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LAST EDITION.

We are still leading all Last entertainment by biograph this competitors in the sale and Blouse waist opening at Spence & Co's TEXT OF PEACE PROPOSALS in the two republics.

In view of the use to which on Thursday and Friday. quality of our

COFFEES.

excellence.

Wilkinson's, gress. 180 Wellington Street.



ROUGH WEATHER FOOTWEAR.

The rough weather incident to this DADIMAN to give the most careful attention to KUBLE DUI Foolwear.

We believe you will be most certain to find here the goods to suit. offer you

The Proper Shoes for style; The Best Shoes for wear;

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127 Princess Street. SPRING SALES and GARDEN SEEDS. Geo. Campbell & Son.

At Private Residences Season 1900.

have now opened my lists for engagements for the season. I have already booked some important sales, and as a choice of date. I conducted all the principal and other sales last fall with entire satisfaction to my Have your sales booked by the city's

Leading Auctioneer, 76 Brock Street.

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OYSTERS, Finest Quality at

Princess Street.

once. Lot on William street, next NELLY, Jr., 50 Earl street

FOR SALE. THE BUSINESS, STOCK IN TRADE of groceries, provisions, wines and liquors, now carried on by JOHN, WARD, Brock street, Market Square, Possession immediately if required. Apply on the premises.



Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, rail mill and two plate mills. Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A per- Subscriptions received at Montreal to tensive portions of her majesty's do-Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Price.

Auction sale of pickles at Salter's 10:30 o eloek. One year ago to-day Queen's hockey team was defeated at Montreal by the

Shamrocks, score 6-2. Campbell & Son, market square, will go out of business April 1st. Great bargains now in flour, feed, seeds, etc. This data, 1884 king Unberto (Italy) was bern; 1875 Sir Arthur Helps died;] 1886 steamer Oregon sank; 1899 Hon. J. 1

FRENCH

JARDINIERES, PEDESTALS AND POTS.

EXQUISITE DESIGNS,

HANDSOME DECORATIONS.

April 1st,

Market Square, Kingston.



THESE ARE THE DAYS

For a gas heater or radiator. Quick warmth just where and when you want it without the trouble attendlook at our "Jewels" you'll order

Honor Graduate of Toronto Univeronce Lot on William Street Methodist church, sity and of Royal College of Dental existed between her majesty and the make a formal reply. It is a stern re Stormberg, dated March 12th, saying and corner lot on Princess and Al- Surgeons, Toronto. Post Graduate in fred streets. Apply to JOHN DON- Crown and Bridge Work. Office-Cor. Princess and Wellington Sts. Over Johnston Bros' Jewellery Store. Hours-9 to 1 and 2 to 5 30.

LAST MONDAY FROM THE NAPANEE finder will be rewarded by returning it to the Whig office.

CARPENTERS.

By Order of the Executive. KING STREET, NOW OCCUPIED

Bibby & Co. Possession May 1st. with the Nickle steel company, of Ham- discussion, took a similar step. Her ma- friendly spirit in which they were offerilton, to design and build the largest jesty's dominions were immediately in ed. steel and iron plant in Canada. The vaded by the two republics. Siege was The Times interprets the presidents' per day. In addition to the steel plant, frontier, a large portion of two colonies tion for applications for intervention. there will be constructed a blooming was overrun with great destruction of describes the message as a curious mix

fect remedy for Dizzlness, Nausea, Drowsl- the British war loan amounted to £7, minions as if those dominions had been ness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue | 500,000, of which £2,000,000 were receive annexed to one or the other of them.

Dominion company, at St. Ca. get with

Presidents.

rooms, Brock street, on Thursday, at STERN REPLY OF THE MAR-QUIS OF SALISBURY.

> publics-Wont Assent to Fur- Orange Free State. ther Independence-The Opinions of the Press.

and devastation.

and is being carried on with the set | meant for diplomatic use abroad is a authority in South Africa, and of setting statesman can pretend that there is in up an administration over all of South | the presidents' telegram the slightest Africa independent of her majesty's gov. | basis for negotiation or that it could to maintain the threatened independence it is perfectly understood that the affair only continued in order to secure and local adversaries. For intervention maintain the incontestable independence mediation by any outside state there is tional states and to obtain the assur- shall maintain her refusal to recognize ance that those of her majesty's subjects | the title of any neutral power to exer-DDAC ance that those of her majesty's subjects the title of any neutral power to exer who have taken part with us in this cise influence regarding the future setwar shall suffer no harm whatever in thement of the South African dispute. person or property.

in the course already begun.

And now offer Bargains inence of the British empire, we are spoken reply, it could hardly be considin FLOUR, FEEDS, FIELD confident that that God, who lighted the ered less than an insult for any power in the hearts of ourselves and our fath- which has endeavored to raise the sym ers will not forsake us, and will accomplish his work in us and in our descen-

We hesitated to make this declaration earlier to your excellency, as we feared says that the presidents' worst enemies that as long as the advantage was all could not have anticipated the full ex ways on our side, and as long as our tent of their demands or the audacity of forces held defensive positions far with- the language in which they are framed A FACT in her majesty's colonies such a declar- It adds; "Even Mr. Courtney, we im-

sured by the capture of one of our forces | ence between our government and the reby her majesty's troops and that we publics, he will feel thankful that he have thereby been forced to gracuate did not compromise himself with a cause other positions which our forces had that is now resolved into the arrogant occupied, that difficulty is now over and lobstinacy of president Kruger. we can no longer hesitate to clearly in- The Daily News, liberal ,says: "The form your government and people in the war may have convinced president Krusight of the whole civilized world, why ger that the British are not cowards we are fighting and on what conditions lafter all, but apparently if his proposals we are ready to restore peace.

Lord Salisbury's Reply:

the Orange Free State:

principally to demand that her majes- | believe for a moment that it will be ty's government shall recognize the "in- successful."

the object was to obtain redress for cer- once forfeiting his position."

AND | Cape Town and Natal. anteed by the convention had up to attitude as declared by lord Salisbury's

In anticipation of these operations the South African republics had been accumulating for many years past military

ling a package containing \$700 on to discuss the question you have raise ! But the result of these preparations,

This great calamity has been the pen-alty Great Pritain has suffered for having of recent years acquiesced to the ex-

republics have put the position which was given them and the calamities their BOERS ARE SURPRISED AND unprovoked attack has indicted on her makery's clominions, her majesty's government can only answer your honors' telegram by saying they are not prepar-The Penalty Imposed on Britain ed to assent to the independence either For Her Sufferance of the Re- of the South African republic or the

What The Press Says.

We recommend them to your consideration, knowyour consideration, kno their the their th ing that a trial order will middle class, which buys everything. Orange Free State, and Great Britain's solute fidelity the general opinion of Bloemfontein is therefore unknown. moral and economic ruin wherewith "It is hard to treat with any serious" the bridge damaged. Repairs are not ex-South Africa is now threatened make it ness an appeal which ignores the palnecessary for both belligerents to ask public realities of the situation. As A despatch from Cape Town, dated themselves dispassionately and as in the neither of the presidents is supposed to March 13th, reports Plumer at Lobatsi, sight of the triune God for what are be deficient in intelligence, the only-ex- forty-seven miles distant from Mafeking, each justifies all this appalling misery concerned to persuade the British gov-and devastation company than to supply some port of ernment than to supply some sort of With this object, and in view of the specious material for the propaganda to the effect that this war was legun | states. But the appeals so far as it is surpose of undermining her majesty's sheer waste of labor. No responsible ernment, we consider it our duty to be regarded as a preliminary to oversolemnly declare that this war was un. | tures of peace. But apart altogether dertaken solely as a defensive measure from the merits of the British position of the South African republic, and is is entirely between the British and their of both republics as sovereign interna- no room. Great Britain declines and Knowing the British views, diplomatists On these conditions, but on these con- in both hemispheres will respect them. The Morning Post declares that the past, desirous of seeing peace re-estab- president's proposals were manufactured lished in South Africa, while, if her for consumption abroad and says that majesty's government is determined to as such they deserve every commendadestroy the independence of the republition. They have put the case in such lies, there is nothing left to us and to manner that, to all conversant with hisour people, but to preserve to the end tory they would appear as righteous supplicants rather than as unprincipled In spite of the overwhelming pre-em- aggressors. After lord Salisbury's outpathy of Europe by the suppression the truth and the publication of the

The Daily Chronicle, a radical organ,

lare serious it has left him with the impression that we are fools. Inability to realize the plain facts of the situation is conspicuous in the wording of the The marquis of Salisbury to the pre- whole argument in the despatch. It was sidents of South African republic and president Kruger's rejection of British graver now than the danger from mistold rank. proposals of Sept. 8th that caused 'the siles, ' -Foreign Office, London, March 11. blood and tears of thousands.' Unhap-I have the honor to acknowledge your | pily there is little sign in the despatch honors' telegram, dated March 5th, from of any real desire for peace. If it is a Bloemfontein, of which the purport is bid for foreign intervention we do not

African republic, and Free, State "as preposterous despatch takes one's natives are represented as preferring to Dame church for thirty years. sovereign international states," and to breath away, yet lord Salisbury, with starve rather than eat horse flesh. Dr. A. W. Winnett, Denviet offer on those terms to bring the war that infinite patience and forbearance) In the beginning of October last peace | the republics, has felt constrained to two republics under conventions which ply, no doubt, but it is the only post that by a forced march of the British then were in existence. A discussion sible response the insolent demands to the Boers were surprised at Aliwal has been proceeding for some months the two men who led the republics to Nortg, which place the British occupied between her majesty's government and their destruction. No prime minister on Sunday. Severe fighting followed ton. the South African republic, of which | could make any other answer without at | across the river, resulting in the Brit-

tain very serious grievances under which | An assertion made by the Reuter tele enemy is still holding the hills beyond. AST MONDAY FROM THE NAVABLE the British residents in South Africa garm company that the Washington gov- The British captured several prisoners tion with technical training at the colstage, between Briggs of the course of those ernment had offered to mediate is print and a waggon load of ammuntion. The legiate institute, leaves to-morrow aftercontaining a small sum of money negotiations the South African republic ed here but it is everywhere recognized casualties of the British numbered noon and will have an interview with and other valuable articles. The had, to the knowledge of her majesty's as being inaccurate and the willingness twenty. government, made considerable arma- of the United States to act as the in- A despatch sent from Colesberg on ments and the latter had consequently termediary for communications between Tuesday says that twenty-one rebels, in The new team of horses for the taken steps to provide corresponding re- the belligerents is understood.

tude of the United States says that Am- sent away Tuesday for trial. No infringement of the rights guar | erica has perceived clearly the British | that point taken place on the British Guild Hall speech which should suffice to prevent all friendly powers from the splendid work at Kimberley, It has TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Suddenly, at two days' notice, the claiming a right which, according to in justalled 200 cots in the De Beers' hos-South African republic, after issuing an ternational law, they do not possess. insulting ultimatum, declared war upon The services of the United States have, The Wellman-Seaver engineering com- her majesty, and the Orange Free State, of course, been declined but it need Clayeland, has closed a contract with whom there had not even been any hardly be said in the same cordial and

capacity of the plant will be 2,000 tons laid to three towns within the British despatch as intended to lay the foundamill of the largest size, a billette mill, property and life, and the republics ture of unctuousness, cynicism and impudence. It says that lord Salisbury's

DRIVEN OUT.

seem to leave Col. Plumer's advance op. from the wounds received in the fighting

Methuen Advancing.

Kimberley reports that Gen. Methuen from Victoria West proceeded to the stock of Dress Goods. We do not and Vryberg is not damaged badly. the Vaal river in the neighborhood Kimberley is very busy owing to the Klip Dam. operations in the Orange Free State, and those contemplated northward. Troops are arriving and departing ,almost daily.

Mafeking Not Yet Relieved.

The foregoing despatch disposes the suggestion that Gen. Methuen was nell, publishes the following letter: relief of that town, notwithstanding the have hitherto been punished if they venyet been effected so far as is known ordered them to wear it as a token nish details of the siege up to March I Irish who do not wish to be identified 6th, some of the messages concluding with the robber lords of South Africa optimistically, "all's well," which ob should take some notice of this insult to vious'y conveys nothing more than the their little plant, whose very humblene town has not been captured.

A diary of the daily doings at Mafe- tion of the queen-empress. king furnishes interesting reading to the that those who cannot British but operations on a large scale wearing the shamrock should dip it in are recorded. One day the besiegers to ink till the dishonor is wiped out t gain an advantage, suppling nearer the the final triumph of the Boers or in defenders, while the next day the de- some other way.

tenders drive them out. Among the incidents of the siege it is recorded that the Boers were filling jam cans with dynamite and bombarding the Kinley has granted a full and unconditown with them. Majuba day, contrary tional pardon to Capt. Bowman H. Meto expectations, passed quietly. The Calla, of the navy, now serving in the LAUDER-At Chicago, March 12th, or of the British people.

But now that the prestige of the British empire may be considered to be as the president McKinbar and tish empire may be considered to be as- president McKinley reads the correspon- thick rings of the same material. The of striking a mutinous sailor with the gun was mounted on an impromptu car- back of his sword, and was sentenced to riage partly of threshing machines bellonging to a Transvaal Boer who is among the besiegers. The gun throws

a fifteen pound spherical shell. mandant Snyman, whom the correspon- Calla was presented to the senate as dent describes as being furiously anti- captain, which would have reatored him British, that unless he disbanded and to his old position. disarmed the natives occupying the forward Boer trenches, he (Baden-Powell) conspicuous service in the war with would hold himself no longer responsible | Spain and later in the Philippines, the for restraining chief Linchwe. The ques- president has granted him a full pardon,

A correspondent says that the white males are reduced to half a pound of meat a day, women to a quarter of pound and children to two ounces. It ladded that vegetables are fortunately growing well, but it seems that horse flesh is the mainstay. Many of the

Boers Again Defeated. The Times prints a despatch from ish occupation of tenable positions. The

cluding Rev. Mr. Schultz, a leading department will be placed in the station inforcements of the British garrisons at | The Times commenting upon the atti- member of the Afrikander bund, were on Monday.

> Canadians And Red Cross. The Canadian Red Cross society is do-| pital and ninety cots, filled with Cana-

War Tidings.

tion has been formed in New York with the object of raising \$1,000,000. The British column occupied Bishof on When Sunday, and was received with enthusi- 12 asm by the people. Col. Baker and gar. Duners rison have been left in occupation of

Col. Peakman was sent by lerd Roberts from Kimberley with a strong infantry force and horse artillery, to suc-

ing of recent years acquiesced to the existence of the two republics.

In view of the use to which the two ALIWAL NORTH OCCUPIED. | but commendation for these two districts. When it came to a reference to Goulbourne, however, Mr. Bryant made Mafeking is Not Yet Relieved— a presbytery and which would occupy an hour in reciting. He claimed that a most appaling state of affairs existed pies Boshof-Rebels Sent Away | there and that he had been treated in a For Trial-Canadians and Red | most disgraceful manner by that corner Cross Work.

London, March 14.— A despatch from the affair and to be permitted to base

The Gospel London, March 13.-A parliamentary London, March 14.- 'As declaration of Gen. Roberts supplementing his tele- his resignation on the fact that three

ANOTHER CANADIAN DEAD.

Private Theiault, of Quebec, Succumbs to Wounds. London, March 14.-Ptc. A. Theirault.

between Kimberley and Paardeberg. Canadians At Preiska.

occupied Boshof on March 11th, with Preiska district. A Kimberley farmer, quote prices or makes, but invite out opposition. He left a garrison there who has just returned from there from you to come and feast your eyes and returned to Kimberley on Tuesday. a trip to Barkly West, reports that the on our collection of these Goods. The railway northward has been re- country is almost deserted. He covered paired to Slyp Klip. It is understood a distance of seventy-five miles. Boers that the line between Fourteen Streams are said to be massing a strong force on

> DISCARD THE SHAMROCK. Those Who Wear Them Dip Them

Dublin, March 14 .- Miss Anna Parnell, sister of the late Charles Stewart Parleading an expedition to Mafeking. The Since the queen, whose Irish soldiers many rumors to the contrary has not tured to sport the shamrock, has now here. Several correspondents to-day fur- their degradation, it seems to me those

might have protected it from the atten-

Full Pardon For Capt. McCalla. Washington, March 14.-President Mc

be suspended from rank and duty for a The funeral will leave the residence

period of three years. In 1891 the unexpired portion of the sentence was remitted by the secretary Col. Baden-Powell lately notified com- of the navy, and later on Capt. Mc-

In view of the fact of Capt. McCalla's

A St. Sulpician Dead. Montreal, March 14.-Rev. Abbe Sorin, of the seminary of St. Sulpice, and one of the best known members of the order, died this morning at the Grey numbery. He was sixty-six years of age and had been connected with Notre

Made A Good Showing. George Wilson, manager of the Sovereign gold mine, had a sample of ore assayed by Capt. Cochrane, of the Royal military college, on Tuesday. The assay showed gold to the value of \$287' a

To Go Up To-Morrow. The delegation to Toronto, in connec-

Picton Gazette: "The Whig looks ! fine in its new dress. It is a live, newsy

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tahlets. All druggists refund the money
it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's When a signature is on each box.

Baker's



"Costly thy habit as thy purse can buy. But not expressed in fancy rich, not gaudy. For the apparel oft proclaims the lady."-Hamlet.

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his eighty-first year. his son-in-law, Joseph Hackett, 278

Wellington street, on Thursday after-

noon at 2 o'clock. Friends and ac-

quaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

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> men. Apply, naming references, to "Z." Whig office, Kingston. Kingston or vicinity, with a good piece of land attached, and near the

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ing. Montreal. desires capable manager for Canadian territory. Salary \$100 month. Must furnish \$1,000 cash and come well, recommended. BUTLER & ALGER, New Haven,

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The Presbyterian church of Canada has already sent over 87,000 to India, subscribed by members and the public gen lerally for the relief of sufferers and large sums are now beginning to come in. A vote taken on a by-law to repeal the Dunkin act, in force in Colchester, south township, since 1876, resulted in favor of the by-law by a majority of seven votes.

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He wants one of Lour thin models that not bulge the pocket, yet sacrifice none of the strength and time-keeping qualities of their clumsy predecessors. We carefully test every watch before fit is offered for sale.

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