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SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

Three Canadians Added to the Death Roll.

Ottawa, February 11.—Three more young Canadians have offered up their lives in the cause of the empire and British liberty. His excellency was advised today by the casualty department at Cape Town of the deaths of Thomas Trickey and W. E. Hodgkinson, at Bloemfontein, and R. J. Stobe at Heidelberg. All were members of the South African constabulary. Trickey came from Beulah, Manitoba, Hodgkinson from Kincardine, Ontario, and Stobe from Scarborough, Ont. Enteric fever was the cause of death in each case.

London, Feb. 10.—A report received from Lord Kitchener at Pretoria shows last week to have been the liveliest week, with the heaviest losses on both sides for several months past. Lord Kitchener gives the Boer casualties a total of 69 killed, fifty-seven surrendered and 574 taken prisoners. The British captured 480 rifles, one pom-pom and the usual grist of munitions and live stock. The most serious British loss during the week was the capture of 60 donkey wagons, convoyed by 160 troops. At a point 30 miles from Beaufort West, Cape Colony, the enemy swooped down on the donkey wagons and cut up the convoy before assistance arrived. They were able to remove only twelve of the wagons and burned the rest. In this engagement the British lost 2 officers and 11 men killed and 1 officer and 47 men wounded.

The Boers also rushed a detachment of 100 men of Col. Doran's column, the night of Feb. 3, when the British lost 3 officers and 7 men killed and 17 men wounded.

Von Donop surprised Potgieter's laager, near Wolmaranstad, Transvaal Colony, Feb. 7, killing 3 Boers and capturing 36, as well as 25 wagons and live stock.

Fur Caps and Collars.

Lucy & Co. are in receipt of a case of men's fur caps and collars. They came direct from one of the best manufacturers in Canada. They simply wish to remind those in need of a good fur cap or collar that it will be worth their while to examine these goods before completing their purchases. They also wish to say to those that purchased suits of clothes, overcoats, &c., that another case of watches have arrived and are now ready for those who are entitled to them.—d.

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If you are still struggling with disease and sickness, dear reader, give this best of medicine a trial at once; it will, we assure you, fully meet your case.

Charles Stewart, son of Colonel Stewart, of Halifax, a retired Imperial officer, has obtained a commission in the Imperial Yeomanry of London. Stewart was formerly a member of the Northwest Mounted Police, and left the corps at Regina to join the Canadian Mounted Rifles, but Colonel Evans, it is said, would not accept him. Young Stewart, however, was determined to go to South Africa, and just before the trooper Manhattan sailed he got aboard and stowed away. He was discovered before the trooper got to sea and was put ashore in the pilot's dory, off Chebucto Head. He returned to Halifax and sailed for England on the first mail steamer.

Better a dinner of herbs

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At the annual meeting of Sunbury County L.O.L., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: C.E. Duplisea D.C.M.; D.H. Smith, Chap.; W.O. Patterson, Treas.; Rev F.S. Hartley, Rec. Sec.; Abner Smith, Fin. Sec.; D.A. Duplisea, Lect.; J.A. Duplisea, D of C; John E. Patterson, P.C.M.; J. Ambrose Duplisea, Geo. Mott.

Rev H.F. Adams, who has charge of the Baptist forward movement, by which \$50,000 is to be raised in the Maritime Provinces for missions, reports that the work of collecting is getting on well. Subscriptions are being obtained at the rate of about \$100 a day, but it is expected that will be increased after the movement gets into full swing.

An Embarrassing Query.

In a city where children above the age of five years have to pay full fare on the tramscars while those who are younger go free the passengers in a car saw one day a rather large boy, looking seven years old at least, held in his mother's lap as though he were a baby. The big child seemed restless about something.

Presently he cried: "Mamma! Mamma!" The mother, as if with a premonition of something wrong, tried to hush him, but he still kept saying: "Mamma! Mamma!"

"Well, what is it?" she asked at last. "Mamma, when do I have to say I'm only five?"

Then the passengers—some of them—laughed and the mother turned very red.—London Answers.

SHE PATIENTLY BORE DISGRACE

A Sad letter from a lady whose Husband was Dissipated.

How She Cured Him with a Secret Remedy.



DISAPPEARING WRITING.

The Way a Big Swindle Was Successfully Worked in Paris.

A number of Parisian financiers were recently defrauded of a very considerable sum of money by a swindler who relied for the success of his scheme entirely upon the peculiar properties of iodide of starch. Posing as a man of considerable wealth, whose money was tied up in such a manner that he could not realize without heavy losses and pretending to have the option of some valuable concessions in China, he obtained various large amounts of money in exchange for bills dated to stand for three months.

No one for a moment suspected that there was anything in the least degree shady about the man or his transactions, and when he made it public that he had been successful in selling his Chinese concession at a large profit his creditors felt absolutely certain that he would meet his bills.

To their immense surprise, however, when they came to look through their papers to find the bills they only found bills with blank spaces in the places where the swindler's name should have been and had actually been. They clamored round him for an explanation of the strange affair, but he denied that he had ever given any of them bills and defied them to sue him for repayment of the loans, and the fact that the bills were devoid of the swindler's signature rendered them absolutely worthless.

The matter was put into the hands of the police, who were able to discover that in signing the bills the man had used a solution of iodide of starch, which, when first used for writing, appears much the same as ordinary ink, but completely disappears in the course of a few weeks, and, although traces of the chemical may subsequently be discovered, nothing can make the writing show up again. Finding that his victims had discovered his method, the schemer decamped, despite the fact that the chances of the police obtaining a conviction against him were very remote indeed.

WAVES OF WATER.

Slow rivers flow at the rate of three to seven miles an hour.

The amount of water flowing out of the Nile is sixteen times that of the Thames.

The English channel is nowhere more than 900 feet deep. The Irish sea is 2,130 feet deep.

The largest gulf in the world is the gulf of Mexico—800,000 square miles—almost twice as big as the bay of Bengal.

The Parana of Brazil and Argentina is 2,200 miles in length and after the Amazon is the largest river in South America.

The shallowest of all seas are the Baltic and the Adriatic, which average only forty-three and forty-five yards' depth respectively.

Askani Chin, in Tibet, is the lake which lies at a greater height than any other in the world. Its level is 16,600 feet. The lowest is the Dead sea—1,290 feet below sea level.

A Judicial Retort.

Sir William Meredith, chief justice of Ontario, Canada, was formerly a very prominent politician as well as a famous lawyer. He was especially noted for his success as prosecuting attorney, and few criminals escaped conviction when he addressed the jury.

During one of his political campaigns he was speaking at a meeting in the city of London, his native town. The audience was turbulent and he was frequently interrupted. Finally a voice from the gallery cut into one of his finer flights with a sarcastic "Oh, go and get your hair cut!"

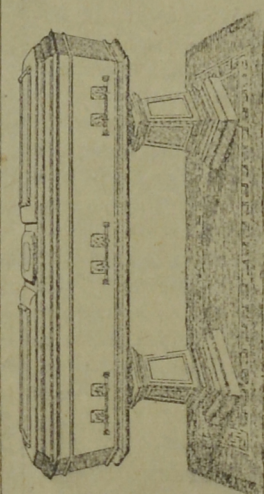
Sir William, who wore his hair somewhat longer than is usual, was stopped by a burst of laughter. But as soon as he was able to make himself heard he turned the laugh and won the audience by this reply: "My friend, if I'm not mistaken, I've had your hair cut before this!"

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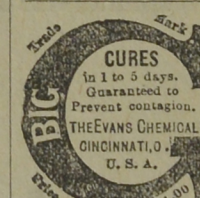
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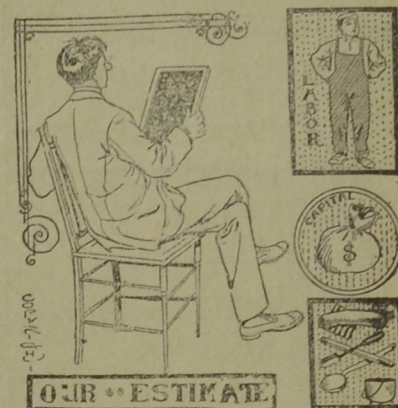
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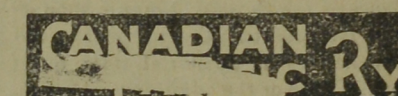


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9.20 a.m.—Accommodation for Fredericton Junction, connecting with Express for St. John and points east, and Accommodation for McAdam Junction.

4.00 p.m.—Accommodation for Fredericton Junction, connecting with Short Line Express for Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, and with the Imperial Limited from Montreal for the west. Northwest and Pacific Coast, also with Pullman express for Bangor, Portland, Boston, etc. St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Houlton, and Woodstock. Palace sleeper Fredericton Junction to Montreal and Levis, P. Q. Pullman sleeper Fredericton Junction to Boston.

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