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## THE BOER PLOTTERS

### Engineering the Alleged Plot in Transvaal.

## NEW YORK VOLUNTEERS

### Invited to London--The Queen Will Celebrate Her 80th Birthday.

LONDON May 20 (Special)—Reliable correspondents declare there is no doubt that the alleged plot in the Transvaal was engineered by Boer officials to divert attention from the real demands of the Uitlanders.

A deputation of New York Volunteers has been invited to visit England and march with the Westminster Volunteers when the Prince of Wales reviews them on July 8th.

The hope is that the invitation will be accepted and the visitors are assured of a great reception.

The English also look forward to giving Admiral Dewey a great reception on his way home.

On her birthday the Queen will receive the Royal Family and will then be serenaded at Windsor.

She will review the Scots Guards and will drive through Windsor, passing under a beautiful arch and in the evening will witness the performance of Lohengrin.

## Ladies' Bicycle Boots

Check Canvas Tops, Chocolate, Dongola, Goloshed, light neat and comfortable fitting, good serviceable wearers, full and 1/2 sizes. Price

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## GOFF BROS.

ASK FOR PURE GOLD YEAST SURE, PURE, FRESH.

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The electoral district of Queen's which shall return two members; and the electoral district of King's, which shall consist of the county of King's and shall return one member. The two members in Queen's and Prince respectively will be voted for together.

The bill provides a court to divide the several Ontario counties in ridings. This is to be done by a commission of three judges of the Superior Court, to be appointed by letters patent, who are instructed to make a division on the basis of population and convenience.

The change of representation is only to come into effect on the expiration of this Parliament.

## DEWEY HAS SAILED.

### He Got a Great Send-off--Armistice Refused to Insurgents.

MANILA, May 20 (Special)—All the ships are gaily decorated and Dewey was given an ovation as he left for home.

The Jackies on the British cruiser Powerful manned the rigging and gave Dewey three rousing cheers as he sailed.

The Admiral expects to reach New York in September next.

Gen. Otis has refused an armistice to the insurgents, pending the decision of the Filipino Congress on peace. Desultory fighting still continues in places, but no more pitched battles are expected.

## RAILWAY MEN

### Will Present Their Grievances to the Grand Trunk Managers.

MONTREAL, May 20 (Special)—A deputation of the United Brotherhood of Railway Trunkmen, Engineers and Firemen will lay their grievances before the Grand Trunk manager.

## Search for a Schooner.

### Believed to be Wrecked on the B. C. Coast With Eighteen Persons.

VICTORIA, B. C., May 20 (Special)—Search is being made among the islands along the coast for trace of the schooner Weefa, supposed to be wrecked with eighteen persons on board.

## CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, May 20 (Special)—The following are the closing rates:

May wheat, 72 1/2; corn, 32 1/2; oats, 27; pork, 8.10  
July wheat, 73 1/2; corn, 33 1/2; oats, 28 1/2; pork, 8.20  
Sept. wheat, 74 1/2; corn, 34 1/2; oats, 29 1/2; pork, 8.35.

**Clothing.—We are selling more Mens Ready to wear than ever we sold at this season of the year. The reason is evident of our very low prices. You can save 25 to 35 per cent at least See us.—J. B. McDonald.—11**



## OUR SWEET PEAS

In the season of 1898 our Mr. G. H. Hazard grew 46 varieties of sweet peas, they being selected from over 150 varieties old and new now in commerce.

The collection of 40 kinds which we now catalogue has been selected from the 46 when in bloom last season.

Mr. Hazard took first prize for Sweet Peas at Halifax last season in competition with flowers from all the lower Provinces, and has done so for the last two years.

HASZARD & MOORE. SUNNYSIDE.



## Lodges Eton and Prince Edward Worship

## IN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

### A Crowded Edifice and an Eloquent Discourse By The Pastor.

In an address to Englishmen and Sons of England it has been stated that no nation has shown such genius for the arts of colonization as has the English nation. It was by English Ships, manned by English Sailors, and under the St. George's Cross of England, that America was first colonized. The glory and most healthful part of this Continent is that she leads the van among the loyal alliance of colonist nations, which have started out from the old parent soil. Here old English stock finds vigorous growth and join in with Canadians of English lineage has formed fraternal bond to keep alive and cherish the memories and great principles of the grand old Motherland. For these purposes the Sons of England Benefit Society was founded in 1874, and Lodges are now planted in continuous line from Newfoundland to far British Columbia.

In 1891 Lodge Eton was organized in Charlottetown with but a few charter members, but the days of small things are past, and today that lodge has an enrolment in the vicinity of one hundred members. Prince Edward Lodge has also been organized and it too is fast increasing in membership.

Yesterday was observed by the order in the city by attending service in the Baptist Church. Lodges Eton and Prince Edward were well represented. The route of procession was from the hall up Richmond to Queen, up Queen to Kent, along Kent to Prince, up Prince to the church, and crowds of people gathered along the route. The procession looked remarkably well, each member being dressed in black and wearing a silk hat with white tie and gloves and the regalia of the society.

The music by a full choir was exceptionally fine. Miss Amy Earle presided at the organ and Miss Marion Earle filled the role as soloist in the anthem "Jesus and Shall it Ever Be," and her fine, full soprano was never heard to better advantage, while Miss Amy Earle's rich contralto solo added materially to the selection.

## NEW GOODS.

Water Ice Wafers for 5 o'clock Teas.  
Wetley's Mince meat in 15 cent packages.  
Pure Clover Honey in 20 and 25c. pots.  
"Pure Gold" Jelly Powder, in 10c. packages.  
Opal Salt for Sifter, guaranteed won't cake  
Canned Shrimps from the Gulf of Mexico.  
Brookes "Monkey" Soap in 10c. cakes.  
Genuine French Macaroni in 1 lb packages.  
Simcoe Peaches in glass jars, Extra Heavy Syrup.

## BEER & GOFF.

GROCERS.

Rev G. P. Raymond took no particular passage of Scripture for a text, but spoke on the subject of "Patriotism," giving, as an introduction, an excellent quotation from a recent work concerning the prominent place that young men have always taken in the progress of the world's civilization. "At fifteen years of age Victor Hugo presented a poem to the Academy. At sixteen Leigh Hunt was a prolific writer of verses. At seventeen Michael Angelo had room in the palace of Loerzode Medici. Mozart had entranced the courts of Germany. At eighteen Charles Spurgeon was pastor of a congregation. At nineteen George Washington was a major. Bryant had written "Thanatopsis." George Stephenson was carrying in his brain an improved steam engine. At twenty Robert Hall had an enthusiastic audience. Alexander mounted the throne. Weber was producing symphonies. At twenty-one Beethoven had added a great name to music. William Wilberforce was in parliament. At twenty-two Alfred began one of the most magnificent reigns which England has ever seen. At twenty-three Browning had written "Paracelsus," Arthur Hallam had furnished Tennyson with his greatest poem. At twenty-four Bismarck was captain of the King's cavalry. Dante was a distinguished soldier and poet, Ruskin had written

"Modern Painters." Scipio had commanded the annals of Rome."

"These are only some of the thousands of young men who have ruled the world. Yet none of these can stand as our perfect representative,—no scene in any life I have mentioned can be called a characteristic scene for that ideal young man of which we dream. The perfect representative for us is the young man Jesus Christ. The scene in his life which would most affect young men, if they were to read the Bible as they would any history of a great nation, is the baptism of Jesus of Nazareth by his young friend and cousin John. There at the banks of Jordan stand the ages to look, beyond all heroism and all conquest, upon that face rising out of that hour of consecration with the youth of his career all aglow with the splendor of

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## Cecil Rhodes An Orator.

In addition to his other great qualities Cecil Rhodes, the African empire-builder, has recently shown wonderful skill as an orator. In his public addresses he is fearless to a degree that suggests the refinement of art. He halts and stumbles over a sentence just before saying something which shows on its face that it has been carefully thought out. Just at the proper moment a messenger boy rushes in to deliver a telegram announcing that another division of the "Cape to Cairo" railroad has been completed. This reminds Mr. Rhodes that his company has refused a lower bid for rails from an American company in order to keep the workmen of England employed. Everything during one of his speeches happens just at the right time to produce the strongest possible impression. The conclusion is almost forced that Mr. Rhodes prepares for his speeches as carefully as the theatrical manager for the first production of a new play.

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## TRADE IS BOOMING

### Imports Increase 14 Millions in 10 Months.

## EXPORTS FALLING OFF

### County Boundaries Restored—How Members Will be Elected in P. E. I.

OTTAWA, May 20 (Special)—The Trade Returns for the ten months ending April 30 show an increase of fourteen and a quarter millions, the total being \$255,057,327.

The increase is entirely in imports, the exports falling off four millions. The duty for the same period increased nearly three millions.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the absence of Hon. Mr. Mulock introduced the Redistribution Bill in the House of Commons.

In the Maritime Provinces county boundary lines are restored in P. E. I. and N. B. There will be one member for the city of St. John and one for the county instead of two members for the city and county.

In the province of P. E. I. there shall be three electoral districts designated as follows: The electoral district of Prince, which shall return two members;

## BABIES TORTURED.

By flaming, itching eczema, find prompt and permanent cure in Dr. Chase's Ointment, a preparation which has a record of cures unparalleled in the history of medicine. Eczema, salt rheum, tetter, scald head, old people's rash, and all itching skin diseases, are absolutely cured by Dr. Chase's Ointment.

## OUR QUEEN NEARLY BLIND

### A Report From London That Her Majesty is Losing Her Sight.

NEW YORK, May 19. The Journals London says: "Queen Victoria is almost blind. She has completely lost the sight of her left eye and her right eye is nearly obscured by a cataract."

This alarming condition of the Queen's eyes has been discovered by Dr. Fagenstecher, the famous German oculist. He has advised an immediate operation upon the Queen's right eye.

An operation is said to be the only thing that can prevent total blindness. —On the arrival of Her Majesty at Paddington Railway station, on Monday, she noticed on the platform a shaggy Irish terrier named "Tim" which collects contributions for the widows and orphans fund of the railway. The Queen had "Tim" brought to her by the conductor of the train, and after patting the terrier on the head, she dropped a piece of gold into the metal box hanging about the dog's neck.

## TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure you. Dec. 17 25, nos d & w

## MARKETS.

### PRODUCE MARKET.

MONTREAL, May 18.

With slightly easier advices on cheese from the other side, the local market still remains just about steady, and the range is 9 1-2c to 9 5-8c. In the country the feeling is also steady, with the bulk of the business again on the basis of 9 1-4.

There was quite a lot of business done in the country cheese markets yesterday and the most popular figure was 9 1-4 cents.

Creamery is quoted on the basis of 15 1-2c to 16 1-2, according to quality, with little or nothing doing in the way of dairy.

There was no change in the situation of the egg market. The egg demand continues good, and the market is active and steady. Choice stock is selling at 11c to 11 1-4, and No. 2 at 9 1-2c to 10c per doz.

Dr. Ward's Blood & Nerve Pills CURE DYSPEPSIA

In the show window of Mr. W. P. Colwill's Crockeryware Store may be seen a large number of beautiful jardineres, the latest designs and the best of goods. They are well worth seeing.—22 1w.

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### D. McLEAN

Secy. Board of Commissioners of Sewers and Water Supply City Hall, May 18, '99 20 61 eod

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