

Blue Ribbon
Ceylon Tea

TWENTY-THIRD YEAR

IS NOT KNOWN

Great Britain's Reply to the Dutch Communication Doubts the Ability of the Boer Delegates to Control Their Fellow-Countrymen in the Field.

London, Jan. 31.—The British reply to the Dutch note in regard to bringing about peace in South Africa was despatched yesterday to The Hague. Consequently, the meeting of the British cabinet today had nothing to do with the terms of the note, the contents of which are kept strictly secret, as the first publication of the text is intended to be made in parliament, Monday, Feb. 3.

The Associated Press has reason to believe, however, that its original summary of the Dutch communication was correct, with this addition, that the Dutch suggested that Wessels, Wolmarans and Fischer, the Boer delegates now in Europe, be permitted to go to South Africa in an endeavor to persuade the burghers in the field to surrender.

Great Britain's reply is not in the nature of a direct negative, tho it is not unlikely that it will have that effect, for while Lord Lansdowne, the Foreign Secretary, probably leaves a loophole for further suggestion, he doubts the ability of the Boer delegates to control their fellow-countrymen, and there seems little likelihood that the Dutch government can secure guarantees, in regard to the powers of the Boer delegates, satisfactory enough to induce Great Britain to accede to the original request.

AN APPEAL TO ROOSEVELT.

Boer's in Amsterdam Want Him to Intervene With Britain.

Amsterdam, Jan. 31.—Boer Delegates Fischer, Wolmarans and Wessels called this morning to President Roosevelt in Washington imploring his influence in saving the life of Boer Commandant Kritzinger, who was sentenced to death by court-martial after his capture by the British under Lord Kitchener.

Ceaseless but unavailing efforts have been made by President Kruger and the Boer leaders in Holland to secure the release of the captive, but a deaf ear has been turned to their appeals. The British parliament refusing to intercede or take any action in the matter.

Commandant Kritzinger was reported, and the report emanated from a high station, to have been shot to death at sundown a week ago. The Boer leaders believe the report was intended as a snare to induce Roosevelt to believe the sentence has been executed.

The United States to intervene in a last resort. If it passes unheeded, the life of the Boer commandant is despaired of.

KRITZINGER'S FATE.

No Confirmation of Report That Boer Has Been Executed.

London, Jan. 31.—The report that Commandant Kritzinger was executed by Gen. French on Dec. 17, had been condemned to death is not confirmed here. It was announced from South Africa on Jan. 20 that Kritzinger's trial would be begun this week, but nothing has since been heard of his fate.

The charges against Commandant Kritzinger include four of murder, in addition to train wrecking and cruelty to prisoners.

DEPUTY AND HIS CLERK JAILED

For Stuffing Ballot Boxes

Sensation Created in St. James Division, Montreal, Where It Was Overdone.

Montreal, Jan. 31.—Two arrests took place today, the details of which will probably create a sensation throughout the Dominion. For days past there have been rumors to the effect that frauds of the most serious kind were perpetrated in the recent St. James' election contest between Aldermen Brunet and Mr. J. G. Bergeron, and the few details which have leaked out would seem to indicate that the Elgin and other fraudulent manoeuvres will pale into insignificance compared with the wholesale forgery and theft that were accomplished in St. James' division.

As a result of the revelations two men are in jail, and it is understood that seventeen more arrests will follow. Mr. Bergeron and his Conservative friends were being convicted that they could not get justice at the hands of any committee that might be formed of the present parliament, resolved to bring the culprits before the criminal courts, hence their energetic action, and the end is not yet.

Eight Not on List.
The ex-member for Beauharnois began with poll No. 37, and, altho the number of registered voters was 89, that fewer than 84 ballots were found in the box at the close of the poll; 4 only being marked for the Conservative candidate. This poll Rodolphe Hetu acted as deputy returning officer and J. M. N. Desy represented the Boer faction. It is now expected that the election was stolen.

HOMELIER THAN LINCOLN.

Chaplain William Hastings, Formerly of Toronto, Passes Away in Columbus, Ohio.

Columbus, O., Jan. 31.—William Hastings, formerly of Toronto, known locally as "a homelier man than Lincoln," died yesterday. He kept to the day of his death a pocket knife which he said was given him by Lincoln for being a homelier man than he. Hastings was a chaplain in the civil war, and became well acquainted with the President, who finally handed him the knife one day, saying it had been given him by a man who asked him to give it to a homelier man than he was if he ever met such a man.

STORY OF FAVORITE PRESIDENT'S KNIFE

Which Was Presented to Him Because He Was Not a Picture of Beauty.

Anderson, Ind., Jan. 31.—Mrs. Victoria Mary Wild, 64 years old, was stricken with paralysis to-day and is reported dying to-night. Early in the week she received a letter from the Queen of England thanking her for a letter, a photograph and a record of genealogy. Mrs. Wild claimed to be of royal blood. She reviewed her ancestry from Earl of Anjou and King of Jerusalem down thru the Corwen family. By the Queen's letter Mrs. Wild assumed her views were recognized by royalty and was exceedingly happy. It is thought this excitement superinduced paralysis. Her brother says Mrs. Wild's husband is a preacher now living in Toronto. Many years ago Rev. Mr. Wild, it is said, preached for a long time in Toronto and later in Brooklyn. Mrs. Wild has been several months. She worked as a dressmaker. She was born in Canada. Relatives in Brooklyn have been called.

RECEIVED A LETTER FROM THE QUEEN

Which So Excited Her That It Superinduced Paralysis—Worked as a Dressmaker.

What "Nationally"?
Fine English and American fur coats, in stiff and soft styles—newest blocks—regular \$25—\$35—down to \$15.00. Fairweather's (84 Yonge).

Did you ever try the top barrel?
No wonder Danby's flowers are the choicest—they are the only retail dealer who grows his own flowers. With his excellent facilities and experience he can easily turn out the best of everything. Visit the stores, 5 King west and 445 Yonge-street.

Toronto

TWELVE PAGES—SATURDAY MORNING FEBRUARY 1 1902—TWELVE PAGES

STEAMSHIP LINES COMBINE KEPT FAITH WITH WOMAN BIDDLE BROTHERS CAUGHT

All the Main Systems Running Out From New York Enter Into a Rate Compact.

Minimum Passenger Tariff for Winter Travel Will Be Put at Sixty Dollars.

New York, Jan. 31.—The Commercial Advertiser said today: "An agreement, binding the various transatlantic lines plying between this country and England to adopt a uniform minimum freight rate on grain and provisions, was signed to-day by the representatives of the various steamship lines interested. The freight rates are increased on all grain and provisions leaving this country for Liverpool and London. The minimum rate on grain is fixed at one and a half pence per bushel of 60 pounds, and the minimum rate on provisions at 10 shillings per ton of 2240 pounds, increasing the grain rate 33-1/3 per cent, and the provision rate 10 per cent.

"No maximum rate has been fixed. The lines included in the agreement are the White Star, the Cunard, the Atlantic Transport, the International Navigation, the Leyland, the Dominion Line, the Philadelphia Line, the Lamport and Holt Line, the Chesapeake and Ohio Line, and the Virginia Line, from Norfolk.

"It was learned that the passenger rates under discussion contemplate a minimum of \$60 for winter travel. The same lines have signed the freight agreement, which will be in force from the 1st of February. Negotiations between the lines are in progress with a view to securing a rate which will have been left out of the freight agreement."

EDWARD MORTALLY AND JOHN BADLY WOUNDED

Mrs. Soffel Shoots Herself When She Sees That Further Flight Is Impossible—One Prisoner Emphatically Declares He Is Innocent of Charges.

Pittsburg, Jan. 31.—A telegram from Butler, at 9:30 p.m., says: Edward Biddle in jail today. John Biddle riddled with buckshot and in a precarious condition and Mrs. Peter K. Soffel lying in the hospital with a self-inflicted bullet wound in the breast is the sequel of the sensational escape of the Biddle brothers from the Allegheny County Jail, aided by Mrs. Soffel, the wife of the jail warden, on Thursday morning.

The story of the close of the Biddle tragedy, which came at 5:45 this afternoon, is a thrilling one. The scene was a snow-covered road two miles east of Prospect, Butler County, near Mount Chestnut, and the exact place was at McClure's barn, where two double-barreled shotguns, filled with eight-gauge, three of them Pittsburg detectives—John Booth, Albert Swinshart and Charles McGovern—met the Biddles and Mrs. Soffel in a one-horse sleigh, stolen at Pottsville, and at once opened fire on the trio. The Biddle, returned the fire at jumping out of the sleigh.

Both Biddles Shot.
Edward Biddle was shot in the left arm, in the breast and in one leg. John Biddle was riddled with buckshot in the breast and head.

The Pittsburg officers were met at Butler this afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Ruffalo and Officers Frank Holbert and Aaron Thompson, of the latter under command of Chief of Police William Ray of Butler. The officers were certain that they were on the right track. It was only a question of time when they would catch up to the escaping condemned murderers and their guilty companion. The Biddles and Mrs. Soffel sat dinner at J. J. Stephens', at Mount Chestnut, five miles east of Butler.

They had made a detour of the Town of Butler, and, after going several miles east, turned north and then west. The Pittsburg officers, only a few miles in the rear, took the wrong road for about eight miles, but when they found their mistake, they made up for lost time by telephoning and telegraphing ahead for fresh horses. They reached Mount Chestnut not less than half an hour after the Biddles and Mrs. Soffel. At this point William Watson, a storekeeper, had fresh horses awaiting them, and the chase began anew.

Drove to Their Doom.
The two sleighs, with the eight officers aboard, started westward and met the Biddles and Mrs. Soffel at McClure's barn, two miles from Mount Prospect. The Biddles having learned that they were almost overtaken, and taking what they considered the only chance, had driven eastward and met their doom.

The Pittsburg and other officers were armed with Winchester rifles and revolvers of large caliber. They shot to kill, and their aim was perfect. The Biddle tried to kill the last of their stragglers, but not one of the eight officers has a wound as the result of the battle. When the detectives got within 60 yards of the fugitives, they opened fire. The Biddles promptly answered with shotgun and revolver. Mrs. Soffel, too, stood up in the sleigh with a revolver in each hand, and blazed away at her pursuers. When Ed. Biddle fell, and she was about to be captured, she fired a bullet into her breast. An examination by physicians shows that she will recover, as the bullet was deflected by her corset, and the wound is comparatively slight.

Ed. Biddle got a bullet in the breast, penetrated his right lung, and will probably die before morning. John Biddle may recover, his wounds, the numerous, falling to reach a vital spot. The escape of the officers is miraculous. The Biddles have demonstrated on several occasions that they were good marksmen, and why they should have failed to-day to bring down their men is a mystery.

After the Biddles fell to the snow-covered ground, the officers picked up the apparently lifeless bodies of Mrs. Soffel and the Biddles and came back to Butler, bringing the stolen sleigh, patched-up harness and worn-out horse that the trio had tried so strenuously to get away with toward Canada and liberty.

Ed. Biddle's Statement.
At the jail to-night, Ed. Biddle called for a priest, and made the following statement: "I have been accused of a great many serious crimes, I admit that I could have committed many of the opportunities for them having presented themselves. I want to say now that I did not kill Detective Fitzgerald, nor did I shoot Thomas Kahney, nor was my brother implicated in the crime for which I was about to be executed, and he never treated his wife as he should. He broke the heart of the mother of the boys. With the death of their parents, the Biddles were given into the care of their uncle, Ben McQuade, who was reputed to be a demon when the ladies were around. In fact, the day he committed suicide, in the presence of his aged mother, it is said that he first threatened to kill the Biddle boys.

So there was little wonder when the boys went wrong. They left Amherstburg, presently, but visited there shortly before the Pittsburg affair, and the folks around the town were reminded of old Ben McQuade by the actions of the Biddles. They have relatives in Amherstburg yet, and a sister resides in Detroit.

HAD BEEN ILL LONG.
Pittsburg, Jan. 31.—Says Warden Soffel to-night: "Think of my children. Their future will be bright. I would rather have died than come to this. To think that my wife, the last person whom I would suspect, should do so." Mr. Soffel has two girls, 15 and 13 years old, and two boys, 10 and 7 years old.

The friends of Mrs. Soffel believe she could not have been in her right mind. For several years she has been an invalid, and about one year ago she was sent to a sanitarium. She came back much improved, but the long and painful illness is believed to have weakened her mind.

EGYPT'S GIGANTIC SCHEME.

First Step Made to Increase Water Supply of Nile.

Cairo, Jan. 31.—The Emperor Menelik has given his permission for the exploration of the regions round Lake Tzana in Abyssinia, and Sir W. Garstin intends going there shortly to study the irrigation question.

This is a step forward with one of the great projects for increasing the water supply of the Nile. Lake Tzana is situated in the Northern Abyssinian plateau at an altitude of 1775 metres above the sea. Its area is about 3200 square kilometers, and it is very deep. Its level was raised by five metres a storage of 152,000 million cubic yards of water could be obtained.

Sir W. Garstin recently put first in place the plan for increasing the water supply of the Nile by the project of constructing a reservoir at Lake Tzana.

Turkish Bath and Bed—129 Yonge St. Factory Property for Sale.
The central factory property on southwest corner Queen and Yonge-streets is offered at low figures and easy terms for immediate sale. J. L. Troy, 52 Adelaide E.

The Bilboner Leading Cafe, 90 King West. R. E. Nobis, Manager.

Patents

ONE CENT

NEARLY A MILLION A DAY COSTS TO CARRY THE WAR

On Jan. 1 There Were 237,800 British Troops in South Africa—General French Captures Twenty-Six Men Belonging to Fouché's Commando, Completely Scattering It.

London, Jan. 31.—The War Secretary, Mr. Brodrick, in introducing a supplementary army estimate of £5,000,000, in the House of Commons to-day, said that it brought the total cost of the war for the present year up to £61,070,000.

On Jan. 1 there were still 237,800 British troops in South Africa. The expense of the war had now been reduced to about £4,600,000 per month.

French Takes Fouché's Men.
Lord Kitchener, in a despatch from Pretoria, dated Thursday, Jan. 30, reports that the camp of Colonel L. E. DuMoulin of the Sussex Regiment was attacked by Njwoudt's commando, and that, after severe fighting, the Boers were repulsed.

Lord Kitchener also reports that General French captured 26 men belonging to Fouché's commando in the northwestern part of Cape Colony, and that the commando was completely scattered.

INDIA SENDS 6000 MEN.
Time-Expired Soldiers Will Fight in South Africa.
Calcutta, Jan. 31.—Six thousand men, who but for the Boer war would be time-expired, will embark at Bombay for South Africa in three batches, sailing respectively on February 3, February 17 and at the beginning of March.

Each British regiment in India is sending with its quota one officer, who will return later with an equivalent number of young soldiers from the seat of war.

INDIA WILL SEND 6000 MEN.
Indians will thus give Lord Kitchener assistance for unseasoned troops.

BOERS KILL KAFFIRS.
Wessels' Men Ambush British and Shoot a Scout.
Grant Relief, Jan. 31.—Brink and Davies, two of Colonel Dorman's scouts,

Sifton is Branded as a Liar By Ex-Liberal Richardson

Only an Infernal Scoundrel Would Say Latter Violated Secrecy of Caucus.

Winnipeg, Jan. 31.—The Tribune tonight says: At a Liberal meeting in Crystal City Thursday night, the Hon. Clifford Sifton, who usually restricts himself to closed doors when whispering his calumnies about opponents, came out openly and made a charge which, for contemptibility, cowardice and untruthfulness eclipses anything he has attempted for a long time.

He charged that the reasop party countenances had been withdrawn from Mr. Richardson because he had violated the secrecy of caucus.

Nobody but an infernal scoundrel would make such a charge, knowing the facts as Mr. Sifton's own men. Fortunately, documentary evidence exists which proves the absolute falsehood of Mr. Sifton's statement.

Mr. Richardson, when he discovered that Mr. Sifton, in the words of his reverent friend, Dr. Douglas, M.P., had

NEARLY FROZEN TO DEATH.
Ottawa, Jan. 31.—Napoleon Landry started one day last week to walk from a shanty on the Mattawa to the nearest station. It was bitter cold, and he was nearly frozen to death.

HE MANNED BY WOMEN.
Captain's Wife and Daughter Bring Steamer to Port.
Sydney, Jan. 31.—The steamer Heathcote, which arrived at Sydney from New York on Tuesday last, had a most exciting voyage. A fire broke out near 18,000 cases of kerosene, and was not got under without the utmost effort.

SEAT BOLD FOR \$10,000.
Messrs. Osborne and Francis have purchased for \$10,000 a seat on the Toronto Stock Exchange, held until now by a well-known member of that board.

HOW KUYPER LOOKS.
Dr. Kuyper, the Dutch Premier, is a portly man of strong Calvinistic tendency and a vigorous personality.

A TRIFLE WARMER.
Meteorological Office, Toronto, Jan. 31.—(8 p.m.)—Decidedly low temperatures prevailed this morning in the Northwest Territories and the Ottawa Valley, but the weather generally in the Dominion has been fair, with scattered snow flurries.

PERFECTION SMOKING MIXTURE VERY COOL.
Alvo Bolland.

MONUMENTS.
The Montreal Granite & Marble Company, Limited, 119 and 121 Yonge-street, Tel. 2440. Terminal Long-street car route.

BIRTHS.
WOLFE—At 30 Pembroke-street, city, on Wednesday, Jan. 29th, 1902, Mr. and Mrs. Mat. Wolfe, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.
ROSS-MATHIEWS—At St. James' Cathedral, Toronto, on Wednesday, 29th Jan., 1902, by the Bishop of Toronto, assisted by the Rev. Canon Welch, John Kenneth Lawson Ross, son of James Ross of Montreal, to Ethel Alice, daughter of Wm. D. Matthews of Toronto.

DEATHS.
PEARSALE—At Vancouver, B.C., on Jan. 29th, Walter B., eldest son of Charles Pearsale, jeweler, formerly of Toronto, in his 22nd year.

CHILI ORDERS HAYONETS.
London, Jan. 31.—The Daily Mail says that Chili has ordered 15,000 bayonets from a firm at Solingen, Germany, with the condition that they be delivered as promptly as possible.

Advertisement for Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea, mentioning the date of the issue and the price of the tea.



Specials To Clear This Week

Shipments of new spring suitings and dress fabrics are coming forward...

And useful lengths in Black and Colored Dress Fabrics, French Printed Flannels, Linen Damasks and Bed Linens...

Special Offers In Linen Damask Tablecloths, Table Napkins, Doilies and Towels...

Extra Values In Suits, Jackets, Skirts, Shirt Waists, Corsets, Gloves...

Shaped Lace Gowns In Cream and Black Net and Lace, embroidered and black sequin trimmed...

A fine display of new Italian Rugs, for couch, den or cosy corner.

JOHN CATTO & SON King Street, Opposite the Postoffice.

Public Amusements The Coming "Messenger Boy" Messrs. Nixon and Zimmerman's splendid production of "The Messenger Boy"...

Exciting Melodrama at the Toronto Theatre Charles E. Blaney's sensational Chinese-American drama "King of the Opium Ring"...

James T. Powers in the Title Role of "The Messenger Boy"...

Consumption Prevented and Cured. Four marvelous free remedies for all sufferers reading this paper...

Do you cough? Do your lungs pain you? Do you have a sore throat and are inflamed? Do you spit up phlegm? Do your head ache? Do your appetite fade? Do your lungs feel tight? Do you lose flesh? Do you lack stamina? Do you lack energy? Do you feel that you have in your body the seeds of the most dangerous malady that has ever devastated the earth—consumption?

Consumption, the bane of those who have been brought up in the old-fashioned beliefs that this disease was hereditary, that it was fatal, that none could recover who were once firmly clasped in its relentless grip.

But now known to be curable, made so by the discoveries of that man whose name has been given to this new system of treatment.

Now known to be preventable and curable by following and practicing his teachings.

The new system of treatment will cure you of consumption and of all diseases which can be traced back to weak lungs as a foundation.

It is not a drug system, but a system of germ destruction and body building.

Not a step backward, but a stride out of the old ruts. The Slocum System consists of Four Preparations which act simultaneously and supplement each other curative action.

Non-irritative to test what this system will do for you. If you are sick, by writing for a FREE TRIAL TREATMENT and the Four Free Preparations will be forwarded you at once, with complete directions for use.

The Slocum System is a positive cure for Consumption, that most insidious disease which attacks the Throat and Lungs, complicated by Loss of Flesh, Hoarseness, Catarrh of the Lungs, and Hemoptoe.

HER HUSBAND WAS A DRUNKARD

A Lady Who Cures Her Husband of His Drinking Habits Writes of Her Struggle to Save Her Home.

A PATHETIC LETTER.

Reeves-Smith at the Grand. My husband, supported by me, Margaret Robinson and his excellent company, will be the attraction at the Grand Opera House next week.

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THE UNDERSIGNED OFFER FOR PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTION

\$3,000,000 Great Northern Railway of Canada

First Mortgage Fifty Year Sinking Fund Gold 5s. PART OF AN ISSUE OF \$4,040,000

Dated Jan. 1, 1900. Due Jan. 1, 1960.

Principal and Semi-annual Interest (January and July) payable at Central Trust Co., New York, in Gold.

COUPON BONDS OF \$1000 EACH, WITH PROVISION FOR REGISTRATION OF PRINCIPAL.

Trustee of Mortgage and Sinking Fund, CENTRAL TRUST CO., NEW YORK.

The Sinking Fund, which becomes operative after January 1, 1910, absolutely retires entire issue of bonds at maturity.

Of the total issue of \$4,040,000 Bonds, \$1,040,000 have been taken for permanent investment. The balance of \$3,000,000

Are Offered for Public Subscription at 100 and Interest.

The \$4,040,000 of Bonds are issued at \$200.00 per mile on 177 miles of completed mileage, which is the maximum amount per mile allowed under the Company's Charter by Act of Dominion Parliament, and an additional \$500,000 issued on account of the Hawkesbury Bridge. By special Act of the Dominion Parliament, passed 1901, both issues are made equal security and a first mortgage on railroad and bridges.

The subscription books will be opened at 10 a.m. on Saturday, February 1, 1902. The right is reserved to reject any applications, and to allot a smaller amount than applied for. Bonds allotted to subscribers must be paid for on or before February 10, 1902.

Application will be made to list these bonds on the New York Stock Exchange. Copies of the mortgages can be seen at our offices. Complete descriptive circulars and maps furnished upon application.

Extracts from Letter of Hon. Pierre Garneau, President: This Company is incorporated under a special Act of Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, enacted in 1902, and was planned to be a part of a short through line between the Northwest and Europe.

In November, 1900, the Company commenced the partial operation of its line, and May 1st, 1901, the complete operation of its main line for through business and branches.

The Great Northern Railway of Canada operates from a connection with the Canada Atlantic Railway at Hawkesbury, Ontario, to Quebec, a distance of 228 miles, 168 of which is owned, and 58 miles via leased running Quebec. In connection with the Canada Atlantic Railway, the Leland Steamship Company and the Canada Atlantic Transit Company, the Great Northern Railway forms an important part of a through line, lake and rail, between Duluth and Liverpool, over 800 miles shorter than via Buffalo.

The terminals and elevators of the Great Northern Railway at Quebec are located on the Louise Basin, which has cost the government over \$3,000,000 to construct. The Great Northern Docks have 35 and 40 feet of water at mean low tide, and can handle the largest ships now crossing the Atlantic. The elevators have a capacity of over 1,250,000 bushels.

Since the opening of navigation of the present year, notwithstanding the almost unprecedented stagnation in the grain trade, a regular and continuous business in grain has been carried on over the Great Northern Railway, and through the Company's elevators. Eighteen large steamships have been loaded this season, besides two steamers previously loaded at Montreal, which were obliged to unload and reshipe their cargoes at Quebec. All these grain, large quantities of flour, lard, dressed meats, pulp, pressed hay, live stock, chair stock, deals and other stuff. The Railway has also the honor, in the first season of its operation, of having loaded the largest cargo that has ever been shipped from the St. Lawrence.

During the season of 1901, the Loyland Line furnished our entire ocean tonnage, making the port of destination London. For the season of 1902, at least two other lines will run in connection with the Great Northern, giving two additional European ports.

The Great Northern also enjoys exemption from port and harbor dues on its export business, an exemption not enjoyed by any other railway in Canada.

In addition to being a short through line, the Great Northern has a splendid local business, the country through which it runs between Quebec and the Ottawa River being the oldest settled portion of Canada. Running as it does east and west, the line crosses many rivers, and is local business is local. The pulp mill alone, however, furnishes the Great Northern over 500 tons of freight per day, in and out. The Canadian Carbide Company, whose output, beginning June 1, will be over 50 tons per day of Calcium Carbide.

Many other plants are being located here, active work on which will commence in the early spring. It is estimated that, for the year January 1, 1902, to January 1, 1903, Shawinigan Falls alone will give a tonnage of over 1000 tons of freight per day to the Great Northern Railway.

Between Hawkesbury and Quebec, the Great Northern traverses a country which annually raises over 350,000 tons of hay, 4,000,000 pounds of cheese and butter, 2,500,000 bushels of grain, etc. Located along the Company's lines, and outside of Montreal and Quebec, are 185 manufacturing establishments.

NO ARGUMENT NEEDED

Every Sufferer from Catarrh Knows that Salves, Lotions, Washes, Sprays and Douches Do Not Cure

Powders, lotions, salves, sprays and inhalers cannot really cure a catarrh because this disease is a blood disease.

It is a disease of the blood, and unless the blood is purified, the disease will not be cured.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are a blood purifier, and will cure the disease.

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INDEPENDENT FORESTRY

In Detroit on Wednesday evening, fully 3000 Foresters and their friends greeted Dr. Cronkright, the Supreme Chief Ranger, Mr. John A. McGilvray, Supreme Secretary, and Hon. Elliott G. Stevenson, Supreme Treasurer, visited Court East Toronto on Monday evening and initiated 27 new members, and assisted by High Officers Wilson and Bull, installed the officers of the court for the coming year, after which a pleasant time was spent around the banquet table.

WASHINGTON EXCURSIONS Four grand excursions to Washington via the Lehigh Valley Railroad. Rate only \$10.00 the round trip, from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo. Tickets good 10 days. Dates of excursions, Feb. 6, March 6 and 28, and May 15. Stay over allowed at Philadelphia on the return trip. For further particulars call on or address Robert S. Lewis, Canadian Passenger Agent, 33 Yonge Street (Board of Trade Building), Toronto.

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AIM TO REDUCE REPRESENTATION

Irish Members Will Oppose the Measure With All Their Might.

Dublin, Jan. 31.—Mr. Balfour's intention in the House of Commons that a bill for the redistribution of seats is to be introduced by the government at this session of parliament means in Ireland that the session is to see one of the hardest fights ever fought in Westminster since the days of Isaac Butt and Parnell.

The object of the bill is to reduce Irish representation in parliament. Great Britain will have broken the bond between the two countries, placing Ireland in the same political position which she held in the time of Grattan.

This new move of Mr. Balfour is regarded as the highest possible tribute to the activity of the eight or nine Irish Nationalists, for it is to lessen the obstruction they cause that this measure is proposed.

Mr. Redmond and his colleagues will fight the bill with all their might, anomalous as such action may at first appear, in view of the effect which they say its passage will have on the Act of Union. The fight will be made to bring home to Englishmen the wrong of keeping up a host's share of the United Kingdom's taxation on the proportion agreed upon at the time of the Union.

It is understood that the intention of the government to reduce the Irish representation by about thirty.

King's Clemency.
Berlin, Jan. 31.—A gracious act of clemency on the part of King Edward has just come to light.

A German named Wilhelm Jahr, living at Johannesburg, was a considerable time ago sentenced to be shot. His family at Johannesburg in the Harz Mountains, thru the German Foreign Office, endeavored in vain to obtain a reprieve. The British authorities refused to interfere.

The mother, in her despair, wrote to the King of England, asking for her son's pardon. She has now been informed from London that the sentence has been annulled by the King's orders and the man will be treated as a prisoner of war.

Shrine Night at Shea's.
The Shrine's theatre party at Shea's on the 7th of March will be the most successful event of the year. Applications for seats are being daily received by Noble M. T. Lester, 20 Bay-street, and as the jurisdiction of Ramesses Temple extends over the province, many parties from outside points have already made application. Special features will be added to the bill presented by Shea's that week, and the committee will visit New York in search of the latest up-to-date shrine attractions.

Saved By a Rabbit.
Paris, Jan. 31.—M. Prosper L., a Paris cattle dealer, spent Saturday night with some merry friends in the Bois de Boulogne. He was pressed into accepting a present of a live rabbit.

M. L. accepted it, and passed the rabbit to his wife. She was in a pool of blood, but examination proved that she was unharmed. The rabbit had saved him by receiving the two knife blows that had had made the dealer lose his sense.

University Saturday Lectures.
The third lecture of the course will be delivered this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the University Chemical Building by Prof. A. P. Coleman. His subject is "The Fourth of Time" with lantern illustrations.

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PREMIER TO SHOW HIS HAND

Says Bill in Connection With Prohibition Will Probably Be Presented Next Week.

THE DAY AT THE LEGISLATURE

Many Public Bills Receive Their Second Reading—Attendance at Dairy Schools.

The Ontario government will bring down its promised bill in connection with the prohibition question probably during the latter part of next week. Premier Ross made this brief announcement in the House yesterday afternoon in answer to an enquiry by Mr. Whitney.

In moving the second reading of his bill to amend the Municipal Act, Mr. Hoyle explained that at present municipalities very often arose between municipal councils and school boards by reason of members holding positions on both bodies, and the object of his bill was to provide that no person could hold the dual position.

The Attorney General agreed that the membership of the bodies in question should be separate. He, however, was not altogether satisfied as to whether the bill should be passed or not. It was finally given its second reading, and sent on to the Municipal Committee.

To Amend Game Law.
Mr. Auld's bill to amend the Ontario Game Protection Act by removing all restrictions relating to the killing of wood hares was left over on the explanation made by the Commissioner of Public Works that he was bringing in a bill covering the point, and also in connection with shortening the season for shooting quail and increasing the penalty for a violation of the law.

A second reading was given to Mr. Duff's bill which amends the Municipal Act by providing that township councils shall consist of the reeve, who will be the head of it, and of four councillors, who shall be elected separately.

To Correct an Error.
Mr. Curran's bill to amend the Municipal Act was given its second reading. It corrected, he said, an error in connection with the powers of municipalities to issue debentures for the purchase of lighting power and other plants. At present places where the population was 5000 or under could issue debentures for a period of 30 years, while municipalities with a larger population were restricted to 20 years.

Attendance at Dairy Schools.
In answer to an enquiry by Mr. Carroge the Minister of Agriculture said that since 1895 227 students had attended the Western Dairy School, 524 the Guelph School and 615 the Eastern Dairy School.

Dr. Jessop's Bill to Amend the Ontario Medical Act was sent to the following select committee: Messrs. McKay, Jessop, Byrne, Carleton, Preston, Graham, O'Brien, Garraw and Hoyle.

Mr. Watson asked when the Crowlands, asylums and several other reforms would be presented to the House. The Premier replied that he would enquire, and have them brought down as early as possible.

Speakers announced to the House the election of Mr. Penne of Kingston. Applause followed the announcement.

Notices of Motion.
The following notices of motion were put in:

Mr. Leys (on Monday next)—Bill to amend the Mechanics' Lien Act.

Mr. Pettigrew (on Monday next)—Bill to amend the Assessment Act.

Mr. Brower (on Tuesday next)—Bill to amend the Municipal Act.

Mr. Krebs (on Monday next)—Enquiry of Ministry—Is it the intention of the government to provide a means whereby the town of Galt will be protected from the spring floods?

Mr. Krebs (on Monday next)—Bill respecting county councils.

Mr. Chipman, the government engineer, who was deputed by the government to report on the best method by which the spring floods on the Grand River at the town of Galt can be prevented.

Mr. Smith (on Monday next)—Bill respecting county councils.

Assembly Notes.
At a meeting of the Private Bill Committee yesterday morning the bill to incorporate the Toronto Canoe Club was passed.

A bill is being prepared by the opposition with the object in view of preventing crooked work at polling booths.

Inspector Murray was sent by the Pittsburgh authorities to keep a lookout for the Eddie brothers, who broke out of the jail there. Mr. Murray does not think they will come to Canada.

According to a return presented to the legislature 20 1/2 acres were ordered to be destroyed during the San Jose fire in Lincoln County. The actual number destroyed was 17 1/2 acres. There is an outbreak of diphtheria and scarlet fever reported from Magway, near Parry Sound. There have been 10 cases.

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FUNERAL OF HENRY S. HOWLAND

To Mount Pleasant Attended by Many Prominent People.
Several hundred of Toronto's prominent business men and others attended the funeral yesterday afternoon of the late Henry S. Howland, late president of the Imperial Bank, and head of the wholesale hardware firm of H. S. Howland, Sons & Co. The casket lay in the parlors of the family residence at 60 St. George-street, and was surrounded with flowers. At the house an impressive service was conducted by Rev. John Gillespie of the Church of the Holy Trinity, who also officiated at the grave in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

The chief mourners were: Sir William Howland, brother; Rev. John Gillespie, W. W. Vickers, sons-in-law; Mayor Howland, Lucien Howland, Ironclad, Sutherland, J. W. Howland, William Howland, Thomson, Howland, George W. Howland, and Frank Howland.

Among those present were: Mr. R. Wilkie, general manager; T. R. Merrett, vice-president; and Robert Jaffray, T. Sutherland Stayer, Elias Rogers, William Hendrie, directors; W. Moffatt, O. P. Rice, C. H. Stanley Clark and A. R. Caprell, local managers, representing the Empire Bank; James S. Locke, manager of the Imperial Trust Co.; Thomas Dexter, manager of the firm of H. S. Howland, Sons & Co.; W. D. Long, vice-president; R. M. Mason, director; and F. Sparling, secretary, of the National Life Assurance Co., and the office staff and a large representation of the employees of H. S. Howland, Sons & Co.

The floral tributes were beautiful and included a large rest from the staff of the Imperial Bank, cross from the directors of the Imperial Bank, pillow from the employees of H. S. Howland, Sons & Co., and tributes from the directors and officers of the National Insurance Co., Dothan & Son, Montreal, and Sir William Howland.

Revenue of Canada.

Ottawa, Jan. 31.—The customs revenue for the month of January, just ended, shows an increase of \$428,001 over the same month a year ago. The actual figures for the two months were: January, 1901, \$2,061,095; January, 1902, \$2,489,186. For the seven months of the present fiscal year, ending to-day, the customs receipts were \$18,355,878, as against \$16,074,146 for the same period of the year preceding, an increase of \$1,681,732.

CURES WEAK MEN FREE.

Send Name and Address To-day—You Can Have It Free and Be Strong and Vigorous For Life.

INSURES LOVE AND A HAPPY HOME.



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How any man may quickly cure himself of weakness, loss of vitality, night losses, varicocele, etc., and enlarge small weak organs, to full size, simply send your name and address to Dr. L. W. Knapp, 1218 Hull Building, Detroit, Mich., and he will gladly send the free receipt with full directions so that any man may easily cure himself at home. This is certainly a most generous offer and the following extracts, taken from his daily mail, show what men think of his generosity.

"Dear Sir:—Please accept my sincere thanks for yours of recent date. I have given your treatment a thorough test and the benefit has been extraordinary. It has completely braced me up. I am just as vigorous as when a boy and you cannot realize how happy I am."

"Dear Sir:—Your method worked beautifully. Results were exactly what I needed. Strength and vigor have completely returned and enlargement is entirely satisfactory."

"Dear Sir:—Yours was received and I had no trouble in making use of the receipt as directed and as a result, I say it is a boon to weak men. I am greatly improved in size, strength and vigor."

All correspondence strictly confidential, mailed in plain, sealed envelope. The receipt is free for the asking and he wants every man to have it.

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Special Offer—Should you desire to see a sample box of our pills, we will send a full box to everybody sending us the coupon on this paper.

To the Trade

AN AWFUL AGONY

NEW BRUNSWICK MAN WAS COMPLETELY CRIPPLED WITH PAIN.

A Fearful Example of What Sciatica Can Do—Could Not Walk or Move Without Enduring the Most Excruciating Pain—How He Was Cured.

Boletown, N.B., Jan. 31.—(Special.)—Northumberland County has seldom, if ever, been so much interested in the illness and recovery of any one man as it has been in the case of Wm. A. Brown of this place.

Mr. Brown describes his case in part as follows: "I had Sciatica so bad in my back and hip that I could not walk without suffering awful agony, and pains would shoot through my back with a sensation similar to running a knife through it."

He continued the treatment, and the pains all left me, and I was completely cured, and have had no return of them since. I think Dods' Kidney Pills are a wonderful remedy, and I have recommended them to a number of others who were suffering, and they all get near their failure to cure."

This remarkable cure of such an extreme case has created quite a sensation among those who know how to take Dods' Kidney Pills.

How Boers Make Surprises

British Disasters Not Always the Direct Result of a Commander's Incompetence.

METHODS OF SCOUTING EFFECTIVE

Enemy Stalked Patiently, Silently and Warily as if a Wild Animal.

London, Jan. 31.—Writing in 'The Daily Mail,' H. S. Pearce says: When a British column suffers a disaster that cannot be directly traced to a commander's incompetence or carelessness we are perhaps too apt to assume that the Intelligence Officer has been negligent in some respect.

Wonder that Boers numbering a thousand or more can get within striking distance of an effective force of our troops is natural enough to those who do not know what Boer methods of scouting are.

A great many soldiers have learnt the game by long experience, and can play it off against their very adversaries for some purpose. Others, however, are mere children at it, and will not be safe from surprises until they have been taught by the Boer, being a sportsman by habit, stalks an enemy doggedly, and cunningly, and he would stalk any wild animal. He can often locate his game without seeing it, because he is able to read the signs that tell little or nothing to unpractised observers. And it must be remembered that the Boer, being a hunter, has a keen eye for the signs that tell of the movements of his prey.

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How They Reconnoitre.

First of all he would do as a Boer scout does—climb to the top of some high tree in all directions, and remain there until he has seen all the country around him, and then he would descend, and make up his mind to get near the enemy's position, and then he would stalk the enemy, and then he would attack him.

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Popular Campbell Clothing in Ever-Increasing Demand.

Campbell's palatial clothing store at 113 West King-street has been still further beautified during the past week by the addition of another row of handsome cabinets. This makes this store one of the finest on the continent. It presents an exceptionally good appearance at night when the numerous fine electric lights are turned on.

Trade at this store has been eminently satisfactory, having shown an increase of 25 per cent since the fall trade opened up. This is not only a tribute to Campbell clothing, but reflects credit on the efficient management of Mr. D. R. Deatour.

Campbell clothing gives universal satisfaction. It is cut and designed by a first-class New York specialist, and has an individuality that makes it popular with good dressers.

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And a clear complexion, the pride of woman—Have you lost these charms through Torpid Liver, Constipation, Bilelessness or Nervousness?

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The annual school treat was given in the Presbyterian Church at Eglinton last night. After abundant refreshments the pastor, Mr. J. J. Garthshore, presented a goodly array of prizes to the children.

Rev. Canon Sweeney, rector of St. Philip's Church, spoke on the diocesan missions at St. Clement's Church last night, basing his remarks on "For His Sake." There was a fairly large congregation, and the Canon's address was much appreciated. Special psalms and hymns were sung.

YORK MILLS

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Boys' 3-piece Suits, all-wool English tweeds, in dark grey and brown, mixed broken check patterns, well cut and trimmed, an excellent school suit, sizes 28 to 33, special, Monday 3.50

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Men's Fine White Laundry Shirts, short bosom, open front or back, pure linen bosom and wristbands, Austrian make, extra fine, reduced from \$1.00 to 75c.

Men's Heavy Grey Flannel Shirts, collar attached, pearl buttons, double-stitched seams, pocket, full-size bodies and well made, sizes 14 to 17, Monday 1.00

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The Hosiery Sale

Men's Plain Seamless Pure Wool Cashmere Half Hose, black, tan, cardinal, navy and natural, good weight, sample pairs and some pairs slightly imperfect, regular 25c to 45c, Hosiery Sale Monday, per pair 12c

Men's Plain Black Cotton Half Hose, with or without ball-grain sole, regular 25c, Hosiery Sale, Monday, per pair 12c

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Books and Stationery

2 gross Large Blue and Red Checking Pencils, regular 5c each, Monday, each 2c

50 Cloth School Bags, assorted colors, regular 25c, Monday 10c

50 copies only The Farmers' Encyclopaedia, well bound in heavy cloth, a complete book of reference on cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, bee keeping and home medicine, by D. Magon, 690 pages and 600 illustrations, regular \$1.00, on Monday 49c

Moving Pictures in Massey Hall

Yesterday's applications for seats numbered over five thousand. To-day by ten o'clock we expect tickets will have been issued for every seat in the hall, for afternoon and evening.

Men's \$1.50 FELT BOOTS 95c.

Men's Best Felt Elastic-Slide Boots, warm and serviceable, sizes 6, 7 and 8 only, regular price \$1.25 and \$1.50, Monday 95c

Heather Brand Groceries

This brand is the guarantee of the Robert Simpson Company that goods so branded are choice.

Heather Brand Cocoa, high grade, 1-2 lb. tin 20c

Heather Brand Pure Orange Marmalade, per jar 15c

Heather Brand Red Grape Jelly, quart bottle 15c

Heather Brand Jelly Powder, all flavors, three packages 35c

Heather Brand Pure Fruit Extracts, all flavors, 5-oz. bottle 10c

Heather Brand Pure Pork Sausage, per lb. 11c

Heather Brand Pork and Beans, 3-lb. can 11c

AT THE LUNCH ROOM.

Many business men find it convenient to meet their wives at the Lunch Room days when the good lady is down-town. Things are so pleasant up there, and the