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**THE GOVERNMENT**  
**DOWN?**  
Colonial Office Said to Have Been Told of the Storm  
Which Was Brewing in the Canadian Parliament.  
His Recall Brought the Looked-For Relief—The General's  
Kit is Packed and He Leaves Ottawa on Thursday  
—He May Make a Statement.



MAJOR-GENERAL HUTTON.

**GEN. BULLER'S HARD FAILURE**  
**WAS NOT AN ELABORATE FEINT**  
It Simply Meant That His Forces Can Do Nothing to Relieve  
Ladysmith, Such is the Mobility of  
the Boer Artillery.

**Situation is More Threatening Than a Week Ago—Disquieting Reports From Zululand—Kimberley in Straits—Belaguered Living on Horse Meat—Roberts is Not Ready to Advance—Is Now at Modder River—Disquieting Rumor That Joubert is Marching to Outflank Buller—British Outflanked at Rensberg—Fifth Month of the War Begins.**

London, Feb. 12.—(4.40 a.m.)—The latest despatches from the front showing the real reasons for Gen. Buller's retirement and his intention to try again quite destroy the comforting and ingenious theory that the movement was an elaborate feint to facilitate the main advance of Lord Roberts, a theory which obtained acceptance largely because of Mr. Buller's misleading statement to Parliament.

**War Office Still Silent.**  
No word has yet been issued from the War Office regarding Gen. Buller's latest retreat, although the correspondents are allowed to telegraph with a fair amount of freedom; and thus far only a partial list of casualties has been published. The dating of messages from the front may indicate that Gen. Buller has withdrawn all his forces there.

**Newspapers Hold Out Hope.**  
The London newspapers, having become accustomed to checks, maintain a hopeful tone; but the situation is much more threatening than it seemed a week ago. Proofs of the terrible strength and mobility of the Boer artillery, together with the rumor that Gen. Joubert is taking the initiative with the object of cutting Gen. Buller's communications, are in no way reassuring. Even the most sanguine persons begin to feel that it is quite hopeless to expect the relief of Ladysmith, while it is clear that, if it is impossible for Buller to reach Ladysmith, it is equally impossible for the garrison, exhausted by sickness and privations, to cut a way out.

**Disquieting Reports From Zululand.**  
Reports of the Boer advance thru Zululand are disquieting. If they should be made to strike at Greytown, General Buller would be compelled to turn his attention to the eastern side of the main advance, which is not so near as has been supposed.

**Kimberley Eating Horseflesh.**  
Starting intelligence comes from Kimberley in the Cape newspapers, that received by mail in London. It appears that since Jan. 8 the rations at Kimberley have been for the most part horse flesh, so repugnant to women and children that many refuse to eat. It also appears that the death rate in the camp is increasing steadily.

**Roberts Making Changes.**  
The mention in the despatch of Lord Roberts to the War Office yesterday of General Buller's commanding at Rensberg is interpreted to show that the French, with his cavalry, has gone to join Lord Roberts, and that considerable changes in the distribution of troops in that district have occurred. The unexpected strength where they are rather pressing the British, than being pressed by them, causes anxiety.

**Settle From Ladysmith.**  
There is no confirmation of the report of a sortie from Ladysmith. The latest despatch from there, dated Wednesday last, says:

**MACDONALD GOVERNMENT**  
**WILL NOT PAY BONUSES**  
Important Deliverance of the Premier of Manitoba at a Banquet in Emerson Saturday Night.  
Discoveries Made on Taking Office Almost Took His Breath Away  
The—C.P.R., Must Have Been a Party to the Suppression of Facts—Government Ownership of the Policy.

Emerson, Man., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—The banquet at Emerson last night in honor of the Minister of Public Works, Hon. Mr. McPadden, was pronounced on all hands a great success. Speeches, songs and toasts went off well.

Premier Macdonald made a very important deliverance in Manitoba. Among the guests were: Premier Macdonald, Hon. James Johnston, Hon. Colin H. Campbell, Mr. Hespeler, M.P., and others from outside points. Many Liberals were also present. Mr. Macdonald, president of Emerson Conservative Association, presided.

**The Premier's Speech.**  
The first speaker to respond to "The Provincial Legislature" was Premier Macdonald. During the course of his speech the Premier said that on entering office they had made a discovery that almost took his breath away. Mr. Greenway, notwithstanding statements and pledges repeated by his colleagues and himself during the last year, had not cut the province one dollar, had passed Orders-in-Council and written a letter promising a bonus of \$1700 for every mile of new line built by the C.P.R. last year. In the case of some of these lines, Mr. Greenway had merely written letters to the railway managers, saying that he had promised aid, and would have given it, had he remained in power, and would support the Macdonald Government in paying it over.

**Other Aid Promised.**  
For other lines aid had been promised by Orders-in-Council, with the knowledge of the whole Cabinet, with the knowledge of the Legislature, and with the knowledge of the public. On considering the matter fully, he had given the province did not require that even a bonus be paid; that there would be no breach of good faith, and the good name of the province would not suffer by refusing to pay them, for he found on Order-in-Council had been passed on July 15, when the Legislature was in session. Why was nothing said to the Legislature?

**Only One Explanation.**  
There was only one explanation, it was to get the votes of the people on false pretences. There is plenty of time to pass a bill. A bill involving such a large sum of money should be passed after the close of the session. The M. S. N. W. Bill, by which he took half the land grant

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Ottawa, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—Major-General Hutton, commander of Canada's militia, has sent in his resignation, and the Government has in due phrase reluctantly accepted it. It was received and accepted on Saturday.

**A Story in 10 Acts.**  
There is a tale to tell. The Hughes episode, with a dash of the Donville episode, has led to this finale. It is well known that, while Lieut. Col. Hughes was enthusiastically desirous of going to South Africa as an officer of the first contingent, and while Major-General Hutton, increased by what he termed a gross breach of military etiquette, was doing all in his power to spike the colonel's guns, Dr. Borden was advising the major-general to go slow, to swallow his offended pride and to recommend the refractory colonel. But the major-general had entrenched his pride and resolved to fight for it to the last ditch. Then Parliament met and the storm was in progress. The education of the major-general in colonial politics. The Government saw that a nasty crisis was in sight.

**The Colonial Office Told of It.**  
The Colonial Office was made aware of the state of affairs, both by the Governor-General and by Major-General Hutton. The worst had come to the worst. Hutton had been dismissed. He saw the line of things, and he was on the wrong side and that of his wife, much indebted to South Africa, he got an appointment to South Africa, and at once recalled the Government.

**A Throw-Down for Hutton?**  
It is considered a throw-down for Hutton and the whole matter is in the hands of the major-general, in which the Government's hand is considerably weakened. The major-general has moved all his personal belongings to his department, and is preparing for his departure. New York, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—The major-general will take with him the staff of Lord Roberts, where he will act in an advisory capacity.

**Good Colonial Man.**  
He knows more about colonial troops than any other in the army, having spent four years in organizing the Australian troops and two years in the Boer campaign. He is a colonial in the truest sense, and becomes more so as the years pass.

**Col. Almyer's Acting.**  
Dr. Borden told "The World" yesterday that a successor has not yet been thought of, but that it is understood that Col. Almyer will act temporarily as G.O.C.

**Major-General Hutton's Statement.**  
Major-General Hutton, speaking to "The World" last night, said that he had no statement to give out just at present. It is understood that he is in the way he has been treated, and it is thought he has been in preparation to be made public before he moves to the front.

**Payment of the Contingents.**  
The Fielding's resolution regarding the payment of the contingents.

**BOERS OCCUPY BLOY'S FARM,**  
South of the Tugela, Only an Hour's Ride From Chieveley—Much Apprehension.

London, Feb. 12.—The Pretoria correspondent of "The Daily Mail," telegraphed yesterday, says: "The Boers have occupied Bloy's Farm, south of the Tugela, which is under an hour's ride from Chieveley, and have turned the homestead into a hospital."

On the farm are hills commanding both sides of the Tugela, as well as Fort Buller, and the Boers are in a position to view of Bulwain and Ladysmith is obtainable.

It is much apprehension here regarding the Boer movements, and the authorities are on the alert.

**IS JOUBERT MARCHING SOUTH?**  
Rumored at Durban That He is Attempting to Outflank Buller's Forces.

Durban, Feb. 11.—It is rumored here that General Joubert is marching with a column of 6000 men to outflank General Buller.

**All Quiet at Frere.**  
Frere Camp, Feb. 11.—All is quiet here today. The British troops are resting and the Boers are inactive.

**BOERS OUTFLANKED BRITISH.**  
Were Trying to Put a Gun in Position to Shell the British Near Rensberg.

Rensberg, Saturday, Feb. 10.—The Boers outflanked the British here yesterday. A considerable force of the enemy was threatened by the British communications between Rensberg and Silngersfontein, twelve miles away, and, during a reconnaissance by a party of the Boers, the British were surprised attempting to put a gun in position to shell the British camp.

**Demand a Surrender.**  
The Australians, having come into very close contact with the enemy, took cover under a hill about 2000 yards from the camp. Thereupon the Boers took up a position with a view of preventing their retreat. Some burghers got within 200 yards of the British.

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**BEHIND 2000 AND 3000 MEN ARE OUT**  
Special World Wires Re-Minimizing Situation in British Columbia.  
Columbia.  
MOVE FOR A COMPROMISE.  
Union Now Seems Likely to Come to Terms in the Slocan District.  
PAYNE GETS NINETY MINERS.  
Boundary Creek Mine Owners Join in the Crusade Against Eight-Hour Law.

One week has now elapsed since the decision was made to close down the War Eagle and Centre Star mines at Rossland, and the developments from day to day go to prove that the World was right in attributing this action of the directors partly to the labor trouble. As already pointed out in these columns the mine owners of the province have united to crush the American-miners' unions and either secure the resending of the eight-hour law or compel the miners to accept an eight-hour wage for an eight-hour day.

The special despatches printed below, besides chronicling the old shut downs in the Slocan district, reiterate the reports of the wholesale discharges in the Rossland and Nelson divisions, and also show that the mineowners of the Boundary Creek region are in the combine, too, for the "B.C." a big copper-silver proposition, near Columbia, Grand Forks and Greenwood, has likewise quit working.

**Number of Men Affected.**  
About 600 men have been thrown out at Rossland, 1100 in the Slocan, 100 at the "B.C." probably 400 at Nelson and the idleness of the Trail and Northport smelters should entail the discharge of 200 more. These figures indicate a total of 2400 out of about out of work, and further despatches before we go to press may add to the aggregate.

The news from Sandon, the capital of the Slocan silver-lead belt, is most encouraging for it indicates that the Miners' Union is getting cold feet. The Slocan, he it remembered, is the theatre where the main fight between employers and men has been going on.

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**SUDAN TROUBLE NOT SO BAD.**  
Only a Few Young Egyptian Officers Were Involved—Investigation to Be Held.

Cairo, Feb. 11.—Official investigation shows that only a few Egyptian officers, and of them young men, were involved in the trouble with the two Sudanese troops, whom they had advised not to obey the order to give up cartridges.

It seems that the few officers had become excited over Anglophobe articles published by the "Liberator," which praised the Egyptian and advised the Egyptian to take advantage of British distractions in South Africa.

None of the senior officers are in any way implicated. A court of enquiry will sit immediately to investigate the affair.

**WILL DIVIDEND BE INCREASED?**  
C. P. R. Stockholders Will Meet Today and Speculation is Pretty lively.

Montreal, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—Tomorrow will be a great day for the C.P.R. stockholders. If rumors are to be believed upon an increased dividend will be offered on the C.P.R. stock. The New York and American banking firm which is so largely interested in Canadian Pacific stock, is here.

**Abbey, Castles, Cathedrals of England; music. Holy Trinity School House, Tuesday (to-morrow) evening.**

**Fine Weather Promised.**  
Meteorological office, Toronto, Feb. 11.—(S. P. J.)—To-night an area of low pressure extends from Lake Superior southwestward, but at present it gives no indication of developing into anything important. The weather is unseasonably mild from Ontario eastward, and only moderately cold in Manitoba and the Territories.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 40-46; Edmonton, 20-32; Prince Albert, 4 below-2; Qu'Appelle, 4-22; Winnipeg, 6 below-14; Harry Sound, 22-40; Toronto, 20-20; Ottawa, 14-24; Montreal, 14-22; Quebec, 16-20; Halifax, 22-30.

**Prohibitions.**  
**Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Southerly winds; mostly fair and mild.**  
Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Easterly and southerly winds; fair and mild.  
Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Easterly winds; fair and mild.  
Maritimes—Easterly winds; generally fair and comparatively mild.  
Lakes Superior—Fair and comparatively mild.  
Manitoba—Northwesterly winds; fair and moderately cold.

**Leather couches, easy chairs, for home use. See Speciality Co., 77 Bay.**

The expense of keeping boys warm these cold days will be down to the lowest point if you buy their refters from Oak Hill Young-street.

**ENGINEER WAS QUICK-WITTED.**  
Saw Masked Robbers Ahead When Slowing Up and Opened the Throttle.

Perry, O.T., Feb. 11.—An attempt was made to hold up a southbound passenger train on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway last night a mile north of Perry. The bell cord was pulled and the train was slowing down, when the engineer noticed several masked men standing near the track. He opened the throttle and the train dashed by the would-be robbers, who made a futile attempt to board it. Officers are in pursuit of the men.

**Gentlemen's clothes are cleaned thoroughly if sent to the works of R. Parker & Co., 727-729 Congress Street. They go back to you tailor-looking again.**

**To-Day's Program.**  
Conservative Club, Arcade, 8 p.m.  
Young Liberals, East Queen-street, 8 p.m.  
Service of Praise, Church Redeemer, 8 p.m.  
"By the Sea Side Waves," at Toronto, 8 p.m.  
"Uncle Tom's Cabin," at Princess, 2 and 8 p.m.  
Yanvandie Entertainment at Shea's, 2 and 8 p.m.  
The Bijou, 2 and 8 p.m.  
The Empire, 8 p.m.

**Cock's Turkish and Russian Baths.**  
Bath and bed \$1.00. 202 and 204 King W.

**White Man Lynched in Texas.**  
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 11.—A Times special from Fort Arthur, Tex., says: James Sweeney, white, was lynched at 1 o'clock this morning. Sweeney was a cotton screw forward and had killed Charlie Crumback, a fellow laborer, by jamming a bayonet thru his neck.

**CANADIAN COAL IN DEMAND.**  
Whitney Syndicate Mines Put Out 100,000 Tons of the Dusky Diamonds During January,  
1,000,000 TONS FOR ST. LAWRENCE  
And 850,000 Tons for Everett, Mass., Will Be Required for This Season, It is Stated.

Montreal, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—The Dominion Coal Company has set the record last month by producing 100,000 tons of coal, a marvelous output for January. The company's output for the month was 1,000,000 tons, while the Maritime provinces will take half a million tons. States and out of this to the United States and Everett, Mass. In September next the Sydney Steel Works will begin taking coal at the rate of a million tons a year, so it is estimated that the total output for 1901 will not be less than 3,500,000 tons. Dominion Coal Company to its limit and Whitney started in Boston yesterday that he looked with pleasure upon the prospect of any rival company.

**"History of the Boers." by C. H. Schoof.**  
Lecturer, to-night—Metropolitan Church.

**DEATHS.**  
CLARY—At her late residence, 24 McCann-street, Sunday, Feb. 11, Catherine, beloved wife of John Clary, in her 5th year.  
Funeral from the above address on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, at St. Michael's Church, thence to St. Michael's Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept kindly acceptance of this intimation.  
CHURCHILL—Ocella L. Churchill, at the Western Hospital, on Sunday, Feb. 11.  
PUDDY—At her father's residence, 122 Rove-avenue, on Saturday, Cora Viola, youngest daughter of James and Letitia Puddy, aged 2 months and 11 days.  
Funeral to-day at 2.30. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept of this intimation.  
SIMKINS—At 559 King east, on Saturday, Feb. 10, Walter John Simkins, aged 66 years.  
Funeral private from above address on Monday, 12th inst., at 2.30 p.m.  
WHITFIELD—At Clifford, on Friday morning, Feb. 9, 1900, very suddenly, William Whitehead, of Walkerton, in his 68th year.  
Funeral Monday at 3 p.m., at Walker-ton.

**What Would Draw Men to Dinences?**  
The recent mild winter weather has made legends of some of the heavy fur garments in Dinences' clearing sale of choice furs, and these Dinences are now appearing in the shape of lowered prices. Women, who buy furs, regardless of the weather, are more than ever ready to take up the fur fancy in a man. The successful might find with Dinences that Dinences is not lower than the fur at the same time for over-weighed garments and in men's overcoats, racoon, mink and fox skins in men's suits, mink, rabbit, and other fur garments. Dinences' assortment, Motzka and Hildebrandt, 100 Yonge street, where you cannot be offered at the same prices anywhere.

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**STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.**

Feb. 10.	At.	From.
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La Normandie	New York	Glasgow
La Normandie	Halifax	New York
Terrebonne	Quebec	New York

**Feb. 11.**

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Albion	Halifax	Glasgow
La Gasconne	New York	Glasgow
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ANARCHISTS MAKE THREATS

That They Will Blow Up the Big Buildings to be Used for the Paris Fair. DYNAMITE CARTRIDGES WERE FOUND in the Basement of the Beautiful Art Building—The Threatening Letters.

Paris, Feb. 10.—Much anxiety is felt at the Prefecture of Police and by the Exposition directors over a number of threatening letters that have been received from anarchists during the past week.

The first of these letters was as follows: "Instead of prostituting France by catering to the sensuous appetites of the moneyed classes of all nations, you should think to provide for the millions of Frenchmen with hungry stomachs. You Exposition will not be allowed to take place. You have not policemen enough to prevent us from blowing up your plaster pieces, one after the other."

Even now our brothers are at work in the grounds. Your marble pile for the fine arts is doomed. We want no pictures and no statues of naked females. We want bread!

An immediate investigation led to the discovery of dynamite cartridges in several places in the basement of the building mentioned. Later another letter announced that the house of a prominent chemist had been blown up. That the anarchists were not bluffing in this matter was shown the night the letter was received when a charge exploded himself serving in extinguishing a fire which was attached to the Exposition police station, placed on a window-sill in the mansion of Paul de Cassagne.

Three Small Fires. A great fire in one of the cozy corners at the Toronto Casino Club became overhauled early yesterday morning and set fire to the surrounding woodwork. The caretaker summoned the brigade and the blaze was extinguished, but not before about \$50 damage had been done.

Who Owns the Fish? Late on Saturday night Constable Arline (44) met three men rolling a barrel of fish along the sidewalk on Esplanade street. The policeman thought their behavior suspicious, and after a little questioning he placed them under arrest on a charge of theft. At the Court-street station they gave their names as John and Joseph Hayes, 33 Mission-avenue, and Samuel Ball, 6 Grand-street. It is believed the barrel of fish stolen from the premises of Messrs. Megher & McGregor at 75 Colborne-street.

PARKS BOARD ORGANIZED

H. G. Wright Was Elected Chairman After F. W. Fearman Had Declined the Honor.

Hamilton, Feb. 11.—(Special)—The members of the Board of Parks Commissioners met yesterday in the Mayor's office for organization. Mayor Testet presided. F. W. Fearman was unanimously chosen as the first chairman, but he declined the honor on account of advanced years, he being 75 yesterday. On motion of John Roman, H. G. Wright was elected chairman. Lots were drawn for length of service, and the result was: Three years—H. G. Wright and F. W. Fearman. Two years—Thomas Kilvington and William Southam. One year—John H. Tilden and John Roman.

Archie Kappelle of the City Clerk's Office was appointed secretary. It was agreed that the chairman and secretary be elected annually.

William Southam and Thomas Kilvington expressed the opinion that some revenue ought to be derived from Dundurn Park, and Mr. Southam favored leasing the museum enclosure for baseball and athletic purposes. The board meetings will be held each second Wednesday of the month.

Some weeks ago, in the covenant mortgage action of the Royal Tompkins of Toronto against John H. Land, chosen as a loaner secretary and treasurer, Judge Squire gave speedy judgment on the mortgages, which were for \$10,000, to secure the order against shortages in the deposit account. The order was made before the amount due to the order on the mortgages. After an enquiry during the past few days, Judge Squire yesterday gave his decision. He found there was one the Royal Tompkins, as balance on defendants' accounts, the sum of \$10,000, and \$55.50 nominal interest.

NEWS OF THE STAGE AND PLATFORM

"A Greek Slave" Opens Thursday. The previous engagements of "A Greek Slave" at the Grand Opera House, an enthusiastic welcome was extended to Albert A. Parr, a Toronto boy, who since leaving the city of his birth has made for himself a name as a dramatic artist in the theatre. Mr. Parr received his early musical training from Mr. W. Elliott Haslam of this city. Since leaving here, Mr. Parr has sung with Francis Wilson, the Whitty Opera Company, and also with the Metropolitan Opera House, and he has also sung with the role of Achilles, the sculptor slave, the part assigned to him in "A Greek Slave," in which Mr. Parr is particularly fitted, both vocally and dramatically. His robust, tenor voice is heard to the best possible effect. On Thursday "A Greek Slave" begins a return engagement of three nights at the Grand. Only a Saturday matinee will be given.

At the Princess This Week. Manager George Stone has in the production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" the latest play. This week will be the first time that a complete version of the play is being produced in Toronto. The play is being produced in its entirety and has the old-fashioned appeal of a play that has been heard many times. It is a play that has been produced in its entirety and has the old-fashioned appeal of a play that has been heard many times.

STRATHMORE HORSE RACING

Western Recruits Will Arrive at Winnipeg This Evening and Be Sent Forward.

THERE WILL BE 260 ON BOARD

ONLY TEN COULD PASS.

Victoria, B.C., Feb. 10.—Out of 100 volunteers for Strathmore's Horse, only 10 were accepted in passing Major Laurie, the recruiting officer to-day. Fifteen had been allotted as Victoria's quota, and it is not

BETWEEN 2000 AND 3000 MEN ARE OUT OF WORK

IMPERIAL LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY OF CANADA

The Thirty-first Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Imperial Loan and Investment Company of Canada was held at the City Hall on Monday, the 6th day of February, 1900, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report for the year ending 31st December, 1899. Among the Shareholders present were: John Aiken, E. H. Kerland, L. Lamb, Wm. MacArthur, M. H. Bell, J. G. Robinson, Geo. Hobson, B. Saunders, Alex. Smith, Harry Swan, J. Thornton, J. H. Taylor, R. S. Wood.

After the report of the Directors had been received and read, the Chairman, Mr. H. G. Wright, in a few words stated that the affairs of the company had been carried on in a satisfactory manner, and that the profits for the year had been \$27,007 58, leaving a surplus of \$5,400 38.

Dividends for the year amount to 22,919 09. Leaving a surplus of \$5,400 38. Which has been carried to the credit of Contingent Fund now amounting to \$15,423 24. The Contingent Fund remains at \$15,423 24. Total Reserves \$170,423 24.

After some years of depression in the value of both farm and city properties a decided turn, and an increase in values is evident on all sides. Under the powers contained in your new charter, the company has been enabled to call on first-class stocks and bonds at a low rate of interest, and to invest in such securities as are likely to appreciate in value.

Statement of Liabilities and Assets of the Imperial Loan and Investment Company of Canada, 30th December, 1899. To Stockholders \$730,813 41. To Loan Account \$18,250 85. To Real Estate \$100,000 00.

MINERS IN THE SLOCAN

Laying Out of the Men is a Protest Against the Action of the Miners' Union.

Roseland, B.C., Feb. 10.—(Special)—The War Eagle and Centre Star laid off 400 of the 600 men employed. The 200 retained will be kept at work until new machinery is installed. Of the 300 men laid off, 100 have been laid off in the morning and 200 in the afternoon.

COUNSELLOR BACKS GOODERHAM

Montreal, Feb. 11.—(Special)—Mr. D. Coulson, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, was in the city on Saturday and Sunday in connection with the proposed amendments to the Bank Act.

THE GOVERNMENT OF HAWAII

Will Be Largely on the Lines of U. S. Territories, With Representation at Washington.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Representative W. S. Knox of Massachusetts, chairman of the House Committee on Territories, has completed his report on the bill for the creation of the territorial form of government in Hawaii, and it will be submitted to the House to-morrow.

CHANGES IN BANKING ACT.

Montreal, Feb. 11.—(Special)—The Committee of the Council of the Bankers' Association held a meeting here yesterday when the proposed modifications to the Bank Act were taken up and discussed. Several of these modifications have been adopted, and it is understood that the Canadian bankers have asked for their approval.

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"THE HUB" IS PRO-BRITISH. Sir Charles Tupper Has Been Invited to Address a Mass Meeting in Boston.

TO PROMOTE THE BRITISH CAUSE. Influential Men Are at the Head of the Movement to Aid the Patriotic Fund.

LOCAL HOUSE, 1900. The attention of members of the Ontario Legislature and others is drawn to the New Somerset House, corner Carlton and Dundas streets.

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THE YELLOW FAUNION

F. W. Brode Was Third and Advance... Guard Again Separated the Pair.

HEAVY BETTING ON GREAT RACE

Several Incidents at New Orleans—Wood Suspended and Foucault Ruled Off.

San Francisco, Feb. 10. In the presence of 7000 people at the Oakland track here today Yellow Tall turned the tables on Advance Guard and F. W. Brode, and as Foster's gallant cut swept under the wire...

DETROIT DRIVING CLUB'S STAKES.

Detroit, Feb. 10. The Detroit Driving Club announced six special stables for the coming year...

BARRETT RACE RESULTS.

Barrie, Feb. 10.—The ice races held here today were the most successful for some years...

HAMILTON WHIST CLUB WON.

Toronto Challengees Lost Canadian League Cup by the Whist Club.

The eight contest for the Canadian Whist League Challenge Cup was played on Saturday afternoon at Hamilton, between the Hamilton Whist Club, holders...

GRANITE'S CAPTURED THIRD PRIZE.

Record of Rinks in All Games for the Walker Trophy Since Saturday's Hockey.

The following are the clubs that have won the Walker Trophy since 1886, the first season it was presented...

1886—Caledonia, Ontario rink. 1887—Granite, Granite rink. 1888—Granite, Granite rink. 1889—Granite, Granite rink.

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CALEDONIANS WON THE CUP

Gans Scored More Impressively Over Sullivan Than Did Erne Over Jack Daly.

Friday night's bouts were peculiarly interesting in Toronto. Gans and Erne, who had both boxed here, and proving winners, will come together for the championship.

The losers, Sullivan and Daly, had previously agreed to the terms of the local club, and will clash at the Bijou Theatre before the Crescent A. C. some time around the 1st of March.

The conditions were such that the pair were not expected to meet. The conditions were such that the pair were not expected to meet.

No body expected Gans to have such an easy time with Sullivan's superior pugilism. The Irishman was out-clasped. Gans out-punched him, but the latter's superior pugilism.

Erne's seconds were greatly enraged at the stoppage. One of them cursed a riot by singing the national anthem.

White acted hastily in stopping the fight, as the referee states that the referee was matched against Gans' skill.

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THE TORONTO WORLD

AROUND AMONG THE BOXERS STRATFORD DEFEATS SIMCOE.

The semi-final of the junior series of the O. H. A. was played off at the Victoria rink on Saturday afternoon, by Stratford and Simcoe, the former winning by 5 to 4.

The score at half-time was 3 to 1 in favor of Stratford. The game was without doubt the fairest of the season in Toronto, also it was only a junior game.

Quibbling and shouting played no part of either team. Both were in the pink condition, and the result before full time was even, being 4 to 4, and extra time was gone Gordon Rankin and Lamine went to the boards for stopping the puck.

King called the teams out, and gave the puck to Stratford. Stratford started to win shortly after the start. Stratford's score was 5 to 4.

Then Gordon on a pretty run put Stratford ahead again by scoring, but the Stratford goal was hit by the puck before time expired.

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Hockey Boots.

The famous "Champion" Hockey Boots—light and strong—with reinforcing ankle straps—the very best Hockey Boots made on the continent—only \$5.50 per pair.

Just the boot for a gentleman who likes to have a pair of Skating Boots.

John Guinane, No. 15 King St. West.

On the night of Feb. 11. The visiting champion of Great Britain, arrived at the Laurence Harbor Country Club yesterday morning in accordance with his traveling schedule.

He had been at Philadelphia on Friday, where he approved of the selection by the city authorities of the section of Fairmount Park for a nine-hole public links.

Vardon tried his best for the course yesterday. Vardon played the round with C. Cox, who with two clips picked up the running-nano, vintnered to be the runner-up.

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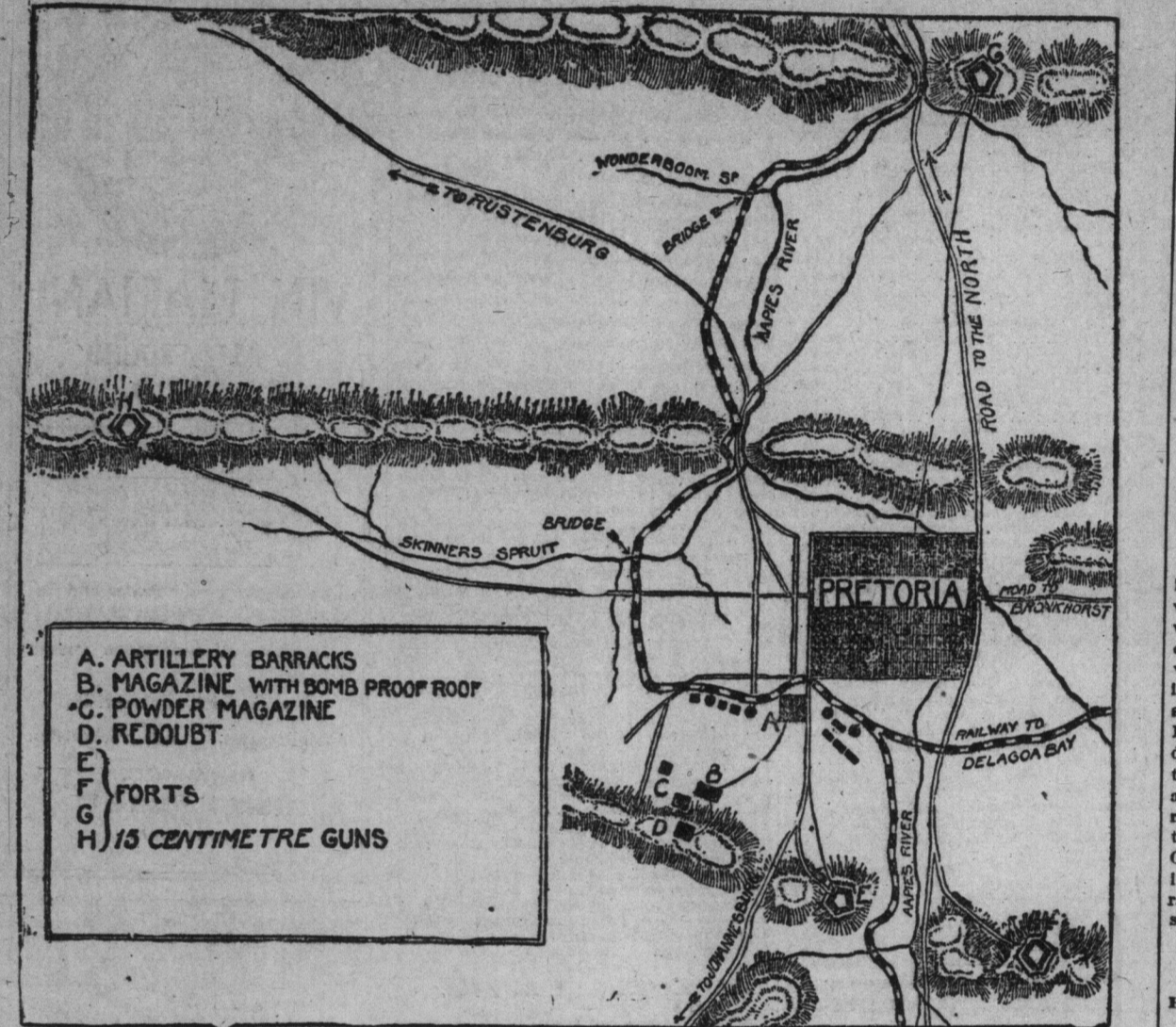
PRETORIA IS NOW READY FOR A SIEGE

The Enormous Fortifications Which the Boers Have Put Up Around the Transvaal Capital in an Attempt to Resist the British.

Nature, aided by art and science, has made Pretoria a very strongly fortified town. It is not impregnable, probably not fortress in the world, not even excluding Gibraltar, is that. But the natural location of the town lends itself admirably to simple protective measures that little, if any, military genius was required to suggest the positions of the defending forts.

Gradually the preponderating German influence waned, to be succeeded by the Holland-Dutch, and various Amsterdam engineers were sent out by the late Jonker A. van der Merwe, the Transvaal Minister at The Hague. However, they did not stay long, and the efforts of M. Aubert, the French Consul-General at Pretoria, succeeded in bringing about a complete change. Actively again prevailed, and the Boer officers were sent out by the late Jonker A. van der Merwe, the Transvaal Minister at The Hague.

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HOW PRETORIA IS PROTECTED.

tion of country are of course forts commanding the various approaches. Of these there are seven. Two were erected and completed between the years 1894 and 1896, and the others are of a somewhat later date.

The building of these forts gave cause to endless fretting, jealousy, and in fact, almost led to a kind of local international complication. It came about in this way. The Pretoria Government, having learned a lesson by bitter experience, trusts nobody, and being afraid of treason and disloyalty, determined to break up the contracts for the forts into small lots, and distribute them among different firms of diverse nationality.

Eventually the forts were finished, and according to the accounts of those who do not strictly maintain the functions of secrecy, they are not lacking in formidable proportions. Certainly, on the principle of two heads being better than one, the Pretoria forts should be nearly perfect, as they were built out of the combined wisdom of at least half-a-dozen different advisers.

GEN. BULLER'S THIRD FAILURE WAS NOT AN ELABORATE FEINT

Continued from Page 1. Fards of the Australians and called upon them to surrender.

ing force was apparently increased on Wednesday, Feb. 7. Next day the Boers commenced the construction of trenches to the east, nearly parallel to the Glads and 4000 yards from Premier Mine.

LEWIS SAYS BOERS ARE PREPARED FOR THE INVASION OF THE FREE STATE BY GENERAL LORD ROBERTS

Brussels, Feb. 11.—The Petit Bleu publishes the report of an interview with Dr. Leyds, the course of which the South African representative declares that his recent visit to Berlin had reference to obtaining a loan for the Transvaal, which is in pressing need of money.

RETIRED BOERS AT MODDER RIVER. Field Marshal was enthusiastically cheered by the troops when he appeared.

THE HIGHLANDERS' RETURN. Before retiring they found the bodies of 12 Boers—Several had been buried.

GEN. MACDONALD AT KOODOSBERG. Babington Arrived Too Late to Attempt the Turning Movement.

THE BOERS ARE AGGRESSIVE. Tried to Turn Clements' Right Flank at Rensburg, But Were Beaten Off.

SCOUTS WERE CAPTURED. Six Tasmanians and Five of French Scouts Have Been Made Prisoners by Boers.

WHAT THE IDEA NOW IS. If Buller Can't Skin the Bear He Can Hold Its Leg While Somebody Else Does.

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Further this plan, Gen. Macdonald adopted merely defensive tactics. It was not attempted to force back the Boers' right flank, but to keep them in their general retirement for some time.

THE BOERS HAD FLED. Gen. Babington left Modder River at 11.30 in the morning and arrived within two miles of Koodosberg at 4.30 p.m., too late to attempt the turning movement.

WHY GEN. BULLER WITHDREW. He Found It Impossible to Advance Without Risking Unnecessary Loss.

Headquarters Camp, Springfield Bridge, Feb. 9.—The position taken north of the Tugela River proved a difficult one to maintain. The regiments sent across as reinforcements went into the front line of trenches, but owing to the great strength of the Boers in the Braakfontein Hills to the east, it was found impossible to advance without risking unnecessary loss.

HOW THE BALLOON CAME IN. Masked Guns Discovered Which Saved the British From Entering a Deadly Trap.

London, Feb. 10.—A special despatch from Springfield bridge, under date of Friday, Feb. 9, gives an explanation of General Buller's retirement.

A FORCE OF PICKED IRISHMEN. Has Been Authorized by Lord Roberts—Has a Heavy Armament.

Cape Town, Feb. 11.—Lord Roberts has authorized the formation of a squadron of 100 picked Irishmen for special duties.

ROBERTS' OWN BODYGUARD. Taken From the Colonial Contingents—An Admirable and Wise Stroke of Policy.

THE QUEEN WAS ANXIOUS. Over the Retirement of Macdonald and Telegraphed for Special News.

BRITISH CABINET MEETS. The Conference Lasted for Two Hours on Saturday—Defence Committee Present.

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attack which envelops a flank, but not an attack which tries to break the centre of an army.

ROBERTS' PLANS. The new plan involves prompt and successful offensive operations against the Free State forces in the west—a series of crushing blows. Any failure in their execution would leave the campaign in a perilous state, for the Boers would then hold the initiative power to run risks and to follow, will make them let go.

WHEN BULLER GAVE UP. Looking at General Buller's action by itself, the impression it makes recalls General Buller's, the cautious and knowing soldier, to preserve his army, hardly ever disconcerted by the nature of a great commander's appearance, General Buller has given up, and that attempt before his attack was fully developed.

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Fairweather's Fine Furs. Furs Reduced. Not one of our fine seal garments will be reduced one cent—our prices throughout the season have been the lowest possible to mark such high-class goods, and at the present price of the unmanufactured skins would cost, to say, to make, at least an advance of 60 per cent.—but on many excellent lines reductions amount to at least 25 per cent. below December values—we're making no exceptions—all our choice fur garments will be sold—we've nothing we'll hold over in view of advancing markets—if fur wearers could finance or ask the advice of a financier it would take a great deal of figuring to show the splendid advantages in point of prices in purchasing now.



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ASIA MEANS BUSINESS. 1300 Miles Long Across

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Woman's World...

Devoted Specially to the Interests of our Women Readers.

All the down town shops are showing lovely things in jabots, collars, vests, plastrons, gumpes and boleros, made of all sorts of ravishing materials.

A white silk waist is very handsome with a yoke and sleeves of black all over lace. Another of light green and white silk and the yoke and sleeves of white satin.

It is interesting to note the difference between the small boy and the little girl at this season of the year.

WAR'S TRIALS AND BURDENS

English People Are Bearing the Disheartening Reverses with Fortitude and Steadiness.

WAR LETTERS.

A corporal in the 18th Field Battery, writing home to his parents at Gravesend from Modder River Camp, says:

ANOTHER BIG CANAL SCHEME.

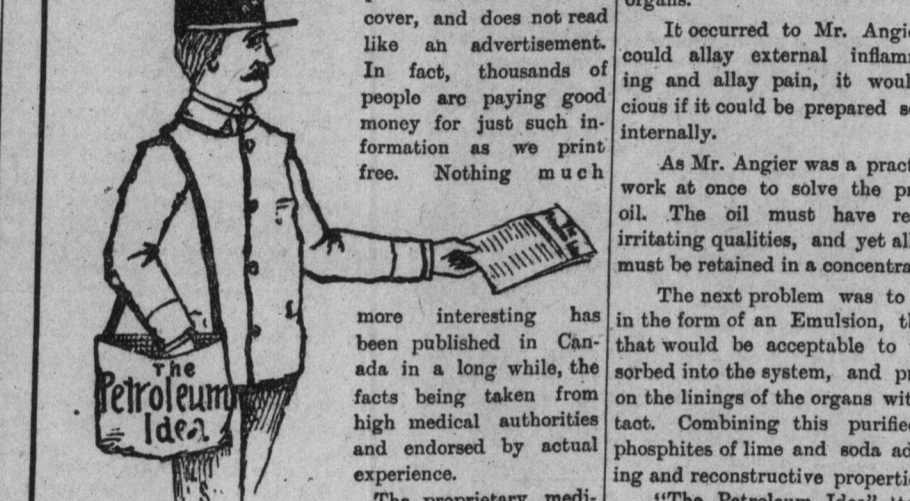
English Projectors Talking of Re-opening the Manchester Canal to the Ottawa River.

The Petroleum Idea!

A JOURNAL OF PRACTICAL MEDICINE.

VOL. I. TORONTO, ONT., FEBRUARY, 1900. NO. 1.

We have commenced the distribution of a most little 16 page paper, telling all about the Petroleum idea in medicine.



more interesting has been published in Canada in a long while, the facts being taken from high medical authorities and endorsed by actual experience.

Physicians have been prescribing our Emulsion for years; but little is known by the public generally regarding the medicinal value of refined petroleum you may think it worth while to learn.

For many years the whole world has been familiar with the beneficial effects of Petroleum,

Angier Chemical Co., Manufacturing Chemists, Toronto, Ont.

A SENSATIONAL PANT STORY

BY P. JAMIESON. CHAP. XIII.

We tailors see the soamy side of life. Some men economize in coal to pay the furrer—some economize in gas to pay the oculist—some economize in sense to shirk economy.

Prejudice is the fattened calf of the mind. Some men would refuse to go to heaven if they couldn't get there through their own church.

Some men would rather pay 4.00 to a tailor for a pair of Scotch Tweed Pants than have them made-to-order here for

2.75 They like paying the 1.25 extra for the fad of the thing.

We charge nothing for our name on the pants. If you are not a street cat magnate it's well to remember that, although it takes nine tailors to make a man, one can often break him.

Philip Jamieson (The Rounded Corner), YONGE and QUEEN STREETS

AMUSEMENTS. TORONTO OPERA HOUSE ALL THIS WEEK MATHEWS AND BULGER

EMPIRE WEEK OF FEB. 12th. 12 New and Pretty Girls 12

GRAND OPERA MATINEE. Three nights beginning Feb. 16th

PRINCESS THEATRE. UNCLE TOM'S CABIN. Matinees Stock Co. in

SHEA'S THEATRE. Week commencing Monday, Feb. 13. Evening prices 25c and 50c.

TORONTO MALE CHORUS CLUB. 7th ANNUAL CONCERT AT Massey Hall, Thursday, 15th Feb.

NOON HOUR MEETINGS. Dr. Fulton of Boston will speak to-day in Yonge Street Mission.

PIANOS... At Great Bargains. G. J. TOWNSEND & CO.

THE ASSIZE COURT. Mr. Justice Falconbridge on Saturday continued the hearing of the Assize Court action of A. E. Balfour against the Toronto Railway Co.

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HOW CHURCHIEWS THE WAR

Too Much Materialism in British People, Says Rector Welch of St. James.

LIKENED TO THE ISRAELITES. Special Services Held in Anglican Churches Yesterday by Command of the Archbishop.

Hard Luck! Writing from Frere Camp on Dec. 28, an officer in the Inniskillings, describing the

It was necessary that we should advance in order to draw the enemy's fire and then

At St. James'. In St. James' Cathedral in the morning the services were impressive, the singing

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A Ten Dollar Ulster for \$4.95.

We can let forty-six men take advantage of such purchase, and every one will get a good, worthy Ulster...

A Talk About Sewing Machines.

Our Seamstress Sewing Machine is one of the best family machines on the market to-day. We know of none better.



From the very first we knew it would prove a success. It came to us with a good record; experts who examined it for us pronounced it a worthy machine...

Since the Seamstress has been introduced in Toronto it has been given a thorough test in our own workrooms and in hundreds of places outside this store...

Its Appearance is very pleasing; it is handsomely finished and of an attractive design. Its Construction is simple and of very few parts...

In a word, the Seamstress combines simplicity, durability, reliability, speed, strength and beauty in a way such as few machines give evidence of.

- We buy and sell strictly for cash and don't take old machines in exchange. -We don't employ canvassers and agents...

That's why we can afford to sell a good Seamstress Sewing Machine for

TWENTY-ONE DOLLARS

and with it give a certificate of warranty good for five years and our own guarantee to refund money if any machine does not give the buyer perfect satisfaction...

All we ask is that you come and examine the Seamstress. That will not cost you anything. Visit the department on the third floor and speak to the salesman in charge...

T. EATON CO. LIMITED 190 YONGE ST., TORONTO.

TORONTO PRESS CLUB Was investigated by Inspector Hall and one of his men on Saturday Night.

THE TORONTO WORLD. ONE CENT MORNING PAPER.

No. 83 YONGE STREET, Toronto. Daily World, \$3 per year. Sunday World, in advance, \$2 per year.

THE MACHINE AND THE GOVERNMENT.

The West Elgin ballots—they were accidentally burned. That is what Col. Clarke, Clerk of the Legislature, and Hon. A. S. Hardy would have the people believe...

Beware of Secret Deals!

It is not vestibles that Mr. Mackenzie of the Street Railway Company discussed with the city controllers on Saturday. It is a more important question than that...

HOW HE BEAT THE PUBLIC.

Edward Nash, Expecting to Die, Hands Over His Fortune of \$700,000.

The Equit Fire Insurance Co.

Among the financial institutions of Canada the Equit Fire Insurance Company is prominent.

AND STILL ANOTHER GRAIN ROUTE.

If Canada does not secure the bulk of the carrying trade between the head waters of the lakes and the sea...

Imperial Loan and Investment Co.

The annual meeting of the Toronto branch of the Imperial Loan and Investment Co. was held at 12 o'clock to-day in the fine room in the Temple Building...

PHILIPPINES WILL NOT DOWN

They Continue to Harass the Americans, and Scatter When Troops Appear.

TOWN FIRED BY BURNING ARROWS.

Guerrilla Tactics Continue and Uncle Sam's Troops Are Having a Restless Time.

Mailla, Feb. 11.—(10.30 p.m.)—Of late the insurgents in Albay, Province, Luzon, have adopted harassing tactics against the town which the Americans have razed.

Guerrilla Warfare Continues.

Guerrilla warfare continues in Manila. Two attempts have been made to ambush the Americans.

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Light as feathers—warm as a feather bed,—no rubber or leather under the foot,—only strong, tough, soft, warm, wool felt soles, that grip ice, and prevent slipping.

Lined with best quality piano felt. A soft, flexible, handsome shoe. Made in water-resisting "Kid-duck," all "Slaters" shoe" shapes and sizes.

Trade mark and price stamped on the sole. \$5.00.

Shoes by mail. Catalogue free.

FOR SALE AT THE SLATER SHOE STORES, 89 KING ST. W. AND 123 YONGE ST.

DORIAN GOLD. BOY'S PRINTER. FORD SAYS IT WAS A FEINT.

Gen. Lord Roberts Has a Big Army and an Excellent Transport Service.

Accept no substitute when you want the Carbonated Caledonia Springs Waters; see the word MAGI distinctly printed on the label of every bottle.

THAT NICARAGUA CANAL. The European Nations Will Have Something to Say About Precedence to Yanke Control.

AN ESCAPE FROM SING SING. James Finlay Placed a Dummy in His Coat and Let No Trace of His Whereabouts.

ON THE WY... We feel the out of take a get a by that.

New Ar. Spring goods to be played to-day. Black Dress. A special purchase.

French Print Foulard Silks. A specially grand colored ground, with patterns, after gowns.

Knit Wool Sh. A fine new stock of Knit Wool Shaws.

Wool Blankets. Out pairs, some st out with special in Canadian best making.

White Quilts. New pattern in white quilts, elegant sizes.

DEWEY SAYS. That He Recognizes Dependence on a Bail.


TURKISH MINISTER. New York, Feb. 11.—A Turkish Minister to the United States...

FOR FOSTER. For Foster, 256 St. George Street, Colborne.



### Water-Bed Shoe.

as feathers,—warm as a bed,—no rubber or leather foot,—only strong, tough, wool felt soles, that grip prevent slipping. quality piano felt. A



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### New Arrivals

Black Dress Fabrics

French Printed Foulard Silks

Wash Fabrics

Knit Wool Shawls

Housefurnishings

Linen Damasks

White Quilts

Lace Curtains

Mail Orders

JOHN CATTO & SON

### Thirteen Cases Now Known

All Quarantined in the Taylor Boarding House Till They Are Removed To-day.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL PROCURED

A Farm-General News of the County and Suburbs.

North Toronto.

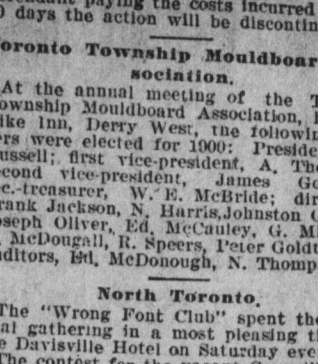
### "Seven days"

of wash-day"—so somebody has called housecleaning—seven days of rasping hard work. This person didn't know anything about Pearline.

House-cleaning with Pearline doesn't mean the usual hard work.

Neither does washday. And what would ordinarily take seven days ought to be done in three.

Try Pearline and see for yourself the saving in time and work and rubbing.



The National Cycle and Automobile Co., Limited, Toronto

### WHAT IS THE SECRET DEAL?

Mackenzie, Macdonald and All the Controllers Closed Behind Civic Doors.

### WILL THE RATEPAYERS STAND IT?

Public Matters Must Be Carried on in Toronto in Daylight, and in No Other Manner.

### TWO BISHOPS CONSECRATED.

Rev. Timothy Casey, D.D., and Rev. Thomas F. Barry Charged With More Responsibility.

### Both Little Chaps

and their nearly grown-up brothers can get new Suits on Tuesday for just a little over half price.

\$6.00 Suits for \$3.40

\$1.50 Sailor Suits for 89c.



TWEED SUITS Men's Fine All-Wool English Tweed Suits, single breasted saque style, dark brown mixture, with faint red overplaid, Italian cloth linings and good trimmings, sizes 36-44. \$14.50

SPRING OVERCOATS Men's Short Box Back Spring Overcoats, dark fawn covert cloth, French facings, silk lined and lined with fine Italian cloth, sizes 36-44. \$11.90

A Fur Coat Clearance.

### ERA

Full size American leather shoes for men, women and children.

JOHN CATTO & SON

I've quit. Are you rough? No, but I've quit. When did you quit? Last summer. What did you quit for? I quit for my health.

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King Street—Opposite the Postoffice.

MRS. HUGO DE BATHE

Promoting a Concert in New York for the Benefit of the Hospital for the Blind.

### HOUSEFURNISHINGS

We continue our great special offerings in this department, and would draw special attention to the following:

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### SMALLPOX AT THE JUNCTION

This dreadful disease is in your neighborhood. Danger is near, and terrible danger too. You should keep your own home free from the germs of this disease.

Did you know you could destroy the germs that cause this disease? You can, and it's best done with our Vapo-Cresolene. Put some Cresolene in the saucer, light the lamp beneath, then let the vapor pass off into the sleeping room. Have the children sleep in the room and breathe in this medicated air. You see this vapor will not only destroy all the germs that may have been brought into your house, but also those that may have lodged in the children's throats.

It is an easy way to prevent all contagious diseases that may be about.



**Vapo-Cresolene**  
CURES WHILE YOU SLEEP

ASTORV COMSTOCK, New York Society for the Suppression of Vice.—"Malignant Diphtheria in my home; Vapo-Cresolene used; cases recovered in two weeks; no others were affected. The physician in charge used the Vapo-Cresolene for another patient with like results. Children with Whooping Cough and persons with severe colds and bronchial troubles speedily recover after the use of Cresolene."

Georgetown—I take great pleasure in recommending your Vapo-Cresolene. I have spoken of it to a great many of my friends, and to hundreds of my fellow workers in the Salvation Army. Many of them have used it with excellent results, and I have, without children's should be without this Vaporizer.

In my own home I found it very beneficial for my little ones with whooping-cough and influenza, also it cannot be overlooked as a disinfectant for fumigating in cases of infection. I am convinced that it can be proved an exceedingly useful assistant whatever treatment may be used in the check and cure of various trying diseases for which it has been specially recommended.

New York, April 17th, 1894.  
Yours truly in the Salvation War,  
MRS. BALLINGTON BOOTH.

F. N. MILLER, M.D., Rogeville, Pa.—"I find your remedy the best I have ever tried in the treatment of Whooping Cough, Croup, Fever, Asthma, also for distending troubles which Miller Fever and Diphtheria prevail."

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. A Vapo-Cresolene outfit, including the Vaporizer should last a lifetime, and a bottle of Cresolene, complete, 50c. Extra supplies of Cresolene, 25c. per bottle, and illustrated booklet containing testimonials free upon request. Vapo-Cresolene Co., 130 Fulton Street, New York, U.S.A.

### China Tableware at a Reduction.

Why? Because several crates have just reached us from one of the best makers that were expected 'way before Christmas. The pieces are every bit as good as could be found, but we didn't calculate on having it here in February—when other new shipments are crowding us. Consequently we mark this lot of beautiful China for the table at figures that will speedily bring it into your possession. When you see the graceful designs and charming patterns that are included in these remarkably low-priced lines, you'll be rather glad it came late, for you'll buy to extra big advantage.

**FANCY OPALESCENT GLASS.** During this sale we devote a special table to many new novelties in Opalescent Glassware. All of the following pieces are shown in canary-shaded blue and opalescent colors:

Footed Card Receivers, Pump Flower Vases, Crimp Top Sugar Bowls.	Rose Bowls, Vases, Fancy Cream Jugs, Footed Rose Bowls, Celery Holders, etc.
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**China Sale Price, each, 15c.**

CLYDE—A Marvel of Cheapness in Fine English Dinnerware, a splendid clear body, with pretty Florentine green color, in floral and scroll design—Dinner Set of 27 pieces, regular \$6, China Sale, \$5.20, Tankard Set of 4 pieces, regular \$2, China Sale \$1.75.	Dinner Set, 97 pieces, regular \$8.50, China Sale, \$7.25. Tea Set, 40 pieces, regular \$2.35, China Sale, \$2.45.
ARGYLE—Gilt Edge Dinnerware, at an extremely low price, a handsome green border with circle of flowers, full gilt edge—Dinner Set, 60 pieces, regular \$2.95, China Sale, \$2.45.	KERSWICK—A beautiful scroll and floral design on a fine, clear body, the coloring is the newest Florentine green, which gives a very pleasing effect—Dinner Set, 97 pieces, regular \$8.50, China Sale, \$7.25. Tea Set, 40 pieces, regular \$2.95, China Sale, \$2.45.

**New Glassware.**

Canary and Blue Opalescent Night lamp, colored front and globe to match, complete. China Sale price 1.00	Pressed Glass Salt and Pepper Shakers, fancy pattern, China Sale price, each .50
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**Canary Glassware.**

Table Sets, Butter Dish, Sugar Bowl, Cream and Spoon Holder, fancy shapes, one large pitcher and six tumblers, to match set, 1.00	and nickel plated fancy tray, .15
Butter Dishes and Covers, each .60	Fruit or Berry Dish, 8-inch size, each .80
Syrup Pitcher, nickel spring, each .60	Individual Fruit Nappies, doz. 75
Tumblers, per dozen, 85	Syrup top .75
Lemonade Sets, large Jug, 6 tumblers	Condiment Set, tray, salt, pepper and vinegar bottle, set .35

**STUDENTS' LAMPS**—Our "Berlin" Student Lamp combines elegance, cleanliness, and a perfect oil light. Heavy metal base, adjustable to any height; heavily nickel-plated and fitted with a green dome shade, complete. China Sale price, 2.90

**AT NICARAGUA CANAL.**

European Nations Will Have Nothing to Say About Precedence to Yankeo Control.

Feb. 10.—An interview published in the press, and attributed to a leading statesman, who requested that the published in the United States, and here to-day. The statesman is understood to be the effect that the of any canal between the Atlantic and the Pacific would be guaranteed wholly by the United States, or a private company. Should the United States insist on American the canal, France, Germany and immediately make radical proposals which would deprive the European diplomats declare themselves unable to understand how the United States can expect other powers to recognize American sole control.

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**DEWEY SAYS IT IS A LIE**

That He Recognized Filipino Independence and He Will Nail It.

New York, Feb. 10.—The dispute as to whether or not Admiral Dewey recognized Filipino independence has been revived here as the admiral himself has been drawn to pronounce the report that he did take such a course while at Manila as a lie. He says: "I have some reports, documents and statements before me which I intend upon my return to Washington to submit to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations. It is better, however, to strike the lie as it is, than to let it answer to the charge as it comes."

**Turkish Minister at Washington.**

New York, Feb. 11.—All Fevzh Bey, the Turkish Minister to the United States, arrived here in Canada today, and left for Washington. The Minister declined to be interviewed.

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**Weston.**

Weston, Feb. 11.—A temperance rally filled the Town Hall here this afternoon. The T. U. of E. B. of Weston, Weston of Temperance and other organizations were in full representation. At their inaugural, elected J. Hall chairman, W. T. Cruickshank, treasurer, and H. Royal secretary. The movement to organize a temperance league, which was also to teach in neighborhood, schools, has been frowned down upon by the school boards asked to cooperate in the matter.

**Malvern.**

The arrangements for the presentation of the patriotic concert and distribution of Penton medals at Malvern Hall on Wednesday afternoon next. From all accounts the people of Malvern are making grand success, and an interesting program has been prepared. The principal speaker of the occasion will be Dr. Parkin of Upper Canada College. A number of well known residents of the township and representative of the county. The concert portion of the program also promises to be most attractive. The original Scarborough company was 65 strong, 54 of whom are now alive, and the majority of these are residents in the township, and will be present on this occasion. The concert will consist of a sharp, interspersed with addresses and presentation of medals, and at 4 o'clock supper will be served.

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**North Toronto.**

The "Wrong Post Club" spent their annual gathering in a most pleasing time at the Danforth Hotel on Saturday evening. The contest for the vacant Councilship in the York Township Council has now developed into a political contest, and it is said that W. J. Hill, M.P.A., for West York, intends throwing his assistance into the contest. Messrs. E. Barton and A. Pender are also mentioned as being in the running, but the prevailing impression is that one will drop out before the actual contest commences.

**Thornhill.**

A parlor social will be held on Wednesday next at the English Church rectory. The proceeds to be given to the general church funds.

A start has been made in gathering local assistance to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, and \$30 is already in the hands of Dr. Russell, who is acting as treasurer for the collection.

The Public School is undergoing renovation, and improvements are also being made in the school grounds.

Mr. C. Potter, miller at the Newtonbrook Mills, is unable to receive the works at present owing to illness.

**MEMORY OF FRANCES WILLARD**

To Be Perpetrated in Brooklyn by New York, Feb. 11.—A drinking fountain is to be erected in Brooklyn as a memorial to the late Miss Frances E. Willard, under the direction of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, and from contributions by school children. The site of a site for the fountain at Green Avenue and Fulton Street has been approved by Park Commissioner Brewer.



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Letter to Carry on Hydraulic Mining in the Kettle River Valley in B. C. The following correspondence has passed between the Toronto Stock Exchange and Mr. George Gooderham:

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Hydraulic Mining in B. C. Grand Forks, B.C., Jan. 21.—Col. Johnson of San Francisco, Cal., who has been engaged in hydraulic mining on Snake River, Idaho, is here to investigate the possibility of work of a similar character in the Boundary country of British Columbia.

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When He Heard of the Loss and Thought It Was a Singularly Unfortunate Circumstance. "The fate of the flames, or the mystery of the missing ballots," is the style of literature that will be read with interest around the Parliament Buildings and throughout West Elgin and many other places on the map of Ontario.

The commission set at the reception room in the Parliament Buildings on Saturday shortly before noon and continued in session until about 5 o'clock. The principal witnesses were Col. Clarke, Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and Clerk of the Ontario Legislative Assembly, and Mr. A. S. Hardy, ex-premier of the province.

A singular incident. Mr. Hardy was present at the "singularly unfortunate incident," which was very annoying. He said in evidence that his opinion was the papers had been accidentally burned, and when asked if he had any reason to think otherwise he replied that there was no reason that he had any evidence.

But Robertson and O'Brien, Mr. Hardy was sent for, but could not be found. Mr. Watson said the Toronto end of the investigation would not be complete without the evidence of Bennett and also that of the Deputy Attorney-General, Mr. Cartwright, who is at present ill.

Belleville Assay Office. The Ontario Government Assay Office at Belleville received 53 samples during January. The assays or analytical determinations aggregated \$2 for the month, consisting of 14 for gold, 8 for silver and 7 copper.

Ex-Premier Hardy. Hon. A. S. Hardy was the next witness. He was Premier and Attorney-General at the time the ballots disappeared, but he does not remember the date when they were destroyed before the 24th January of this year. They were put in the vault by Col. Clarke and the Hon. S. H. Burton.

There was No System. Asked as to how he received returns from returning officers, he replied that there was no system. The papers come to him in various ways, and he has no case, some in bags, some in boxes, etc. In most cases they are identified by labels on the outside, but in some cases they are not.

Unable to Identify the Boxes. Col. Clarke said further that when he saw several boxes he was unable to identify until he looked at the returns. He said that boxes were thrown from the trucks to Col. Clarke, and he was unable to identify them. The West Elgin by-election ballots were in the vault on the first day of the burning.

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