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room, with sitting room if desired, received his appointment when the London, May 4.— A despatch in the county was separated from York; thirty Daily News from Thaba N Chu, gives five years ago.



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PITH OF THE NEWS.

All Over The World.

Measles are rife in Toronto. The Ogilvie milling company, Winhinumerous customers for | peg, will build twelve new elevators at various wheat centres in Manitoba pro-

> Dr. Roddick's bill to incorporate a 'Canadian nurse's association' withdrawn in the private bills commit tee at Ottawa:

Ismail Kemal Bey, renowned for British sympathies, escaped from Constantinople on board an Egyptia steamer, en route for European ports. Miss Gould, assistant treasurer of t Montreal branch of the Red Cross, handed over to the society \$4,000 of the money collected by her chain letter. The Standard oil company has sur

its thousands of employees wages, giving ten hours' pay for nine

Glencoe, Ont., and Truro, N.S., has Added to the many we have gained been elected moderator of the church Scotland in England. The three-months-old child of Robert Frockens, Midhurst, was killed.

mother was driving downahill and try ing to keep her baby from slipping Having had a complete assortment be- dropped one line and the horses ran John A. Tiffany, who keeps a temper

ed with forging the names of residents of the district to a petition which accompanied an application for a tavern

In the parliamentary bye-election at Portsmouth, to fill the vacancy caused by the withdrawal of the junior liberal member, T. A. Bfamsdon, liberal, de-

Mr. Philipp, the premier of Queensland, has proposed that the several colonies jointly contribute on the busis of their population, £10,000 to the Ottawa fire relief fund. Premier McLean,

WANT AN INVESTIGATION. Into the Financial Condition

North-West Territories.

Winnipeg, May 4. The north-west assembly, now in session at Regina, has tioning the governor-general to cause the fullest inquiry to be unde into the position of territories financially and nected with the explosion. otherwise, to cadse such action to be taken as will provide for their present and immediate welfare and good gov- Cape Town, May 3, -A Johannesburg ernment, as well as due fulfilment of resident named Scott who has been exthe duties and obligations of government [pelled from the Transvaal estimates the [ which the territories or a part thereof, may be established as a province. A convention of liberals of Lisgar It is now difficult to keep the burghers Mrs. Borrowman was taken ill county was held at Morden last night, at the front. at which a resolution was passed repudiating in the name of the liberals of

Death Of Mr. Austin. Brampton, Ont., May 4,-J. A. Aus

ERN QUARTER.

Whole Strength in the North- | burgher, boy and man, To Oppose Hunter's Advance.

How It Was Taken.

London, May 4 .- Lord Roberts re- banished." Chinaware that possesses durable Ports to the war office as follows under quality that's just what we have date Brandfort, May 3rd: "We occu-I pied Brandfort to day without much We carry a multitude of fancy opposition and without, I hope, many articles and odd pieces at plain casualties. The first brigade d mounted infantry covered the left flank of the 14th brigade of the seventh division, and Bros. the right flank was supported by the 15th brigade. Pole-Carew's divison advanced directly on Brandfort. The Boer army, which was under command of De-HAT FINE GARDEN PROPERTY lary, retired in a north-custerly direc-

Much Importance Attached.

Chambers; residence, 800 University Ave. smith, from the fact that that position ments off hand difficult. gives the key to one of the main roads leading to the Drakensburg passes which possibly may be the means of co-opera-The Very Latest News Culled From | tion with Gen. Buller later on, provides an advance base of supplies, and at the same time menaces the Boers southeast of Bloemfontein, is obviously the reason of the importance attached by all hands to the intelligence.

A Considerable Success.

the British in ten days' hard work, ven being occupied in fighting, have culminated in what Gen. Roberts describes as a considerable success. Gen. Roberts' forces have cleared the southa general advance northward seems to be

es in the recent operations. at Fourteen Streams and other points son disregarding his orders. across the Vaal river. Little is known regarding them, but it is believed that the Boers are moving northwest. If this is so, it is probably with the view of bert McArthur and William Sutton, opposing Gen. Hunter's advance in the farmers living near here, were destroyed direction of Mafeking.

Natal. The British have not advanced. | contained a number of sheep, and all his The Boers are reported to be quitting grain and farm implements, which were the passes in the Biggarsberg range on all destroyed. Mr. Sutton's was a bank account of the cold, and camping at the barn, and one of the linest of the kinc. being at Hlatikulu mountain, sixteen twenty-four hogs, seven thoroughbred H. M. Whitney and W. B. Ross to settle bridge's livery stable, the butcher shop

Are Allowed To Remain.

Holder, premier of South Australia, British Subjects allowed to remain here Sutton were insured. thinks it would be improper to con- and in the gold fields district under tribute without the sanction of parlia- president Kruger's proclamation, is 121. and lighting companies.

Boer Fighting Strength.

Roberts Seizing Horses.

expressed in the Winnipeg Tribune, de London, May 4 .- The Times, in a daring them to be opposed to the best despatch from Bloemfontein, says : The interests of the dominion and not in ne | new regime concerning horses has been ord with liberal principles. Dr. McCon- carried out, and all horses are confiscatone of the most influential liberals led, except those on military service. and president of the Morden liberal asso. This procedure is even more effective Green to secrete them, and thus we are benway was present and in a speech de labled to prevent the mobilization of the farmers who found it convenient to refurn to their farms. The only way in which to prevent guerilla warfare in rear of our advance is to satisfy our left behind, so that maranding partie

A Gallant Charge.

At a Comparatively Trifling Cost of Lives-The. Boers Are Said British officers and soldiers are guarded

reign of terror exists on the Rand, Anyone seen laughing in the streets is

In British Skirmish Line. The divisions of Gens. French and Run- Ing. lle are in and near Thaba N'Chu.

Evacuated The Hill.

be treking, though one gun has shelled be made public. treking to the northward in three direc- unfortunate British public. Comment punction at any moment.

MUST ANSWER CHALLENGES.

at Welland. Welland, Ont., May 4 .- A notice sign- held from his gaze."

reported that they are prepared to make owners on the Welland river to the ef- responsibility." soon as their stores are north of the the 44th battalion, must not, under any the correspondence should not have been burial. Vet river. Another unknown factor of consideration approach the aqueduct by published unless in full, and part published. the situation is their strength in the night, nor must they by day, nearer cation is on the whole, rather badly re-Ladybrand district. There are rumors in than the nearest bout house. If a boat- ceived Bloomfontein that they are evacuating ing party is challenged by the sentry that district entirely, and concentrating one of the party must answer the chaltheir whole strength in the north. Noth- lenge by saying who they are and stoping authentic is known of the Boer loss- | ping the boat, and obeying all directions of the sentry. The sentry has a A report from Kimberley states that loaded magazine rifle of long range, and there are considerable Boer movements his instructions are to shoot any per-

Destroyed By Fire. Erin, Ont., May 4. - The barn of Gilby fire yesterday afternoon, Mr. McAr-There is no news of any movement in thur's barn was a fine brick one, and foot of the range, their principal laager in this country. With it were destroyed shorthorn cattle, some sheep and all a question in dispute between himself of Heloff & Vernon and a restaurant the farm implements and stock of and Sir Charles Tupper regarding the grain. The total loss will amount to attitude of the finance minister towards. The estimated total loss caused is about men, and steady work. THE POLof Victoria, has willingly agreed. Mr Pretoria, May 2.-The total number of \$8,000. Both Mr. McArthur and Mr.

Death Caused By A Dog. Of this number, sixty-two are men and Barrie, Om., May 4.-Yesterday lock said that no contracts had been let with \$4,000 insurance. fifty-nine are women. This number Charles Minninken, a farmer, Innistil, since June 30th, 1899, for the manufacdoes not include the staffs of the water went, to feed his horses. His little ture of mail bags, uniforms, etc., for the . To Close For A Time. daughter, not three years old, started post office department. Dr. Borden | Chicago, May 4 .- In pursuance of a of Mr. Begine ir., one of the proprietors out with him, but stopped on the way said that contracts containing the "no resolution reached by the western book of the engineering works at Johannes to play with the dog in the orchard, sweating clause had been continued by paper manufacturers association burg, recently blown up, has been re- | She was found in a few minutes in a | the militia department with the Sanford | night, all the leading book paper mills manded to jail on a charge of murder. dying condition, having been fatally manufacturing company for various ar of the west will be closed Monday for Bail would not be accepted, Besides kicked by the horse. It is supposed ticles to the amount of \$150,000 and an indefinite period; and within a few Begbie, an American has also been ar that she had approached too close to \$30,000. rested on suspicion of having been conthe the horse when the faithful dog, seeing Dr. Borden read a number of letters the example on account of over-producthe child in danger, had seized the horse by the heels, causing the animal to kick had done all that was possible to secure and strike the little girl on the back of the official list of Canadians killed, for

Died Of Heart Failure.

and legislation assumed with respect to Boers' fighting force now in the field at | St. Catharines, Ont., May 4. - Mrs. | these territories by the parliament of 30,000 men.

Canada. Also to ask his excellency to The Pretoria arsenal is short of highly respected resident of this city, nois by smaller ones. Adam Borrowman, a well-known and used by large vessels, and the Beauharorder enquiries 'to be made and ac smokeless powder, and is resorting to died very suddenly of heart failure last counts taken with a view of the settle black powder. The supply of Manser evening. The family entertained some A Clergyman Dies Suddenly. ORANGES, ment of terms and conditions upon rifles is exhausted. Mr. Scott expects that another hig de- ess was apparently in the best of health. feat will end the campaign summarily. | Shortly after the departure of her guests died within a few minutes.

The Candidates Chosen.

Victoria, B.C., May 4 .- Hon. Martin, Robert Macpherson, H. P. mour and James MacQueen are the men who shave been selected as the liberal Macpherson is an M.P.

works was taken off last night. works running for a long time. Miller's Compound Iron Pills,

WAS NOT AGREEABLE TO GEN. REDVERS BULLER.

Thought Proper-Gen. Lord Mefontein Will Likely Have to be troops sent to defend the town.

British military prisoners in captivity.
"Rev. Mr. Darragh reports that a reign of terror exists on the Rand. Any.

Spion kop despatches, have been issued. It shows that the war office proposed to ed with scythes, batchets, pitchforks and logs of wood. Only a few had fire eventually did, or to treat the matter larms. as confidential and get. Gen. Buller to They pursued the prefect into an ap- Department re-write his narrative of the operations. | per room. The wretched man, driver Gen. Roberts communicated with Gen. | into a corner, seized a crucifix and ab-Buffer, who objected to re-writing his jectedly prayed for mercy, but the peas- We intend giving up the London, May 4.—Gen. Broadwood's account of the battle, saying he pre-cavalry brigade has reached Isabelion- ferred that Gen. Roberts should publish brains. They then burned the furniture selling of carpets and oiltein twenty-eight miles north of Thaba what he thought proper. Gen. Roberts and wrecked the building, but refrained cloths altogether. N Chu, Gen. Ian Hamilton is bivomek- suggested that the war office should from molesting his wife and children." ing at Jacobsrust, fifteen miles north over-rule Gen. Buller's objection, but of Thaba N'Chu. Gen. Tucker's division | the war office decided to publish the deis moving eastward from Karee Siding. spatches as it did, Gen. Roberts assent-

With reference to Gen. Methuen's clipping from the Express, describing it Off our usually low prices Thus lord Roberts has 50,000 men Magersfontein despatch, Gen. lord Wol- here, to Gen. Sir George White, South operating clear of the railway along a esley, commander in chief of the British Africa. The letter was returned to Eng. | during our Ten Days Sale front of forty miles. He is advancing forces, telegraphed that it could not be land, where the general had in mean slowly with some successes, but nothing printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and on Monday the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, and the following printed as it was sent, as it contained time been sent, as it was sen London, May 4.—The news of occupated decisive. Yet, at all points of concent passages that were not appropriate to lowing acknowledgment was received. tion of Brandfort is generally conceded tration the Boers appear in force suf- such a document, and gave trivial de from his secretary and A.D.C. by Mr. SUN the most important communication re- ficient to compel the British to proceed tails. It also gave information that Youell: "Sir George White has asked Life Assurance Company of Canada. ceived from the front since the capture with caution. Their wate front in a would be important to the enemy, and me to thank you for your letter and the GEO. A BATEMAN, office Ontario of Gen. Cronje and the relief of Lady- rugged country makes turning moves Gen. Roberts was requested to ask Me- newspaper cutting that you have s thuen to write another despatch. The him, which interested him very publication of this correspondence will and to tell you how gratifying it is to a doubtless whet curiosity regarding the general to serve an empire in which any Theba N'Chu, May 3.—The Boers have | Magersfontein despatch and will streng | successes that he meet with are

> the camp indiscriminately. Scouts re- The Times referring to the correspond far from the scene of actions. evacuated the position during the night, | cook his opinions for the benefit of the Canadian troops."

the street, considering what he has been er prima donna, who died April 10th. eastern corner of the Free State at a The Orders Issued to Boat Owners allowed to see, will be apt to form At her death the count locked himself in rather harid ideas of what has been with the room with his dead wife and refus-

BUDGET DIVISION.

Tupper's Amendment Defeated By 88 Votes to 48.

Ottawa, May 3 .- The long-drawn-out debate upon the budget, which commenced on the 23rd March, was brought | nine months, working in conjunction | to a close at one o'clock this morning, with Joseph. Bauldry, a barber, who when the amendment by Sir Charles | disposed of the stolen goods. Baukkey Tupper, declaring that no measure preference which falls short of a system ! of mutual trade preference between Great goods stolen from them to be about \$1. Britain and Ireland and the colonies should be considered as final and satisfactory, was voted down by forty-eight yeas to eighty-eight nays; a majority of forty for the government.

Just before the vote was taken

to show that the department of militia I tion. the insurance companies.

Soulanges would, it was expected,

Liverpool, May 4.—Rev. J. T. Nuttall, a well-known minister of the Congregational connection, died in Liverpool yesterday while in the act States as a vigorous preacher.

A Treasurer Missing. London, Ont., May 4 .- Frank T. Mc

thuen's Report From Magers- on Rustchuk against two battalions

Gen. White's Thanks.

lief of Ladysmith George Youell sent evacuated the hill and are believed to then the demand that the whole truth kindly appreciated by those who. Hike you and your fellow townsmen, live port that some of the Pers went to lence says lord Lansdowne's despatch is George is only sorry that he was given wards Wepener. They believe the Boers a singular invitation to lord Roberts to no opportunity of serving with your

tions. Gen. French left to-day. Gen. upon this correspondence is almost sur Dead Under Sad Circumstances. London, May 4.—Operations involving Rundle is in command here. It is ex- perfluous. There is nothing so credit- New York, May 4.— Count D'Elpux, pected that Gen. Brabant will effect a able to Sir Redvers Buller as his re French vice-consul in this city died unfusal to re-write a despatch for publical der most distressing circumstances. He was the husband of Mme. Mucio-Celli, FENWICK-On Wednesday, 2nd inst. The Daily News says: "The man in the famous teacher of singing and formled to allow the body to be moved. At There is little to indicate where the ed by J. Edward Cohoe, major of the Daily Graphic severely attacks length his intimate friends had to use The juneral will leave his late resider Boers will make their next stand. It is 44th battalion, has been served on boat lord Lansdowne for 'trying to shift the force. Later he was removed to the insane asylum on Ward's Island, where he a stubborn opposition on an entrenched feet that parties boating in Welland The Standard mildly approves the gov- made several attempts to take his own hill south east of Kroonstadt, which river, east of the canal aqueduct, which ernment's action in publishing the extown they will probably abandon as is now guarded by soldiers belonging to planation but the general opinion is that body was brought back to the city for

Accused Of Theft.

May 4.-Robert Platt, an A. H. Dudney & Bros. manufacturing jewelers, Colborne street was arrested last night, charged with stealing a diamond ring and a penknife from the factory of the firm. It alleged that Platt has been robbing his employers systematically for the of also has been placed under arrest. Dud ney Bros. estimate the value of the

Fire At Rat Portage.

Rat Portage, Ont., May 4. - Last night fire destroyed the flour and feed store of Duncan & Co. The flames Fielding read some correspondence with spread to King's harness shop. Dalthe development and encouragement of \$20,000. Duncan & Co's, loss is \$2,000; the iron and steel industry in the do- insurance \$1,000. King saved most of his stock. He was insured for \$1,000. In answer to E. F. Clarke, Mr. Mu. The livery stable loss is about \$8,500

Fight On a Car. Chicago, May 4. - Four men were In answer to Mr. Bergeron, Mr. Blair | wounded, one probably fatally, during said it was not the intention to close a labor riot on an Archer avenue car the Beauharnois canal this year. The last evening. A dozen shots were fired. Every window in the car was shattered and the passengers fled panic-stricken. The fighting was between coal heavers and seven strikers.

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