

The Daily Herald.

VOL. VII.

FREDERICTON, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1902.

NO. 72

NO MISGIVINGS.

Lord Milner Says Settlement of South African Trouble

NEEDS ONLY PATIENCE AND RESOLUTION.

Johannesburg, Jan. 10.—The Town Council, the Chamber of Commerce and the Chamber of Mines gave a banquet at Heath's Hotel last night in honor of Lord Milner. Mr. St. John Carr, the acting mayor presided. Mr. Carr, in proposing a toast to the health of the guests, said Lord Milner was rightly regarded as the friend of everyone in South Africa. He had tried with patience and argument before the war to promote harmony, but an organized conspiracy frustrated his efforts, and the struggle ensued in which Johannesburg hastened to take a manly part. There was the greatest sympathy with the man who had borne the stress of office with patience, fortitude and patriotism. The toast was drunk with enthusiasm.

Lord Milner, in reply, thanked those present for their cordial reception, and also expressed his appreciation of the sincere words of the chairman. He felt deeply, he said, the welcome extended to him by the combined public bodies of Johannesburg, which met under such unique conditions. The country had been devastated by a lengthy war. All had suffered material losses, and there were other losses, human and personal. He hesitated, he said, to refer to the gaps in the ranks of the citizens. Some of the best known, respected and beloved, had gone; others not so well known had fallen victims to war in the field, or to its companion, pestilence, and their graves were scattered all over South Africa. He hoped to see a memorial, to these citizens erected in this city, which many believed cared only for gold. In his experience, he had found that it was second to none in respect for men. Although there had been losses, disappointments and anxieties in the past, he hoped that the spirit of the men would stow itself, and that they would brace themselves for the task of reconstructing. He felt that the storm cloud which had burst in the air had already cleared. Men breathed freely, and it would be impossible for folly and mismanagement to ever again bring similar disaster.

SETTLEMENT NOT DIFFICULT.

Lord Milner said there were still counsellors who desired another settlement similar to that after the battle of Majuba, but the people of Great Britain would have none of them. Still, they make a noise, darken counsel and weaken action. The majority of the people, while regretting the war, recognize its necessity, and will not be cheated of the results by a moment's despondency. The friends of the enemy, the governor said, pretended that the war would never end unless the British went on their knees to the enemy. It was his belief that the end would come quickest if there was no fidgeting about negotiations. It was useless either to threaten or wheedle. The only way was to keep squeezing the commandoes in the field and confine clemency to those who desired peace. Those who desired peace prophesied terrible things after the war. He remembered the time when they were always blubbering about Egypt. He himself did not believe in any terrible future for South Africa. The war itself had been an inconceivable difficulty. The statesman's task afterward would not be so difficult, and only required patriotism and resolution. All the danger was not here, but on the other side. Some people at home refused to see that the peoples of the sister colonies had no such doubts. They had been a great stand-by on battlefields, and were an equally valuable stand-by on political fields.

The pro-Boers, he said, considered only the Boers, morning, noon and night. It was Boers, Boers, Boers. There was no consideration for the rest of South Africa—the loyal British, the loyal Dutch, and those of the enemy who had accepted British rule. The moment a Boer surrendered the pro-Boers had no further interest in him. The mistake, however, was that the great British people were careless of their friends in South Africa. Never had there been such sacrifices by a distant section was conciliatory, and had no desire to cut up the Boers, but also had shrewder notions

as to how to conciliate them. Theorists at home, while conciliatory, were against a policy which would prove to pay better, that of fighting to the last gasp.

A GREAT FUTURE.

Lord Milner then spoke about the grand opportunities the country afforded for great civic life. The was a mistaken notion that it was a place only to get rich. It was a place of air and sunshine and fertile soil, which had not been spoiled and was capable of infinite improvement. It had extraordinary wealth and a liberated people. Strange, indeed, if this should fail to make one of the great cities of the world.

The danger, Lord Milner said was that "everyone was too busy to attend to civic duties." This could be avoided if the leaders realized what was at stake for Johannesburg, which was great in every sense. It meant a British Transvaal, and a British Transvaal would turn the scale in favor of the British in South Africa. His advice to the citizens was to pitch their ideal high. There should be no makeshifts, but a model city built for permanency. They could begin immediately to be of assistance to the government. Although not elected by the people, the council was representative. If the people would not encourage doubtful or ambitious schemes involving £4,000,000 or £5,000,000, but go ahead and spend all that was required to provide homes and comfort for the future population, in a few years even £5,000,000 might not be an extravagant figure for the city to contemplate.

WORK TO BE DONE.

Lord Milner said he was against particularism; he wished equally well to Pretoria and to the country and agricultural sections of the people. His duty was to all of South Africa. There was an enormous amount of work to be done, and it was not necessary to wait until the end of the war before beginning. While he was opposed to setting up civil government in opposition to military government, he favored the speediest resumption of the normal life, subject to the military requirements, that it was right and necessary for each man to do a part of the military duties. He was against giving fictitious importance to remnants of the enemy by allowing them to paralyze the industries of the country. The transition from war to peace would be gradual, but would be no worse for that. It was their duty now to prepare to work to lighten the stress of the feverish activity which prevailed after the war.

Lord Milner's speech was enthusiastically received.

At the conclusion the chairman proposed the health of Lord Kitchener, who was absent from the city. Lord Kitchener sent word that he could not be present, and expressed the hope that the army would soon finish its business in South Africa.

London Jan. 11.—Lord Milner's stirring speech at Johannesburg has given the liveliest satisfaction to his admirers here, who regard it as the most statesmanlike pronouncement on the South African situation since the outbreak of the war.

Nature has just one pigment on her palette with which she produces all the marvellous tints of beauty, and that one pigment is the blood. The shell-like pink beneath the finger nails, the delicate rose of the cheek, the cherry ripeness of the lips, the iridescent brilliance of the eyes are all produced by the blood. Just as the permanence of a beautiful painting will depend upon the purity of the colors with which it is painted, so the permanence of beauty depends on the purity of the blood. Paint, powder and cosmetics won't avail to preserve beauty. Beauty begins in the blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a true beautifier, because it provides for nature that pure blood with which alone she can paint. The use of this medicine will cleanse the skin, heighten the complexion, brighten the eyes, and give to face and form that radiance of health which is the greatest charm of beauty. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are very effective in ridding the system of clogging residuum, which accumulates with constipated habit.

William Jessop & Sons of Sheffield, will erect new steel works at Washington, Pennsylvania.

During the hot summer season the blood gets over heated, the drain on the system is severe and the appetite is often lost. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies and invigorates the blood, tones up the system, and restores lost appetite.

FOR RURAL SCHOOLS.

Sir William Macdonald's Plan to Improve Their Condition.

THE TRAINING OF TEACHERS PROVIDED FOR.

Domestic Economy One of the Branches to be Taught.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—Additional details of Sir William Macdonald's proposals to improve education in rural schools are announced.

Part two of the plan is for the purpose of giving object lessons of the value of school gardens and nature studies as a part of general education at individual rural schools, to be begun by means of a travelling instructor, who would visit and spend one-half day per week with children and teachers at each school of a group for a term of three years, or until a considerable number of suitable trained and qualified teachers would be available to carry on such work themselves at rural schools. It is proposed to offer financial assistance to one group of ten or fewer schools in one locality in Ontario, and to one group in each of the provinces of Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island, to enable the people to provide school gardens and to undertake and carry on object lessons and experiments with improvements in education, all under the control of the regularly constituted educational authority. It is argued that when a child does anything with its own hands, as planting a seed, pulling up a plant, making examination of the changes which have taken place during the growth, making a drawing of it, mounting it, and putting its name on it, he receives impressions by the sense of touch, he sees, he hears the noise of the movements, he makes, and he smells the soil, and the part of the plant with which he is dealing. Those impressions are definite and lasting, they add to the sum of sensuous knowledge, they prepare for the perception of logical knowledge in a common sense way. Evening continuation classes for rural districts are also suggested under this plan.

INSTRUCTION FOR TEACHERS.

Part three of the plan has for its object to assist for providing short courses of instruction and training for teachers for rural schools, who desire to qualify themselves in those newer subjects and methods of education. It is proposed to offer to the province of Ontario at the Agricultural College, at Guelph, a gift of a building, including a nature study plant-growing house, and such equipment as may be required in addition to what is there at present, for the accommodation of teachers while taking a short course in nature study for rural schools. In Canada it might be possible to arrange for courses of training for, say, thirty teachers at one place, each course to last for two or three months. For a period of three years, at least fifteen teachers of rural schools outside the province of Ontario are to be eligible to receive instruction and training in each short course, without any fees. For the first year it is proposed to make (1) an allowance at the rate of five cents per mile for the actual distance from the teachers' school to the Ontario Agricultural College, to help in meeting the travelling expenses, and (3) an allowance of \$2,500 to help in meeting the expenses of board and lodging of every approved teacher, who has taken a full course satisfactorily.

DOMESTIC ECONOMY.

Part of the plan is intended to assist in providing courses of instruction and training in domestic economy or household science for young women from country homes, in order that they may have opportunities for acquiring practical and advanced education not less suitable and helpful to them than the present courses at the Ontario Agricultural College are beneficial to young men, who take them with earnestness and cheerfulness. It is proposed to offer to the province of Ontario at the agricultural college at Guelph; (1) a residence building to accommodate not less than 100 female students and teacher students, and daughters of farmers, and others; and (2) class rooms, kitchen, laboratories, and other equipment necessary for courses of

instruction and training in domestic economy and household science. Special regard might be given to properly arranged lessons and exercises.

A Big Quarter's Worth

is always found in a bottle of Polson's Nerviline, the best household liniment known. It cures rheumatism, neuralgia, toothache, headache, sick-stomach, in fact is good for everything a liniment ought to be good for. Mothers find it the safest thing to rub on their children for sore throat, cold on the chest, sprains and bruises. Never be without Polson's Nerviline. It will cure the pains and aches of the entire family and relieve a vast amount of suffering every year.

In the course of a manifesto to the people of British Columbia, Premier Dunsmuir says he would have willingly resigned had there been any likelihood of a union of parties in the House under some one able to form a stable government. Referring to the railway question, he holds that the Dominion should, and is duly bound to, assist in railway building in the province in at least a ratio of two to one. The Premier also notes that in thirty years the province has paid to the Dominion \$15,000,000, more than it has got back.

Ordinary Corn Cures are Dangerous.

Because they contain acids, but Putnam's Corn Extractor is entirely vegetable in composition. It is perfectly painless, safe, and sure to cure.

During the past week the Canadian Pacific Railway moved 1,400 cars of western wheat to Fort William, and the elevators there are now reported to be filled to their capacity.

How to Get up an Appetite.

Distaste for food often follows Grippe, and fevers, and is associated with a general weakness of the system. To impart a real zest for food, and give power to the stomach to digest and assimilate, no remedy can equal Ferrozone. This a new and startling discovery. It strikes at the root of disease and by removing the cause, cures quickly and permanently. Ferrozone will quickly enable you to eat and digest anything. Mr. Burchill, druggist, can tell you a great deal more about Ferrozone, how it cures and why it cures. Call today and see him. Price 50 cts.

A young colored man named Charles Thomas, who had beaten his way from Springfield, Ohio, fell off the bumpers of a M. C. R., train at Niagara Falls, and was fatally injured.

PASSED 15 WORMS. I gave Dr. Low's Worm Syrup to my little girl two and one-half years old; the result was that she passed fifteen round worms in five days. Mrs. E. Roy, Kilmanagh, Ont.

Canada's foreign trade increased by \$13,605,066 in the last six months—the imports over \$8,000,000 and the exports over \$5,500,000.

Miss Edith Kilner, a Hamilton girl, wandered away from her employer's house at Uxbridge, and was frozen to death in the woods.

HARMLESS AS MILK

Look out what you put into the child's stomach! Children are especially sensitive to the action of medicine. But you need never fear Scott's Emulsion. That is one reason why it is so popular as a children's medicine.

"As harmless as milk"—that is saying a good deal. But we may go even further and say that Scott's Emulsion will stay on the child's stomach when milk will not.

A little added to the milk in baby's bottle and a little after meals for older children is just the right thing for the weak and sickly ones.

We'll send you a little to try if you like. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND

Saves the Life of a Montreal Lady.

A Work Done That Doctors and the Use of Ordinary Medicines Could not Accomplish.

Mrs. Legault Says She is Positively Cured.

Every weak, sleepless, nervous and discouraged woman should be aware of the blessed truth that Paine's Celery Compound is the only and true health-giver. If other treatments have failed to give you health, let your faith be centered on Paine's Celery Compound. It cures nervous prostration, insomnia, sleeplessness and irritableness—serious troubles that often lead to insanity. Mrs. A. Legault, St. Andre St., Montreal, says: "I cannot help telling all sufferers what Paine's Celery Compound has done for me. I would have been a lost woman had I continued six months longer in suffering. My case was a bad one. Headache, insomnia, nervous prostration and loss of memory made up my troubles, and I feared they would lead to insanity. I went to several doctors who treated me with all their skill, but I did not get any better. My friends advised me to try Paine's Celery Compound. The first bottle gave me little relief, but the second began to work miraculously on my nerves. I continued using the compound, and after using nine bottles I can positively say I am cured."

SUES FOR HIS WHISKERS.

Hull Man Wants \$500 for Hair Cut Off as a Practical Joke.

Ottawa, January 14.—A novel action was entered this morning in the Superior Court at Hull when Mr. H. A. Goyette, acting for Mr. Cicero Talbot, began suit to recover \$500 as compensation for part of the plaintiff's beard and hair, cut off in a practical joke. Some days ago the plaintiff and a number of friends were in Mrs. Blais' Hotel, drinking the health of the young year. All were jovial spirits and, inspired by good wine, the fun soon became boisterous. Then in a spirit of mischief someone produced a clipper and snipped off the gracefully tapering point of Mr. Talbot's chin appendage. The alteration seemed so funny that they continued. When Mr. Talbot consulted his mirror the next morning he found one side of his beard and moustache and the hair on one side of his head clipped off close. Since then he has remained at home doing some thinking. The action is taken against Mrs. Blais, the proprietress of the hotel who, it is claimed, should have preserved order.

If you take a Laxa-Liver Pill at night before retiring, it will work while you sleep without a gripe or pain, curing biliousness, constipation, dyspepsia and sick headache.

During the past year settlers have been entering the Canadian west in such numbers that they are crowding in on the unsurveyed lands. The problem now is for the Government to find sufficient Dominion land surveyors, so that the new land may be properly laid out.

Tendency of Catarrh is to Spread.

Just a slight matter at first, and because slight, neglected; but the seed sown brings forth a dangerous harvest. Consumption, which is the harvest of death. Better spend a few moments each day inhaling Catarrhazone, an aromatic anti-septic that relieves at once, clears the nasal passages, and restores lost sense of taste and smell. The immediate effect of Catarrhazone is magical, so prompt and efficient. Cure is certain and permanent if you use Catarrhazone. Price \$1. Small sizes, 25c. At Druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

A society for the suppression of alcoholism met recently in Breslau to consider the drink question in Germany. The German Empire, it appears, spends \$750,000,000 a year on drink, as against \$3,000,000,000 for food. A Munich employer of many skilled workmen, quoted by The New York Nation, in speaking last summer of the difficulties of competing with foreign and even North German concerns, laid stress upon the cheapness of Munich beer as one of his greatest handicaps. "If we were on equal terms in every other respect," he said, "the fact that my men's brains and bodies are sodden with beer, day and night, would put me behind in the race."