

Blue Ribbon Custom Tea

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SIXTH ST. TORONTO

A PESSIMISTIC WRITER LONDON END OF

He Sees All Sorts of Trouble Ahead of Lord Kitchener— News To-Day is Mostly Favorable to the British— Lord Roberts Nearing Gibraltar.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—(2.30 a.m.)—The pessimistic view of the despatches from South Africa give rise to renewed anxiety. Apparently the disturbed area of Cape Colony extends further south than it did last December, and the Boers do not appear to have had much success as yet in driving back the invaders.

YEOMANRY CAPTURED.

A Squadron Led into a Trap While Pursuing the Retreating Boers
From Britstown.

Cape Town, Dec. 26.—A squadron of Yeomanry which had been following the Boers from Britstown is reported to have been captured. There were several casualties, it is said, and the remainder of the force was captured.

British Again Pressing Dewet.

Massey, Dec. 26.—The British are pressing Commandant Dewet in the Ladysburg district.

Kitchener Comforts Loyalists.

Cape Town, Dec. 26.—Gen. Kitchener has left Naanpoort and gone northwards. The rapid concentration of troops in the district has caused some uneasiness among the loyalists. General Kitchener has allayed the 'real' uneasiness.

Camp Callahan Dangerously Ill.

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—The following cable was received at the Militia Department today: Cape Town, Dec. 26.—Camp Callahan, 1st Canadian Mounted Rifles, dangerously ill at Pretoria. (Signed) Milner.

Proclamation Issued.

Lord Kitchener, according to a despatch from Johannesburg, has issued a proclamation dated Pretoria, Dec. 20, announcing that burghers who voluntarily surrender will be allowed to live with their families in the Government laagers until such time as guerrilla warfare has sufficiently abated to permit their removal to their homes. The proclamation also provides that all property and stock in the hands of the burghers will be respected and paid for if requisitioned by the military authorities.

CADUARY SUSPECT, "PAT" CROWE, HAS BEEN SEEN IN MISSOURI

A Policeman of St. Joseph Spoke to Him, But Permitted Him to Escape—Millionaire Father Believes Identity of the Leading Kidnappers Will Be Established.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 27.—"It is very probable that 'Pat' Crowe is in this city," it is said by a reliable source, who adds that he will be captured before morning.

Chief of Detectives Daniel Shea made this statement tonight, but refused to take any further action. The police department has been making diligent search of the city for the man who is suspected of being concerned in the kidnaping of a 17-year-old son of Edward A. Caduary of Omaha.

One of the detectives working on the case tonight said: "If Crowe has any considerable part of the \$25,000 given by Mr. Caduary, friends in St. Joseph will keep him concealed so effectively that the whole police department cannot get him. It has been done before on occasions when he got a lot of money."

Crowe was at the Donovan Hotel here two weeks ago, according to Chief of Detectives Shea, and two days later was at another hotel. He was well dressed, and appeared to have plenty of money. He met a woman here, and from her the detective has been able to obtain valuable information.

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BANQUET AT MALVERN.

Pte. George Little of the First Company Given a Flattering Reception by His Friends.

Malvern, Dec. 26.—A banquet was held tonight at the home of Mrs. Lawrence, two miles east of here, in honor of the return of Pte. George Little of the first contingent of the Liverpool and the Scarborough Regiments. The banquet was given by the members of the first contingent, and was a most successful one. Pte. Little is a member of both organizations.

SULTAN SAYS "NO MERCY"

Orders His General to Crush at Any Cost the Growing Albanian Revolt.

Moscow, Dec. 26.—The Turkish Sultan has ordered his general to crush at any cost the Albanian peasant rebellion in Italy in Greece. Gen. Edhem Pasha, who is in command of the Albanian forces, has been ordered to take the most energetic measures for the suppression of the revolt. The Sultan has directed that no quarter should be given.

Investment—For Comfort and Good Looks.

Fur-lined coats that they need hardly be classed in list of luxuries any more, and they are such a comfortable garment, so matter what price you choose to pay, but is your object to get the most for your money in picking one. Fairweather's \$4.50 (Yong) has a splendid lot of them, all tailored shells and lined with muskrat, mink or seal. Persian lamb or other trimmings, \$6.00 up.

Have Lunch in New Dining-Room.

Thomas English Chop House, King St.

Richest Texas Rancher.

Garlston, Texas, Dec. 26.—A. H. Pierce, the richest cattle man in Texas, died today at Fort Worth. He was a millionaire, with widespread interests in Texas.

Edwards and Hart-Smith, Chartered.

Commercial Bank of Toronto

Lady Dorothea Dies.

The most exquisite perfume of the century. A free sample ladies at Bingham's Pharmacy, 100 Yonge St.

Cook's Turkish Baths, 204 King W.

CASTLES TAKE THE AGGRESSIVE

Catholic and Protestant Lumbermen in Maine Come to Blows on Christmas Eve.

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CAPE-TO-CAIRO TELEGRAPH LINE GETTING GRADUALLY FORWARD TOWARDS COMPLETION.

OPERATING 1300 MILES.

With 750 Miles Yet to Be Built Before Connection is Made With Khartoum.

FOUR MONTHS TO BUILD 50 MILES.

Following the Cape-to-Cairo Telegraph Line the Cape-to-Cairo Railroad.

London, Dec. 26.—A despatch from Durban to a news agency here announces that the Cape-to-Cairo telegraph line is now in operation to a point 100 miles north of Katanga and 100 miles beyond the southern line of Lake Tanganyika.

THE CHURCH IS A HOSPITAL.

Says Dr. Parker—Christians Are Becoming Invalids—Nurses Want to be Paid.

London, Dec. 26.—The Rev. Dr. Parker, pastor of the City Temple, referred in the course of his Christmas sermon to his own experience of the church as a hospital. He said that the church was becoming a hospital, and that the church was becoming a hospital.

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FIFTEEN HUNDRED REFORMERS

MASSACRED BY CHUNG HI TUNG

Chinese Viceroy Invited Twenty-Seven Leaders and Twelve Thousand Armed Followers of Kang Yu Wei Into a City, Beheads Officers and Kills Others—History Repeated.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—A special from Vancouver, B.C., to The Record says: News of the massacre of 1500 members of the reform movement in China and the beheading of 27 leaders which received here to-day by a cable by W. A. Cunyow, secretary of the Chinese Reform Association in America.

Invites Reform Leaders to Call.

It appears from the few details given in the cable received that Tung Mu, the reform leader at the head of a badly armed force of 12,000 men, paid a visit to Chung Hi Tung, the governor of the district, who as an imperial officer, was believed to be sympathetic with the reform movement. Tung was invited to the Governor's palace, and with his 12,000 men marched into the city. The reformers left all their arms outside the gates, taking the precaution

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Laurens.	New York.	Glasgow.
Cowan.	New York.	Philadelphia.
Shannon.	Glasgow.	Portland.
Penland.	Liverpool.	New York.
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A Parishian Despatch States the Chinese Lost a Thousand and Many Villages.

CHINESE LOSE A THOUSAND.

Paris, Dec. 26.—A despatch to the Havas Agency from Pekin, dated Dec. 25, says the Chinese troops in the direction of the south of Peking have been defeated. The Chinese loss is estimated at 1,000 men.

HEAVY HOLIDAY TRAFFIC.

Yesterday was another busy day on the railway. Outgoing and incoming traffic was heavy, and the streets were thronged with people who were returning from their holiday excursions.

THE CAR IN WELL AGAIN.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 26.—The Russian Minister of the Interior, M. Sviyazhskiy, who arrived here today, has announced that the car in which he was traveling was in good condition.

CHINESE CHIEFS REASSURED.

Gen. Winstone Promised that Their Rights and Customs Would Be Respected.

OLD FELLOWS' CONCERT.

An event which has always made New Year's party in the Oddfellows' concert at the Grand Opera House.

AN EXCHANGE OF PULPITS.

Hamilton, Dec. 26.—Rev. George F. Sator of the Wesleyan Church has accepted an invitation to succeed Rev. Dr. Rose as pastor of the Wesleyan Church in Toronto.

JOHNSTON CRUISE IN TOWN.

Johnston's cruise, Toronto top, who is less player in Brock's Chicago Marine Band is spending a week with his friends in Toronto.

ALDERMAN FOR WARD 3.

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CEREMONIAL AND CITY CHIMES TOSHER IN THE NEW CENTURY

Manager Pearson Wants Carbon Co. Held—Gas Will Be Supplied to Feb. 1—Sullivan Street Stands Inviolable After a Spirited Fight—A Salary Bylaw.

Council was to have held its final meeting yesterday, but the Mayor committed himself definitely to the necessity for yet another—which will be positively the last appearance.

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On the motion of Ald. J. K. Leslie it was decided: "That the Board of Control be requested to arrange a suitable demonstration to inaugurate the new century by the ringing of the new City Hall bells at midnight on New Year's eve and such other ceremonies as the Board of Control may deem suitable to the occasion."

The resolution was made the subject of some irrelevant remarks, but was passed unanimously.

Ald. Leslie's Retirement. Ald. Lamb proposed a motion of appreciation of the public services of Ald. J. K. Leslie during the period of the Council, but Ald. McMurtry pointed out that there would be another meeting of the Council and the resolution would be more appropriate at the final meeting.

Ald. Lamb, however, pressed his motion, and the rules were suspended upon a division. The motion itself was carried unanimously, the preliminary discussion being strictly about a difference of view of the Mayor and the Board of Control.

Ald. Lamb said he would reserve his reply to the terms of the resolution until the final meeting of Council.

Lighting Contract Again. The Board of Control met at 10 o'clock yesterday to put the contract of the Carbon Light and Power Company through. Mr. Crave had returned from Philadelphia with further amendments to the contract. Those were accepted by the board as providing labor both skilled and otherwise to the full amount of the provisions contained in the bylaw.

The following are the provisions as Mr. Crave submitted them: The next thing to consider was getting the consent of the Consumers' Gas Company to continue the present service till the 1st of February, when the Carbon Company will inaugurate the new lighting. The board decided to wait till the 1st of February and to meet again in the afternoon.

Mr. Pearson expressed them very favorably, and said he would recommend his board to continue the present service at the proportionate cost as long as the contract required.

Union Wages for Skilled Labor. The company agree that they will pay to all mechanics, workmen and laborers to be employed by them in the execution of the contract, except those engaged in the lighting, extinguishing and cleaning lamps, the union or prevailing rate of wages for such work as the said mechanics, workmen and laborers may be engaged upon.

The rate of wages prevailing at the date of the specifications accompanying the tender for the work covered by this contract, and that the said wages shall remain at said rate until the completion of said contract; provided that the company shall be required to pay only for as many hours as they actually work under the contract.

When the Board of Control met at 2 o'clock a resolution was carried embodying Manager Pearson's consent.

When Council met the following was passed: That this Council authorize a contract between the corporation and Consumers' Gas Company to continue the lighting of the streets by the present lamps, or such of them as may be from time to time replaced, to Feb. 1, 1901, at a cost not in excess of the present contract.

In his letter, Manager Pearson says: "I am instructed to say that the Gas Company will accept the terms of the contract, and will light the city streets as heretofore for the additional month upon the same terms and conditions as a by-law now held by the City for the same purpose of the existing contract to terminate on Dec. 31. Also that the contract between this company and the Carbon Light and Power Company be executed before the end of the present year, and a undertaking of the Carbon Company to continue the lighting of the city streets as heretofore, and of course, that the account of the company against the City for the quarter ending the 31st of Dec. is to be paid as usual. I understand from you and the other representatives of our respective companies that these conditions would be acceptable, but I shall be obliged if you will let me have an official letter to that effect."

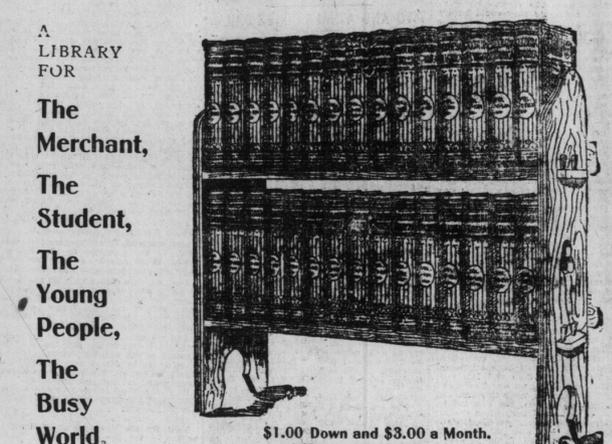
Manager Hill's Kick. At the meeting of Council a letter was read from Manager H. J. Hill of the Industrial Exhibition Association. The Board of Directors had instructed him to ask that the Industrial Exhibition be conducted more expeditiously than is at present being done. He also asked for an increase in the amount allowed or excess amount read except the same be filed and the name of the correspondent be given. The Director of the Industrial Exhibition, but with the complaints shall be specific and supported by the names of the complainants.

Butchers and Licensees. A deputation of butchers, are appointed by the secretary of the Butchers' Association, presented the following petition: "The retail butchers, who are now situated in all parts of the city for public convenience, are compelled to carry their business there all the unsuitable summer months, properly equip their shops, retain their stock, and keep their horses in the winter. The speculative licentiate or transient butcher need not purchase licenses or other expensive fixtures required in the summer season. The butchers who do business all the year round are compelled to assist in procuring fair, legitimate trade by changing the present by-law regarding licenses so that all licenses shall expire on the last day of April, following the date of issue, and that all licenses shall be paid and payable on the 1st day of May of each year, and if the license is not obtained on or before the 15th of May they cannot be obtained at any other time during that year, and all licenses issued shall specify the place or places at which the person obtaining the same may carry on business, and such business shall not be conducted in any other place or place other than that designated in the license, and no person or persons shall be allowed to sell any goods or articles of any kind at any place other than the place designated in the license, and every person receiving such license shall keep his place open for business every day of the year from the date of the issue thereof. But should any person re-

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Small Trade and Little News at Chicago Yesterday.

The English Markets Closed-Paris Markets Open-Corn for January Delivery-Lowest Local Grain and Produce-Notes and Gossip.

World Office. Wednesday Evening, Dec. 26. The English markets were still closed today.

Chicago wheat futures today closed 1/2c to 3/4c lower than on Saturday. Corn options showed a decline.

Visible and Afloat. As compared with a week ago, the visible supply of wheat in Canada and the United States has increased.

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Chicago, Dec. 26. Receipts—Receipts, 25,000; good to prime steers, \$2.25 to \$2.50; poor to medium, \$1.75 to \$2.00.

