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atrong exhibition of pro-Boer sentiment, largely on the part of the foreign element, but augmented by the utterings of two or three French Canadian newspapers. There is practically none of this sympathy for the Boers in the maritime provinces, and our renetown office the last two weeks of each month. three French Canadian newspapers. There people are wondering if Ontario and Quebec, particularly the latter province, are really

to say of those who are preaching sedition:

"Foreigners domiciled in Canada may sympathize with the Boers and nobody would object, for a man's sympathies are among his personal prerogatives, but when, as in Ottawa, they abuse British and Canadian hospitality and make themselves odious by insulting their loyal neighbors whose sone and brothers are fighting in Africa, openly flaunting their loyal neighbors whose sone and brothers are fighting in Africa, openly flaunting their sedition, they should be taught that they must respect the flag and the laws of the country which gives them protection. They may not be aware that there is a statute which provides for the proper disciplining of persons who give sympathy, ail or encouragement to enemies of the Queen in time of war. If somebody were to invoke it in their case, they would find themselves in a rather disagreeable position. We do not speak of the irresponsible press further than to say that, taking advantage of British liberty, there are some gutter sheets sowing sedition in the most treasonable way. In any other country similarly at war their publishers would be hanged.

—Arrangements have been made by which the mails for points between Yarmouth and Barrington will be carried by the Halifax & Yamouth railway.

—Mr. H. N. Redfern of the Middleton Station restaurant has moved to Kentville, where he will conduct a boarding house. The restaurant is closed.

—It is estimated that from \$20,000 to \$25,000 has been raised in New England to date for the relief of the families of the British soldiers in South Africa.

—Mrs. Sawyer, wife of Rev. Dr. Sawyer, was for many years president of Acadia college, died last Sunday. She was a daughter of the laite Rev. John Chase.

—Mr. Malodk intimates that the postal revenue of Canada is already rapidly rising to the amount of income prior to the reduction of the electron to say of those who are preaching sedition:

-In view of the fact that small pox is Board of Health has taken commendable action in urging a general vaccination of the not yet visited the maritime provinces, but has obtained a strong hold there and that cases are increasing despite the precautionary discovery of the existence of the disease. Last year, two hundred and forty-three cases were reported from Ontario alone, a number the cases numbered three hundred. This is a truly serious state of affairs, and our people should at once co-operate with the medical fraternity in doing everything in their power to prevent the introduction of this loathsome disease into Nova Scotia.

Lached to the Royal Artillery.

—Capt. John Longmire, who recently sold one of his schooners, the Hustler, to Capt. Wadlin of Beaver Harbor, has purchased the 49 ton schooner Packet from Capt. Tucker of Spencer's Island.

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the well known author, to discover to the British people that Kruger is not really the enemy of the empire that he appears to be, nor the Transvaal war a disaster out of Oom Paul, he would lionize him during life, and after death erect a monument "to the empire." It is not improbable that the rethough such a blood-bought federation will hardly bring joy to the families of those whose lives paid the price of the achieveme

(Montreal Witness.) The magnitude of the burden borne by 'the weary Titan' was never revealed with more striking effect than in the Speech from the Throne at the opening of parliament ence in it relate to the greatest calamities that can afflict humanity-war, famine, pestilence! Yet it may be truly said that neither the people nor the government can The war was undertaken to repel an invasiou of British colonies by a people who, as As movement and mane from the first and state of the invaders since nostilities began can give an adequate idea of their designs and the forces employed to carry them out. As to the famine in India, the economical fact is now recognized that the peace, order and good government established by the British throughout the country, which protects and encourages industry and greatly increases the productive capacity of the peoples, and, by the establishment of irrigation works, that of the land also, will never prevent famine in those seasons in which the rains fail. The reason, and the fall broughs.

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Mrs. H. E. Gillis returned from Ha' and the second of seasons in which the rains fail. The reason, of course, is that under these favorable condition the population increases encommously, the lower and least provident classes, as a rule is everywhere multiplying in a ratio which suggests unsolved economic problems and painful possibilities. Pessimistic observers of the social conditions prevailing in India have expressed the opinion that, even were the seasons to be invariably favorable to agriculture, it is doubtful whether the time would not soon arrive when the capacity of the land to feed all whowere born on it would be exceeded. In spite, however, of the increased population, famines of recent years have not been nearly so destructive as those which occurred before India became a part of the British empire. One needs, indeed, only to open one's eyes to see that, taking the world as a whole, the food product, as well as all other forms of production, is greater in proportion to the world's needs than it ever was, and we hear more distress from what is spoken of as over-production than any other cause. Every development of the century has been and polity, was summoned and ordered the in juried man sent to the hospital at Halifax. We understand that his injury has been successfully operated on, and that he is now improving.

—Dr. Walter Chipman, Acadia '90, son of William Chipman, formerly of this town, after a four years' surgical course at Edin-box with McGill, in place of Dr. Webster, who has accepted a position at Chicago university. Dr. Chipman is considered by Dr. Barbour to be one of-the rising young men of the day and Acadia is to be congratulated on the success of her graduate.

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—Halifax Herald, 6th inst.: The death occurred performs of production, is greater in proportion to the world's needs than it ever was, and whear more distress from what is spoken of as over-production than any other cause. Every development of the century has been to bring men nearer together and to bring the over-supply within the reach of the demand. For dealing with the Indian problem the foresight of the government has not been wanting. For years great irrigation works for storing waters to be utilized in rainless seasons have been pushed by the Indian Government, and as the extent of their use is practically only limited by the Indian Government, and as the extent of their use is practically only limited by the Indian Government, and as the extent of their use is practically only limited by the Indian Government, and as the extent of their use is practically only limited by the Indian Government, and as the extent of their use is practically only limited by the Indian Government, and as the extent of their use is practically only limited by the Indian Government, and as the extent of the government by the Indian Government and Indian Government is given by the Indian Government is given by the Indian Government is given by the Indian Government to the Indian Governmen attempts on the part of the government to enforce cleanliness hazardous to the extent

enforce cleaniness nazardous to the extent of raising disorder and rebellion. It is a most and and terrible situation, yet we see the British people calmly facing it with the determination to overcome its horrors and re-establish peace in Africa and prosperity in Asia.

Local and Special News. -Provincial legislature meets tomorrow

—A Fancy Sale at Paradise on Tuesday vening, Feb. 13th. -W. N. White & Co., the well known London apple brokers, have assigned. -The Scott Act fines in Windsor for 1899 mounted to \$1,150; expenses, \$407,70. -Subscription lists for the Canadian pat-

—Mr. H. J. Crowe has chartered the Italian barque, Amora, 840 tons, to load lumber at Annapolis for Buenos Ayres. —Large shipments of apples were made from this station last week for London, via steamer St. John City from Halifax.

-The Maine Press Association, an organ less loyal than the other provinces of the Dominion. The Montreal Witness has this to say of these who are presching addition. —Arrangements have been made by which the mails for points between Yarmouth and Barrington will be carried by the Halifax & Yarmouth railway.

—Mr. Mulock intimates that the postal revenue of Canada is already rapidly rising to the amount of income prior to the reduc-tion of the letter rate to two cents.

—Interest at the rate of three and one half per cent. per annum is being paid by the Union Bank of Halifax here and at Lawrence town, on all deposits, receipts, and saving bank accounts.

Or death.

—A sociable will be held at the home of W. B. McKeown, Lawrencetown, on Wednesday evening, Feb. 14th. Proceeds for church purposes. If stormy will be held first fine evening following. This means a good time for averylady.

-Mr. H. A. Bayer, formerly of Halifax, who for the past two years has conducted a tailoring business at Lawrencetown, will enter the employ of Mr. E. L. Fisher of Annapolis, early in March. -Robie Burrill, son of Charles Burrill of in excess of the cases reported in any other country, from which reports are obtainable, with the single exception of Portugal, where the cases numbered three hundred. This is

saying that "an ounce of prevention is worth
a pound of cure," and to give practical ex

been almost impossible to carry on logging

& Bent Co., expect to have the building taken off their hands this week.

-The sames of Paradise will note a Fancy Sale and Bazzar in the church on Tuesday evening, Feb. 13th, when a splendid assort-ment of fancy goods will be disposed of by private and auction sale. Ice cream and re-freshments will be served to those who wish

—A steamer is expected to load apples at Annapolis about the middle of the month, for London direct. The owner of the steamer chartered by Musgrave & Co., to load there last month cancelled thecharter, much to the disappointment of those who had engaged to ship fruit by her.

—The Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the Maritime Provinces, I. O. O. F., is to pay an official visit to Crescent Lodge on Monday evening, the 19th. All members are requested to be present next Monday evening for the purpose of making arrangements for the evening, also for degree work. —The Grand Division, Sons of Temperance, met at Digby last Thursday and a number of delegates from this county were present. Over 200 subordinate Divisions were reported as actively working with a membership of 13,000. Dr. M. E. Arm-strong and Mr. Fred Bath represented Olive Branch Division of Bridgetown.

place.

—The Bank of Nova Scotia, having decided to transfer their head office from Halifax to Toronto, will move their staff there in April. Mr. Caldwell, who is their chief accountant, will leave Halifax with his family for Toronto at that time. Mrs. Cassidy, who has been visiting them for the past two months on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Caldwell, will also accompany them, and is offering her valuable property, "Elm Villa," for sale. This is a chance for some one to secure one of the most desirable and delight-

New York, Feb. 1.—The Journal has the following from London: Britain's entire fleet and her entire volunteer force is to be mobilized at once. This was practically settled at the cabinet meeting on Tuesday. Many retired and half-pay naval officers have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness for active service. The officers of the Royal Naval reserve, who are serving on merchantmen all over the world, have been notified by cable to expect commissions on war ships. This is the answer of the British lion to the anarling of the will beasts of Europe. It is the faalings to the world, Six hundred and sixty-six ships of war are to go into commissions and two hundred thousand volunteers. The volunteers term of enlistment do not permit of their, being called out for oreign services, so it is and content of the more than to garrison the forte and military ployed for service in South Africa. This the standard of the regulars now thus ployed for service in South Africa. This title is the service of the south of the service of the Provincial Exhibition.

Local and Special News. -Wanted: - Clear Spruce and Pine Apply at J. H. Hicks & Sons'. —Two Gents' and two Ladies' Fur Coats at a bargain at John Lockett & Son's. his trotting mare, Mona Brenton, to Boston men for \$325. —Israel Elliott, formerly of Annapolis county, died at Everett, Mass., on the 22nd ult., aged 63 years.

—There will be a Bean Supper at the Salvation Army barracks on Saturday evening next, from 6 to 9 p.m. —The goose bone weather prophet, who predicted a mild winter with but little snow, hasn't erred in his prophecy yet. -Mr. Ira Banks, who has been ill for weeks with pneumonia and affections resulting from that disease, is regaining his health.

-The Halifax Chronicle will be on sale at —Yesterday was election day and the minees for civic honors were duly declared ected by the Town Clerk, no election being

Halifax next week, probably the 16th or 17th, with the remaining troops of Canada's second contingent on board. -Messrs. J. L. Marshall, Fred McCormick and H. A. Fredericks were appointed com missioners in the Carleton's Corner water district at the annual meeting last night. —The steamer Monteroy has been chartered to transport the Strathcona Horse to South Africa. She will sail from Halifax about the end of February. The contingent will number 531 men in all ranks, with 536

-Two handsome silver cups, the property of the 69th Batt. Rifle League, are on exhi-bition in Mr. Sancton's jewellery store. One

to the amount of income prior to the reduction of the letter rate to two cents.

—Capt. Alfred Browne, superintendent of the railway mail service, died suddenly at his home in Halifax on Monday. He had been in the service for twenty-eight years.

—Mr. Benjamin McCalvin, a man of advanced age, who has been living for some time at Mrs. Ann Gibson's on Granville street, west, dropped dead yesterday while sawing wood. Heart failure was the cause of death.

time for everybody. --Norman Peverill, formerly of Nova Scotia is accused at Rochester, N. Y., of having made efforts to secure enlistments for the Canadian forces to be sent to aid the British in the war against the Boers, and will be examined before United States Commissioner Shull tomorrow.

—In the Annapolis civic election yesterday J. P. Edwards, Ed. McClaffirty and R. L. Hardwick were elected to the Council, Mr. H. M. Bradford being the unsuccessful candi-—The new Academy at Annapolis has been completed with the exception of the painting, and the bondemen who completed the contract commenced by the Curry Bros.

taken off their hands this week.

—A special service of prayer in behalf of the war in South Africa will be held in St. James' church on Sunday next. Holy communion will be celebrated at 8 o'clock and the special service held at 11. A similiar service will be held in the afternoon at Belle Isle.

—The plant and land of the Curry Bros., & Bent Co., was sold at mortgagees' sale last Saturday and was bid in by Mr. F. L. Miliner for the bondsmen for \$3000. The amount of the bondsmen for \$3000. The amount of the prochasers to try at once to dispose of the proporty; failing in the bondsmen for \$3000. The amount of the bondsmen for \$3000. The bondsmen for \$ -The plant and land of the Curry Bro -The Nova Scotia Electric Light Com

—The Nova Scotia Electric Light Company have just had a second survey completed of the source from which they expect to derive the power to run their huge electrical enterprise in this valley. The engineer's report was eminently satisfactory and the company are already making plans to commence work early in the spring. The corporation has money in the treasury and is already paying bills, so it may be confidently expected that the project will be carried through without further delay. carried through without further delay.

—Next week will be one of special interest to Pastor Young, as the members of the church and congregation have announced their intention of making their annual visit to the parsonage, for the purpose of presenting him with a donation on Wednesday evening, 14th. This annual gathering is always largely attended, and it may be expected that the parsonage will be taxed to its utmost capacity at this time. We understand that special preparations is being made for the entertainment of the company, and young and old will be sure to enjoy themselves. On Tuesday evening, 13th, the congregation of Granville Centre are to meet at the home of Mr. Geo. Withers for the same purpose, and they will be sure to show their appreciation of the pastor in a most practical way. Such gatherings as these must prove helpful to both pastor and congregation.

Mrs. Thos. Roy, of Maitland, Colchester county, has been spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. N. R. Burrows. Mrs. Giles, whose dangerous illness from pneumonia was reported is now convalescing; gratifying news to a large circle of friends. Miss Bertha E. Felch, formerly of Clar-ence, head saleslady in A. B. Coates Novelty Store, Cliftondale, Mass., left last week for

Telegraph office here, has returned to her home in Weymouth. Miss Grace Healy is now in charge of the office. It will be remembered, says the Orchardist, that the Acadia forward movement involved the raising of \$60,750 by the university, as a condition of obtaining \$15,000 from Mr. Rockefeller through the American Baptist Education Society. The subscriptions were payable in four annual instalments. The governors reported on January 20th 1800 payable in four annual instalments. The governors reported on January 20th, 1899, that they had collected \$15,000, and in acknowledgment of this Mr. Rockefeller sent his cheque for one fourth of the amount he had pledged. We are glad to learn that on January 20th, 1900, the governors were in a position to report a second collection of \$15,375. In a few days, therefore, they will receive Mr. Rockefeller's second instalment, and the college, will already have realized on the forward movement pledges \$37,500.

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6 00 We have another lot of Jackets (all new goods) 10 Men's Overcoats, assorted patterns, your choice only Men's Heavy Frieze Reefers, large storm collars,

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