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MONTREAL

New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Te-

amseh House, for Th	e Adve	rtiser:		
Yesterday's Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	2p.m
Anscends 41%	4414	44%	44%	44%
Asobeson 2576	25%	26	2554	25%
Atcheson Pfd 601/	691/2	701/8	69%	6934
B. & O 83	83	83%	821	8258
Brooklyn Tran 71%	72%	731/2	72	7234
O., B. & Q185	125%	125%	1231/4	12534
Q. Q. O 6034	60%	805%	60%	60%
O & N. W 161%				
C. F. L 40	40	40	391/2	29%
Con. Gas				
Gen. Blectric 136%	1351/2	13614	136%	13614
Jersey Central 118%	118%	11834	118%	118%
K. & T. Pid 34%	. 3615-	841/2	8136	343%
Monhattan 92%	81%	82	8136	81%
Manhattan 92%	. 93	93%	93	931/8
Hetropolitan St. 153	154%		154	154%
Mo. P 58%	58%	69	6776	087
M. 1. CONLIBL 10078	184%	184%	184	154 %
Morfolk and W 3834	3736	37 1/2	8778	371/8
Northern Pacific. 57 1/4	57 1/3	57 %	673%	57 1/2
Ont. & Western. 23%	221/4	2214	2138	2134
P. M 321/2 Pennsylvania 1331/2	1334		32½ 133½	321/8
People's Gas10314	103%	1837	103 %	103%
B. I	107 14	1081	1073/	107 %
Beading 5834	581	581	573%	57 56
St. Paul	1181/8	118%	11854	118%
Southern Ry . Pf4 66%	5814	565%	56%	561/
Bouthern Pacific, 35%	3534		85%	351
2rd Avenue107%	108	109	108	108
T. O I 78%		80	78	79%
U. Paoific 551/4	56%	55%		5636
W. D 81%	82	82	813%	
TRUSTS:				
Lean 211/	2134	2134	2134	213/4
Leather 70%	70%	70%	70%	70%
Leather Com 13	12%	13	1234	123/4
Bager	115%	117	113%	114%
Pederal Steel 401/2		403/4	40	40
Rubber 30	30	30	30	30
Steel and Wire 3814	293/1	391/4		891
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British America		190		111
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Consumers' Gas	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •			213
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Borthwest Land Comp	any.	ref. 5	3	51
Canada Pacific Ry. Sto	ock	9	51/4	95
London Electric		119	34	112
Commercial Cable Con	npany	160	3	105
Dominion Telegraph.				128
Bell Telephone Compa	any			176
Bichelieu and Ontario				105
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Commercial Cable	165
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	
Demmercial Reg Bonds	
Montreal Telegraph	164%
Bichelieu and Ontario	109
Montreal Street Railway 263	26214
Hontreal St. Railway, new 241	23
Teronto Railway 99	97
Montreel Gas Company182	181 %
Bell Telephone	179
Boyal Electric	198
Bank of Monoreal	260
Ontario Bank	
Benk of Toronto	
Benk of Toronto	159%
Merchante' Bank of Halifax	
Quebec Bank	
Union Bank120	100
Bank of Commerce	148
Borthwest Land, pref	
Montreal Cotton Co	14236
Canada Colored Cotton 80	76
Dominion Cotton	901/4

English Markets. Liverpool, May 3.—Closing.

Wheat — Spot. firm; winter, firm; No. 1

Cal., 6s 4d to 6s 44/d; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 11/d; No. 1 red northern spring, steady, 5s 11/d; No. 1 red northern Duluth, 5s 10/d;

tures, quiet; May, 5s 93/d; July, 5s 9d; Sept., Corn-Spot, dull; American mixed, new,

46 2½d; do, old, nominal, 48 2½d; futures, easy, May, 48 2d; July, 48 ½d; Sept., 48 ½d. Peas—Western, 58 üd; Canadian, 58 9d. Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 78 3d;

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 3d;
Minn., 7s 9d.

Beef—Prime mess, ilrm, 72s 6d; extra India
mess, firm, 78s 9d.

Pork—Firm; prime mess, fine western, 67s 6d;
do. medium western, 42s 6d.

Lard—American refined, in pails, dull, 37s 9d;
prime western, in tierces, dull, 36s 3d.

Hams—Short out, 14 to 16 lbs, easy, 47s 6d.

Bacon—Dull; Cumberland cut, 23 to 30 lbs,
44s; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, dull, 42s; long
olear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, dull, 41s;
long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, dull,
40s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, dull, 37s;
clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 39s 9d.

lear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs. dull, 39s 6d Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, dull, 36s.
Butter—Finest American and good, nomina Cheese-American finest white, steady, 59s colored. firm, 63s; do. old, firm, 54s 6d; ordinary, new, 43s 6d.
Tellow Prime city, steady, 23s; Australian in London, steady, 27s 6d.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), steady, £2 5s

Cottonseed oil - Hull refined, May-Aug. steady, 23s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 42s 3d.
Rosin—Comnon, steady, 5s.
Linseed oil—30s 3d.
Petroleum—Refined, 7%d.

Toronto Froduce Market. Toronto, May 3.-Wheat-Small demand; steady; red and white, 65c to 65½c west; goose, 71c to 72c; spring, 60½c to 65c east; Manitoba, 77c for No. 1 hard, Toronto and west; 78c grinding in transit; 73½c at Goderich, and 74c at Midland. Flour-Quiet; cars of straight roller or Ontario patents are quoted at \$2.80 to \$2.85 in barrels west; Manitoba flour is steady, at \$4 to \$4.10 for patents, and \$3.70 for strong bakers in car lots here. feed-Nominal; \$16 to \$16 50 for shorts, and \$14 for bran west. Barley-Steady; No. 2, 42c west. Buckwheat-Steady; 50c west. Rye-Steady; Corn-Steady; 40c asked for Canada yellow west; American is steady, at 48c for new No. 3 yellow at

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27½c west. Peas—Steady, at 61c to 62c west. Eggs—Steady, at 11½c to 12c. Butter—Plentiful; 10c to 13c for dairy large rolls and dairy pound rolls; creamery steady, 17c to 18c for tubs, and 18c to 19c for prints. Live hogs—Receipts today, 1,000; prices steady, unchanged; choice bacon, 6½c; thick, 5½c; light fat, 5½c.

American Markets American Markets

NEW YORK, May 3.—Flour—Receipts, 16,015 bbls; sales, 3,600 pkgs; state and western quieter and rather easy in tone, but no lower; Minnesota bakers, \$2.75 to \$3. Rye flour—Quiet; fair to good, \$2.90 to \$3.15; choice to fancy, \$3.20 to \$3.50. Wheat—Receipts, 182,225 bu; sales, 1,315,000 bu; option market dull and lower this morning because of bearlsh cables, a break in corn and local realizing; May, 73.3-16c to 73.9-16c; July, 73%c; Sept., 74c to 74.2-16c. Rye—Dull; state, 56c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 60%c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 248,625 bu; sales, 170,000 bu; option market active and decidedly lower as a result of liquidation, following weakness abroad and a break at Chicago; May, 45%c to 45%c; July, 45%c cago: May, 454c to 45%c; July, 45%c to 46%c; Sept., 46c to 46%c. Oats—Receipts, 63,000 bu; options were duil and weaker; track, white state, 29c to 25c; track, white western, 29e to 35c. Butter—Receipts, 4,773 pkgs; market firm. Cheese—Receipts, 5,899 pkgs; weak; fancy large white, 10%c; fancy large colored, 10½c; fancy small white, 10c to 10½c; fancy small colored, 10½c to 10½c. Eggs—Receipts, 8,094 pkgs;

to 10½c. Eggs—Receipts, 8,094 pkgs; market firm; state and Pennsylvania, at mark, 13c to 13½c; storage western, at mark, 13½c; southern, at mark, 11c to 12½c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 15-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 47-16c; molasses sugar, 3%c; refined steady. Coffee—Nominal, Lead—Dull. Wool-Dull. Hops-Steady. BUFFALO, May 3.-Spring wheat-No. 1 northern, 72c; winter wheat, nominal. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 45½c; No. 3 yellow, 45c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 29½c; No. 3 white, 28½c on

track. DETROIT, Mich., May 3.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 73c; No. 2 red, cash, 73c: May, 73c; July, 731/6c. TOLEDO, May 3.-Wheat-Cash,74%c;

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, May 3.

Following are the fluotuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler,
broker, Tecumseh House. Phone 1278.

Open High. Low. Close.

Wheat—May. 65½ 65½ 65¾ 65¾

July. 67½ 67½ 66% 67

Corn—May... 39½ 89% 39 39½

July. 40½ 40½ 39½ 40

Oats—May... 23½ 23 22½ 23½

Pork—May... 197 12 05 11 75 12 00

July... 12 17 12 20 11 95 12 10

Lard—May... 692 692 682 692

Ribs—May... 670 670 670 670

July... 672 682 667 677

Live Stock Markets. Chicago Exchange.

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, May 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; generally about steady; good to prime steers, \$4.75 to \$5.70; poor to medium, \$4.10 to \$4.65; stockers and Otter's dispatches as being feeders, \$3 60 to \$5; cows, \$3 to \$4 40; heifers, \$3 25 to \$4 90; canners, \$2 50 to \$2 90; bulls, \$2 75 to \$4 25; calves, \$4 to \$6; Texas fed steers, \$4 to \$5 20; Texas bulls, \$3 25 to \$3 75. Hogs—Receipts today, 28,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 7,472; average about steady; top, \$5.35; mixed and butchers, \$5 15 to \$5 35; good to choice heavy, \$5 25 to \$5 35; rough heavy, \$5 10 to \$5 20; light, \$6 to \$5 30; bulk of sales, \$5 20 to \$5 30.

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Latest Probabilities.

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Toronto, May 3-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Northwesterly to westerly winds; falling to light to moderate at night; fine and decidedly cool. Friday, fine with a little higher tempera-

-Miss E. Adams, of the street railway, left today on a 'two months' trip to New York. -The "Sis Hopkins" Company left on the G. T. R. morning express for

St. Catharines. -The out-of-town students in at-tendance at the Western Medical College are leaving for their homes. -G. A. Richardson, Toronto, Can-

adian passenger agent of the Wabash Railway, was in the city yesterday. —Hon. David Mills is reported to be doing very well. He has almost en-tirely recovered from the effects of his

illne -The city treasurer has received \$5 for the Hull fire fund and \$5 for the Indian famine fund from Mr. F. F. Baker, of this city.

-Secretary Sanders, of the Children's Aid Society, begs to acknowledge gratefully the receipt of a check for \$10 from Mr. A. E. Welch. -Thomas R. Parker, treasurer Red

Cross Society, begs to acknowledge the following further sums: Methodist Church, Ilderton (additional amount), 50 cents; Maple Leaf League, \$13. -Provincial Bailiff English this

morning, took Wm. Doogan to the Central Prison to serve his sentence of ten months for stealing. The bailiff also had in charge three prisoners from Windsor, who spent the night in the jail here.

-One of the results of the present war is noticeable in the birth registrations at the city clerk's office. One infant was recently registered as "Ladysmith," while another little baby girl has been given the name "Transvaaletta."

-The rumor which has been in circulation that the coal and wood business of F. D. Macfle & Co. was for sale is entirely erroneous. No such intentions were entertained, and the report published in a commercial agency has since been contradicted.

sition of license inspector of East Mid-diesex, made vacant by the resigna-tion of Mr. John Durand. Mr. Bailey's place on the board of license commis-sioners for the district is taken by Mr. Daniel McIntyre, of Dorchester.

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Daniel McIntyre, of Dorchester.

—Pte. H. B. Barr, of Windsor, the news of whose death from enteric fever at Bloemfontein, was received today, was well known in London. He was assistant surgeon at the camp on Carling Heights last year, and was very popular with the men. He was a house surgeon at Harper Hospital, Detroit, leaving there to join the first Canadian contingent.

dian contingent. -Following are the names of the pu-—Following are the names of the pupils of the fourth class at St. Peter's school, who obtained the highest marks during the months of March and April for good conduct and application to work, in order of merit: Senior fourth—James Collins, Lena Mahony, Gerald Labelle. Junior fourth—Louisa O'Rourke, Rose Pask and Josephine Loguidee Loguidice.

-The fifth in the course of talks be fore the students of the London Art School will be given in the school-room, Public Library building, next entertaining, as well as instructive. All interested are cordially invited.

—About three weeks ago, Mrs. Mc-Intyre, of Kemptville, with her child, arrived here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. McDermid, Talbot street. The baby was taken sick with bronchitis, ten days ago, and despite all that could be done, died last evening. The body was taken to Kempville by the parents this morning. Miss Margaret McDermid accompanied them and will spend a couple of weeks with her sister.

-The death occurred in Nevada re-cently of Mr. John Baldwin, who was born in St. Thomas in 1830. Deceased spent his early life with his father, Jacob Baldwin, on a farm at the Gore of Westminster. He was for many years engaged in mining in Australia, and later settled in Nevada, where he followed the ranching business up to the time of his death. Mrs. Samuel Baker, of Littlewood, is a sister of deceased July, 734c. Corn-May, 41c. Oats-May,

-The building laborers who went on strike on Tuesday are still out. The employers claim to be able to obtain all the men they need and qualify them to do the work in the course of a week. The bosses say they will not concede anything to the strikers, while the men have every confidence of winning the strike. It is hoped that within a few days a satisfactory settlement will be effected. Some of the employers have already signed the agreement with the union.

CONCERT POSTPONED. The band concert in aid of the sufferers by the Hull fire, which was announced to take place in Victoria Park this evening, has been postponed until Saturday night.

Lieut. J. M. Ross mentioned in Col. Otter's dispatches as being wounded on April 30, is a member of B company. His parents live in Embro. He took a A SHORT SESSION.

This morning's session of the police court did not last more than five minutes. John Sullivan, charged with arrested in Victoria Park, where he was UHIHUIHII acting strangely, was charged with insanity, and remanded until Monday. drunk was discharged.

DOUEY PLEADED GUILTY. Watson Douey, the young farmer from Dawn township, who was arrested for the theft of a watch from the wife of his former employer, Levi Mawhinney, of Ekfrid township, was arraigned before Judge Edward Elliott this morning. He pleaded guilty, and was allowed to go on suspended sentence, his own recognizance being taken in \$200 to appear when called upon. The watch was taken in September, 1898, and found by Detective Ward in Douey's possession on April 24. 1900.

BURGLARS AT WORK, Parsons' hardware store, situated in Bartlett's block, East London, was entered by burglars some time during last night. Entrance was effected by prying open a back door, and goods to the value of \$75 were taken. Eleven razors and 25 boxes of jackknives were the articles stolen. The razors were known as "Reynolds'", "Boker's," "Crown" and "Magnetic," and the jackknives were "Reynolds'," "Boker's," "Jubilee," "Eye-Witness," and "German" knives

"German" knives. DEATH OF DAVID D. SMITH. The death of Mr. David D. Smith, who was well known in this city as the representative of several insurance companies, and as a private banker, occurred early this morning, at his residence, No. 213 Queen's avenue. About two weeks ago he became ill with heart trouble. He was in his 58th year. Besides Mrs. Smith, one daughter, Mrs. Nicholson, of Chicago, and one brother, Dr. Smith, of Detroit, survive him. The funeral will take place Sat-

urday to Edwards cemetery, Lobo.

CHARGED WITH FORGERY. John A. Tiffany, of Delaware, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detective Ward, and remanded to jail till May 9 by Squire Lacey. Tiffany, who keeps a temperance hotel in Delaware village, is charged with forging the names of residents of the district to a petition which accompanied an application for a tavern license for the present year. The application was refused by the West Middlesex license commissioners on the ground that one hotel license for the village was sufficient. The genuineness of some of the 94 names attached to the petition was questioned, and some 40 of those whose names were attached disclaimed all knowledge of the petition, and it is said by the crown officer that all, or nearly all, the remainder of the names were forged. Tiffany says he can satisfactorily explain the matter when he is arraigned.

NEW CAMP AT LOBO VILLAGE. On the evening of May 1 a new camp of the Woodmen of the World was instituted at Lobo village. This camp is not the creation of a paid deputy, but one which was started by the solicitation of a number of the influential residents of the township of praise is given him for the success of his efforts. Deputy Consul Ramplin, assisted by Head Clerk Fitzgerald, Head Watchman Saunders and Sov. Roughley (consul commander of Forest City Camp, No. 1), London, performed the initiatory ceremony. Sov. Ramplin was never in better form, and his rendition of the ritual was splendid. Everyone present was delighted with the manner in which he conducted the work. After the close of these exercises Sov. Ramplin gave a discourse

by short addresses by Sovs. Saunders, Roughley, Alex. McLean (Ilderton), and Tuckey (Hyde Park). The prospects are very bright, and before the close of this month the camp will number at least 50 members. The newly-initiated sovereigns are very enthusiastic, and all will do all they can in the interests of their camp. "Clann nan gaidheal re gualidh a cheile.

DEATH OF MRS. LEVINE. To many friends in this city and elsewhere the announcement of the death

of Mrs. David Levine, which occurred this morning, will cause sincere sorrow. and among the poor especially, ito whom she was always a good friend, her loss will be deplored. Mrs. Levine had suffered for a number of years with heart trouble, but it was only for the past two weeks that she had been seriously ill. She was born in Syracuse, N. Y., in 1850. Besides her husband, two children, Goldie and Jacob, sur-vive. The funeral will be held tomorrow to the Jewish cemetery.

LANDERKIN-ATKINSON. Friday evening, May 4, by Frof. Bowman, of the Canada chemical works, on "A Talk on Vision, Illustrated by Experiments." The address will be very H. Shaw, 139 Hill street, the home of the bride's sister, on Wednesday afternoon, at 3 p.m., when Miss Pauline Atkinson, graduate of Amassa Wood Hospital, was united in marriage to Mr. S. H. Landerkin, of Bond Head, Ont. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Smith, pastor of First Meth-odist Church, in the presence of a few of the most immediate friends and relatives. Miss Lowes, of St. Thomas, attended the bride, and Mr. Jackson, of Detroit, supported the groom. After partaking of breakfast the happy couple left on the C. P. R. for points east. The many and beautiful presents were an evidence of the high esteem in which the bride was held by a large circle of friends.

FOR THE FIRE SUFFERERS. Mrs. Boomer thankfully acknowledges check for \$27 handed to her by Dr. Saunders from members of the Dundas Center Methodist Church for the Ottawa and Hull relief fund. Also 50c from a friend, per secretary of the Y. W. C. A. A large quantity of good and useful clothing has already been packed, and more large cases will

Mrs. Griffin, president of the Ottawa.

Local Council of Women, writes: "As I told you in my telegram, children's clothing will be particularly welcome, a large proportion of the homeless being children, and it has been found very difficult to fit them out with the little garments required. An endeavor is being made to centralize the relief, and people now being scattered and fed in the drill shed and athletic rooms are being sent out to the exhibition grounds. There families will be kept together as much as possible, and there is abundance of space and fresh air, which is very necessary. The executive of our National Council will probably be postponed until the 15th, as the Ottawa members are so many of course at Wolseley Barracks, city, and was well known and popular here. He is one of the youngest officers formal vote of thanks will be sent to London friends for their respectively. to London friends for their prompt as-cistance, but meanwhile let me assure them how all appreciate the practical sympathy extended to our suffering

In the Thabanchu Fight of Monday, April 30.

Was Killed and Ex Were Wounded.

Official Report From Mafeking by Col. Baden Powell-Review of the Situation.

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, May 3.-Lord Minto has received the following from Lord Mil-

"Capt Town, May 1 .- Shoeingsmith J. McMillan, one of the 23 artificers sent by the Canadian Government, at the war office request, died at Bloemfontein, of enteric fever. (Signed)

'A cable was received this morning at the militia department, from Lieut .-Col. Otter, commanding the first Canadian contingent, giving the following

THE DEAD.

Killed in action on the 30th April,

No. 7,468, Pte. Harry Cotton, 43rd Battalion, Ottawa and Carleton Rifles. No. 8,176, Pte. A. F. Zone, 66th Battalion, died from enteric fever on the

THE WOUNDED.

Wounded in action on April 30: Lieut. J. M. Ross, 22nd Oxford Rifles. No. 7,955, Pte. John Lutz, 74th Battalion Essex. N. B.

No. 7,952, Pte. J. Letson, 62nd St. John Fusiliers. No. 7,488, Pte. P. R. Foster, Governor-General's Foot Guards, Ottawa.

No. 7,204, Pte. R. Irvine, 19th St. Catharines Battalion. No. 7,234, Pte. C. K. Rorison, 21st

Essex Fusiliers. BADEN-POWELL HEARD FROM. London, May 3 .- Col. Baden-Powell

reports officially from Mafeking, under date of April 20, that all was well there. He adds: "Thirteen native women tried to get away during Lobo. Peter G. McKellar was the the night of April 15. The enemy leader of the movement, and much opened fire on them, and killed nine opened fire on them, and killed nine and wounded two. I wrote to Snyman. pointing out that he shells the native stadt, which is full of women and children, and that when they are trying to escape by day the Boers have captured and flogged them, and sent them back, and by night they shoot them down, pretending to mistake them for night attacks. Snyman has not replied. The proportion of

Spring Requirements

Alabastine, per package, 40c. Burril's English Ready-mixed Paint, per gallon, \$1.20; per quart, 35c. 14-tooth Garden Rakes, 25c each. Whitewash Brushes, Carpet Tacks,

Furniture Varnish, Rath Enameis. Feather Dusters. Clothes Wringer, Royal Canadian, or Royal American, \$2.50 each. Grand Rapid Sweepers, \$2.00 to \$8.00 each

Cowan's Cash Hardware,

127 Dundas Street, London.

killed and wounded above speaks for itself.' Other news from Mafeking details the careful saving of the provisions, and says there are diminished ra-tions for 9,000 soldiers within the beleaguered town

THE SITUATION. Lord Roberts' latest dispatch throws no new light on the object and possi-bilities of the extensive operations in the neighborhood of Thabanchu. One military critic believes he is justified in inferring that Lord Roberts' successful attack at Houtnek threatens the Boer center, and puts the British in a favorable position to crush the Boer left, which is still facing Gen. Rundle at Thabanchu, or their right, which is somewhere between Brandfort and Winburg.

Boer Reports

OF RECENT FIGHTS. Pretoria, Wednesday, May 2 .-- An official war bulletin issued here reports that April 28 the federals captured nine prisoners and ten horses eastward of Thabancha, and that on April 30 a British mounted corps appeared near Brandfort. The federals attacked them on two sides, and the British Two federals were wounded, and eleven prisoners were taken.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT. semi-official, of this affair, says that the Welkerstroom and Ermelo mands had a skirmish with the British near Brandfort. In a sharp fight eleven prisoners were taken, and nine-teen British were left dead on the field,

Streams. The correspondent of Reuter's telegram agency in the Boer camp at work are especially requested to be Brandfort wires that when the British present. appeared ten miles east of Brandfort, Gen. Delarey ordered a charge, and 500 Boers drove them back to their en-trenchments. The federals found four dead on the field, and took seventeen prisoners, mostly wounded, including Lieut. Craine.

BRITISH PUSHING ON. Later in the afternoon Gen. Delarey learned that the British have forced their way twenty miles east of Brandfort, and seven miles north of the Modder River.

An American has been arrested in

connection with the Begbie explosion.

Good Men to Keep. KIPLING AND THE COLONIALS. desirability of colonials settling in South blow that resulted in her death. Africa, and the lack of inducements offered by the home government, says: "Among the various hospitals Canadians of the very stamp and breed we require; young, sound, clean, intelligent, well-educated. Three hundred heads of sane and soaped families. Shall we let all these beautiful men go back to their own place and never lift a finger to stay them?" Franklin McLeay, the well-known Canadian actor, is arranging a big matinee, the proceeds of which will be given to aid the Hull and Ottawa fire sufferers. The project is receiving the

FROM ENTERIC FEVER

London actors.

Another London Boy Dies in South Africa-A Former Member of the Seventh Fusiliers.

Yesterday a cable was received here from Mr. and Mrs. Houseman, of England, telling of the death in South Af- ders for small lots when asked for. rica, of their son, Arthur Houseman, who died of enteric fever while serving in an ambulance corps on active serdeparture, about a year ago, for Printing and Lithographing Company. He was very popular with his associates.

SHAMEFACED?

And Why?-Because Blood Impurities Have Made It "Pimply"-Dr. Agnew's Ointment Is a Sure Cure.

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Henry Darley, a negro, was lyinched in the court house yard at Liberty, Mo., just before midnight, by a mob of masked men. The negro was arrested in Excelsior Springs on Tuesday, charged with having brutally assaulted Miss V. Armstrong, a hotel

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Red Cross Meeting.

A special meeting of all interested in The heavy bombardment by the British has been resumed at Fourteen shortly, notice of which will be given later. Reports of committees will be submitted. Those who have undertaken

FATAL FIGHT

Between Father and Son at Collingwood in Which the Mother Was Killed.

[Special to Advertiser per G. N. W.] Collingwood, Ont., May 3 .-- A terrible affair occurred here last night, or early this morning, which looks like a case of murder, brought on by a family quarrel. John Welland, sen., and his son William, both of whom had been drinking, had a dispute, which ended in a fight. In the melee, London, May 3.-Rudyard Kipling, in the mother appears to have got between the two men, and received a coroner's inquest may determine who is the one to blame.

CAPITAL ECHOES

Hon. David Mills at His Post-Success of the Sale of Binder Twine at Kingston Peneitentiary.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Ottawa, May 3.-Hon. David Mills enthusiastic support of the leading was among the distinguished guests invited to participate in the proceedings of the Ecumenical Council Missionary Conference in New York city. The minister was too busy with his official

duties to leave the city. SALE OF BINDER TWINE.

The experiment of selling binder twine direct from the Kingston Penitentiary has been so successful that the minister of justice has instructed the warden to continue to receive or-NEW TRANSPORTATION COM-PANY

A bill to incorporate the Canada Navice. The young man was well known tional Railway and Transport Comin this city, having lived here until his pany was considered at the railway committee today. The company prohannesburg, whither he went with his poses to build a railway from Toronto brother Charles. At the outbreak of the to Collingwood, and also to establish war, they left Johannesburg. Arthur a line of freight and passenger steam-Houseman was a member of the Severs on the lakes, plying between Amenth Fusiliers, and was employed as a crican and Canadian ports. Opposition lithographic artist by the London was taken to the bill by A. E. Kemp and others, who had already a charter for a road between the points. The alleged reason that they did not go on with the work sooner was that they were waiting until the canals were

UNCLE SAM'S DUTY

deepened.

Must Shoulder His Responsibilities Like a Man.

New York, May 3.-At the Loyal Legion dinner last night, Bishop Potter is quoted as saying with regard to the Philippine Islands:

"If my son should come to me and say he is prepared to marry a young Creole woman with seven children. I would call him a great ass. But if he came to me, and said he had alcontracted such a marriage, I would still try to sustain intimate re lations with him. No, gentlemen, what we have done has established just such a relation as that, and it would be series of national mortification if we gave up our responsibilities because we find them difficult."

BATTLE OF CUT KNIFE CREEK. Ottawa, May 3.-Yesterday was the anniversary of the battle of Cut Knife Creek, and as usual the statue of Osgoode and Rogers on Major's Hill Park was decorated with a wreath of roses.

FELL ON A BUZZ-SAW. Picton, May 3.-While Bruce Morrison, of Consecon, was helping John H. Young use his circular saw this forenoon, he slipped and fell, and would have been cut in two had his clothing not fortunately given way. As it was, however, his right hand was badly lacerated and one of his fingers torn off. Mr. Morrison is a rephew of Mayor Morrison, M.P., of Trenton.

Thomas E. Corning, Q.C., recorder, of Yarmouth, N. S., has been nominated as Dominion Conservative candidate for Yarmouth at the general