

"ANOTHER LITTLE PATCH OF RED"

Free State Annexed and Will Hereafter Be Called the Orange River State.

LORD ROBERTS AT JOHANNESBURG

The Commander-in-Chief Will Enter the Town To-Morrow—Rapidly of the British Advance Has Demoralized the Boers.

London, May 28.—Just before midnight the war office published the following dispatch from Lord Roberts: "Klip River, Transvaal, May 28.—5.25 p.m.—We marched twenty miles to-day and are now eighteen miles from Johannesburg. The enemy had prepared several positions where they intended to oppose us, but they abandoned one after another as we neared them. "We pressed them so hard that they had only just time to get their five guns into a train and to leave this station as some of the West Australian mounted infantry dashed into it. "French's and Ian Hamilton's forces are apparently engaged with the enemy about ten miles to our left, as firing has been heard since noon. "The farmers near our line of advance are surrendering with the arms and horses. "Runde occupied Senkel on May 24th. No report of what took place has reached me yet." "Whigham has just returned to Lorenzo Marquez from Pretoria, where he went disgraced. He wires that Kruger has all the

conduct of United States Consul Hay is admirably discreet and meets with universal praise alike from Boer and British sympathizers." "Another dispatch from Lorenzo Marquez says: "Gen. Louis Botha is at Pretoria, urging President Kruger to arrange peace terms. "Runaway Burgers from Laing's Nek passed through Heidelberg last week. Wounded officers with their families are leaving Johannesburg and Pretoria for Lydenburg. President Steyn occupies the house of a British resident at Pretoria." "KRUGER'S WARNING. Says It Might Become Necessary to Destroy Johannesburg and Mines. "London, May 29.—General Roberts is now within a day's march of Johannesburg and General French and General Ian Hamilton fought the Boers from noon until evening on Monday with what result is not known here. "The Morning Post has the following dispatch from Lorenzo Marquez, dated Monday: "President Kruger has issued a public proclamation, warning all people to leave Johannesburg or to remain there at the peril of their lives, as it might become necessary to destroy the town and the mines. Hundreds of Boers or wanderers for the relief association to United States Consul Hay, as well as £10,000 in cash." "The Times' Lorenzo Marquez correspondent telegraphing on Monday says: "Commandant Gen. Botha consulted the Transvaal government a few days ago, and in the strongest terms urged capitulation, recognizing that the struggle is utterly hopeless. Neither persuasion nor the liberal use of the sjambok can induce the men to stand. Steyn is equally emphatic for peace, but Kruger is still obstinate. The feeling of the Pretoria peace party, however, may at any moment carry the point. While the report of

A Possible Border Conflict between the Boer and the Portuguese are not credited here, the uneasiness of local officials continues. All sorts of sensational rumors are afloat. The latest is the hauling down of the Portuguese flag at the Portuguese consulate in Pretoria. The Boers are undoubtedly strengthening their commands on the border." "According to a special dispatch from Lorenzo Marquez there are nine hundred Boers on the Portuguese border. "The war office announces that no further enlistments in the reserve regiments will be accepted after June 1. "The Times publishes the following from Newcastle, dated Sunday: "Four hundred Boers are advancing towards Dundee. There is no fear of complications will be met." "THE BOER DELEGATES. Proposed Resolution of Sympathy—No Secret Understanding Between the States and Britain. "Washington, May 28.—In the course of a speech in favor of the adoption of a resolution expressing the Senate's sympathy for the Boers to-day, Mr. Wellington (Maryland) referred to a secret understanding existing between the United States and Great Britain. "When Mr. Lodge (Massachusetts) demanded proof that such an understanding existed, Mr. Wellington said that, in the circumstances, it was difficult to present tangible proof, but he believed the proof could be found in the secret archives of the state department. "Mr. Lodge replied that under the United States form of government no such understanding could exist, and as the secretary of state had emphatically denied the existence of any alliance or understanding, he believed the country would accept his statement as true. "Mr. Wellington declared that the United States government should give the Boer envoys a welcome, but this reception was being withheld by the government because of an understanding between this government and Great Britain. "Mr. Lodge—What proof has the Senator of a secret understanding between the United States and Great Britain? "Continuing, Mr. Wellington said: "I had not spoken with any desire to attack the administration, or with any view of offending the nation, but he had spoken

for the Boers and for their liberty. In closing he urged the adoption of the pending resolution. "Mr. Lodge said he listened in vain for any proof of an understanding, secret or otherwise, between this country and Great Britain. "Mr. Wellington replied that naturally there could be no tangible proof of such an understanding until the secret archives of the state department were opened, but he believed such an understanding existed. "Then it comes back simply to this," said Mr. Lodge, "the senator believes the secret understanding exists. The fact is there is no such understanding. Under our system of government it could not exist. The Secretary of State, an honorable and patriotic man, denies that a secret alliance or understanding exists. I understand, have been injured. "I shall summon the commandant in the morning and if, as I expect, there is no opposition, I propose to enter the town with all the troops at noon." "London, May 29.—The tenor of Lord Roberts's dispatch of last night and the news from Pretoria this morning, leads the authorities here to expect early further important news from the British commander-in-chief, dated, they hope, from Johannesburg. "The remarkable rapidity of Lord Roberts's movements and the unwonted mobility of the whole British army under him, have upset the calculations of the home observers as much as they appear to have disconcerted and demoralized Lord Roberts's Federal opponents. Possibly even now, he is at the gates of Johannesburg, and it is believed that ten days hence, or less, he ought to be in the Transvaal capital itself. "If the Federalists ever really intended to "stagger humanity" by blowing up the gold reef city and mines, which is doubtful, Roberts may yet be too quick for them and arrive before they have time to do any wrecking. "The majority of the burghers will undoubtedly be glad of an excuse for saving the mines, and they may find the excuse in Roberts's skill in hustling them out of one position after another. "The effectiveness of the British invasion of the Transvaal is emphasized by the news from Pretoria of the occupation of Zeerust and Lichtenburg. "Apparently the British drag net will be drawn through the Transvaal as it was

no intention of blowing up mines, declaring that the threat was made simply with the intention of frightening away the burghers. "The British advance force is within 15 miles of Johannesburg." "Zeerust Occupied. "Pretoria, May 28.—The British occupied Zeerust this morning and a large force is marching on Lichtenburg. "An official bulletin states that the British crossed the Vaal River on Saturday. Gen. Lemmer had a severe fight at Klip River. Five of the burghers were wounded, and two captured. The British were 5,000 strong. "By an order issued, the President decreed that May 27th and the two following days be observed by the whole country as days of prayer, humiliation and

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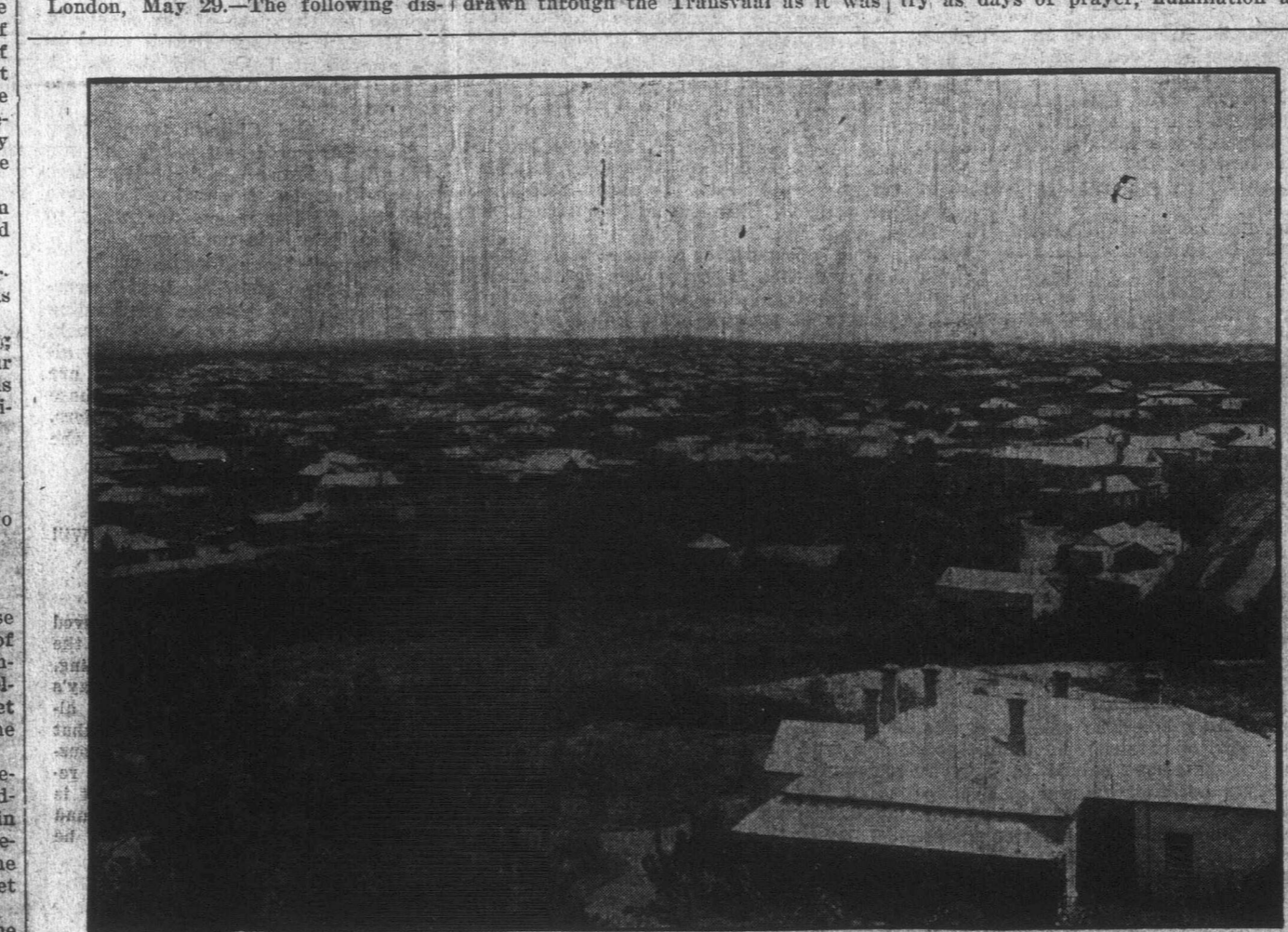


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Boers. The report says that three minutes after the engagement started Otter was wounded in the neck and Private Defoe, of "H" Co., killed. Subsequently Private Calver and Private Burns were wounded. Col. Otter remained with the regiment until the last. "Recruits for Strathcona's. "Toronto, May 29.—The Evening Telegram's London correspondent cables that Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal is much disappointed over the delay in sending the recruits for Strathcona's Horse from Capetown to the front. He has communicated with Lord Lansdowne, secretary of state for war. "SHELLING THE BOERS. "Newcastle, Natal, May 29.—The British guns at Ingogo have been heavily bombarding the Boer positions since daylight. "The Boer guns have replied intermittently. "London, May 30.—The forces under Lord Roberts is bivouacking in the suburbs of Johannesburg, and intends to make a victorious entry at noon to-day. Judging from Lord Roberts's dispatch he must have private information as to the disposition of the garrison in the fort, as he does not seem to expect opposition. "Roberts's cavalry has flowed on beyond Johannesburg. A portion is understood to be at Zuurfontein, seven miles north of Johannesburg, and within twenty miles of Pretoria. "Lord Roberts, although with a broken bridge at Vereeniging and a wrecked railway behind him, has somehow managed to get forward sufficient supplies for his large force. As he has been able to do so much it is considered possible he will be

Outside of Pretoria on Friday. The rapidity of his advance is thought an extraordinary achievement, even by grudging Continental critics. "The Boers, who expected to fight along the line of hills known as Klip Riverberg, abandoned the eastern end of the range, near Lord Roberts's advance line, but they stood their ground on the extreme right near Van Wyksrust, where they met Gen. French's turning movement. The fight continued all day, and the result is as yet mere conjecture. Probably the Boers' rear guard succeeded in keeping Gen. French off and is now in the hills northwest of Johannesburg. "The Standard has the following advice from Pretoria, under Monday's date: "The Transvaal government has opened, or is about to open, peace negotiations. It has called a final inquiry to its agents ahead, asking whether any hope exists of aid. "Without doubt the presence of Lord Roberts with 40,000 men at Johannesburg will hasten the Transvaal's decision. Dispatches from Lorenzo Marquez describe President Kruger as "wavering, but

Demanding a Guarantee that he shall not be exiled to St. Helena." "The fighting burghers still continue to desert, and the total collapse of the Boer military organization is not far off. "Benett Burleigh, wiring from Lord Roberts's headquarters at Vereeniging on Sunday, says: "I doubt if President Kruger can muster 15,000 men, as many of the burghers have gone to their homes." "The stancher Boers are sending their families with wagons and stores to the Zoutpansberg district. Whether Pretoria will be defended is uncertain, although a Pretoria message, dated Sunday, pictures the work of defending the capital as going on with "feverish activity." "Pretoria is situated in a wilderness of kopjes and ranges, and is provided with defences that will require at least 20,000 men to man them properly. There

May Be One Hard Nut for the British to crack. The last message out of Pretoria is the following, dated May 28th, and censored by the Boer government: "Kraus, acting as special commandant at Johannesburg, has issued a circular to the officials concerned, warning them of the necessity of controlling the foreign element in the town, and directing them to resist all attempts to destroy property or life, meeting force with force." "The Netherlands Railway Company yesterday notified the authorities at Lorenzo Marquez that they must decline to accept goods for delivery at Johannesburg. Johannesburg telegrams are still accepted, subject to stoppage at Pretoria. "SOUTH AFRICAN POLICY. Lord Salisbury's Important Statement—Independence of Republics Will Be a Thing of the Past. "London, May 29.—The Premier, Lord Salisbury, who was entertained at dinner to-night by the City of London Conservative Association, made an important announcement regarding the government's South African policy. "Lord Salisbury said: "The 'stop-the-war' party have used my name in support of their ideas, by stating that I promised there should be no annexation of territory or annexation of the gold-fields. I never gave the pledge. I never meant to give a pledge. (Loud cheers.) I stated a simple historical fact. We were accused of going to war for lust of gold and territory. It was one of these atrocious assumptions which, under the favoring influence of Dr. Layds, spread itself over the press of Europe. Nothing could be more untrue. We went to war

To Stop Oppression of the Queen's subjects in the Transvaal and because our remonstrances were met by an insulting ultimatum, to which, if the Queen's government had submitted, her power not only in South Africa, but

Ottawa, May 29.—The diary of Col. Otter, from 21st to 25th of April, has been received at the militia department. It was on the 25th that Col. Otter was wounded in an engagement with the

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REPORTED CAPTURE OF KRUGER

"Oom Paul" is Said to Have Been Taken Prisoner Six Miles From Pretoria.

THE OCCUPATION OF JOHANNESBURG

Fighting in the Streets at Germiston—Burgers Take Refuge in a Mine and Are Held by Grenadiers.

(Associated Press.)

London, May 31.—Lord Roberts reports that Johannesburg was occupied today by the British troops.

London, May 31.—Lord Roberts's latest dispatches shed a somewhat different light on the military situation. Before they were received celebrations were organized in the country towns in honor of the fall of Pretoria. In Chester a public holiday was declared, while at Dover, Portsmouth and many other places in the provinces, flags were flown and rejoicings were general.

Pretoria, however, is not just yet in the hands of the British, though there is no reason to doubt the authenticity of the report that the city has been captured. It is alleged that the municipality is ready to surrender when confronted by Lord Roberts's forces.

At 9 o'clock last night the final outward movement on the Transvaal capital had apparently not commenced.

All Lord Roberts's dispositions of troops appear to apply to Johannesburg, and though the British seem certain to reach Pretoria within a day or two, they will not occupy it without fighting, if the opposition of the Boers around Johannesburg is any criterion.

Gen. French's movements appear not so much an immediate advance on Pretoria as part of a plan to surround Johannesburg from which last night he was only a few miles distant.

Lord Roberts himself is at Elandstfontein, and his forces will be placed to the south, west and north of Johannesburg subsequent to the surrender of the city. These units will probably be reconcentrated while Gen. French advances from the advantageous position he already occupies. The main army converging towards the railroad following closely on his heels.

Suppose that Johannesburg surrenders at noon to-day.

Pretoria should be reached by June 2nd, opposition or no opposition. Gen. Brabant's loss of 40 men is striking evidence that annexation of the Free State by no means implies its pacification.

So thoroughly is the country here imbued with the belief that Pretoria has fallen that Mr. Jos. Chamberlain, speaking this morning at a meeting of the University of Birmingham, proposed a message to the Queen congratulating her upon the capitulation of Johannesburg and Pretoria, which was sent to the afternoon papers.

London, May 31.—The Evening News of this city has received a dispatch from Pretoria to the effect that Johannesburg has been handed over to the British.

ROBERTS'S DISPATCH.

London, May 31.—The following dispatch from Lord Roberts, the British commander-in-chief in South Africa, has been received at the war office here:

"Johannesburg, May 31.—2 p.m.—Her Majesty's forces are now in possession of Johannesburg and the British flag floats over the government buildings."

IS KRUGER A PRISONER?

London, May 31.—The Westminster Gazette says it is rumored here that President Kruger had been captured by the British six miles beyond Pretoria.

OUTSIDE JOHANNESBURG.

London, May 31.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts under the date of Germiston, May 30th:

"In answer to a flag of truce I sent to Johannesburg this morning the commandant came to see me. He begged me to defer entering the town for 24 hours as there were many armed burghers inside still."

"I agreed to this, as I am most anxious to avert the possibility of anything like a disturbance inside the town, and the hills in the neighborhood from which they will have to be cleared off beforehand."

DRIVING OFF THE BOERS.

London, May 31.—The war office has received from Roberts a dispatch dated Germiston, May 30th, saying:

"The brunt of the fighting yesterday fell upon Ian Hamilton's column. I have sent him, as already mentioned, work around to the west of Johannesburg in support of French's cavalry, which was directed to go North near the road leading to Pretoria."

"I had not heard from French yet, but Hamilton, in a report which has just reached me, states that at about 1 o'clock in the afternoon he found his way blocked by the enemy strongly posted on some kopjes and ridges three miles south of the Rand. They had two heavy guns and several field guns and pom-poms."

"Hamilton forthwith attacked. The right was led by the Gordons, who, after capturing one extremity of the ridge, whirled around and worked along it until after dark, clearing it of the enemy, who fought most obstinately."

"The One Hundred and Fourth led on the other flank and would not be denied, but the chief share in the action, as in the casualties, fell to the Gordons, whose gallant advance excited the admiration of all."

"Hamilton is now at Florida, due west of Johannesburg, and French is a few miles further northeast. The Gordons, the cavalry, the mounted infantry and the 7th division are holding the heights of the town. The 11th division with batteries of the Royal Artillery are to the south of Johannesburg."

"Hamilton speaks in the highest terms of praise of the manner in which Bruce Hamilton and Col. Spence, of the Shropshire Light Infantry, handled their men, under Smith Dorrien's direction."

FIGHTING AT GERMISTON.

Germiston, Transvaal, May 30.—Johannesburg is practically a British possession. The mines are unharmed. Nine engines, a coal train and a great quantity of rolling stock was captured.

Remnants of the Boer rear guard remained behind and fought in the streets of Germiston, but they were easily cleared by the Grenadiers.

The troops have not yet occupied Johannesburg. Gen. French is now at Landlaagte. The Guards hold Elandstfontein and Germiston.

SURROUNDED BY GUARDS.

London, May 31.—A special dispatch from Germiston, a suburb of Johannesburg, occupied by Roberts, says several hundred Boers have sought refuge in a mine, where the British Grenadiers have cornered them and barred all escape.

HEIDELBERG OCCUPIED.

Capetown, May 31.—The British have occupied Heidelberg on the railroad connecting Johannesburg with the Transvaal frontier town of Volksrust, on the Natal frontier near Laing's Nek.

Celebration at Vancouver.

Vancouver, May 31.—Vancouver fairly went wild at midnight when the news of the entry to Pretoria came in. At 1 o'clock there was a crowd of a thousand people on the streets, marching behind the battalion band. A great bonfire was made in front of the court house and Mayor Garden and other prominent citizens delivered orations to a crowd that kept up an enthusiastic cheering all the time.

About 2 o'clock messengers were sent to the consulates, and from the second story windows of each official residence in the city the crowd listened to congratulatory speeches from the representatives of the different powers.

By 5 o'clock most of the more staid class of the citizens were going home, while others kept up the procession until late in the forenoon.

The schools are closed to-day, and the battalion is ordered out on special parade this evening.

Nanaimo, May 31.—Business places and mines all closed at 1 o'clock to-day.

and the people are enthusiastic in celebrating the British success. The band and Boys' Brigade will turn out this evening and march at the head of a torchlight procession. The festivities will close with the burning of Kruger's effigy.

At Ottawa, Ottawa, May 31.—The demonstration which commenced here at midnight on the receipt of the news that Pretoria had surrendered, has been kept up at intervals ever since, and arrangements are now in progress for a still further and more formal manifestation of the people's joy over what means the successful termination of the war in South Africa.

Mayor Payment has issued a proclamation declining to-morrow afternoon to be a half holiday, and calling upon all citizens to partake in the demonstration to celebrate the capture of Pretoria and the success of British arms.

This forenoon the public school cadets walked through the streets, headed by their bugle band, and the whole city was gay with flags and bunting.

Toronto's Holiday. Toronto, May 31.—The reported surrender of Pretoria as announced in the Associated Press dispatches last night were received here and other parts of Ontario with the wildest kind of enthusiasm, citizens yelling, singing the National Anthem, mounting the tops of street cars to set off fireworks, etc.

At Owen Sound the whistles of locomotives were let loose to awaken the citizens. To-day has been declared a civic holiday here by Mayor Macdonald in honor of the event.

Prize for Col. Girouard. Toronto, May 30.—The Evening Telegram's London correspondent cables to-day that Julian Ralph, in a letter to the Daily Mail, speaks in high terms of Col. Girouard, of the Supreme Court, who is in charge of South African railways.

Sir Hibbert and Yukon

He Makes Further Charges Against Major Walsh in the House To-day.

Commission to Be Announced on Monday—Closing Canadian Pavilions.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, May 31.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated in the House to-day that he would give the names and scope of the commission to investigate electoral corruption on Monday next. The matter was so important that he wanted the Minister of Justice to look over the commission before it was issued, and Hon. David Mills was in the principal building after the closing of the Parliament.

Sir Hibbert Tupper, on the motion to go into supply, proceeded to deal with the Yukon. He accused Major Walsh of plotting the Yukon and having taken Indians with him going into grub staking claims along with him.

Hon. S. Fisher told Mr. Chamberlain that the Canadian and Colonial pavilions at the Paris exposition would be closed on Sunday. There would be some Canadian exhibits mixed with others in the main building which could not be closed, but Hon. S. F. Tupper secured the closing of the principal buildings after some difficulty.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

Hon. J. Stuart Yates returned at noon to-day from Nanaimo, there being no minister in town this forenoon. He was in the Coal City arranging for the fight in which he is personally interested there.

To-morrow evening, Geo. Sangster, the government candidate for South Victoria, will hold a meeting at Cedar Hill. A. Godfrey, formerly of Vancouver, was nominated at a convention held at Atlin on May 19th, as an opposition candidate in Cassiar.

All the political meetings announced for to-night are off owing to the patriotic demonstration.

Hon. J. Stuart Yates will be one of the speakers at the McKinnell meeting on Saturday evening in Nanaimo and Hon. Mr. Yates and Premier Martin will address the electors of that city on Wednesday evening next in the opera house.

ROYAL WEDDING IN JAPAN.

Yokohama, May 3, via San Francisco, May 30.—The event of the week observed with great rejoicing throughout the Empire has been the royal wedding celebrated at the capital on the 15th. The ceremony itself, to which great significance is attached as being a complete innovation upon the usual Imperial customs, took place in the Imperial sanctuary at the palace. Clothed in old-time ceremonial robes, the Prince led the grand master of ceremonies and followed by a chamberlain bearing the sacred sword, the Princess, conducted by a master of ceremonies and supported by two maids of honor, approached the Imperial shrines and made together an offering of evergreen branches. The Prince recited the marriage ritual and then partook of the sacred sake. At this moment the 13 great warships, anchored in the bay, fired the Imperial salute of 101 guns.

Among the may honors bestowed on the occasion of the Imperial wedding is the decoration of the peerage of Kaneko, who recently has the honor of being the first Japanese to receive the degree of LL. D. from Harvard University. He will now be known as Baron Kaneko. Another is that bestowed on the eminent educator, Mr. Takuyama. His wish to remain a commoner was respected by the Emperor. In lieu of a peerage the Emperor bestowed upon him a gift of 50,000 yen.

L. Didheim, of Revelstoke, is at the Delard.

Kruger's Fall Celebrated

Victorians Again Honor the Triumph of British Arms in Africa.

A Midnight Demonstration—The Programme for This Afternoon and Evening.

Those who believed that the demonstrations in honor of the capture of Cronje, the relief of Kimberley, Ladysmith and Mafeking, and the sustained celebration of the Queen's Birthday, had exhausted the patriotic resources of Victoria's citizens, must have been undeceived last night when the news was flashed over the wires that Pretoria had fallen, that Kruger had fled, and that the war was practically over. The news reached the city about half-past eleven, but it was held an hour later before it was credited. The fire songs, to which the public has learned to look for the official notification of the receipt of good news from the front, again poured forth their welcome. "Intelligence" and "The Streets" were quickly filled by citizens roused from their first sleep to celebrate another national triumph.

The demonstration which followed is best described by saying that the scenes of an enthusiasm which were displayed on Ladysmith day and when Cronje was captured were faithfully repeated. Packing cases and debris from the Chinese shacks destroyed yesterday afternoon were soon blazing merrily in bonfires on the streets, while fire crackers and bombs, the playing of bands, and the singing and cheering of the multitudes which thronged the streets made up a scene which will be memorable in the history of the city of Victoria.

The bands of the city strolled one after another in their efforts to swell the popular acclaim. An impromptu programme was first provided by a scratch aggregation, whose efforts to voice the general enthusiasm were highly appreciated. Following close on these, however, came the Victoria city band, which turned out in full uniform and almost full strength very shortly after the receipt of the glad tidings. Then the Fifth Regiment band, which has become an indispensable feature of these national celebrations, followed, and after serenading the newspaper offices, played in front of the United States consulate, whither Hon. A. Smith had bid them come when Pretoria fell.

Behind each of these organizations marched a motley throng of citizens, some in uniform, the majority in civvies, but all animated by a common desire to mark their delight in the achievements of British arms.

Discarded arches, banners and every kind of instrument, no matter how rude, which would contribute to the clamor, was pressed into service, and the result was an uproar which, if not altogether harmonious, was sincerely patriotic and enthusiastic.

As usual the boys from the navy appeared among the most mirth provoking features in the demonstration. Even Jack's capacity proved unequal in a number of instances, to the great strain upon him, and he either succumbed in a heap on the pavement, or rolled about the streets as though on his accustomed decks with a mountain high sea running. Some of them climbed to the very extremity of the lofty telephone poles, the operation evidently giving them no concern, though very trying to the nerves of the onlookers. Others improvised a bar on the curb, and here drank to the health of the "Widow," "Bobs" and all the other leaders at the front.

Occasionally a bit of horse play varied the proceedings. While dodging the "cops" about one of the bonfires, one of their number shouted "three cheers for the Queen." A sportive comrade responded "three cheers for Kruger." "Eh! what's that Bill," responded the other, and his right landed on his companion's jaw with a sledge like impact that cleft the cheek of the other. The little incident did not interrupt the fraternal feeling of the men, however, as they rolled away arm in arm.

A number of young ladies, not to be out done in enthusiasm by their brothers and sweethearts, paraded the streets and sang "Soldiers of the Queen" and other national airs.

The general rejoicing was confined until about 3 o'clock, when the populace temporarily suspended its demonstrations and retired to rest, although the boom of a crack occasionally through the night showed that some enthusiasts were prolonging the celebration till the dawn.

With daylight came further particulars indicating that the war office had no notification of the formal occupation of the city. So confident, however, were the public that they refused to be cheated out of their celebration and the decoration of the streets and business houses went merrily on. Later in the day, when the rumor of Kruger's capture and of the occupation of Johannesburg was announced, a fresh impetus was given to the preparations for general rejoicing.

Sharply at noon the barking of big guns at Esquimalt marked the participation of the naval forces in the general rejoicing. Thursday being general leave day a large body of men were soon in the streets of the city contributing in their own effectual way to the festivities.

A half holiday was given in the navy yard, and over the inner harbor Col. McKart dismissed all parades for the day of "A" Co. B. C. R. C.

Among the officers of the Imperial forces, perhaps none took greater satisfaction out of the news than Lieut. French, R.E., who only last week joined the garrison in Victoria. Lieut. French is a son of that dashing cavalry officer who has been one of the first figures in the present war, and has established in the present campaign his right to be classed as perhaps the most successful cavalry officer in the British army to-day.

French, when on his way to Esquimalt last week, had an interesting experience. The relief of Mafeking occurred while en route here and the young officer was dragged from his berth to celebrate what was believed at that time to be another achievement of his illustrious sire. Lieut. Pilcher, of the navy, who is a nephew of Col. Pilcher, also took a more than ordinary interest in the latest development of the campaign.

The patriotic committee met this forenoon and decided to organize the patriotic forces, which up to that time had lacked intelligent direction, for both the afternoon and the evening. After some discussion the following programme of events was decided upon:

Afternoon Proceedings.
1. Assemblage of citizens at Beacon Hill park at 3 p. m.
2. Singing of patriotic songs by the children of the public schools.
3. Band music suitable to the occasion.
4. The hoisting of the national ensign at 4 p. m., followed by a salute of field guns.
5. Bicycle parade. Prizes given for the decorated bicycles.

Evening Proceedings.
1. Grand illumination of the city.
2. Immense bonfire on James Bay flats.
3. Setting off fireworks and electric lighting of Government street, which will be closed to traffic.
4. Montserratian exhibition at Bank of Montreal building.
5. Illuminated bicycle parade.
6. Band music in different parts of the city.

Hitt Bros., the contractors for the civic fireworks on the evening of May 27th, have signified their intention of setting off a number of the same, which were designed for the celebration, but which could not be set off owing to the wind. These will be provided free by Hitt Bros. and will be discharged at 9:15 or 9:30 p. m. at Beacon Hill.

The employees at the City Hall, at the Legislature, and at the customs were given a half holiday in honor of the event. At the schools the children dispersed after singing the National Anthem and other patriotic songs.

The decorations of the city are a part with those employed on Ladysmith Day. All the business houses, the City Hall, the police quarters, the fire department, etc., have been neatly adorned in honor of the occasion. The J.B.A.A. will again illuminate their club house to-night, and H. Dallas Helmecken will illuminate his grounds and set off fireworks. Indeed, the celebration to-night promises to eclipse anything yet seen in the city in the way of patriotic demonstrations, which, in view of the recent achievements of Victoria in that respect, is saying much.

The Mayor this afternoon dispatched the following telegram to Lord Minto: To His Excellency the Governor-General, Ottawa: Citizens of Victoria, B. C., celebrate with unrestrained delight the surrender of Pretoria, and desire to extend to Her Majesty their profound congratulations upon the success of British arms in South Africa. CHAS. HAYWARD, Mayor.

Disputed Road Gazetted

Craigflower Road Declared to Be a Public Highway by the Government.

Drs. Hall and Nash, of This City, Appointed Dental Examiners.

The opponents of the closing of Craigflower road, which thoroughfare has been in dispute for a long time, have at last won their case. The Official Gazette, which issues to-night, will contain the formal notice by the government of the taking over of the road for public traffic. The announcement is as follows:

"Notice is given that all lands which are the property of the Crown, and situated within the following boundaries, are hereby declared and set apart as a highway for the use and enjoyment of the public, viz.: Commencing at the junction of the centre line of the Craigflower road with the northern limit of the Victoria and Esquimalt road; thence in a northerly direction following the centre line of the existing carriage way on the Craigflower road to the municipal boundary of Victoria City, and having a width of 33 feet on each side of said line."

The following companies are incorporated: Imperial Automatic Vending Machine Co., of Victoria; capital, \$250,000. Atlin Transportation Company of Victoria; capital, \$20,000. Bear Creek Mining Co. of Rossland; capital, \$1,500,000. Valparaiso Gold Mining Co. of Kaslo; capital, \$100,000.

The following extra provincial companies are registered: Gibbald Island Copper Co. of Fairhaven, Wash.; capital, \$100,000; local office Victoria, with G. A. Kelly attorney. Answorth Mining & Smelting Co. of Seattle; capital, \$1,000,000; local office Answorth; J. W. Smith attorney. Chapleau Consolidated Mining Co. of England; capital, \$75,000; local office Nelson; agent, John M. Williams.

In accordance with the request of the Department of Indian Affairs a strip of land on the long arm of the strait, wide in the district of New Westminster, and formerly used by the Indians for camping purposes, has been added to the Musqueam and Langley Indian reserves on township 38.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:

To be justices of the peace within and for the counties of Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver, Westminster, Yale, Cariboo and Kootenay: Richard Strong Sargent and Edward Courtney Stephenson, of Hazelton. George Henry Bailey, of Kitimat. The Rev. James B. McCullagh, of Alvanah, Nias River.

Edward Bullock Webster, of Fairview. Geo. Herbert Thompson, of Vancouver, to be a notary public for the Mainland of British Columbia.

Donald C. Kurtz, of Kaslo, deputy mining recorder, to be acting assessor and collector, acting collector of revenue tax and acting registrar of the County Court of aootenay, holden at Kaslo, vice John Keen, resigned.

Alexander D. McIntyre, of Kamloops, to be official administrator for the county of Yale, and judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal, for the North and West Ridings of the Yale electoral districts, vice F. J. Fulton, resigned.

Thomas McNaught, of Golden, to be returning officer for the North Riding of the East Kootenay electoral district, vice C. E. Hamilton.

Lewis Hall, D.D.S., and Richard Nash, D.D.S., of the city of Victoria, to be members of the board of dental examiners for the province of British Columbia, vice A. C. West and W. J. Curry, resigned.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be district registrars of the registry of the Supreme Court set opposite their respective names, namely: James Ferguson Armstrong, Port Steele registry. Donald C. Kurtz, Kaslo registry. Henry Noble Coursier, Revelstoke registry.

Such appointments to take effect on the 25th day of June, 1900.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of Mr. Thomas Kingsburg McQueen, of Ymir, of the office of justice of the peace.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to establish at the town of Port Steele a registry of the Supreme Court, to be known as the Port Steele registry. Such registry to be established on the 25th day of June, 1900. Similar offices have been established at Kaslo and Revelstoke.

HALF GRAY WITH PILES.

Mr. Isaac Foster, Esq. View, Norfolk Co., Ontario, writes: "I was troubled with itching piles for about two years and could not sleep at night. In fact I was half crazy from the terrible itching. Reading about Dr. Chase's Ointment I purchased a box. After the second application I experienced relief, and one box cured me thoroughly and permanently, and that was two years ago. Dr. Chase's Ointment of cents a box, all dealers."

Large views, high hopes, and unselfish aims dissipate a whole army of petty trials, annoyances, and irritations, and even greatly reduce real anxieties and sorrows.

A Manila dispatch says Major Macks Van, of the 22d regiment, has arrived at Aparri from Benguet, after the hardest of mountain travelling. The men were exhausted and ragged, having followed persistently on the supposed Aguinado trail. They had several encounters with the rebels, but found no signs of Aguinado.

Dr. Chase's Cotton Root Compound is successfully used monthly by over 100,000 persons. It is a powerful purgative, and is the best for all cases of constipation. It is made of pure cotton root, and is entirely free from any dangerous or poisonous ingredients. It is sold in 10 cent boxes, 25 cent boxes, 50 cent boxes, and 1 dollar boxes. It is the best for all cases of constipation, and is sold in all drug stores and by mail.

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EXPLANATORY.

It is a standing joke in newspaperdom that the men in charge of the destinies of the press do not understand their business—the man in the street knows it all. For the information of a few people in Victoria who seem to think they have absorbed all the wisdom that has come floating down the ages since the days of Solomon...

would have been likely to carry the country, does not that prove that the better course for His Honor to have pursued would have been to accept the advice of his responsible advisers that they had a majority of the representatives of the people behind them...

favor of British goods because it gives something for nothing, although it has been repeatedly shown that we not only benefit from the protection of the army and navy and the advice of the trained diplomats of Great Britain...

ECLIPSE OF THE SUN.

At London Observers Obtained Excellent Results—New Yorkers Disappointed. London, May 28.—The conditions in London for observations of the sun's eclipse were fair. The day was somewhat cloudy, but at 2.47 p.m. the sun shone out brightly...

TAXING WHEAT.

The suggestion thrown out by Mr. T. B. Hall through the columns of the Colonist that it would be a good thing for the Empire if Great Britain were to impose a tax on all wheat arriving in her ports...

THE GOVERNOR'S COURSE.

The Premier and his friends claim that the Lieut.-Governor had no choice but to send Mr. Martin on the dismissal of the Semlin ministry. They say he was the only man available...

Sir Charles Objects

To Statements Made by New York Correspondent of the London Times.

Premier Thinks Tupper is Trying to Divert Attention From Dissensions in Tory Ranks.

Ottawa, May 29.—In the House to-day Sir Charles Tupper read a dispatch from Smalley, New York correspondent of the London Times, to his paper in which he said that after paying a visit to Ottawa he could testify to the loyalty of Canadians...

CHICAGO LABOR TROUBLES.

Contractors Are Willing to Meet the Local Unions. Chicago, May 29.—The contractors are willing to meet the local unions, but not representatives of the National Building Trades Council...

ELECTION COMMISSION.

A. B. Aylesworth, of Toronto, Will Probably Represent the Crown. Ottawa, May 30.—It is probable that A. B. Aylesworth, Toronto, will be appointed by the government to represent the Crown in the cases that may arise before the commission...

A THREATENING LETTER.

Niagara Falls, Ont., May 29.—For giving evidence in criminalizing the dynamiters at Welland last week, George A. Dolphin, proprietor of the Dolphin house, Niagara Falls, N. Y., has received a letter threatening him with the fate of Cronin.

CHARGED WITH LIBEL.

London, May 29.—At the Marlborough street police court to-day Sir Robert Peel was committed for trial at the Old Bailey on a charge of libelling Mr. Daniel Vonderheydt, one of the trustees of the Peel estates.

DESTRUCTIVE BLAZE.

Fort Worth, Tex., May 29.—Fire has destroyed the buildings occupied by the Nash Hardware Co., Goldstein & Co.'s gent's furnishings, and Edwards' wholesale bakery. The loss is \$100,000.

MRS. GLADSTONE'S ILLNESS.

London, May 29.—It was said this morning that Mrs. Gladstone is growing weaker. Her right side is paralyzed.

REBEL LEADER CAPTURED.

Caracas, Venezuela, May 29.—Gen. Jose M. Hernandez, the revolutionary leader, has been captured by government troops. The revolution is now considered ended.

IRISH EX-CONVICTS.

New York, May 29.—The re-hearing of the case of James Fitzharris and Joseph Mullet, the two Irish ex-convicts, commenced to-day.

MOUNTED INFANTRY.

Ottawa, May 28.—The Militia Department has received a letter from Lord Lansdowne, Secretary of State for War, regarding the suggestion of a gentleman of the Northwest Territories...

FRENCH CABINET CHANGES.

Paris, May 30.—The news of the changed cabinet became known at too late an hour last evening to allow the morning papers to comment upon it. Most of them merely announced the fact...

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Russia And China Designs Circumvented. It is Believed That Russia Will Land a Force of Soldiers at Taku. The "Boxer" Movement to Expel Everything Foreign-Chinese Prepare For War.

Vigilance of Authorities Discouraged Fenian Machinations During Celebration. The feeling of unrest which has been excited in Eastern Canada by the recent attempt to destroy a portion of the Welland canal has been duplicated in a modified form here through the persistent attempts which have been made for several months past to accomplish the destruction of portions of the Imperial fortifications at Esquimaux...

Marines Landed. Shanghai, May 29.—The Russian minister at Peking has telegraphed asking that all the available gunboats be sent to Taku. Tien Tsin, May 29.—A hundred American marines from the United States cruiser Newark are expected here at 11 o'clock tonight.

THREE MEN SHOT. St. Louis, May 28.—As the result of an encounter last night between the striking and working employees of the transit system, three men were shot, one being fatally and the others seriously wounded. Accounts of the affair differ, some bystanders claiming that it was a deliberate attempt at assassination on the part of the company's new employees...

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Local Militia Will Not Visit Seattle This Summer—Dwelling House Destroyed. Vancouver, May 30.—Fire destroyed H. Pospisil's residence, Cordova street east, this morning. The loss is \$2,000. No Vancouver militia companies will visit Seattle for the Fourth of July celebration this year. It is understood that instructions have been received by Col. Worcester from Ottawa that the authorities there have decided not to allow any armed forces to enter the States...

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CHASING MURDERERS.

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Dated this 17th day of May 1900. B. WILLIAMS.

WANTED—We will pay \$12.00 a week salary to attract a man or woman to represent the Midland Monthly Magazine as a subscription collector. The Midland is the annual since Mr. C. H. Jones of the Vancouverian. It is now in its sixth year and is the only Magazine of this kind published in the great Central West. A handsome premium given to each subscriber. Send 10 cents for a copy of the Midland and premium list to the Trembleth Centur, Publishing Co., St. Louis, Mo.

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Situate in the Victoria Mining Division of B. C. I have located in Section 17, Township 12 North, Range 10 East, Goldstream District, Vancouver Island, Free Mine & Certificate No. 2885 B. In-vented, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply for the Mine & Certificate for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims. And further take notice that application under Section 17 must be commenced before the expiration of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 17th day of May 1900. B. WILLIAMS.

WANTED—We will pay \$12.00 a week salary to attract a man or woman to represent the Midland Monthly Magazine as a subscription collector. The Midland is the annual since Mr. C. H. Jones of the Vancouverian. It is now in its sixth year and is the only Magazine of this kind published in the great Central West. A handsome premium given to each subscriber. Send 10 cents for a copy of the Midland and premium list to the Trembleth Centur, Publishing Co., St. Louis, Mo.

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SAILOR FATALLY INJURED. (Special to the Times.) Vancouver, May 29.—Thomas Johnson, seaman, of the steamship Aronah, was fatally injured this afternoon by falling from the steamer's deck on to a log guard thirty feet below.

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WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT.

Metereological Office, Victoria, B.C., 23rd to 29th May, 1900. Like the preceding week, the greater portion of this one was unsettled and showery throughout the province.

Local News.

CLEANINGS OF CITY AND PROVISIONS OF A CONDENSED MEAL. (From Tuesday's Daily.) The totals of the Victoria Clearing House for the week ending May 29th were \$508,147, balances \$117,896.

defendant pending the appeal on her paying the costs of the suit to plaintiff's solicitors. An undertaking will be given to pay back the costs in case the Full Court allows the appeal. The funeral of the late Mrs. Appleby took place this afternoon from the B. C. Furnishing Co.'s parlors, and later from Christ Church cathedral.

excellent property in Duncan's vicinity is the Queen Bee, which has been successfully worked by a Vancouver syndicate. Mr. Smith's paper, the Duncan Enterprise, is interested in politics, although it favors Mr. Dickie. The fire returns for May show a very light month, there being only three alarms. In the early portion of the month the department was called out by a false alarm from box 23, on the corner of Fort and Government streets.

Cristo received their cargo and passengers on board, proceeding with the same up to the head of navigation. Such was the news brought from Hazelton, which reached Victoria from northern British Columbia ports this morning, after calling at Vancouver yesterday. The steamer had landed the major number of her passengers at Vancouver, but among those who came from Hazelton, these were Mrs. Field and Miss. Ina; missionaries, who are going to the Old Country. Mrs. Rood was also a passenger for Victoria.

Sporting News

BASEBALL. A MATCH IN PROSPECT. Negotiations are pending between Manager Smith, of the Nanaimo baseball club, and the Amities, of Victoria, for the latter team to visit the Coal City and play a match there on June 9th. The Nanaimo club, it is understood, has a splendid team, including the new battery, O'Connor and Spang. An effort will be made on the part of the Amity club to hold a meeting to-morrow evening to discuss the matter.

Tom swung his right to the ribs, receiving a hard left to Tommy's nose. McCoy put Round 6—Both sparred cautiously for an instant. Ryan tried a left hook, but McCoy was inside with his left on Tommy's nose. In a mix-up Ryan landed twice, again rushing and landed a terrific right on the "Kid," sending him to the floor. He rose instantly, apparently unharmed, but rushed the "Kid" around the ring and finally getting McCoy to his own corner hooked a right to the "Kid's" ear, but he missed. A terrific left which straightened up Ryan kept on rushing, swinging left and right, but not landing once in four times. The "Kid" blocked cleverly, Ryan put a hard right to the "Kid's" jaw and a left to Tommy's nose.

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Discussing The Issues

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Turning to the railway policy of the Premier, the speaker said that it was called the Victoria-Kootenay road in order to catch the "soft" people of Victoria...

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gold fields, the coal fields, and he supposed the farms as well.

The speaker gave a history of the discovery of the coal fields and Crown's Nest by Col. Baker and the Fernies, and of its being crown granted under the four corners of the statutes.

A reservation of five cents a ton had been made on the output, and to-day they were paying a revenue of \$25,000.

Where was the line to be drawn? Was the government to own the coal mines and the galena-mines? Why not own the whole country and have the people serfs to the government?

Mr. Sangster said he subscribed to the government's policy but might not support Mr. Martin. Such an attitude was nonsensical, because if Mr. Martin, who was the Governor's choice, was turned down another appeal to the country would be necessary.

Mr. McMillan had said Mr. Martin was strong that he was bringing Mr. Dunsmuir to his knees. Had they seen Mr. Martin attack Mr. Dunsmuir? On the contrary, Mr. Martin had voted against the Coal Mines Regulation Act amendment.

He ridiculed the contention of Mr. McMillan that it was a good thing to exclude big English companies from the mines, citing the boon the operations of these big syndicates had been to the Rossland district.

The meeting broke up about 1 o'clock with cheers for the chairman, the candidates and the Queen.

Eight o'clock found a fair sprinkling of political seekers after truth in the vicinity of Odafello's hall, Spring Ridge, last night, and by half-past eight quite a large audience had gathered.

Ex-Alderman Macgregor took the chair and was accompanied on the platform by Alderman Beckwith and Mr. J. G. Brown.

The chairman stated that the reason they held their meeting in a toll-free hall was that they were determined to secure the Odafello's hall they were told that the opposition had rented it for the entire term, and they could not have it at any price.

Alderman Beckwith wished at the outset to correct a report which appeared in the press that he said at a meeting the other night that the Coast Kootenay railway could be built throughout for \$100,000 per mile.

He then went on to review the dying years of the Turner government and asked: "What have they ever done for Victoria?"

Mr. McMillan closed with a reference to the Cassiar Central grant, which he denounced.

Some questions from the audience followed, in which the speaker's loyalty was impugned, and Mr. McMillan came forward to say that such charges were his friends'.

Mr. Eberts—Well, you never get in a grin. He comes here apologizing for his workman's dress, and yet he has 45 pages of notes. He is a workman who goes about looking for work, and praying to God he can't find it.

Mr. Eberts—Where? Mr. Eberts—in North Saanich.

Mr. Eberts—With Chinamen? Mr. Eberts—No, what white men.

Mr. Eberts—No, what white men. He said the O. & V. Railway Company had received alternate grants of land as a subsidy. But that company had consented to an arrangement to give back those lands to the government at 15 cents an acre, but what offer had been accepted. In those land grants there was a reservation of all arable lands for the farmer, yet not 1,000 acres had been taken up. The mineral, too, was reserved for the miner, and he did not know what the company got for its benefits.

Mr. Martin. He, the speaker, could say that Mr. Martin was a man who never went back on his word.

Alderman Bryden was next called upon to come out of the darkness, and in a few words alluded to the great extravagance that had gone on for years.

Mr. Johnson followed, and said he looked at the government platform of to-day from the standpoint of a working man, and asked his audience what claim had the opposition candidates upon the working classes of this city?

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SANDS—At Kaslo, B.C., on Tuesday, 22nd Inst., the wife of Harold P. Sands, formerly of Vancouver, of a son.

MARRIED. TINGLET-HALL—At 150-Mile House, on May 17th, by Rev. Mr. Brunton, Charles H. Tinglet and Miss Elizabeth Hall.

BERGLUND-JOHNSON—At New Westminster, on May 26th, Charles John Berglund and Miss Josephine Johnson.

WATSON-MURRAY—At New Westminster, on May 22nd, by Rev. A. E. Veit, John Watson and Miss Margie L. Murray.

DIED. WOODWARD—At 626 Westminister Ave., Vancouver, on May 24th, 1900, John Nathan Woodward, aged 23, son of Charles Woodward.

WALKER—At Lillooet, B.C., on May 22nd, Thomas Walker, a native of Scotland, Ont., aged 23 years.

MEDLICOTT—At Kamloops, on May 22nd, Samuel Medlicott, of Barkerville.

YACHON—At New Westminster, on May 24th, Napoleon Yachon, a native of the province of Quebec, aged 42 years and 3 months.

PARNELL—At Vancouver, on May 26th, John Parnell.

HICKS—At Mount Pleasant, Vancouver, on May 28th, William Hicks, aged 16 years.

LLEWELLYN—At Vancouver, on May 19th, R. Llewellyn, aged 50 years.

MACNAMARA—At New Westminster, on May 19th, James Macnamara.

MORRISON—Langley, on May 23rd, Kenneth Morrison.

SHEPPARD—On the 20th inst., at Jubilee Hospital, Charles James, the only son of ex-Chief and Mrs. Sheppard, aged 17 years 11 months and 8 days.

FRITTE—At New Denver, on May 18th, A. S. Fritte, aged 29 years.

KINNEY—At Nicola Lake, on May 17th, W. T. Kinney, aged 46 years.

RAYMOND—In this city, on the 22nd Inst., Martha Elizabeth, only child of John and Sarah Elizabeth Raymond, aged 4 years and 2 months.

GOODFELLOW—At 842 Burrard street, Vancouver, on Tuesday, May 22nd, Margaret Goodfellow, of Kamloops, niece of Mr. John Goodfellow.

CHARLES—At Nelson, on May 28th, Robert Charles, aged 10 years.

SEBELIG—At the family residence, No. 255 Fort street, on the 24th inst., Gabriel H. Sebelig, a native of New York, aged 43 years.

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