A JOHN M. B. PEBRUARY 10. 1900 .NOET YAMMENT.TMM ST.JOHN SEMI-W? RRANSI 7171306111 TO DOMO'T NO: 12. ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1900. VOL. 28. "That this house insists on the tion this country or empire could offer ada st Monday. He hoped the govevoked, and he repeated his speeches | for them to do to stir up ill-feeling PARLIAMENT. would offer a Canadian mil-ciment to garrison Halifax, thus a British regiment free for acbetween the two races in this counprinciple of the soversignty and inde- | which would induce him to tarnish not once but many times. try. Had Quebec been disloyal in itia 1776, or in 1812, or even neutral, no-body would ever have been called up-on to sit in a Canadian parliament. Sig pendence of parliament as the basis if British institutions and the safethe character and principle he had al-Hon. Mr. Foster paid a glowing ways endeavored to maintain, nametribute to the loyalty of French-Can-adians, and declared if they had to guard of the civil and political libly, equal rights and equal justice for Bourassa and the South make the choice between France of today and their present condition not an intelligent French-Canadian in the Sir Wilfrid Laurier soid that the de erties of British citizens, and refugees, every Cadadian, irrespective of race equently, to consider the action of partment of militia was engaged at this moment in correspondence with the war office closely touching this or creed; every man in Canada to be This government asked for no servile consequently, to consider the action of the fidged simply apon merit and ability the government in relation to the judged simply apon merit and ability submission from its followers, All It African, War. asked was such allegiance as self-respecting men could give. The gov-South African war as a precedent as to the advancement which he could domiracn would make the transfer. matter, but he was not in a position to make a definite statement. which should commit this country to secure. (Loud cheers). The debate was continued by Bouany action in the future. ernment had done on the contingent In this matter of the sending of a Sir Charles Tupper Will Make an Ex-Sir Hibbert Tupper urged that the rassa (liberal of Labelle), McIntosh, That this house further declares matter all that they should have d contingent, the administration had As to insurance on the men, when cable should be freely used, as a trans-(the new member for Sherbrooke) that it opposes any change in the polipont would be leaving for Canada next ample of the Press Gallery Man utterly failed to grasp the importance Canada sent her sons to fight, Canada Carey and Clarke Wallace. The lattical and military relations which exist of the situation. What a pitiful con-Canada at present between Canada and Great ter said he would be glad if the shabbecame responsible, and fession the premier made when he said last night he was waiting for would know how to redeem that re-Who Lied About Him. by treatment of our volunteers by the The premier-This is a progressive Britain unless such change is initiatnent, and we will use the cable. ed by the sovereign will of parliagovernment was to be regarded as public opinion ! If he was waiting, Sir Charles Tupper again called atnot being "a precedent." ment and sanctioned by the people of The address was then passed. why did he open his mouth to the Conservative Caucus -Binder Twine Sales tertion to the press statements that Canada had consented to the abroga-tion of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty. Sir Richard Cartwright moved the Canada." Toronto Globe correspondent on the 012.118 NOTES. Dr. Sproule will again bring up his adjournment of the house. 3rd of October, when he stated that Made Public - The Senate Adjourns OTTAWA, Feb. 8 .- The following resolution in favor of parliament the government had no constitutional The opposition loudly called on the telegram was received at the militia He esked for a statement from the granting a bounty on all beet root Until the 26th Inst. authority to act; no money; they could government to continue pusiness, but department this morning from the ugar manufactured in Canada. not do anything, and that they did Cartwright, in the premier's absence, pressed the adjournment. The house government. Sir Wilfrid Laurier-The govern-Allan line : "Pomeranian passed St. Vincent, Cape Verde Islands, at eight not intend to do anything ? A fine Dr. Roddick gives notice of a reso k has no objection to answer the stion, but until the sanction of th OTTAWA, Feb. 6 .- In the house tolution setting forth the desirability assimilating and making uniform method of waiting and considering adjourned at 9.25. morning. Seven ho ck this day, John Melntosh, the newly elect-ed member for Sherbrooke, was inof October the premier said that he NOTES. lead." cental authorities is 'obtained he. standards of education for the profes-A conservative caucus was held tocould not do anything. He hoped in troduced by Sir Charles Tupper and had no hesitation in acting, that there Mr. Maclean introduced a bill today sions of medicine and surgery in Canday, when organization was discussed. a few days to place all the correspondwas no delay. But where was the to amend the bankruptcy act. -It is ada by establishing a central author-Mr. Pope, and received with great Committees were appointed to prepare minister of public works after the 9th founded on the imperial measure, ence on the table. ity to deal with the question and to conservative applause. work to distribute campaign literature of October? He was doing his utwhich has worked well, but differs Sir Charles Tupper complained that constitute a dominion medical coun-Mr. McNeill called attention to the and for securing certain changes in a maliciously false report of his speech most in the press and was using his cil, in which the legislatures of the from the imperial act by omitting any report that the Leinster Regiment, had been sent to the Winnipeg Free the electoral laws. strongest influence to get this counreference to voluntary assignments. various provinces may, if they see fit now stationed at Halifax, had been or-'The senate is still discussing the detry to declare that nothing should be The collapse of the debate on the Press by its Ottawa correspondent. to do so, vest such powers as are nedered for service in South Africa. He bate on the address. Senators Prime-He (Tupper) was represented as saydone in this matter. . He even went address caused great amusement to cessary to effect the above purpose wanted to know whether arrangerose and Miller made excellent ing "He attacked the French in a most so far as to criticize one of his colthe conservatives. A direct chalthe appointment of such an authority ments had been made or would be speeches today, Miller's being a brilbitter way, but said he did not include leagues (Mr. Fitzpatrick), who evilenge had been thrown out to Tarte, made, to supply its place with a Canby parliament being for the general liant defence of Sir Charles Tupper. +11 French-Caradians." Unless prompt adian militia regiment. He also dently had a true grasp of the situabut neither he, Bourassa nor Monet benefit of Canada would promote the and an eulogy of his efforts in proretraction and apology were made he wished to point out that there was an tion would speak. advancement of medicine and surgery tecting the rights of the minority. The would move to have this newspaper Mr. Foster then proceeded to deal The conservative senators and memimperial military force of about 1,000 throughout the dominion. senate will adjourn tomorrow until with Bourassa and Monet. The forcorrespondent expelled from the galmen in Bermuda which could be used bers had a pleasant reunion in the Mr. Taylor elicited the information the 26th. mer had been re-elected on the prinrailway committee room this evening just now if a certain number of Can-ETV. in the house today that the binder Wainwright, assistant general man-The premier said he would not pass ciple that no soldier should be sent and, under the presidency of A. C. adian volunteers were sent to take twine on hand at Kingston penitenti eger of the Grand Trunk, has had an Macdonald, Sir Charles Tupper ably reviewed the events which had ocfrom Canada without previous parliajudgment until he had an opportunity ary August 1, 1896, was sold to Coll their places. interview with several members of of looking at the paper and judging Hon. Dr. Borden replied that he had mentary authority. Monet had sup-Bros of St. John. N. B., at the followthe government to urge the transfer of it calmly. He was perfectly ready ported his friend, having been taught no information with reference to the curred since the last session. and outing prices: Manila (Maple Leaf of the subsidy of one million dollars to support any motion in order to preby Sir Wilfrid Laurier that Canada Leinster Regiment, except what he lined his views of the government brand), \$5 per hundred weight; mixed for the Quebec bridge to the Grand vent misrepresentations of speeches in would ultimately drop away like a rolicy. Other gentlemen spoke, and had seen in the papers. The subject (Beaver brand), \$4.50; sised, \$4. The Trunk. the press. If the hon. gentleman had ripe apple from the parent bow. it was decided to have another meetwas too wide a one to be discussed binder twine manufactured at King-Monet-Do you not also hold the ing on Thursday morning. suffered he, the premier, was also a coston penitentiary between Aug. 1st in the formal manner in which it had Governor General's warrants, victim, as his Sherbrooke speech had BANK BURGLARS ARRESTED. been brought forward. . As to the same idea ? 1896, and July 31st, 1897, was sold to been mis-reported. It was only due to cover expenditure not provided in the sending of Canadian militia to Ber-Mr. Foster replied that he would be the Hobbs Hardware Co.: Manila, estimates of the year, were issued members of parliament that the words \$5.25; mixed, \$4.75; sisal, \$4.40. The muda, he would be very happy to very sorry to claim the protection of DANVILLE, Que., Feb. 8 .- Burglars blew they spoke should be reported as uttered, and that the head lines should during recess for \$952,000. Of this output between Aug. 1st, 1897, and give the subject, as he had already the British flag, to proclaim himself open the vault and safe of the Danville amount \$850,000 is for expenses in congiven it to some extent, careful conas one of the citizens of this country, July 31st, 1898, was sold to Bab & Sons, branch of the People's Bank of Halifax be a fair summary of the report. nection with the first and second con-Ottawa: Manila, \$4.95; mixed, \$4.45; and then to insult the best feelings of sideration. here about 3 o'clock this morning. The tingents. The house adjourned at 5.30 p. m. Sir Chas. Tupper asked if the premier sisal, \$4.15. The output between Aug the country. burglars completely cleaned the safe of the The minister of militia today re-OTTAWA, Feb. 7.-Hon. Mr. Fieldwas yet in a position to answer the 1st, 1898, and July 31st, 1899, was sold Mr. Monet interrupted to say that contents, securing about \$5,000 in cash. ceivel a cable from Col. Otter aning will on Friday move the house into question he asked yesterday with rehe merely meant to ask if it were not to Hobbs Hardware Co.: Manila, WINDSOR MILLS, Que., Feb. 8 .- Windnouncing the death from fever of J. committee of the whole on the follow-\$7.25; mixed, \$6.15; sisal, \$6. probable that the time would come ference to the Clayton-Bulwer treaty ? \$(.25); Mixed, \$6.15; Siski, \$60.
Col. Prior was informed by the minister of millita that the government ister of millita that the government had taken steps looking to the repartiation of the 100th (Leinster) regiment. Correspondence, the minister added, is now going on between the Canadian and imperial authorities.
At this point Sir Wülfrid Laurier brought up the complaint made by Sir Charles Tupper yesterday that his speech on the address had been falsely reported in the Winnipeg Free Press by Mr. Magurn of that paper, the
Sor Mills was put in an uproar about 6 p. m. by the announcement that sk burglars who had got away with over \$5,000 of the funds of the Danville branch of the People's Bank of Halifax, were being followed into town by a posse of officers and citizens of Danville. Snow is over three feet on the burglars might be captured. The burglars on the outskirts of the burglars on the outskirts of the burglars on the outskirts of the burglars of the shad been falsely reported in the Winnipeg Free Press sor Mills was put in an uproar about 6 r. E. Farley of St. Thomas, Ontario, at ing resolutions: The premier replied that he was not. when independence would be the 1. Resolved, that it is expedient to Belmont. proper thing for us. provide that from and out of the con-HON. MR. FOSTER, Sir Mackenzie Bowell filed his notice Mr. Foster replied that he was emsolidated revenue fund of Canada of motion today calling for all the who was received with loud cheers, phatically opposed to independence, there shall and may be paid and apcorrespondence in the controversy besaid the opposition could join in conand unless the teaching of the past plied a sum not exceeding eight hunween Gen. Hutton and Col. Hughes. was something different from his ungratulating the country on its condred and fifty thousand dollars to-The debate on the address in the tinued prosperity. No one, he said, derstanding of it, he did not think the wards payment of the expenditures insenate was continued by Hons. Mills. would argue that that prosperity had time would ever come when he would prefer independence outside the Ferguson and Perley, and was again curred or to be incurred in sending the its beginning with the advent to contingents of Canadian volunteers to empire to independence within it. adjourned. power of the present liberal party. (Conservative cheers.) On what South Africa. He asked the minister of trade if he OTTAWA, Feb. 7 .- The house had a 2. In addition to the said sum there ground could independence be adhad found time to write an article for chall be paid and applied a further ly reported in the Winnipeg Free Press short sitting today. Would it be less exabout five thousand dollars in cash recovered on their persons, as well as a full kit of burglar's tools. The money had been divid-ed equally among them. High Constable Moe of Sherbrooke assisted in taking the prisoners to Sherbrooke jail. They will fave a preliminary hearing at Sherbrooko tomorrow. Two of the burglars were quite scriously injured. One was shot through the arm and another was krocked senselcss by a policeman's billy. No citizens were in-jured. The prisoners gave the names of Edward McCarthy, Frank Allan, Frank Williams, Andrew Mortimer, James Moore and John Brooks. ning the the London Economist vantage by Mr. Magurn of that paper, the about five thousand dollars in cash Col. Domville introduced a bill to sum not exceeding \$1,150,000 towards people of Great Britain that this gov- pensive? Would there be a greater false statement being that Sir Charles amend the militia act, the object be- defraying any further expenditures heritage of honor and power, or a ernment had taken seven and onehad accused the French-Caradians of ing to do away with the law which ine may be incurred in connection third millions more out of the pockets | greater feeling of security ? Why disloyalty. The premier had a letter with the sending of Canadian volunnow requires Canada to take an im should any man wish to part with of the people of Canada through from Mr. Magurn, in which he stated perial officer as commander of the teers for active service in South customs and inland revenue than durthe position Canada held today as a that he was not a member of the press militia. He thought when the Can-Africa and for providing as hereinafter member of the empire? The dearest ing the conservative regime. (Laughgallery; that he "did not write or dicmentioned for a fund by way of allowadian officers now in South Africa re-Mr. Foster ridiculed the govinterests of every man would be rentate or even see the report to which turned such a position as this should ance to such volunteers or their dedered less secure if Canada were to ernment's promise to set up arbitrathe honarble gentleman takes excepbe open to them. He also thought pendents. drop her connections. Look at the tion tribunals for settling disputes betion in a vague and general way." 3. The word "expenditures" in the that events had proved that it would tween employes and employers, asking | great powers of Europe and every one The letter concluded with the remark foregoing resolutions includes the folhe far more prudent to have a Canthem why they did not enforce the of them was ready to spring to occupy that as an apology had been menadian in command of the Canadian alien labor law if they were such territory. What a glorious thing, it lowing: tioned it ought to come from Sir "A." All expenses of every kind in would be for this dominion to be a army. friends of the working man. The FREDERICTON. Charles and not from the writer. Mr. Ingram introduced a bill connection with the raising, enrolling, leader of the conservatives had been hunting ground for them. How much Sir Charles Tupper replied that he amend the Franchise act 1898. He arming, equipping, provisioning, deblood and money would it cost them actuated by broad patriotic motives had since learned that the writer of Fredericton Mining and Development Co.wants provision made that Canadians spatching and transporting of the said in the interests of Canada and the emto keep this country secure ? (Apcontingents up to the time of their arthe report in question was Mr. Macpire. (Applause.) The premier had now in South Africa shall be entitled F. H. Risteen's Condition-Recent plause.) kenzie and not Mr. Magurn, the editor rival at the place of debarkation in Then Mr. Foster reverted to to vote if they return before the elecreferred ot the newspapers that criti-Deaths. of the paper, who was also in the galtions, and shall not be barred by any cized him as the "reptile press," and member for Labelle, declaring that South Africa. "B." The payment of the officers, lery, but the offence had been further Mr. Bourassa would make a grave present legal requirements as to residit ill became him to try to stop the eggravated by the publication of an non-commissioned officers and men ence, etc. He also wants a clause in-FREDERICTON, Feb. 8.-An examination mouths of independent critics in that mistake if he continued to support the item in "today's issue of the same pacomposing the said contirgents up to serted in the law for the protection of of candidates for position of official and government after having antr-gonized way. If there was any reptile press per" to the effect that Sir Charles had the franchise of men who move from the time of debarkation as aforesaid special court stenographers will be held in the near future. Those wishing to stand examination are required to send in appli-cations to T. C. Allan, clerk of the supreme court, before February 19th. The Fredericton Mining and Development company held its first regular meeting here yesterday and elected the following direc-tors: John Black, J. D. Hazen, F. St. John Bliss, W. W. Boddy, George Black and Parker Glasier, M. P. P. The directors af-terwards elected officers as follows: J. D. Hazen, president; J. Black, vice-president, F. St. John Bliss, secretary-treasurer: Geo. Black, managing director. Geo. Black, W. W. Boddy, Geo. Pinder and George Armsreaux leave on the 21st in-stant for the Yukon to work several claims controlled by the company. John Scott, a well knewn resident of St. Marys, died this morning at Victoria Hosp-ital, whither he was removed for treatment a few days ago. He was 78 years old and leaves two sons. Joel S. Scott, with whom he lived at St. Marys, and John Scott of Magudy. The death also occurred of one of the old-est residents of the county. George Junes, who had passed his ninety-second birthday. He dicd at the residence of his grandscn, Humbert Thomas, at Springful. Bishop Kingdon entertained the sidesmen of the Cathedral at dinner at his residence last uight. The finances of the corporation were considered and found in a very satis-factory conditions. During the year over one thousand dollars was expended in im-provement of the church building. H. Allen president at Church hall last night, which is believed to have been called with the view of interesting some of the business men in civic affairs. The meeting appointed a committee of five men from each ward to nominate candidates for the approaching civic elections, and they are expected to re-port at another meeting to be held some time next week. A telegram received vesterday from Rivspecial court stenographers will be held in its principles. It was Mr. Bourassa's it belonged to the side where minisrefrained from attempting to establish at the rates authorized by the reguladuty to stand by the principles which one municipality to another within a the near future. Those wishing to stand ters were able to care for the faithful. the accuracy of his assertion. Now, as tions and order of the department of he had advocated and not to abandon dominion election district, where such (Conservative applause.) for Mr. Magurn, Sir Charles continued, them through fear of helping those militia and defence. persons are disfranchised owing to the Hon. Mr. Foster then quoted from a it would be in the memory of the "C." All separation allowances paid who opposed the liberals. It had been fact that said two municipalities are speech made by Mr. Tarte, in which house that he had lied about him in rot within the same electoral district to the widows and children of each said by Sir Wilfrid Laurier that the he said that the conservatives long the Halifax Chronicle in regard to a married non-commissioned officer and for provisional purposes .- The bill was Boers could have every right they had ago decided to raise the question of proceeding before one of the commitman at the rates laid down by the imread the first time. before. He denied that. This was race. This accusation from a ministees of the house in such a gross man-Col. Domutille called attention to a perial regulations. not a war from surface motives. It ter of the crown was dastardly, if it ner that the chairman, the present recent newspaper article in which "D." The difference between the was a struggle between our ideal, our was not cruel, and it was mischievous Judge Lister, deemed it required an rates of pay of the officers, non-comcivilization and another. The Boer Hutton gave his side of the controanyway, and the whole government apology. This time, it appeared, howmissioned officers and men, which now had the right to tax and not versy regarding the case of Col. Sam were responsible for it. He wanted ever, the writer of the false report they receive or are entitled to receive give representation; to pillage and rob Hughes. Domville wanted to know Mr. Tarte to bring forward his proof happened to be their correspondent, from her majesty's government during whether any steps had been taken to and deny justice; to murder and give that the conservative party had long but if these people hoped to escape their period of service in South Africa, no redress. These rights would not ascertain if the interview was correct. ego decided to raise the question of the consequences of misrepresentation and the respective rates of pay reremain to the Boer when conquered. Hon. Mr. Borden replied that the race. The charge made by Mr. Tarte in this way they were mistaken. Mr. ceived by them up to the time of de-(Cheers.) The British would be gengeneral officer commanding admitted had also contained the accusation that Magurn, the responsible editor of the the interview was substantially corbarkation in South Africa, such differerous when they were victors, and Sir Charles Tupper had described the paper, was in the gallery beside its they would grant to the Boers the ence not to be paid to such officers, rect, but was not intended for publi-French-Canadian as an inferior race. ocrrespondent when the report was very same rights and privileges which non-commissioned officers and men cation. He asked Mr. Tarte to make good that written, was at present in the gallery, while on such service, but the amount Sir Hibbert Tupper was told by Mr. accusation to prove it or to stand they gave to Englishmen. and had aggravated his offence by in-Siften that no oriminal proceedings which would be payable to each such SIP. RICHARD CARTWRIGHT, disgraced. The statement attributed solence. Was the report true that he officer, non-commissioned officer or have been instituted against any after recess, commented upon the fact to the leader of a great party was conhad accused French-Canadians of disman to be placed to his credit and to mentioned in evidence that no amendment had been offered. officials trary to reason and absolutely untrue. loyalty, or was it a lie? be supplied in such manner as the taken before. Wm. Ogilvie, re-The contingent was a free gift from (Loud conservative cheers). "A lie," shouted the opposition memspecting Yukon affairs. The reagoverner-in-council may determine for Canada, and therein lay its value. He Proceeding, he condemned in the son for this was because sufthe benefit of those dependent on him, ters in unison. agreed with Sir John A. Macdonald strongest manner possible Mr. Tarte's Never in all his life, continued Sir cr, failing such application, to be paid ficient grounds for such action had not that if Canada was to be asked as a attempts to raise race and religious Charles, warmly, had he attacked been shown. Sir Hibbert was further to him or his representatives at the matter of right to take part in Engprejudices in Canada. If Hon. Mr. French-Canadians. Let it be shown informed that the salary of Wm. Ogilvie was increased \$1,000 per anclose of his period of service. land's wars, then Canada was entitled Mulock had been prime minister inthat he had and he would at once re-tire from public life. (Cheers). No to a direct voice in determining with stead of Laurier, and he had acted in NOTES. what countries England should go to the same hesitating way, he would niim man could more steadfastly have dis-OTTAWA, Feb. 7 .- What with the Mr. McNeill again called attention war. (Applause.) But when the emhave found the liberal conservatives hay already sent to South Africa and couraged racial and religious rancour to the reports that the Leinster region his track just as they were on the pire was in danger, it was Canada's that which has been ordered by the in this country, as the records would ment was to leave for South Africa. duty to help. Those best qualified track of the premier today. In Shercivic elections, and they are expected to re-port at another meeting to be held some time next week. A telegram received yesterday from Riv-erside, ('alifornia, states that Frank H. Ri-steen, the well known court stenographer, who went to that place last fall in search of health, was very low, and the doctors were of the opinion that he could not live more than a fortnight. The telegram was sent by Mrs. Risteen to one of her husband's intimate frienis. war office in Canada the total quantity abundantly show, and he would thereand that the militia regiment to reto judge thought so. The conservabrooke Mr. Tarte had made an appeal which will be sent will be about 12,000 fore avail himself of Sir Wilfrid Lauplace it would leave England for Canto the meanest feelings that could be tives had done all that it was possible tons. The Mariposa will likely sail rier's promise of the previous day to assist in depriving of the privileges of from St. John next week with about the press gallery the man who had HOCKEY Spaulding's League Sticks and Pucks, Shin Guards, Pants, Rules 2,200 tons and the Jeneta between the 15th and 20th with 1,500 toos. Towards slandered him in this respect. the end of February the Menantic will Sir Charles reviewed at some length leave with 1,250 tons. The quantity contracted for in March is about 3,000 his action in regard to recognition of intimate friends. the rights of French-Canadians, and for Hockey Players, McCready's Perfect Hockey tons, but no vessels have yet been repelled the scandalous assertions and HANDLE WITH CARE. chartered to carry this lot. The avermisropresentations that were being Skates. We have about 200 pairs which we will ege price paid by the department sent about the country that he was RAT PORTAGE, Man., Feb. 8.—Isaac Tcdd was instantly killed this atternoon while thawing dynamite, which exploded, tearing his body into fragments. endeavoring to raise racial and reliranges about \$9 per ton f. o. b. sell at \$1,25 per pair. We cannot get any more Three men of the Canadian continggious antagonism. In conclusion, Sir ent were court martialled by Col. 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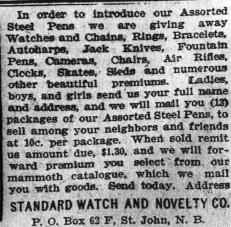
re from n End, for sleeping on sentry and the correspondent of the Montreal Herald was

duced on Friday.

Hon. Mr. Tante is ill. He had to sleep in the parliament building last A militia order issued today officially

designetes the high commissioner's force as the Strathcona Horse. Its total strength is 528 officers and men.

OTTAWA, Feb. 8.- Mr. Bourassa will take an early opportunity of placing on record his views on the constitutional retation of Canada towards the mother country .- He gives notice of the following amendment in sup-



ent to Cape Town for endeavoring to evade the press censor. The redistribution bill will be intro-



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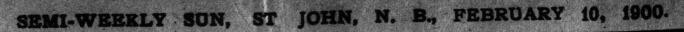
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ENDED AT LAST

Troops are no longer detained ad

Cape Town. They proceed immedi-

ately to some point at the front. Three

thousand disembarked Monday and

were quickly sent elsewhere. No pub-

lic reception was given to the arriving

volunteers at Cape Town, because

gone to Gen. Buller.

guns at Colenso, writes:

The Transvaal special war tax of

two shillings and sixpence per acre af-

fects 3,000,000 acres of English owned

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AN IMPORTANT MOVEMENT.

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more than the tax.

Lord Methuen's Long Period of Inactivity Gen. French is holding in check a large fire of Borrs at Colesberg. This morning a new Boer larger near Stingerstentein, where the Burghers Broken by a Strong Reconnaissance to the Westward.

General McDonald With a Considerable Force Occupies Koppies Dam, Commanding Koodoosberg Drift.

Complete Silence Regarding the Operations in Natal-Runner from Ladysmith Says That There is Plenty Food and Ammunition in the Beleaguered Town.

WAR SUMMARY. LONDON, Feb. 7, 4 a. m .- The war

office at midnight repeated its formula that it had nothing to communicate, and such news as comes from other sources is comparatively unimportant. Gen. Buller's continued silence is practicelly the only basis for the persistent belief that he is advancing. A telegram from Lourenzo Marquez, dated Tuesday, gives the latest news from Ladysmith, where, according to Boer reports, a heavy cannonade began early on Monday and continued, when the despatch, which gives no details, was sent. From the same source comes a report of a skirmish on Saturday with a party of British who were protecting some coolie grass cutters. The party lost three killed and some cavalry who were sent to aid them also lost three men.

Runners who left Ladysmith on Saturday have reached Estcourt with despatches recording that ammunition and food in the beleaguered town are abundant. There are immen supplies of canned meat, and fresh meat is also abundant. The camps of the Boers on the plain between Ladysmith and Tabenyama hill were reported to be in a state of commotion, as though the enemy were expecting an attack.

LONDON, Feb. 7 .-- The Standard has received the following despatch, The long inactivity of Gen. Methuen's division at Modder river has at length been broken, a movement, Dam : apparently aiming to flank the Boers, having begun.

The Standard's correspondent, telegraphing from Koppie's Dam, under date of Feb. 5, reports that Gen. Hector MacDonald, with the Highland Brigade, the Sixty-second Battery, and gersfontein arrived at Koo

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were placing new artillery, was shelled with lyddite. The effect of the shelling was to spoil all the work that had been already accomplished and to compel a general retirement of the Boers.

NEARING NORVAL'S PONT. PRETORIA, Feb. 5.-A despatch: from Colesberg, Cape Colony, states that the British are within seven miles of Achtertong. Achtertong is a short distance to the northeast of Colesberg and is very near the Norval's Pent station on the border of Orange Free State.

PRIZE COURT DECISIONS. DURBAN, Natal, Feb. 6 .- The prize court here has decided to return £25,-000 m gold belor.ging to the 'Transvaal National bank, which was seized on the steamship Avondale Castle last October. The bank was transferring the gold from Durban to its branch at Delagoa bay.

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ATHENS, ' Feb. 6 .- Sir Edwin H Egerton, the British minister, has written to the Romanos warmly thanking, on behalf of the Queen, the Greek nation for its friendly feeling towards Great Britain throughout the South African war.

they had to leave immediately. As FORWARPED TO WASHINGTON. BRUSSELS, Feb. 6.-The petition asking President McKinley to intervene to bring about a peaceful settle-

> that the object of Gen. MacDonald's reconnaissance is to construct a redoubt on a hill commanding Koodoosberg Drift.

SEIZED BARK SAILS. PORT ELIZABETH, Cape Colony, Feb. 6.-The German bark Hans Wagner, which was seized by the British in Delagoa bay on Dec. 21, and which was released here on January 24, has sailed.

LONG TOM AT WORK.

dated Monday, Feb. 5, from Koppie's MODDER SPRUIT, Feb. 6.-Mess-"Gen. MacDonald, with a brigade ages from Ladysmith, dated yesterday, Feb. 5, say continuous cannonading of infantry, a regiment of Lancers and one battery, has reached here from has been proceeding since five o'clock Modder River Camp, in what is rein the morning, with the occasional roar of a Long Tom. The firing, it is garded as an important movement to the right of the Boer position at Maadded, continues.

CAPT. KENNY PROMOTED.

HALIFAX. Feb. 6.-Capt. J. W.

Captain Kenny served with the 2nd

The Inniskillings suffered severely

STRATHCONA'S HORSE

WINNIPEG. Feb. 6.-The first de

tachment of Strathcona's Horse, 250

the 14th and 21st inst., and will bring

the larger number of horses which the

officers are now busy selecting. The

Manitoba detachment will likely start

FOR OUR WIDOWS AND OR-

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NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Feb. 6.

An enthusiastic meeting was held in

city hall this evening in behalf of the

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Officer" is in a position to know the In the "good old days" a man's care for his health was facts of the dispute between General Hutton and Col. Hughas, but I do know that his sture and sneers at General Hutton are most untimely and for marked by the officers in various parts of Os of the armor in hich he lock. eral Hutton in the most emphatic way ed himself up. It was very un healthy in those "merry days" of jovial sobber barons to be outside of the steel case of knigthood. It was steel vs. steal every hour of the day. In our times a man with the general in this matter. needs to be armed inside rather than out. The gentle germ is weeks has cut a large slice off the pro-

like love in that he "laughs at lock-smiths." You can't lock him out, but you can make it so mighty uncomfortable for him that he'll be glad to get out and seek some other lodging. The greatest protection against disease is a healthy condition of the stomach and

have been idle. The expense of keepother organs of digestion and nutrition. ing them must be reckoned with, and Health is the true armor against the as the season has been shortened by so The health of the stomach and much there must be greater activity allied organs is assured to those who use for the balance of the winter. Reports Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. from the interior and north of this It purifies the blood, strengthens the province appear to indicate that there stomach, nourishes the nerves and gives new life to the lungs. There is no alcohol or other intoxicant the snow remained in sufficient quantity to enable the operators to continue their work.

contained in "Golden Medical Discov-

ery." "I used ten bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Med-ical Discovery and several vials of his 'Pleasant Pellets' a year ago this spring, and have had no trouble with indigestion since." writes Mr. W. T. Thompson, of Townsend, Broadwater Co., Mon-tana. "Words fail to tell how thankful I am for the relief, as I had suffered so much and it seemed that the doctors could do me no good. Level down in weight to 152 ponnds, and was not I got down in weight to 125 ponnds, and was not able to work at all. Now I weigh nearly 160 and can do a day's work on the farm." Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE ******* ----[To Correspondents-Write on one side of

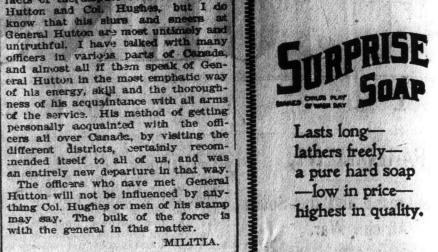
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"RULE BRITANNIA."

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir-How many people sing the above lines know what they sing? I have listened time and again to people who ought to know better, and repeatedly the mistake was made in the second line of the refrain of the popular hymn "Britannia rules the waves," instead of "Britannia rule the waves." Nobedy ever thinks of singing

"God saves our gracicus Queen, Long lives our noble Queen,"

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL. and yet the national anthem might with just as much propriety be sung AMHERST, N. S., Feb. 6.—The prelimin-ary examination into the charge against T. S. Mccre of receiving and being in pos-session of one thousand dollars in counter-feit two dollar Dominion bills, resulted to that way as that "Rule Britannia" should be slaughtered as it is. I take it that the mistake is made through and therefore, with your



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(This was President Lincoln's favorite song, one which he encored no less than eighteen times when sung at a Sunday school convention in Washington in 1861.)

If you cannot on the ocean Sail among the swiftest fleet, Rocking on the highest billows, Laughing at the storms you meet. You can stand among the sailors, Anchored yet within the bay, You can lend a hand to help them As they launch their boats away.

If you are too weak to journey Up the mountain, stepp and high, You can stand within the valley While the multitudes go by: You can chant in happy measure As they slowly pass along— Though they may forget the singer, They will not forget the song.

If you have not gold and silver Ever ready at command; If you cannot toward the needy Reach an ever-helping hand, You can succor the afflicted. O'er the erring you can weep You can be a true disciple, Sitting at the Master's feet.

If you cannot in the harvest Garner up the richest sheave, Many grains, both ribe and golden. Will the careless reapers leave; Go and glean among the briers Growing rank against the wall. For it may be that the shadows Hide the heaviest wheat of all.

If you cannot in the conflict Prove yourself a soldier true, Do not, then stand idly waiting There's no work for you to do. When the battlefield is silent You can go with careful tread-You can bear away the wounded, You can cover up the dead.

If where fire and smoke are thickest For some greater work to do; Fortune is a lazy gooddess-She will never come to you Go and toll within life's vineyard; Do not fear to do or dare-If you want a field of labor Tou can find it anywhere. —S. M. Grannis

NEW INVENTIONS.

Below will be found a list of patents recently granted by the Canadian and United States governments, through the agency of Messrs. Marion & Marion, solicitors of patents and experts, New York Life building, Mon treal:

65.755-Pierre Alp., Trotier, St. Vin cent de Paul, P. Q., cigar vending ma chine.

65.757--George A. Smith

Lord Roberts, since the battle of Spion Kop, has had 20,600 fresh troops to dispose, it is probable that some have The World says it learns that Lord ment of the South African trouble has Methuen has disbanded Remington's been forwarded to Washington. It scouts, one of the most useful colonial was circulated in the principal cities commands, because he had ascertained and towns and received 110,000 signathat some members of the corps had tures. been communicating with the Boers. Captain Walter Congreve, who re-GEN. MACDONALD'S OBJECT. ceived the Victoria Cross for gallantry LONDON, Feb. 7 .- The Times cor in endeavoring to save the British spondent at Modder river telegraphs

"I never saw a Boer all day; and do not think anycne else did. Thousands of bullets pattered and shells burst all over the place, but the Boers

IT MOLEAN OF ST JOHN HEARI

doosberg on Feb. 4. The last few miles of the march was over the most trying ground, and the troops suffered considerable from the heat and the lack of water. The force bivouacked at Koodooseberg Drift and had their first brush with the enemy at dawn, Feb. 5. The Lancers ascended Koodoosberg Kopje and found a Boer patrol climbing up the other side. Shots were exchanged, but the Boers, who were taken by surprise, A cavalry patrol afterwards fled. found the Boers in possession of the ridges to the portheast, which they evacuated after a few shots on the approach of the main body of cav-

The infantry was not engaged. alry. Kopies' Dam commands the road from Kimberley to Hope Town and Doug-The Boer langers are at Kamellas. hoek and Griquatown, within striking distance. A strong force of the enemy is actively concentrating to oppose Gen. MacDonald, whose arrival in the neighborhood has prevented the two commandos from joining. of

Nothing more has been heard the 'overwhelming force" that was going to Norval's Pont.

It is stated that Gen. French went to Cape Town to arge General Lord Roberts to give him 7,000 more troops to enable him to complete his work, and another report says that the 3,000 men who disembarked at Cape Town were rushed immediately to the front, though what front is not explained. There is undoubtedly plenty of activity on both sides, aiming respectively at .etaining and capturning Norval's Pont, but Lord Roberts' despatch of Monday stating that the situation was unchanged, seems to tell the total results of the movements. correspondent at Sterkstroom A

states that the British headquarters has issued a manifesto which has been posted in the towns in the adjoining territory, inviting the Free State and Transvaal Boers to desert, promising them good treatment and the restoration of their "arms when the British occupy republican territory, and guaranteeing free passage home to all Europeans.

LONDON, Feb. 7, 4.30 a. m.-Lord Roberts has caused to be distributed in the towns bordering upon the invaded colonial territory an invitation to "Free Staters and Transvaalers to go into the desert, offering them good treatment and a restoration to their farms on the British occupation of republican territory."

The manifesto guarantees that those bringing horses can sell them. Foreigners will have their passage paid to Colonial rebels are advised Europe. to surrender in preference to being taken prisoner

Not a word has been received from the correspondents with Gen. Buller for three days. It is as though Natal had been wiped off the map, excepting the heliogram from Ladysmith saying that the Boers are cannonading and that "fighting is going on."

Gen. MacDonald, with 4,000 infantry, cavalry and artillery, threatens the Boer right at Magersfontein. This is the first sign of activity on the part of Lord Methren for some weeks, and, doubtless, has relation to the move-ments of the British east.

It appears that Gen. French's visit to Cape Town was to ask Lord Roberts for 7,000 more men. Whether he got them or not is not disclosed.

Koppie's Dam from Kimberley to Hopetown and Douglas. The Boer laagers at Kamul Hoek and Griquatown are within striking distance. "The arrival of Gen. MacDonald's column was opportune, as it just pre-

commands the roads

vented two large commandoes effectioin Col. Pilcher's column. ing a junction. He now holds both banks of the river. the command of companies. Captain "Our Lancers had two brushes with Weeks, of "G" Company, has been rethe Boer patrols. There is great aclieved and Lieut. Macdonald transtivity among the enemy, and strong ferred to command. Capt. Stewart, of forces are concentrating to oppose our 'B" Company has been sent to Cape further advance. The troops suffered Town to relieve Lieut. Laybourne, who from heat and scarcity of water durrejoins the battalion. Lieut. Ross will ing the march."

Stewart rejoins. Major Denison is HOLD AN IMPORTANT POINT. KINGSTON, Feb. 6.- Lieut. Col. Drury writes to his family that on captain. Dec. 26th he dined with Gen. Methuen at Modder River. He has been posted to Gen. Buller's staff, and it is Kenny of the Royal Inniskilling Fusillikely will be entirely with Buller's iers, son of T. E. Kenny of this city, artillery. Bruce Carruthers, staff president of the Merchants' Bank of sergeant in charge of the regimental Halifax and a nephew of Sir Malachi signallers at Belmont, says Lord Me-Daly, governor of Nova Scotia, salled thuen told the Canadians they were from Queenstown today to join the 1st more likely to be attacked at Belmont battalion of his regiment, to which he than if they were at Modder River, as has recently been promoted, and which they hold an important point.

is now attached to General Hart's BRITISH LOSSES AT LADYSMITH. brigade, serving with General Buller MODDER SPRUIT, Monday, Feb. 5. in Natal. -On Saturday the Pretoria corps discovered a party of British from Ladybattalion of the Inniskilling Fusiliers smith entrenched at a railway bridge, in the Afredi campaign, for which he rotecting a number of ccolies who received a medal and two clasps. were cutting grass. A party of Boers despatched to the scene was attacked at the battle of Colenso. from the trenches and all retreated except four, who, hiding, permitted the British to advance within fifty yards when they fired a volley, killing three men. This was seen from the men and a number of horses. British fort, which fired a shell and cent cavalry to assist the British. The trains to follow will leave Regina on Boers beat these back, killing two men

SPOILED THEIR WORK. RENSBURG, Cape Colony, Feb. 5.-



For Croup, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds. Sore Throat and Asthma is Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

A right remedy, right at hand, is the right way to prevent serious illness.

That Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is the right remedy for all diseases of the throat and lungs is attested by the prudent mothers of Canada who have cured their dear ones time and again by using before they stop.

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Turpentine. Croup and bronchitis cannot rob the home of its little ones when mother excellent impression. has, this her favorite remedy, at hand, Delightfully healing and soothing in action, pleasant to the taste and

prompt in affording relief, Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is the standard remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness, throat irritation and soreness, tightness in the chest, cold on the lungs, and all kinds of colds in the throat, bronchial tubes or lungs.

25c. a large bottle at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

ignorance, permission, I would append the first FROM. verse of the hymn we are now so fre-(Cor. Montreal Herald.) quently singing: Tuesday, Jan. 2.-Lieut. McLean, the

When Britain first at heaven's smart young officer who belongs to "G" Company, left today with twelve mand Arose from out the azure main,

men and a supply of ammunition to This was the charter of the land, And guardian angels sung the strain: There has been several changes in

Rule Britannia! Britannia rule the waves, Britains never shall be slaves.' м.

Yours, etc., St. John, Feb. 6, 1900.

OROMOCTO INDIANS ALL RIGHT. command "B" Company until Captain OROMOCTO, Feb. 3rd, 1900. acting as station quartermaster and To the Editor of the Sun:

> For Infants and Children. Sir-Will you kindly permit me through the columns of your paper to contradict a statement which, I understand, has been sent to one of the members of the W. C. T. U. from a person in this place, stating that the Indians et Oromocto were in a suffering condition, and asking aid from St. John on their behalf. Hearing that word to the above effect had been re-Beat four eggs enough to mix the ceived in St. John a friend of mine whites and the yolks. Add to them a

> made personal inquiries and found there was not the slightest foundation to the whole amount a half teaspoonfor the report. The Indians contradict ful of salt. Grease small pattypans or shirred egg dishes, turn the mixture it also. In fact there had been no suffering for lack of food or clothing into them, set the dishes in a dripping among them this winter. Even were pan of hot water and put into the oven. Cover and bake until the eggs it true, there was no necessity to call are set. They will then turn out on upon St. John.

> The first claim would be upon the a platter, and may be served plain or government through the Indian commissioner, and secondly, on the people of Oromocto and vicinity, who have never yet refused to aid any case of church. Halifax, for 18 or 19 years, has needed charity.

Feeling that the false report was sent to injure Oromocto in the estimation of those who have heard it, I take this opportunity of warning the public of St. John and elsewhere when asked for contributions for this place first to inquire as to the truth of the case before responding, or at least to have better authority than the writer

of the letter above referred to. By publishing this you will confer : favor not only on the writer but upon

this community at large. Yours truly.

DE FACTO.

Rev. Elijah Humphries presided, CANADIAN COMMANDING OFFIand the speakers included George Fox Fucker and Robert F. Raymond of CERS V. GENERAL HUTTON.

this city, and Dr. John Gilbert of Fall To the Editor of the Sun: River. \$323.05 was collected at the Sir-The letter of "An Old Volunteer meeting, swelling the total collection Officer" in the Sun of the 5th inst. in New Bedford thus far to \$1,500. The committee will make it \$5,000

A GENEROUS GIFT.

CALCUTTA, Feb. 6 .- The Maharaian of Jaipur has made a doration of 100.000 rupees to the South African war fund.

There were \$9,778.94 collected for What impresses the ordinary militia the new St. Dunstan's cathedral at officer in Canada as the cause of most Charlottetown during the past year. of the trouble in the militia is poli-The bazaar netted .pwards of \$3,006. tics. I don't know if "Old Volunteer

lay in his being committed for trial befor day in his being committee for that betwee the supreme court. The evidence of Detective Sheffington was that the accused, in an interview with him, acknowledged after a time, and on being pressed to make a clean breast of it, that on October 16th, Chishelm, while coming from Boston, stepped off the train at Am-C., baby carriage spring. 65,771-James M. Dorsey, Toronto, Ohio, U. S. A., churn power. herst, gave accused a package and asked him to keep it in his safe. Accused denied knowing what the package contained. Skef-fington further stated that the information

in his possession, as other persons car-

CASTORIA

BAKED OMELETS.

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THE LUMBER TRADE.

fits of lumber operators in the southern part of this province and in parts

of Nova Scotia. Hundreds of teams

The price of spruce deals for next

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high that Timber News of Liverpool

doubts if it can hold, but it adds that

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The Timber Trades Journal of Lon-

den says that at Liverpool the small

shipments of spruce deals by the win-

ter liners from St. John and Halifax

are still being sold on the basis of £8

UNSATISFACTORY WARFARE.

If the English adopt the policy that

Gen. Grant followed when appointed

to the command of our armies when

operating against Richmond, of simp-

ly exhausting the enemy by continu-

ous conflicts, even though these are

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gressor, the Boers will be compelled

before a great while to yield, because

of the impossibility of replenishing

their exhausted military supplies and

of making good on their fighting line

the men killed, wounded, or taken

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The absence of snow for the last few

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65,735-Henry G. Smith, Chemainus, B. C., attachment for wagon gear. United States. 640,455-James Drinkwater, Wincheser, Ont., nut lock. 640,702-James W. Rogers, Asotin,

Washington, driving mechanism for bicycles. 640,754-Delphis Denin, St. Benoit, P.

Q., potato digger. 640.817-Wm. F. Rundle and James M. Mason, Portage La Prairie, Man., band cutter.

641.307-Janvier Letourneau, Montreal, P. Q., ribbon measuring machine.

A SCHOOL PROBLEM.

W. Frank Hatheway on Friday had distributed among the pupils attending the High school a circular which they are asked to get their parents to sign, giving an expression of opinion on the question whether or not they favor the High school closing at 1 o'clock instead of having two sessions daily. The circulers are to be handed tablespoonful of milk for each egg and in to the teachers by Wednesday next. and it is understood that the school trustees and possibly the board of education will then be memorialized on the subject. One at least of the High school teachers, in giving out the circulars to her scholars, commented favorably on the plan. The trustees have on one or two occasions discussed this question. Several are Rev. H. H. Macpherson, who has in favor of one session for the High school during the winter at least, and been pastor of St. John's Presbyterian it is quite likely that the trustees will endeaver to meet the wishes of the parents if there is any decided answer in favor of the change. It is well :0 note that the proposed change only applies to the high school.

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Angry Customer (of a day or two before)----I thought you told me this watch would keep time? Mr. Feldstein---Vel, it don'd gif it away, does it, :nein frent? The Semi-Weekly Sun The Co-operative Farmer

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Address, with Cash_____

Sun Printing Company, St. John, N. B.

WELL RECEIVED. PRETORIA, Monday, Feb. 5.-Adelbert S. Hay, the new United States consul here, was received by the Gransvaal government today and presented his credentials. He created an

by any Canadian militia officer.

the British army and worked his way

should be one having more experience in the art of war than is possessed We must therefore have one from England, as the Militia Act demands. The

officer. having graduated at our own Military College at Kingston, entered

to the position and rank required namely, colonel, will be qualified by training and experience to occupy the

position of major-general in command of the Canadian militia.

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contains much tommyrot, and a little common sense. Most efficient militia. officers will agree that the officer in command of the Canadian forces



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SEM1-WEEKLY SUN, ST. JOHN, N. B., FEBRUARY 10, 1900.

After Two Days Hard Fighting Buller he meadows, with the support of seven batteries of artillery. "At 11 o'clock the enemy opened a Secures a Foothold North of the Tugela.

Boers Made a Determined Attempt to Recapture the Position, But Were Beaten Back.

Lord Methuen Has Begun a Turning Movement, While in the Middle of the Theatre of the War Roberts is Preparing for an Advance on Bloemfontein.

BULLER OCCUPIES KRANTZ KLOOF.

SPEARMAN'S CAMP, Wednesday, Feb. 7, 6 p. m.-Gen. Buller commenced the advance for the relief of Ladysmith Monday. The naval guns opened at 7 in the morning, and a feint attack was made in front of our position. Three battalions advanced toward the Brakfontein with six batteries At 11 the Boers opened with artillery

fire, and sent several shells among the British infantry, who retired an hour Meanwhile a vigorous attack was

made on the extreme right, where the engineers expeditiously constructed a position. Several pieces of cannon, half hidden among the trees on Zwart's Kep, bombarded heavily. The British infantry advanced and the Boers were entirely surprised.

At 4 o'clock a high hill, a continuation of the Brakfontein, had been taken. The operations were excellently planned. The name of the hill taken in Krantz

Klcof. The bombardment of the Boer position was resumed this (yesterday?) morning. The Boers worked a disappearing cannon from the high Doerm Gloof range, on the right of the captured hill: but the British shells exploded its magazine, and the gun was put out of action until late in the day.

Musketry fire was intermittent until sieged town. the afternoon, when the Boers made The movement was begun at an a determined effort to re-take the hill. early hour on Monday merning by way Reinforcements rushed up cheering; of Potgieter's Drift. The eleventh the Boers were repulsed, and the Britbrigade, forming a part of the fifth ish advanced along the ridge. division under Gen. Warren, made a The war balloon has proved a most feint attack upon the kopjes immediuseful adjunct. making ascents daily and getting information as to the ately on our front. The assault was Boer positions. The Boers directed a delivered at the cutset under cover of naval gans on Mount Alice and subheavy shrapnel fire in the endeavor to sequently under that of field batteries. destroy the balloon apparatus. The infantry advanced steadily to-The artillery behaved splendidly throughout, ably covering the infantry ward the Boer entrenched position at retirement from the feint attack in Brakfentein and kept the enemy busily employed. While this diversion was the face of a heavy Boer shell fire. It is believed that the Boers suffered being made the remainder of the invery heavily, as their ambulances fantry told off for the attack, who had bivouacked Sunday night under Mount guns have ceased firing. were hard at work. Allice, moved along at the foot of The Boer position consisted of a line Zwart's Kop in the direction of our of kopjes, strongly entrenched, extending three miles from Spion Kop right. A ponteon bridge was thrown across and curving sharply at the eastern end to the south, about opposite Zwart's the Tigela by the Engineers under the fire of the enemy. The first battalion Kop, which is a steep hill south of the to move across in the forenoon was Tugela that the British occupied bethe Dirham Light Infantry of Gen. fore the seizure of Potgieter's Drift. After the capture of Krantz Kloof Lyttleton's brigade. They advanced the heavy Boer fire prevented a fur- against Vaal Krantz, which lies on the most direct road to Ladysmith, and ther advance Monday. The next morning the Boers indulged in long range after two hours' splendid work they shell fire, but in the afternoon they got within charging distance of the made a vigorous attempt to recapture | Bcers. the position. Their assault was made The first of the kopjes was carried by them at the point of the bayonet upon the northern end of the kopje, and, at first, it was successful. Rewith the utmost gallantry. Almost simultaneously the first battalion rifle inforcements were, however, hurried up and the British re-carried the pobrigade cleared the second kopje, and sition at the point of the bayonet and after moving across the long ridge advanced along the ridge. As the they bivcuacked on the spot. British have a large force of troops, The feint attack at Potgieter's Drift having served its purpose in preventthe outlook is hopeful. ing the concentration of the enemy at the critical point, the 11th brigade fell WAR SUMMARY. back to the river. LONDON, Feb. 8, 4 a. m .- The Brit-In the course of the operation both ish columns are putting themselves in the infantry and the artillery had been motion in all parts of the South Afrisubjected to a severe shell fire. can war field. A combined attack Yesterday (Tuesday) at 4 in the upon the Boers appears to be in progafternoon the enemy, encouraged doubtless by their success at Spion ress. Gen. Buller has gained a footing on the plateau north of the Tu-Kop, endeavored to recapture the position taken by us at Veal Krantz. gela after two days' fighting. On the far western border Lord They were beaten back, however, with Methuen has begun a turning move-ICES. ment against the Boer right, while The work accomplished so far has been magnificently done. The shell Gen. MacDonald threatens the Boer and Maxim fire poured in by the Boers flank, thus relieving the pressure on Lord Methuen's front. has been extremely severe, but our Lord Roberts, who, according to an losses are, comparatively speaking, informant in close touch with the war

parliament for the conversion of the Yeomanry, volunteers and militia into a well organized and properly equipped army for home defense

SPENCER WILKINSON'S OPINION. LONDON, Feb. 8 .- Spencer Wilkinson, in the Morning Post today, says: "The British forces oppear now to be everywhere on the move. In the absence of local knowledge, it is idle to guess the site of Gen. Buller's new atteck. If, as seems likely this is the east of Potgieter's Drift, the distance to Ladysmith is only ten miles and the details.

country is more open than any other route. In any event Gen. Buller's troops will have to break the enemy's resistence by hard fighting, for the delay involved in crossing the river must make it difficult to gain the start needed to turn the enemy's flank. "It is not known whether Lord Roberts has moved to begin the campaign or not. It may be that he has only

moved to some point nearer the scene of operations, where he can be in communication with all his generals."

A GOOD FIRST STEP.

LONDON, Feb. 8 .- The Standard has the following from Spearman's Camp,

dated Feb. 7: The force under Gen. Buller is again advancing to the relie" of Ladysmith, and, after two days of severe fighting, it may fairly be said to have made a gcod first step on the road to the be-

chally interested in these men, and he committed an extreme breach of the regulations by saying in an imperious fone that he objected to his men being reprieved in public. "I will place you THE FIRST STEP. in the guard room, sir, if you say that egain," was the way Major Williams erded this episode with Lieutenant Borden.

heavy cannonade of shrapnel, com

mon shell and yompon shells, chiefly from Spion Kop. This was accompanied by a rattling musketry fire cables as follows: Our gunners behaved admirably and were as cool as if on parade.

"The demonstration having gained its effect, the real attack upon the Boer left was delivered at 4 o'clock The Durham Light Infantry carried Vaal Krantz, the key of the lower ridges, while Gen. Hildyard's brigade assailed the higher ridges. The general and his troops are bivouacking upon the field of battle. In the languege of Boudoir Bulletins, 'Mother and child are doing well.' Our losses are trifling."

EXCITEMENT IN LONDON.

LONDON, Feb. 7.-When the despatch announcing the fighting on the Upper Tugela was published today there was the usual scene of excite ment on the streets. The big placards attracted newspaper buyers, and the news was eagerly discussed in all quarters. There was notable excitement in the house of commons, where, in addition to the war office announcement that Gen. Buller had crossed the Tugela Monday and was advancing upon Ladysmith, a news agency telegram was posted, saying that one hundred additional ambulance stretcher had been sent to the front from Durban. The rush in the direction of the war office, when it was learned that confirmation had been received there of the report that Gen. Buller was

The war office message, as given out, furnished no clue as to where the Tugela was crossed nor the numbers supporting Gen. Buller's movement. But it is presumed this third attempt will be a supreme effort on the part of the general to cut his way through and that he will employ every avail able man. The expression in the official despatch, "is now advancing upor Ladysmith," it is pointed out, mus not be taken to mean that Gen. Bullet has cut down all opposition, but mere ly that he is headed in the direction of the besieged town, and the public therefore are naturally on tenter hooks in regard to the next news.

CASUALTIES ESTIMATED AT 250 LONDON, Feb. 8-A special despatch rom Spearman's Camp, dated Wedesday, Feb. 7, says:

"Our further advance is at the moment prevented, as the Boers enfilade us from their positions on Spion Kop and Doorm Kloof. Our casualties, though estimated at 250, are triffing

CANADIANS ORDERED TO THE FRONT.

MONTREAL, Feb. 7.-The Star's correspondent with the first contingent BELMONT, Feb. 3.-At last, long

veeks of waiting here ended, and we have received orders to advance. This (Saturday) morning orders were issued that we were to get ready to proceed to the front at once, and great excite ment as well as pleasure was maniested by all ranks. The mere thought of leaving Belmont was a source of pleasure, but the prospect of going to the front and exchanging camp duties for something more exciting was welcomed by us all. After preparations had been made for the departure of the whole regiment, a change came in the orders, and it was decided that "A" Company and "G" Company (those from British Columbia and

New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island) should be left behind. This was afterwards explained by the announcement that they were merely assigned to look after the baggage and stores, and would join the rest of the regiment later.' Although our destination is secret, I am allowed to state we are going to Gras Pan, the scene of Lord Methuen's battle with the Boers on November 25, and half-way to Modder River. Where we will be sent after that I am not allowed to state. The boys are all excitement at the prospects of having a brush with

WARM CHEERS

For England at New York Board of Trade Banquet.

the enemy.

The Sentiment of the Business Men America's Metropolis is Against the Boars.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.- If inference may be drawn from the speeches and incidents of the annual banquet of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation, held at the Waldorf-Astoria last night, the sentiment of the business men of the city, at least as represented there, is with the British in the present struggle in South Africa, and the national administration would commit itself emphatically

in favor of the retention of the Philippines. In his remarks just before the set speeches began, the president of the Board of Trade and Trans Wm. H. Parsons, spoke of the ties that bind together the two Englishspeaking races. His words were greeted with the loudest and most enthusiastic cheers of the evening. Few of those present neglected to arise and add to the bedlam which had so suddenly broken locse.

The Caledonia Club Presented With a Valuable Painting.

P. E. ISLAND.

A Destructive Thaw-Recent Deaths-Three More Cheese Factories in Kings Co.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Feb. .2- The leath occurred at New Perth this week of William McIntyre, aged 77 years, father of W. D. McIntyre, inspector of schools for Prince county. The people of Hampton have begun

work on the building of a large public hall in that village. On Tuesday evening the Caledoni club was presented with a costly oll painting representing Burns in Edinburgh reciting his poems before the Duchess of Gordon and her friends. The painting is the gift of Mrs. J. J Davies, formerly hostess of the Hotel Davies. The club passed a resolution of condolence on the death of the late Alex. R. Beaton of East Point, who was one of its prominent mem-

Three cheese factories are to be erected at once in Kings county. One at Souris, another at St. Margaret's, and the third at Red Point. A' petition is being circulated Charlottetown asking that the city schools hold two sessions daily, with an intermission of one and a half hours at noon, instead of only one session, as at present.

The teachers of Lot 64 have organized a local teachers' institute, with the following officers: President, Mr. McIherson of Murray River; vice president, L. Brehant of Guernsey Cove: treasurer, Katie Shaw of Murray Harbor South; secretary, Nina Lowther of Murray Harbor South. Roy Owen of Georgetown left on Wednesday for Regina to join the mounted police.

Katie A. Mooney is seriously ill with Bright's disease at the Boston City Hospital. The Foresters of Court Westmor-

land of Crapaud, who paid a fraternal visit last week to Court Elliott of Long Creek, were banquetted at the residence of John Robertson. The death occurred at Alberton on

Friday of Percy Kinch, aged 23 years son of John Kinch. He had been a sufferer from lung trouble for about two years.

John Leard of Tyron had two horses badly injured Saturday on a threshing mill. The wedges of the main wheel became loose and the workmen for a time lost control of the mill; hence the accident.

C. C. McIntosh has organized a singing school in Victoria. The funeral of the late Mrs. Her-

bert Shaw, wife of Professor Shaw of Prince of Wales College, took place Sunday afternoon to the People's K. Fraser conemetery, Rev. J. ducted the services. The pall-bearers were Prof. Robertson, Prof. Shaw, Wallace Leitch, J. P. Gordon, G. F. Hutcheson and W. E. Bentley. Mrs. Shaw was in her usual health on Friday, and her sudden death that night was a great shock to the com-

cently. Though not feeling well. had been able to go about the house for some time. On the forenoon of her death she was about her work as isual, but in the afternoon she was found between the house and the barn. in an unconscious condition. It is supposed that while coughing she ruptured a blood vessel. She was about 60 george Auld and Mrs. Auld of Char-

lottetown are visiting New York. Dr. Robertson of Montague has been

appointed quarantine officer at Georgetown and Dr. Dougherty at Cape Tra-

Mrs. David Fraser, for several yearsthe oldest resident of Belmont, Lot. 16, died on Tuesday. She was the mother of eleven children.

HAIRBREADTH ESCAPES ON THE BATTLEFIELD.

Struck by 162 Bullets and Not.

Wounded. (London Tit-Bits.)

If it be true that there is a "littlecherub who sits up aloft" with the beneficient object of taking care of 'poor Jack," it must be equally true that some other cherub is charged with the care of Tommy Atkins when the bullets are raining on him thick as hail.

Tommy's guardian cherub must have been especially alert and busy when he was charged with the protection of Corporal Laurie, of the Seaforth. Highlanders, in the Egyptian campaign of a year or two ago. Probably no soldier who faced an enemy has ever been made the target of so

many bullets as this gallant corporal, and certainly there is no record of any man escaping so much peril unscathed.

In one engagement Corporal Laurie was struck in one part or other of his. clothing and accoutrements by nofewer than 162 bullets, and emerged from the fight literally in "rags and tattens," without losing a single dropof the blood he was ready to shed for his country.

In describing his experience the corporal wrote: "I went through the battle with my clothes riddled with bullets. Both my shoes were torn to pieces by bullets; almost at the same moment a bullet smashed the wooden stock of my gun; the thongs of my bag were cut in two; my water gourd containing my tea, had been drilled, my sleeves were in holes, and I heard on my helmet something like a hailstorm. Sword in hand I followed my contrades, and was quickly engaged with two hideous niggers, who finished my undressing by slicing my jacket with their lances; and a bullet tickled the top of my hand enough to bruise it. In short, when we re-

formed companies it was discovered that my uniform, including shoes, helmet, and accoutrements, had received 162 wounds. I was naked, and marched along dragging my tatters with me."

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small. office, is in the middle of the theatre The Durham Light Infantry took a of war, has begun the march on few prisoners in the course of their

charge. The Boers have taken the initiative The enemy, as usual, fought with against Gen. Gatacre, attacking two the utmost stubbornness. The British manoeuvring and the accuracy of aim It really looks as though the general on the part of the British artillery forward movement so long talked of during the fighting on Monday were was in progress. Gen. Buller's third beyond praise. There is not the slightattempt at relieving Ladysmith abest likelihood that the Boers will sucscrbs attention. Telegrams of from ceed in dislodging us from the posione hundred to two hundred words tions we have gained, and the prosfrom a dozen correspondents have pects of the relief of Ladysmith are been passed by the censor, who has decidedly hopeful.

apparently re-dated messages written SEVENTY-TWO GUNS IN ACTION. Monday or Tuesday to Wednesday at LONDON. Feb. 8.-The Daily Tele-6 p. m. From these it is clear that graph's correspondent at Spearman's Gen. Buller, up to Tuesday evening, Camp, in a despatch dated Monday had taken one hill, had repulsed a night, says:

Boer counter-attack, and was holding "Under the personal direction of the position against an enflading fire Gen. Buller the attack on the Boer pofrom Spion Kop and Boerm Kloof. sitions was begun this morning by His losses, as mentioned by one cornearly the whole of our batteries, 72 guns shelling the ridges where the ene-The only telegram from Boer sources my have their trenches and redoubts asserts that one of Gen. Buller's aton the Brakfontein and the low crest

tempts to seize the fords failed, but facing Potgieter's Drift. they admit that he has lodged forces "The enemy suffered severely. 'Sev eral hills were smoking like volcanoes Light on Gen. Buller's operations from the effects of the bombardment, ceases here, the war office not conwhich set on fire their stores and the

tributing any information. 212.55 Three thousand more militia have been ordered to prepare for embarkation. The obsolete guns at various Schiet (Skiet) Drift, the 11th Brigade, ccast defences are being replaced with now under the command of Col. modern naval guns. The government is preparing a plan to be submitted to the Brakfontein ridge, marching across and conduct. Lieut. Berden was spe-

considering the great importance of the movement just concluded."

FIGHTING AT PONT DRIFT. BOER HEAD LAAGER, Ladysmith, Tuesday, Feb. 6, 11 a. m.-Further reports of yesterday's fighting at the Upper Tugela River show that the British lost heavily at Pont Drift, but took an unimportant position on a small kopje, on the Molen Drift side. Four Boers were killed. The British loss is unknown. They the still in possession of the kopje, and the big

> ADDITIONAL STRETCHERS NEEDED.

DURBAN, Feb. 6.-All correspondence with Gan. Buller's forces at the Tugela has been stopped for several days. Today Gen. Buller telegraphed for one hundred additional stretchers.

FIGHTING AT STERKSTROOM. CAPE TOWN, Wednesday, Feb. 7 .--Fighting began this morring at Sterkstroom, and is now in progress. No

details have been received.

EROKE UP A PEACE MEETING. NORTHAMPTON, Eng., Feb. 7.-The announcement that Henry Labouchere, editor of Truth and liberal member of parliament for Northampten, would address a peace meeting in the Northampton Town hall this evening drew a noisy crowd of opponents, who swarmed upon the platform and smashed the chairs.

Mr. Labouchers's arrival was the signal for renewed attacks. The promoters of the meeting were forced off the platform, and chairs were hurled into the body of the house amid cries of God Save the Queen.

Mr. Labouchere was struck in the head, but was not seriously injured. He managed to make his exit, escorted by the police.

A number of other persons were hurt, although not seriously. Ultimately the opponents of the peace meeting gained the platform, and declared that Northsmpton had wined York City in repudiating the critics of the government.

TO ASSIST SIR ALFRED MILNER. LONDON, Feb. 7 .- H. F. Bilson, the legal assistant of the colorial office, starts for Cape Town Saturday, in order to assist Sir Alfred Milner, the British high commissioner, in the legal problems confronting him.

DE BLOCH'S OPINION.

VIENNA, Feb. 7 .- M. De Bloch, whose book on modern warfare has attracted considerable attention, has been interviewed by the Berlin correspondent of the Neue Freie Presse on the present struggle between Great Britain and the Boers. M. De Bloch declared that the present war in South Africa confirmed the opinion expressed in his book that modern weapons ren der attacks practically impossible. He said that, in his opinion, while the British troops would obtain some indecisive victories, the war would drag on for a long time, and Great Britain would eventually demand arbitration.

LT. BORDEN REPRIMANDED. HALIFAX, Feb. 7.-There has been some friction between Major Williams, commanding the Canadian mounted "While the third pontoon bridge rifles at Willow Park, and Lt. Borden was being constructed under fire near The story goes that on a recent occasion this major had occasion to remonstrate with some of the men while Wynne, made a demonstration against on parade regarding their appearance

About three hundred guests and members of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation sat down to the twenty-eighth annual dinner of the organization, the flocd of the grand ballroom being filled with tables. The usual table for the guests of honor was arranged at the south end of the room.

'Two long tables ran at right angles to it, and round about were thirty-five small tables, each seating seven guests.

After coffee had been served, at nine o'clock, the dinner proper having lasted just three hours, the balconies were thrown open to the invited women guests, and were immediately

filled President Parsons called for filled glasses, and proposed a toast, which was drunk with the guests standing and as the band played "Columbia." to the president of the United States. The second toast, "The Prosperity of the State of

New York," was drunk as the band played "A Hot Time." "In his short speech, after referring to prosperity, scund financial legislation and the wer in the Philippines, President Parsons said:-"I know you all agree with me that

as a nation we should be at peace with all the world, but especially with the mother country. While it is to be regretted that we are still engaged in war. yet it is a source of satisfaction that the relations which exist between Great Britain and this ccuntry were never so intimate, and that as we come to know each other better we have more respect and esteem

for each other." These remarks were cheered, and cheered to the echo, and were without a protest.

BRITISH FRIENDSHIP.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.-It was learned at the transport dock at Pier 22, Brooklyn, yesterday, that the United States transport Logan took on a large amount of water at Gibraltar when on her way to the Philippines about a month ago, for which the British authorities refused to accept payment on the ground that it would not be consistent with the friendly feeling

now existing between England and the United States. A LESSON IN PUNCTUATION.

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.) A high school girl said to her father

the other night: "Daddy, I've got a sentence here I'd

like to have you punctuate. You know something about punctuation, don't you?" "A little," said her cautious parent

as he took the slip of paper she handed him. This is what he read:

"A five-dollar bill flew around the orner"

He studied it carefully. "Well," he finally said, "I'd simply put a period after it, like this." "I wouldn't," said the high school girl, "I'd make a dash after it!"

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

Henry Clark, conducting a hotel business at Kensington. The Prince of Wales College boys attended the funeral in a body. Rev. J. J. Teasdale, who has been suffering for the last week from sickness, is still unable to leave his bed. Frof. Gilbert, while in this province, attended fourteen meetings, in all of

which he urged the farmers to undertake poultry raising on a much larger scale than is at present in vogue. Harold Angus, an employe of the

Royal Electric Light Co., while wiring Grace Church, yesterday, fell a distance of 25 feet, landing on his feet upon the frozen ground. He was taken found that no bones were broken. but he received such a severe shaking up that he will not be able to move out again for some weeks. He is a son of R. B. Angus, now of Ottawa, but formerly of the P. E. Island Telephone Co. Elizabeth Essory, eldest daughter of

the late Thomas Essory, a contractor, died yesterday after several months' illness

At the police court yesterday Alex. McNeill was fined \$100 for selling liquor without having a certificate of registration. W. A. Stewart of the firm of Sinclair & Stewart, Summerside, returned yesterday from a trip to Boston and New

York. Alexander McLeod, formerly of Bredalbane, died suddenly at Murray river yesterday. He was an unmarried man and was a brother of Geo. McLeod of the firm of A. B. McKenzie & Co., Charlottetown.

Alexander Blue of Collingwood, Ontario, arrived here this week to spend the remainder of the winter on the Island. Mr. Blue formerly belonged to West River, and was for a number of years owner of the True Blue house at Collingwood.

At a regular meeting of the Ladies Aid to the Red Cross on Saturday the treasurer showed the cash receipts to be \$190 and the disbursements \$169. It was resolved to hold a patriotic confirst." cert on February 22nd. Mrs. John Richards was appointed county secre-

tary for Queens Co. The Charlottetown League of the Cross band has received a full set of imperial brass instruments. The set cost in the vicinity of \$500.

T. Lloyd of Edmundston has been here on a business trip. He sails shortly as a member of Strathcona's cavalry. Mr. Edmundson went through the Northwest rebellion and is said to be an excellent rider.

Mrs. Richard Keefe of Mill River arose in apparently good health Wednesday morning and on coming down stairs took a severe pain in her head and died about 2 p. m.

Percy Lelacheur, son of Charles Lelacheur of Guernsey Cove is home from Boston. He served as signal man on the U.S. S. Topeka during the Spanish-American wer.

The thaw of last week caused con siderable damage to a milling property in Prince Co. The dams belong ing to Myrick's, Carruthers', Fitzsimmons', Marchbanks' and Haywood's much loss to the owners. Mrs. Richard Matthews of Hazel Grove, Lot 21, died very suddenly re- Latest News in SEMI-WEEKLY SUN

target, with such a record of "outers. was nicknamed "the invulnerable." At the Battle, of Modder River, Sergeant Penderend was struck by three bullets in less than as many minutes and escaped practically unharmed. "First," he says, "a shot glanced off the side of my boot and munity. She was a daughter or struck my rifle just in front of my face, filling my eyes with dust and splinters. I rose up a little, when another shot struck the middle finger of my left hand. I got on my knees, when a bullet struck me fair in the chest on the buckle of my haversack, breaking it through the centre and causing a slight puncture of the skin and bruising my chest. I have been congratulated on being the luckiest beggar in my battalion.'

One of the American soldiers in the trenches before Manila had a still more astonishing escape from sudden extinction. One bullet grazed the topof his right ear, a few seconds later to the P. E. Island Hospital, 'It was another took a microscopic slice from the lobe of the left ear, while a third bullet flashed along the top of his head, removing the hair in a perfectly straight, narrow line. As the soldier humorously put it in a letter to his rerents, "It was very kind of them to part my hair so beautifully for me, and it will save me a lot of trouble for some time to come."

There was a curious touch of romance in the experience of Harry Elkes, a sergeant who was struck no fewer than seventeen times in the same campaign, "without," as he put it, "spending a day in hospital." One bullet at least was within an ace of putting an end to Elkes's career, and it was Cupid that intervened to save his

Throughout the campaign Elkes carried suspended from his neck, as a. talisman, a bundle of love letters, together with a photograph of the "girl he had left behind him." The bullet which so nearly proved fatal struck him fuli in the chest, drove its way through the bundle of letters, and had just sufficient strength left to inflict a slight bruise over the region of the heart. In its course it had pierced the chest of the girl pictured in the photograph.

This bullet has been mounted in a gold bracelet, which Mrs. Elkes now proudly wears; and around it are inscribed the words, "Through my heart.

One of the most remarkable of recorded experiences was that of a corroral in the late frontier campaign in India. After several hours of fighting, during which the bullets had been flying thickly around him, he was congratulating himself that he had not even been touched, when on removing his helmet he saw a small perforation in front which could only have been made by a bullet. On turning the helmet round to look for the point of exit of the bullet, he found not one but two holes, and could only arrive at the seemingly incredible conclusion that two separate bullets must bave struck his helmet at exactly the same print and made two separate openings for their exit. Each bullet in its passage through the helmet must have gone, literally, almost within a hairsbreadth of the top of his head.

One of the men wounded at Wynberg had a still narrower escape from death. A bullet entered one temple and came out at the other; and yet the man has made a complete recovery, and suffers nothing from the termills were swept completely away at rible wound beyond an occasional headache.



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(Daily Sun, February 7.) THE PATRIOTIC FUND.

It is the privilege as well as the duty of every citizen of New Brunswick to contribute to the fund from which shall be paid the fifty cents per day guaranteed to the sons of this province who are battling for Britain's rights in South Africa. Small offerings are as much in order as large contributions. The London Daily Telegraph's "shilling fund" for soldiers' wives and widows amounted on January 23rd to 2,141,804 shillings. The Sun will be pleased to receive subscriptions to the New Brunswick fund from all parts of the province. The list sent in from Oromocto, Sunbury county, which appears in another column shows what can be done in small communities by a little effort.

BOER SYMPATHIZERS

The Irish members of the British house of commons have alienated from nselves the sympathy of both lib-

A HALIFAX OBACLE. A member of the editorial staff of the Helifax Chronicle has spent several days in Ottawa, and appears to have absorbed a large amount of miscellaneous information. He assures the Chronicle that the tory party have no policy; that there is no reaction against liberal rule; that the government enjoys the confidence and support of the people to a larger degree than ever before; that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will at the next elec-

tion be returned to power with larger majority than in 1896;-and so on. The first thing that will strike the average reader will be that the Chronicle's editor could have written all this as well in Halifax as in Ottawa, with quite as much chance of having it accepted by the public. The second thought suggested is that if this is a sample of the information to he served out from Ottawa to the readers of the Chronicle, they will have to take some other paper to get the facts. Not much weight will be attached to the letters of one who leclares that the government "enjoys the confidence and support of the people to a larger degree than ever before." Even the Telegraph knows tetter than that.

BOER TACTICS.

The Halifax Recorder says that point was made by Premier Laurier

when stating that if parliament had been called together for the purpose of

endorsing formally the proposed action of the government, the expense would have been almost as great as the cost of the contingent itself;" and adds that "doubtless a great number of tories who have no occupation when parliament is not in session would have been pleased to pocket whatever might have accrued as the result of an

extra secsion." The cr.ly ground on which any 'tory" would have advocated the calling of parliament would have been the necessity of forcing the hand of Sir Wilfrid and his master. As the outburst of public feeling was sufficient matter, for they can move troops fasfor the purpose, there was no need of ter than he, and they will probably summoning parliament. 'The Recorder's statement that a great number of "tory" members have no occupation is an example of the methods of grid journals in discussing grave public questions, and, is a gratuitous insult to every constituency represented by question when both armies a liberal conservative.

SILENCE ONCE MORE. No Word as to What Buller Has Been te 194,000 effectives, exclusive of sick Doing Since Tuesday Night. graph has received the following de-spatch; dated Tuesday, Feb. 6, from General MacDonald Had a Skirmish With One Thousand Boers at Koodoberg spot where Gen. Buller and his staff on Tuesday.

The Enemy is Taking the Offensive Against General French at Rensburg, as Well as Against Gatacre in the Stormberg Hills.

not received any despatches from the

front, and there 's nothing from un-

official sources dealing with events on

the Tugela River later than Tuesday

has had a skirmish with a thousand WAB SUMMARY. (Special Despatch to the Sun.)

Boers at Koodoberg. This was on Monday. The Boers have been tak-LONDON, Feb. 9 .- The war office ing the offensive against Gen. French announced at midnight that it had near Rensburg, as well as agains Gen. Gatacre in Stormberg hills. A supplementary army estimate to March 31st was laid pro forma before the house of commons yesterday, but was not made public. It is reported that the call is for £20,000,000, which would make the cost of the war up

to that date £30,000,000. The maintenance of 200,000 men at the front, it is estimated, costs between eight and ten million pounds per month.

BOERS IN ZULULAND. DURBAN, Feb. 8 .- A large force of Boers attacked Nordweni, Zululand, destroying the public buildings and took numeroas prisoners. A force of volunteers, with artillery, has been despatch thither to support the scouts and to oppose a further advance by the Boers.

POMERANIAN PASSES ST. VIN-CENT

Feb. 8 .- The Allan line steamer Pomeranian, bound for South Africa with Canadian troops on board, passed here today. She left Halifax Jan. 27.

MCDUNALD SUCCESSFUL.

pour a converging fire from the LONDON, Feb. 8 .- A despatch to the Times from Monder river, dated yesterday, says: "The Bcers have been totally unable to force Gen. Hector McDonald to show his strength. Gen. in accomplishing his object." were

LONDON, Feb. 8 .- The cable de-

of the Durham Light Infantry; Col.

A. J. Montgomery of the Royal Artil-

lery, and Lieut. Sir. T. A. A. Cunning-

PARLIAMENT AND WAR QUES-

TIONS.

LONDON, Feb. 8 .- Replying to a

series of questions on the subject of

Delagoa Bay Railway, Wm. St. John

Broderick, parliamentary secretary of

the foreign office, said the government had not been vouchsafed any reason

or explanation for the delay in the

delivery of the award, nor was the

government awars "of the causes of

the delay, which it considers regret-

The government, however, could not

interfere with the view of hastening

George Wyndham, parliamentary

secretary of the war office, answering

Answering another question,

in South Africa, he added, would then

said

Mr

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ham of the Rifle brigade.

table.'

Since Gen. Buller's attack began spatch saying Gen. Buller holds his roadysmith has been prevented from sition and that relief is cert

of the men, but this is expected to ar-

HCSPITAL SHIP MAINE. LONDON, Feb. 8.-Lady Randolph hurchill has cabled to the Maine hostal ship committee as follows: DURBAN, Feb. 8 .- One hundred and forty patients are now on board the Maine, mostly Dublin Fusiliers, Hussars. West Yorks and Lancers. There are 69 wounded, mostly from Colenso and Spicn Kop, including stretcher bearers and members of the army medical corps. There are many cases CIT

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"This is the second day of the battle of cheumatism and fever. Expecting additionals today. Owing to the ex-cellerce of the ship the authorities are and the fighting has been fiercer than it was yesterday. At dawn the Boers began the action by shelling our bivgiving us many cot cases. The staff is hard at work, and everything is satiscuack with their "Long Tom" and "Pompon" guns from Doorn Kloof. factory

LOCAL WAR ITEMS.

were watching the engagement. One A joint meeting of the executives of shell burst amid a squadron of the the Red Cross Ladies' Aid and the Thirteenth Hussars, but not a soul Soldiers Wives' leagues was held on Tuesday mcrning a Lady Tilley's. It "Our guns from Zwart's Kop and on was decided to send a box jointly by the plain soon silenced the enemy's the last steamer which sails from artillery; but repeatedly the Boers Halifax. Mr. Rucl has again placed a brought back their guns, popped them recom in the custom house at the disinto work over the hills, fired a few lesal of the ladies, who will be glad to rounds and then again changed their receive any donations for the box.

A private letter received from one of "During the morning our gunner the Canadian nurses at a hospital near succeeded in blowing up the enemy's Cape Town speaks of the arrival of ammunition wagon upon Doorn Kloof. the former boxes and the utility of Gen. Lyttleton's brigade was shot at their contents. The nurse further from three sides, and had a warm stated that there was need for a great quantity more of hospital supplies and comforts the Boers to recover the smoking hill.

Captain Macdonell, in a letter dated The Durham Light Infantry, the Eelmont, January 2nd, speaks of the King's Royal Rifles, and the Scottish arrival of the Christmas boxes at Cape Rifles gallantly charged and cleared Town. He had telegraphed for them he position. Gen. Hildyard's brigade to be forwarded, and expected them elieved Gen. Lyttleton's brigade towithin a week. He said: "They will he most welcome. I assure you we all "Fighting continued until nine. Sevowe a deep debt of gratitude to the ral prisoners have been taken. They ladies of St. John.' declare that the Boers yesterday lost

Mrs. Charles F. Harrison has recoived letters from her son, George Adams, dated Belmont, January 3rd. From his letters it is evident that the contents of the Christmas boxes will prove a welcome addition to the camp The paper on which he wrote fare. was looted from the Boor stores about a mile from Belmont, and is a loaf from a ledger.

RECENT DEATHS.

The death of Peter McGrath occurred at Coverhead Road, P. E. I., on Monday of heart failure. About one c'clock he went to feed his stock. A Ninth Lancers made several attempts few minutes later his mother beheld to draw out the Boers but were unhim lying outside one of the stable dcors. He leaves a mother and three est portion of the kopje. It is impossible to mount artillery. The usual sisters. daily shelling here continues. The

The death of Edward Clark of Mill River, Alberton, P. E. I., occurred on Friday, Feb. 2nd. It appears that Mr. Clark had gone out in the morning at his usual hour to feed his stock. Being absent longer than usual. his wife went to see what was the matter, but no man was to be seen anywhere, Mrs. Clark, with the assistance of several neighbors, began a search, when about two o'clock in ner of the cellar, sick from eating Paris green. A physician was im diately summoned, but the man died. His age was forty years. He leaves a wife and four small children. The death of Mrs. Emma S. Brown occurred at Brockton, Mass., on Sunday last. Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss Emma Brannan of St. Stephen. A mother, two sisters and two brothers survive her.

night. A special despatch from a newspaper correspondent with Gen Builler ends with the words: "There was no advance today." Though lated Feb. 7th, this was probably filed on Feb. 6, and held by the censor, and it makes no reference to the events of Wednesday. It is utterly useless to speculate as to what has cccurred since, but an examination of the reports from all sources makes it i obvious that the Boer positions are exceedingly strong. The Chronicle's , correspondent says they have mounted guns covering the British position on the river, and it was seen by yesterday's despatches that their artillery more or less commands the British position at Vaal Krautz. The military critic of the Morning Post says: "In order to be able to advance, Gen. Buller will probably have to drive the Boers from Doorn

ST. VINCENT, Cape Verde Islands, Kop, separate the two Boer wings, and while holding one, attack and crush the other. That cannot be an easy

west and north, and probably also from the east on Vaal Krautz. Nevertheless, it is to be hoped that he will press the attack and not tire, even if engagement lasts several days. Gen. Grant's battle at Fort Donelson. when he first realized that it was a

proaching within range of their posi-McDoi ald has been entirely successful

HOLDS HIS POSITION.

RENSBERG, Feb. 8 .- The Boers' position was vigoretsly shelled with lyd- the afternoon, he was found in a cordite for an hour early this morning,

TUESDAY'S OPERATIONS.

LONDON, Feb. 9 .- The Daily Tele-

Their six-inch shells fell near the

Spearman's Camp :

was touched.

position.

ward sunset.

were found."

ime upon Vaal Crantz.

"Desperate efforts were made

heavily. The enemy suffered severely

today. It is reported that among their

dead in the trenches armed Kaffirs

MACDONALD HOLDS ON.

MODDER RIVER, Feb. 7.-General

Macdonald maintains his position at

Koedoesberg Drift. His movement

has evidently disconcerted the Boers

and at the same time safeguards the

operations of a portion of the Belmont

garrison in the direction of Douglas

where there are still a few Boers. The

British casualties are two men. The

successful. The British hold the high-

outpost report five hundred Boers are

making advanced trenches in the open

plain in front of Magersfontein Drift,

presumatly to prevent the British

horse and field artillery from ap-

SHELLED WITH LYDDITE.

erals and conservativos. Their leader, John Redmond, on Wednesday moved an amendment to the address, declar- | ing that the war should cease and the independence of the Transvaal and Orange Free State be recognized. This resolution comes at a time when the members of both the great carties in the old country are united in urging the government to press the war to e finish: and when thousards of men are going forward from Britain and her colonies to meet an arrogant foe, who has invaded British territory, and refuses to be governed by the codes of civilized warfare. In support of the resolution Mr. Redmond is reported to have said, in effect, that England was

attempting to act the bully and oppressor in South Africa. It is needless to remark that if the laws of England were patterned after those of the Boers, Mr. Redmond would not have the honor of a seat in the British parliament, nor his followers be permitted to obstruct its proceedings. It is surely a strange way to seek concessions on behalf of Ireland, to uphold the enemies of England and to declare

that the troubles of the empire are a source of satisfaction to Irishmen. In this assertion Mr. Redmond slanders the braver and nobler Irishmen whose blood has been freely shed to defend the empire, and to uphold the cause of liberty and justice in South Africa. Africa. It was noted in Wednesday's Sun that

Edward Blake moved the resolution making Mr. Redmond chairman of the united Irish party. Mr. Redmond went into the house, moved his resolution, made his speech, and was only able to count 66 votes-or a few less than the total strength of his own partisans. It would be interesting to know whether Mr. Blake was one of the 66, and if he has so far forgotten people. the lessons of freedom and equal rights under the British flag that he learned in Canada as to endorse the monstrous statements of his leader.

..... NOT A SERIOUS MATTER.

The Telegraph is of opinion that the liberal conservatives are insanely jealous of Sir Wilfrid Laurier when he appears in the "fixin's" of an imperial privy councillor. Our valued contemporary is quite wrong. The spectacle which Sir Willfrid presents is not a source of envy, but of cheerful amusement, inasmuch as he formerly professed to be a democrat to the hilt, and to hold in fine soorn such things as "tinpot titles." The liberal conservatives are not consumed with envy. Sir Wilfrid is perfectly free to wear as much gold lace as he can carry, along with his Cobden medal, and any other old or new thing that may tickle his vanity or appeal to the childish fancy of the rejuvenated Telegraph.

will not come to Canada with a gun to fight the Fenians. At yesterday's meeting of the Irish nationalists he moved the resolution that made John Redmond the chairman of the reunited party. That party has not, it may be remarked, agreed to unite for the purpose of making the empire stronger in its time of trial, but rather to do what it can to embarrass the government. Yesterday's vote in the commons is an indication that its seys: "A large force of Boers remains success will not be very great. The further corduct of Mr. Blake during this session of the imperial parliament will be watched with much interest in Canada.

Edward Blake has concluded that he

"Speaking of inconsistency, what can be south.' thought of the complaint of the conservatives that the government has followed the course which they said should be taken in respect of the contingents."-Telegraph. The Telegraph is respectfully invited to pcint out when the conservatives said that Canada, which led in the jubilee procession, should be the last in offering a contingent for South Africa.

At a meeting in Charlottetown last week the sum of \$461 was subscribed toward the national patriotic fund. This is in addition to the \$475 subscribed some time ago to place \$1,000 insurance on the life of each member of the island contingent for South

In the death of the Rev. Dr. Henry Pope the Methodist church of the maritime provinces loses one of its old-time pulpit and platform orators. No man in the N. B. and P. E. I. conference was better read in Methodist theology, history and polity. As a pastor, when in the active work of the ministry, he was beloved by all his

The New York Mail and Express records the fact that within a few months Great Britain will have more than 600 warships in commission, and then asks, is "any Continental power

locking for trouble?" HALIFAX.

(Special to the Sun.) HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 8 .- The Nova Scoi tia provincial legislature was opened today with the speech from the throne by Gov ernor Daly. The speech al'uded to the wa in South Africa and expresses gratification

at manifestations of loyalty on the part of the Canadians which the conflict has called forth. A substantial sum will be voted to the patriotic fund for the benefit of the wives and families of the men engaged. Pleasure was expressed by the governor at the progress being made by H. M. Whitney's Pleasure was expressed by the governor at the progress being made by H. M. Whitney's iron and steel works at Sydney. A measure will be introduced to provide for the fm-portation of stock for improving breeds of horses and cattle. If it is found feasible to take joint action for the establishment of an inter-provincial school of agriculture and horticulture, a station to that end will, be introduced. The federal authorities have agreed to submit to arbitration the provin-cial claim for refund of moneys, expended in railway construction.

following the details of the movement sumably refers to the relief of Ladyowing to the haze. The Post's corres-1 ondent despatched a runner, reporting that the Boers were massed south of Munger's Hill, from which direc- | was made public here up to 7 p. m. tion many ambulances were travelling to the main hospital at Table Hill. It was added that there was another large Beer camp east of Spion Kop. and that most of the Boers' heavy baggage was sent towards the mounrarliament yesterday to the effect that tains Monday. Describing the position at Ladysmith the correspondent here. The bombardment now is very

tired of fighting, which could first

renew the attack.'

the Boers, who are running short of big gun projectiles, have been making desperate efforts to secure fresh supslight, though the gun on Bulwanya plies. All the leading firms have been approached with a view to immediate Hill is occasionally active, as well as delivery, and as the British makers a nine-nounder on the Colenso plateau have proved chary of entertaining which had been silent since Jan. 6 offers, their continental rivals are finduntil vesterday. It is believed that ing their opportunity."

the creusot gun on Telegraph Hill was howitzer on Surprise Hill and the gun PREPARING FOR A NIGHT ATon Middle Hill have been withdrawn TACK.

A despatch from Pietermaritzburg, LONDON, Feb. 9 .- A despatch to the Morning Post from Ladysmith, dated dated Feb. 7, reports that the Chievley column has been active during Gen. Tuesday, Feb. 6th, says : Buller's movements. The new mava "Little can be seen of Gen. Buller's gun on the rallway has been especialaction, owing to the haze. It appears ly busy. It is asserted from the same that the Boers have withdrawn their source that the Nondweni district in big guns from the hills here south-Zululand is now entirely in possession ward. of the Boers, who are in strong force. "A large force of Boers still re A thousand of them attacked the mamains, and the garrison is prepared gistrate's quarters and the laager at for a night attack." Nondweni and demolished the court

house with artillery. The laager suc-BRITISH CASUALTIES. rendered after an exchange of rifle LONDON, Feb. 8, 1.18 p. m.-General olleys, and all the inmates are pris-Buller has cabled to the war office that the approximate British casual-Gen. Lord Roberts' departure from ties in the Potgieter's Drift battle

Cape Town was kept a profound seup to neen Tuesday were: Officers. cret, and beyond a vague statement two killed and fifteen wounded; nonthat he had gone north, nothing is commissioned cfficers and men, 216 known of his movements. It is also killed and wounded. unknown whether Gen. Lord Kitchen-The officers killed were Major Johner, his chief of staff, accompanied son-Smyth and Lieut. Shaft, both of him, all information being refused. the Durham Light Infantry. The officers wounded include Col. Fitzgerald

(By Associated Press.)

oners.

LONION, Feb. 9, 4 a. m.-All the messages from the observers with Gen. Buller throw in a phrase or two about the "strength of the Boer posi tions" and the "difficulties of Genera Buller's work," but they do not carry events beyond Tuesday evening. Their last slender narratives leave the British advance at Vaal Krantz in the

centre of a semicircle, where the troops are exposed to the Boer artillery on both sides and in the centre. The fighting continued until 9 Tues day evening, and almost, without doubt, continued Wednesday, as the Boers would certainly not leave this wedge into their lines urmolested. It is also inferred that Gen. Buller must either continue his advance or retire.

The heaviest fighting appears to have been on Tuesday. Gen. Buller's 233 casualties are mentioned as havthe proceedings of the tribunal. ing occurred before Tuesday noon. Large lists are consequently expected a question, said that 2,285 officers and for the rest of the day. The casualmen of the British army were missing, ties already reported bring the total but it was uncertain how many of British losses to 10,244 killed, wounded

them were at Pretoria. As to their and captured. protection in case the British be-The disposition here is rather to sieged Pretoria, Mr. Wyndham minimize the importance of the fightthe government left that to the dising in Natal and to suggest that this cretion of Lord Roberts. is only an incident, placing hope upon expected decisive engagements Wyndham said that in addition monthern Cape Colony and upon the the 180,000 troops in South Africa, reinvasion of the Free State by Lord cently mentioned in his speech, At all events this is the Roberts. government had decided to send sevofficial view.

The public does not like these new 3,000 Yeomanry, making a total for waits, and there is sharp anxiety for the militia of over 20,000 men, and for further news. the Yeomanry 8,000. The grand total

In Cape Colony, Gen. MacDonald O NONDUMS

eastward from opposite Slingerfontein and westward from the top of Colessmith. It must, however, be accepted kop, fifteen' pounder' shrapnel gun with reserve as the sender may have raying special attention to the sites been over sanguine. No further news of the Boers' guns, which have been unusually active lately. The Boers regarding Gen. Buller's operations. held a position on the direct road between Rensberg and Colesberg. They shelled Porter's Road between Rens-SHORT OF PROJECTILES. berg and Colesberg; they shelled Port-LONDON, Feb. 8 .- The Times says

er's Hill yesterday ineffectually. this morning: Private advices reached

> INDIA'S CONTRIBUTION. CALCUTTA, Feb. 8 .-- The Indian government has contributed £50,000 to the imperial war fund.

EN ROUTE TO CAPE TOWN. DURBAN, Natal, Feb. 5 .- The Am-

erican hospital ship Maine, filled with wounded soldiers, has started from here for Cape Town.

FOR SOUTH AFRICA. NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 8 .- The British steamer Magicia, Captain Wood, cleared today for Cape Town, South Africa, with 1,000 mules for the British government and a large, lot of foodstuffs.

THE MEN NEXT.

KINGSTON, Feb. 8 .- Orders were received today to ship guns, wagons, accoutrements and stores of "C" field battery to Halifax at once. These will be entrained tomorrow and forwarded Saturday morning. No word came concerning the sending forward

William Taylor, one of the oldest residents of Tidnish, N. S., died on Tuesday, aged 88 years.

BLAKE'S STAND.

MONTREAL, Feb. 8.-The Star's London cable of Feb. 8 says: There is a good deal of comment among Canadians here over the calle of peo. 3 says. Indie is a good day of comment among Canadians here over the vote given against the empire by Edward Elake in a division upon Edmonds' amend-ment to the address in the house of com-mons yesterday. The amendment represent-ed that the time had arrived to bring the war in South Africa to a conclusion on a backs recognizing the independence of the Transval. and Orange Free State. There were Canadians here, as there doubtless are at home, who thought that, in such a mai-ter as this. Mr. Blake would sink his anti-Hritish prejudices, which attach to his mem-bership in the Irish party, and would have remembered that imperialism which made him so respected by many in Canada, al-ihough they did not fully agree with his views, on every point of dominion politics. Mr. Blake's, friends say that his vote was largely due to the fact that it was upon his Mr. Blacke's friends say that has born his motion that John Redmond was elected chairman of the new Irish nationalist party, and it would hever had done for him to have deserted him on the first vote in parliament.

Mrs. Lenore Miner, who went out to British Columbia, is now very ill in a hospital with pneumenia.-Amherst News.

PROUD OF CANADA. GLOWING WORDS FROM DR. SPROULE

Wishes He Could Join Our Brave Boys

than I. But I have realized that there are times when a man sacrifices himself for his country more truly by living than by dying for it. I remembered the many thousands whose health, happiness, and in many cases life itself, depend upon my remaining faith-fully at my post. This thought has forced me to do violence to my natural feelings and wishes (which are those of every man worthy of the name), and I have remained here.

But my heart has swelled with enthusiasm and gratification, (even while I have grieved at my own inaction), to see the splendld self-sacrifice, the wonderful devotion, the noble patriotism, shown, not only by these who have formed each brave Canadian contin-gent, but also by those who, though it wrenched their heartstrings, yet consented to let their dear ones gp. All honor to those true patriots who have served to bind Canada and Britain mere closely together than ever! Their names will in after years be enrolled as henefactors, not only of their country, but of, all humanity. For they have had the hobility to avenge a wrong that was not their own merely, but that of all civilized people. But my heart has swelled with enthusiasi

that was not their own merely, but that each all civilized people. It has grieved me to see the great contrast in the behaviour of the French-Canadians, who, unable to throw off their old inacial prejudices, have widened the moral distance between themselves and the real makers of Canada-true sons of the mother country.

that will mention with joyous pride the names of these patriots, will point the finger of scorn at those small and sordid sculs who could see nothing but their own souls who could see nothing but their o' petty interests, and who, too cowardly to to the front ihemselves. have tried to d suade others. "Cowards" and "Traitor shall be the names applied to those who, shield their own selfishness and poor spir edness, have tried to restrain and hind the noble enthusiasm of others.

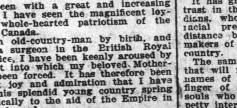


been with a great and increasing pride that I have seen the magnificent loy-alty, the whole-hearted patriotism of the people of Canada.

alty, the whole-hearted patriotism of the people of Canada. Being an old-country-man by birth, and formerly a surgeon in the Eritish Royai Navy Service, I have been keenly aroused by the conflict into which my beloved. Mother-land has been forced. It has therefore been with great loy and admiration that I have watched this splendid young country spring enthusiastically to the aid of the Empire in her time of need. From the very first note of alarm both the natural love of my country and the in-stincts of the soldier have made my heart burn within me, and filled me with a long-ing to rush at once to the front. No man into had a severer struggle with himself

enteen more battalions of militia and

R. SPROULE, M. D.





SEMI-WERKLY SUN, ST. JOHN, N B. FEBRUARY 10, 1900. (注意) must be very gratifying to the stock-A RESTAURANT EPISODE. To cure a Headache in ten minutes CITY NEWS holders of the company. Just now the dam above the mill. use Kumfort Headachs Powders. Ten A Sort of Straw Vote. h the face covered with ice, and a at volume of water pouring over cents. Becent Events in and Around St John An advertising agent, representing it into the deep gorge, presents a re-markably picturesque bit of scenery. rominent New York magazine, while the set of the second states a on a recent western trip, was dining one evening in a Pittsburg restaurant. While waiting for his order he gland-The amount of waste water going over the dam, after all the require-ments of the mill are met, shows what Around St. John, 900 DROPS Eugene and Mark Etter of Westmored over his newspaper and noticed the a splandid water power is there availland Point left this week en route for Kootenay, B. C., where they will readvertisement of a well known dysable pepsia preparation, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets; as he himself was a regular user of the Tablets he began speculat-"An account of a visit to the mill Together With Country Items side in future .- Transcript. with Mr. Mooney would not be com-plete without a reference to Mr. from Correspondents and Jas. Paton of the firm of Jas. Paton ing as to how many of the other trav-Mooney's dog "Bob." This intelligent & Co., Charlottetcwn, leaves in a few days for New York, where he will sail elling men in the dining room, were Exchanges. canine, when he is tired of running Avegetable Preparation for As-similating the Food and Regula-ting the Stomachs and Bowels of also friends of the popular remedy for along the road, gets close beside the sleigh and talks with his eyes. The on the s.s. Etruria for Liverpool. This indigestion. He says: "I counted twenty-three is Mr. Paton's 82nd trip across the At-When ordering the address of your WEEKLY SUN to be changed, send the NAME of the POST OFFICE to which the paper is going as well as that of the office to which you wish speed of the sleigh is slackened a litlantic.-Guardian. men at the tables, and in the hotel oftle, and Bob makes a flying leap for fice I took the trouble to interview a place at his master's feet. In the The best family remedy for Coughs, them and was surprised to learn that mill he follows Mr. Mooney every-INFANTS CHILDREN Colds, Croup, Hoarseness, and every, form of Inflammation is Bentley's where, as indifferent to the moving nine of the twenty-three made a practice of taking one or two of Stuart's machinery as if he were a man. Promotes Digestion, Cheerful-ness and Hest. Contains neither Opnum, Morphine nor Mineral. Liniment, Sold by druggists and gen-Remember! The NAME of the Pest Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal. Office must be sent in all cases to eral dealers in two sizes. Price ten ensure, prompt compliance with your cents and twenty-five cents. Full direc-One of them told me he had suffered DR. POPE DEAD. so much from stomach trouble that at tions on the wrapper.-Be sure you one time he had been obliged to quit He Was Probably the Oldest Methodist THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY, issuing weekly 8,500 copies of THE WEEKLY SUN, challenges the circu-lation of all papers published in the Maritime Provinces. Advertisers, please make a note of this. NOT NARCOTIC. get Bentley's. the road, but since using Stuart's Dy-Clergyman in the Province. spepsia Tablets had been entirely free H. Elderkin & Co. of Port Greville from indigestion, but he continued Dr. Henry Pope, probably the oldest a old Dr SAMUEL PAT-BER have in frame two fine three-masted their use, especially while travelling, Methodist clergyman in the New on account of irregularity in meals.

Bentley's Liniment cures Whooping Cough.

The best itea is Union Blend, every pound package contains a key.

The Bank of Montreal acknowledges the receipt of \$100 from Judge Barker for the Canadian Patriotic Fund Association.

T. B. Spencer has been promoted from Londonderry station on the I. C. R. to Sydney, C. B., L. C. Lynds taking the Londonderry station.

J. K. Hamm of the Marsh Bridge fell on Tuesday evening and broke one of his arms. Dr. Melvin rendered the necessary surgical assistance.

Robert Perry and Miss Bertha E. youngest daughter of the late Andrew Stevenson, were married at the home of the bride in Woodstock on Tuesday by the Rev. A. D. Archibald.

A young daughter of F. J. McPeake, of the Shore Line railway, was injured by being run into while coasting on Monday. Concussion of the brain was feared, but Wednesday she seemed to be getting out of danger.

Word has been received of the death at Winnipeg on Jan. 26th of Nina Ray, aged eleven years, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson W. McKirley, formerly of Kingsclear, York Co.

A Riversdale, N. S., letter of Feb. 6th says: "Patrick White, aged 52, a native of Bay Roberts, Nfid., while walking around the big saw in Wynn's portable mill fell on the saw. One arm was cut off and the neck nearly cut through. He died instantly." Letters of administration of the estate in New Brunswick of the late Hugh Dawson, who died in Brooklyn, N. Y., have been granted to his daughter, Miss Alice Dawson. The estate is valued at \$250 personal property. J. Roy Campbell, proctor.

living at Westfield, had his camp

burned on Tuesday night, and lost all

his clothing and effects, including his

His parents, Neil and Elizabeth Mc-

Lean (formerly residents of this city),

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dents. The family are destitute.

schooners, and will shortly begin the construction of a barge for the J. B. King Co. of New York for use in carrying plaster from Windsor to New York. They are also getting out the frame for a large schooner which is to be built at Machias. -

Any person having knowledge of the whereabouts of Robert B. Bacon, if alive, or any particulars in respect to his death, would confer a favor by communicating with J. B. Jones, registrar of vital statistics. Mr. Bacon is said to have been an invalid, coming to St. John or vicinity from San

Francisco about the year 1870.

Mrs. Sawyer, wife of the Rev. Dr. Sawyer, who was for many years president of Acadia college, died at Wolfville, Feb. 5th. She had been in poor health for a number of years. She was a daughter of the late Rev. John safer to use. Chase. Mrs. Sawyer was a lady of great worth. She leaves two children --Prof. E. W. Sawyer of Acadia college, and Miss Sawyer.

After a continuous service of nearly

twenty-eight years, Michael Calnan of the ferry department has resigned. Mr. Calnan went into the ferry employ when the steamers were in the hands of the E. & N. railway, and during his long service never lost a day through neglect or inattention, and where. few days through illness. Everybody who travelled on the boats found him Co., Marshall, Mich.

courteous and obliging.

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1304 each box. S. M. Wetmore, agent of the S. P. C. A., on Wednesday mailed to Oliver P. Simpson of Boston the diploma awarded him by the Royal Canadian

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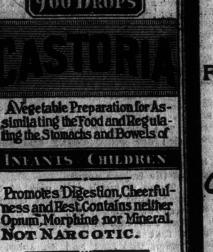
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ach and acidity, he had formerly used years; Germain street, now Queen common soda to relieve the trouble, Square, three years; Centerary, two but the tablets were much better and years. In 1876 his health broke down After smoking, drinking or other exand he became a supernumerary.

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the was chairman of district for sev-A little book on stomach troubles eral years. In 1877 he received the mailed free by addressing F. A. Stuart title D. D. from Mount Allison University, and was for some years a member of the senate of that institu-THE CLAYTON INQUEST.

THE CLAYTON INQUEST. FREDERICTON, Feb. 7.—The inquest in the case of the death of the immigrant boy, Norton Clayton, was commenced before Coroner Dr. Coulthard, and a jury, this morning. Hon. H. A. McKeewn appeared in behalf of the crown, and in opening to the jury simply statel that the circum-stances reported in connection with the young lad's death were such as the attor-ney general thought called for investigation in the public interest. The jury is com-posed of Richardson Boone, Joshua Lin-terick, Thos. W. Smith, Joseph Walker, John Moore, G. S. Turner and Wm. McKay. Three witnesses were examined, after which ad-journment was taken till Friday, when others, from Doaktown are expected to be in attendance. Those examined this morn-ing were Miss McCallum told of the boy being taken to the hospital on Dec. 20 with both feet frozen and of the amputation of the limbs, and his subsequent death on law. I. She also testified to deceased tell-boy being taken to the hospital on Dec. 20 with both feet frozen and of the amputation of the limbs, and his subsequent death on law. I. She also testified to deceased tell-bar the senates of the senates of the amputation of the limbs, and his subsequent death on law. I. She also testified to deceased telltion. ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 23rd. R. F. Markham, Esq., Canadian Mounted Rifles, Halifar, N. S.: Dear Ralph-At a meeting of the mem-bers of the Neptune Rowing Club, held on Saturday, the 13th inst, the following reso-lution was unanimously passed: "Resolved, that he secretary be instruc-"ted to convey to Mr. Markham the sincere "regret of the members at the severence of his connection with the club, and at the "same time to express our admiration of "his manliness and codrage, as shown by the fact that he should resign his com-mission in order to get to the front. And "further resolved, that the president, treas-"urer and secretary be a committee to pro-"to Mr. Markham before his departure "from Halifar." In accordance with the resolution, it gives us great pleasure to have handed you with this, a riding whip, with the hope that it ST. JOHN, N. B., Jap. 23rd. question. One of his finest efforts Pretoria. Yours very since:ely. was the speech he delivered in 1883 at St. Stephen on the question of Methcdist union. Dr. Pope published two volumes of his sermons, entitled, "Living Truths." The volumes are logical, orderly and thorough statements of the grand Port to Blair and Borden. verities that are generally received in all churches. "Living Truths" might well give a man an honorable place as an author. Dr. Plope bore a name that Method ism throughout the world holds in high respect. He was a relative of he great Dr. Pope of Hedingley Colege, England, and his father, Rev. Henry Pope, was widely known throughout Canada as a minister who did efficient work for the church. For the last thirty years, Dr. Pope was a member of the Evangelical Alliance of this city, and his advice was always looked for and received with the most profound respect. horse will sail from Halifax. Shortly after his ordination Dr. Pope was married to Miss Johnson, sister of Dr. Johnson of Charlotte-Mrs. Pope, with three childtown. ren, Harry, now in Boston; Mrs. I. O. Thomas of this city, and Miss Jane Pope, survive him. pervous and irritable by the wasting diseases which drain their system find CANSO & LOUISBURG RAILWAY. new life, new vigor, new energy in Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food, the (Truro News.)



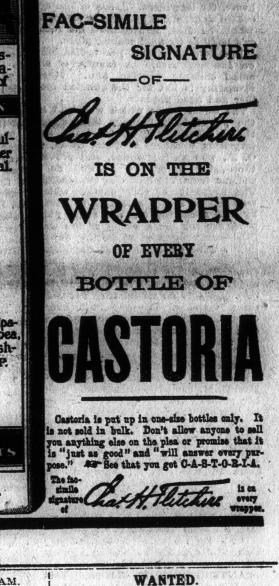
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The members of the Neptune Rowing club have presented to Lieut. Ralph Markham, late of 8th Hussars, now corporal in the Mounted Rifles at Halifax, a handsome silver mounted riding whip. 'The presentation was made by Beverly Armstrong, late captain in garrison artillery, who also enlisted in the Mounted Rifles. With the whip was the following letter: /



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Says a Victoria, P. E. I., correspondent of the Patriot: James Perci-val of Crapaud is about building a Miss Mabel Hanington, daughter of A. H. Hanington, who is now studysteamboat of suitable dimentions to ing medicine at the Ontario Medical ply between Crapaud, Point du Chene, the Cape Tormentine breakwater, Pug-

College for Women, at Toronto, and expects to graduate in June, has been wash, Piotou, thence to Charlottetown appointed house surgeon at the New and back to Crapaud, weekly trips. England Hospital for Women, Boston James Paul, the well-known Indian, and will enter upon her duties in Sep-

tember. BABIES TORTURED By flaming, itching eczema, find com-

winter provisions. He was in town Wednesday and received help from fort and permanent oure in Dr. Chase's Ointment, a preparation which has a some of the Westfield summer resisecond of cures unparalleled in the history of medicine. Eczema, salt

John McLean pessed away at his rheum, tetter, scald head, old people's home in Mannville, R. I., on the 30th rish, and all itching skin diseases are absolutely cured by Dr. Chase's Ointult. He was the fourth of a family to die in seven years. He was in his 23rd ment. year, and was universally respected.

MEDAL CONTEST.

The standing of the leaders up to yesterday in the competition for the gold medal at the Currie Business

The three Manchester line steamers University is as follows: which loaded at this port his season Points lost a bullock each on the way to Manchester. The Manchester Com-Beatrice Thorne, Mannhurst, N. B.. 118 merce landed as many animals as she Fred Grant, city117 took on board, however. On the pass-

Roy Crawford, city114 age three calves were born. Two died and the one which lived made up for Bliss A. Smith, Hopewell Hill, N.B..197 John Foley, Corn Hill, N. B.....107 John Hughes, city101

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DON'T RUN CHANCES by taking with both feet frozen and of the amputation of the limbs, and his subsequent death on Jan. 1. She also testified to deceased tell-ing a patient named Bartlett that he had been ill-used at Alex. Storey's at Doaktown, where he was living at the time he was frozon, and further that when the boy died she telegraphed to Mr. Storey and received a reply from him that he "had nothing to do with him." Dr. Vanwart deposed that there were no

the tablets regularly.

she telegraphed to Mr. Storey and received a reply from him that he "had nothing to do with him." Dr. Vanwart deposed that there were no marks of violence about the boy's body, and no discolorations except those which re-sulted from freezing. This socks, of which he had five pairs on, and his moccasins, had been wet and were all frozen together. Miss Jacobs, who placed Clayton with the Storevs, testified that he had been at several different places in York county and was of a wayward and reckless character. She told Mr. Storey this, emphasizing: at the same time the need of his being closely watched and corrected. She knew of his having been bea'sea by Mr. Storey for mis-conduct with a six-year-old giri in July last, and deceased told her after he was brought to Fredericton with his feet frozen that he had run away and hid in a barn be-cause the little girl had been talling lies about him again. Miss Jacob also said she had a conversation with Mr. Storey in which he assigned as a reason for Norton's running away that the boy was angry be-cause he (Storey) would not give him a holiday.

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MISPEC PULP MILL.

Great Activity in Making and Shipping Pulp-Visit to the Premises.

A Sun man who enjoyed the pleasure of a trip to Mispec with M. F. Mooney on Wednesday found the big pulp mill in active operation, as it has been since June last, and giving employment to about 159 persons. He

saw the logs hauled across the frozen dam and launched over the brow into the stream more than 60 feet below; saw them being hauled from the pond into the mill, cut into blocks, peeled, split, chipped, and the little chips carried by the conveyors away to the top of the mill, where they fell into finge tins, ready, after men had picked out any stray knots, to be dropped into the digestors and cooked. He went from the digestors to the various parts of the mill, saw the cooked pulp being sent over the rollers and passed through the various stages until from a liquid mass it became great rolls of dry pulp, ready to be packed and ship-TIEd.

And out at the wharf, where one schooner had just discharged coal, anther had completed her cargo of bales of pulp, to be brought to the city and shipped by steamer to Boston. So keen is the demand for pulp in the American market that Mr. Mooney says he is offered a high price for what under ordinary conditions would be regarded with indifference. Mr. Mooney is building a small saw mill at the head of the pond above the

dam to cut logs that are floated down the Mispec stream. He will have a wharf and warehouse constructed ecross the stream from the pulp mill, and will have a conveyor built over the stream, so that pulp may easily We can assure our Customers and the Farmers in general that they will be taken over there and stored. Mispec has been transformed by this industry, which has the great good fortune to have begun operations at a time when pulp is in great and increasing demand and prices high. The cost of producing the pulp has proved less the House of Commons last night, as than the original estimate, which is in a somewhat serious condition. St. John, N. B.

The provincial directors of the Canso & Louisburg railway are Hon. Isadere LeBlanc, F. B. Pearson, S. M. Brookfield, A. W. Redden and Murdoch Chisholni, A meeting of the directors was held in Boston recently. Henry Alton of New York is vice-president and the general manager of the pro-

The Canso & Louisburg railway is

HENRY M.ISTANLEY ILL.

Previously acknowledged\$29.90 LONDON, Feb. 8.- Sir Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, was taken suddenly ill with gastritis in the House of Commons last night, and A friend 5.00 L. O. A. of Albert Co 5.00 190 100 100

In accordance with the resolution, it gives us great pleasure to have handed you with this, a riding whip, with the hope that it may prove useful and be in at the death when you help to drive the Boers out of Protoria

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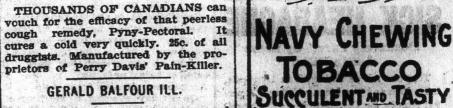
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OTTAWA, Feb. 8.-Hon. Mr. Blair eceived a cable from Strathcona toright in regard to the sailing of Strathcona Horse from St. John. The high commissioner says that while he entertains the best wishes for the prosperity and success of St. John as a port, yet the fact that previous transports have sailed from Halifax, the military headquarters of the British forces in Canada, the departure from another port is possibly inadvisable. He advises Blair, however, to consult Borden on the matter. The message is taken to mean that the

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CONCERNING R. B. BACON.

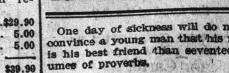
The Sun's Hopewell Hill, Albert Co., correspondent writes: The rote in the Sun of the 6th inst. inquiring for information concerning Robert B. Bacon, who came to this province from San Frencisco about 1870, refers, it is considered here, to Robert C. Bacon, sr., who died at this place seven years ago at the home of his brother, the late Isaiah S. Bacon, with whom he resided for some years prior to his death. Robert C. Bacon came here from California, where he had spent many years, having gone there in the great rush to the gold fields in '49. A tiece of the acceased, Miss Mary E. Bacon, resides in this village.

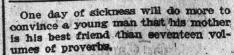


LONDON, Feb. 8.-It is announced that Gerald Balfour, conservative, brother of A. J. Balfour, and chief secretary for Ireland, is critically ill. He has been suffering from a clot of blood in the heart, and today had a serious relapse.

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ceived at the Sun office :



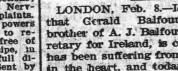


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subsidy of \$3,200 a mile has been voted for 50 miles, and the balance will be voted this present session.

via Arichat, St. Peter's, and up the eastern side to Louisburg, a distance of 95 miles. Surveyors have completed their work of locating the line from Hawkesbury to St. Peter's, and they will continue to Louisburg without delay. Active work will be commenced early in the spring. The dominion

projected to run from Hawkesbury,



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SEMI-WEEKLY SUN, ST. JUHN, N. B., FEBRUARY 10, 1900.

PROVINCIAL NEWS

CAMPOBELLO, Charlotte Co., Jan. 30.-Simon Outhouse, aged 70 years, died on Jan. 6th. His remains were taken to Nova Scotia, his former home, for interment. A son of the deceased gentleman, and at the home of whom he died, accompanied his father's body to its final resting place. Levi Porter, aged 41 years, died here on January 27th. A family of six to spiritual things. small children survive him. Much | The events of the sympathy is felt for the afflicted mother and aged parents.

The social dance which was held in the public hall, January 30th, under management of the loyal and enthe terprising members of Court Owen, I. O. F., was well attended, and proved thoroughly enjoyable, as well as a The proceeds of this dance, which was the first of a series to be given by the Foresters for the same purpose, are for the swelling of the war fund-certainly a most worthy object in the mind of every loyal Canadian. Though quite recently organized here, Court Owen has already proved itself an enterprising and worthy institu-tion. It is to be noped that not only every Court of Foresters, but every other organized body throughout our country, may show the same spirit in this matter, and do what they can for the soldiers of our Queen and the honor of our country.

HOPEWELL HILL, Feb. 2 .- Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Russell entertained a number of the young people of the village at tea on Thursday evening.

The following officers of Mount Pleasant loage, I. O. G. T., have been elected for the ensuing quarter: J. L. Elliott, C. T.; Martie Smith, V. T.; Edna M. West, F. S.; Annie Stuart, treas.; Almira Robinson, sec.; Archie Stuart, A. S.; A. C. M. Lawson, chap.; Gordon Starratt, M.; Harvey Wright, D. M.; Walker Perry, G.; Rob. Star-ratt, S.; John Russell, P. C. T.

The tides yesterday were unusually high, and dykes were broken in some places along the Shepody.

CANTERBURY STATION, York Co., Feb. 3.-It is with sadness that we record the death of Mrs. Jas. H. Carr, which occurred at this place on Wednesday of this week. Deceased was in her usual health until Sunday last, when she was attacked with hem-Despite all that loving morrhage. hands and medical skill could do to relieve suffering, on Wednesday evening she passed away to "be present with the Lord." Every heart was touched, for all felt they had lost a personal friend. The funeral services were conducted by Revs. R. N. Clements and B. T. Gaskin. "Some Time We'll Understand" and "Thy Will be Done," both favorites of the deceased were given very sweetly by the choir. This bereavement seems especially sad, because it is the first break to either of the three families constitutf J. H. Carr & ing the nri GRAND MANAN, Jan. 31.-The Pythian officers installed by Grand Deputy Duvernet Jack, M. D., for the ensuing term were: C. C. Fred J. Martin; V. C., Harry Plant; prel., Arthur Leary; M. W., W. H. Ingersoll; M. A., S. N. Guptill; M. F., W. S. Carson; M. E., G. P. Newton, K. of R. and S. D., L. W. McLaughlin; I.G., Clinton Ingalls; O. G., L. C. Ingalls; P. C., S. N. Guptill. This lodge has started a degree team for special work in conferring ranks. Some weeks ago. Southern Cross lodge, No. 16, Knights of Pythias, gave an impromptu entertainment to about fifty invited guests at their Castle hall. Grand Harbor. At the close of the programme (which consisted of gramaphone selections and an instructive paper on the Objects, History and Growth of Pythianism, by Dr. Du V. Jack. D. G. C., and an excellent address to the Knights and their guests by Rev. William Hunter. Ph. D., rector of the parish, with recitations by W. S. Carson and readings by Dr. I. W. McLaughlin, and songs by the ladies), refreshments were served. Then the young people amused them. selves with games. Business is very quiet here at pre sent. The smoked herring markets are full, making no demand for this staple article of export. The weather is so very variable that it is almost impossible for the fishermen to get suitable days to box-out and dry their herrings. There are no herrings in Dark Harbor Pond to speak of, and Isaac Newton has discharged most of his crew. The abundance of fine herrings formerly frequenting the waters around this island seem to be growing less every year. Six or more new weirs are to be erected next spring, so as the fish decrease in numbers the en-

gines of their destruction increase This has been a hard season for line fishing holding Rev. Mr. Parker, who is eries of m tings at Grand Harbor, will go to Seal Cove next week. Rev. S. A. Baker is having revival services

at Seal Cove, and is meeting with Rev. Dr. Wm. Hunter, rector of this parish, is gaining the esteem and af-fections of his parishioners every day.

He is a pulpit orator of no mean or-der and excels as a teacher and guide The events of the war in South Africa are being closely and anxiously

followed up by the people here, and great anxiety is shown for the success of the British arms.

There is much talk now of the reorganizing of the defunct Grand Manan Steamboat Co., with new blood and new capital and the putting on of success from the financial standpoint. a fast boat to make daily trips between this port and St. John. Capt. W. H. Kent of the fisheries service has taken a largely signed petition to Ottawa for a daily mail service with the mainland.

RICHIBUCTO, Feb. 3.-Rev. D. Fraser, pastor of St. Andrew's Presby-terian church at Kirgston, received word on Thursday that his father had died suddenly at his home in Pictou, N. S. He left at once to attend the funeral, which took place today. Dr. John McDonald and wife of Chatham are visiting the latter's nother, Rev. E. Bannon, who is not

moving very good health this winter. The smelt fishing is good this week, and some of the fishermen are reaping a harvest. The price is three and cne-quarter cents per pound. The thermometer registered 16 degrees below zero this morning, being the low-

est point this season. FREDERICTON, Feb. 4 .- Saturday morning James C. Robertson, doing businces under the name and style of J. Harris & Co. v. Bliss Steeves-Phinney, Q. C., shows cause against rule nisi to set aside order of Judge Wedderburn under garnishee act; Earle, Q. C., contra; rule absolute.

Ann Brown v. city of St. John-Skinner, Q. C., moves for non-suit or new trial; Earle, Q. C., and C. J. Coster contra.

Queen v. Wilkinson ex parte Restigouche Salmon club-Rule discharged; Barry supports rule; Mott contra. The Barristers' society at the annual meeting Friday night elected the following officers: President, D. Jordan. Q. C .: vice-president, J. D. Phinney, Q. C.; secretary and librarian, T. C. Allen, Q. C.; members of council, Dr. A. A. Stockton, Q. C., A. O. Earle, Q. C., Hon. H. R. Emmerson, Q. C., F. St. John Bliss, George Allen, Q. C. Hon. A. S. White, Q. C., Geo. F. Gregory, Q. C. The matter of intercolonial registration or admission of barristers was discussed and a committee appointed to consider the subject and report at the next meeting. Some correspondence has recently taken place between the New Bruns-

Allen, E. Whelpley and H. Currie This committee has power to add others from the different departments. This committee At a subsequent meeting of the general committee A. W. Grass was ap pointed general chairman, and A. Floyt secretary.

A few days ago J. R. Spragge, me chanical superintendent, received a handsome medal from the militia department at Ottawa, in recognition of his services in connection with Fenian Raid of 1866. th

The home of H. Cleeland was made appy on Saturday by the arrival of a daughter.

HOPEWELL HILL, Feb. 5 .- Mrs Raith Coluitts of this place was taken with inflammation of the lungs last night. Dr. Chapman was called. Dr. Murray is attending Isalah Kinnie who was threatened with inflamma tion. Chester Graham is seriously ill at his home at Chemical Road, Dr. Chapman is in attendance. Allen Fales of the same place is quite sick Mrs. Reid of Riverside has shown some signs of improvement.

SALMON CREEK, Queens Co., Feb 12.-Miss Laura Darruh of Chipman village is very sick of inflammation. Drs. Earle, Hay, and King have been nce, and there is strong

while H. P. Baird's team was cross ing the Lake stream the ice gave way and it was with great difficulty that horses' lives were saved. Mr. the Baird himself sprang from the sled to help his men rescue the team and stepped on an axe, receiving a severe wound in the heel. Fortunately no lives were lost.

Snow is very light here for this sea. eon of the year.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Millar, who lost their baby boy a few days ago. Miss Lizzie Porter, who has been

visiting her parents here, has returned to Newcastle. MARYSVILLE, York Co., Feb. 5.-Much sympathy is expressed for Mr.

and Mrs. Duncan Robinson in the loss of their daughter, Helen G., aged ten months, who passed away on Friday. Rev. Mr. Bellias had charge of the funeral rites on Saturday. Rese Sherman, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sherman, is very

ill with appendicitis. The public is anxiously locking forward to the completion of the new steel bridge. The old structure has been in a very dangerous condition. especially since the snow and ice came FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 6.-James Tibbits and George Rutter of this city, Thous and George Rules in this contingent, arrived home from Halifax this afternoon, having been given leave of absence for two cays. Both wore their khaki uniforms and look exceedingly well in them. They speak in the highest terms of the treatment recei ed in Halifax, but are very anxious to go the front. The volunters were given a hearty reception by their many friends in this city, and tonight they were entertained

this city, and tonght they wate chartained at the curling rink. In conjunction with the mayors of other Canadian cities, Mayor Beckwith has called a public meeting for next Friday evening, to urge the government to offer 10,000 mounted infantry for service in South Africa. ultural implement and carries

Hartt, grand secretary; J. P. Magilon, grand director of ceremonies, and Brothers Wetmore and Edwards of St. John. Supper was served in the ban-quet hall during the evening. A number of visiting brothers from Calais and Militown were present. The grand officers will visit Victoria Lodge at

Militown on Thursday evening. FREI-ERICTON, N. B., Feb. 7.— At c meeting of the city council held last even-ing, the question of assessment on income was discussed. Sometime ago the income men started an agitation towards having the tax on incomes re-adjusted, but it was only last night that the city council took the matter up. A large number of the sider-men spoke strongly in favor of adjustment, and a committee was appointed of several prominent citizens to confer with the coun-cil in reference to the matter. It is prob-able that the income men will get what they ask. Alderman Henry has been appointed chief arsessor for the city, with an increase of wn on Thursday evening.

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Alderman Henry has been appointed chief resessor for the city, with an increase of 100 in salary. At the crown land office today several timber berths were disposed of as follows: Yobo Stream, 5% miles, to A. F. Randolph at upset price: Two-Mile Brook, 2 miles, to David O. Savoy; North Branch Shikiti-hank River, 2% miles, to C. E. Gallagher; Yoho Stream, 5 miles, to C. E. Gallagher; Yoho Stream, 5 miles, to A. F. Randolph, all at upset price, and a block of fifty acres of crown land situated at Blaney Ridge settlement, York county, was sold to Alex. Vance at \$1 per acre. Major Loggie has received from Mr. Ruel of St. John cheques for the pay which the Fredericton soldiers now in South Africa are to receive from the New Brunswick con-tingent fund. The cheques are for\$46 each.

DEATH OF J. S. PARKER,

For Over Forty Years One of New Brunswick's Greatest Shipbuilders.

The death took place at his residence, Tynemouth Creek, St. John Co., on the 5th inst. of Capt. John S. Parker, in the eighty-sixth year of his age. In the palmy days of wooden shipping, Parker's vessels had a world-wide reputation. His constructions included such important additions to St. John's fleet as the Kate F. Troop, J. F. Troop, Empress of India, Minister of Marine, Howard D. Troop, Arnie Troop, Bessie Parker, Privateer, Sunny Region, Sailor Prince, John Parker and many others. For over 40 years he carried on operations at Tynemouth Creek, and the shipyard of Lovitt and Parker was one of the best equipped in the maritime provinces. So careful and systematic was their management that Capt. Parker was able to boast that during four decades not a vessel being laurched hung ten minutes on the ways, and that every launch took place on the day appointed. It would be almost impossible to find along the entire coast a more picturesque situation for a residence than that of Capt.

Parker at Tynemouth Creek. Through the personal exertions of his estimable wife, who tcok a deep interest in the spiritual welfare of the little community that pestled around the port and shipyards, a pretty little church was erected about 1878 on a commanding site near the harbor. Open to all evangelical clergymen, there was, however, one important restriction. Collections were tabooed, Capt. Parker, who met the current expenses out of his own pocket, insist-



Endorses the Proposition to Offer 10,000 Mounted Infantry.

Keen Criticism of the Gevernment's Treatment of the Port of St. John

Hon. T. R. Jones Wants Civic and Tax Reform Legislation-Winter Port Trade.

The Board of Trade meeting Tues day afternoon was the most lively one held by the body for some time The president, D. J. McLaughlin, was in the chair, and among those present were S. S. Hall, Hon. f. R. Jones, G. Wetmore Merritt, Ald, Macrae, A. C. Currie, Thos. L. Hay, Geo. Robertson M. P. P., T. H. Hall, H. A. Austin, Dr. Gilchrist, Joseph Bullock, W. S. Fisher, W. Frank Hatheway, J. D. Seely, Dr. W. W. White, F. L. Potts, L. G. Crosby. Hon. T. R. Jones moved that the

whole matter of the representation of the cit, civic administration and the collection of taxes, be referred to the legislative committee of the board. W. S. Fisher seconded the motion to refer the matter as desired by Mr Jones, and it was adopted.

President McLaughlin read the telegram from the Vancouver Board of Trade relative to raising ten thousand mounted infantry for South Africa.

Mr. McLaughlin sàid he felt sure that our people would heartily fall in with the views of the Vancouver peo-

Geo. Robertson, M. P. P., moved that this board of trade joins with the citizens of Vancouver in urging the dominion government to offer to the imperial authorities 10,000 mounted infantry as a further Canadian contingent for South Africa. Mr. Robertson said that if there ever had been any doubt there was none now that it was the duty of Canada to offer to send more men to the front. Mr. Robertson spoke of the jealousy with which other nations re-

gard the British empire. Canadians must make it clear that they are ready to furnish contingent after contingent and to give up their lives, if need be, to presenve the integrity of the empire. Canada could raise an army of 250,000 men, and could send 50,000 abroad.

The resolution was seconded by Hon. T. R. Jones, and adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

W. S. Fisher said that the people of St. John feel that they have, or may have, a grievance in connection with sending forward the troops. As to Strathcona's Horse, Lord Strathcona is reported to have said he was indifferent as to the port of departure. The Elder-Dempster Co. were also reregred to be indifferent. The govern2W31

A DIFFICULT PROBLEM. medes Euclid Jones was a boy h a most mathematical mind: With a most mathematical mind; Proportion and fractions he figured with

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mad At proceedings I've mentioned before. But one afternoon he remarked to his son "How much dirt in a hole that is, say, Just seven feet deep, in diameter one? Come, give a quick answer, I pray?" to his son-

"That's a snap," quoth the lad, "for you just multiply Eleven-fourt sonths a square foot

By seven, the depth; the result, by the bye, Is five and a half cubic feet."

Is nve and a half cubic feet." "You are wrong, my dear son," said the father, "I fear You've somewhat overrated your skill," "Well, I'll just dig the hole," cried the youngster, "right here, And prove it in that way, I will!"

So he dug the deep hole and he measured earth

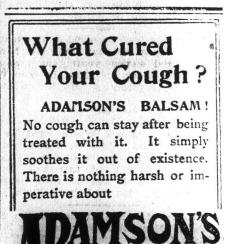
That he dug-it was five and a half Cubic feet; but his father rolled over with Cubic "The dirt, boy," he shricked, with a

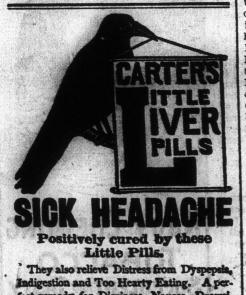
"Isn't there in the hole, but is out on the ground"" Therewith in the saddest of tones, 'You're correct and your problem's the hardest T've found!" Said Archimedes Euclid Jones.

LUMBER LAND SALE.

Wednesday last Philip Palmer, one of the executors of the late Judge Palmer, sold in the city of Moncton 80 acres of wood land, belonging to the estate of the late judge, to Ed. Carey for \$112.50. On Thursday Mr. Palme was in Sackville looking after the sale of several pieces of land in this neighborhood. The Taylor lot, so called, on Beech Hill, containing some 80 acres, was sold to A. and W. Ogden for \$335. The 11 acre lot on Beech Hill was sold to Bliss B. Aver for \$44. The Gore lot. between Sackville and Dorchester, containing 289 acres, was bid in by Mr. Clare for \$270. The mill lot near Dorchester, one acre, was bought by Wm. Ogden for \$5.-Sackville Post.

Mrs. McCanty-An' ve've raised quoite a big family, Mrs. Murphy? Mrs. Murphy (with pride)-Seven polacemin, Mrs. McCanty.





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wick government and the colonial secretary in reference to the matter, it being proposed to admit colonial barristers to the English bar in return for like privileges to be granted to English barristers by the different provinces

Friday night was the coldest of the season, the mercury getting down as low as 36 degrees below. At nine c'clock Saturday morning it registered 30 below.

HILLSBORO, Albert Co., Feb. 5. Walter W. Steeves, who with his budihers, sons of Stephen Steeves of Steevescoat, was carrying on a lumber business in Nova Scotia this winter, contracted a cold and after a short illness died January 25th. The remains were brought home and buried in the family lot on Jan. 27th.

At a regular meeting of Golden Gate, L. O. L., No. 100, Feb. 3rd, the following resolution of condolence to Bro. Walter W. Steeves's wife and family were unanimously passed:

Whereas, The Grand Master of the uni-verse has in His divine wisdom seen fit to call to His eternal home our beloved bro-ther, Walter W. Steeves, who was a char-ter member of this lodge, and when able a fit to egular attendant at its meetings, We desire to convert

regular attendant at its meetings, We desire to convey to you our heartfelt cympathy in this, you sad bereavement. We mourn his loss as a faithful brother, and will ever cherish his memory. But to you, we well know, his loss is irreparable. We we well know, his loss is irreparable. We therefore pray that you will not sorrow as those without hope, but that you will re-member the beautiful words of our Saviour, "He is not dead, but sleepeth." And we pray that God in His merciful goodness will give you strength in this your hour of need, and at the last day may we all be found acceptable in the sight of Him who has said: "Come upon Me ye weary and I will give you rest." Signed on behalf of the lodge,

PHILIP MCKINNON, W. M.

SAMUEL WEST, D. M.

MOADAM JUNOTION, Feb. 5.-The deanery of Woodstock held its quarterly meeting at Canterbury Station on Jan. 25th. On the preceding evening five dergymen took part in a hearty service in Trinity church, Rev. Richard Coleman preaching from Isaiah xi., 16. On Thursday morning the clergy met at a celebration of the Holy Communion. Rev. A. W. Teed, acting celebrant, after which the chapter met at the rectory and read 1st Peter iii. from the Greek. This was carefully discussed by the members. At p. m. the S. S. association met in Trinity church and profited by an excellent model lesson given by Rev. G. F. Scovil. This was followed by a much appreciated paper from Rev. A. W. Teed. In the evening the clergy met at MoAdam Junction, where they were joined by Ven. Archdeacon Neales. An exceedingly hearty service was held in the hall, in which nearly all the clergy took part. The

sermon being preached by the Ven. Archdeacon Neales from Acts v., 6. On Friday evening a meeting of C.

P. R. employes was held at McAdam. J. R. Spragge was chosen chairman, and J R Gilliland secretary pro tem. G. Hall explained that the object of the meeting was to raise a subscription to the Transvaal fund for the re-

lief of sufferers by the war; that the movement would include the whole Canadian Pacific system; that each employe should contribute half of one

day's pay; that such supscription should be purely voluntary, and that by this means the subscriptions from employes would not lose their identity but be classed as the C. P. R. railway employes' subscription to the relief fund. Short addresses were made by the chairman, H. F. Perkins and R. S. Dixon. A general committee to further the matter was appointed as follows: A. W. Grass, D. DeWitt, C.

The agricultural implement and carriage business of the late Aid. Burden, which has been conducted since his death by his son, Weldon Burden, has been closed up. The Hartt Boot and Shoe company, at its aunual meeting, yesterday afternoon, re-elected the cld board of directors. The re-port of the manager, Mr. Savage, present-ed the most promising outlook. Two hun-dred hands are now employed, of whom fifty are experts, mostly from Quebec. The oth-er one hundred and fifty started as learners and have made such progress that the facer one hundred and fifty started as learners and have made such progress that the fac-tory was able to manufacture in January, with the same number of nands employed, 8,976 pairs of boots and shoes, as against 5,-715 in December. All the travellers have heen called in, having secured orders for as large a quantity of goods as the factory can turn out by spring. As agents for the mari-time provinces for the Maltess Cross Rub-ber Co., the company has sold upwards of \$40,000 worth of these goods, and it is understood that their profit on this business which was calculated to result from the first year's manufacture of boots and shoes. HARVEY STATION, York Co., Feb.

HARVEY STATION, York Co., Feb. 7.-The party given on Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Robinson was attended by about thirty young people, and proved a very enjoyable affair. The music furnished by Charles Robirson and Miss Lizzie Robinson was

also very much appreciated. James Hood and James Hunter, both out of the Maine woods last week on account of injuries received while workirg. David Smith is hauling wood for Geo. Robinscn of Maguadavick

station. ST. STEPHEN, Feb. 7.-The large price of four dollars per cord offered by Haley & Son for box wood this winter has had a very decided effect upon the supply. On Saturday they received 115 loads, or nearly 90 cords. In all they have received about 800 cords, and have a lot in the country to be brought here later by rail. They will purchase, all told, about 2,000 cords. The sticks are much larger than any that have been brought in

during recent years. George A. Boardman passed his 82nd birthday on Monday last. On account of the storm his usual gathering of friends was held on the following day.

George J. Clarke, grand chancellor has received an application for the institution of a new lodge of Knights of Pythias at Truro, N. S. The petition bears the names of 53 prominent citizens, and it is expected more will be added.

H. F. Eaton & Sons and other Calais people have purchased the Bath schooner Kennebeck. Horace Murchie of South Orange

N. J., who is visiting James Murchie at Milltown, has purchased the standard and registered speedy grey gelding recently owned by Theodore Murchie. He is an ideal family horse and can move in 2.20 or batter.

Black Eagle, the speedy gelding owned by J. R. Sederquest, was up against Martin C. and some other good ones in Calais on Tuesday, and was easily the boss of the road. Few horses accomplishing the amount of work which this black fellow gets through with can stay with him in a hand fought race.

Sussex Lodge, No. 7, F. and A. M. enjoyed a visit on Tuesday evening from Judge Forbes, grand master of Free Masons of New Brunswick; J. T.

Wood's Phosphodine, The Great English Remedy. Sold and recommended by all druggists in Canada. Only reli-she medicine discovered. Sis packages guaranteed to cure al-Weakness, all effects of shuse al Weakness, all effe Wearness, and states and states, winds of the states of th m or St

Wood's Phosphodine is sold in St. John Johnstone, J. Billings, R. S. Dixon, G. by all wholesale and retail druggists.

(Canadian Craftsman.) The Union De Molay Preceptory of Knights Templar, No. 11, Registry of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, had a most encouraging convocation, at the Masonic Temple, Saint John, Thursday, 28th Dec., when four candidates were created Knights Templar. The elective officers were ballotted for. The other officers will be appointed at the regular conclave in January, 1900, and the Provincial Prior, R. E. George Ackman, will conduct the ceremonial ment, knowing our facilities, and in of installation. The roster for 1900view of their experience in Halifax, 1901, with the addition of the officers would have considered our claims. If to be appointed in January, will be as it were true that the Elder-Dempster follows: Co. objected to St. John, that was Sir Knight Alfred Dodge, Presiding hardly what we had a right to expect

Preceptor. from Mr. Campbell, and he ought to Dr. Frank A. Godsoe, 1mmediate be asked why he had passed over St. Past Preceptor. John Hon. Robert Marshall, K. C. T., Past put their hands deep in their pockets

Preceptor. Colonel James Domville, Past Preceptor.

Samuel F. Matthews, Past Provinthe recognition it deserved. If recogbial Prior. rition is denied, we should look into William H. Thorne, Past Grand it, and learn who are and who are not Constable. our friends.

William Ezra Vroom, Past Precep-Howard Douglas McLeod, Past

Grand Officer and Treasurer. LeBaron Wilson; Past Preceptor. F. H. C. Miles. Constable.

Frederick A. Jones, Marshal. Dr. Edward A. Preston, Chaplain. Arthur G. Boyne, Registrar.

Theophilus Cushing, Sub. Marshal. harbor. He quoted Mr. Tarte's state-The order of Masonic Knights Temment with reference to fully equipping plar in New Brunswick is entering our national ports, pointed out the upon a period of great prosperity. The ercrmous expenditures being made in Ivanhoe preceptory of Moncton is doing splendid work, which St. John Knights should more earnestly en-

deavor to imitate. GRATEFUL CRETANS.

ment to do the dredging. We Cretans have reasons for pray-Ald. Macrae spoke on the subject of ing for the success of the British in the lasge quartity of deals carried by South Africa. Thanks to the blood of the steamers, and of a proposed re-British soldiers shed at Candia, and medy. the firm and resolute action of the Secretary Allison read the following British admiral, a radical solution was comparative statement of winter port given to the Cretan question, and the businers to Jan. 16th: Turkish troops were driven out of the island. It is lucky, indeed, for Crete that the Transvual war did not break out a year ago, for had England been then absorbed in war it is doubtful if Sheep the liberation of Crete would have Lumber, sup. feet 5,910,900 Hay, tons

been so successfully effected .- Erevna, Canea, Crete. NEWS TO ORDER.

(Catholic Standard and Times.) "Suffering cats!" exclaimed the war

editor of the yellow journal. "I can't Apples make head or tail of this dispatch from our special correspondent in South Neither could I," said his Africa." ssistant. "James," called the editor to his office boy, "ask the South African supply accounted for the failing off in dairy exports. As to delay of steamcorrespondent to step in here a mo-

ment. "Gentlemen of the jury," said a blundering counsel, in an action about some pigs, "there were just thirty-six hogs in that drove; please to remember that fact-thirty-six hogs-just exactly three times as many as there are in that jury box, gentlemen." That counsel did not gain his case.

ment were apparently eager to favor St. John. Now, if the troops don't come, what are we to conclude? Dr. Gilchrist-That the minister does not want to send them here.

Mr. Fisher said that our people had

to equip a national port. There was

here an opportunity to give the city

W. Frank Hatheway said that in

conversation with J. N. Sutherland of

the C. P. R. he had learned that there

were six steamers short on the con-

tracts of the various winter lines to

date. Mr. Hatheway also pointed out

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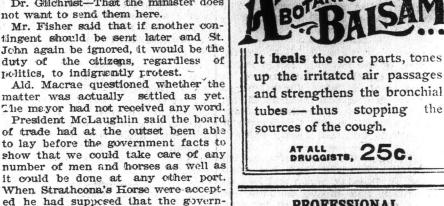
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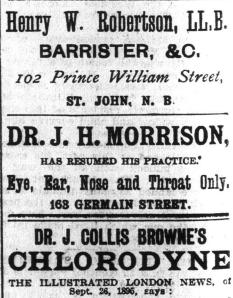
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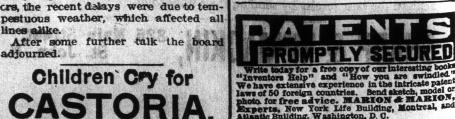
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Balfour's Speech. LONDON, Feb. 6 .- In the house of commons today, replying to a question of John Dillon, nationalist, as to whether the government intended to treat foodstuffs as contraband during the present war and, if so, under what restrictions and limitations, A. J. Balfour the government leader, said that foodstuffs, as such, had never been considered contraband by Great Britain. But, he added, foodstuffs intended to supply an army in the field were by the universal consent of international lawyers regarded as contraband and a prize court would decide the facts connected with the shipments. Asked if the government intended to direct cruisers to seize all cargoes for Lourenzo Marquez until their character was determined by a prize court, Mr. Balfour declined to make any statement in this connection. George Wyndham, parkamentary secretary for the war office, replying

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to a question, said there was reason to believe that many of the guns from the forts at Pretoria had been sent to the front, and that some of them had a rarge of over 10,000 yards. The British siege train sent out in December, he added, had guns of equal range The debate on the amendment to the

reply to the speech from the throne was then resumed by H. B. Asquith, liberal home secretary of the Rosehery ministry, who from the tenor of his remarks might have held a brief for the government. He maintained the war was neither intended nor desired by the government, which naturally explained the country's unpreparedness. Mr. Asquith added that the war could have been avoided by President Kruger accepting the proposails made in September which, according to the speaker, were perfectly compatible with the maintenance of the independence of the Transvaal and a proper instalment of long-delayed justice to the British population of the

Transveal. If he thought the British negotiations were a mere cloak to attack the independence of or annex the Transvaal then, in spite of the invasion of British territory and the loss of British lives, he could not have reconciled his conscience with voting a penny for the presecution of the war. But that was not the opinion of the house of commons, nor of the great majority of the country. That was why they were united in parliament and a united people. Doubtless there had been a demenstratible lack of foresight and insight. Mr. Chamberlain, no doubt,

would give much for a chance of re-

pened or in anything which they could contemplate at present for the "creakings" of pessimism or fils of panic. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the liberal leader, justified the opportunities of the amendment, because it was the duty of the opposition to record its judgment. He said the government could hardly pose as conquerors upon whose brows laurel wreaths should be placed; for their hiplomacy had failed and their millitary operations had been unsuccessful. These facts, Sir Henry declared, invited criticism. At the same time he would deprecate exaggeration and would deny the existence of national humiliation and discomfiture.

He also denied that the opposition asm. was actuated by a desire to clamber into power or to seek party advantage. The "composed and sensible tone of the speech of the colonial secretary" he had been glad to hear. If the government were aware of the disparity between the defensive forces of the South African colonies and the military strength of the Boers when the negotiations were entered upon, no condemnation, in his judgment, could be too severe. Sir Henry ridiculed Lord Salisbury's statement that the secret service fund was too small, and pointed out that the whole sum had not been expended. He thought the govenment should have disavowed the Jameson raid and given guarantees for the future, as Great Britain would then have been in a position to demand that the Boers cease arming. Sir Henry demanded to know upon what evidence the existence of a Dutch conspiracy was asserted, declaring that unless the charge were well founded it was a most wanton insult to her majesty's loyal Dutch subjects at the Cape. The war must be presecuted with vigor, he maintained, but, provided British territories were free and Great Britain's military superiority were vindicated, what mattered it as to the hour and place of arriving at a settlement. (Loud ministerial protests). What really did matter was, he affirmed, that the settlement should be made in the right spirit. Mr. Balfour, who, on rising, was

loudly cheered, said: "What is the object of the amendment? What is likely to attain? One might have expected that the war office would be attacked, but that is not the case. I am driven to the conclusion that the amendment is an attack upon the colonial secretary. (Hear, hear.) Well, the colonial secretary may well ignore these persistent attacks. The right honorable gentlemen may remember that it has been during his term of office as coionial secretary that the British empire, as a wirste, has first shown its full consciousness of what it is and of what its destinies are. (Loud cheers.)

"Others have certainly contributed to this result; but it is in no small degree owing to the great administrative abilities of the right honorable gentleman, the colonial secretary, that the dramatic moment has occurred, for the first time in our history, when every British colony has joined the mother country to carry out a great imperial work; and, when all these petty and contemptible charges are buried in the oblivion they so well de-

mouth. Mr. Asquith voted with Sir Campbell-Bannerman for the Henry amendment. Lord Edmund Fitzmaurice's amend-

ment was rejected by a vote of 352 to 139. The result of the division was greeted by the conservatives with triumph-

ant cheers. While Sir Henry Campbell-Banner-man was speaking the news of the success of the unionist candidate in the York city elections, with an unexpectedly large majority, arrived and caused a great scene of enthusi-

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> \$22 90 Previously acknowledged.. 7 00 Total..... \$29 90 ST. JOHN COUNTY L. O. A.

(From Wednesday's Daily Sun.)

ST. JOHN COUNTY L. O. A. (From Wednesday's Daily Sun.) The annual meeting of the St. John Co. Loyal Orange Association was held in the principe hall, Germain street, yesterday af-teracon and evening. The following officers were elected and installed by the D. G. M. of British America, A. J. Armstrong: E. S. Stackhouse, W. M.; G. A. Blair, D. M.; Joseph Johnston, Chap.; W. B. Wallace, R. Sec.; S. Johnston, F. Sec.; N. J. Morrison, Treas.; S. Kelly, D. of C.; John Amos, Treas.; S. Kelly, D. of C.; John Amos, Treas.; S. Kelly, D. of the empire at this iuncture. Mr. Maxwell began by referring to the steady growth and prosperity of the bigges in the county and the improvement at the meetings of the primary lodges. Speaking of the war in the Transvaal, Mr. Maxwell said the British are fighting in the cruse of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice, truth and right and for the rease of justice to the dear ones they had in our Dominion of Canada and in our own right and county of St. John. Many familiar faces were missed from the county lodge. They were with the first contingent in Study Africa or with the second contingent on the way there. While we placed their of the first or build up the order, Mr. Maxwell said: "In the present critical time to the inderst the importance of increas-sing their efforts to build up the order, Mr. Maxwell said: "In the present critical time to counteract the disloyal, traitorous and trea-sonable utterances of Boer sympathizers, its inved the indersor to succers and aid our counteract the disloyal, traitorous and trea

office. After the adjournment of the lodge. Past County Master Maxwell entertained the of-ficers and members of the city lodges at sup-per at White's. It was a very pleasant gathering, the usual toasts being honored.



THE MODERN MOTHER.

She is Too Busy Setting the World Right to Teach Her Son Great Truths. "A man learns his politics and opinions from his father and other men,

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but his religiion from his mother," writes an American Mouner in the February Ladies' Home Journal. "No vicious manhood can quite kill the faith which sprang up in his soul when he knelt, a little child, at her knee every night, or was hushed to sleep on her breast while she sang 'that sweet story of old, when Jesus was horses, operating for the Bonny River

here among men.' In earlier times in | Milling Conpeny, came out of the this country a mother had little work woods this week .- St. Andrews Beaoutside of her house and children. She con. vatched her boy day and night to keep him near to God and out of the ties of Kent and Westmorland, and in devil's clutches. It was she who told most of the counties of Nova Scotia, him of the Babe and the Cross out of have been retarded of late, owing to the old Bock which lay on the table the scarcity of snow in the woods. In beside her bed. He saw her turn to Westmorland and Cumberland counit when she was happy, when she was ties there is scarcely a particle of snow vretched, when she was old and dyto be seen, and there has been little

ing. So it came that there was nothing or no sleighing since the new year .so near to God in that man's eyes as Herald. his mother, her Bible and her Saviour. Lumbermen report a difficult time to But that woman is long ago dead and keep men in the woods this season. buried. The modern mother talks of Wages are better than they ever were her as of some coarse animal whose before, but in the face of that the men are unwilling to stay. It is an imposignoble life was starved out in a cage. Her own feet are set in a large room. sibility to hire men, as there are none looking for work .- Aroostcok Times. Her horizon takes in the world. She manages political caucuses, civic affairs, countless domestic and foreign

DEATH OF ALFRED BROWNE. missions. Art, literature, society and Alfred Browne, superintendent of

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helpless humanity claim her. She rises

every morning knowing that a botched

old world is waiting for her to set it

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A captain of one of the Guards Regiments with Lord Methuen's force, in an interesting account of the fighting at Modder River, says, writing on Nov. 30: We had no cover except little scrub

bushes, about six inches high, and the In 1872 Mr. Browne entered the post ground sloped gently down to the office service as railway mail clerk, Boers from about 2,000 yards. I don't and in 1889 was made chief railway suppose troops have ever been in a mail clerk. The new office of supermore damnable position. I sat up ocintendent of railway mail service was casionally to see how things were gocreated in 1897 and to this Mr. Browne ing, but only for a moment, as it was was appointed provisionally, the apalways the signal for a perfect storm pointment never having been conof bullets. My ammunition bearer had firmed. his head blown to bits by a 11b shell from a 37-millimetre Maxim, a most

damnable gun. I happened to be in the line just before dark, and they "I'm glad," said the Chicago girl, pumped six rounds at me. The first

four pitched in a line about twe nty, ten, and fifteen, and the fourth four yards in front of me, and threw dirt write those Boston girls I met during all over me, and the next two just our trip abroad last season without alpitched behind me. I didn't like it a ways keeping the dictionary at my bit. . . It was the worst day I have elbow. If I don't happen to spell ever spent in my life. Twelve hours ! right, you see, they will think I am under a constant and heavy fire of helping along the reform movement. Maxims, 12-pounders, and other quick- It's great stuff." firing guns and rifles, a hot sun, no;

She (blushing)-"Am I the first girl cover, no water, and no food is more than enough for yours truly. . The you ever kissed, John?" He-Well, guns yesterday fought magnificently, no, darling; but you are the last." She Mrs. J. N. Crowe, mother of Stipen-diary Crowe of Truro, died on Feb. 5th. gun than have ever been fired in a me feel so happy to think that."

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PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

battle before. . . We had a lovely

wash this morning. I washed shirt

and drawers, besides myself-I wanted

it. My clothes have not been off since

we left the Orange Rivor on Nov. 21.

have both been present at the battle.

LUMBERING NOTES.

The absence of snow in the woods

is proving a serious detriment to the

lumbermen. Unless snow speedily

comes some of the lumbermen will find

it hard work to make buckle and strap

meet. Forty-six men and thirty

Lumbering operations in the coun-

the railway mail service in Nova Sco-

supposed of heart failure. He was a

son of the late Henry Browne, a well

known jeweller in Helifax years ago,

and was in his 53rd year. He leaves

S. Brown & Co., and Rev. J. D. H.

Browne, now of California. A sister

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(Chicago Times.)

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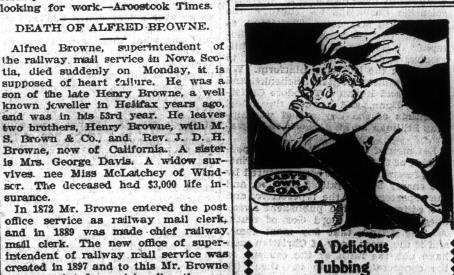
(Moncton Times.)

The several temperance organizations of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia have decided to unite in calling a convention of prchibitionists to consider the present situation and determine upon a plan of campaign against the enemy.

All churches, temperance organizations, young people's societies and other religious and moral organizations are requested to send representatives. All ministers of the gospel and. all officers of temperance societies will be welcome.

The convention will be held in the W. C. T. U. hall, Moncton, N. B., on Feb. 21st. A preliminary meeting for formal discussion, to which all are invited, will be held at 3 p. m. Tuesday, Feb. 20th. There will be a public meeting of welcome in the evening. Prominent prchibiticnists will be present, and one or more public meetings will be held.

Arrangements have been made for return free over the I. C. R., Dominion Atlantic railway and Canada Eastern railway. The C. P. R. also gives reduced fares, the amount of reduction to be determined by the number going over their line. Delegates must ask for standard certificates when purchasing tickets.



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WAR AGAINST SATAN. Rev. Dr. Talmage's Sermon on the Lost Weapons.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 .- In his dis- undeveloped energy in this city to bring all the United States to Christ course Dr. Talmage shows how the cause of righteousness has lost many enough of undeveloped Christian energy in the United States eo bring the of its weapons and how they are to whole world to Christ. be recaptured and put into effective operation, text, I. Samuel xiii., 19-21 : BUT IT IS BURIED

"Now there is no smith found throughout all the land of Israel, for under sthata of indifference and im der whole mountains of sloth. Now, the Philistines said: Lest the Hebrews is it not time for the mining to begin. make them swords or spears. But all and the pickaxes to plunge, and for the Isreelites went down to the Philthis buried metal to be brought out istines, to sharpen every man his share, and put into the furnaces and be turnand his coulter, and his axe, and his ed into howitzers and carbines for the mattock. Yet they had a file for the Lord's host? mattock, and for the coulters, and for The vast majority of Christians in the forks, and for the axes, and to this day are useless. The most of the sharpen the goads." Lord's battalion belong to the reserve

What a galling subjugation for the corps. The most of the crew are asleep in the hammocks. The most of the Israelites! The Phillistines had carried off all the blacksmiths and torn metal is under the hills. Oh, is it not down all the blacksmiths' shops and time for the church of God to rouse abolished the blacksmiths' trade in the 1 p and understand that we want all the energies, all the talent and all the land of Israel. The Philistines would not even allow these parties to work wealth enlisted for Christ's sake? I their valuable mines of brass and iron, nor might they make any swords or spears. There were only two swords like the nickname that the English sol-diers gave to Blucher, the commander. They called him "Old Forwards." We left in all the land. Yea, these Phil-istines went on until they had taken have had enough retreats in the church of Christ; let us have a gleriall the grindstones from the land of cus advance. And I say to you as the Israel, so that if an Isaelitish farmer general said when his troops were afwanted to sharpen his plow or his axe frighted-rising up in his stirrups, his he had to go over to the garrison of the Phillistines to get it done. There his voice until 20,660 troops heard him was only one sharpening instrument crying out, "Forward, the whole line!" left in the land, and that was a file, We want all the laymen enlisted. Minthe farmers and mechanics having no isters are numerically too small. They thing to whet up the coulter, and the do the best they can. They are the goad, and the pickaxe, save a simple most overworked class on earth. Many file. Industry was hindered and work of them die of dyspepsia because they practically disgraced. The great idea of these Philistines was to keep the Israchites disarmed. They might get iron out of the hills to make swords of, but they would not have any blacksmiths to weld this iron. If they got exposure. the iron welded they would have no grindstones on which to bring the instruments of agriculture or the mili-

tary weapons up to an edge. Oh, you poor, weaponless Israelites, reduced to a file, how I pity you! But these Philistines were not forever to keep their heels on the neck of God's children. Jonathan, on his hands and knees, climbs up a great rock, beyond which were the Philistines, and his armor bearer, on his hands and knees, climbs up the same rock, and thes two men, with their swords, hew to pieces the Philistines, the Lord throwing a great terror upon them. So it was then, so it is now. 'Two men of God on their knees mightier than a Philistine host on their feet!

I learn, first, from this subject, that it is dangerous for the church of God to allow its weapons to stay in the hands of its enemies. These Israelites

on mine. MIGHT AGAIN AND AGAIN Let us quit this grant farce of try-

on, "the way of the transgressor is THE INTERNATIONAL LESSON. hard!" His cup is bitter. His night is dark. His pangs are deep. His end is terrific. Philistine iniquity says to thiat man: 'Now, surrender to me and I will give you all you want-music for the dance, swift steeds for the race, imperial couch to slumber on, and you shall be refreshed with the rarest fruits, in baskets of golden filigree. He lies. The music turns, out to be a groan. The fruits burst the rind with rank poison. The filigree is

book everything but a file. Oh, that is he way sin works: it grabs every-

made up of twisted reptiles. The couch is a grave. Small allowance of rest, small allowance of peace, small allow-ance of comfort. Cold, hard, roughnothing but a file. So it was with Voltaire, the most applauded man of his day.

Seized with hemorrhage of the lungs in Paris, where he had gone to be crowned as the idol of all France, he sends a messenger to a priest, that he may be reconciled to the church before he dies. A great terror falls upon him. Philistine iniquity

HAD PROMISED HIM

all the world's garlands, but in the last hour of his life, when he needed a solacing, sent tearing across his con-science and his nerves a file, a file. So it was with Lord Byron, his uncleanness in England only surpassed by his uncleanness in Venice, then going on to end his brilliant misery in Missilonghi, fretting at his nurse Fletcher, fetting at himself, fretting at the world, fretting at God, and he who gave the world "Childe Harold," and hair flying in the wind, he lifted up "Sardanapalus," and "The Prisoner of Chillon," end "The Siege of Corinth." reduced to nothing but a file. Oh, sin has a great facility for making promises, but It has just as great facility for breaking them! I learn from this subject what a sad

thing it is when the church of God cannot get the right kind of food to loses its metal! These Philistines saw cat, or, getting the right kind, are so that if they could only get all the meworried that they take it down in tallic weapons out of the hands of the chunks. They die from early and late Israelites, all would be well, and therefore they took the swords and the If a novelist or a historian publishes spears. They did not want them to a book a year, he is considered indushave a single metallic weapon. When trious, but every faithful pastor must the metal of the Israelites was gone, riginate enough thought for three or their strength was gone. This is the trouble with the church of God today. four volumes a year. Ministers receive enough calls in a year from men who It is surrendering its courage. It has have maps and medicines and lightnot enough metal. How seldom it is ning rods and pictures to sell to exthat you see a man taking his posthaust their vitality. They are bored tion in new or in pulpit or in religious with agents of all sorts. They are set society and holding that position in drafts at funerals and poisoned by against all oppression, and all trial, the unventilated rocms of invalids and all persecution, and all criticism. and waited upon by committees who The church of God today wants more want addresses made until life becomes backbone, more defiance, more cona burden to bear. It is not hard study secrated bravery, more metal. How often you see a man start out in some that makes ministers look pale. It is good enterprise, and at the first blast the infinity of interruptions and botherations to which they are subjected. of opposition he has collapsed, and all Numerically too small. It is no more his courage gone, forgetting the fact the work of the pulpit to convert and that if a man be right all the opposisave the world than it is the work of tion of the earth pounding away at him the pew. If men go to ruin there will cannot do him any permanent dambe as much blood on your skints as age. It is only when a man is wrong thiat he can be diamlaged. Why, God

LESSON VII.-February 18. GOLDEN TEXT. God is a Spirit: and they that wor

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ship him must worship him in spirit and in truth.-John 4: 24. THE SECTION

includes chapter 4: 1-43. Chart num ber 20.

PLACE IN THE LIFE OF CHRIST. The close of his first year-the year of beginnings. Close of the Judean ministry.

HISTORICAL SETTING.

Time .- December, A. D. 27. About eight months after the last lesson. Place.-Samaria, at Jacob's well, near Sychar, at the foot of Mt. Gerizin Rulers .- Tiberius Caesar, emperor of

Rome; Pontius Pilate, governor of Judea; Herod Antipas, tetrarch of Gali-

JESUS AT JACOB'S WELL .- John 4: 5-26. Read John 3: 22-4: 45.

Commit verses 11-14. 5. (a) Then cometh he to a city of Samaria, (b) which is called Sychar, near to the parcel of ground that Ja-

cob gave to his son Joseph. 6. (c) Now Jacob's (d) well was there. Jesus, therefore, being wearied with his journey, sat (e) thus (f) on the well: and it was about the sixth hour.

7. There cometh a woman of Sa maria to draw water: Jesus saith unto her. Give me to drink. 8. (For his disciples were gone away

9. Then (h) saith the woman of Samaria unto him, How is it that thou, being a Jew, askest drink of me, which am a (i) woman of Samaria? (j) for the Jews have no dealings with the Samaritans. (j)

10. Jesus answered and said unto her, If thou knewest the gift of God, and who it is that saith to thee, Give me to drink: thou wouldest have asked of him, and he would have given thee

living water. 11. The woman saith unto him, Sir, thou hast nothing to draw with and the well is deep: from whence then

hast thou that living water? 12. Art thou greater than our father Jacob, which gave us this well, and drang thereof himself, and his (k) chil-

dren, and his cattle? 13. Jesus answered and said unto her, (1) Whosoever drinketh of this water shall thirst again:

14. But whosoever drinketh of the vater that I shall give him shall never thirst: but the water that I shall give him shall (m) be in him a well of water springing up (n) into everlasting

SUGGESTIVE QUESTIONS. (For written and oral answers.) Subject:-A Lesson on the Living Water.

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Introductory .- How long had Jesus been preaching? Chiefly in what part of the country? Had he made many disciples? (John 4: 1.) Where was he going? Trace the journey on the map. I. The Weary Teacher (vs. 5, 6).-Where did Jesus stop on his way? For what reason?

II. His Unlikely Scholar (v. Who met Jesus at the well? Who can you tell of her characteristics? Why did Jesus give so much time to one not very good person? 111. Hims Wise Approach (vs. 7-9).-What favor did Jesus ask of her? Was this a wise way of reaching this person? Why was the woman astonished? What do we learn from Jesus' action as to how we should deal with race prejudice?

IV. A Lesson on the Water of Life vs. 10-15) .- What did Jesus mean by living water? (See John 7: 37-39.) What great thirsts exist in the soul? Can the world satisfy them? In what respects is the gospel like pure water? In what way does Jesus give us living

water? Does the gospel bless even our natural desires? V. Conviction of Sin and Need (vs. 16-26).-How did Jesus show her how much she needed the living water? The need of conviction of sin. What is it to worship in spirit and in truth?

are we taught by these verses?

SHIP NEWS. PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

Feb 6-Coastwise-Schs Reta and Rhoda, 11, Leighton, from Gand Manan; str Cen-treville, 32, Graham, from Sandy Cove. and cleared for return; str La Tour, 98, Smith, from Campobello; sch Levuka, 75, Newcomb, from Parrsboro, and both cleared for re-

From Louisburg, RP and WF Starr, coal. Str Malin Head, 2227, McKee, from Dub-lin via Ardrossan, Wm Thomson and Co. bal.

Str St Croix, 1046, Pike, from Boston, E Laechler, mdse and pass. Sch Flash, 93, Tower, from Portland, F

Sch Flash, ob. V. B. Gladstone, 19, Wil-Ccastwise—Sch W E Gladstone, 19, Wil-son, from Grand Harbor. Feb 8—Str Arawa, 3182, Taylor, from Liv-erpool via Halifax, Troop and Son, mdse,

rass and mails. s. 1593, Black, from

ica, McLeod, for New York (not previously.) From New York, Feb 6, sch D Gifford, for an eastern port. From Havana, Jan 26, sch Wentworth, Gibson, for Apalachicola.

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MEMORANDA.

THE PARLAMENT.

In port at Bermuda, Feb 1, sch Ben Bolt, Ward, dis.

SPOKEN.

Ship Centurion, from Philadelphia for Nagasaki, Jan. 29, lat. 35.16, lon. 47.20. Bark Andromeda, Kierstead, from Antof-agasta for Hamburg, Jan 13, lat 6 N, lon 27 W.

Bark Mary A Law, Baker, from Rosario for Falmouth, E, Jan 24, lat 34 N, lon 43 W,

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

WASHINGTON, DC, Feb 4-Notice is given by the Lighthouse Board that on Jan 29, 1900, Hight vessel No 71, stationed off the Outer Diamond Shoal, off Cape Hatteras, sea coast of North Carolina, was reported about four miles northeasterly of its correct position, with Cape Hatteras lighthous bearing NW by W12W. The vessel will b replaced on her proper position as soon practicable, of which due notice will

BOSTON, Feb 6-First class red painte whistling buoy, off Petit Manan lighthouse is reported adrift, and will be replaced as scon as practicable.

BIRTHS.

McLEOD-On Feb. 8th, to the wife of Geo. K. McLeod, a daughter. POWER-In this city, on Feb. 7th, to the wife of L. W. Power, a daughter. CONTRACTOR OF THE STATE OF

MARRIAGES

URQUHART-COSMAN-At the residence the bride's parents, on January 17th, by the Rev. G. F. Currie, Les E Urquhart, of Kars, Kings Co., to Effle A Cosman, sec-ond daughter of Geo. Cosman of Midland, Kings Co., N. B.

DEATHS.

BERRY .- At Waltham, Mass., Feb. 3. Law-BERRY.—At Waitham, Mass., Feb. 3, Law-rence Foster Berry, 52 years. Burial at North Hampton, N. H.—(Nova Scotia papers please copy.)
CI.ARK—On Feb. 8th, George Fenwick Clark, aged 20 years, only son of R. W. Clark of St. Paul, Minn., and grandson of J. M. F. Whiting of this city.
FILLMORE—At Lower Turtle Creek, N. B., Feb. 2; of pneumonia, Geo. A. Fillmore, aged 69 years, leaving a wife and three children. (F. E. I. papers please copy.) children. (F. E. I. papers please copy.) NGLE.—At Dorchester Lower Mills, Mass., Feb. 5. Elizabeth S., widow of George Ingle, 74 years.—(Halifax, N. S., papers

Dease copy.) OHNSON.—In Malden, Mass., Feb. 4, of heart failure, Mary Rebecca, beloved wife of George A. Johrson.—(Nova Scotia papers please copy.) ARKER—At Tyne

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into the city to buy (g) meat.) How is God described? What lesson

ing to sive the world by a few chergy-men, and let all hunds lay hold of the have obtained a supply of swords and weapons, as, for instance. when they work. Give us, in all our churches, took the spoils of the Ammonites, but two or three aroused and qualified these Israelites seemed content to have no 'swords, no spears, no blacksmiths, no grindstones, no active dron mines, until it was too late for them to make any resistance. I see the farmers tugging along with their pickaxes and if the minister is not there, when there Flow, and I say, "Where are you going with those things?" 'They say, "Oh, we are going over to the garrison of the Philistines to get these things sharpened." I say, "You foolish men, why don't you sharpen them at home?" "Oh," they say, "the blacksmiths" shops are all torn down, and we have nothing left us but a file."

So it is in the church of Jesus Christ today. We are all willing to give up our weapons to the enemy. The world

of eternal life.

AGAIN, I LEARN

us good to rub against it.

ter in his day. He not only got all

maliel, but afterwards, standing on

Mars hill and in crowded thorough-

beasts that it has gobbled up the schools and the colleges and the arts and the sciences and the literature and the printing press. Infidelity is making a mighty attempt to get all our weapons in its hand, and then to keep them. You knew it is making this boast all the time, and after awhile when the great battle between sin and righteousness has opened, if we do not look out we will be as badly off as these Israelites, without any sharpen. ing instruments. I call upon the superintendents of literary institutions to see to it that the men who go into classrcoms to stand beside the Leyden tars and the electric batteries and the microscopes and telescopes he children of God, not Philistines.

The Tyndallean thinkers of our times are trying to get all the intellectual weapons in their own grasp. We want scientific Christians to capture the science, and scholastic Christians to capture the scholarship, and philosophic Christians to capture the philosophy, and lecturing Christians to take back the lecturing platform. We want to send out egeinst Schenkel and Stranes and Renan a Theodore Christ lieb of Bonn, and against the infidel scientists of the day a God worship ping Stillman and Hitchcock and Agas.

Let men of God go out and take possession of the platform. Let any printing presses that have been captured by the enemy be recaptured for God, and the reporters, and the typesetters, and the editors, and the publishers swear allegiance to the Lord Gor of truth. the learning he could get of Dr. Ga-Ah, my friend, that day must come, and if the great body of Christian men have not the faith or the courage or the consecration to do it, then let some Jonathan on his busy hands and on his praying knees climb up on the nocks of Hindrance, and in the name of the Lord God of Israel slash to pieces these literary Philistines! If these men will not be converted to God, then they must be overthrown. Again, learn from this subject what

a large amount of the church's recompelled it to ring out the wisdom sources is actually hidden and buried and greatness of the Lord, until, for and undeveloped. The Bible intimates the second time, the morning stars that that was a very rich land, this sang together and all the sons of God land of Israel. It says, "The stones are iron, and out of the hills thou shouted for joy. That was what gave to Jonathan Edwards his influence i shalt dig brass," and yet hundreds and his day. He conquered the world's thousands of dollars' worth of this metaphysics and forced it into the metal was kept under the hills. Well, services of God, until not only the old this is the difficulty with the church meeting house at Northampton, Mass. of God at this day. Its talent is not but all Christendom, felt thrilled by developed. If one-half of its energy his Ohristian power. could be brought out it might take the Again, my subject teaches us or

public iniquities of the day by the what small allowance Philistine in thoroat and make them bite the dust. iquity puts a man. Yes, these Phil-If human eloquence were consecrated istines shut up the mines, and ther to the Lord Jesus Christ it would in a they took the spears and the swords; few years persuade this whole earth to then they took the blacksmiths, then surrender to God. There is enough they took the grindstones, and they

ers.

is going to vindicate his truth, and he is going to stland by you, my friends in every effort you make for Christ's sake and the salvation of men.

Glo forth in the service of Christ and men and women to help. In most do your whole duty. You have one sphere. "The Lord of Hosts is with churches today five or ten men are compelled to do all the work. A vast us, and the God of Jacob is our remajority of churches are at their wits' fuge. Selah." . We want more of the end how to carry on a prayer meeting determination of Jonathan. I do not suppose he was a very wonderful man, ought to be enough pent up energy but he got on his knees and clambered and religious force to make a meeting up the rock, and with the help of his go on with such power that the minarmor bearer he hewed down the Philister would never be missed. The istines, and a man of very ordinary intellectual attainments on his knees church stands working the pumps of a few ministerial cisterns until the can storm anything for God and for buckets are dry and choked, while the truth. We want something of the there are thousands of fountains from determination of the general who went into the war, and as he entered his which might be dipped up the waters first battle his knees knocked together, his physical courage not quite up to his moral courage, and he looked down from this subject that we sometime at his knees and said: "Ah, if you do well to take advantage of the knew where I am going to take you you would shake wouse than that!" world's grindstones. These Israelites were reduced to a file, and so they There is only one question for you to ask and for me to ask, What does went over to the garrison of the Phil-God want me to do ?Where is the istines to get their axes and their field? Where is the work? Where is goads and their plows sharpened. The the anvil? Where is the prayer meet-Bible distinctly states it-the text ing? Where is the pulpit? And findwhich I read at the beginning of the ing out what God wants us to do, go service-that they had no other inahead and do it, all the energies of strument now with which to do this our body, mind and soul enlisted in work, and the Israelites did right when

the undertaking. they went over to the Philistines to Church of God, lift up your head at use their grindstones. My friends, is the coming victory! The Philistines it not right for us to employ the will go down, and the Israelites will world's grindstones? If there be art, go up. We are on the winning side. if there be logic, if there be business I think just now the king's horses faculty on the other side, let us go over and employ it for Christ's sake. are being hooked up to the chariot, and when he does ride down the sky The fact is we fight with too dull imthere will be such a hostannia among plements. We hack and we maul when his friends and such a wailing among we ought to make a clean stroke. Let us go over among sharp business men his enemies as will make the earth tremble and the heavens sing. I see and among sharp literary men and now the plumes of the Lord's cavalfind out what their tact is and then transfer it to the cause of Christ. If rymen tossing in the air. The archthey have science and art, it will do angel before the throne has already burnished his trumpet, and then he In other words, let us employ the will put its golden lips to his own, and world's grindstones. We will listen to he will blow the long, loud blast that their music, and we will watch their will make all the nations free. Clap acumen, and we will use their grind your hands, all ye people! Hark! stones and will borrow their philohear the falling thrones and the dashing down of demolished iniquities ophical apparatus to make our philo sophical experiments, and we will bor "Halleluiah, the Lord Go5d omnipot ent reigneth! Halleluiah, the king row their printing presses to publish our Bibles, and we will borrow their doms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord Jesus Christ!" ships to transport our missionaries. That was what made Paul such a mas-

MAUGERVILLE.

A Man of Many Accidents-Social at Burton.

fare, quoted their poetry and grasped MAUGERVILLE, Sunbury Co., Feb their logic and wielded their eloquenc -Charles Brown met with another and employed their mythology unti accident of Tuesday night by falling Dionysius the Areopagite, learned in through a trap-door into the cellar. the schools of Athens and Heliopolis He was picked up unconscious. A went down under his tremendous pow bad shaking up and a sprained tarsus is the result. Dr. Atherton attended That was what gave Thomas Chal him. The Misses Stella and Dora Atmers his power in his day. He con kinson of St. Mary's Ferry are stayquered the world's astronomy and ing with Miss Gertrude Haines, who is caring for Mr. Brown.

Deacon G. C. Miles's condition is somewhat improved, and hope is entertained of his recovery. John Cox is convalescent from his attack of la

The W. A. A. of Burton held a social at the spacious residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Clowes on Thursday night. There was a large attendance and increased receipts.

H. B. Hetherington will deliver a lecture in the Temperance hall here on Friday evening, the 16th, in aid of the building fund of the new Baptis church.

Advertise in the Semi-Weekly Sun.

15. The woman saith unto him, Sir. give me this water, that I thirst not, neither come (o) hither to draw. 16. Jesus saith unto her. Go. call thy husband, and come hither.

17. The woman answered and (p) said, I have no husband. Jesus (q) said unto her, Thou (q) hast well said,

I have no husband: 18. For thou hast had five husbands; and he whom thou now hast is not thy husband: (r) in that saidst thou truly. 19. The woman saith unto him, Sir, perceive that thou art a prophet. 20. Our fathers worshipped in this

mountain; and ye say, that in Jerusalem is the place where men ought to worship. 21. Jesus saith unto her, Woman, believe me, the hour cometh, when ye

shall neither in this mountain, nor (s) vet at Jerusalem, worship the Father. 22. Ye worship (t) ye know not what: we know what we worship; for salvation is (u) of the Jews. 23. But the hour cometh, and now

is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: (v) for the Father seeketh such to worship him.

24. God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth. 25. The woman saith unto him.

know that (w) Messias cometh, which is called Christ, when he is come, he will (x) tell us all things. 26. Jesus saith unto her. I that speak unto thee am he.

REVISION CHANGES.

Ver. 5. (a) So he cometh. (b) Omit which is. Ver. 6. (c) And. (d) Margin: Gr. spring: and so in v. 14, but not in vs. 11, 12. (e) Margin: Or, as he was. (f) By the well. Ver. 8. (g) Food, no parenthesis.

Ver. 9. (h) The Samaritan woman therefore saith. (i) A Samaritan woman. (j) Supply parenthesis. Ver. 12. (k) Sons.

Ver. 13. (1) Every one that drinketh. Ver. 14. (m) Shall become. (n) Uno eternal life. Ver. 15. (o) Come all the way hither

Ver. 17. (p) Said unto him. (q) Saith saidst well. Ver. 18. (r) This hast thou said truly. Ver. 21. (s) Nor in.

Ver. 22. (t) That which ye know not: we worship that which we know (u) From. Ver. 23. (v) For such doth the Father seek to be his worshippers. Ver. 25. (w) Messiah. (x) Declare

LIGHT ON THE TEXT.

Jacob gave to his son-(Gen. 48: 22.) 7. A woman of Samaria-Not of the city of Samaria, but a Samaritan woman. To draw water-She came not to draw water for the city, but for the laborers in the fields, sowing or reap-

unto us.

ing. 9. Jews have no dealings with the Samaritans-No free social intercourse, but they would buy and sell. They have rival forms of religion, rival

temples. 10. Living water-Flowing as from fountain. The Holy, Spirit bestowing spiritual life (John 7: 37). 13. Shall thirst again-The supply may give out. The thirst may become

painful. The soul is never fully satisfied with earthly things, and the time comes when they leave the soul, in its greatest need, dying of thirst.

PARKER-At Tynemouth Creak, St. John Co., on Feb. 5th, John S. Parker, in the eighty-sixth year of his age. PHTERS-At Young's Core Road, Queens Co., N. B., Tuesday, Feb. 6th, 1900, of pneumonia, Minnie Peters, aged 22 years, a native of Bristol, England, and for the last ten years a resident of that place. Str Indianan Furness, Withy and Co, Str Bengore Head, 1619, Brennan, from Dublin via Ardrossan, Wm Thomson and Sch Garfield White, 99. Seeley, from New York J E Moore, coal.

Sch Garfield White, a. Schult, 40, Hicks, York J E Moore, coal. Coastwise-Schs Vesta Pearl, 40, Hicks, from Westport; Bay Queen, 31, Barry, from Beaver Harbor; Alma, 69, Whelpley, from Harry Morris, 98, McLean, from time: Harry Morris, 98, McLean, from last ten years a resident of that beloved and respected by all who Alma; Harry Morris, 98, McLean Quaco; Glide, 80, Tufts, from Quaco.

Clearco.

Feb 6-Sch Rewa, McLean, for City Island f o. Coastwise-Schs E H Foster, Wilcox, for

Digby. Feb. 7.-Sch Harry, Patterson, for Baltimore. Feb 2-Str Lake Huron, Jones, for Liver

rool via Halifax. Str St Croix, Pike, for Boston. Coastwise-Schs Vesta Pearl, Hicks, for Westport; Reta and Rhoda, Leighton, for Grand Harbor; Princess Louise, Watt, for

Watt, for North Head.

> BRITISH PORTS. Arrived.

At Newcastle, NSW, Feb 6, bark Still-water, Thurber, from Zanzibar. At Barbados, Jan 14, sch Mystery, Rich-ards, from Pernambuco (and sailed 17th for Corthagena): 21st brie Wenturer Fernanards, from Pernambuco (and sailed 17th for Carthagena): 21st, brig Venturer, Fernan-dez, from Conakry (and sailed 22nd for Ja-maica and New York): 26th, schs, Exception, Barteaux, from Montevideo for New York; Glenrosa, Card, from, Natal, Brazil, for do; Bahama, Anderson, from Cape Town. At Port Spain, Jan 12, sch B C Borden, Taylor, for Fernandina (and remained 18th); 14th, brig W E Stowe, Smeltzer, from Lun-enburg, NS (and sailed 17th for Porto Rico); 18th, sch F B Wade, Day, from Lun-enburg, NS, via Barbados.

enburg, NS, via Barbados. At Kingston, Ja, Jan 23, sch Syanara Vernor, from Pascagoula; 26th, str Beta

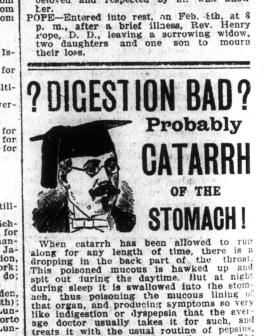
Vernor, from Pascagoula; 2011, 517 Determined Hopkins, from Halifax via Bermuda and Turk's Island (and sailed 50th for Halifax via Port Morant, etc); sch Attractor, Scott, from Pascagoula via Cayman Brac; 27th, Elma. Baker, from Pascagoula. Sailed.

From Newcastle, NSW, Feb 5, bark Low Wood, Utley, for Acapulco, From Swansea, Feb. 3, stmrs Bristol City, Sandell, for New York; Zanzibar, Robinson, for Pensacola. From Barbados, Jan. 14, scha Sha Brothers, Renault (from Jordan Ru for Demerara; 16th, F B Wade, Day, Shafne River), ay, for van, for for Demerita, Jota, F. Buward, Donovan, for Yarmouth: 24th, brig Dixon Rice, Deveau, for San Domingo and New York. From Turk's Island, Feb 5, ship Fred E Scammell, Morris, for New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.

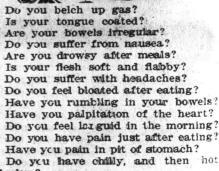
Arrived. At New London, Conn, Feb 4, sch Ira D Sturgiss, from Port Johnson for Newport. At Port Clyde, Feb 2, sch Annie M Allen, from St John for New York. At New York, Feb 3, sch Nim.od, Haley, from South Amboy for Sound port; 4th, str Mariposa, Walker, from Sunderland. At Barcelona, Feb 1, bark Calburga, Dens-more from Newport News At Barcelona, Feb 1, bark Calburga, Dens-more, from Newport News. At Hollo, Dec. 24, bark Strathisla, Urqu-hart, from Newcastle, NSW. At Fernandina, Feb 5, sch John S Parker, Gesner, from Las Palmas. At Mobile, Feb 5, schs Bessie Parker, Carty, from Bermuda; Boniform, Jones, Carty, from from Cardenas, from Cardenas, Cuba. At Pascagoula, Feb. 5, sch Vere B Rob-At Pensacola, Feb 5, sch Sierra, Willey At Pensacola, Feb 5, Feh Storra, White, from Havana. At Pensacola, Feb 5, bark Annie Bingay, Otterson, from Babia. At Buenos Ayres, Jan 6, bark Africa, Fielden, from Boston. At Port Clyde, Me, Feb 3, sch Beaver Huntley, from St John, NB, for New York. Cleared. At Fernandina, Feb 5, sch W R Huntley, Howard, for Basse Terre, B W I. At Mobile, Feb 5, schs Etta A Stimpson, Hogan, for Sagua la Grande; G E Bentley, Yood, for Havana your eyes? Sailed. From Salem, Feb 3, sch Abbey K Bentley,

From Carteret, Feb 3, sch Gypsum Queen, Goodwin, for St Andrews, NB. From Ecothbay, Feb 4, sch Wendall Bur-Fee, for Boston. From New Bedford, Feb 2, str J J Hill, or Norfolk. for Norfolk. From Buenos Ayres, Dec 29, bark Vero-nics, McLeod, for New York. From Natal, Jan 15, sch Glenrosa, Card, for New York. From Norfolk, l'eb 5, sch Annie Bliss, From Portland, Feb 4, str Aureole, Cros-by, for Philadelphia (not previously.) From Buenos Ayres, Jan 5, bark Veron-



treats it with the usual routine of pepsins, pancreatin, acids, alkalis, soda. etc. The result, of course, is a feilure of a. etc. The tesult, of course, is a failure, never any het-ter than temporary relief being produced. The following are the symptoms of catarrh of the stomach:





flushes? Do you have a desire for imprope fcod?

Is there a sour or sweet taste in the nouth?

Is there a gnawing sensation in stomach?

Do you feel as if you had lead in stomach

Do you feel faint when stomach is empty? Do you see specks floating before

Have you feeling of emptiness in

nyorning? Have you a burning in back part of throat, called heartburn?

If you have some of the above symptoms and want to get cured, mark yes or no after each, cut out, and send to Dr. Sproule, he will then thoroughly diagnose your case, and if curable tell you how much his treat-

ment would cost. All remedies for Canadian patients in Can-aca are shipped from his laboratory there so as to save sustoms duties.

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