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## EDITORIAL NOTES.

Toronto Methodists held a grand rally in the Metropolitan church on Monday and amidst great enthusiasm it was announced that \$247,000 had already been promised to the Million Dollar Fund. Shelburne St., church leads with a promise of at least \$100,

The steamer Scotsman went ashore in the Straits of Belle Isle on the 21st of September during a thick fog. The first boat launched to rescue the passengers was swamped and ten females were drowned. A disgraceful raid on the property of the cabin passengers' was made by a large gang of the stok ers and valuables of every description the apples in this vicinity. were stolen. The greater part of the passengers were rescued and brought Inglis' these days, working at the new to Montreal by the steamer Montford house. and a large number of the stokers were arrested and many of the stolen goods found in their possession.

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War news from South Africa are assuming an alarming appearance The Boers are gathering in large numbers on the Natal frontier and war may be declared any day now. The Boers are said to have 20,000 men in arms and the Orange Free State have 10,000 more and these are increased daily Britain seems to be wonderfully dilatory in getting ready to meet the forces massed by the Boers. It is hard to understand why British troops are not already in South Africa, Viewing affairs from our standpoint we judge that the colonies are more anxious to strengthen the British forces than the British authorities seem to be in forwarding the digerent regiments from Britain to the seat of war. It is to be hoped that no disaster may befall the little army now in South Africa before it is properly reinforced. It looks as if great risks are being taken by the few thousand British soldiers now near the Transvaal frontier.

If war should be commenced in the Transvaal, which seems most probable, the offer of a force from the Canadian militia for service will be made by the Canadian Government. In that event an eight-company battation of infantry. composed of 29 officers and 981 N. C. O. and men will be raised. Such a battalion should be made up from all over Canada by allotting a certain number of officers and men in proportion to the number of militia to each district. The battalions for the Red River Expedition were organized on this basis, which was found to be the most satisfactory.

Andrew Goebel, Palmerston, was taken to Guelph jail on a charge of forgery. Goebel is alleged to have issued a signature to a promissory note for \$25. He was given a hearing before Judge Chadwick and elected to be tried by his Honor.

The McWhirrell romance has been taken up by Mrs. Truman, who claims to be the widow of the dead convict. and Hamilton has enjoyed a sensational chapter at the finis. She received the body from the Kingston penitentiary, and knelt beside the coffin and exclaimed dramatically, "Oh, my God, why am I punished thus?" The lady was immensely melodramatic. She claimed that McWhirrell was the son of an earl, innocent of the murder for which he was imprisoned. She tore the plate from the coffin lid and had it replaced with one that bore the inscription "Victor M. W. D." She spoke to the dead as Vietor, in a paroxysm of tears." She claims that she married McWhirrell in England, and that he entered the British service and died, it was supposed in Egypt. She attended his funeral, she says, in Cairo. Subsequently she came to Canada and married a printer named Truman in Hamilton. When the murder of the Williams couple came before the public, she recognized him as her deceased husband, and has believed in him ever since

## LAKELET.

The lecture delivered here by the Rey Mr. Hobbs was but poorly attended. The lecture, though, was pronounced good by all those present and the concensus of opinion was that the people should have come out in much larger crowds.

The potatoes are being hoisted out of the ground in a hurry these days. They are in nearly all cases an excelent crop. This appears to be the case all over the province.

Mrs. Cook of this burg was made the recipient of a nicely worded address and a gift on Monday, Oct. 2nd, on her attaining her 77th birthday, by her neighbors. The old lady has lived here for years and has always led a most exemplary life.

We see some of the farmers going out to-day, Wednesday, with grain and roots to the Clifford fair. The weather is very moderate, though ii looks like, rain.

Mr. Zac. Lines of Clifford is doing a rushing business in this vicinity, buying hogs, sheep and lambs for Mr. Hinde of Harriston. Every Wednesday the farmers go streaming out to Clifford with loads of the grunters.

Geo. Ruttan with his gang of apple packers are at Mr. Scott's to-day. They are working for Mr. Wade of Ford wich, the gentlemen who has got all

Wm. Cook, carpenter, is up at Mrs.

Miss Ethel and Master Roy Cook of St. Thomas are staying , with their grandmother, Mrs. John Cook of the burg.

Mrs. A. Dulmage left last week for an extended visit to Chicago and other American cities. She was accompaned by her mother, Mrs. Smith of Clifforda

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