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NINE MONTHS ON

inhabited island, whose scant on and shelfish, together with oduce of the sea, were practieir only means of subsistence

ing to the varied stories told Dundonald Steamship Company gow and commanded by Cap-horburn, an experienced navi-f the Pacific seas, left Sydney, outh Wales, February 16 for

to have gone well with the until it reached the vicinity of Auckland islands, south of New about latitude 50 south and 166 east, when it experienced damage was driven

any members of the crew succeed-in reaching one of the unnamed ands of the group, but others lost lives Terrible sufferings were end by the wrecked men.

s month after month passed and
e were no signs of relief the surrs of the Dundonald gradually died

til only sixteen of the sturdiest of e crew remained alive. After nine dreary months of suffertheir signals for assistance were

ted and soon afterward the Hinemoa anchored off the island, sent a moat ashore and reached the more than alf starved sailors. In August last when the Dundonald iled to arrive at Falmouth her own-

ers began to reinsure the vessel and cargo, and week after week the ship's name was familiar to those speculators who deal in marine reinsurance, the and deal in marine reinsurance, the rate gradually creeping up until it stood at 90 per cent. In September the vessel was no longer insurable, and then after the usual enquiries at Lloyd's the bell of the Lutine was tung to record the fact that her name was wiped off the list of British shipting to record the fact that her name visual was wiped off the list of British shipbing and the Dundonald was added to the wight of vessels posted as missing."

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LIFEBOAT AT SEA

One of the Incidents of the Wreck of the British Ship Glencairn Off

ld, was thrown from the poop of a recked ship into a lifeboat while a

This Date Forty Years Ago

The British Colonist, Thursday, De-cember 5, 1867 The fire which destroyed Mr. Lene-

States Survivors of Lost Bark Dundonald Found in the Southern Ocean

SHIF'S FATE IS SOLVED

The fire which destroyed Mr. Lene veu's house was caused by the care-lessness of a servant, who had been miployed to air the house. The servant built fires in the house and went way. At 12 o'clock a gentleman in passing noticed smoke issuing from the house. Finding the interior of the building in flames, he desparched a sensenger to the Truck House to ring the bell. The firemen turned out and an Loyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this, has been solved by the as my sing at Lloyd's many months ago afth being reinsured at 90 per cent. For this farme, the care done and the latter to Princess Sophie of Germany, third daughter of the late Emperor Frederick; and his brothers, Prince Nichola daughter of the late Emperor Frederick; and

The prosy creature who edits the ships being thereby created. Columbian has already published a leader" twelve columns long on the Capital question, and announces a continuation of the same subject!!! The gods may have pity on his poor subscribers, but it is evident that Mr. Wobson has none.

The Enterprise returned from Fra-ser Mouth yesterday afternoon at 4.30

Crusoe-like on the south sea island waiting, hoping against hope, for the succor that was so long in coming.

The disaster to the Dundonald and the privations endured by the survivors recalls the great disaster which befel the British ship Slieve More in 1875, when it was the practise of sailing vessels to carry passengers to Australia. The Slieve More ran onto the Crozets in the far southern Pacific, and several hundred survivors of her librong of passengers existed with Corner's Inquest-Mr. Pemberton

ABOUT PEOPLE

Mr. Alfred Price, the new superintendent of the enlarged western died

Henry Clews, the banker and author, was talking at the Union Club in New York about a certain financier. "No wonder the man is so successful, said Mr. Clews. "He is the most susptcious fellow I ever heard of: In fact, he reminds me of a Staffordshire farmer my father used to tell of. This farmer, whenever he bought a flock of sheep, examined each sheep closely to make sure that it had no cotten in it."

The County Court.—Chief Justice Needham will hold a county offer on Monday next, commencing at 11 a.m.

Abstract of the rain register kept on board H. M. S. Zeatous during Noton the County of Denmark has given us our Queen, and received

ships being thereby created.

Five generations of the Chamberlain family, the period covered being upwards of a century and a day, have been members of the Cordwainers Company, one of the most ancient of the City guids. The Court have now passed a resolution congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Austen Chamberlain on the hirth of an heir, and expressing the important the child will in due course join the company, and so maintain the family's connection with them.

The court have now passed a resolution congratulating Mr. Shaw dismisses the subject with a wave of the complete the difficult task of unit-band. It really does not matter, we are told, because Socialism will so than the possession of what we regard as valuable knowledge and experience join the company, and so maintain the family's connection with them.

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BRITISH OPINION

Canada (London)-Many Liberals have expressed approval of various proposals to strengthen the Empire by the improvement of all-British trade in company with two messmates. After Australia. The Sileve More ran onto the Crozets in the far southern Pacific, and several hundred survivors of her throng of passengers existed with hardship for six months and 22 days, light and made a search for him, and the companions secured filing into penguins, albatross and what the companions secured filing on penguins, albatross and what the side of his friends, diving on penguins, albatross and what the companions secured filing for six months and 22 days, light and made a search for him, and of the side of the companions secured filing into the soon discovered him lying on the bottom of the verge of the Antarctic, have been the seen of many other disasters, the was found that life was extinct. From the seen of many other disasters, the side of the Nortwesian bark Catherine, whose survivers of the report of the result of the companions of the companions of the companions of the seen of many other disasters, the side of the Nortwesian bark Catherine, whose survivers of the result of the companions of the seen of many months before a relief ship eventually came in answer to a message for assistance carried over 1,000 miles of topen sea by a heroic boat's crew. The survivors of the Sileve More were restricted finally by a New Bedford whaler, the ship Young Phoenix.

TOSSED BABY INTO routes, even if subsidies are necessary was thrown from the poop of a checked ship into a lifebat while as a laptor for the Sale was the British ship the vessel was t

now will be a hindrance rather than a help in the Socialistiers. Our system of life and business, he says, is doomed to vanish auttenty of I am con-vinced," he declares, "that it will be as impossible under Socialism to find a man willing to undertake the work of an ordinary office bookkeeper as it is now for a sweep to find a climbing

London Morning Post .- Mr. Balfour's speeches at Birmingham have cleared the political air to an extent which few can have anticipated. First they will continue to complicate the fight for constructive Unionism in the constituencies. But, whatever the effect of Mr. Balfour's speeches upon the free trade minority of the present Opposition, our Liberal contemporarles leave us in no doubt of the dismay with which they view the resurrection—as it seems to them—of tariff reform. While all agree that free trade is in greater danger than ever before they we have the seems to the free trade is in greater danger than ever before they we have the seems to the free trade is in greater danger than ever before they we have the seems to the free trade is in greater danger than ever before they we have the seems to the free trade is in greater danger than ever before they we have the seems to the free trade is in greater danger than ever before they we have the seems to the free trade is in greater danger than ever before they we have the constituencies. Cheese—Canadian per lb. Neufchatel, each tream local each Batter—Manitoba per lb.

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these admirable questions, Mr. Ber-nard Shaw omits to answer them. We is amusing, in view of this variety

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED. FERGUSON-HUNTER—At the Reformed Episcopal church. Victoria, B. C., by the Rev. W. E. Gladstone, Mr. Ernest Ferguson, of Victoria, and Miss Maggle Hunter, of Nanalmo, were on Monday, December 2, 1907, united in marriage.

PURE BRED LIVE STOCK DISPERSION SALE—Having sold my farm, I am offering by auction, abslutely without reserve, my entire stock of pure bred, prize-winning Clydesdale horses, shorthorn cattle, and Oxford Down sheep, at the farm, 1½ miles from Ladner, B.C., on December, 18th, 1907. For catalogue or further particulars, apply to H. N. Rich, Auctioneer, Ladner, B.C., or H. M. Vasey, Ladner, B.C., or H. M. Vasey, Ladner, B.C.

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DIED.

KNAPP.—At 6 p. m., on the 3rd day of December instant, at the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital, Waldo E. Knapp, of Vermont, in the 48rd year of his age.

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APPLICATIONS for teacher at Retreat Cove school will be received until Jan. 1st. 1908. John Georgeson, secretary, Retreat Cove, P. O. d6