

# Late British News.

## A STARTLING INNOVATION.

Continued Falsification of English Coins.

## ZULU CHIEFS TO BE BANISHED.

Remarkable Voyage of a Small Boat.

## PORTUGUESE REVENGE ON BRITISH SAILORS.

More than 2,000 Italian workmen were employed on the Forth Bridge.

American tourists are showing more and more partiality to much neglected Wales. It is proposed to still further enlarge the London Zoo if the necessary land can be bought.

The daily edition of the London Graphic is not yet the phenomenal success that was predicted for it.

Work going on at Milford Haven confirms the report that the Atlantic steamers are to land there.

It is stated that the Zulu chiefs who were last year found guilty of rebellion are to be deported to St. Helena.

The rents of apartments in fashionable parts of London are said to have advanced 10 per cent. since last season.

The English middle classes seem to make a specialty of intoxication and disorder every time there is a legal holiday.

Princess Beatrice has grown to alarming proportions, and is undergoing treatment to reduce this too much mortal flesh.

Those professing to know all about it say the ocean races of two lines will forsake Liverpool for Holyhead next year.

More hotels are to be built at Ventnor, Isle of Wight, which is revivifying its "ancient glories" as a place of fashionable resort.

When occasion requires, Mrs Gladstone helps her husband's secretary in accomplishing the enormous correspondence daily.

English girls of the period are wearing eye-glasses with a wide band of black ribbon. There is nothing the matter with their eyes.

All the London hotels are now filling up fast, and at the leading ones travellers are not received unless rooms have been "bespoken."

An anonymous friend has donated £2,500 towards the support of ten missionaries in poor and neglected districts of London for five years.

An Englishman claims to have discovered a means by which the juice of grapes or apples can be preserved unfermented for so long as seven years.

There are said to be three or four ladies well known in London society who are determined to appear at the next meet of the Coaching Club on horseback, astride.

W. D. Navi, an Indian Government official, captured forty-seven elephants in one day at Chizangiri, in the Gair Hills, on Feb. 4. They made his total catch for two months nearly 150.

The two brothers Davies, of Crewe, were sentenced to death at half-past four in the day, and by ten minutes after five portrait models of the condemned youths were placed in the "Chamber of Horrors" at Madame Tussaud's, London.

It is alleged that the falsification of English coins by clipping and counterfeiting has gone to a greater extent during the last few years than for a long time before, and that things have got to such a pass, that it is hard to see how they will be kept at all.

The insignia of the British Order of the Bath, which has heretofore been made of gold, is to be of silver-gilt hereafter, and instead of being made by a jeweller they will be turned out on contract at so much the score by a Birmingham firm.

The British cruiser Reindeer, just arrived at Zanzibar from Mozambique, experienced a rough time at the hands of the Portuguese. The officers were completely boycotted by the Portuguese, all the merchants absolutely refusing to sell them even the necessaries of life.

Tasmanian and Australian apples and peaches are once more appearing in the London market, and by their good looks ensure a ready sale. In respect of flavor these fruits are mostly good, but there is a certain flatness, due doubtless to deterioration in transit.

The master of a brigantine has been fined by the Board of Trade at Plymouth for neglecting to serve out lime juice to his crew on a long voyage. He offered them grog instead, which the men refused. The refusal of grog by Jack in any circumstances whatever, is probably unique.

Mr. Brundell Maple, M. P., will shortly introduce into the House of Commons a bill to be called the Salaried Shop Assistants' Weekly Half Holiday Bill. This will entitle each paid assistant, who has been three months in the same situation, to have a weekly half holiday, commencing at four o'clock.

Dr. Danford Thomas says that in the Central Division of the county of London and that of Middlesex, for which he is the coroner, some two hundred deaths of infants occur annually from suffocation, the great majority of which might be prevented if the children were laid to rest in cots instead of sleeping with their parents.

The patent lifeboat Storm King left Cape Town on April 18 for Melbourne. The little craft, which is only 30 feet long, with an 8 1/2 foot beam left London on Sept. 12, 1889, and was expected to reach Cape Town on Christmas Day. She did not arrive there until March 2. She is manned by her inventor, Capt. Joergenson, and a comrade named Nelson.

Journalistic criticism is a dangerous calling in Hungary. An article which appeared recently in a journal at Klausenburg gave so much offence that it led to no fewer than thirteen duels. The editor of the paper fought four duels, in one of which he killed his opponent; the author of the obnoxious article passed safely through three encounters and the sub-editor took the lion's share with six combats.

Better be good than great. You'll have less competition. The latter business is overdone.

## "Always Sunrise Somewhere."

There is always sunrise somewhere. Though the night be round these drawn, Somewhere still the East is brightening. With the rosy flush of dawn. What though near the bat is fitting, And the raven croaks his lay, Somewhere still the sun-bird's greeting Hails the rising of the day!

Should bereavement's heavy shadow, Pall like cloth thy stricken heart, And the very stars above thee Cease their lesson to impart. Think the dear one, whose departure Round thy soul such darkness cast, Somewhere finds the heavenly morning That may rise on thee at last.

Gropest thou in failure's valley, Sad, disheartened, and dismayed, Lest as in the past thy footsteps May be yet again betrayed. Fix thin eyes upon the Orient. Turn thee from the Sorrow's feast, Till the never-failing sunrise Glorifies the darkened East!

Let us lay to heart the comfort In this sweet reflection found, That, however dense our darkness, Somewhere still the world around Dews are glistening, flowers uplifting, Wild birds warbling, as reborn, Lakes and streams and woods and mountains Melting in the kiss of morn!

Ne'er was night, however dismal, But withdrew its wings of gloom, Ne'er was sorrow, but a day-star Hinted of the morrow's bloom! Ne'er was woe, but in its bosom Was the seed of hope impregnated; There is still a sunrise somewhere, Speeding, speeding round the world!

## A Child Accidentally Shot.

TORONTO, May 8th.—A most distressing accident occurred at noon the other day when four-year-old Jennie Long, who resides with her parents at 113 Duke street, was shot in the face. Ernest Stephens, a Royal Grenadier recruit, boards with the family and left his rifle loaded with a blank cartridge in his room. The child was sent to call him to dinner, and noticing the firearm picked it up. Stephens attempted to take it from her, and in the scuffle the gun was discharged, the powder lodging in the child's face and eyes. Dr. Ghent was called in, but cannot as yet say whether the eyes have been destroyed.

## A Perfect Specific—Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

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The roses of the June time Are O! so fair to see, But fairer than these flowers are Is the rose that blooms for me On the cheeks once pale and hollow, And God be thanked, I say, That the rose of health and happiness Blooms out again to day.

That is what many a man feels like saying when he sees some member of his family restored to health after a long and wasting illness. In many households there are persons who seem to be fading out of life slowly.

There is a general debility that indicates a lack of vital force. The blood seems to be blood only in color. There is often a dry, hard cough. Night brings no refreshing sleep. What shall be done to ward off disease which is making slow but sure efforts to secure another victim? Let me tell you: Get Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and fight the enemy with it. There is nothing like it to build up a weakened system, and restore lost vitality. It is a most wonderful tonic, nutritive and alterative, or blood-purifier.

## A "Scratch Company."—"A Cat Show."

—Punch.

"Nothing But Skin and Bones," is the inelegant though appropriate expression used in describing the appearance of many females whom Nature intended for perfect specimens of her handiwork, but who have been reduced to this distressing condition by some of the organic troubles, peculiar to the sex, styled "female complaints," the symptoms of which are "an all gone feeling," weakness in the back, especially mornings nervousness, and sometimes hysteria. The cure for these beauty-destroying troubles—and an undoubted one in every case—is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and it renders it unnecessary to consult a doctor—a disagreeable duty for a modest woman. Of druggists.

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