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The Cymric has been chartered to carry a regiment of the fourth contingent to Cape Town. She will probably sail from Halifax early next month.

**News Summary.**

Gilbert Petrie, aged sixty years, of Chatham, fell Wednesday morning while caulking a scow and broke his leg.

The Belgium Chamber of Representatives has rejected the proposal to revise the Belgian constitution so as to provide for universal suffrage.

Lieut. Cook of the Philippine Scouts, is to be tried by court martial on charges similar to those brought against Major Waller and Lieut. Day.

Lord Kitchener reports the capture of 150 Boers since April 1. There has been no definite developments in the matter of the peace negotiations.

Edward King, of Westmoreland Point, was struck by a train at Aulac station Tuesday and had several ribs broken, besides being badly cut about the head.

A party of twenty-five recruits for the fourth contingent left Toronto for Halifax Thursday. Twenty-five men recruited at Peterboro accompanied them.

Lieut. Col. Pellat, of Toronto, who will command the Canadian contingent which will attend the coronation, has offered to send the bugle band of the Queen's Own Rifle corps he commands at his own expense.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has given out contracts with Canadian and American firms for about \$5,000,000, to provide more locomotives and rolling stock for the road to be delivered in August.

A jury in Montreal, Friday, gave Mrs. Joseph Payette a verdict of \$4,000 against the Canada Atlantic Railway. Her son was accidentally killed while crawling under a train at Coteau Landing.

The remains of the late ex-Senator A. W. Ogilvie were cremated at Montreal on Friday. The new crematory presented to the cemetery by Sir W. C. McDonald was used for the first time.

Benjamin Smith, of Lower Burlington, N. S., met a terrible death recently. While placing fuel on a bonfire in his garden he took a fit and fell face downward into the flames, receiving injuries that caused his death.

The Municipal Consumption Hospital of New York city has proved so efficacious that four buildings will be added to it and the appropriation for its support increased by \$45,000 annually.

The stranded steamer Lake Superior was sold on Saturday for \$26,600. A Boston firm are the purchasers. Experts will shortly report on the practicability of floating the ship.

George Robertson, M. P. P., and John H. Thomson have been discussing the St. John dry dock matters with the government. They ask for a change in the subsidy from two per cent. for 20 years to three per cent. on the cost for the same length of time.

The Moncton Times has adopted an eight page form for its daily edition, and makes a good appearance in that shape. The Times is to be congratulated on the growing advertising patronage which has made the change necessary.

Frank A. Stockton, the noted novelist, died suddenly of paralysis in Washington on Sunday morning. His chief works were Rudder Grange; The Rudder Grange Abroad; The Casting away of Mrs. Leaks and Mrs. Aleahire, with its sequel, The Dunsantes; The Squirrel Inn; Pomona's Travels, etc; but Stockton's short story, The Woman and the Tiger contributed most to make his name famous.

"The Cow Pea" is the title of the latest publication issued by the Experiment Farm of the North Carolina State Horticultural Society at Southern Pines, N. C. This book, neatly bound and illustrated in plain and concise manner, discusses the value and uses of this important crop, the Cow Pea. Every reader can get a copy free by writing to the Superintendent of Experiment farm, Southern Pines, N. C.

A young man named Berton Tapper, of Advocate Harbor, and connected with the Schooner "Serenie," met death in St. John under very peculiar circumstances on Saturday evening. It is said that he was standing on the vessel's deck with one foot on the hatch, listening to the music of a German band that was playing in the neighborhood. As he stood and listened apparently so absorbed in the music that he was hardly conscious of what he was doing, he twisted round his neck two pieces of small ropes used for tying up the rails, tucking in the ends so that they held fast. Then it would seem his foot slipped and he was suspended over the hatch by the ropes which he had tied around his neck. A few minutes later when some of the crew came up from below he was found hanging thus, and life quite extinct.

General Ian Hamilton in a further drive has captured sixty-four Boers.

Jasper Tully, member of parliament for the south division of Leitrim, who was recently sentenced to one month's imprisonment for having incited tenants to refuse to pay their rent, was arrested at Boyle, County Leitrim, Tuesday and conveyed to the Sligo jail.

The Board of Trade, Montreal, will suggest to the postmaster general that the matter of reduced postage on newspapers and periodicals between Canada and Great Britain form one of the subjects for submission to the colonial conference.

Three sections of the crimes' act have been put in force in a large number of districts in Ireland by proclamation issued Wednesday by Earl Cadogan, the lord lieutenant of Ireland. These sections provide for summary jurisdiction in cases of criminal conspiracy, intimidation and unlawful assembly, for trial by special jury and for change of venue at the option of the crown.

Halifax Herald: Alderman Geldert has received a letter from Andrew Carnegie acknowledging receipt of the City Council accepting his offer of \$75,000 for a free library building. Mr. Carnegie expresses his satisfaction at the prompt action taken, and says that as soon as a suitable site has been secured he will make arrangements for the payment of the money to be given by him. It is suggested by Mr. Carnegie that the site should be one affording light on all sides of the building.

Complete returns of the Manitoba prohibition referendum give the total in favor of enforcing the liquor prohibition act as 15,539 and against the enforcement 22,031.

E. B. Hiderkin, president of the Maritime Stock Breeders' Association, had an interview at Ottawa Thursday with Hon. Mr. Blair regarding special rates for conveying exhibits to and from the maritime fat stock show at Amherst, and also to and from provincial exhibitions in the provinces. The minister promised to look into the matter.

The Court of Appeal, Ontario, has given judgment in the stated case respecting the constitutionality of the Ontario act respecting the profanation of the Lord's day. The decision sustains the law in several important particulars, namely, prohibition of Sunday sales, of Sunday labor, of Sunday excursions, and Sunday cars, but it is clear the provincial act does not apply to corporation operating exclusively under the legislative authority of the Dominion government, nor individual employes of corporations.

A St. Paul, Minn., despatch states five hundred and thirty-four Indians, varying in age from eighteen to forty years, have advertised for work. They offer to work as farm laborers, as graders for railroads, or in any capacity for which they are fitted. These Indians have never worked before. They belong to the Standing Rock reservation and make their wants known through the agent. The recent order of Indian Commissioner Jones that all able-bodied Indians shall be deprived of government aid has set them thinking. They have had several councils and have at last come to the conclusion that they will adopt the white man's methods of obtaining a living. They announce that they are willing to break tribal relations and will engage in work singly or in parties.



As the light perpetually presses upon all objects and seeks entrance everywhere, and will come in at whatever window is open—nay, if but a cranny or pinhole be there, will come in as much as it will suffer—so God's beauty, truth, right, power, are continually pressing for entrance into all souls in the universe, and as such enters each as it will allow. But, as the light that enters is affected by the quality of the window it passes through, so it is with the light of God shining into human souls.—Rev. Samuel Longfellow.

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