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75 Cents per annum

AUTUMN BUYERS

Will find us ready with every article desirable for early Autumn wear. We ask you to come and see our display of Mantles, Dress Goods, Gloves, Hosiery, Children's, Misses', Ladies', Boys' and Men's Underwear. Our Clothing department will have many articles of interest for you.

Dress Goods

—6 pieces double-fold tweed effects, very special for 10c.
—20 choices of coloring in lovely tweeds, suitable for Ladies' Costumes, only 25c.
—Handsome all-wool Serges, in blue, brown, green, fawn and mulberry, very choice for 25c.
—Lovely 48 inch tweed effect Suitings, in black, grey, blue and brown, our price for this range 38c.
—The latest mentions in homespun for Skirts and Suits, all the newest colorings and handsome weaves at \$1, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.50 and up.
—Choice showing of new double-fold Dress Tartans, better than ever for 25c.
—New black and white checks at 60c, 50c, 35c and 25c.
—Beautiful Black Dress Goods in plain and figured designs.
—Special offerings in Ottoman figures, regular 90c, bought to sell for 60c.
—Very choice Black Costume Cloth, nice for suits, skirt or mantle, worth \$1.00, bought special, and our price is 75c.
—Lovely Black Serges commence at 25c.
—You should see our specials at 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c and 75c.
—Just placed in stock, a case of beautiful Ottoman Cord Wrappers, worth 15c yard, special for the Fall—they go at 10c.

Gloves

—Ladies' Cashmere Gloves commence at 20c.
—Ladies' extra fine Black Wool Gloves commence at 25c.
—Ladies' fine Black Kid Gloves at 50c.
—Ladies' Black and Colored Kid Gloves, extra special at \$1.00.
—Men's lined Kid Gloves commence at 50c. Our \$1.00 and \$1.25 are unequalled.
—Boys' Gloves in all sizes.

—Beautiful Lace Curtains at 25c, 50c, 75c and a bang-up Curtain at \$1.
—Our Clothing Department is fitted out to meet your best expectations.
—New Overcoats for Men and Boys.
—Remember, our \$5 Overcoat is a stunner.
—Men's Fall and Winter Suits, Pea Jackets and Odd Pants at rock-bottom prices.

—Big drives in Grey Blankets

Hosiery for Women and Men

—We show a bumper value stocking in plain and ribbed cashmere at 25c.
—See our Women's All-Wool Hose at 25c a pair.
—Extra fine All-Wool Hose, suitable for boys' wear, at 45c and 50c.
—Men's Wool Cashmere Hose in black, regular 25c for 20c.

Mantles

—Natty up-to-date Mantles, the newest of the new for fall and winter.
—There is a distinction about the style and fit of these garments. Don't fail to see them before buying. New blacks, new blues, new fawns, new greys and browns.
—Special showing of Children's Jackets.

Furs

—Newest styles in Capelines and Collar-ettes.
—Handsome new Beas and Ruffs.
—Lovely curls in Grey Lamb Gaunlets, Caps, Collars and Scarfs.
—Handsome Sable Muffs.
—Squirrel lined, handsomely trimmed Circular Capes, very special at \$16.00.
—Ladies' Astrachan Mantles at \$22.00, \$25.00, \$27.00, \$30.00, \$35.00.
—Men's Fur Coats and Grey Robes.
—New Fall Furnishings for Men
—New Shirts, New Collars, New Ties, New Hats and Caps

E. E. W. McGAFFEY,

Lindsay's Leader of Low Cash Prices Dry Goods Horse

OUR AMERICAN SHOE

THE FAMOUS SHOE for WOMEN

FALL OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

Our new lines of fall styles are now ready for your inspection. Every up-to-date young woman has adopted our American shoe as a standard of shoe excellence. It is a remarkable combination of fashionable elegance and absolute ease. It fits to perfection. Its fitting qualities have made it famous. It is exquisite and always easy. Styles for every use and occasion.

Street, Dress, House and Outing

Only one dealer in a town. He is

R. NEILL,

8—LARGE STORES—8

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE VERY CHEAP.—Gentleman's handsome Beaver Coat, large size; also Lady's Seal Jacket, good as new, medium size. Mrs. S. SWANTON, Fenelon Falls.—39-3.

TO LET.—The large store in the Village of Oakwood known as the Thorndike store. Terms easy. For further particulars apply to D. R. ANDERSON, Lindsay P.O., Solicitor for Executors Thorndike estate.—37-1f.

PURE-BRED TAMWORTHS.—For sale, choice young pigs of both sexes. A few fit for immediate service. Also one two-year-old Boar, registered. JOHN FORMAN, Lot 17, Con. 10, Eldon, Glenarm P. O.—38-4.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—On Colborne-st., north ward, an eight-roomed, brick-veneer house, heated with coal furnace, a good woodshed and stable, an excellent well and cistern, half an acre of land with fruit trees, will be sold reasonably if taken at once. For full particulars apply to Watchman-Warder.—6-1f.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE.—No. 45 Bertie-st. East Ward, brick veneer, storey and a half. Contains nine rooms and two halls, good cellar, woodshed, coal house, stable, etc.; hard and soft water. Half acre good garden land, partly planted with fruit trees. The dwelling is in first-class condition, and requires no repairs. A very desirable home for retired farmer. Price low, with easy terms of payment. For further particulars apply to ALEX. BELL, on premises, or at this office.—28-1f.

CHEAPEST FARM IN CANADA for sale—lot 22, con. 4, Township of Ops; 200 acres all cleared and under cultivation, no marsh land; watered by three wells, 850 apple trees and small fruit; clay loam soil, free from stumps and stones; brick house and outbuildings the best in the county; 100 acres ploughed; twenty minutes' walk from Lindsay post-office. Said by travellers to be the most delightful farm in Ontario. A home for king, lord or duke. Cost \$20,000; price now \$10,000—\$3,000 down, and your own time for balance. THOS. FEE, Box 353, Lindsay, Ont.—16-1f.

MORTGAGE SALE OF VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY.—Under and by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in certain Mortgages, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be sold by public auction at the Benson House in the Town of Lindsay, on Saturday, the 13th day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock p.m., the following valuable property:

PARCEL I.—The West Part of Lot No. 9, North of Russell Street, in the Town of Lindsay, 80 feet frontage and 201 feet deep, more or less, nearly opposite St. Paul's church. There is on this property a double rough-cast house, a single rough-cast house and a small frame stable.
PARCEL II.—Lot 3, South of Russell-st., and Lot 3, North of Glenelg-st., except South Part thereof, sold to one Smith. There are on this property a double rough-cast house, two brick houses.
TERMS easy and will be made known on the day of sale or on application to G. H. HOPKINS, Vendors Solicitor, Lindsay, 18th Sept., 1900—38-4

COURT OF REVISION.—Notice is hereby given that a court will be held pursuant to the Ontario Voters' Lists Act, by his honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Victoria, at the Court Room, Victoria Road, on the twelfth day of October, 1900, at 11 o'clock a.m., to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the voters' list of municipality of Bexley for 1900. All persons having business at the court are required to attend at the said time and place. ALFRED TAYLOR, clerk of Bexley. Dated the 18th day of September, 1900.

FARM FOR SALE.—The east half of the east half of Lot 15, Con. 2, Township of Ops, containing 50 acres, more or less, all cleared; soil clay loam; on the premises are a new frame house with summer kitchen attached; a frame barn with stables attached; and other small buildings. Three-and-a-half miles from Lindsay, the county town of Victoria, and on one of the leading roads to the town. One and-a-half miles from Ops Station, about the same from church, post-office and blacksmith shop. Plow leave immediately. Possession March 1st, 1901. For particulars apply to MISS CATHERINE NAYLOR, 22 Elgin-st., Lindsay, Ont.—36-7.

FARMS FOR SALE.—The following valuable farms are offered for sale on very easy terms of payment:

Valuable farm of 100 acres, one mile from Lindsay; all plow land except 3 acres of pasture; soil clay loam. Good dwelling, two barns, one acre orchard; close to school. A good farm at a reasonable price and on easy terms of payment.
North half Lots 14 and 15, Con. 2, Mariposa, two miles from Little Britain, on main road, 225 acres; 17 acres hardwood bush, 25 acres pasture. Good dwelling and outbuildings. All plow land but one acre, on which is splendid never-failing spring.
Lots 20 and 21, Con. 1, Mariposa, 173½ acres, 135 cleared, balance mixed timber on dry land; soil clay loam. Close to Valentia, 4½ miles from Little Britain. Comfortable dwelling, first-class barn and other outbuildings. Price \$6,500; easy terms of payment.
Lot 20, Con. 2, Mariposa, containing 100 acres; good brick dwelling, two frame barns, stabling, etc. All plow land except two acres hardwood bush. Soil clay loam. Two acres orchard; good wells. Also Lot 23, Con. 3, containing 100 acres, 70 of which are pasture land. The above farms will be sold separately or en bloc. Price reasonable and terms easy.
East half Lot 23, Con. 7, Eldon township, containing 100 acres, 70 cleared, balance hardwood bush. Soil, clay loam. Two miles from Kirkfield, on good road. On the premises are a good brick dwelling, containing 10 rooms and large kitchen, woodshed, etc.; frame hip-roof barn, with stone foundation and good stabling. One acre of young bearing orchard; good water. A first-class farm in every respect.
The above are all fine farms. For further particulars apply to S. M. PORTER, Watchman-Warder, Lindsay.—29-1f.

New Advertisements

FOR SALE.—First-class mare and foal. Apply to J. R. SHANNON, Kent-st., Lindsay.—39-2.

TWO YOUNG HORSES FOR SALE Cheap. Apply to W. W. LOGAN, dealer in Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines.—38-3.

WANTED.—A good plowman and general farm hand for two months, or by the year if satisfactory. Apply on the premises Lot 13, Con. 14, Mariposa, or D. C. ROSS, Box 43, Woodville.—30-2.

STRAYED.—On the premises of the undersigned, Lot 7, Con. 5, Fenelon, about Sept. 1st, one Ewe and two Buck Lambs with long tails. Owner can have them by paying expenses and taking them away. JOHN NAYLOR.—39-3.

FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT.—The East Half Lot 2, Con. 1, Mariposa, containing 100 acres, good cleared, balance pasture. There is a good frame house, hip-roof barn 50 x 60, good stables and driving shed on the premises. Convenient to church, school and Seagrave market. For further particulars apply to ALEX. BLACK, Sonya, or J. L. FERGUSON, Oshawa.—37-1f.

WARD OF THANKS.—Mariposa, Sept. 24th, 1900 To the Directors of the Farmers' Union Mutual Fire Ins. Co. Please accept my thanks for the prompt manner in which you settled my claim for loss by lightning. I have received the full amount of my claim, and I have been fairly and honorably dealt with. I have no hesitation in fully recommending the Company to all farmers. RICHARD DOWSON.—29-2.

FARM FOR SALE.—The McHugh farm west half Lot 16, Con. 3, Ops, is offered for sale. It is situated four miles from Lindsay, on the Little Britain road, and contains 100 acres, 80 of which are plow land. There is a good brick house, with woodshed; large frame barn, driving shed, stables, etc. The farm is in good state of cultivation, and will be sold reasonably. For further particulars apply to S. M. PORTER, Watchman-Warder office, Lindsay.—38-1f.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT.—Lots 24 and 25, Gull River Range, Township of Bexley, 196 acres, 75 acres cleared, and in good state of cultivation. Abundance of water; good place for a stock farm. Enough wood on it to pay for the farm. One mile from Cobocook; good school, churches and railroad. Will be sold on easy terms. There is a good frame barn with underground stable, 30 x 50, and house 18 x 20, with good cellar; pig pen 40 x 20, and small orchard. Address L. M. REESE Cobocook.—36-1f.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.—Pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chap. 129, Sec. 83, the creditors of Emily, in the County of Victoria, farmer, (deceased), who died on or about the 23rd day of October, 1899, are required on or before the 20th day of October, 1900, to send by post prepaid to William Tharston, at Cobocagoon P. O., their christian and surnames, addresses and occupations, full particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them. The executors shall after the said 20th day of October next be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and shall not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons, of whose claim such executors have not notice at the time of the distribution thereof. Dated at Lindsay this 24th day of September, 1900.
HUGH O'LEARY,
Solicitor for the Executors.

EXECUTORS SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE TOWN OF LINDSAY.—Pursuant to the provisions of the will of Lindsay, widow, late of the Township of Lindsay, (deceased), there will be offered for sale by public auction at the Simpson House in Lindsay, on Tuesday, the 16th day of October, 1900, at one o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, viz: Lots number 3 and 4 on the west side of Georgian street in the said town of Lindsay. On this property there are erected a frame dwelling house one and-a-half storeys high on stone foundation, together with a frame stable and woodshed. There is a good garden and a number of fruit trees. This is a desirable house for a retired farmer or mechanic. Liberal terms will be given for the balance of the purchase money. Further particulars and conditions of sale can be obtained on application to MOORE & JACKSON, Vendors solicitors, or JAS. H. LENNON, auctioneer.—30-2

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In the matter of Mrs. Maud Watson, Insolvent. Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Maud Watson of the Village of Kinmount, in the County of Victoria, carrying on business as merchant at the said village of Kinmount, has made an assignment under R. S. O. 1887, chap. 124, and amending Acts, of all her estate, credits and effects to John H. Sotheran, of the town of Lindsay, for the general benefit of her creditors. A meeting of her creditors will be held at the office of the Assignee, in the town of Lindsay, on Tuesday, the 9th day of October, 1900, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally. Creditors are requested to file their claims with the assignee, with the proofs and particulars thereof required by the said Acts, on or before the day of such meeting. And notice is further given, that after the 9th day of November, 1900, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the debtor amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have had notice. J. H. SOTHERAN, Assignee. Dated at Lindsay this 2nd day of October, 1900.—30-2.

New Advertisements

STRAY STEER.—Came into the premises of the undersigned, Lot 10, Con. 11, Cutwright, on or about September 1st, a yearling steer. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take it away. ALFRED WRIGHT, Janetville.—38-3.

TEACHER WANTED.—Male or female, holding second or third-class certificates, for Union S. Section, No. 2, Eldon. Experienced teacher preferred. State salary. Duties to commence January, 1901. Apply to M. McARTHUR, secretary-treasurer, Woodville, Ont.—39-4.

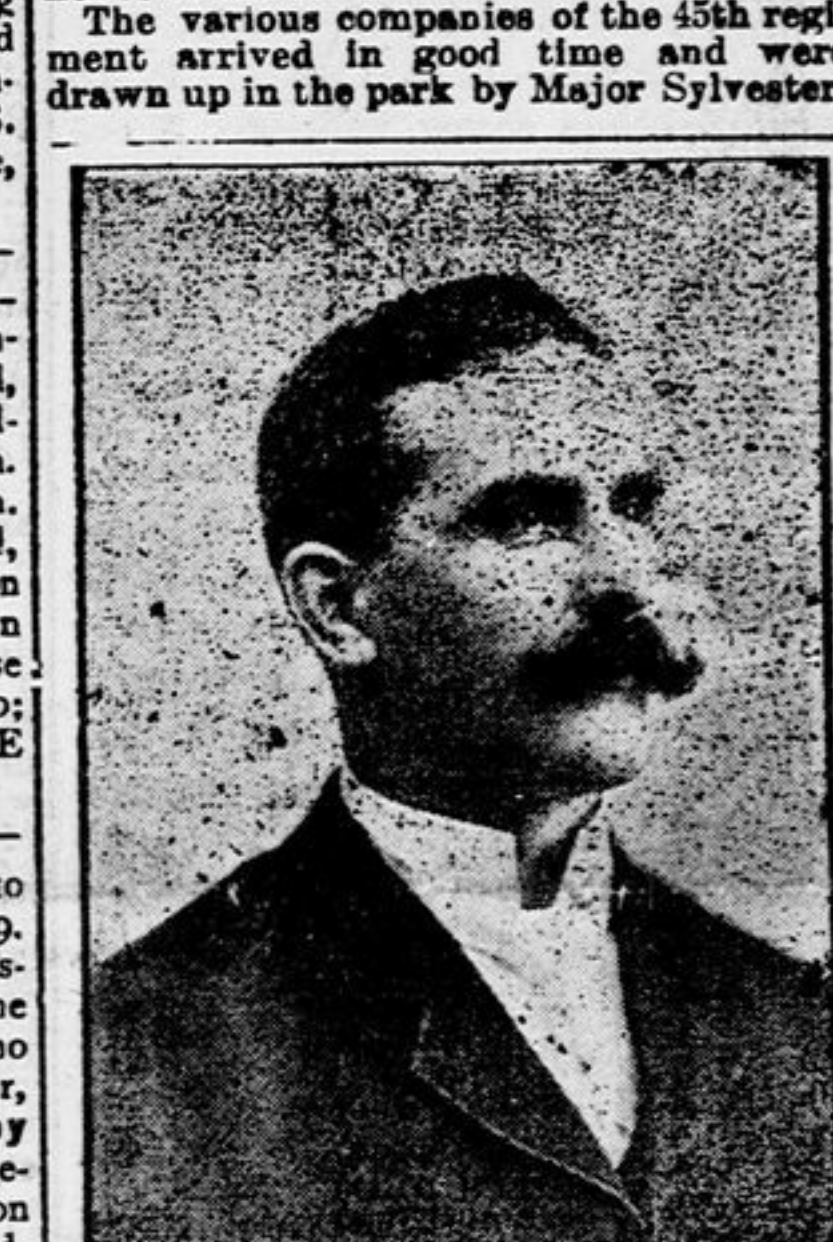
COL. HUGHES GOT A ROYAL WELCOME

The Citizens of this Town and County gave him a Great Reception

Nearly a year ago when Col. Hughes left for the seat of war his fellow-citizens showed their goodwill and admiration in a very hearty send-off, but that demonstration was insignificant in comparison with the enthusiasm that manifested itself in the splendid reception accorded him yesterday on his return from Africa.

The town was in celebration dress, that recalled the Making, Ladysmith and Pretoria days. In fact it went them one better for Turner and Sons of Peterboro had got in their handwork. Banners spanned the streets bearing such mottoes as "Welcome," "The Town is Yours," "The Maple Leaf Forever," "Long Live the Queen," "Success to the British Empire," "God Protect Our Soldier Boys," "Wishing you Health and Prosperity," while interspersed these were halcyons bearing scores of flags and streamers. The business places were largely decorated, and viewed from the office of the Post, Kent-st., presented an appearance that did honor to the town at all occasions.

The various companies of the 45th regiment arrived in good time and were drawn up in the park by Major Sylvester.



Col. Hughes came down on the 10:40 train from Toronto. The regiment met that train, and was drawn up in parallel lines on William-st. The station platform, all available space nearby and the sidewalks of the street well down to Kent were packed with people all waiting to get a glimpse of the man they were anxious to honor. As the train pulled in the colonel stepped to the platform and accompanied by Senator Dobson made his way through the crowd. He was dressed in khaki and cordially shook hands with many whom he recognized. As he marched down the lines of troops he was greeted by rousing cheers that were taken up far and wide by the multitude. A carriage was waiting and the colonel and party were driven to the park. This was packed with people, many of whom got their first glimpse of our returned soldier as he appeared with other officers in the bandstand. Several ladies were there, including Mrs. and Miss Hughes.

His Worship Mayor Smyth on behalf of the council and citizens of the town read the following address:

To Lieutenant Colonel Sam. Hughes, commander of the 45th Victoria Regiment of the Active Militia of Canada:

SIR,—We, the mayor and council of the town of Lindsay, beg most sincerely to extend to you a right hearty welcome on the part of your fellow-citizens of all classes on your return from the seat of war in South Africa.

We have to tender to you our hearty congratulations on your marked success in the service of the Empire of which we have learned through the columns of the local press and from other sources at the seat of active operations; and we feel certain, judging of your home career, that you have done your duty with honor to yourself and credit to the forces under that great and grand old soldier, Field Marshal Lord Roberts.

You will find all classes of the community which bade you God speed a year ago join with the municipal council in congratulating you on your safe return to your friends and family.

We are sure that you will join with us and your fellow citizens generally in expressing our unqualified admiration of the courage, endurance and gallantry of your fellow-soldiers and old comrades, the members of the Canadian Contingent proper and Strathcona Horse who have proved their loyalty to our Queen and Empire on the hard-fought fields in South Africa.

Your fellow citizens have made a feeble effort to mark your return by presenting you with a sword by the hands of an old brother officer of the 45th battalion.

Col. Deacon presented the colonel with a sword of honor and buckled it on him amid the cheers of the people.

THE COLONEL SPEAKS.
Col. Hughes said in reply: You worship the mayor, Col. Deacon, officers and men of the 45th battalion and fellow-countrymen.—It is scarcely necessary for me to say that I feel highly honored at being met in my own town with such a reception as this. I know that it is intended, not to honor me so much as the old Empire and the cause to which I have

given my services. (Cheers.) I shall not refer to what I have done, but shall leave that to the general under whom I served. I hope that no act of mine either on or off the field will bring any dishonor to Canada or the British arms.

It is specially affecting to me to see so many people here, for I am a man engaged in political life and sometimes feeling runs high, but I am happy to know that the Canadian people have been on shoulder to shoulder in the polls of sending our soldiers to the field in this crisis. The Hon. Minister of Militia himself has sent his son into the field and there he lost his life fighting heroically and well.

In accepting this sword I may say that the sword by the rifle and this weapon is rarely worn except on state occasions. I did not wear mine in Africa at all. We could carry something to cook our meat on that took up less space and swords are not good for anything else in action.

THE COLONEL'S LIFE AMBITION.
I have long sought here and throughout the Empire to so have its different parts co-operate in military matters that in cases of danger, not only the sons of the Old Land but of all her colonies should stand up in her defence; should prove themselves Britons true and show not only to the foe but to those who incite misguided people to take up arms—as was done in Africa—that Britain and her colonies stand together against all enemies. (Cheers.)

Three or four years ago I went to Australia on a mission that had the advancement of this idea as its object. I was able to do this by the assistance of that great Canadian and British soldier, Lord Strathcona, who out of his own pocket has placed in the field one of the finest forces in South Africa to-day. (Cheers.) Col. Denison of Toronto has also advocated that the colonies should take part in the Imperial defence; and my brother officers of the 45th battalion have always zealously supported my ideas on this point.

GALLANT CANADIANS.
I shall not speak much of the war itself. Of much of it you have been able to know more than I could. I will say, however, that with the force to which I was attached was the Canadian artillery and, in every action conducted itself with distinction. I must also speak of Capt. Mackenzie, who broke up proved himself an ideal soldier. Several other Canadians were with us and every man did his country credit. (Cheers.) But I do not say they were superior to those of Australia, South Africa or the Old Land. I defy any one to say to the contrary; the world has never seen another such man as Thomas Atkins. (Cheers.) For pluck, endurance and uncomplaining service he has no equal. He does his duty and never whines. If he goes down his last word is a cheer to his comrades whom he bids to on and on and on. I am surprised at the stoical endurance of these fellows.

THE JUSTICE OF THE CAUSE.
Some have had a doubt as to the justice of this war. People say it was forced on the enemy. But those who have read know that in 1879 a party was formed in South Africa to drive the British out and form a united republic from the Zambesi to the Cape. The war of 1881 was a result of its efforts. This war is another, whose object was to drive Britain from that country, and bring about the beginning of the end of the old Empire. The local question of the franchise was only a side-issue but in itself gave rise to a warrant England in looking after the rights of her subjects in the Transvaal.

HOW THE COLONEL LEFT AFRICA.
It has been reported that I was sent out of Africa: I was sent out in command of 800 as fine soldiers as were in the British army—(Great cheers.) I do not say this because I want to explain to my enemies. I never, directly or indirectly, try to placate them by humiliating conduct. If they cannot be placated by reason, the world is wide; they can hold their opinions and I will hold mine. You know I usually do stand by them when I know I am right. (Laughter.)

I had the honor of seeing the surrender of the last of the Boers in Cape Colony. That evening I made up my mind that I had higher ambitions than to garrison Kaffir villages and asked to be relieved or my command. The attempt to get me in fell flat, on the ground that Canadian soldiers should be confined to Canada. I left South Africa without the slightest mark against me. At no time was anything mentioned against my conduct on the field and that is a rare case for. (Applause.) I have friends who have none to justice to my friends I make this explanation.

On coming back I found how I had been slandered in two or three quarters; how in November when on the sea, in January when on the lines and of commiseration on the part of the Boers, my enemies made their attacks and the columns of the papers were full of abuse. All this time I made no defence but when I did dare to write what a storm was raised. But I am like Barnum who said: "I would about as soon be damned as praised any day." (Laughter.) The advertisement of the same and nobody suspects that a fellow is at the bottom of it himself.

A GENTLEMAN NAMED DEWET
The Canadians were to have left for home some time ago but a gentleman named DeWet undertook to run the British railways and made it necessary for them to stay. But now many a man are on the way back. No one need be ashamed of their work. It will tend to unite the nation, and I believe that in the near future we shall have some form of Imperial council for the Empire. A council at which such men as Lord Strathcona, Sir Chas. Tupper, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, will sit with men like Salisbury, Chamberlain, Balfour and him than whom in many respects there is none greater in the Empire—Sir Alfred Milner. (Cheers.)

I thank you for this reception and for this sword. It is intended to go through the old scarlet uniform. I don't like this khaki. If I had had my scarlet uniform in Africa I should have worn it. I trust I shall never wear this sword except to do honor to the nation to which we belong.

Finally: I have seen many hardships but I would gladly go through them all again for this reception and to see that in them I had the support and endorsement of my countrymen of Victoria county. (Great applause.)

The crowd then broke up and Col. Hughes was besieged with friends who were waiting to shake his hand and welcome him back.

NOTES OF THE DAY.
—Mr. Wm. Johnston of Belleville, inspector of weights and measures, occupied a seat on the platform.
—The colonel looked as though his experiences abroad had agreed with him.
—A streamer across the front of this office bore the words "Ideal Leader of Our Irregular Forces"—the now famous compliment paid Col. Hughes by the London Times.
—Col. "Jack" Hughes of the 46th rode beside Major Sylvester.