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## Which is Said to be From 5000 to 6000 Strong, But It May be Merely a Corps of Observation.

Military Men Think Lord Roberts Must Wait For Days to Get His Transport Into Shape-Gen. Cronje Arrives at Cape Town-Roberts and Kitchener the Guests of Rhodes-Gen. Buller Says the Boers Are Clear of Natal-Relief Transports Arrive at Ladysmith With Supplies.

London, March 3.-(4.15 a.m.)-Lord Rob-erts, at Osfontein, six or eight miles east of Paardeberg, faces the re-formed Boer army, from 5000 to 6000 strong. This may BRITISH CAMP MOVED FORWARD.

be merely a corps of observation, ready to retire on prepared positions. It Is Now at Osfontein, Where the Doubtless fit is receiving accretion from Boers Were Reported to the late besiegers of Ladysmith and from

Have Concentrated. Osfontein, March 2 .- The British cam Roberts Has Ample Troops. has been moved here. A heavy rain is fall-Whatever the force may be, Lord Roberts ing; the yeldt is improving; supplies are has ample troops to cope with it.

has ample troops to cope with it. As a heavy rain is failing on the veld, and the grass is improving, this will be a good thing, temporarily, for the Boers. Excellence of British Transport. Lord Roberts has supplied observers by the excellence of his transport during the first advance, and he is likely. to do so again, altho military men here think he must wait for some days before going much farther. Bran Labor Market Skirmish

A Slight Skirmish. Boers Using Delay. A slight skirmish occurred six miles southeast, in which Col. Remington had a horse shot under him. The Boer forces on our finant are believed to be under the joint command of Botha, Delarey and De-wet. They are expecting reinforcements from Natal. The Boers presumably will use this delay for all it is worth; pulling their resources together. Dr. Leyds gives out the opinio that the British entry of Bloemfontein " wet. They are expecting transformed at Paarde-from Natal. The guns that were captured at Paarde-berg have been brought here. The rifles captured have, in many cases, scriptiral texts engraved upon them, for example: "Lord strengthen our arm." It is said that just prior to Cronje's surrender, there was almost a mutiny in the camp. daily expected, as Commandants Dewet and Delarey had been instructed to retard the advance of Lord Roberts only until the concentration under General Joubert had

Why the 50,000 Extra Men? No adequate explanation is yet made o reinforcements that are prepar-FIVE OFFICERS WERE KILLED

ng for Lord Roberts. Such explanations as are advanced tentatively suggest eithe: And Twenty-five Were Wounded in Buller's Fight With the hat the Cape Dutch have become nic Boers on Feb. 27. or that the Imperial Governme

Gen Barton,

emonstration.

THE BIG PAIR AT KIMBERLEY.

Lords Roberts and Kitchener

Called to Have a Social Bowl

With Cecil Rhodes.

General Kitchener arrived here this morn-

ing, and were warmly welcomed by the

cessful relief of the town.

unicipal officials, and thanked for the suc.

And 23 others.

London, March 2 .- General Buller's cashas a hint of foreign suggestions as to the ualties among his officers during the fight ing of Feb. 27 were:

> KILLED. Col. O'Leary of the Lancashires, Major Lewis, Scots Fusiliers. Capt. Sykes, Scots Fusiliers, Lieut. Mourilyan, Warwickshires. Lieut, Daly, Irish Fusiliers.

> > Col. Carr, Scots Fusiliers.

WOUNDED

BOERS HAVE MADE A STAND. Between 5000 and 6000 Have Taken a Position Four Miles from British Front. Osfontein, March 2 .- The Boers have now

been definitely located four miles from the British front, their left resting on a high kopje and their right on the river. burgher force is estimated to number tween 5000 and 6000. WHEN BULLER AND WHITE MET.

There Was a Scene of Tremendous Enthusiasm Just About High Noon in Ladysmith.

Ladysmith, March 1 .-- General Buller, accompanied by his staff, arrived here at 11.40 a.m. to-day. He entered the town unnoticed, as more cavalry was coming in

during the morning. The news of his ar-rival soon spread, however, and General White and his staff at once went to re-ceive him. The two Generals met amid scenes of tremendous enthusiasm, and General Buller had an immense reception.

STORY OF LADYSMITH'S RELIEF. The Feeble People Were Surprised When Dundonald's Force

Story of Ladysmith's Relief.

Of the actual relief of the place, Winston hurchill sends an interesting account, in

When Dundonald's Force<br/>Entered the Town.Iorn clothing and other signs of a sharp<br/>affray.No. 7463-CORP. W. S. BRADY, 43rd<br/>Othawa. "D" Co.Mathleu of the Laval Law School for what<br/>the morning papers deal considerably with<br/>the cost of the relief of Ladysmith to the<br/>British forces. One says that a tabulation<br/>er furthe abulation<br/>er that ga abulation<br/>er for the purpose of destroying it, and of<br/>hundred and eighteen days of the size<br/>shows:No. 7463-CORP. W. S. BRADY, 43rd<br/>Othawa. "D" Co.Mathleu of the Laval Law School for what<br/>the Mathleu of the Laval Law School for what<br/>the space.Th<br/>desp<br/>the space.Wilkinson in The Morning Post tool<br/>undred and eighteen days of the size<br/>shows:Interesting and other signs of a sharp<br/>affray.No. 7463-CORP. W. S. BRADY, 43rd<br/>Othawa. "D" Co.<br/>Too. 7553-PTE. C. T. THOMAS, G.G.F.G.,<br/>"D" Co.Mathleu of the Laval Law School for what<br/>the disken place.Th<br/>despWilkinson in The Morning Post tool<br/>says: "The war now catters a new phase<br/>of the Buritsh losses consequent on the one<br/>hundred and eighteen days of the size<br/>shows:No. 7463-CORP. W. S. BRADY, 43rd<br/>Othawa. "D" Co.<br/>No. 7503-PTE. C. T. THOMAS, G.G.F.G.,<br/>"D" Co.<br/>No. 7605-PTE. F. WASDELL, 3rd Vic-<br/>toria Miffes, "E" Co.<br/>No. 7654-PTE. A. ROY, Soth Temiscou-<br/>torial, 6.Mathleu of the Laval Law School for what<br/>the disken place.<br/>The desided to let<br/>and<br/>torial minimum control of the Boer<br/>Total, 6. White's loss-Killed and wounded in bat-

le, 1580; captured 1070. Buller's loss-Killed and wounded, 3506; aptured, 756. Total loss White and Buller, 6912.

Following is Canada's death roll in the South African war to date:

DIED FROM DISEASE. All the prisoners have an intense admira-ion for the bravery and pluck of the High-nders, and they freely confess that they re incapable of the dash and go of the No. 7452-PTE. E. DESLAURIERS, Prin ess Louise Dragoon Guards, Ottaw

Co. No. 7914-PTE. MONTROSE C. CHAP-FELL, 74th Batt., "G" Co. No. 7059-PTE D. L. MOORE, Royal Canadian Regiment, "B" Co. No. 7157-PTE. J. E. FARLEY, 25th El-gin Batt., "G" Co. No. 3166-SERGT. JOSEPH RUSSELL, R CA., "G" Co. Cronje's Night March. Some of the sick prisoners have given a vivid description of Gen. Cronje's night march. It began in a panle, and terrible confusion prevailed thruout. The huge wagons crowded the narrow road, there was an witer lack of order and describins were numerous. No. R.C.A., Total, "G" Co.

KILLED ON FEB. 18. No. 7004-SERGT. W. SCOTT, 5th Regi-nent, C.A., "A" Co. No. 7636-CORP. R. GOODFELLOW, 5th

No. 7636-CORP. R. GOODFELLOW, 5th Royal Scots, "E" Co. No. 7500-PTE. C. E. JACKSON, 37th Haldimand Rifles, "D" Co. No. 7059-PTE. W. JACKSON, 5th Regt., U.A., "A" Co. No. 7074-PTE. A. MAUNDRILL, 5th Regt. C.A., "A" Co. No. 7113-PTE. J. TODD, 5th Regt., C. No. C.A., No. Regt.

Tommy in the Boer Laager. Every man who was off duty visited the Boer laager yestenday and the crowd of curious rommles spent the day in search-ing every nook and corner. After what might prove useful to the army had been secured, the soldiers were allowed to take whatever they liked. The men carried off clothing, kettles, caps and even unbrellas. The latest reports announce that a large force of Boers is operating ten miles away on the British right front. A" Co. 7105-PTE. J. H. SOMERS, 5th Regt., A., "A" ( No. 7105 C.A., "A" No. 715( "A" Co. 7150-PTE R SMITH, 26th Middle

sex, "B" Co. No. 7188-PTE. J. A. DONEGAN, 26th Middlesex, "B" Co. Middlesex, "B" Co. No. 7255-PTE. W. WHITE, 21st Essex, "B" Co. No. 7339-PTE. J. H. FINDLAY, 35th A MYSTERIOUS -MESSAGE Which Mr. Chamberlain Has Sent

No. 7371-PTE. W. T. to the Premiers of the Aus-London, March 3 .- A despatch to The PTE. O. T. BURNS, 43rd Ot Daily Mail from Sydney, N. S. W., says: t 'It is developed that the Premier received 7654-PTE. C. LESTER, Montreal, 7670-PTE. A. MCQUEEN, 8th Royal "E" Co. 7903-PTE. ROLAND DENNIS TAY-Charlottetown Engineers, "G" Co.

"It is developed that the Premier received a few days ago a cablegram from Mr. Chamberlam, marked connidential, with a request that its contents be communicated to the other Premiers. "Secret Cabinot meetings have been held in all the colonies to consider the despatch. The Premier of New South Wales has asked Mr. Chamberlain's consent to pub-lish the text of the message, and Mr. Chamberlain has replied that he is con-sulting with the War Office regarding the request." Total, 18. Died from Wounds

The Boer Rations.

sugar and 5 pounds of flour per man we

Tommy in the Boer Laager.

tralian Colonies.

r rations consisted of one pound f of fresh meat daily, and one a half of coffee, 3 pounds of

CAPT. H. M. ARNOLD, 90th Batt., Win-mifeg. No. 7060-PTE. PATRICK MCCREARY, 74th Batt., "G" Co. No. 8105-PTE. G. JOHNSTONE, 63rd Hahitax, "H" Co. Total, 3. KILLED ON FEB. 27. WAR FEELING IN LONDON Doors of Exeter Hall, Where a

"Stop the War" Meeting Was Held Were Forced. No. 7376-PTE F. C. PAGE, G.G.B.G. 7869-CORP. B. WITHEY, R.C.A., No. 7869-CORP. B. WITHEY, R.C.A., 47" Co. No. 7175-PTE. G. ORMAN, 93rd Cum-berland "19" Co. London, March 2 .- A large crowd forced the doors of Exeter Hall, London, where a "stop the war" meeting was being held this evening. The invaders were resisted by the audi-ence. A free fight ensued. The police were summoned and the crowd inally quieted down, marching of toward the War Office and singing "God Save the Queen." After forty policemen had cleared the

After forty policemen had cleared the building of the invaders, many marks of the conflict were noticeable, bruised faces, toth clothing and other signs of a sharp Total, . Died from Wounds

Died from disease Killed in action, Feb. 18. Died from wounds received Feb. 18. Killed in action, Feb. 27. Died from wounds received Feb. 27. Canadians in Imperial service killed....

Total ..... 42 MR. DAVIDSON IS OPPOSED

And in Consequence the Meeting of

the Manitoba Legislature

Is Held Off

Winnipeg, March 2 .- (Special.)-Hon, J.

A. Davidson has returned to Neepawa to

make arrangements for contesting the seat

in opposition to Crawford, the Oppositi

nominee. The sitting of the Legislature will be delayed by the contest, as the pre-

parations in Mr. Davidson's department cannot be pushed forward so rapidly. Pressmen Elect Officers.

BOSTOCK ON JOE MARTIN.

June 30, 1900, so Joseph Martin has tha

time to run out. His opinion is that Joseph

is a dead one. He is a notable example of a man who went to British Columbia with fair prospects of being a success, but who antagonized everyone and is now out of the

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A Military Number.

The March Canadian Magazine is a spe-tial military number, and is enclosed in a handsome and appropriate colored cover, showing the Canadian Mounted Rifles on parade. The articles on the first contain-gent in South Africa, the organization of the second contingent and the embarka

Att, "F" Co. The invading army, intending to fight the enemy wherever and whenever he can be met, has only to march by the most copvenient route towards the centre of the cherne to met the invader, replying to attack by attack, or must seek a de censive position in which to prevent the dvance of the invaders." The invader Ster."

British Flag Torn Down Amid Cries of "Down With the English !"

## -General Melee in Which Shots Were Fired-Victoria Rifles Ordered Out-La Patrie's Threat.

Montreal, March 2 .- (Special.)- There is fight, in which revolver shots were fired no use denying the fact that the imprudent and blows were exchanged. Several People Badly Hurt. ection of the McGill students has created Several People Badly Hurt, Several people were badly hurt in the melec. The report sprend that the students were on their way to attack McGill Uni-versity and a big force of police were de-spatched to the scene. The French stu-dents, however, kept in the centre and eastern districts of the city, and are still in possession of the streats. The police a great deal of bad blood in the community and it is pretty hard to say to-night what

the end will be. 2000 on Parade, This afternoon about 2000 French-speak-

ang men and boys paraded along St. James'-street, and, as they turned up Beaver Hall quell the mob. it was supposed that the mob was

making for McGill grounds, and that a free fight was imminent. Nothing happened, wever, as the crowd turned east along St. Catherine-street, and finally dispersed.

Another Mob Gathers. This evening, however, matters assumed a much graver aspect. Shortly after s o'clock a crowd, composed of fally 3000 men, a great many of them belouging to the tough element, came down St. Law-rence Main-street, up St. Lambert's Hill, and along St, James'-street to The Star office. Theresh Still Demonstrating. Hidnight.-The French Still Demonstrations. Heeping ap their demonstration. It was re-ported that an attack would be made on McGill College, and a big force of police Laval students, however, did not go near streets, singing and shouting and tearing down flags. Victoria Rifles Called Out. There were several fights belowere the Another Mob Gathers.

At this juncture a few Britishers arrived, and, as the mob departed, a flag was again hoisted on The Star office, and death was threatened to any man who molested it. To Gen. Buller and Gen. White on Without any other acts of violence ex cept cries of "En Bas les Anglais!" ["Down With the English!"] the noisy crowd re-

turned to the East End. A large crowd ilso gathered in front of Laval University,

In La Patrie : The French newspaper offices were in-vaded yesterday by a couple of thou-source of English origin. Laval Uni-versity was attacked yesterday after-noon and sacked last evening. For months past the Tory newspapers have been hurring disloyality at the French-Canad'ans. Some of these papers have publicly, announced that the day is not fat distant when the Province of Que-bee will be invaded, and the scenes of last evening are the results of these ap-puslies to passion.

French Are Forewarned

It is said that to be forewarned is to

It is said that to be forewarned is to be forearmed, so a race so well warned as ours is also worth two. We now know what to expect. We cannot regret too deeply that the students of a great Eng-lish university have participated 'n such an aggressive attack. There is a great deal to be excused in the young, but this is, all the same, a very grave symp-tom. It is the repetition or the event of 1840. Lord Eigh was almost assassi-nated in the streets of Montreal because he had consented to render justice to he french-Canad'ans, and it becomes more and more evident that the splrit value and matter the Tories of that day also animates the Tories of to-day.

A Cool Threat. We are in a large majority in this Guebee, and we would only have to say the word to wreak vengeance for the in-suits of which we have been the victims, we will not counsel a policy so anti-norganize resistance against such scenes as those of last evening. Our compatir-organize resistance against such scenes as those of last evening. Our compatir-sons and their property are respected, this were to continue. If it were toler-ated that our places of business should be invaded and destroyed, this country would very soon become uninhabitable.

Near Civil War.

Near Civil War. Is it not a painful spectacle to realize that we are two steps from ovil war? We are not the aggressors, but we are strong enough to protect ourselves. We do not hold the majority of the Daglish-speaking population of Montreal and the country responsible for the shameful scenes which disgraced our streets. This is a decisive hour. The Confederation can cally be maintained by the two races Wing harmoniously side by side. There is very little to add to what has taken place to rend the Federal pact asunder, and that without much delay.

**REVOLVERS WERE FIRED** 

And Several People Were Hurt in

the Melee-Police Had to Quell the Mob.

Montreal, March 2 .- (Easson Despatch.)-

French-Canadian educational institution,

uilding last night by the McGill students

the Laval students, who paraded the

streets. To-night the students were rein-

forced by nearly five thousand sympathiz-

ers, and a big demonstration took place.

Flaunted the Tri-Color.

front of the office of The Star, the leading English newspaper. The Union Jack, which was flying from The Star building, La Tom

Carrying the tri-color, the French flag, the students marched down to St. James-street and made a hostlie demonstration in Commanic

Chere was another students' riot in Mout- mild.

dents of Laval University, the leading local snowfalls.

A Cool Threat.

party to return. Expressed Regrets. This forenoon Dean Walton of the McG:ll law faculty went down to the Court House and expressed McGill's regrets to Judge Mathieu of the Layal Law School for whet No. 7463-CORP. W. S. BRADY, 43rd Mathieu of the Laval Law School for what

"I thank God for the news you have telegraphed me and I congratulate you and all under you with all my heart."

"I thank God that you and all those with you are safe after your long, try-ing slege, borne with such heroism. I congratulate you and all under you from the bottom of my heart. I trust you are all not very much exhausted." Gen. White's Reply.

Sir George White sent the following re-

ply: "Your Majesty's most gracious mes-sage has been received by me with the deepest grafitude and with enthusiasm by the troops. Any hardships and pri-vations are a hundred times compensat-ed for by the sympathy and appreciation of our Queen; and Your Majesty's mes-sage will do more to restore both officers and men than anything else."

A PECULIAR MOVE.

De Villiers, Hofmeyer and Dr.

Water Going to England. Ostensibly on Private Business.

London, March 3 .- The Cape Town correspondent of The Dally Mail telegraphing

"Chief Justice DeVilliers, Mr. Hofmeye

and Dr. T. E. Water are about to visit England, ostensibly on private business, and for their health. This significant Bund movement requires the most careful watch-ing."

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Bubonic Plague in Sydney,

Sydney, N.S.W., March 2.-Two fresh ases of bubonic plague have developed

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Comparatively Mild.

Comparatively Mild. Meteorological Office, Toronio, March 2.---(8 p.m.)-The storm is dispersed over East-ern Quebec and New Brunswick. A vio-lent northeast gale, with snow, has pre-valled along the St, Lawrence, and a south-east gale, with rain, has been general along the seaboard. The weather continues fairly cold in Manitoba and the Territories. Minimum and maximum temperatures-Victoria, 40-50; Kanloops, 32-44; Calgary, 8-12; Prince Albert, 40 below-4; Qu'Appelle, 8 below-16; Winnipeg, 10 below-4; Port Arthur, 6-30; Toronito, 18-28; Ottawa, 18 -30; Halifax, 28-46. Probabilities. Lower Lakes and Georgian Berl

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay-

Fresh westerly winds, fair and

comparatively mild. Upper St. Lawrence and Ottawn Valley--Westerly winds; fair, with a little higher temperature. Lower St. Lawrence and Guif-Winds mostly westerly; clearing and comparative-ly mild. Maritime Provinces-Moderate to fresh sonthwesterly and westerly winds; fair and mild.

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comparatively mild.

real to-night, and at one time it looked as Lake Superior-Moderate winds and fair real to-night, and at one time it looked as if there would be serious trobule. The stu-Manitoba-Moderately cold, with light

and the French population generally, were greatly incensed at the mobbing of the Laval sleeping accommodation. 129 Yonge.

building last night by the McGill students because the British flag was not hoisted in honor of the relief of Ladysmith. To-day a counter demonstration was organized by the Laval students, who paraded the

March 2.

and along St. James'-street to The Star office. British Flag Hauled Down. Here the mob pulled down the British flag and tore it up, howling and hooting all the while. Victoria Rifles Called Out, There were several fights between the students and the police, and a number on both sides were called out by Col. White, D. O.C., to protect the Drill Shed, where a disturbance was threatened, and they are now on singed. now on guard

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## HER MAJESTY'S MESSAGE

the Relief of Ladysmith-Gen. White's Reply.

London March 2 .- The Court Circular this evening says: "Early yesterday morning the Queen received with feelings of joy and

The Queen's Message The following is the text of Her Majesty's lespatch to Gen. Buller:

The despatch to Sir George White reads

Wednesday, says:

Serious Trouble Feared. The trouble has caused a great deal of a bad feeling between the French and Eng-ish sections of the population, and serious trouble is feared unless the authorities need the disturbance promptly. The ad fo French Still Demonstrating.

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such a good shot. The woman was only in years of the guests of Mr. Ceell kindes while here, the guests of Mr. Ceell kindes while here, such as the such asuch as the such as the Kimberley a hurried visit. I was much gratified at finding the enthusiasm among the Kimberley people regarding the care

the Kimberley people regarding the care of the sick and wounded. All the public buildings have been converted into hospi-tals and all the men had been made most confortable. — The ing says: "The Canadians advanced a multic, the order being sept along the ranks buildings the to see our soldiers shar-ing their rations and biscuits with the friedly their rations and biscuits with the boer langer. They behaved splendidly, and combined steady gallantry with an implicit by each nan pressing the band of his neighbor. They behaved splendidly, and combined steady gallantry with an implicit by each concers." Private A. Parker of the 68th King's

Boer Position Preparatory to the Dash,

London, March 2 .- (Telegram Cable.)-The

His Arrival at Simonstown. Cape Town, March 2.-General Croatje and his party arrived at Simonstown to-day. Gen. Cronje's Reception. Cape Town, March 2.-Gen. Cronje was received by Gen. Sir Frederick Forestier-Walker and a representative of Sir Alfred Milner, the Governor of Cape Colony.-Milner, the Governor of Cape Colony.-Cape Darie.

Cape Town, March 2.-Gen. Cronje was mediately escorted on board the British ccond-class cruiser Doris. There was no

With Cecil Rhodes. Kimberley, March 1.-Lord Roberts and with a British force following them.

 ccssful relief of the town.
 Lord Roberts said that it had given him great pleasure to assist Kimberley in her time of need, and that he was glad he bad an opportunity of visiting the town. He found that he had a day off, so had come, but would have to leave to-morrow.
 British Chain Surrounding the Boer Army.

 There is great excitement and rejsteing here over the relief of Ladysmith.
 Lord Roberts and General Kitchener were the guests of Mr. Cecil Rhodes while here, the surface of Mr. Cecil Rhodes while here.
 "A curious piece of news has just been related to me by Gen. Cronje's addedection with Gen. De the surface of the surfa

combined steady galantry with an implicit were arranged in commandoes. The Free Private A. Parker of the 68th King's Staters were kept separated from the Lath and bed \$1.00, 202 and 204 King W

BOER PRISONERS LINED UP.

The Boers in the District in Full

Following Them.

Rensberg, Thursday, March 1.-The greater

part of the Dutch residents at Colesberg

have been arrested as rebels. The Boers

CRONJE DEPENDED ON DE WET.

But De Wet Failed to Break the

Retreat, with the British a

ver. 3. Rosedale School, Prof. Alexander, lecture on "The Novel." 3. Ontario Society of Artists' Exhibition at 165 West King-street, 2. Grand Opera House, "Rupert of Tent-zau," 2 and 8. "Toronto Opera House "Courted Let-

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BIRTHS.

and S. Shea's Theatre, Vaudeville, 2 and S. Bijou Theatre, Al Reeves' Show, 2 and 8. Empire, "Rozinsky's Troubles," 2 and 8. Association Hall, Biograph for Patriotic Fund, afternoon and evening.

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zau," 2 and 8. Toronto Opera House, "Courted Into Court." 2 and S. Princess Theatre, "The Romany Rye," 2

BROUSE-On March 2, 1900, at George-street, Toronto, the wife of Brouse, of a daughter.

Brown (Amy L. Cooke), at Denver, Col-orado, Feb. 28, 1900,

te second contingent and the embarka on are fully illusirated. All the other fea-ires of the number are in harmony, and is a valuable souvenir of Canada's sol-Finest Office Furniture, Desks, Cabi-nets. Office Specialty Mfg. Co., 77 Bay.

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when you're feeling out of minor-inat is, when you're feeling awful lonesome-and don't know just what to do, There's a heap of satisfaction if you smoke a pipe or two-" Provided always that you smoke the West minster Mixture-from G. W. Muller's.

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little to be fair.

These are only minis of what one may get in a fur purchase at this/reliable old fur house. **G Co., 48th Highlanders.** The annual meeting was held at the Armouries last night, Capt. J. H. Mitchell in the chair. There was a large attendance of members present. The imancial state ment showed the company to be in a very prosperous condition. The reports of the committees were considered and approv-ed. It was decided unanimously to forward a gift of f1 sterling to members of the com-pany serving on the South African force. A departure from the regular rule was made in deciding to have a theatre party and supper for the usual annual dinner. The following committees were elected for the ensuing year: Mife-Sergts. Lockhart, Merry, Corp. Mart-boro. Pites. MacClaren, Minett. Clothing-Sergt, Lockhart, Merry, Pites, H. Bourne, A. Parker, A. S. Anderson. Pte. A. S. Anderson was elected secre-tary-treasurer. A departure from the super for the usual annual dinner. The following committees were elected for the super committees were decided for the ensuing year: Pte. A. S. Anderson was elected secre-tary-treasurer. A defause providing that the sup-tory in the super for the usual annual dinner. The following committees were elected for the ensuing year: Pte. A. S. Anderson was elected secre-tary-treasurer. A defause on the first bill that comes up. Pte. A. S. Anderson was elected secre-tary-treasurer. A defause on the first bill that comes up. Pte. A. S. Anderson was elected secre-tary-treasurer. A defause on the first bill that comes up. Pte. A. S. Anderson was elected secre-tary-treasurer. A defause on the first bill that contex the first bill the actual cost by the Government, was diso defeated. Conservative Smoker Ward 2 b) bolicts of the representatives from the Northwest, did not think the proposal would effect the object almed at, He sug-gested that a carefully prepared and well-considered amendment be moved in the locatered amendment be moved in the locatered amendment by Col. Tisdale that this was a question which should be dealt with by a general act, was carried. A motion by Mr. Richardson that the road, on a year's notice, could be purchased at the actual cost by the Government, was also defeated.
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casion of their annual smoker. President Neville was the director of the creaning's proceedings. Liberal refreshments and pipes were distributed to all, interspersed with songs and speeches. Mr. Carseallen M.L.A. Hamilton, in his address, outlined the fait that was now under way in the holding office by virtue of the frauds of the machine, and asked the audience to express their views as to whether they sup-ported the determination of the Conserva-tive members not to yote a dollar or pass a bill until the House is dissolved and a new election held. The smokers rose as one man to indicate that they wished the fact kept up. Other speakers were Ald. Lamb, W. F. Maclean, Dr. Pyne, Thomas Wardell, M.L.A., Ald. Poster, Ald, Cox, Dr. Noble, Dr. Beattle Nesblit, ex-Ald, Davies, and others. The gathering was a great success.

Paper for Soldiers. Payson Davidson, well-known in Toron-to, shipped on the Milwaukee 30,000 tablets of writing paper and 15,000 bores of en-velopes. They were for the use of the first and second Canadian contingents in South Africa, Each sheet of the paper and envelopes bear "Soldiers of the Queen" above a horseshoe, in which stands the buildog on the Union Jack. The tablets and envelopes were sent upon the request of Col, Otter. Do you know what that means? In the crown work of "cheap" dentistry it means that the gold, covering the cap, is so thin that in a year's time -perhaps less-it will wear away at the masticating point, and leave you worse ff-by whatever price you paid and what trouble you spent-than before. Gold costs. It must be too thin to be serviceable if the price paid is too

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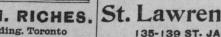
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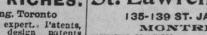
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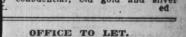
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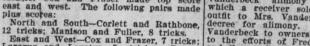
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Fison, Accord, La Mattre, W. D. Taylor, forwards. St. Catharines (17): Lowe, goal; Pringle, point; Henderson, cover; Brown, Hoggets, Griggs, Harcourt, forwards. Umpires-E. Gooderham, Bishop Ridley College; John Dawson, St. Catharines, Re-feree-Ellwood, St. Catharines,



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Shamrocks Stay at Home.

Shamrocks Stay at Home. Winnipeg, March 2.—(Special.)—The fol-lowing telegram was to day received from Mr. W. P. Lunny, secretary of the Sham-rock Hockey Club, in answer to a proposi-tion made by F. W. Henbach, that the Shamrocks should come to Winnipez for an exhibition match: "It is impossible for the Shamrocks tog to Winnipeg this sea-son, as they have to defend the Stanley Cup next week."

With pipe and book at close of da Oh, what is sweeter? mortals, say.

Toronto Whist Club. The fifth weekly compass game will be played this evening, the souvenirs being Canadian Whist League lapel buttons to the four having the best score. Winners of the last game were McEachtran and Hand, Corbett and Ledyar. Plus scores were also made by Brown and Beeton, iell, Godfrey and Shoof. The preliminary games in the Diamond Medals contest will be finished next week, when the team in each section having the best record will be finished next week, when the team in each section having the best record will be finished next week, when the team in each section having the best record will be finished next week, when the team in each section having the best record will be finished next week when the team in each section saving the best record will be finished next week when the team in each section having the best record will be finished next week when the team in each section having the best record will be finished next week when the team in the section saving the best record will be finished next week when the team in each section having the best record will be alarge number of tenme expected, and visitors are always will what starts at 8.15. The Shamrocks Champions, The Shamrocks Champions. Ottawa, March 2.—At a late hour this afternoon the Ottawa Hockey Club Execu-tive decided to allow the team to default to Shamrocks, and there will be no game in Montreal to-morrow night. This gives the championship to Shamrock for another year. According to the rules the Ottawas will forfeit all games won. Besides this they are subject to a fine of \$100.

A Toast at

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As I puff this mild Havana, and its ashes slowly lengthen, I feel my courage gather, and my resolution strengthen,

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I will smoke, and I will praise you, my cigar ;

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New Members Join in a Lunch-Racing Boats on the Ways.

Racing Boats on the Ways. At a special meeting of the committee of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club last night 25 new members were elected and more are expected to join before the entrance fee clause comes into operation on March 24. Besides Designer McLeod of Halifax, an-other distinguished Nova Scotia yachtsman has joined the club in the person of Wil-liam Grantham of Yarmouth. There is aiready activity among the builders, and many new racing craft will be added to the fieet this spring.

builders, and many new racing craft will be added to the fieet this spring. **Chips from the Ice.** The Wanderers will hold another curling match at the Granite Rink to-night. Sides will be chosen, the losers to pay for an oyster supper, to be served after the game. Bill Moodey and B. G. McBurney will pro-vide the musical part. The Simcoes play Upper Canada College to day at 3 p.m. A fast game is expected, as there is much rivairy between these two junior teams of the O.H.A. The Excelsiors will play the Parkdale Brownies this afternoon on the Collegiate Rink. Excelsiors (Goal, Leslie: point. Kyan; cover, W. May; forwards, C. S. Morrow, S. Newton, W. Brockes, Harman. A friendly curling game.was played at the Victoria Rink last night by rinks from Granktes and Torontos, skipped by George Gooderham and Badenach, against McAr-thur and Baines, the result being a tie. After the game the visitors were entertain-ed at dinner by the Toronto rinks. The Lacrosse Hockey League match sche-duled for last night in the Mutual-street Rink. At Niggara Falls, Ont. last night the last

Rink. At Niagara Falls, Ont., last night the last senior faries match of the S.O.H.A. of the season was played between the Niagara Falls and Weiland teams and was won by the Falls with a score of 15 to 5.

The Stanley Gun Club will hold a special shoot this afternoon at blue rocks for three merchandise prizes. The Finance Committee have arranged to hold these shoots weekly for the balance of the sea-son. Members will kindly bear this in mind. A special meeting of the club is called for Tuesday evening. March 6, the business being a notice of motion that Article II., Section 1, of the by-laws be amended to read:-The membership fee shall be \$2, and the annual dues \$3 per year, payable at the annual meeting in September. A full attendance is requested. With the tobacco-phobic pamphlets of the learned prigs who write you.

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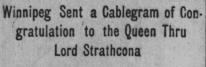
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Winnipeg, March 2 .- (Special.)-Mayor Wilson and several of the City Council met to-day for the purpose of taking some action regarding the recent successes of ish troops in South Africa. After a ation the following telegram was sent to Lord Strathcona, High Commissioner in London:

The clitizens of Winnipeg desire you to convey to our beloved Queen their reartfelt congratulations upon the dis-tinguished successes which have crown-ed the efforts of her brave soldiers, and take no small pride in the fact that Canadians have been privileged to share in the glory of the British arms. (Signed) Horace Wilson, Mayor."

Morden Celebrated Also. Morden, Man., March 2.--(Special.)--The lews of the relief of Ladysmith was reews of the relief of Ladysmith was re-elved this morning, and was quickly her-ided throut the town by the ringing of ells and firing of guns. The town is prac-ically en icte. Flags are flying from many unidings, and the school children have sen given a holiday. About 10 o'clock a nonster procession, consisting of school hildren, the Council and numbers of cit-zens, hended by a band, paraded the incinal streats.

Hot Time at Edmonton.

nton, N. W. T., March 2.-(Spec-tizens of Edmonton, in a blinding rm, are celebrating the British vicwith banks, We are having other ways. We are having The crowd is cheering, every-g patriotic songs, and waving r after cheer is going up for h boys at the front, and Lord Nothing like it has been seen Nothing like it has been seen We are having cheering, every re closed for the day.

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dent, and Mr. Robiliard took part. The interesting performance was brought to a close by the andience singing "God Save the Queen," and giving three ringing cheers for Her Majesty the Queen and for General Buller. In the midst of the general rejoicing over the victories achieved by British arms in South Africa, Canadians do not forget the

South Africa, Canadians do not forget the part played by their gallant coudirymen in the defence of the Empire. It is some con-solation to the public, tho little to their bereaved relatives, to know that families of the brave men who fought and died on the distant veldt have not been left alto-gether unprovided for, owing to the prompt and patriotic action of their friends at home. As is generally known, each of the Toronto men at the front or who may yet go, has been insured by the city to the extent of \$1000. The first contingent was insured in a fund raised by vountary public subscrip-tions. The second contingent was insured by direct grant of the City Council, and this will also be done in the case of the Toronto men accompanying the Strathcona Little Doubt Now as to Pite, Manion. In the War Office 18st, Pite, W. F. Manion, R.G., is registered as Not 7371, and that is the number given amongst those killed at Phardeberg. In a letter received from Pite. Manion by Sergt, Kirkland of the Royal Grenadiers' Pioneer Corps, he states that his official number is 7371. Thus there seems to be no room to doubt that Manion was killed in action on Feb. 18.

Cablegram from Col. Otter, The following is the text of the despatch sent to Col. Otter by the Toronto Public School Board :

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In the case of the second contingent the policies have not yet been issued, owing to the list not yet being officially completed, but this is merely a matter of form. Two other applications are being arranged for in the Strathcona Horse. In each case the thousand dollars is to be paid to the beneficiaries pamed by the men.

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"J. R. L. Starr, Chairman."

stituencies totalied over 55,000. The House divided on Mr. Foster's amendment at 11 O'click. It was, of course, declared lost, and the bill was passed thru its second reading. The House then adjourned.

MEMBERS OF THE S. O. E. B. S Mr. Tarte Sails for Paris on March 15 Who Are at the Front-Insurance Risks Are Covered by the Executive.

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Undertaker in Hard Luck-Ottawa, March 2.-(Special.)-Mr. Tarte has the plum. He will leave for the Paris Exposition on March 15 to represent the John Mos- Canadian Government as its High' Com-

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missioner. He expects to be back by the 1st of May, and states that Parliament will not prorog until May 24. A pleasant event of the evening was the presentation of the Past-Presideal's medal to President Musson by Past-Presi-dent Elliott. Mr. Tarte, asked by The World if these

facts were true, replied evasively, and LADY'S NIGHT AT ATHENAEUM, oracularly: "They are true if I go." The Most Successful of the Season Sir Charles Goes to Boston.

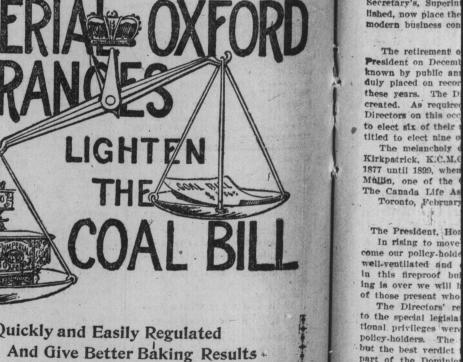
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aby the largest map ever drawn in a has been prepared by the draughts-i the Public Works Department for its Exposition. It is a map of Can-nd is twelve feet high by thirty reed Government surveys have been ing on the affair for six months, and cost of preparing it has amounted to 55000. The map is the most com-one of Canada that has ever been

### Buller and Ladysmith.

Builer and Ladysmith. Postoffice Department has author-he opening of a postoffice in North ia County, Ontario, to be known as , and the name of Upper Thorne e, near Coulonge, has been changed dysmith, taking eeffect on the day relief of White's headquarters in Africa. Another Ladysmith may be a in Western Ontario and a third itish Columbia.

est British Flag in Canada. bably the oldest British flag in the nion was run up on Cooper-street yes. y to celebrate the renef of Lady. and recent successes of the British The flag was brought out to Can-y the Hon. Hamnett K. Pinhey, over ars ago, and is now in possession Horace Pinhey, one of the grandso Wants a Canadian G. O. C.

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Its Most Successful Year-Profits for Policyholders-Reserves Strengthened-The Company "Keelhauled from Stem to Stern" and Found Absolutely Sound-Three Valuations Made-Important Address from the President, Senator Cox

A large, harmonious and deeply interested audience greeted Senator Cox at the 53rd Annual Meeting of the Canada Life on Wednesday last. President Cox read the Directors' Report as follows:

### The Removal.

Following out the resolutions passed at the last annual meeting, the Head Office of the Company has been removed to the City of Toronto, the commercial centre of Ontario, where suitable quarters for the transaction of its ever increasing business have been fitted up in the Company's large fire-proof building.

### Special Legislation.

Pursuant to the decision of a special general meeting held in March last, the Directors applied for and secured from the Dominion Parliament an amendment to the Company's charter, by which the policy-holders are entitled to elect six of the Directors upon the Board. The signal approval of the Banking and Commerce Committee, as well as of both Houses of Parliament, of the course pursued by the Direct tors has been still further emphazied by the results upon the business of the year recently closed.

### The Results.

The applications for insurance during 1899 were 4176 for \$5,662,924.88, of which 401, for \$695,298, were either declined or not carried out, leaving the actual issue of the year 3775 policies for \$7,967,626.83. This is the largest amount of business ever ransacted by the Company in its history of over half a century, and it is also a matter of satisfaction that the increase is due almost entirely to purely Canadian business, which exceeded that of any other Company doing business in the Dominion. The total business in force now amounts to \$80,220,688.25, under 37,100 policies, being an increase of almost \$5,000,000 over that of a year ago. This is the largest increase ever made by the Company in any one year. The total payments to policy-holders during the year (details of which will be found in the Financial Statement), wer \$1,357,350.85, which is \$61,980.40 greater than for the previous year. A careful revalnation of the properties owned by or mortgaged to the Company has been made not only by our own valuators but also by independent valuators, and after making all on against loss, the assets now stand at \$21,364,062.06, being an increase of \$1,325,244.73 over the amount as reported a year ago.

### Quinquennial Investigation.

A valuation of the Company's policy liabilities has been made by the Actuary upon the Actuaries' Table of Mortality and interest at 4 per cent., this being the basis of valuation required by some of the States in which the Company does business This valuation, which amounts to \$18,964,390.00, has been confirmed by certificate of the Commissioner of Insurance for Michigan. After providing for these and all other liabilities, there is a surplus of \$1,968,712.85, but last year it was decided. on the recommendation of the President, to set aside a special reserve of \$225,000 towards a 3½ per cent. standard. Since then the Dominion Government, recognizing the permanent fall in interest rates, has wisely amended the Insurance Act, so that all companies must now proceed to make provision for placing their policy liabilities upon a 3% per cent. basis. Until the transition is effected it will be necessary for the companies to apply a considerable percentage of their surplus on old policies in this way. The Directors have, therefore, recommended that an additional sum of \$275,000 be set aside for this purpose, making in all a special reserve of \$500,000 in excess of the Actuaries' 4 per cent. basis. Deducting this amount from the above-mentioned surplus there remains a surplus over all liabilities of \$1,468,712.85. Of this amount it is proposed to credit to policy-holders \$1,381,132.05 as surplus to them, and to share-holders \$87,580.80, out of which dividends for the next five years may be paid.

The Directors, keeping in view the unusually large amounts of profits distributed to policy-holders in the past, and the fact that interest rates have so fallen as to make it imperative that the Canada Life should be placed upon an actuarial valuation basis relatively comparable with that of leading companies in the United States, Australia and Great Britain, have unanimously recommended that at this quin-quennial division the permanent interests of the policy-holders would be conserved by declaring a Bonus Addition of % of one per cent. per annum, and a slightly less int upon life policies which have been paid up for a period of ten years. This lecision has been arrived at only after the most careful investigation into, and deliberation upon, the many phases of this extremely important matter. It is believed that within the present quinquennial period this decision will be heartily approved by any who may not at present recognize its importance. Indeed the opinions of two distinguished actuaries, who were independently consulted, would have supported an immediate adoption of the new Government basis of 31/2 per cent. upon all business. It is further recommended that the usual Quinquennial Bonus to Shareholders be

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both in its agencies and at head office. "Conservative Progress" will, therefore, be

I now come to the most important matter dealt with in the report, viz., the quin-I now come to the most important matter dealt with in the report, viz., the quin-quennial investigation. That is always an eventful period, but especially so on this occasion, for the reason that the life companies are now brought face to face with a most serious practical problem, viz., the readjustment of their finances due to the permanent fall that has taken place in the rate of interest. Many persons who are not familiar with life assurance finance do not realize the important place which interest holds in the foundations of a life company. Without its interest income a life com-pany would soon become inclusion. pany would soon become insolvent. It is not alone from the premiums, but from the interest as well, that claims must be met, and if interest is likely to fall below what has been assumed, then the security of a company's contracts is endangered. Moreover, the securing of a rate of interest larger than that assumed in a company's calculations is one of its main sources of profit. Hence it is of the highest importance that the margin of interest for profit should be maintained.

I will illustrate in two ways the effect of a fall in the rate of interest. Within a period of twelve years the rate of interest has fallen 2 per cent. Now, taking the assets of a company like the Canada Life at \$21,000,000, this means an annual shrinkage in its interest income of \$420,000, or in five years the accumulated loss would amount to almost \$2,300,000. This clearly demonstrates the effect of a fall in the rate of interest.

My second illustration shows what annual premium would be required to insure a man for \$1000 at age 30 upon the Whole Life plan, supposing no interest were issumed as procurable. The gross annual premium would be \$32.75, whereas the rate which we now charge for a non-profit policy on that plan is only \$20,50, or \$12.25 per year less. The difference is accounted for by assuming the benefit from

These illustrations prove the almost criminal negligence that would be involved a blissfully closing one's eyes to facts before us and gently drifting either into ultimate insecurity of into a condition devoid of earning power. Hence, in face of a rate of interest that has permanently fallen and that will in all probability continue for some time to fall, the advocates of an immediate division of a nominal plus may defeat their own object and prejudice their own interest by impairing the stability of a company from which their children may obtain little because they themselves have already eaten the fruit. Therefore, it becomes at times the bounden duty of those charged with the administration of a great trust to maintain people's interests, even against their opinions.

Under the amended Insurance Act of last session all the companies must now hold their reserves on new business upon a 32 per cent. interest basis and must further proceed to bring the reserves on all existing business to the same basis. As generous creditors sometimes do for respectable debtors, the Government has granted an extension of time in which any company, however weak, might easily meet its obligations under existing contracts. But a law which is framed to aid the weak should not be used to bind the strong.

In order to place before our Directors just what was involved in passing to the higher standard, it was decided during last year to ask our Actuarial Department to make a detailed valuation of our 37,000 policies upon the Hm. 3½ per cent. basis. In addition to this, two other full detailed valuations were made, viz., one upon the Actuaries' Table and interest at 4 per cent., and the other upon American Experience 4 per cent. Table. Never has such an exhaustive investigation of its policy liabilities been undertaken by the Company. But the results proved of great value and Interest While the Actuarial Department was busily engaged in measuring up the policy liabilities on different bases, the newly appointed Treasurer was hard at work taking stock of our assets. When the two sides of our Balance Sheet came ogether, therefore, it was a matter of great satisfaction that the Company was ound in possession of a substantial surplus over all liabilities, even upon the high standard of Hm. 31/2 per cent-the new Government basis.

### Expert Opinions.

In order to have the benefit of independent expert opinion as to how far the Company should now go towards meeting the new Government standard, it was deided to lay the whole situation before two distinguished Actuaries, one English and e other American. The gentlemen selected were H. W. Manly, F.I.A., of London, Engand, the President of the Institute of Actuaries of Great Britain, and Mr. David Parks Fackler, Consulting Actuary of New York, ex-President of the Actuarial So-clety of America. Mr. Manly, who, by the way, holds the highest office in the gift of British actuaries, is so strongly convinced of the necessity and advantages of adoption of the new 3½ per cent. basis that he did not hesitate to recommend "After weighing," he says, "all the arguments in favor its immediate adoption. or against either of the courses open, I am strongly of the opinion that it would be better for the Company and for the policy-holders generally to make the change at once, even if you have to pass a bonus altogether." Mr. Manly's exhaustive report, s well as that of Mr. Fackler, will be printed for the benefit of our policy-hol Mr. Fackler's opinion would have supported a like conservative course, but he also looked favorably upon a proposal that was under consideration by the Directors, viz., the paying of a moderate bonus to policy-holders upon this occasion and then during the present quinquennial period passing to the full 31/2 per cent. standard.

Our own Actuary, Mr. F. Sanderson, M.A., A.I.A., F.S.S., who deservedly stands high in his own profession and whom the Directors regard as one of the most able, eliable and conservative Actualies in Canada, would have preferred the immediate doption of the Hm. 31/2 per cent. standard, but after a careful consideration of the estion in all its bearings, he was quite in accord with the medium course that has

After looking at the matter from every point of view, the Directors finally con luded to place the reserves upon an Actuarles' 4 per cent. basis and to set aside erve of \$27 ) in addition to the \$225,000 set aside a year ago, or in all a special reserve of half a million dollars, towards placing the reserves upon a 31/2 per cent. basis.

tendency towards whatever may be the current rates in the great money centres of the world. This will again be affected, of course, by war, world-wide expansion or depression of trade, etc., but with the enormous accumulations represented by pri-vate fortunes, private and public trusts, funds of life insurance companies, etc., there can be little doubt that we shall witness during the next twenty-five years a decline, not so rapid, doubtless, but not different in character from that in the past. Therefore, while taking due account of the fact that in Canada there are great felds for enterprise, and that for these local reasons we may be able to maintain a somewhat better average than that in England or in the Atlantic States of the United States, I would think that Canadian Life Insurance Companies should tevertheless count on money not being worth more than three per cent, per annum n the average during the next twenty-five years."

MR. D. R. WILKIE, General Manager Imperial Bank of Canada, says:

"I have given the question of the probable rate of interest which may be counted upon in this country during the next quarter of a century upon securities in which life assurance companies could invest with safety my most careful considera-tion, and beg to state that, although I should like to see calculations made upon a per cent. basis, that rate probably errs too much on the safe side.

"It has to be morne in mind that, although the rate of . interest upon certain asses of securities that were at one time looked upon as the only safe and desirable ivestments for such a trust, has fallen materialiy, yet there are other investments -railroads, both steam and electric, amongst the number-that have come to the ront. A careful selection could be made of perfectly good bonds that yield even a algher rate of interest than do those securities that were at one time looked upon as the only safe investments for insurance companies.

"With enterprising and at the same time cautious management I don't know why 3% per cent. rate should be beyond the reach of a well-managed company. In rder, however, to provide for contingencies, I should be prepared to suggest a asis of 3½ per cent., which rate, I believe, can be depended upon in this country for a period of twenty-five years on securities in which life insurance companies should invest."

MR. THOMAS FYSHE, General Manager Merchants' Bank of Canada, says:

"In my opinion the average rate of interest for the next twenty-five years on nch securities as Life Insurance Companies should invest in depends largely on whether throughout the world we are going to have war or peace as the prevailing tate of things. If the former, the average rate for money may be expected to keep irmly well up to the present rate, but if the other, I do not see what can prevent from falling to a considerably lower value in twenty-five years. It would not be rudent to calculate on a higher rate than 3 per cent., and I have very little doubt, except in the first contingency named, that before the expiration of twenty-five years he best insurance companies will either be preparing to put their reserves on a 21/2 per cent. basis or they will have already done so."

HON. GEO. W. ROSS, Provincial Treasurer, says:

"From present appearances it is not probable that insurance companies could culate with safety on a higher rate of interest on their investments than 3 'er ent. It is in the interest of policy-holders that insurance companies should so finance as to place beyond all possible doubt their ability to pay the policies when they mature. A calculation based upon a higher rate than 3 per cent. might possibly impair that security. Where the interests of a family are concerned the solvency of an surance company is of the utmost importance to the parties insured."

MR. J. H. MASON, Manager Canada Permanent Loan & Savings Co., says: "From best opinion I can form should think that a rate not higher than 31/2 er cent. per annum should be used. If investments of Company were entirely in firstlass bonds, I should name a lower rate, but believing that they invest partly in real estate and partly in bonds, I should think 31/2 per cent. might be accepted as a reaonable rate, although conditions not now apparent might arise and alter this."

MR. WALTER S. LEE, Managing Director of the Western Canada Loan & Savngs Company, says:

"In the next twenty-five years the maximum rate of interest on the highest class mortgages is not likely to average over four per cent. (4 per cent.) and on such ront-rank debentures as a first-class Life Company should confine liself to for nvestment, I should say three per cent. (3 per cent.). I believe, therefore, that three and one-half per cent. (31/2 per cent.) all round would be a reasonable prophecy make."

### MR. R. WILSON SMITH, Financial Agent, Montreal, says:

"Amongst the elements to be considered in replying to the above question are the future progress and development of the resources of the Dominion, as well as the fact that absolute security is the first consideration in connection with the instment of life funds. However, in the light of past experience and general average conditions, while for some years an average rate of 31/2 per cent. may fairly be cunted upon, yet for the grade of security in which life assurance funds ought to invested, it will be more prudent and conservative to assume a 3 per cent. rate or the next guarter of a century."

In the light of these opinions and in the face of the decided advice tendered by e distinguished actuaries who were consulted, I feel sure that the course reco nended by the Directors will, among all reasonable business men, be recognized as oderate and in the best interests of our policy-holders.

### Synopsis of Financial Statement.

Premium Income (net) ..... \$2,199,262.21 Interest Ronte etc

companies have ever been subjected to, and in all this we have had the greatest pos-sible help, not only as an ordinary business man, but as a solicitor, and in every way, from Mr. Bruce.

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man, but as a solicitor, and in every way, from Mr. Bruce. Departing from the mere matter of re-solution for a moment, I would like to say that there is one point which has not been very emphatically made here to-day; it is this: This Company has been at the end of a long administration put through the cru-cible, a thing which to any company, bank or other fustitution, whether it results in a disappointing statement or not, is of enor-mous value, because in that we have a su-preme test, and that test has been respond-ed to, and the Campany has been able to stand it. That is a thing every agent, every policyholder, every shareholder of the Company, everyone concerned in the Can-anda Life, might bear in mind, that after a long period of administration, largely by one man, whose administration we all re-spect, it has been put to the supreme test, and has answered to it splendidly. There is this point to remember in addition, that if it hadn't been necessary to make this ad justment of interest we would have pre-sented after the examination a statement practically not different from the state-ments of the past. The great thing in a company after all is to know whether we thing. No bank, no insurance company, no mercantile company, and no business onceren of any kind has ever yet suffered thing. No bank, no insurance company, no mercantile company, and no business concern of any kind has ever yet suffered for doing the thing that was the right thing. (Hear, hear.) And I believe that is what we are doing to-day. I do not hesi-tate to say that my own view is in favor of going to 3½ per cent. entirely. I cor-dially agree with what has been, it is a more moderate course, but I wait for the time when this Company will be able to say it is on a 3½ per cent. basis, and will point to the fact that it stands where the best companies in North America stand, and that it is able to put itself in the front in that position.

I have slipped away from my resolution, except that through all the discussion and consideration we have had-new legislation at Ottawa, as well as everything else-we have been greatly blessed in having on the board one gentleman (Sir George Burton), who had long since retired, from the firm of solicitors, but who had that experience, and another, who is active-ly engaged to-day in the work of solicitor of the Company, as well as being a Direc-tor.

MR. A. BRUCE, Q.C., in acknowledging the vote of thanks to the Solicitors, said I acknowledge with gratitude this expres-sion of your satisfaction with the way in which the Solicitors have discharged their duties, for it is a great satisfaction to the lawyer who honestly gives his best to his clients to find his efforts appreciated. As I am addressing when is in part a

clients to find his efforts appreciated. As I am addressing what is in vart a new constituency I may be pardoned for referring with some measure of pride to two points—first, that among the many mil-lions of dollars of securities for money, which have passed through our hands, there has never been one instance of a de-fective title in any class of security; and, second, that we have kept the Company much out of the courts, and thus left the officials free to attend to the management of its affairs instead of being harassed with litigation.

with litigation. The solicitors are not entitled to all the credit on these points, for the care exercised by all connected with the Company, both in the insurance of lives and in the investment of the funds, no doubt conduces largely to the immunity from loss and litigation which the Company has enjoyed, and this observation leads me naturally to say something of the Company's investments and the affect which are thrown around them, which may not be out of place at this time.

place at this time. This is an important epoch in the Com-pany's history and affairs, as it has re-cently come under new executive manage-ment, and it happens that the quinquenial investigation report, which is presented pear the beginning of that management, goes to show that the Company cannot af-ford to pay so large a bours to policy-holders as heretofore, and that may be a source of disappointment to some.

source of disappointment to some. The diminished bonus is due entirely to the lower rate of interest received on in-vestments in recent years, as has already been pointed out by others, and I may be permitted to give one illustration on that point. In giving evidence before the coun-ty judge at Hamilton some two years ago on the question of assessment on income, Mr. Ramsay showed the respective amounts received from premiums and interest there-on in the case of a given number of lives entering at the age of thirty for a twenty-year endowment, and the proportions on \$1000 were:

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## 'S NIGHT AT ATHENAEUM.

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Several weeks must necessarily elapse before the numerous details of allotment of the policy-holders' Bonuses are completed.

### Government Examinations.

In October last an exhaustive and critical examination of the Company's whole condition was made by a staff of special examiners from the Michigan Insurance Department. The various securities were examined and the condition of the Company as stated in its published reports was confirmed. The official report was made public by the Company immediately upon its completion. In addition to this the Superintendent and the Actuary of the Canadian Insurance

Department have made their usual yearly examination of our securities and accounts. Then, too, the professional auditors appointed by the shareholders have made a continuous audit of the books.

### Organization of Departments.

The Company's business and investments having now grown to such large proporions as to render advisable the creation of sub-departments for the more efficient transaction of its head office business, the Directors during the past year appointed Mr. E. W. Cox Assistant General Manager, with general oversight of the insurance department of the Company. Then an investment department has been created, with Mr. H. B. Walker as Treasurer, in charge. On taking over the securities, Mr. Walker made a detailed examination and valuation of the Company's investments, and it is a matter of satisfaction that the amount which he recommended as necessary to provide against possible loss, was, considering the age and size of the Company, comparatively small. The actuarial department has also been fully established with Mr. F. Sanderson, M.A., A.I.A., F.S.S., in charge. These, with the Secretary's, Superintendent's and Medical Referee's Departments previously established, now place the Company in a position to meet the ever-increasing demands of modern business conditions.

### **Retirement of Directors.**

The retirement of Mr. A. G. Ramsay from the offices of General Manager and President on December 31st lass after forty years' active service, is already widely known by public announcements in the press. The Directors, officers and staff have duly placed on record their appreciation of Mr. Ramsay's valued services during all these years. The Directors elected the Hon, George A. Cox to fill the vacancy thus created. As required by the recent amendment to the Company's charter, all the Directors on this occasion retire, and it now becomes the duty of the policy-holders. to elect six of their number who are duly qualified, while the shareholders are en. titled to elect nine of their number.

The melancholy duty remains of recording the death of the Hon., Sir George A. Kirkpatrick, K.C.M.G., who faithfully served as a Director of the Company from 1877 until 1899, when he was elected an Honorary Director; also the death of Dr. Mullin, one of the Company's much-esteemed medical officers. The Canada Life Assurance Company,

GEO. A. COX, President R. HILLS, Secretary. Toronto, February 19th, 1900. President's Address.

### The President, Hon. Geo. A. Cox, said:

In rising to move the adoption of the annual report, I desire first of all to welcome our policy-holders and shareholders to our new home office, with its well-lighted. well-ventilated and commodious apartments, fitted up at comparatively small expense in this fireproof building, with its excellent vault accommodation. After the meet-ing is over we will have pleasure in granting the freedom of the whole office to any of those present who may desire to see through our different departments.

The Directors' report refers to the removal of the Head-Office to Toronto and to the special legislation secured at the last session of Parliament, by which addial privileges were voluntarily granted by the Company to its many thousands of policy-holders. The wisdom of these departures was for a time doubted by some, but the best verdict thereupon is the results to the Company's history. From every part of the Dominion came these evidences of approval and confidence. While this increased business was to a certain extent due to the fact that new premium rates were to go into effect at the beginning of the year in this and other companies, still the fact that the Canada Life received a much larger volume of new business in the Dominion than any other company is the best evidence of the wisdom of the departures just referred to. .

At this point, however, I think it proper to say that it is not my intention nor of those responsible for the management of the Company to depart from the conservative principles by which it has been so long conducted. I believe in building on dations that will stand the strain and stress of years. Whether in the securing of business or in making investments, I prefer to look at the matter as it is likely to appear ten, twenty, thirty years hence, and I am content to sacrifice transient success for absolute security and the permanent welfare of those whose interests are wrapped up in this institution. At the same time I think we should not be doing our duty if we did not seek to keep the Canada Life thoroughly abreast of the times,

It was then decided to allot to policy-holders the rate of bonus mentioned in the report, but to dispense with the usual quinquennial bonus to shareholders. Speaking of these proposals Mr. Fackler says: "I believe that all arguments worthy of consideration favor a course at least as conservative as that proposed, and it has my hearty approval."

There are two important points in Mr. Manly's report to which I wish to draw pecial attention.

First-"That the rate of interest used in calculating reserves should not only have reference to the interest now earned, but in order to secure absolute safety should be based on a level rate which, so far as can be discerned, will be permanent when obtained. In fact, there must be an intelligent anticipation of a future rate of interest."

Second-"That the proper persons to bear the burden of the change to the higher reserve standard are those policy-holders (and shareholders) who have received an excess of profit in the past, equivalent to the difference in the reserves made and the arger reserves which we now know ought to have been made."

I am strongly convinced of the soundness of these arguments, and I believe if they are properly understood they will make clear to many minds what otherwise may seem incomprehensible.

### A World-Wide View.

Reference is made in the Directors' report as to what leading Companies in Great Britain, United States and Australia are doing towards placing their reerves on a lower interest basis. I find on enquiry that already six British Companles have reduced their valuation rate of interest to 21/2 per cent., one even having come down to 2 per cent., while nearly fifty others have come down to 3 per ent. In addition to these reserves most high-class British Companies hold special serves to cover other possible contingencies.

Then in the United States several of the largest Companies are adopting a 3 per ent, basis, and before long every high-class Company in that country will have bandoned the 4 per cent. standard hitherto in use.

It is also noteworthy that in Australia and New Zealand the leading Compaes have for some years abandoned the 4 per cent. basis, although the rates of inrest secured there are higher than in Capada. It is evident, therefore, that if the Canada Life is to continue as a leader among the great companies of the world, we cannot afford to fall behind in this matter of valuation standard.

The moderate but effective step which we have taken on this occasion is the est evidence of the Directors' desire to conserve the true interests of its policy colders, and at the same time to maintain for the Company the superior position it has so long enjoyed. By the time many other companies have seriously attacked this question of transfer to the new 31/2 per cent. basis, the Canada Life will have easily surmounted the obstacle, and having thus obtained a long lead it will be easy to maintain it.

The advantage, therefore, of new assurers choosing the Canada Life is self-evi-

### **Opinions of Financiers.**

Now, in order to still further confirm our own conclusions as to the future rate of interest, we recently obtained the opinions of several prominent Canadian financiers, asking them what in their opinion was likely to be the level rate of interest for the next twenty-five years on such securities as Life Companies are allowed to inrest in. I quote a few extracts from the replies:

HON. SIR RICHARD CARTWRIGHT, G.C.M.G., ex-Minister of Finance, says: "In answer to your question as to the probabilitly of the rate of interest on ney continuing to fall, I can only say that the reduction in the rate of interest has now been going on with very little interruption for a great many years. There does not appear to be any reason, under existing circumstances, why this movement should not continue to go on, and I therefore look for a still further reduction and equalization in the rate of interest throughout the whole civilized world, within the next twenty or twenty-five years. The only thing which, so far as I can judge, could materially affect the situation would be the breaking out of a great European war (or succession of wars), which would probably retard this downward tendency for some time. To make assurance doubly sure, I would favor 3 per cent. as a voluntary future hasis."

HON. GEO. E. FOSTER, ex-Minister of Finance, says:

years will in all probability experience, the giving of anything like a categorical answer is out of the question. I should think, however, that a slight margin around 314 per cent. above or below, and more probably below than above, would be safe to go upon.'

MR. E. S. CLOUSTON, General Manager of the Bank of Montreal, says: "It seems almost impossible to form an opinion that can be worth much on the question of the value of money for the next quarter of a century. Taking a gen-

eral view of the situation, I am inclined to agree with the opinions of those gentlement who state that 3 per cent, is the most prudent rate to assume." MR. B. E. WALKER, General Manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, says:

"I think there is no doubt that the varying forces which are bringing the markets of the world together are having the same effect in money as in merchandise, and that we are likely to have what may be called a world-market for money, that is, a market which, although influenced by local conditions, will have a general

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Other Assets	997,859.70
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MR. F. W. GATES, Vice-President, said:

Mr. Chairman, as Vice-President of the Company, it has been my fortune to second the adoption of the annual report for a great many years, and it is a great plea-

ond the adoption of the annual report for a great many years, and it is a great plea-sure to me to be here to-day to do so at this fifty-third annual meeting of the Company, especially as we see that the Company has enjoyed such great prosperity during the past year in securing so large a volume of business. In looking back over previous reports of our meetings I find that both our late esteemed President and myself repeatedly called attention to the rapid fail that was taking place in the rate of interest, and we always took occasion to point out the serious effect this would have upon the profits of this and all other companies. But I suppose no one anticipated that the fail would have been so continuous. I am free to say that if ten, fifteen or twenty years ago the directors could have fore-edly have applied a portion of the profits at each guinquennial period towards strengthening the company's reserves, and thus have enabled us to pass to a 3½ per cent. basis with less variation in our rate of bonus than must now arise. It may interest you to know that if we had at each quinquennial period from 1870 to 1890 paid the same rate of bonus as in 1805—that is 2 per cent.—we would now have had more than enough accumulated surplus to have enabled us to pass to a 3½ per cent. standard and still to pay a 2 per cent, bonus on this occasion. When I first approached, the question of paying a materially reduced rate of

standard and still to pay a 2 per cent. bonus on this occasion. The boy per cent. When I first approached the question of paying a materially reduced rate of bonus, I confess to a feeling of some misgiving as to how far we should now go to-wards strengthening our reserves, but when the actuarial valuations upon the dif-ferent standards were laid before us, and when we had also the opinions of inde-pendent experts that we would be justified in going much further than we now recommend, I became convinced that the course which is now proposed was not only prident, but that we would be lacking in our duty to posterity and to the true inter-ests of this institution by recommending any less conservative course than is now upinted for your adoption.

submitted for your adoption. To intelligent persons it is, of course, unnecessary to point out that this special reserve of \$500,000 is not taken away from the policy-holders to be used for other purposes, but that it is held for the greater security of our policy-holders and as a fund which will materially aid in increasing their profits in the future. Of course, some enemies of the company and a few irresponsible rival agents may for ulterior motives endeavor to misrepresent our action and intentions, but we are confident of the soundness of our course. One thing is certain, all companies in Canada have, will it be to accomplish.

I have much pleasure in seconding the adoption of the report.

will it be to accomplish. I have much pleasure in seconding the adoption of the report. The report was unanimously adopted, after which the usual votes of thanks were tendered to the Directors, Officers, Agents, etc., all the speeches being most enthusias-tic in tone. It is the intention of the Company to publish these more fully for the information of its pollcyholders later. M. B. E. Walker, General Manager Caudian Bank of Commerce, made some were important observations in moving a vote of thanks to the Company's Solicitors. Mr. Walker said: The Solicities of a great Company have a very serious respon-stry important observations in moving a vote of thanks to the Company's Solicitors. Mr. Walker said: The Solicities of a great Company have a very serious respon-stry important observations in moving a vote of thanks to the Company's Solicitors. Mr. Walker said: The Solicities of a great downatage of a solicitor of a stry inportant observations of this furn has so successfully done for fifty responsibility, there is the question of debentures and bonds and loans of all kinds and death claims, but beyond (all that there is a great advantage of a solicitor of a company, especially if he be also a director of the Company has been singularly fortunate in that respect, and I wish to bear special reference to it at this time, because you know we have been talking of the canadian Life passing through what may be called a critical period in its existence. This is not only the end of a quin-mencessary ourselves, and parity because of the action of the Government, and also be-cause the old administration is passing away. I might say here that ex-President Ramsay occupied several offices that are occupied now by at least four men to-day. This is the beginning of a, new administration, and, as you have been told, this Com-pany has been keel-hauled from stem to stern and has been gone over in every parit, has been examined in a manner that in my own experience in other institutions few

\$600.33 from premiums and \$339.67 from nterest carned thereon.

Interest carned thereon. As dife insurance is largely undertaken as a provision for the wife and children of the assured, it may be assumed without argument that the chief desire of the as-sured is that the payment of the policy should be safe beyond question of doubt, and those who are assured in the Canada Life Assurance Company are entitled to feel that, as I believe.

and those who are assured in the Canada Life Assurance Company are entitled to feel that, as I believe. The statements submitted in the report show abundantly the solvency and strong position of the Company at the presen-time after it passed through the ordeal of an investigation by the Michigan Insur-ance Department, where five experts were occupied nearly four weeks, and the close scrutiny of a new official, the treasurer, who naturally does not care to take over an asset at more than it is worth. You, therefore, begin with a sound hasis, reflecting credit on the late management, and I want to say a word as to the pro-tection afforded for the future. (1) You have the limitations imposed by the Dominion Legislation on Insurance In-vestments, and here I may say that the Government last year considerably extend-ed the area, and wisely so, in view of the iarge amount of funds of insurance com-panies seeking investment, beyond the lim-ited classes formerly opened to some com-panies seeking investment of those en-trusted with the investments. (2) The Treasurer is at the head of the Investment Department, his life has been spent in financial matters, and his whole time is devoted to seeking out and looking after the Company's investments, and the importance of the profitable use of the investment in trace of the investments. (3) The Treasurer having thoroughly in-vestigated, a proposed investment, brings

funds is shown by the illustration I have given, and it is true economy to have that department in very competent hands.
(3) The Treasurer having thoroughly investigated a proposed investment, brings it before the Board of Directors with all the information obtained, and the board passes upon it, and it is worthy of mention that the board adopts the practice of not passing any investments should any director take formal exception to it.
(4) And before the investment is carried out the solicitors of the Company pass upon its validity from a legal aspect.
(5) Besides all these safeguards all the securities pass under the scruitly of the Dominion Superintendent of Insurance year by year, and are subject to inquiry and inspection by the Insurance Departments of the various States in which the Company transacts busines.
(6) Then the securities when taken are kept most carefully in a fire and burgiar proof safe with two combinations, kept by two officers, independent of each other.
(7) Further, the securities are yeariy or often examined by a committee of liprectors, and also by the Auditors, who make a continuous audit during the year of all the money transactions of the Company.
I trust that the policy-holders will fully realize the care taken in making investments and providing for their continued safety and security, and will continue the confidence in the Campany has so long enjoyed.
A number of other prominent policy-holders; Sir George Burton, Hon. Donald McInnes, Very Rev. Dean Innes, A. Bruce, Q.C., Will am Gibson, M.P., Beamsville; William Hendrie, Eaq., and Adam Brown, Esq., Hamilton; D. R. Wilkle, Esq., Adam Brown, Esq., Hon. George A. Cox, Z. A. Lash, Q.C., Dr. John Hoskin, E. W. Cox, Esq., H. B. Walker, Esq.

Esq. At a subsequent meeting of the Direc-tors, the Hon. George A. Cox was unani-mously re-elected President, and Mr. F. W. Gates, Vice-President.

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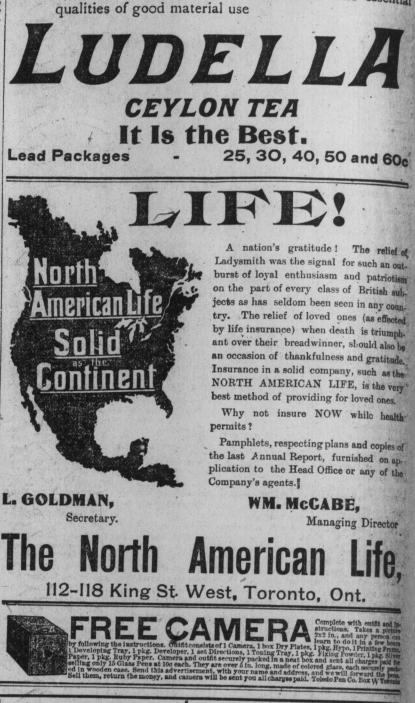
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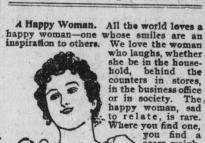
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were to call a convention for the selection of candidates for the Dominion and Provin-from cial elections at some date not later than June 10, to be named by them. Addresses were delivered by Findlay McDiarmid, M. Lat., A.W. Wright, Liberal-Conservative or ganizer; E. W. M. Flock, barrister, London, March 2-Lady Louisa Madelina Tighe died at Woodstock, County Kilkenny, this morning. She was a daughter of the Daike of Richmond, aind was born in 1803. She danced at the famous ball at Brussels Leich, Glence, and others.
Resolutions were unanimously adopted decret confidence in the great leader of the Loberal-Conservative party in the Dominion. Hon. sur Charles Tupper, and loyal support in his efforts to give to the Province a clean and economical government."
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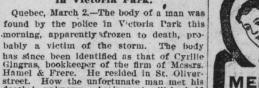
Capt. Neil Murray Is Dead.

<sup>6</sup> Big Blaze at Mainsboro, Pa. Mainsboro, Pa., March 2.—The big busi-ness block in this city owned by J. P. & J. M. Wolff, occupied by fourteen firms, was entirely destroyed by fire to-day, caus-ing a loss of \$80,000.

Capt. Neil Murray Is Dead. St. Catharines, March 2.—Captain Neil Murray of this city passed away at the Windsor Hospital to-day from the effects of an accident that occurred three months ago. He was engaged superintending the unloading of his vessel, when he fell into the coal shute and sustained severe injuries, from which he has been suffering since. The deceased, who was well known here, had a host of friends. He was a cousti of the late Captain James Murray, and his remains will be brought here for inter-ment. Charged With Horse-Stealing. Armed with a warrant, County Constable Tomilnson last night went to 38 Davenport-road and arrested Sampson Kane on a charge of stealing a horse and carriage from a farmer near Orillia. He will be taken back to the northern town for trial.

QUEBEC MAN FOUND DEAD.

Cyrille Gingras, a Bookkeeper, Discovered Dead in the Snow in Victoria Park.



MEN OF ALL AGES death is unknown. An inquest will be held to-morrow. He was a married man, with a large family. quickly restored to robust health, man hood and vigor. Lost Manhood, Pre-mature Decay, Weak Memory. Errors of Youth, Night Losses, Varicocele, for-

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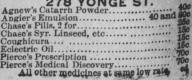
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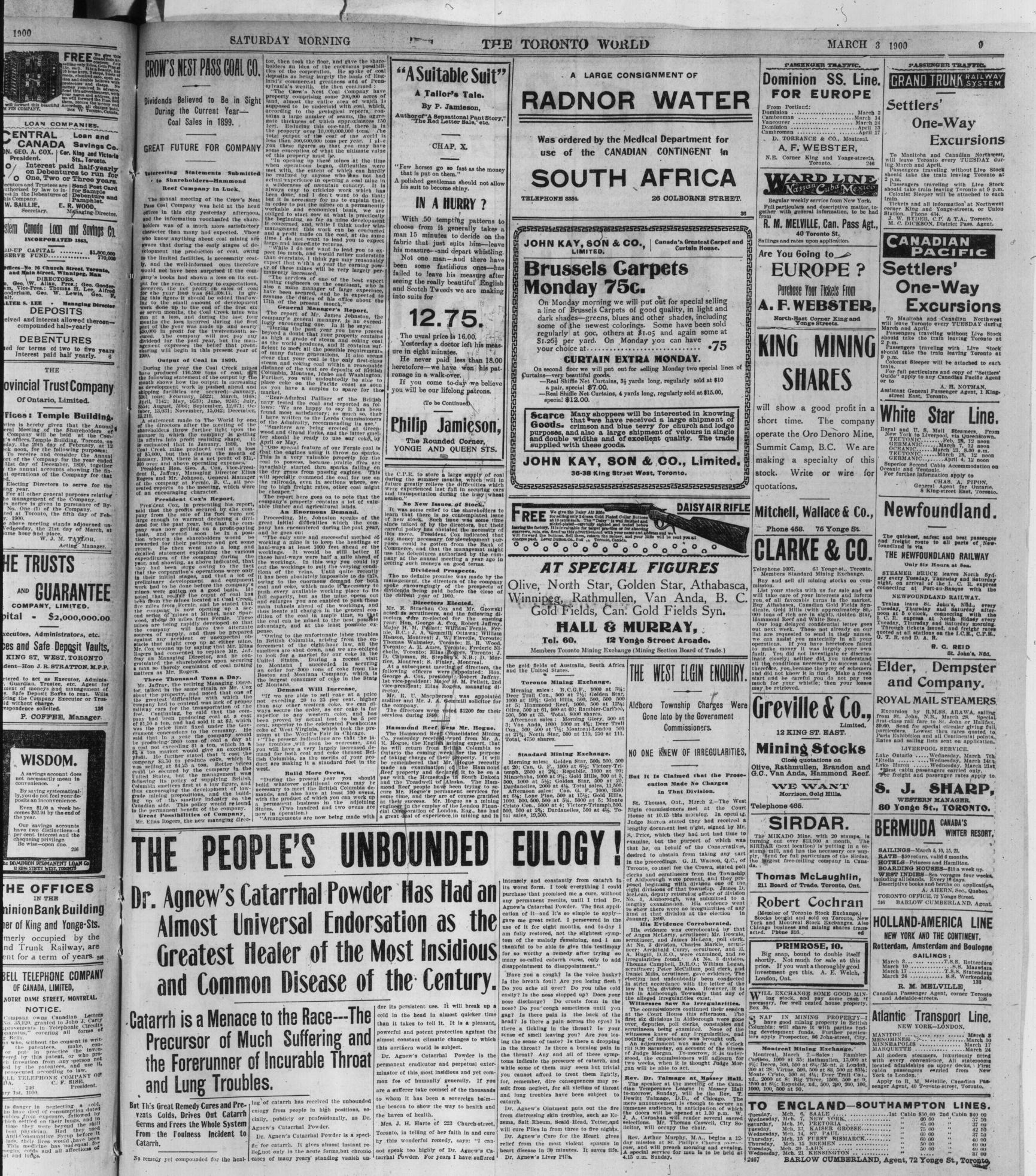


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ANOTHER BIG EXCURSION Of Farmers Next June to Inspect

the Model Farm at Guelph.

the Model Farm at Guelph. A large delegation of representative farm-ers waited on Mr. M. C. Dickson, district passenger agent of the Grand Trunk, yes-terday to make arrangements for the an-nual excursion to the Model Farm at Guelph in June. Last year 3200 farmers took in the trip over the Grand Trunk lines. The delegation was composed of James A. Lamb, secretary North Bruce Farmers' In-stitute, Walkerton; O. H. Nelson, secretary Centre Bruce Farmers' Institute. Paisley; Walter M. Dack, secretary-treasurer Kin-cardine Agricultural Society, Kincardine; Capt. Douglas, West Bruce Farmers' In-stitute, Tara; William Robertson, secretary-treasurer Sunbury Agricultural Society, Wingham; A. E. Sherrington, South Bruce Farmers' Institute, Walkerton, and W. H. Kerr, East Huron Agricultural Society, Brussels.

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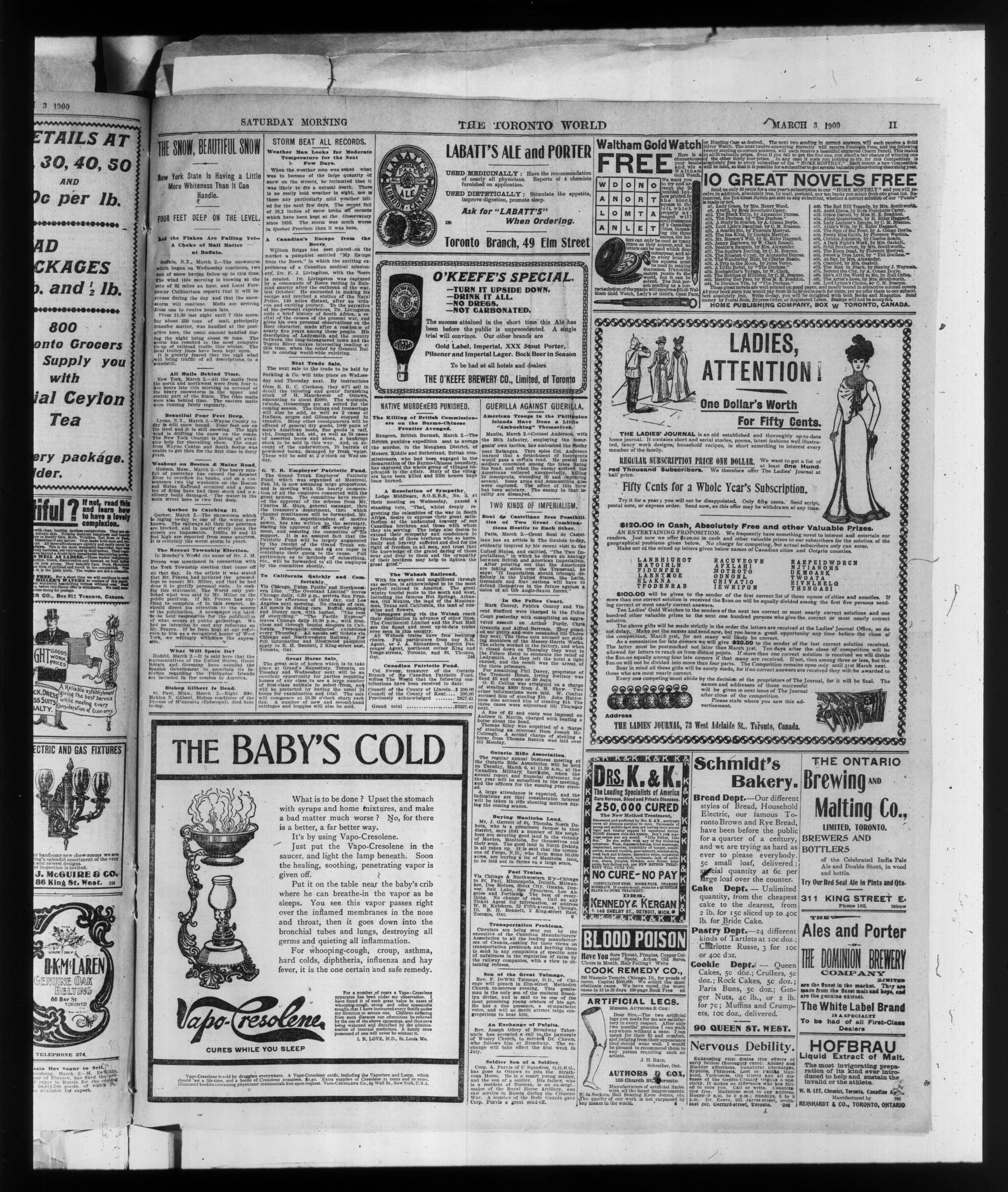
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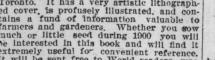
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