A REASONABLE VIEW

OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

The Net Result Will be a Blessing to .blroW edt knowledge of business principles.

add in Writing on "The Beginning of the End of the Boer War," the editor of the transportation of freight. In the New York Journal of commerce heavy, and the foreigner paid a good

have made up their minds to ac tem which they went to support. cept terms which stop short of independence. That the result of the referendum will be the endorsement of the judgment of the leaders is hardly doubtful. While it is imposbravery, military capacity and in-

domitable resolution displayed by the Boers in their struggle to infin-tain the autonomy of the South Afpossible from the standpoint of civilization or human progress to regret fithe disappearance from the roll of sovereign States of Transvaal and its ally, The Boer republics were governed under a system of patriarchal despotism which rendered it impossible for the government of either to do justice to the stranger within their gates, whether he were of the native owners of the soul or an outlander from Great Britain or its mines, and the rapid increase material of mining operations, and manity will act the more freely now a railroad, without any competi- that the Boers have given in their tor, which charged ten times the allegiance to the British Empire.

value of the service it rendered in deal more than his share, without being allowed any voice in the spendpeace in South Africa is at hand ing of them, or any participation in tem which they went to support. The Boer darmer cares but little what went on at the seat of governpendence of all restraint was not interfered with and the burden of tax-A man more ignorant than the Boer

ment so long as his own rude indeation was placed on other shoulders. of all the conditions which make our time what it is does not exist within the paleoof civilizations of lone naturally more hostile to all that stands for the progress of humankind, it would be difficult to conceive. His virtues and his vice alike are those of the seventeenth rather than those of the twentieth century, and while his stalwart herolem is of all time, it was displayed in an Illi attempt to perpetuate a system for which even South Africa is not large enough to find room Be the rights or the wrongs of the conflict what they may, it has been one which it would have been a misfortune for her colonies. In the Transvaulthe way than it has done, In the affaire men who "stood in with Kruger of nations, as in the relations bethe expense of those to whom the equity which has sometimes to be invoked to guide the hand of justice, of its wealth. There was a dyna tory may reckon the last stand of mite monopoly, which levied an the Boers to have been, the forces enormous tax on the indispensable which make for the elevation of ho-

Registrar, Guelph. Registrar, Arthur.

Young Japanese Killed Pickpocket Brother

BECAUSED HE WAS A THIEF. WILL

Yokohama, April 9, via Victoria, B. C., April 28: On the 7th firstant a tea box wrapped in matting arrived at Toyohashi station from Nagoya by the train which left Laobe at 6 p. m. on the previous day. A fetid odor was noticed about the box and the milway muthorities opened it in the presence of the police. They were horror-stricken to find within the body of a man who had evidently met with a violent death.

The man who came to the station to take delivery of the box was arphotographer named Nishtise Eino- present form of agreement was setsuke, aged 25, of Honode. Machie Schi- tled upon, no trade combinations unchome Nagoya, and the victim, his der foreign control were contemyoung brother, was a pickpocket who plated, but the Admiralty had aphad been impresoned as many as six, pointed a committee to consider and times, though only 18 years of age at the time of his death

photographer's residence on the arrangements with the White Star 10th of March, and the corpse. was | Line which precluded the passibility concealed under the veranda until of any of their armed crussers or midnight of the 6th instant, when merchant steamers being transferthe murderer shipped the body on red to a foreign flag without the a train, intending to dispose of it consent of the Admiralty during the away in the country, and packed it unexpired portion of the Admiralty to be posted in Britain to persons confession to the police, the murder- | Important legal points were iner at first reprimanded his brother in volved, including the questions wheconsequence of several repetitions of ther, in the event of war, there was British post near New Orleans, has ter, however, assumed a defiant at- les from substituting a foreign for titude, and this incited the former | the British flag at short notice, and the property of the victim.

RETURNING OFFICERS.

Appointment of 84 of Them Announced.

Although the writs for the Provincial general elections will not issue netil May 5th, excellent progress has been made in the appointment of returning officers, the selection of 84 Those in this part of the Province:

Sheriff, Hamilton trar, Brantford. Brantford. Haldimand-J.

Menck-J E. Merin, Registrar, Weiland. Norfolk, North-A. G. Denly, Reg. BRAMPTON LANDMARK GONE. istrar, Simcoe.

Ontario South-J. F. Paxton, Sher- "Wright's Castle," Built 50 Years Omnirio North-G. W. Dryden, Reg-Oxford North-J. Brady, Sheriff, Oxford South-G. R. Pattullo, Registrar Woodstock. Simcoe West G. E. D. Brown, Cree-Simcoa Centre-S, Lount, Registrar,

Wellington South-N. Higinbotham, Wellington East John Anderson, Wellington West-A. S. Allan, Sherif, Guelph. York West-Peter Ellis, J. P., To-

York North-J. J. Pearson, Registrar, Newmarket.

ronto Junction.

Admiralty Enquiry into Latest Morgan Combine.

London, April 28: -- In the House of Common's to-day the Secretary of the rested and sent to the local police | Admiralty, Hugh O. Arnold-Forster, station, where he confessed that the replying to a question, said the Adbody was that of his younger brother, miralty was considering the whole and that he the consigner was the matter of ship subsidies, with the muniterer, his name being Ishibeeliko, view of defining the rights of the of Hinode, Cho Nagoya. The cause Admiralty in the event of continof the murder is p cularly Japanese. gencies arising, such as the sug-It appears that the introcerer is a gested shipping combine. When the report on the purpose and form of future subsidy agreements. The Ad-The inorder took place at the miralty in the meanwhile had made

to kill his brother with a cane sword, whether the Admiralty has the means of enforcing its right of pre-emption or hire in such case; or if, by abandoning the subvention, the companies could claim that the right of pre-emption ceased. All such points

Beresford's Ideas.

London, April 28.-Rear-Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, in the course of whom was announced yesterday, of his first speech, made last night The officer chosen is in almost every in his election campaign for the sent case the Sheriff or the Registrar of for Woolwich, in the House of Commons, referred to the comb.nation. He said he declined to believe that Hamilton West-R. Hope, Registrar, British trade and commerce were yet jeopardized, but he admitted it might Hamilton East-J. T. Middleton, come to that unless Great Britain changed her present methods. He Brant North-W. B. Wood, Regis- declared he was the last man to say the Government should interfere to Brant South-Wm. Watt, Sheriff, prevent the sale of British ships to Americans, "but, at the same time, Baxter, Registrar, if the Americans wrest our domination of the carrying trade of the Halton-D. Robertson, Registrar, world from us, it would menace our RETEIRRAS commercial prosperity, and the pub-Lincoln T. C. Dalton, Sheriff, St. lie should awaken to the danger of the situation."

7 o'clock what his known as years ago by the late Geo. Wright! and was the most imposing private residence in Western Canada are similar to those which as the most imposing private preceded that French revolutions as the most imposing private preceded that French revolutions as the most imposing private preceded that French revolutions as the most interest in the most imposing private in the most imp

Mr. Thomaso Robertson, Speaker to dinow stallob owt as daid as of the Nova Scotia Legislature, died boot to dirow relieb ene ret sembore South Dakota, Montreal police report that 500 stores of all kinds keep open in that city on Sundays.

show considerable reduction as compared with last season. Disorders have broken out in Swe-

den in connection with an agita- gver \$75,000 insurance moisificant tion in favor of universal suffrage. The Montfort & Gatineau Rail ashes and five hundred people are way line in Quebec was completely homeless. The flames spread/o from the proceedings: still nego of stories

Chinese bandits attacked a Russian post at Newchang, Manchuria, killing one Russian officer and four one half mile of track of the Brad-

new steamship combine is a daily mail service between New York and England. Additional nominations for the Leg-

One Hundred and Fifty Buildthe dawn bearings Burned Down bed't

Clarian, Pall April 28: The fire at Marionville, Forest Conners Jestes The C. P. R. new freight tariffs day, raged nutil late last night, consuming 150 buildings and entailing a loss of nearly \$800,000; with not

the town to a lumber yard, and from there to the woods, and burned for of the medical man, Dr. Jui Woods, the deceased could have failed two/miles up the rallroad! golbout ford, Broedell & Kinzua Raffroad was One of the promised results of the Burned, including eight cars. S. Pick new steamship combine is a daily ens, editor of the Marionville Express, was severely burned about the lace. while several other parties were injured John Johnson, a tailor, is miss



She-How much is Bred in Old Kentucky ?? Music Dealer-Five cents a loaf, I suppose proper

islature: Mr. T. L. Pardo, Liberal, ing, and it is supposed he was burned West Kent : Mr. Fraser, Liberal, in his tailor shop, The Columbian Government forces have captured the town of Bocas

have withdrawn. Additional hominations Liberales C. E. Britton, Leeds Mr. Dought H. Miclean, Carieton. Promorti mist one store, one hotel and one restaur--Mr. Fred Daly, London.

del Toro. The American naval forces

Sergeant E. A. Williams, of the Canadian Arellery Regiment, Montreal, has been appointed to a lientenancy in the fourth contingent. Gen. O'Grady Haly is to take a month's leave at the end of May

and will then retire from the com mand of the Canadian militia. About 1,200 employees of the General Electric Company struck at Schepectady, V. T., on Saturday, but later returned to work. The stranded steamer Lake Super-

ior, as she lies in St. John liarbor, was sold on Saturday to Connurs Bros., of Boston, for \$26,000. The American Security and Trus Company, with a capital stock of \$10,000,000, has filed articles of

corporation at Phoenix, Ariz. British customs officials will try in the U. S. to secure cheap postage. The American official, Col. Crow. The Government's Majority Ninety-

submitted his report to President Roosevelt. Henri Cherubini, who claimed to be House of Commons this evening the a grandson of the composer, Cherubini, has died in a penniless condition in the hospital at Martigues,

France. He was 55 years old. Rear-Admiral Lord Beresford is the GRAIN DUTIES ADOPTED.

lette Square, next to the Armory.

the post-off ce. opera house, three ho-

tels. Marinville Express Office and

The only business house standing

are located the Gold Standard Bank,

WANT THAT MONEY BACK.

Windsor Hotel Men Displeased With

Windsor, Ont., April 28 The hotel

keepers of the city subscribed nearly

a thousand dollars to the fund to

Driving Park, two miles from the re-

freshment counters of the hotels. The

hotel men are wrathy about the mat-

ter, and have intimated that they

will not pay unless the plans dare

changed. The committee is consider-

ing the advisability of forming a mil-

itary camp for the Kilties on Ouel-

Site of Kittles' Camp.

Presbyterian Church.

a debate on the grain tax in the feeding would pay only threepence in they hae been waitin the result would be carefully considered, and Conservative candidate for the House pence. He added that in the case per hundredweight, instead of five o' the Schule Bord election. the Admiralty's rights would be as- of Commons in the bye-election in of flour and fine meals the farmers intilloch folk for "wantin' tae ken,"



PREFERRED TO DROWN M. vd wsive H onl not nest First Tramp-Grab de spar, Bill, an' de tide'll wash us in. Second Tramp-I'll take me chances. Sykes, I ain't got de nerve to t spring we devoted a little atten | planter

Woolwich, and it is practically cer- | had been greatly disturbed by the ever, I'd forgotten cream for the tain that he will be elected.

Russia large similar monthosel which diase the trade had adjusted itself to a "Hoots, Jean, rin awa". I ken hoo

fear that a heavy tax on coffar tea, sae I asked him tae keep his Ago, Prey to the Flames.

A new proposition for the con. would gain by the oot tae the milk then struction of the Coast, to Koote grain duty. The Chancellor also of the aye breats of the cookin capation of the Columbia. Government by a expressed his belief that the adish Columbia, Government by a levence in the price of bread, which the look after the fish for the space a lumger two on fire. Jean Sma, in Wright's Castle " was discovered firm of New York capitalists." Was discovered firm of New York capitalists. Times "from ist. Petersburg says sedd Kingdom sincerthed budgeto. I and size," saxs I "o there'll be the yera that indicated the man coup-

The Family Physician Firmly Believes a ti besus evist will continue at Elm l'oesday, at Allan Park o

inquest; which has now sheen twice most decidedly adjourned, hawas resumed to night before Coronery Fisetteed Chief In

by other physician of Mround Mrs through an aperture and these Quirk. He told of notelephone mest wounds be caused?" A .- No. John Toole, Quirk's partner, that Quirk had fallen down and killed of A further description of the events wound about half an inch in length, accident. extending still farther backwards of The last witness called, Andrew

The wounds appeared to have been chicken loft to feed the birds. There made with fairly sharp instruments. What Caused the Wounds? Asked for an opinion as to what night have caused the wounds, "Dr been caused by a fall on such things

dveruser, and trook odt no "Can you imagine, doctor," asked Gark. Among the bulling destroyed were that could he on the floor in such a

death, they were all scalp wounds. ladder and on the corn cutter.

Brantford despatch. I + The Quirte Than produced by blows, I think

MAY 1, 1902

Dr. Frienk Differs. A medical opinion decided y at vary About one-half-of the town dis in spector Murray, who has been work! Harry R. Frank, the physician who ing on the case, was present during made the nutopsy. "I do not think, he said, "that the wounds could have been caused by a fall."

Do you believe it possible that The first evidence taken was that

> sage he had received eatling him to the witness was questioned as the shotel, and the finding of the wounds, and replied that they James Quirk dead on the floor of were probably caused by a heavy the harness room in the barn. When triangular, not a sharp, histrument he reached there he was told by A square bar with an angular color would have caused the wounds.

Night of the Tragedy. himself. After the arrival of the in the Commercial Hotel on the police the body was removed on Sunday night of the tragedy was rough boards to the botel, in a given by Mr. George Taylor, a further conversation with Toole ness ran out to the barn on hearing the latter ventured the remark to the disturbance he said to Toole, the witness that Quirk had fallen who went out with him, that Quirk chicken loft. Dr. Digby was one of ling up to the chicken coop. Toole the physicians who was present at said, Tes. I did not want him to hanthe autopsy, and read the post de them." Toole then felt into one of mortem report. There were alto the pockets of the dead man, and, gether five wounds in the head to taking out some bills and silver, and wards the left side, the first one a knife, handed them to Taylor, inbeing just over the left eye, one structing the latter to give them and a whalf inches in length, and to Mrs. Quirk, which he did. In conthree-quarters of an inch in width, versation with Toole since the a jagged wound of a triangular latter had expressed the opinion that shape and Above this was another the death was not the result of an

on the skull, and towards the rear | Doyle, threw very Title light on the were three other wounds, the most mystery. Doyle is a mechanic, and serious about the centre of the moreover, a chicken fancier, and had skull, about two and three-quarter often assisted the dead man, Quick, inches in length, catting through in the care of his game fowl. He had the skull and | causing three frac mot Quirk for a few minutes on the tures. This was a clean, straight night of his death, but that was cut, and in the opinion of Dr. Digby all. About noon on that Sunday, was the immediate cause of death. however, he had gone into Quirk's were at the time four or five hens

sitting, but nowe were to come out that night. The Crown Attorney questioned Digby testified that they could have the witness as to whether there was any tovering over the window of as the corn cutter and sleigh run- the harness room, and Doyle said ers, which were represented as lying the was sure there was not, as in that case the room would have been

Blood in the Loft. position as would fit the head and Quirk, he went into the chicken loft Next morning, after the death of again in company with the constable, "If a man felt down among a lot but saw no change in it since the in the town is the building in which lot of rubbish about there, and Mr. of the birds had been changed in Toole told me he had removed some the coop. While he was there Mr. Dr. Digby was firm in his opinion brother-in-law bot the dead man, Fred. Westbrook, of Toronto, a that saccident from falling from the came into the loft with a lantern ladder leading to the loft might have and pointed out some stains of blood caused all the five wounds. With the insthe loft to the left of the ladder. exception of the wound in the centre, The witness had also noticed finger of the head, that was the cause of marks of blood on the bottom of the

The Crown Attorney asked him for | At the conclusion of this testimony a definite opinion on the point, and Crown Attorney Wilkes asked for an Dr. Digby said : YMM opinion is that adjournment for two weeks in orthese wounds could have been pro- der that a further investigation bring; whie Highlanders to Windsor, duced by falling down the ladder, and might be made, and the coroner and the committee has decided that they were more likely accidental granted an adjournment till May 5

JEAN SMA'S LUM ON FIRE

It wis an awfu' adae. I think I've ed the be interested in Jean Sma's bleeze. Onythin's a winder oot here, London, April 28.-In the course bless their curious weys! Frae the East side tae the Coal Road Schule, an' frae the High street tae faur Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir in their hunners, an' a' tae see Jean Michael Hicks Beach, announced that Sma's lum on fire. There couldna "offal" or coarse meal for stock hae been a bigger gaitherin' suppos-

> as it were. If onybody daurs tae get in a cairt o' coal the entire neebourhood his tae see till't. "Wha's dee't an' left Mrs. Clerk siller that she can afford the get a

cairt in?" "I ettle there'll be nae haudin' her in noo !" "Ser her, an' her man no' even

"Chairlty, did ye say? I wadna winder a bit whit she wis presented wi' them; some are aye gettin'.

An' sae on. Bit tae come back tae my lum! It wis a bleeze, an' mae mistake, Tae explain maitters, I should, perhaps, tell ye that I had put on a big fire that mornin' afore Rab cam' in

for his breakfast, as it wis kin' o' is content to go to thius Noe. Rab's awfu' fond o' a fresh fish biled in lat. Things were gettin' on fine. an' whin he cam' in the

I cried, an' I ffew just! the house wi Whit dae ye think I saw? There wis that' man o' min' busy, o' a things, throwin' sugar on the bleeze The pan fou o' fat had been capsized by the gowk, and the kitchen was like Anid Nick's smiddy.

"Oh, ye widden-heided freemason!" I says to him, when I could see him never had sic a turn up a' my born richt through the smoke, "whit's that days. Everybody in the toon seem- yer daein'? Yer aye thinkin' its toddy yer pittin' sugar in," an' I sprang for the saut box.

Wi' the help of hauf a stane o' saut an' a big fryin' pan. I managed at last taw get the bleeze in haun, bit by that time the Kirkintilloch fire brigade, the sergeant, an' a' the Toon Council, as it seemed tae me, had fore-gatthered in the kitchen, makin' themsel's useless by suggestions an' insuits aboot no hacin' my lum swept.

"Ye useless baggage," says I. as I looked at my ruined kitchen, get oot o' my hoose, gin ye canna help tae ridd it up." An' I sume cleared them aff, I can tell ye. "Oh, Rab," I sabbit at last, "whatever made ye comp the pan? An, o' a' things, pittin' sugar on insteal of

"Jean, wheest. It wis a pure accident. I thocht it wis the poke o saut I had got. I wis tryin' tae balance the pan atween a bit coal an' the side o' a grate, whin oe'r it

"Oh, man, man, ye'll be the death o' me yet. An' aifter a' my wark o' cleanin' up at the New Year. Forbye, we'll no' be able tae band up oor helds, for the next sax months. "Dinna vex yersel', Jean," says he, "dinna vex yersel', an' if a braw new goon'll mak ye forget this misfortune ye'll be able the hand up yer held wi' the best in Kirkintii-

"He's a rale wey o' gettin' roon my hert, Rab-a' Freemasons hae-sae I had tae hand my tongue." Bit as I wis sayin', the least thing draws a crood oot liere. I stamped up my hauf eroon for a week aifter, jist the show them it

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Sheriff, Toronto.
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