistance could wisely go. It is not for us to criticise their acts, in what they are pleased to call self-defence, but they have acted so that every bitterness created by the war and every severance of classes and races have been stimulated by every measure they have taken and so they go on.

"It will also be our duty to protect those native races who have been so sorely afflicted, and at the same time, on May 28th," so to conduct their policy that so far as possible, there shall be A Reconciliation

and that every one shall be a happy member of the British Empire. After the Master of the Rolls, Lord holding a paper in his hand and said: Johannesburg."

This announcement was followed by

the "Glorious news" received, and said: erts, the Countess of Airlie and Ladies "One thing we have learned from this Henry Bentick and Setterington. war is that everything depends upon the General.'

Foreigners Mobbed.

and cheering for 'Bobs."

Lord Roberts had occupied Johannesburg, the German crew of the Henrietta. Ultimately the police force was doubled. Ing the National Anthem.

The ceremony concluded with cheers

## FRENCH ACTIVE.

London, May 30.-As Lord Roberts has heretofore always fulfilled his predictions, it is taken for granted here that the British marched into Johannesburg at noon to-day. Indeed reports are current that telegrams have been received announcing the fact, and the serious part of the campaign, from the military point of view, is regarded as over.

Any prolonged defence of Pretoria is improbable, and many military men anticipate that Gen. French will capture the Transvaal capital within a day or two by a sudden and unexpected move. Public interest largely centres in Kruger, his capture or escape. The

Occupation of Pretoria keep alive the dying embers of war. be paid for. A Pretoria dispatch says the situation Lord Roberts, that order is maintained march, must respect and maintain neu- to the army of Lord Roberts, as there

in the gold reef city. fighting of Gen. French westward of Johannesburg. But apparently the British were not seriously checked, as Roberts does not mention in his dispatches at Mariogopan on Tuesday. The adheres does not mention in his dispatches to the prototing done to the railway of the Resign.

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Paris, May 29.—It is generally believed

A dispatch from Mafeking, dated Friday, 25th, reports that Gen. Snyman, the

Has Left His Force and arrived at his farm with a shrapnel bullet in his foot.

Queen's health, the defender of Mafe- story is "ridiculous nonsense." king remarked that he was so elated by recent occurrences that he felt he could "drink the health of

himself, coupled with that of Cecil

Pretoria, May 29.-A dispatch sent from Johannesburg last night describes the town as intensely excited throughout the day on reports that the British were

forced into war by the actions of our that the British had been driven back, erts's recommendation for the promo-There are large numbers of burghers at tion of Private Murray Hendrie,

of annexation is about to become a Van Wycksrust, in Gatsrand. The Fed- ant in the Sixth Dragoon Guards, vice erals fought well and the British troops Dent, deceased. seemed tired out. When dark the Federals were forced to retire in the direcoverwhelming force of the British.

vesterday and were in contact with the pears in the Daily Mail: Federals at Gatsrand, but they were beaten with good results by the Feder-toria will be occupied in about two hours als, under Commandant Louis Botha, "The Federals were heavily bombard- gone to Watervalbover, ed all day long but kept their positions.

### RETREATING FROM NATAL.

London, May 30.-It is officially announced that the Boers are leaving Na-tal. Gen. Hildyard has occupied Utrecht, in the southeast portion of the Trans-London, May 30.—The following dispatch has been received at the war of fice from Buller:

"Newcastle, May 30.-The enemy, having formed a laager east of the town at Dornberg, pressed my right rear annoyingly on May 27th. I directed a force under Hilyard, by Woolsdrift and Utrecht, and another under Lyttleton, by Scrangadrift, on Dornberg. These moveberg to recede north."

"Hildyard is at Utrecht and the town has surrendered. were they not in such very strong positions, I doubt if they would show fight. "The railway was open to Newcastle

Bloemfontein, May 28:-Amid salutes and cheers and the singing of "God Alverstone, had proposed the "Imperial Save the Queen," the military governor, Forces," Lord Salisbury again rose, Major-General George Prettyman, at "I find that Lord Roberts has occupied of the Free State under the designation

of Orange River colony. The ceremony was imposing, and the a wild display of enthusiasm, the com- scene in the market square inspiring. An pany cheering for "Bobs" and singing immense concourse had gathered, and "God Save the Queen." the town was gay with bunting. The Lord Salisbury, later in the evening, batconies and windows surrounding the when proposing "The City of London square were crowded with ladies, among Conservative Association," referred to them Lady Roberts and the Misses Rob-

The troops were drawn up under the command of Gen. Knox, and entertained

the spectators. London, May 30.—The news that Lord | The governor, accompanied by Gen. Roberts was practically master of Jo- Kelly-Kenny and their staffs, escorted hannesburg was received in London with by the Welsh Yeomanry, was greeted with a general salute, after which, amid A procession of students marched through the West End, cheering and impressive silence and in a clear toria arrived a few Greeks, who say they toria arrived a f ous places of amusement was followed proclamation annexing the Orange Free They affirm that the train on which they by the singing of the National Anthem State, as conquered by Her Majesty's and cheering for 'Bobs." While the townspeople at Fleetwood proclaiming that the state shall hence mainder steaming away. This incident greeted the traveller and his party with of departure to assume his new duties, was second and Disguise II. third, were sheering the announcement that forth be known as the Orange River

colony. Lusty cheering greeted the concluding an English vessel that was sold to a words of the proclamation, and they were German firm, cheered President Kruger. renewed with ever increasing volume as Several conflicts occurred between the Lord Acheson unfurled the Royal stand- night." Germans and the English, and the chief and and the bands struck up "God Save officer of the Henrietta was mobbed. the Queen." All present joined in sing-

> for the Queen, Lord Roberts and the army, and a salute of twenty-one guns.

### A WARNING

proclamation has been issued by the general in command.

"The troops of the Queen are now passing through the Transvaal. Her Ma-

"The quarrel which England has is a possibility." with the government and not the people neutral no attempt will be made to inwould be largely robbed of its value in of march. Every possible protection will or injured the estimation of the British if "Oom be given them. Any of their property The Bri

"But, on the other hand, those thus trality. The residents of any locality were 177 officers and 4,182 privates The report that the British were driven will be held responsible in both their among them. Events elsewhere in the back evidently refers to the prolonged persons and property for any damage

#### AN AMERICAN YARN."

London, May 30 .- The officials of the British war office deny in unqualified terms the statement cabled to a New York newspaper that the war office here The Boer laager at Rooigraad, it is add- had asked Lord Roberts if he believed ed, has retired further into the Transvani he could land 10,000 of his troops in and Mafeking is resuming its normal England before October 1st, the paper state. Major-General Baden-Powell, on intimating that this was a step towards the Queen's birthday, gave a dinner to preparing for "any eventualities arising the officers of the relief-columns, During from the crisis in France." According the course of a speech proposing the to the British war office the New York

### VICTORIAN ILL.

Private Thompson is of the C. A.. Victoria, B. C., and Private Hiam is of "A" squadron, Montreal.

opponents.

"To say that because we repudiated the greed of territory we therefore bound the greed of territory we the greed of territory we the greed of territory we then greed of territory we the greed of territory we then greed of territory we then greed of territory we the greed of territory we the greed of territory we then greed of territory we the greed of territory we the greed of territory we the ourselves never to annex any territory is a most ridiculous misconstruction. I letin issued is as follows:

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> London, May 30 .- The following distion of Van Wycksrust on account of the patch from the Earl of Rosslyn, who was a civilian prisoner at Pretoria, and "The British attacked Witwatersrand who appears to have been released, ap-

"The burgomaster, De Sousa, is au-"The British loss is reported to be an influential committee of citizens, in- toria. "The British are near Utrecht and cluding Chief Justice Gregorowski, has been appointed to preserve life and pro- bover.

perty during the interregnum.

"Everything is quiet, but crowds are waiting expectantly in Church square for the arrival of the British. "Fearing possible disturbance and bloodshed among the prisoners of war at Watervalle, the United States consul and Vice-Consul Wood insisted upon twenty officers being liberated on parole to go to the men. Their action cannot be too

officers. Everything was quiet." SURRENDER OF JOHANNESBURG. Rush of People from Pretoria for Wassacred

Delagoa Bay.

London, May 31.-Yesterday at noon the British were only about two hours' ments have caused the enemy at Dorn- march from Pretoria, and the Boer military forces had abandoned the city. This intelligence comes from the Reuter agent at the Transvaal capital, and "Clery is bombarding Laing's Nek, from the Earl of Rosslyn in a press dis The enemy are much disheartened and patch. The two messages left about the same time.

At 2 o'clock this morning the wa office had received no news from Lord Roberts which the officials would make Soldiers Landed to Protect the office had received no news from Lord public, but it is assumed that the press advices are correct. Most of the morn-ANNEXATION OF FREE STATE advices are content the courtesy of the ing-papers, through the courtesy of the Daily Mail, print Lord Rosslyn's dispatch, and comment upon it, treating the war as ended.

Some of the more cautious critics think that guerilla warfare is likely to be carried on for some time to come, in various noon formally proclaimed the annexation parts of the conquered territory. All the "Boxers." Three Christian families the Boer forces are dissolving. Lord Roberts apparently has not yet

stores. Large bodies of Boers must still two escaped. be somewhere in the field. Watervalbover is 150 miles due east of Pretoria, on the Delagoa Bay railway. It should not be confused with

mountainous country.

The seat of the Boer government-Lydenburg, to the north.

A Lorenzo Marquez dispatch, dated at half a million taels. sert that the town is utterly demoralized. hard to foretell the course of events. There is a mad rush for the coast. Five | Soldiers Landed From Warships. train loads of fugitives are expected to-

MAY RETIRE TO RHODESIA. Boers Will Probably Move Further North-The Release of Prisoners,

London, May 31.-A Lorenzo Marquez correspondent thinks the border trouble between the Transvaal and Portugal to the frontier.

The Times correspondent at the same hourly expected.

It is reported that a special train from of the Transvaal. Provided they remain Pretoria with fugitives was derailed on the Transvaal side of Komatipoort, a terfere with persons living near the line number of persons being killed outright ships Orlando and Algerine are landing

Paul" were still at large and able to which it may be necessary to take will think the Boers will retire into Southern ready disembarked. The "Boxers" are Rhodesia.

By the release of the British prisoners field of war seem to dwindle in compari- Report That the Marquis de Gallifet Will

is scarce and all the farms are deserted. That the minister of war, General the Yesterday Gen. Hunter reached Geys- Marquis de Gallifet, insists on resigning, dorp with 10 days' supplies. Maribogo- undoubtedly in consequence of yesterday's pan is half way between Vrybrudge and incident in the chamber of deputies, al-Mafeking. Geysdorp is from 12 to 15 shough the ministerial organs affirm that miles east. Gen. Hunter meets with no she is ill. The premier, M. Waldeck Rous-

Snyman having gone towards Pretoria. Three different correspondents estimate announced simultaneously. number of Boers at Laing's Nek at 10,000. Two Australians, who escaped from Pretoria on April 28th, have arriv ed at Mafeking, having spent a month on the veldt. They complain bitterly of their treatment at Pretoria

The Times this morning says: "The war is over. By this time the British flag is flying at Pretoria. Mr. Kruger has fled and is ere this half way to

London, May 30.-The war office has If there were the same propensity for communicated to the organizers of the investigating the motives, as there is for Imperial Yeomanry the government's censuring the conduct of public characters,

over the colonies and her dependencies approaching, but says the excitement gram's London cable says the Queen has Roberts has borne such high testimony."

would have been at an end. We were subsided in the evening owing to rumors been pleased to approve of Lord Rob.

The war office adds that the time has The war office adds that the time has arrived when the corps of Imperial Yeomanry can safely be relieved from "its arduous duties, so patriotically assumed ond Dragoon Guards, Lieut. E. A. Peiletier, of 65th, Montreal, also with the government its sense of the great debt the state owes to the Yeomanry.

The war office has just announced that Canadian Foot Militia Are to Be no news has reached here tending to confirm a rumor, said to be current in Ber Hin, that Johannesburg has been blown

Forts Deserted. now at Johannesburg dictating the terms

of surrender. The British advance guard is half way without resistance. The President has between Johannesburg and Pretoria. It is reported there is a force also at Hatherly. All the forces have been therized to receive the British. He, with dismissed from the forts around Pre-President Kruger is now at Waterval-

> Portuguese Troops Ready. Lorenzo Marquez, May 30.-Goods traffic between here and the Transvaal was officially closed to-day, the reason apparently being the military movements

A Transvaal Boer commando has arrived at Komatipoort. All the Portuguese troops have been to the men. Their action cannot be too bighly praised.

"I was permitted to accompany the along the coast has received orders to

## By "Boxers"

Three Christian Families Have Been Killed by the Chinese Rebels.

Legations at Pekin-Railway Works Gutted.

(Associated Press.) Pekin, May 29 .- From all parts of the surrounding country news is constantly arriving of fresh atrocities committed by were massacred at Than Lai Ying, sixty | Man., on June 5th, or a few days later. miles from Pekin, on May 25th. Only A representative of the Associated

Press visited Fing Tai this morning and found the place occupied by a battalion of troops. The whole railroad station, workshops and locomotive works were where the British prisoners are confined. gutted and much rolling stock was de-Watervalbover is a small place in a stroyed, including the imperial palace houses) full of valuable merchandise The seat of the Boer government— were burned after having been looted by the rioters. The damage done is estim-

Wednesday, says: "Commandant Kraus of The neighboring villagers seem to have

probably occurred at Elandsfontein a fusilade of stones. The whole country Junction. Passengers from Pretoria as- is seething with excitement, and it is

Tien Tsin, May 30.—American, British, Japanese, German, Italian, Russian and French troops, to the number of 100 each, have been ordered to guard their respective legations at Pekin, but the viceroy here will not allow them to proceed hence to Pekin on the railway without the authority of the Tsung Li Ya-

One hundred and eight Americans, may come to a head at any moment. with a machine gun and a field gun, Komati bridge is strongly defended. handed here last night amidst great en-Yesterday the Portuguese authorities thusiasm on the part of the residents. are now landing. Other warships are

place says: "It would not be surprising Three thousand Chinese troops from jesty does not war upon individuals, but, if a large proportion of the rebel Dutch Lu Tai are expected here to-day en route on the contrary, she is anxious to spare sought temporary refuge on Portuguese to Fing Tai. There is a disposition here them, so far as possible, the horrors of territory. Although the authorities here to believe that the "Boxers' will disperse are reticent, they are not blind to such before the foreign troops are ready to act. Tien Tsin is in no danger.

"Boxers" Have Few Arms. Shanghai, May 30.—The British war-100 men at Taku, where the French; The British authorities at Buluwayo Russian and Japanese guards have alapparently without aims, except those they have obtained from the soldiers, at Johannesburg shows, astreported by allowed to remain near the line of at Waterval, a full brigade will be added many of whom are openly joining the rebels.

FRENCH WAR MINISTER.

seau, is credited with the intention of re-Gen Baden-Powell is invading further placing him as soon as possible, and it is north without opposition, Commandant said that Gen. Gallifet's resignation and the appointment of his successor will be

ELECTION IN BELGIUM.

Brussels, May 29.—The general elections have resulted in a reduction of the Catholic majority from 102 to 25. The Socialists are the gainers by the change,

WHEN IT HURTS TO COUGH.

himself, coupled with that of Cecil lithodes," adding: "Because Kruger has been the cause of the present great outburst of Imperial feeling, and Rhodes was the red rag to the balk which drew him on."

Capetown, May 29.—I regret to report the dangerous illness of Private H. Hiam, at Naauwpoort, and Private C. C. Thompson, at Wynberg, both of the Royal Canadian Regiment. Signed)

BOER DISPATCHES.

As fled and is ere this half way to Delagoa Bay. Mr. Hay, son of United States Secretary of State, who holds the office of United States consul at Pretoria, and who took charge of our interests there, thoughtfully insisted on a special step for safeguarding the large number of British prisoners."

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Canadians Promoted. gratitude for the service of "this force it would be found that the censure so of well-equipped fighting men, to whose freely bestowed is oftentimes unmerited admirable services in the field Lord and uncharitable.—George Washington.

Converted Into Mounted Infantry.

Pretoria, May 30.-British officers are Toronto and Its Fire Chief-Mayor of Three Rivers Dead.

> (Associated Press.) St. John, N.B., May 29 .- Hon. Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia, in an address

here yesterday, made the announcement that mobility was one of the requisites of infantry, which was shown by the war in South Africa. He proposed to provide the infantry of Canada with horses, and to turn all corps of foot militia into mounted infantry.
Capt. Jno. Delisle, of the steamer

Tiber, while en route from the West Indies to this port, suffered sunstroke and keep the wily organizer quiet regarding died from the results while at sea. De-

Toronto, May 28.—The city council last The purchasers were confined principalnight voted confidence in the chief of the fire brigade, Thompson, who; it will be remembered, was served with notice of dismissal at the instance of Mayor Birmingham and Sir Charles Tupper Macdonald a few days ago for the chief's connection with certain civic elections. After voting confidence in Thompson, the council also passed a resolution for- Fisher's copyright law. They consider it bidding firemen to engage in civic elecfair to Canadian authors and publishers,

Rev. W. Paterson, pastor of Cooke's Presbyterian church, announced to his friends last evening that he had decided to accept the pastorate of Bethany church, Philadelphia. The Hon. John Wanamaker, the world renowned Sunday school teacher, is a member of Bethany church and Sunday school. There are several assistant pastors connected large quantities recently. with this church, and it is due to this fact that Mr. Paterson has been induced te leave Cooke's church, fearing a break-down in health if he remains.

Quebec, May 29.—Despite reports to the contrary the Fox Bay Anticosti settlers will leave that place for Dauphin. Kingston, , Ont., May 29.—City Clerk Drennan died of pneumonia last night. He was ill but three days.

Three Rivers, Q., May 29.—Mayor Arthur Olivier is dead at the age of 44 years. Deceased was a member of the harbor board of this city, and was also a leading and successful lawyer. The city council has authorized the submission of a by-law to the vote of Scenes on the Roads to Epsom ratepayers to provide \$199,500 for new buildings for the Dominion exhibition, which it is proposed to hold here next

Windsor, Ont., May 29.-Frank Marhas surrendered Johannesburg to Lord Roberts. By to-night's train from Prewere told to leave Pretoria on Tuesday.

Will be decapitated.

Referew, May 29.—Hon, Justice Craig, racing of the Epsom summer meeting to day, the race for the Derby stakes of Peleft was shelled by the British, and that half of the train was cut off, the re- inside the walls lined with troops, who quet by his fellow citizens on the eve of Wales's Diamond Jubilee. Simondale

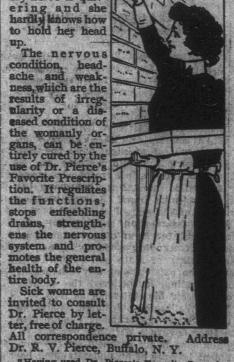
London, Ont., May 29.—Rev. Joseph | The conditions of the race were as fol-Edge, pastor of Wellington Street Methodist church, and president of the London ereigns, by subscription of 50 sovereigns Conference, died at 2 o'clock this morn- each, half forfeit, 25 sovereigns only if ing after three weeks confinement to hed declared by the first days of January as the result of a strain received through 1899, for three-year-olds, the nominator over exertion while riding a bicycle last of the winner to receive 500 sovereigns, fall. Deceased was 40 years of age, and the owner of the second horse 300 sovleaves a widow and three children. ereigns, and the owner of the third 200

before the House of Commons. The Royal Society convened in annual session here this morning. The gathering this year is expected to be one of the largest and most important on record. Newcastle, May 30.—The following were preparing to resist a possible en- Five Russian and one British warships This evening Prof. Clarke, the president, gagement, and a mule battery was sent have arrived at Taku, and the British will deliver an address on the work of the society in this country.

Montreal, May 30.-The total amount of the C.P.R. Company's employees' contribution to the Canadian patriotic fund, which had been remitted to the treasurer. is \$12.033.64. The civic authorities report a plague

## A Cross Clerk

Is a rarity. For the most part the young woman behind the counter is smiling and obliging, though her back hurts, her side pains, or her head throbs distract-ingly. The wonder is, not that a clerk is sometimes irritable, but that she so rarely shows irritation, when every nerve is quivering and she hardly knows how to hold her head



"Having used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery' during the past year," writes Mrs. Mattie Long, of Pfouts Valley, Perry Co., Ps., "I can truthfully recommend the medicines for all female weakness. I have used several bottles of 'Favorite Prescription,' which I consider a great blessing for weak women. I was so nervous and discouraged that I hardly knew what to do. Your kind advice for home-treatment helped me wonderfully. Thanks to Dr. Pierce."

of curs in the city and are about to take means to destrey all unlicensed canines around the streets.
Stephen, N.B., May 30.—Jas. Murchie. head of the lumbering firm of Jas. Murchie & Sons, and one of the most promment citizens of this place, is dead, aged

87 years. Toronto, May 30.-When Rev. Mr. Patterson announced his acceptance of the call to Philadelphia at a meeting of the Presbytery in Cooke's church yesterday afternoon, one lady fainted and had to be carried out. The Presbytery has sanctioned the call, and Cooke's church will be declared vacant on Sun

day next. At the annual district meeting of Toronto Central Methodists yesterday, heated discussion arose over the small percentage of increase in membership during the year. Some of the delegates attributed the cause of the same to secret societies, singling out the Masonic order particularly, and condemning some Methodist ministers for being members of that order, in view of the above facts, Robert Birmingham slipped away quietly from here yesterday afternoon but up to the present time no one apparently knows where he has gone. Indications point to a successful attempt to

Conservative party matters. ceased was a native of the Island of Orleans, Que., and was one of the most widely known captains of the Gulf of St. Lawrence. He was part owner of taken in by the Crown lands department. Quebec, May 30.—The sale of ten

ly to this province. Ottawa, May 30.-It is rumored here this morning that the difficulty between will be amicably settled shortly.

The Royal Society of Canada, in session, have approved of Hon. Sidney

St. Jerome, May 30.—The pulp mill of the J. C. Wilson Paper Company was destroyed by fire shortly after 7 o'clock last evening. The loss is \$10,000. Chatham, Ont., May 30.-Inland rev. enue officials are at present engaged in making a thorough search for contraband tobacco which, it is alleged, has been smuggled through from Detroit in

# a Winner

Diamond Jubilee To-Day Won the Coveted Blue Ribbon of the Turf.

and on the Downs-Great Enthusiasm.

(Associated Press.) London, May 30.-At the second day's

Ottawa, May 29 .- A deputation of out of the stakes. Distance about one ading bankers of the Dominion is here mile and a half. The entries closed on to-day to wait on the government re- July 19th, 1899. There were 302 subspecting the Canadian Banking Act, now scribers.

The following was the result in detail: The Prince of Wales's b.c. Diamond Jubilee, by St. Simons, out of Perdita II. (H. Jones), 1st, The Duke of Portland's b.c. Simon-

dale, by St. Simons out of Ismay, (M. Cannon), 2nd. Mr. James R. Keene's b.c. Disguise II., by Domino, out of Bonnie Gal, (Tod. Sloan), 3rd.

The scenes and incidents along the Epsom road on Derby Day differ little from another Derby Day, but the introduction of Union Jacks and banners inscribed "Johannesburg," in joyful recognition of Roberts's entry into the gold reef city, was a feature of the sporting holiday. On the Downs portraits of the Queen and the favorite generals were marked and distinctive features of to-day's jollification. Although the weather was not promising the exodus from London was hardly less remarkable than in previous years. The Epsom road was congested by every variety of vehicle, while the trains had difficulty in carrying the throngs blockading all the stations. A large number of Americans patronized the coaches. The Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of York, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, the Duke of

Cambridge and Prince Christian of

Schleswig-Holstein went to Epsom by special train. The Australian federation

delegates travelled on the same train.

King Oscar of Sweden and Norway was expected to accompany the Prince of Wales, but was indisposed. At Epsom, while usual crowds were on the hill and Downs, the club and other stands and the enclosures showed the effects of war in a marked decrease in the number of fashionable people present. Many hundreds of regular Derby visitors are in Africa. The day therefore was not only shortened of much of its military interest, but friends and relatives of officers at the front refrained from attending.

A PLEASURE AND A DUTY.

I consider it not only a pleasure but a duty I owe to my neighbors to tell about the wonderful cure effected in my case by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I was taken very badly with flux and procured a bottle of this remedy. A few doses of it effected a permanent cure. I take pleasure in recommending it to others suffering from that dreadful disease.-J. W. Lynch, Dorr, W. Va. This remedy is sold by Henderson Bros., wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancou-

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