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terrific hail of bullets.

20 in killed and wounded."

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

CLEARING THEM OUT.

fired a few shots and cleared off.

LOOTED BY BOERS.

COL. OTTER TWICE SHOT.

warrant, which he obtained as Inspector. Thereupon (the next day) he states, that he reported the matter to the police committee in writing and he has not yet heard of any investigation being made. If Col. McCulley states the circumstances correct'y, the police committee says :

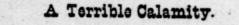
failed in its duty and its members should explain why they acted as he says they

It was said, just before Mr. McCulley esigned the position of Scott inspector, that the Chairman of the committee had occasion to intimate to him that unless he became more active and efficient in the discharge of his duties it would be necessary to replace him with

someone who would perform them better; that he expected the town policemen to hunt up information against those who were violating the Scott Act and give it to him ; that he seemed to assume that his part of the work was to lay the information, but not to serve the papers. In short, that he was to do, and practically did nothing for the salary of \$500 which his friends at the council had secured for

It was said also that the policemen were instructed by the committee to assist Mr. McCulley, when necessary, but

he was not to take them off their regular beats to do services which he himself ment says : could as well perform; that they took



Through fire, which began at 11 o'clock yes-

last night, all that remains of the City Hull, opposite Ottawa, are a few houses the east end of the city. The entire business part of the city, including the court house, post office, public buildings and newspaper offices, is and mass of ruins. The population is almost entirely composed of people who work in the mills or who derive their business from these workers. honor was given to the Canadians, who advanced very cleverly under Colonel Otter. The Boers reserved their fire

> The fire began about half a mile from the bridge across the Ottawa, and somewhat west of it. A heavy northeast wind prevailed. The Ottawa fire brigade went over and help was procured from the neighboring towns. Montreal also sent her brigade. Shortly after noon the lumber piles nearest the bridge were on fire, and at one o'clock the flames leaped the river below the falle and attacked Booth's lumber piles on the Ottawa side. A hard fight was made to save the Eldy mills, consisting of several stone buildings, some on each side of the road, which crossed the bridge and all on the Hull side of the river.

They went one after another, the lumber mill, the establishment making tubs and pails, the great match factory and the paper A despatch to the Daily Mail from mill. The whole, with machinery and Thaba N'chu, describing the same engagegoods, representing a value of probably \$1,000,000, including lumber. Nothing

amount will be received from England, as the sympathy there for the sufferers. manifested by the inquiries of Her Majesty the Queen and the cable from Hon. Joseph

Chamberlain, will be intense. All the title deeds in the registry office at Hull were destroyed and this will complicate matters greatly. The list of dead, reported dead, and missing is as follows :

Mrs. Bessie Cook, Wellington street. remated in her own house. Unknown man, found on Broad

harred beyond recognition Uaknown man, found in C. P. R. station yard, severely burned. John Mattnews, 15 Division street, report-

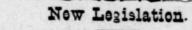
ed dead. John Temple, Somerset street, missing Daoust, Water street, Ottawa, night watchman for E. B. Eldy & Co., reported

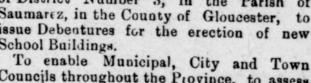
lton, of Hull, missing. Many were injured, principally by burns

hurt by falling debris, but so far as known none fatally. The homeless are placed at 12,000. They are cared for at the drill hall which was given for this purpose by the government.

the exhibition grounds, and in fields under canvas. The tents were supplied by the militia department.

The leading business men of the city, and, in fact, all classes who can afford it at all, are giving of their means to relieve the distressed. Over one thousand dollars Company. had been collectel by one of the evening





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Maritime Provinces. To provide for defraying certain Expenses of the Civil Government of the Province. To provide for the repair and improvement of Roads and Bridges, and other Public Works and Services. In addition to The Public Health Act.

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the County of Northumberland. To incorporate "The College of the Sacred Heart," Caraquet. Relating to The Maritime Sulphite Fibre

Company, (Limited.) Fireman Dean and Engineer Peter Ham Relating to "J. B Snowball Company, Limited.)

To incorporate "The New Brunswick and scorching. Several were reported as Cold Storage Company, Limited." To amend "The Woodmen's Lien Act, 1894.

In further amendment of Chapter 3 of the Act of Assembly 52nd Victoria. intituied "An Act to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Elections to the General Assembly. In further amendment of The Highways

Act, 1896. To amend Chapter 100 of the Consolidated

Statutes, 'Rates and Taxes.' To incorporate the Bathurst Power Company. To incorporate The Bathurst Boom

Relating to the Town of Chatham.

themselves.

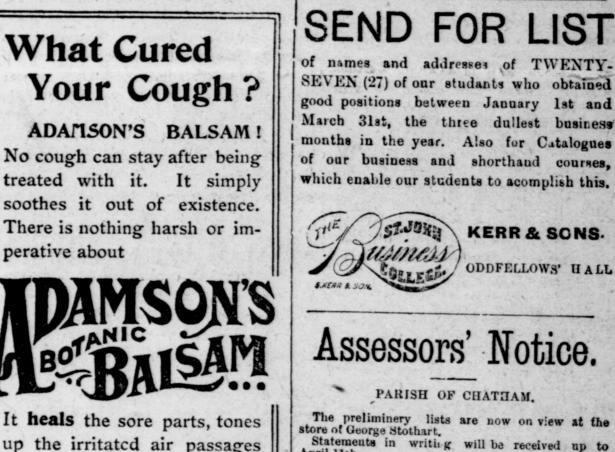
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opening at all.

Pure bred Burkshire pigs

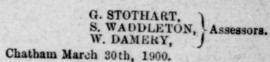
farm, or apply to

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up the irritated air passages April 11th The Assessors will meet at the office of G. Stothart on Wednesda, afternoons, April 4th, 11th and 18th, to hear objections to said valuation. and strengthens the bronchial tubes - thus stopping the sources of the cough.

AMHERST, N. S.



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N. S.

when Colonel Otter was struck twice, one bullet inflicting a nasty, but not dangerous wound in the neck and the other tearing the badges from his shoulder. But he still cheered his men on until the kopjes were carried. The Boers bolted. The British losses were

terday forenoon, and raged until 9 30 o'clock LONDON, April 30-1 special despatch from Thaba N'chu, daved Thursday, describing the fight at Israel's Poort, which is about seven miles west of Thaba N'chu. CANADIANS TO THE FORE. "Three hundred Boers were strongly entrenched on two kopjes. The place of

The fire crossed the Ottawa in the afternoon, took hold among the lumber piles on the brink of the river and extended to the lumber yards and mills.

until the Canadians had reached the wire entanglements. Then they opened with a "The Canadians, however, had taken good cover and were not greatly damaged They were ably supported by the Grahamstown Horse. Successive rushes brought them right up to the kopjes,

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Dated the twenty ninth day of January A.D. 1900.

ground that if they were rekopjes all day from three positions. quired to hunt up all the evidence Boer positions were extremely necessary to secure convictions and serve all the papers, they and not Mr. Mc-Culley should be paid for performing the

commanding a vast extent of country. duties of Scott Act Inspectors. "The mounted infantry made a wide It will, therefore, be interesting to the turning movement, while the foot in-

ratepayers of the town to know exactly fantry advanced within 2,000 yards under and, authoritatively, what the circumgood shelter. stances were which led to Mr. McCulley's "During the afternoon the battle be

resignation. came general and extended over

One fact cannot be ignored : It is that | frontage of 10 miles. The rifle, Maxim violations of the Scott Act were more and artillery firing was deafening. frequently punished before Mr. Mc-

Culley's appointment as well as since his resignation. That is prima facie evidence against his efficiency in the discharge of

fire, they took shelter in a donga. When his duties. If, however, the committee they finally captured the kopjes the Boers permitted obstacles to be put in his way, were seen retiring north and east with as he intimates they did, it would place wagons ; and, subsequently when the inthe onus of his failure on them. fantry made a dash, the rest of the enemy

FREIGHTS:- London Timber Trades Journal of 21st Apr.l says :-

the stores and hotels all looted by the "Deal rates from British North America are very firm, as high as 60s, per Boers. The natives complained of having their horses and cattle stolen and of cruel standard having been quoted from the St.

Lawrence to Garston. A steamer, 750 treatment. The English residents were subject to taunts and insults. register, was fixed at Liverpool on Wednesday, Miramichi to Cardiff, 503. From "I learned that yesterday Boer rein-Montreal the current rate of 55s. for deals forcements from Brandfort came too late shews a heavy rise on the rate of 37s. 6d. to assist their comrades. We found a

last year."

inadvisable to send any more troops to THE CANADIAN EXHIBIT at the Paris Fourteen Streams, as the federals were Exposition will be a thoroughly represenalready too weak between Bloemfontein tative one, and Mr. J. M. Macoun, who is in charge of it says it has been preparand Kroonstad and because there were ed on strictly commercial lines. There 50,000 British at Bloemfontein. The farmers around here have all been forced are no less than 80 polished specimens of the woods of the Dominion, and a very to rejoin the enemy. Most of them have interesting collection of photographs reptaken their sheep and cattle along." resentative of lumbering operations,-London, April 30-5 a. m.-The only

Timber Trades Journal. and sickness. From Washington.

Our Washington correspondent writes : The flood of newspaper despatches to Deputy Consul Adams, writing from day describing the recent operations Dawson City to the State Department, throws no light whatever upon the presays : "The Tanana district, just north | sent position of affairs or upon the great by east of Prince William Sound, Alaska, question as to when the main advance is is receiving considerable attention on to begin. The Standard's announcement account of the wonderful richness of its that General French's cavalry are return-

copper deposits. Prospectors report the ing to Bloemfontein is clear proof that

'The British artillery shelled Eddy's but the sulphite mill was saved. the Booth's great mills, which were expected to The produce over one hundred million feet of well lumber this season, were burned. This firm chosen, consisting of a long range of very must have had five or ten millions of pine steep hills, with narrow passes between, lumber piled below the bridge. This was worth \$10 to \$20 a thousand, as it is al seasoned stuff.

> Meanwhile the fire had worked its way further down stream on the Hull side, and before evening it had swept away every foot of lumber in Hull proper.

Shortly before noon things began to look dangerous for Ottawa. The fire that lodged on the south side of the river soon started, ground destroying the McKay flour mills, worth

\$500,000, the Western Lumber Co.'s mills, the "At 3 o'clock the Canadians advanced McKay Milling Co., the Ottawa Elec. Railway in open order, but, meeting with a terrific Co.'s power house, the Martin and Warnock mills, the Victoria Foundry, Ostawa Saw Works, Ottawa Specialty Co., Parr's planing

mills and several other industries. The Works department telegraphed to Montreal, Peterboro and B:ockville for fire apparatus and for all assistance that could

be sent. But these, although they arrived "On occupying Theba N'chu we found speedily, were of no avail. Nothing could stop the ravages of the fire, which lesped over whole blocks, and broke out in all

directions. The Canadian Pacific Railway depot, which is on the Chaudiere Flats, was among one of the first buildings to go, as it

was a wooden structure. The large cliff, which extends from the Ottawa river back to Christ Church and St. heliographic message f:om President Jean Baptist Church on the Rochesterville.

was the only thing which stopped the whole Steyn to General Botha, saying it was city of Ottawa from becoming a prey to the

flames. Shortly after noon the wind, which was blowing previously in an northeasterly direction, changed to a southeasterly direction, and in that way, what remains of

Ottawa, was saved. extreme east end, beyond the city limits.

near Gatineau Point, and the Eddy sulphite despatch from Lord Roberts published | mill. vesterday was the usual lists of deaths Among the fine residences destroyed were

and several others. ESCAPING BOERS.

It is probable that the burning of the

mills have deprived ten or twelve thousand people of employment. The Booth's alone kept 150 hands at this season, and Eddy has a force some two or three times as large, but composed partly of girls, while the Booths' were mostly able and skilled men.

newspapers at noon to-day. This morning an unknown man was found burned to a crisp on Wellington street.

The amount of lumber burned is estimated as follows :-J. R. Booth, 16,000 000 feet.

Hull Lumber Company, from five to six million feet.

Gilmour & Hughson, over one million feet. Export Lumber Company, from four to five million feet.

J. R. Booth's mill was fire proof and will be running in a few days. All his offices and outside buildings are burned to the Warehouses. Act of 1896.

There is not a bakery left in Hull to-day and bread has been sent from Ottawa. The two approaches to the bridge at the Chaudiere are burned away, and the iror structure which spans the river is standing, but is badly damaged, some of thereof. the iron work being badly twisted.

Hundreds of Hull's homeless citizens elept out in the open last evening, their only covering being the scant clothing which they had saved from their dwellings. These are a poor class of people who work in the mills and have nothing to depend on but their small wages.

J. M. Champagne, M. P., Hull, is suffering from a fit of apoplexy to-day through the excitement of the fire. He lost a \$30. 000 house, which he purchased a few

> months ago. The insurance is said to be less than \$1.000,000.

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