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#### Mews Summary.

\$125,000.

Hon, Dr. Borden will sail for home on Jan. 12. He is much better than he has been for a long time.

The type foundry of A. D. Farmer & Son, New York, was damaged by fire on Wednesday to the extent of \$50,000.

Sixteen carloads of grain from Outario points have been forwarded to Halifax for shipment to Liverpool by the steamer Ulunda.

Ulunda.

Mayor Bingham was re-elected to the chief magistracy of Ottswa on Monday by acclamation, and Mayor Shaw was re-elected in Toronto by a big majority.

Three men were killed at the Avondale mine of the D. L. & W. Coal Company at Wilkesbarre, Pa., on Wednesday by a terrific explosion of gas.

Four thousand dollars has been paid over to the town of Edmonton, Saakatchewan, for the Edmonton district railway charter, in which Hon Wm. Pugaley is interested.

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Col. McRae, Ontario government commissioner, was in Ottawa Thursday on his way to New Brunawick to confer with the agricultural department regarding the prevalence of tuberculosis.

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The minister of public works has extended the time for receiving models for the monuments of Queen Victoria and Alexander Mackenzie to be erected in Parliament Square for a few days.

The medical fraternity in New York is much interested in the report from Vienna that Dr. Schenck has discovered the secret of exercising an influence over females so as to fix the sex of their off-spring.

The New Bedford, Mass., Spinners' Union on Wednesday evening unanimously voted to resist the cut down in wages. The strike will not take place until January 17, when the reduction goes into effect.

While working on a four story building

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While working on a four story building at Roxbury, Mass., Wednesday, Charles Bonnafont, fifty-two years old, fell from the roof to the ground, receiving injuries from which he died while being conveyed to the hospital.

At a public meeting in Annapolis on Tuesday evening, the proposed steamship line to St. John was considered and a committee was appointed to ascertain the style of boat required, probable cost, and othernecessary data.

Instructions have been legical to the state of the state of

Instructions have been issued to post-masters not to send to the dead letter office any letters for points within the empire-which may be mailed short of postage un-der Hon. Mr. Mulock's three cent per ounce proposal of a few weeks ago.

The National Art Gallery, Ottawa, was burglarized Tuesday night and a case of old coins of priceless value, presented to the government many years ago by Col. Falkland, was s'olen. Some of the coins were over two thousand years old.

The divisional court at Toronto on Mon-day denied the application of Mrs. Sterna-man, found guilty at Cayuga of poisoning her husband, for a new trial. Mrs. Ster-naman was sentenced to be hanged on Jan. 20 for the murder of her second husband.

After six days of siege and heroic defence the Dervish post at Osobri, in the Foudan, has fallen. Many of the Dervishes were killed and the remainder of the garrison fled, leaving all their property behind. Osobri is the last important place between Kassala and Khartoum.

A meeting of hardware men from all over the country was held at Toronto ou Wednesday, when it was decided to adopt shorter terms of credit. The new terms for shelf and heavy hardware and metals in Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces are four months' credit, with three per cent, off for thirty days. No changes were made in the price lists.

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The last payment to the government by the Union Pacific re-organization committee for the Union Pacific Railroad was made Wednesday by the payment at New York of \$8,500,000. The payment concludes practically the financiering of the Union Pacific re-organization and the payment of the debt of \$8,000,000 to the government. The organization committee and the re-organized company are now entitled to take possession of the road.

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This office has received attractive calendars from F. A. Dy keman & Co., the well known dry goods firm; from E. M. Sipprell, provincial manager for the Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Co.; from P. B. & H. B. Robinson, agents for Fire and Accident Insurance; from the Dominion Atlantic Railway Co., and the Youth's Companion. The D. A. R. Calendar gives maps of its line and the connections thereto; the Youth's Companion calendar is as usual an art production of a high order of merit. For each of these favors we extend thanks,

#### Pharaoh and the Sergeant.

. . . Consider that the meritorious services of the sergeant instructors attached to the Rgyptian army have been inadequately acknowledged. . To the excellence of their work is mainly due the great improvement that has taken place in the soldiers of H. H. the Khedive.—Extract from letter.

sid England unto Pharaoh, "I must make a man of you, That will stand upon his feet and play

the game;
That will Maxim his oppressor as a Christian ought to do,
And she sent old Pharaoh Sergeant
Whatisname.

was not a duke nor earl nor yet a vis-

It was not a duke nor earl nor yet a viscount;
It was not a big brass general that came;
But a man in khaki kit, who could handle
men a bit.
With his bedding labelled 'Sergeant
Whatisname.'

Said England unto Pharach, "Tho' at present singing small, You shall hum a proper tune before it

You shall hum a proper to the enda,"
And she introduced old Pharaoh to the sergeant once for all,
And left 'em in the desert making friends.

It was not a Crystal Palace nor Cathedral; It was not a public-house of common fame; But a piece of red hot sand, with a palm on either hand, And a little hut for Sergeant Whatianame.

Said England unto Pharaoh, "You've had miracles before, When Aaron struck your rivers into blood; blood; But if you watch the sergeant he can show

you something more. He's a charm for making riflemen from

t was neither Hindustani, French nor Coptic; It was odds and ends and leavings of the

same,
Translated by a stick (which is really half
the trick),
And Pharaoh hearked to Seargeant
Whatisname.

(There were years that no one talked of; there were times of horrid doubt—
There was faith and hope and whacking and despair—
While the Sergeant gave the Cautions and he combed old Pharaoh out, And England didn't look to know nor care.

That is England's awful way o' doing business— She would serve her God or Gordon just

the same—
For she thinks her Empire still is the
Strand and Holborn Hill,
And she didn't think o' Sergeant Whats

is name.) Said England to the Sergeant, "You can

let my people go!"
(England used em cheap and nasty from the start)
And they entered 'em at Firkeh on a most astonished foe—
But the Sergeent he had hardened Pharaoh's heart

That was broke, along of all the plagues of Egypt,
Three thousand years before the Sergeant

came—
And he mended it again in a little more than ten,
So Pharaoh fou ht like Sergeant Whatis-name.

It vas wich d bad campaigning (cheap and nasty from the first).
There was heat and dust and cooliework and sun.
There were viprs, flies and sandstorms, there was cholera and thirst,
But Pharaoh done the best he ever done.

Down the desert, down the railway, down

the river. Like the Israelites from bondage so he came,
'Tween the clouds o' dust and fire to the
land of his desire,
And his Moses it was Sergeant Whatis-

We are eating dirt in handfuls for to save our daily bread,
Which we have to buy from those that hate us most,
And we must not raise the money where the sergeant raised-the dear.
And its wrong and bad and dangerous to boast.

But he did it on the cheap and on the quiet, And he's not allowed to forward any

claim—
Though he drilled a black man white,
though he made a incum fight,
He will still continue Sergeant Whatis-

Private, Corporal, Color-Sargeant and In-

structor —
But the everlasting miracle's the same.
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