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AT BLOEMFONTEIN.

The Capital of the Orange Free State Occupied by Roberts.
LONDON, March 14.—The following is the text of Lord Roberts' despatch to the war office announcing his occupation of Bloemfontein:—
"Bloemfontein, Tuesday March 13, 8 p.m.—By the help of God and by the bravery of his Majesty's soldiers the troops under my command have taken possession of Bloemfontein. The British flag now flies over the presidency vacated last evening by Mr. Steyn, late president of the Orange Free State. Mr. Fraser, member of the late executive government, the mayor, the secretary to the late government, the landrost and other officers met me two miles from the town and presented me with the keys of the public offices. The enemy has withdrawn from the neighbourhood and all seems quiet. The inhabitants of Bloemfontein gave the troops a cordial welcome.
The above despatch though dated Tuesday, was not received at the war office until 7.30 p.m. Wednesday. It was made public a few minutes before nine o'clock. The delay is attributed to the field telegraphs not being connected with Bloemfontein on Tuesday evening. Extra runners were already out on the wires and tonight crowds of Londoners are singing patriotic songs and singing in demonstrations.

LONDON, March 15.—A despatch to the Daily Chronicle from Bloemfontein, dated Tuesday evening, March 13, says:—
"Bloemfontein surrendered at 10 to-day. It was occupied at noon. President Steyn, with a majority of the fighting burghers, has fled northward.
"General French was within five miles of the place at 6 o'clock Monday afternoon. He sent a summons into the town, threatening to bombard unless it surrendered by four a.m. Tuesday. A white flag was hoisted Tuesday morning, and a deputation of the town council, with Mayor Kellner came out to meet Lord Roberts at 5.15 p.m. Five miles south of the town, making a formal surrender of the place.

Lord Roberts made a state entry at noon. He received a tremendous ovation after visiting the public buildings, he went to the official residence of the president, followed by a cheering crowd, who waved the British flag, and sang the British National Anthem. They were in a condition of frenzied excitement.
"On Monday afternoon, previous to the surrender, there had been a little sniping and shelling, but the enemy then retired.

Lord Roberts has his headquarters at the president's house, and there are many of the British wounded in the building. The railway is not injured.
LONDON, March 15, 4.50 a.m.—The first half of the campaign is over. Lord Roberts arrived at Modder River on Feb. 9. He entered Bloemfontein on March 13. Thus, in little over a month, he has effected the relief of Kimberley and Ladysmith, the capture of General Cronje and forces and the hoisting of the British flag in the capital of the Free State. All this has been accomplished with comparatively trifling losses. It is small wonder that he is the hero of the hour in England. All the newspapers eulogize him and congratulate the country. They talk of the Free State as having passed out of existence and as being now one of the shadows of history.

It is not doubted that there may yet be heavy fighting, but the genius of Lord Roberts is looked to for victory over all difficulties. His gain reference to the "late" President Steyn is understood to show that there shall be no ambiguity as to the position assumed toward the republic. The fact that Mr. Fraser, late chairman of the Free State road, and leader of the opposition to Mr. Steyn, came with the deputation to surrender the keys, is regarded as extremely significant of considerable difference of opinion among the Free States regarding the war. It is said that President Kruger hates Mr. Fraser on account of his sympathy with the Outlanders. The demonstrations of the Bloemfontein inhabitants are also regarded as a good augury for the future of British supremacy.

It is interesting in connection with the rapid advance of Lord Roberts to learn that the Russian military attaché with the Boers, who was captured by the British, sent the following telegram to the Czar:—
"I am perfectly amazed at the energy in action and the endurance of the British infantry. I still say no more."
There is need no news as to whether Lord Roberts has captured any rolling stock. If he has not, then he will be obliged to wait until the repairing of the bridges over the Orange River enables him to bring rolling stock up.
The British continue pressing their advance on the Orange River. The Boers still hold Bethulie bridge, on the north side of the stream, but their trenches are

PAINS IN THE BACK.

FREQUENTLY DUE TO SLUGGISH LIVER OR KIDNEY TROUBLES.
Mr. Frank Walters, of Exeter, Tells of Suffering and How Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Cured Him After Other Medicines Failed.
Mr. Frank Walters is a young man personally known to most of the residents of Exeter, where he has lived nearly all his life. Talking with the editor of the Advocate recently Mr. Walters said:—"In justice to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I think it my duty, in view of what they have done for me, to add my testimony to the thousands of others that have been printed. For some months I suffered most severely from pains coursing up and down my back. It was thought that these pains were due to liver and kidney trouble, but whatever the cause they frequently left me in terrible agony. The pains were not always confined to the back, but would shift to other parts of the body. As a result I got little rest, my appetite became impaired and I fell off greatly in weight. I tried different remedies suggested by friends, which having the effect almost all of them, I was not easily persuaded because I had about concluded that medicine would not relieve me, but he insisted and finally I decided to try them. I purchased one box at first, and to my astonishment before it was finished I was greatly relieved. Then I got a couple more boxes and these effected me to my former good health. I do not hesitate recommending this medicine that others may profit by my experience, and not suffer tortures as I did."

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PROTECT YOUR IDEAS.
UNSCRUPULOUS PEOPLE OFTEN PATENT THE INVENTIONS OF THEIR BETTERS.
There are men moving about the country all the time looking for unprotected mechanical devices which they can patent by swearing that they are the inventors, says "Locomotive Engineering." The ordinary procedure is to quietly take out the patent and remain quiet for a few years. Then some day the patentee or his agents visit a shop where the device is in use, and the patentee who it was invented. Then he puts in a claim for royalty, and fiery indignation is excited. The man who invented the thing protests that the claim is a fraud, but he cannot tell just the exact date on which the invention was applied to practical use. The legal department makes inquiries and finds that a successful defense is so uncertain that they advise a settlement instead of a lawsuit, and so the rogue and thief acquires possession of all he has ill gotten gain. It is as bad as picking a man's pocket, but it is not so risky. This is the fancy or overdrawn picture. It is the history of thousands of brands that have been put upon railway companies.

There is only one remedy for this evil, and that is for the inventor to protect such invention by a patent. If the invention is of sufficient worth to warrant its use, it is certainly worth the small outlay necessary to procure a patent. How often do you hear men say about a patented device that some one is making a fortune out of it—"Why, I thought of that years ago, but did not consider it of sufficient importance to procure a patent." But the other man did, and so the money goes to him who had the courage to risk his money. That idea you have in your head may be worth money. You can find out by consulting a reliable patent attorney.
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LENTEN SERVICES, 1900.
March 25. 4th Sunday in Lent, 10.30 a.m. Holy Communion. Subject: The example of the City of Nineveh.
April 1. 5th Sunday in Lent, 3.30 p.m. Subject: Christ's message to Church at Sardinia.
April 8. 6th Sunday in Lent, no service.
April 13. Good Friday, at 2.30 p.m. Subject: The Unlifting of Christ.
April 15. Easter Sunday, 3.30 p.m. Subject: Easter Joy.
April 16. Easter Monday, Annual Vestry Meeting at 9.30 a.m.
Copies of this paper may be found on file at the office of our Washington correspondent, E. G. Siggers, 918 F street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

ST. JOHN MARKET REPORTS.

Table with columns for various commodities and prices. Includes items like Beef (Butcher's), Pork, Butter, etc.

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A Schooner Sunk

Schooner Jennie C. from Block's Harbor ran on the Yankee Ledge, opposite the Beacon, shortly after six o'clock last evening.

How They Love England.

How jealously Great Britain is hated upon the European continent is shown by the following extracts, translated from French, German, Austrian and Russian papers.

How They Love England.

It is one of the most astonishing things of this remarkable war that England, with her resources of arms, is behind her adversaries. Even now there is no doubt that the two republics will obtain full independence, and it is quite certain that England will have to make territorial concessions. The Anglo-African empire from the Cape to the Nile Delta has become an empire of dreams.

How They Love England.

After her experiences up to now, England has not even the smallest chance of a victorious issue of the campaign she so criminally entered into. England in re-organizing her military power will take a step which she ought to have taken long ago.

How They Love England.

The Lion, although the King of Beasts, was hated and feared by his fellows, for he was cruel, overbearing and tyrannical. None dared to question his authority, until one day the wild Bear, smarting from injuries received from the monarch, came, attacked the Lion unaware, and inflicted on him grave injuries. Before the Lion had recovered from the surprise at being attacked by so insignificant a foe as the wild bear, whom he heartily despised, the bear approached from behind, fell upon the wounded King of Beasts and quickly tore him to pieces. Then there was nothing but the carcass of the cruel, overbearing and tyrannical Lion.

How They Love England.

France would be ill-advised to seek a quarrel with Great Britain just now, or to endeavour to benefit from the British embarrassment, without full support of at least Russia, and preferably of all Europe. All the same, Great Britain can thank her luck that so far she has had to put up with nothing more serious from France in the present crisis than caricatures.

How They Love England.

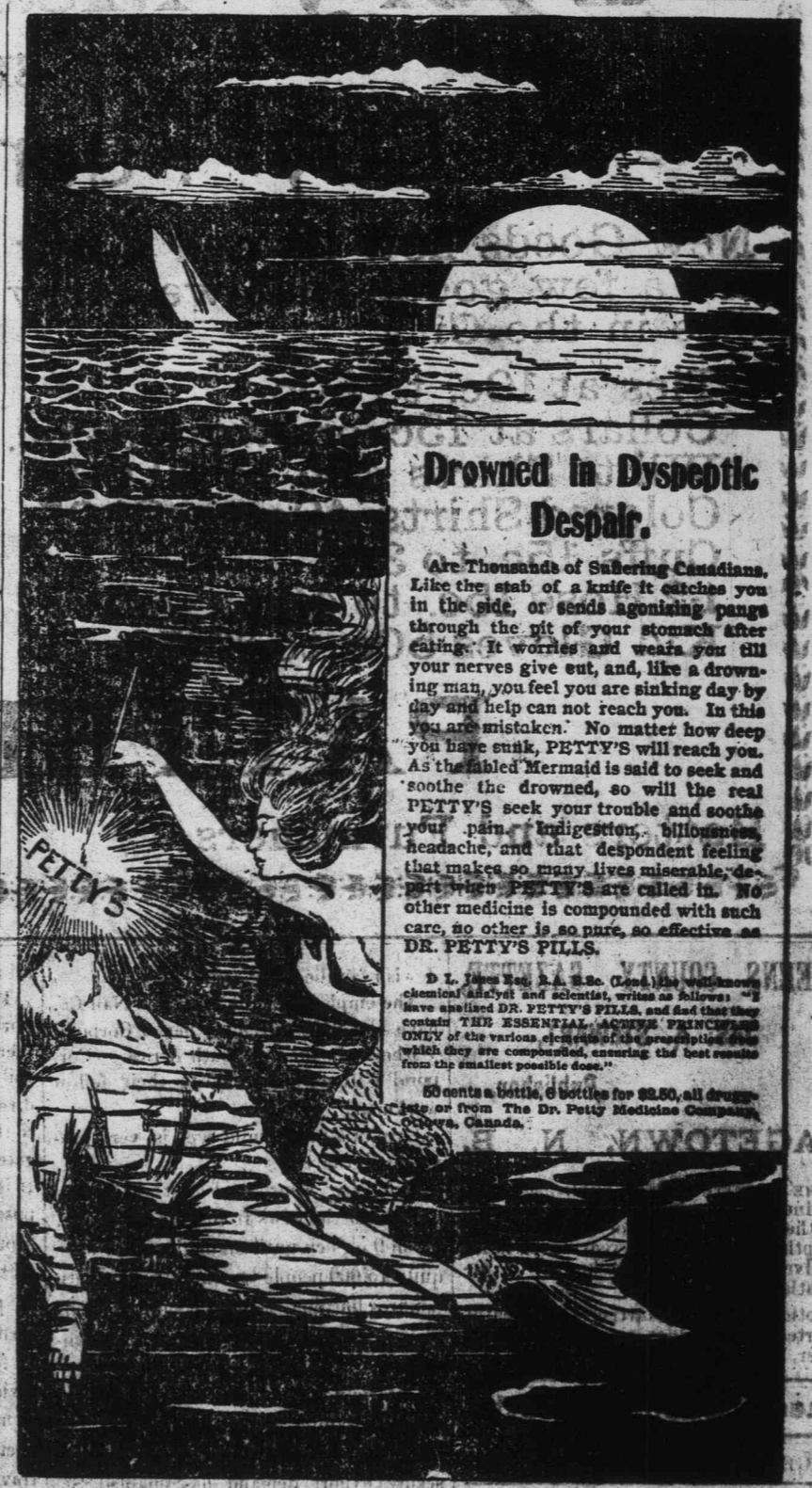
The republicans are twice as brave as their adversaries, but the latter are three times as numerous. We have consequently not for one moment doubted the final issue of the struggle, which cannot but end in a victory (victory is a Pyrrhus, it is true) of the British Colossus.

How They Love England.

According to trustworthy information England will within a few weeks' time have 119,415 men fighting in South Africa. This means 119,415 cartridges that the Boers will have to use, if part of such a huge multitude of Englishmen does not run away or is not made prisoner. Singular caprice of the little island! Why not rather let these poor people stay at home and quietly manufacture patent colico and butter!

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