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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1899.

THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY.

Other more stirring and critical events have so engrossed the Canadian public that comparatively little attention has been given to the latest phase of the Alaskan boundary question as developed by Sir Louis Davies' recent conference with the Imperial authorities. We learn that the Minister of Marine before leaving England had succeeded in quite disabusing the minds of imperial statesmen of any credence they may have given to charges of unfairness on Canada's part. A section of the press of the United States had put forward from day to day the statement that the Dominion had made grasping and unreasonable proposals that could not be entertained, and these statements had to some extent influenced public opinion in England.

Canada's position as set forth by Sir Louis Davies in his address at the banquet given him before leaving England was summarised as follows:

- (1) An unconditional arbitration of the whole Alaskan boundary dispute;
- (2) Arbitration on terms similar to the Venezuelan arbitration; or
- (3) Arbitration on the understanding that the Americans keep Dyea and Skagway, if they will give to Canada Pyramid harbor and adjacent territory, thus giving us a harbor front on the Lynn Canal.

In the meantime a temporary boundary has been agreed upon at each of the three passes leading from the Lynn Canal into the interior. This agreement is made without prejudice to the just claims of either party, and serves to give time for further negotiation without needless friction or trouble between the two countries. It is most earnestly to be hoped that one or other of the proposals above cited may be accepted by the Washington Government.

We greatly regret to announce the death of Sheriff Gaffney, of Prince County, which sad event took place at his residence Summerside, last evening about nine o'clock, after a protracted illness.

Some confusion is liable to arise from the mention of the Royal Irish Fusiliers and the Royal Dublin Fusiliers in the war despatches. Six companies of the Royal Irish, as our despatches tell, were made prisoners in Monday's disastrous battle. The names of the captured and wounded officers are mentioned in our despatch column. It is in the Royal Dublin and not the Royal Irish that Lieutenants C. A. Hensley, S. L. Patterson and G. N. Corey, all of Kingston Royal Military College, are serving. Lieutenant Hensley is a Charlottetownian.

Both the British regiments captured in Monday's battle by the Boers have long and distinguished records. The

Greater Regiment dates from the days of Marlborough and fought at Ramillies, was at Quebec in 1759, at Corunna with Sir John Moore, and through the Peninsular war, Waterloo, Sikh wars and Chilian, Wallas, Crimea and Indian mutiny. The Royal Irish Fusiliers were in the war of 1806 at Talavera, Barroza. Toulouse and Peninsular are great names embroidered on their colors. Their last engagement before the Natal campaign was Tel-ElKebir.

Charlottetown Herald:—

It is to be hoped no further serious casualties to our troops shall occur until a concentration of forces can be effected, when we confidently hope the Boers will be driven back and completely defeated. The whole Empire is interested in this war, as it has never been in any previous hostilities in which Great Britain has been engaged. Every colony has its contingent on the way to the front, and all are anxious that the Colonial volunteers may do honor to the Empire, to the respective Colonies and to themselves.

Some day's since we printed a despatch stating that the Sardinian, with the Canadian Contingent would go by way of the Mediterranean and Suez. The Toronto Globe of recent date states they were to take a direct course from the Gulf of St. Lawrence to the Cape and thence to Durban, a distance of about 8,500 miles which would occupy about 30 days. Our despatches of this morning state that the Sardinian sailed with sealed orders, and will be conveyed by H.M.S. Crescent. In any case the Canadians will not probably reach Durban until about December 1st. If the Mediterranean route is taken they will be some days longer on the way.

It is quite clear that brave General White made a mistake to go out against the Boers on Monday last instead of acting purely on the defensive until reinforcements reached him. That was the first and great mistake. In the battle he was outgeneralled, lost touch with his left wing, and that unfortunate column, containing the flower of his army was left to its fate. They were ambuscaded in a defile, and the mules stampeded by having boulders rolled upon them from the hill-sides. Thus the brave fellows were at once deprived of their battery and their reserve of rifle ammunition. They had only left to them the cartridges in their belts. When these were shot away and they were surrounded by many times their now decimated numbers there was no alternative but surrender. Their re-

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. F. W. L. Moore leaves this morning for Boston.

Rev. J. J. Teasdale returned by the mail train this morning.

Mr. Walter Mathieson was a passenger by the mail special this morning.

Mr. W. E. Hyndman left for Lethbridge, Alberta, yesterday morning.

Mr. J. H. Bayne Station Master at Georgetown was in the city yesterday.

Mr. E. H. Haviland went west yesterday morning on a shooting excursion.

Rev. A. McLean Sinclair was registered at the Queen Hotel Halifax yesterday.

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MARRIED.

At the home of the bride's mother, Kent Street on Wednesday evening Nov. 1st, by Rev. J. W. McCannell, Frederick Leslie Renouf to Mary Louise Wayman.

DIED.

At Eidersdale on the morning of Oct. 26th, 1899, Teresa C. M. Neill, daughter of Thos. McNeill, Esq., aged 58 years.

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CHICAGO MARKETS.

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