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THE GUARDIAN, CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, WEDNESDAY APRIL 18 1900

PRICE TWO CENTS

DUKE DARCOS IS APPEASED

He Accepts the Explanation From Chicago.

SHAH OF PERSIA OFF TO PARIS

Bubonic Plague Spreading—More Fighting in the Philippines—Strike at Cornell Settled—Drowned While Drunk—St. Jean's New Mayor.

DROWNED WHILE INTOXICATED.

St. John, April 17.—(Special.)—Jacob Mills, aged 45 while intoxicated tried to board the schooner Comrade and was drowned.

THE SHAH MOVES—PLAGUE SPREADING.

TEHRAN, Persia, April 17.—(Special.)—The Shah left yesterday for Europe.

Bubonic plague is spreading on the Turkish frontier and 195 deaths in three weeks are reported.

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WASHINGTON, April 17.—(Special.)—Duke Darcos the Spanish Minister, has received an apology from Chicago for the invitation to attend the Dewey celebration and is fully satisfied with the explanation that a mistake was made.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Table with 2 columns: Closing prices and April 17th. Lists various commodities like American Sugar, Steel, and Cotton.

STRIKE ABOUT OVER.

NEW YORK, April 17.—(Special.)—Strike at Cornell dam will be settled.

FILIPINOS STILL FIGHTING.

MANILA, April 17.—(Special.)—About 1,200 Tagalogs attacked the Americans at Cagayan, in the Island of Mindanao at night with a scaling ladder, etc., but were repulsed with heavy losses.

General Montenegro, one of Aguinaldo's chief lieutenants, has surrendered after being surrounded by Col. Smith's division.

ST. JOHN ELECTS DR. DANIEL.

ST. JOHN, April 17.—(Special.)—Dr. Daniel was to-day elected Mayor by 622 majority.

There were three candidates, the two unsuccessful ones being ex-Mayor Sears and Count De Burg.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 17.—(Special.)—The following are the closing rates: April, wheat, 68, corn, 38, oats, 22, pork, \$13.00.

2 CURES IN ONE 10c. PACKAGE.

J. Fred Edwards, the well known Clerk of the Learment, says: "I recently had Headache. Tried Kumfort Headache Powders—cured me in short order. One of our guests, a commercial traveller, was complaining so gave him balance of package—another cure. It seems they never fail."

Another shipment of patriotic scarfs, white satin ground with Jack Khaki with Red, White and Blue. All the go in old London town. Get one, they will go like fire to-day.—Jas. Paton & Co. 18 ft

"Hughes Cressote Mixture" has had a very large sale this winter. It is unequalled for the treatment of Chronic Coughs, Bronchitis and Asthmatic affections. Price 35c a bottle at "Hughes' Apothecaries Hall, sat&wed 7 d & w

Seeds for hotbeds and for early sowing at Carter's Seed Store. 18 ft

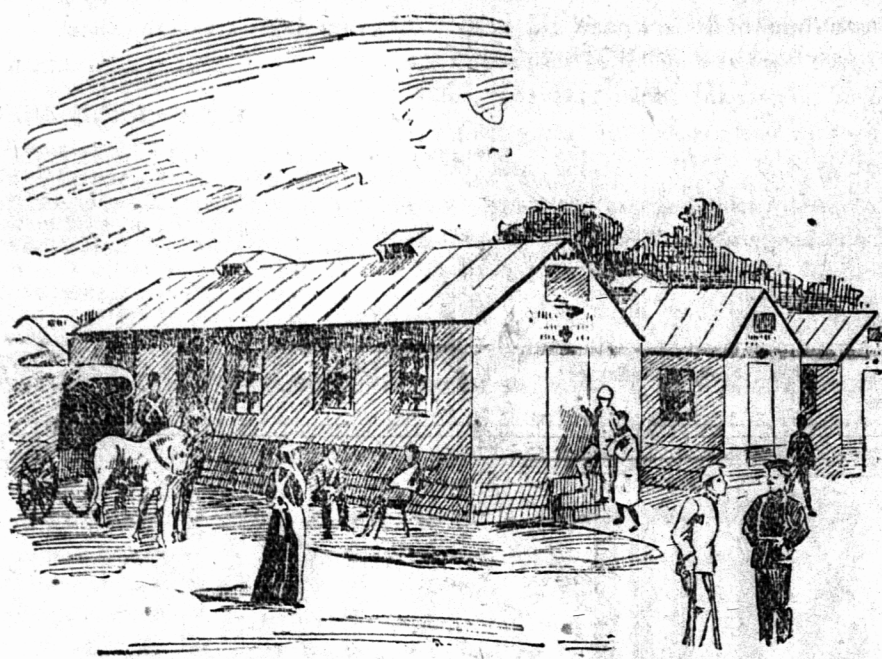
The finest display of millinery ever seen in Charlottetown, at Perkins & Co's opening this afternoon from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. 18 ft

Boers Poisoned The Bullets.

OTTAWA, April 16—An interesting letter has been received in this city from Bandsman Charles Andrews, formerly of Ottawa, but now with Buller's army. The letter is dated Feb. 23, at Tugela River Camp, Colenso, and says in part:

"Yesterday a couple of Boers were captured in the trenches and they had a little pot with deadly poison in it, into which they dipped the bullet before firing it. Two officers were hit in the arm, and by the time they got to the field hospital they died from the deadly poison. Do the swine deserve any mercy? If I get a chance at one I will only be too pleased to bayonet him, and then put a bullet in him to make sure."

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DOECKER HOSPITAL HUTS AT NETLEY.

WHERE SOME CANADIANS OF THE FIRST CONTINGENT ARE.

The Doecker Hospital Huts recently purchased for the accommodation of the wounded sent home from South Africa. These huts were purchased by the Central Committee of the German Red Cross Society, for whom they had just

been constructed. It has been stated that they were lent to the British Committee but that is a mistake, as they were purchased from the German Society, who kindly postponed the fulfilment of their order to the manufacturers.—London Graphic.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Harry Lindley is in Winnipeg. Capt. Wm. Richards is registered at the Davies. Mr. W. C. Hobkirk was in Souris yesterday. Mr. J. A. Matheson returned to the city last night. Hon. Peter McNutt, Malpeque, is registered at the Davies. Mr. E. Kempt is visiting the eastern part of the province. Mr. G. M. Reid was among the guests at the Davies yesterday. Rev. J. W. McKenzie, B. A. of Midgell was in the city yesterday. Mr. Richard Grant was a passenger by the Princess yesterday evening. Mrs. A. L. McDougall of Campbellton is registered at the Queen Hotel. Mr. A. A. Lefurgey came to the city by the mail special last night. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webster, Searle town, have returned home from Boston. Mr. C. R. Dickie of St. Nicholas, came to the city by the mail special last night. Mr. J. B. C. Baker of Summerside is in the city. He returns home on Thursday. Mr. John Messervey of Carvell Bros. leaves this morning on a business trip to Newfoundland. Mrs. (Conductor) Tanton returned to the city by the mail special last night. Mrs. Tanton has been visiting in St. Eleanor's. Rev. Mr. Gandier, of Fort Massey Presbyterian church, Halifax is spoken of as the successor of Rev. Louis Jordan in the pulpit of St. James' church, Toronto. Miss Maud DeLong of New Germany Sun. Co., N.S. is spending the Easter holidays with Rev. and Mrs. Raymond. She returns to the Normal School, Truro, on Saturday. Mr. C. R. Rogers of Summerside is in the city in connection with the delivery of a large consignment of rope to different parties in the province. The rope is from the Independent Cordage Co., of Toronto, for which firm Messrs. Rogers & Rogers are the agents. Adj. McNamara and Capt. Wilson, of S.A. leave Thursday morning for their new appointments. The former to St. John Training Garrison and the latter to a N. S. corps. Capt. Doyle of this city leaves also on Thursday for his new appointment in Digby, N. S.

HAPPY WEDDING.

Mr. Clarke, of Cornell, Carries off a Guelph Lady.

The Guelph Daily Mercury of April 11th says: A very pretty but quiet wedding took place on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Thos. Couch, Woolwich street, when her youngest daughter, Miss Eva, was united in the bonds of matrimony to Mr. Judson F. Clarke, A. M., instructor in physiological botany at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Weeks. The bride was attended by Miss M. A. Evans, of this city, and the groom was supported by Mr. W. A. Riley, B. S. assistant to Prof. Comstock, at Cornell University. The bride was the recipient of numerous gifts, which testified to the esteem in which she is held. She will be specially missed by Trinity Baptist Church, of which she was for a number of years the organist, and was also an active worker in the Young People's Union. The groom is a graduate of the O. A. College and held the position of Resident Master at this institution for a period of years. Afterwards he entered upon a course at Cornell University, where he graduated with honors and secured his arts degree. The wedding guests included only the immediate friends of the contracting parties. The bride and groom left by the 7.35 train for point west, followed by the best wishes of a large circle of friends. A large number of the members of the Y. P. U. of Trinity Church were at the station to see them off.

Mr. T. C. Wallace, travelling passenger agent of the Union Pacific R. R. Co., and C. A. Bryant of the Chicago and North Western, paid the province a visit this week. In the cities visited these gentlemen have with them a microscope by which they exhibit a realistic picture of a fast train. Those present at the Davies were highly pleased with the entertainment given on Saturday evening. "The Overland Limited"—en route Chicago to San Francisco. It shows the train moving at the rate of 60 miles an hour, which was the speed attained when the picture was taken. The faces of the passengers and the waving of handkerchiefs are clearly shown. While in the city these gentlemen distributed a large quantity of miscellaneous advertising matter, maps, etc., descriptive of the train service and the country through which these lines operate. Any person desiring any information or maps can obtain same by calling upon Mr. J. L. Thomson, ticket agent of the P. E. Island Railway.

It is in the fitness of things that the Island Province should contribute a Minister of Marine and Fisheries to the Dominion Cabinet. When a place is entirely surrounded by salt water it is quite natural that the local politicians should know a deal about local lights, shoals, lobster beds and so on. Sir Louis Davies, and so, when it comes to Marine and Fisheries, he is handling a department whereof he speaks with authority. If a Cabinet Minister is supposed to have his department "down fine," then certainly Sir Louis Davies fulfills that requirement. At any rate, if he knew nothing about it, to begin with, he is just the kind of man to buckle to and learn the whole business, even if he had to stay up nights and do so. Sir Louis impresses even the most casual observer with his conscientiousness, not to say punctiliousness. He has all that mental and physical alertness which I have remarked so frequently in the maritime members, and he is as quick as any of them at seizing a point in debate and turning it against the enemy, but Sir Louis is not so impulsive as the others. He has more finesse, more reserve, and, so to speak, handles a subject with his gloves on. He is manly, always in his place in the House and follows all the speeches attentively.—H. F. G. in Toronto Star.

Neuralgia is very prevalent during the spring months; if you are afflicted with it our Neuralgia Wafers will cure you. Pleasant to take and the price is 25c at "Hughes' Apothecaries Hall. 7 d & w wed & sat

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ROBERTS WILL ADVANCE

Moves This Week with Seventy-five Thousand Men.

QUEEN RECEIVES A BOUQUET

From Wives of Irish Soldiers—Boers and British Active near Rouxville and Reddersburg—Another Canadian Dead of Fever—Soldiers' Monument Called For.

THE QUEEN RECEIVES A BOUQUET.

DUBLIN, April 17.—(Special.)—After the Queen's drive to-day she received in audience the daughter of Sergeant Major Partigan, now at Colenso, who presented Her Majesty with a bouquet from the wives and men of the Irish regiments in South Africa.

EX-BRITISH SOLDIER SHOT.

NEW YORK, April 17.—(Special.)—Sergeant Douglas of Mount Vernon, an ex-British soldier and a Scotsman was shot. He leaves a wife and two children.

ROBERTS WILL NOW ADVANCE.

LONDON, April 17.—(Special.)—At last Lord Roberts seems on the eve of making a forward move, and is expected to leave Bloemfontein before the end of this week. It is believed his advance will be with 75,000 men.

BOTH SIDES ACTIVE IN FREE STATE.

The Boers are very active about Rouxville and Reddersburg roads.

The British are advancing to the relief of Wepener and some Boers want to retire before they may be cut off.

SOUNDS OF RIFLE FIRING.

Rifle firing has been reported in the direction of Thabanchu but there are no particulars.

A MONUMENT FOR OUR SOLDIERS.

TORONTO, April 17.—(Special.)—Hamilton cables that the Canadians in South Africa want the government to erect some kind of a monument in memory of their comrades who have fallen.

ANOTHER DEAD OF FEVER.

Col. Otter reports that Private W. J. Adams of London who was wounded at Paardeberg, died on the 16th of enteric fever.

THE EDITORS MAIL.

Still in Nineteenth Century.

Sir,—We have settled down to finish the remainder of our century in peace, undisturbed by the suggestion that we do not well know in what century we really move, and contentions that the twentieth century is already with us have been ruled out of order, and are now declared inadmissible to the columns of our leading journals and periodicals as being contentions on behalf of untenable ground. I notice, however, that there has crept into "The Editor's Mail" a letter by one signing himself H. H. Osgood again urging this untenable ground. It seems a pity that one who uses such an excellent illustration, as does the writer under criticism, should promulgate an erroneous conclusion based on a single mis-statement that has but to be pointed out to him to convince him, if he is bona fide, of his error. Admitting his illustration that the first hour of the day is between twelve and one, and endorsing his deduction that the hand of his century clock does reach the figure one "at midnight Dec. 31st and one year, the first of the century, is then completed," it follows (the first century being under consideration) that the figure two is reached at midnight Dec. 31st A. D. 2, on the completion of another year—the second of the same century. And so, as the hand moves on and the years pass by, at midnight, Dec. 31st A. D. 99 the hand similarly points to the figures ninety-nine nor to 100 as your contributor erroneously mis-states. The statements in the remainder of his letter which are deductions based on this mis-statement are also inaccurate. The hand of the century clock, so aptly used to illustrate the point, reaches the figure one hundred at midnight December 31st in the YEAR one hundred, whereupon the century is completed. Thanking you for your space, believe me, Mr. Editor.

Yours very truly W. F. H. CARVELL.

Hawthorne Villa, 17th April A. D. 1900.

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Haltax Man Won The V. C. Several Times.

The following extract from a letter of a non-commissioned officer of the Royal Dublin Fusiliers at present serving with the Natal field force in South Africa, taken from the Daily Express, Dublin, of March 16th, shows what a high opinion the "Tommys" of that regiment had, of the bravery of the late Captain C. A. Hensley:—

"We have lost another good officer. His name was Captain Hensley. He died from wounds received in action. I do not believe you would get a braver officer if you were to search the British army, for his gallantry was ever spoken of by the 'Tommys,' and if ever an officer won the V. C. it was Captain Hensley. Not only once, but several times he has earned the V. C., but never got it. He is dead and at rest now, but his name will never be forgotten by the 'Old Toughs,' for he was a great favorite among us. There is very few of our battalion officers left now. They are either killed, wounded or prisoners."

Carters' Seeds Grow.

See our new baby carriages. First installment have arrived. They're beauties—call and see them.—John Newson. 17 ft

EASTER GOWNINGS—Scotland's darlings, wool mixtures in happy color combinations.—30 New pieces opened yesterday. Jas. Paton & Co. 18 ft

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Some of Our Ladies Fine footwear has arrived (others to arrive daily). They have turned out as we expected, neat, pretty and well finished. These first arrivals we think are the forerunners of the finest selection we have ever made. We have used our 18 years experience in picking out the newest and prettiest things shown for the season's wear. Full stock in a few days. GOFF BROS.