ARE HANDPICKING ALL IMMIGRANTS

Canada Turns Back Thirty From Malta at New York Under Instructions.

New York, Feb. 18 .- Thirty immigrants from Malta, bound for Canada, who have been held at Ellis Island by Canadian authorities, were this afternoon ordered deported back to their home country.

Dr. R. T. Rutherford, of the Canadian immigration department, ex-plained that he has recently received instructions from Ottawa that no more Maltese will be received as im-migrants in Canada under any condi-

tions whatever.
"My instructions were positive on this score," said Dr. Rutherford.
Dr. Rutherford said that he had received no information as to why the Canadian government will in future exclude people coming from Malta. "It is true that Malta is under British rule," he said, "but it is also true that even Englishmen must answer to Canada's immigration requirements

before they will be admitted. "Owing to labor conditions in Can-ada we have been instructed to enforce the exclusion laws to the letter. There is an increasing tide of immigration to Canada by way of New York, and I believe there will be a big rush this spring. Most of the aliens are now coming from southern Europe and we are sending a great many of them back. We are handpicking the immigrants for Canada now."

PAARDEBERG DAY

Twenty Years Ago Yesterday Cana-dians Captured Cronje's Stronghold.

It was just 20 years ago yesterday, Col. Cooper and Sergt.-Major McNa-Sunday, February 18, 1900, that Cana-mara. Sunday. February 18, 1900, that Canadian troops won undying fame for a gallant deed at the battle of Paardeberg, South Africa. Cronje, who had been forced back, had taken up a position in the bed of the Modder River, for what proved, partly thanks the Canadian troops his last stand. River, for what proved, partly thanks to the Canadian troops, his last stand. Lords Roberts and Kitchener had determined on a frontal attack and this was entrusted to the Royal Canadian was entrusted to the Royal Canadian Regiment of infantry, made up of men mills. Education takes 8 mills of the tax rate and administration of justice tax rate and administration of justice

The splendid performance can be best described by quoting the words of Lord Roberts, in his despatch to Lord Lansdowne, the then secretary of state for war. The commander-inchief wrote: "A most daring advance was made by the Royal Canadian Regiment and some Engineers, supported by the Gordon Highlanders and vance of the Canadians resulted in our gaining a point some 600 yards nearer the enemy, and within eight yards of their trenches. It was a gallant deed, worthy of our Canadian comrades."

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On February 21 it was officially announced that 18 Canadians had been killed and 61 wounded in this attempt under the direct command of Smith-Dorrien to rush Cronje's stronghold. The Boer commander was compelled on February 27 to surrender as a re-sult of the pressure brought upon his tion at Paardeberg by the Canadian troops.

In Caton Woodville's picture hang-

ing in the city hall is seen the figure of a bugler. It is Bugler Douglas of a bugler. It is Bugler Douglas Williams of Toronto, who was present at the battle of Paardeberg, just 20

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General Sir Sam Hughes is improving greatly in health at the Wellesley Hospital and is now up every day for a few hours in the sunroom.

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PREMIER PROMISES CITY CONSIDERATION

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Promising thoro consideration ong-standing demand for an adjustnent of sundry accounts between the city and province, Premier Drury yesterday told the board of control it is hardly to be expected this government can at once accomplish what its redecessors left so long unattended

Along with the board of control the following city members were present in Premier Drury's office: Thomas Crawford, Col. Price, John O'Neill,

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph King and Miss King are leaving next week for the south. General Garnet Hughes is on the way out from England to attend to some business for Mr. Grant Morden, who is laid up with influenza.

2 1-3 mills. Jails, hospitals and public health cost the city relatively more than its just quota, and all should be leveled up. Toronto should receive a share of the revenue from auto licenses. He suggested that a joint committee of the government and civic authority go into the details

Brass workers now affiliated with the International Association of Machinists are considering a new wage agreement, which calls for 1 oth better conditions and wages. The new agreement dian wheat growers, it is understood, interested to the extent of from increased wages. The new agreement dian wheat growers, it is understood, may be presented during the first half of next month.

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WILL INVESTIGATE PRICE OF SUGAR

Important Board of Commerce Meeting in Montreal on Friday.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 18 .- (By Canadian Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 18.—(By Canadian Press.)—The price of sugar will be discussed at an important public hearing of the board of commerce, which will take place in the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, on Friday morning, February 20, at half past 10 o'clock. The full board will be present at the hearing, which it is stated, is for the purpose of "considering the price of sugar and the claim made for an increase in price on account of the exchange situation and other increase in costs."

The importance of the meeting was emphasized at the offices of the board this afternoon, where it was stated that consumers, refiners, dealers and other interested persons should attend. No information was available as to whether direct application for an incease in the price of sugar from the refiners or dealers had been received at the board.

Grey and Simcoe Approach Premier on Road Question

The Victorian Order of Nurses, which held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon at the Gage Institute, has been doing wonderful work in the recent epidemic; the nurses paid 515 visits in two days. At the meeting Sir William Gage was in the chair and gave an address; his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor spoke, and also the Hon. Dr. Cody and Dr. Harley Smith. Among those present were: Hon. Justice Osler, Rev. Father Minehan, Lady Gage, Col. Fraser (in attendance on his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor), Mrs. Vincent Massey, Mrs. John A. Walker, Dr. Tovell, Mr. Harry Love, Mr. Alan Ross, Mr. A. R. Capreol, Mrs. Arthurs, Dr. Paul, Rev. T. Crawford Brown, Mrs. J. M. Godfrey, Drewell, Dr. Dobbie, Mr. Ambrose Kent, Miss Dickson, Miss Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph King and Miss King are leaving not the seem deputation from the counties of Grey and Simcoe yesterday, requesting that the present roads connecting Barrie, Owen Sound, Meadord and Collingwood be designated a provincial roadway. The substantial nature of the request means a larger grant from the government, and this would apply to the Owen Sound-Collingwood section, already designated a provincial roadway. Summer traffic is heavy, and the scenic attractions of the country bring many tourists in the summer months.

Mayor Gray and Reeve Say, of Meaford; Mayor Patters, of Owen Sound, and Reeve Brown, Collingwood, were in the deputation. Premier Drury and Lieut.-Col. Car-

Plays, Pictures and Music

spreatly in health at the Wellesley Hose pittal and is now up every day for a few hours in the sunroom.

The musicale in aid of the Rumanian Day Nursery at the residence of Mrs. D. E. Thomson, 57 Queen's Park, Feb. 10, realized the sum of \$185\$, which has been sent to Madame Pantazzi as a contributors drawing royalties from the musicable in the sum of \$185\$, which has been sent to Madame Pantazzi as a contribution toward the amount she is endeavoring to raise for this object.

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grounds, but owing to the great success of the undertaking and the consequently large attendance of the children's parents larger accommodation was found necessary. Hence recourse to the school itself.

BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA OPENS BRANCH.

Feets, a wealth of beautiful costumes round out the production.

"Soldiers of Fortune."

Alian Dwan's wonderful and spectacular photoplay production. "Soldiers of Fortune," featuring Norman Kerry and Anria Q. Nilsson, will be the feature attraction at the Regent Theatre next week. Take Buffalo Bill's world's congress of rough riders augmented by the dare devil riders of the 101 Ranch Wild West Show, add to this the men who make one's hair stand A new branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia has been established on Chapel street, Ottawa, to be known as the Chapel Street, Ottawa, Branch.

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