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THE BRITISH ARMY IN GOOD SHAPE

Lord Wolseley Made an Assuring Speech Last Night

Two of the Finest Army Corps Could Be Got Ready Before Ships Would Be Available

London, Jan. 20.—General Lord Wolseley, field marshal and commander-in-chief of the British army, speaking at a banquet in London this evening, referred to what he called "pessimistic rumors current about the army."

Lord Wolseley asserted that if England declared war to-morrow she could have one of the finest and most fully equipped army corps in readiness for any British port before ships could be prepared to embark them.

The Daily Mail, commenting this morning on the recent Ministerial speeches and the proposed additions to the army and navy, thinks "it all proves that Lord Salisbury can be resolved upon as necessary."

There has been a responsible statement that the Government has decided to add 7000 men to the navy, and that the first batch will be sent to sea in the month of September.

IN THE FAR EAST. Russian Representative Threatens Withdrawal of Friendship-Kiao-Chow to Be an Open Port.

London, Jan. 20.—The Pekin correspondent of The Times, telegraphing yesterday, says: "At his second interview with the Young-Li-Yamen, yesterday (Wednesday), the representative of the Russian Charge d'Affaires, M. Pavloff, was in the nature of intendant in the opening of the Yalu River.

Loan Situation Unchanged. Pekin, Jan. 20.—Another loan conference was held yesterday. The situation remains unchanged. The Chinese reserves are right to exploitation in the Yang Tse Kiang Valley.

German Missionary Safe. Berlin, Jan. 20.—The German missionary, Homeyer, of the Namouny district, who was recently robbed and wounded near a place called Langchen, has returned to Namouny. He is now out of danger.

Cuban Question Evidently Much Graver Than Two Days Ago. London, Jan. 21.—The Times in an editorial this morning on Mr. Hilla's speech in the House of Commons on Wednesday says: "The Cuban question is evidently much graver than two days ago, and it remains doubtful whether he will prove strong enough to resist the pressure brought to bear upon him."

Mr. Gladstone Went Driving. London, Jan. 20.—A despatch from Cannes says that although Mr. Gladstone's neuralgia continues he went out driving this afternoon.

Jack the Ripper Scare. London, Jan. 21.—The finding of the decomposed body of a woman in Regent's Canal, Shoreditch, today gave rise to a short-lived rumor of another murder like those committed by "Jack the Ripper."

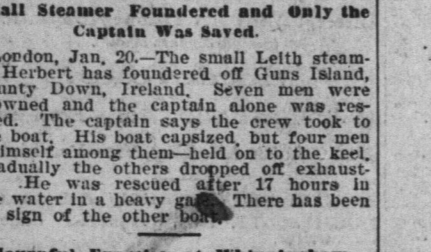
Pinero's New Play "Gore." London, Jan. 20.—Mr. Arthur W. Pinero's new four-act comedy, "Gore," which was produced this evening at the Court Theatre. It is a brilliant play, with a plot and fantastic and many admirable points, with a very satisfying of its author's reputation.

Mrs. Forsyth is Dead. London, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Katherine Forsyth, the actress, late of Philadelphia, died in this city yesterday.

Deaths Made a Bold and Were Whipped. Calais, Jan. 20.—The bodies of five men were taken to the pier of Calais, and were whipped with the loss of five men killed.

Wedding of Aristocrats. London, Jan. 20.—Henry Cyril Bage, Earl of Biddle, was married this afternoon to Miss Lillian Florence Maud Chetwynd, eldest daughter of Sir George Chetwynd, Bart. The ceremony took place in the Roman Catholic Church of St. Mary.

UNCLE OLIVER NOT STEERING THIS TIME.



Small Steamer Foundered and Only the Captain Was Saved. London, Jan. 20.—The small Letha steamer, which was foundered off the coast of Newfoundland, Ireland, seven men were drowned and the captain alone was rescued.

Mourning Function at Whittingham. Osborne, Isle of Wight, Jan. 20.—The anniversary of the death of Prince Henry of Battenberg (who died at sea on Jan. 20, 1897), will be observed on this day by a mourning function at Whittingham, Gosport, where his remains are resting.

Butter and Cheese Makers. Bacteria in Dairying Discussed by Dr. Connell-Mr. Rendell on Cheese Curing. London, Ont., Jan. 20.—A meeting of the cheese makers was held this afternoon at the Grigg House for the purpose of considering the advisability of a separate organization of the makers.

Cheese Curing Experiments. Mr. J. A. Buddick, Illinois, was the next speaker. He gave a paper on "Cheese-curing Experiments," and followed by Dr. Rendell, who introduced Dr. Connell. The cause of rancidity and discoloration in cheese is given. Improved construction would be a Chinese, while the curing process would be a uniform temperature.

British Warships Moving. The Phœnix Sails from Esquimaut Today for the Orient—Flagship Imperieuse to Follow. Victoria, B. C., Jan. 20.—The British fleet which was stationed at Esquimaut, has sailed from this station. A telephone message from Esquimaut, conveys the information that H. M. S. Phœnix, one of the smallest of the fleet, will start to-morrow for the Orient, and that H. M. S. Imperieuse, the flagship of the station, will follow on Saturday.

Ignorance to Death. Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 20.—The Sentinel-Review says: "Mrs. George Douglas, 47, of the village of Esquimaut, died suddenly and under somewhat peculiar circumstances yesterday."

Pember's Vapor, Russian and Turkish Banners and 129 Banners. Toronto Jewish Mission. The annual meeting of the Toronto Jewish Mission was held last evening in Jarvis-street Church.

Personal and General Notes. The charge against John Matthews, Customs collector of Rimousi, is said to be the result of his office duties.

Are the difficulties and tulips at Durrley's. Violets, Roman hyacinths, narcissus and lily of the valley are also being shown.

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HUBBELL'S DEFALCATIONS. BABY FOR AN OLD COUPLE. RAYMOND PREFONTAINE, M.P.



A Case of Particular Interest to the Banking Community. Father Past the Allotted Span of Life and Mother Over 60. Had a Walk-Over for the Majority Despite Mr. Tarté.

Hollens Bank the Defendant in a Suit Arising Out of the Sudden Lease Taking of a Broker Who Was Estimated With Funds for Investment—Shirt Makers After the Government for Protection.

Modern Abraham and Sarah in Toronto—The New Arrival is at 30 Regent Street Monday—Neighbors Are Incredulous and Make Unpleasant Comments, But the Baby is There.

Neighbors of Mrs. William Gillivray, 30 Regent-street, are saying all kinds of things that sound funny, and the cause of their remarks is the advent of an infant to the Gillivray home.

As many people seemed to be interested in the strange case The World's young man visited the Regent-street home last night. He knew where it was, for he had been there before on the previous confinement of Mrs. Gillivray.

Mr. Tarté's Reply. Mr. Louis Joseph Tarté, of La Patrie, who was dropped last evening from the vice-presidency of the Letellier Club, states to-day that he remains none the less the friend of the club and, on being asked if he would attend the Marchand banquet, replied as follows: "Certainly, I will, if I subscribed \$175 to the banquet, it was not for the purpose of staying away."

Two Babies Died. One neighbor pointed out in a rather significant tone that little boy Gillivray, born four years ago, lived only a few days, and the old couple had a similar misfortune regarding their daughter on Aug. 21, 1886.

It is now said there will be no Dravron County Railway proposition laid before the House at the coming session, as the Government may ask a reduction of the amount voted for that purpose in last year's supplementary estimates.

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CAMPAIGN NOTES.

Mr. J. P. Whitney, the Opposition leader, left for home yesterday. He and Col. Matheson will shortly address meetings in Dundas, Stormont and Cornwall.

Hon. Richard Harcourt will attend the Lincoln Liberal Convention at St. Catharines, Hon. Messrs. Hardy and Harcourt will visit Brantford on Wednesday, when the Premier will be tendered a reception by the Young Liberals. Hon. Mr. Davis goes to Milton on the 27th.

Dr. G. S. Ryerson may yet stand for East Toronto. He is considering the representations of the deputation that waited upon him, and will give his friends an answer on Monday.

The Registration Board for Toronto will consist of Judges McDougall, Morgan, Morson, Thomas Hodgins, Master-in-Chambers Winchester, J. W. Scott, Magistrate Denison and James Fielding.

It is understood that Mr. W. H. Biggar will be renominated at Belleville on the 27th.

The pending election is likely to bring out two or three strong candidates for the electorate before. The names of Messrs. J. F. Foy and Harlow Cumberland are mentioned in connection with certain of the Torontoes.

Among the delegates elected at the McCaul-street meeting of the South Toronto Liberals were a number of Ontario Government employees. Prominent among these are William Boyd, Samuel Dunbar, James Gorrille and John O'Donoghue.

One would be Liberal candidate for North Toronto has it is said, asked a number of prominent Reformers to nominate him, but none feel equal to the task.

A meeting of Italians who have supported the Liberal cause in South Toronto in previous years was held yesterday afternoon at 190 Chestnut-street. R. P. Brander, president and the recent trouble between the members of St. John's Ward Liberal Club and the district chairman for Division No. 5 of South Toronto was discussed. Finally it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of Mr. Brander, who will investigate the trouble and will advise his fellow-countrymen what to do.

WHERE OUR INTEREST LIES. The cities of Toronto, Montreal, Winnipeg and the east generally should insist on a railway being opened from Edmonton to other favorable points to Dawson City. But no monopoly should be created or any special privileges given to any trading company.

THE G. O. M. HAS A DISTILLERY. A London correspondent says: "It is not astonishing that Mr. Herbert Gladstone should have come out so exceedingly flat-footed against the local veto plank of the Liberal platform. For some of the most wiser in Scotland are distressed on the Gladstone estates, and any one who has ever had the privilege of tasting at Fasque some of the mountain dew which has rendered the name of Gladstone far more popular in that portion of Scotland than all the political reforms achieved by the grand old man, will readily understand why no Gladstone will ever be found fighting under the Liberal banner."

First-Class Music in the Church. An excellent concert was given last evening in the Methodist Church. The following contributed to a good program of music: Misses Mary and Miss Amy Robertson, Miss Belle H. Noonan, Mr. J. M. Sherlock, and a number of pupils of Mr. W. O. Forsyth.

Lecture on Banking. Mr. Byron E. Walker, manager of the Bank of Commerce, lectured on "The Present Condition of Banking in North America" before the Litterell Science Club of Toronto University yesterday afternoon in the Students' Union building. Mr. Walker's lecture was most interesting and was well attended by students and professors was present.

Keep a Vial of Gibbons' Toothache Gum in the House—it will save suffering. Presently sell it.

He is Missing 840. George Chambers, who has recently returned from the States, reported to the police last night that he had been robbed of \$40 in an hotel near the market while he was under the influence of liquor.

If your Tea is Bad try Monsoon. MARRIAGES. MASON-KINGHAM—At the residence, by the Rev. R. P. Bowles, Thomas Mason and Florence Kingham, both of Toronto. Many congratulations.

DEATHS. WALLWIN—On Jan. 19, 1898, Sarah, relict of the late John Wallwin, in her 71st year. The funeral will leave the family residence, Concession F, Vespra Township, on Friday, 21st inst., at 2:30 o'clock for the Union Cemetery.

WELLS—At 677 Spadina-avenue, on Thursday, 20th inst., at 3:30 p.m., Edith Murrie Wells, youngest daughter of John and Josephine Wells, aged 13 years 2 months. Funeral to teacher's father's residence at 12 o'clock sharp Saturday. Interment at Aurora on arrival of 2:28 train.

MR. SIFTON'S IDEA AS TO A ROYALTY

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Had the Government Not Interposed Radcliffe Would Have Done His Duty. Mr. Justice Gwynne.

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MASONIC BENEVOLENCE. About a Thousand Dollars a Day Disbursed by the Order in 1897.

Torontonians in the Borders. Mr. G. B. Brown, son of the late P. J. Brown of Toronto.

Court at St. Michael's. The trial of Alfred Thomas, the colored man, charged with the murder of Mrs. Thomas.

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS. Go-Wong-to Mohawk, the only American Indian actress, will make her appearance at the Toronto Opera House next week.

Go to the Grand for Fun. Among those who witnessed Klaw and Bringer's show at the Grand last night were John Ogilvie and Rose.

Princess Theatre. "From Frou" produced from the original Augustus Daily manuscript, which has just been secured for Canada by the Ontario Stock Company.

Toronto Orchestra. This orchestra will be assisted by the Blind Palesterewski, Signor Artin Nattal.

At the Bijou. The little Bijou, in presenting to its patrons next week Miss Gertrude Haynes, provides a treat.

New Organ Opened in London. London, Eng., Jan. 20.—(Special).—The large new electric organ in Dundas Church, St. Michael's Church, was opened Tuesday night by Mr. William C. Carl, organist of the church.

Afternoon Musicals. A recital of more than an hour's interest is to take place at the Northside Recital Hall, 15 King-street east, to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Now, Ellsworth, You're Cruel! New York Statesman Who Wants to Make It Easy to Get Newspaper Men Into Jail.

South Ontario Politics. Editor World: At the meeting of the Illinois of South Ontario, at Oshawa, on Saturday last, Hon. John Dreyfus offered an explanation on an affair that is creating a sensation in the riding.

Children and Matches. E. J. Humphrey's son, Bertie, was damaged by a match yesterday afternoon.

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Big Day Saturday for Men Buyers. Men's All-wool Tweed Pants for 98c. Men's Soft and Stiff Hats, large choice for 1.00.

Men's and Boys' Clothing. Men's Solid Leather Braces, extra wide, finished, special per pair, 25c.

Saturday Special in Men's Shoes. In the Boot and Shoe Section, second floor, we put on the tables for exclusive sale Saturday: 200 pairs of Men's Lace and Elastic Side Boots, in black and chocolate color, box calf, also enamel calf, genuine Goodyear welt soles, selected material, regularly sold at \$3.50 and \$4.00, all sizes, Saturday 2.25.

AT THE POLICE COURT. Sufficient stolen property has been recovered by Detective Harrison to warrant the charges of theft against D. W. C. fifteen charges of theft who is under arrest. Three of the charges will be pressed when Craig appears in the Police Court to-day.

Two Entertainment Youngsters. George Bookmeyer, a down-town sandwich man, who lives at 232 Adelaide-street, was charged with the theft of a bicycle, a watch, a pair of shoes, and a belt, which he had stolen from a young man, who lives at 232 Adelaide-street.

COUNTY AND SUBURBAN NEWS. Toronto Junction, Jan. 20.—(Special).—The fourth shoot for the Sheppard trophy took place this afternoon in the Willowby-avenue grounds, when the following scores were made: Garbutt 20, Spruile 20, Agin 18, Player 18, Wilson 17.

Richmond Hill. The following officers were filled by the Council at its last meeting: Mayor, Mr. H. Nichols; Mr. A. Newton, representative on High School Board; Mr. W. Sanderson on Public Library Board; Mr. H. Miller on Local Board of Health; and Messrs. E. W. F. F. and M. A. on the Board of Health.

The wedding of Mr. Frank Robinson and Miss Gladys G. G. was celebrated on Monday morning, Rev. Father McMahon performed the interesting ceremony in the presence of a large gathering of friends.

The concert held at the Victoria Hall on Saturday night, under the auspices of the Public Library, was an unqualified success, due principally to the efforts of Messrs. L. G. and J. F. Francis, members of the Board.

The sixteenth anniversary of Ebenezer Baptist Church, Brookvale, will take place on Sunday, when the anniversary sermon will be preached by Rev. George G. Webb of Brampton.

The congregational meeting of the Eglington Presbyterian Church was held last evening. The pastor, Rev. G. G. Webb, presided, a large number of the congregation being present.

DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP. Heals and Soothes the delicate tissues of the Throat and Lungs. COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, HOARSENESS, SORE THROAT, INFLUENZA, and PAIN IN THE CHEST.

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ASSEY MUSIC HALL. TO-NIGHT Mrs. Mountford. "BETHLEHEM TO CALVARY." Reserved Seats. Admission 5c.

OUR BUSINESS. For the First 13 Days of the Year 1898. Orders delivered from the 3rd Jan., 1898, to 18th, being 13 business days.

Friday and Saturday CHOICE. 50 Dozen Colored Fronted and all CAMBRO SHIRTS, Cuffs attached and detached, regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, while they last.

Toronto Electric Motor Co. 105, 107 and 109 Adelaide St. W. THE DOVERCOURT Land, Building & Savings Co., I give that the twelfth annual general meeting of the shareholders of this company will be held on Tuesday, the 26th of January, 1898, at 11 o'clock, at the company's office, 107 Victoria-street, Toronto.

Garrett, Joseph Empringham, George Empringham, Dr. Walters, D. Lloyd, W. Empringham, H. Blaylock, G. Meech, J. Hicks, and T. May.

Mr. Robert Davies will make extensive improvements in Victoria Park next season. The first-class program has been arranged for the concert on Friday night at the North Toronto Home Circle, 112 Mr. J. W. Curry, Crown Attorney, has consented to give the evening of the concert.





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Today's Lists. Judges' Chambers will be held at 11 a.m. Divisional Court at 10 a.m. Girard v. Bennett, et al. v. Wilson, Thompson v. Sun and Caledonian, etc., Co. v. Fitzgibbon v. Molsons Bank.

Court of Appeal at 11 a.m.: White v. Tozato, H. B. Railway to be continued.

TRADE IN CANADA. E. G. Dan & Co. Reports Favorably on General Business—Woolen Goods Show Signs of Advancing.

The remarks of last week on the general trade situation at Montreal will fairly apply to date. There have been no failures of importance in this district and with good snow days throughout the country money is circulating fairly, and general sentiment is reported as moderately good.

Leading Wheat Markets. Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres: Chicago, 80 1/2; St. Louis, 80 1/2; Minneapolis, 80 1/2; Duluth, 80 1/2; Toronto, 80 1/2.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE. FLOUR—The feeling is better, in sympathy with higher prices of wheat. Straight No. 2 quoted at \$3.80 to \$3.90, middle freight.

WHEAT—The market was firmer to-day, with sales of red winter at 82c and 82c 1/2. Feeder and stocker wheat at 81c and 81c 1/2.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted at 22c to 23c. No. 3 extra quoted at 22c to 23c and red at 22c to 23c.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales quoted at 14c to 15c, and on midland at 20c to 21c.

PEAS—The market continues firm, with prices ruling at 62c to 63c, north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c and 31c east.

RYE—The market is quiet, with sales at 47c west and 47c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices firm. Car lots are quoted at 40c and 41c.

BEAN—The demand is fair, with sales at 10c west. Shorts rule at \$1.50 to \$1.75 at 112 middle freight.

OTMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in high demand at \$3.20.

PROVISIONS—Trade is quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long, 11c to 11c 1/2.

MEAT—The market is quiet, with prices steady. Beef, 10c to 11c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 50c to 55c per bag on truck.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 15c, and 14c to 15c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 8c to 9c per lb.

HEBES—The market is quiet, with prices steady. Deers, 10c to 11c.

Wool—Fleece is nominal. Sailed super in fair demand at 20c to 21c, and 17c to 18c.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET. On account of unfavorable weather, the deliveries of grain were small, 700 bushels all told.

New Books at the Public Library. Cheatham, The Mysteries, Pagan and the Mysteries of the East.

Business Embarrassments. Stubbs & Rogers, furniture, Guelph, are offering to compromise.

John Stronach, butcher, this city, has assigned to J. B. Bonstead.

Morton & Co., general store, Fort William, have assigned with liabilities to \$14,000. Assets are placed at about the same figure.

Red clover, bush, \$3.40 to \$3.60. Alsike clover, bush, 2.25 to 4.00.

Hay and straw—Wheat, per ton, \$15.00 to \$16.00.

500,000—Fifty thousand

4 King St. East - R. A. Fletcher

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WHEAT SYNDICATE BUYING.

Strong Tone in Chicago With the July Option the Favorite.

Liverpool Cables Closed at an Advance—Local Markets Quiet and Firm—Provisions are Higher in Chicago—Cheese Lower in Liverpool.

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