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TERRIBLE FLOODS!

Cover 25,000 Square miles
In Texas.

FRIGHTFUL DAMAGES

Transvaal Prospects are
Brighter—Troops Ready
to be Despatched.

GALVESTON, Texas, July 6—(Special)—Floods as the result of heavy rain have covered miles of Texas country.

Many valuable farms have been destroyed, and railroads washed out.

The water is still rising and 25,000 square miles are now flooded.

The war department has been asked to send relief, including boats from here with 10,000 rations.

Many lives have been lost, the number not known, but believed to be fully two hundred.

LONDON, July 6—(Special)—A compromise with the Transvaal seems likely as the result of a conference with the cabinet of the Orange Free State.

The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon says that the Secretary of War, the Marquis of Lansdowne, in conjunction with the military chiefs has concluded arrangements to despatch 40,000 to 50,000 of all arms to South Africa in the event of matters taking a critical aspect.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—(Special)—Showers with fresh south winds, changing to north west winds.

For These Warm Days

There's nothing like a comfortable shoe. There's lots of comfort in those white canvas oxford we are selling.

Lots of wear in them too.
Children's, 65c.
Misses', 75c.
Women's, \$1.00
Men's, \$1.25

GOFF BROS.

A LIMIT TO USURY

But It Is Put Down at 20 Per Cent.

A SUICIDE FOR LOVE

Apostolic Delegate to Canada—Pare and Holden in Their old Cells.

OTTAWA, July 6—(Special)—The Banking and Commerce Committee took up the usury bill again and made it apply to loans under \$1000.

Interest must not exceed 20 per cent. The bill will not apply in the Yukon district.

A young man named Hilane Martin, 18 years of age attempted suicide in Hull and is dying. He did this because his father opposed his marriage.

The Pope has appointed Mgr. Falconia, Titular Archbishop of Cersusa and Masters, Apostolic Delegate to Canada. All matters in dispute in the church will be referred to him.

NAPANEE, July 6—(Special)—Pare and Holden, the bank robbers, arrived here from Campbellton, N. B., and are safely back in their old cells.

Death of Rev. M. Kobayashi.

Christians, especially those connected with the Methodist Church in Japan, will be deeply sorry to hear of the death, after less than a month's illness, of the Rev. Kobayashi, the beloved minister of the Azabu Methodist Church. He was a man whose character was unquestionable, and one who was true to the religion he professed, even against heavy odds. He did the work which was set out for him, leaving the results in the hands of his Master; and having once put his hand to the plough, went on unflinchingly. The idea of leaving a work which he believed to be all important for the sake of pecuniary gain elsewhere, was one that was beyond his idea of honour. With the students of the Tokyo Eiwa Gakko he was most popular, and his loss will be deeply felt among them. Mr. Kobayashi was in the ministry over twenty years. Japan Times, [The deceased visited Charlottetown several years ago and was the guest of Dr. R. and Mrs. Johnson.]

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THE SHIPS TO ARRIVE

The N. A. Squadron Coming Today

ADMIRAL AND OFFICERS

Flagship Crescent With the Proserpine, Indefatigable and Quail.

It is expected that the new flagship Crescent, the cruisers Proserpine and Indefatigable, and the torpedo boat-destroyer Quail, will arrive in Charlottetown early this afternoon, and remain until Tuesday next when they will proceed to Sydney. The Crescent is a cruiser of the first class and is 7,700 tons. Her officers are:

Vice-Admiral—Sir Frederick G D Bedford, K C B.

Flag lieutenant—Leslie L J Hammond.

Secretary—Charles E Byron.

Captain—Charles J G Barrie.

Clerks to the secretary—Hugh S Hall, Edgar M White.

Commander—Henry H Campbell.

Lieutenants—Clement Greston, Chas G Carpendale, Reginald L Orliston, Lockhart Leith, Chas W R Royce, Leslie L J Hammond.

Major R M A—Alfred Orford.

Lieutenant E M—John G Horne.

Chaplain—Rev H H William Royce, B A.

Fleet surgeon—William E Bennett.

Fleet paymaster—Henry W Hunt.

Paymaster—Harold J D Spriggs.

Staff engineer—John G Stevens.

Naval instructor—Richard H Whapman, M A.

Sub lieutenants—W J C Lake, Francis A Martin.

Surgeons—Ernest A Penfold, M D, John Boyan.

Engineer—William H Pratt.

Assistant Engineers—William R Meir, John R Bell, W J Steel.

Gunner—B S C Stoddard, H F Carter.

Boatswain—Charles S Cassidy.

Carpenter—George C Grant.

Midshipmen—Bernard T Coate, Horatio S Flind, George T G Swabey, Hon Arthur G Clarke, Colin S Ingle, Richard H Faulkner, George H O'Lyan, B Hartford.

Naval cadets—H S M Harrison, J M Ogilvie, W N LePage, Charles L McCallan, F E B Pellmann, B H Ramsay, J C T Barrett.

Clerks—Jercy Cruise, R F Brown, Rowland G Robinson, Victor O Padwick.

Assistant clerk—Charles F Webber.

The Proserpine is a first class cruiser 2,135 tons. This is the Proserpine's first time on the North American station. Her officers are,—

Captain—John L Mare.

Lieutenants—William C E Buck Keene, B W F Travers, Dennis B Campton, Robert Jeffreys, Freeman Thorndike.

Staff Surgeon—John Louney.

Paymaster—E H Innes.

Chief Engineer—Sydney G Heddeck.

Sub-Lieutenant—A D Barrow.

Ass. Engineers—Jonathan J Screech, E P Soper.

Gunner—F Blackwell.

Carpenter—Thomas Merriman.

Clerk—A E Stack.

The Indefatigable is a second class cruiser, 3,600 tons. Her officers according to the latest available Navy List, are as follows:—

Captain—George A Primrose.

Lieutenants—Arthur J Henniker-Hughan, Basil H Fanshawe, Arthur K Macrorie, Douglas F Murray.

Staff Surgeon—John Jenkins.

Paymaster—George H Sturges.

Staff Engineer—Thomas C E Hughes.

Assistant Paymaster—Charles F Wishell.

Engineer—George E A Crichton.

Assistant Engineer—James D W H F Cranley.

Gunner—Henry Barratt.

Boatswain—George Deaham.

Carpenter—John McKenzie.

The Quail is the first warship of her type ever on this station, and will, no doubt, attract much attention. She was built at Birkenhead and launched in 1895. Her

BARQUE ARRIVES

In Souris with two Rescued Fisherman.

ADRIFT IN A DORY

Were Lost For Forty-eight Hours In a Fog Without Any Food.

SOURIS, July 6—Barque Armenia of Liverpool with salt for Matthew & McLean arrived here today. She picked up two fishermen on Grand Bank who strayed from the schooner John Miller, Newfoundland. The men were in a dory forty-eight hours in a thick fog with nothing to eat or drink when the barque was found.—The schooner Arc Light, Capt Bushie, is loading for St. Peter's. She sails in a few days. The schooner Maggie Alice, Landrigan, loading for St. Pierre Island. Schooner Nutwood about ready to take in cargo. She has had her spars shortened and otherwise repaired.—There was a bad runaway here today. A horse attached to a buggy loaded with berries and cream from the east for one of our jewelry men, took fright, smashing the buggy and depositing contents on the sidewalk. Luckily no person was hurt.

dimensions are as follows: Length 213 feet 6 inches; beam 21 feet 6 inches, mean draught with full load, 8 feet 6 inches, and displaces 300 tons. She has twin screws. The two engines develop 6,000 indicated horse power, giving her a speed of 30.38 knots on her trial trip, and although not the fastest, yet is one of the fastest vessels of her type in the British navy, or any other navy. Her armament consists of one 3 inch 12 pound quick firer, five six pound quick firers, and two torpedo tubes. Some of the 27 knot boats carried three tubes, the additional one being placed in the bows, but that was done away with in the 30 knot destroyer, as a vessel going at that rate of speed would likely overrun the torpedo, as the torpedo's rate of speed at the utmost is about 30 knots. Her coal capacity is 90 tons, and her complement for a foreign station, 62 officers and men. Steam is supplied to the engines from four watertube boilers, two forward of the engines, and two aft of the engines, the engines being between the two sets.

THE KEELEY CURE

Those wishing to be cured of the craving for Alcohol, Morphine, Tobacco, and Cigarettes go to Portland, Maine, Keeley Institute. References: R. C. GORE, L. G. WORTHY, WM TURNER, P. P. ARCHIBALD, ALEXANDER HORNE, W. B. ROBERTSON, SIMON W. CRABBE, Mrs. A. J. JOHNSON, Mrs. R. J. CAMPBELL.

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CANADIAN OARSMEN

Beaten and Out of The Final Race.

BIGAMIST AND THIEF

Arrested in Rochester—Child Drinks Embalming Fluid And Dies.

HENLEY July 6—(Special).—In the Grand Challenge Cup race the London Rowing Club eight beat the Argonauts of Toronto.

This puts the Canadians out of the final.

Thompson still has a chance for the Diamond Sculls.

ROCHESTER July 6—(Special).—Harry F. St. Clair from Toronto is arrested here for stealing a watch from his wife.

The police say he has been married four times within a few months and all his wives are living.

FREDERICTON, July 6.—[Special].—Jas Boyle died at Gibson. The undertaker left the embalming fluid exposed and the deceased's year and a half old son drank from a bottle and died.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 6.—(Special).—The following are the closing rates: July wheat. —; corn, 38½; oats, pork, 8.55. Sept. wheat, 74½; corn, 38½; oats, 20½; pork, 8.55. Dec. wheat, 76; corn, 38½; oats, 21½; pork, —.

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C. E. CONVENTION

Great Gathering of Young People Assen. at Detroit to Take Part in the Last Christian Endeavor Convention of the Century. But one.

DETROIT, July 5.—The officers of the United Society at Christian Endeavor did not arrive today in time to hold the annual business meeting of the corporation at the hour set, viz, 10 a. m. and the meeting was late in convening. The special train from Boston was a victim of a temporary congestion of railroad traffic, caused by a large number of Christian Endeavor special trains en route for Detroit.

Dr. Francis E. Clarke, president, Secretary John Willis Baer and Treasurer William Shaw arrived at 10.30.

At 11 o'clock Dr. Clarke called to order the annual meeting of the United Society in Hotel Cadillac.

The convention opens under the presidency of Dr. Francis E. Clarke, at half past seven o'clock this evening.

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