

BRITAIN SEIZES THREE ISLANDS

For Reasons in View of Panama Canal

Lady Somerset Retires—Actress Divorced for Misconduct—Lipton's Fleet Sails—U. S. to Pay for Steamer.

LADY SOMERSET RETIRES.
LONDON, May 28.—(Special)—Lady Henry Somerset retired from the presidency of the British Women's Temperance Association on account of ill health.

BRITAIN GETS MORE ISLANDS.
The British Government has seized three small islands near Pitouira regarded as valuable in anticipation of the completion of the Panama Canal.

CHICAGO MARKETS.
CHICAGO, May 28.—(Special).—May Wheat 77; Corn, 45; Pork, \$19.05.
July Wheat 73; Corn 45; Pork \$17.35.

57—62 THE CRITICAL AGE.
Height of vigor past—nature's power slowing down, vitality less, recuperative power less, endurance less. On the progress of decay, tone up the weakened nerve centres, impart vigor to the tiring brain, prepare for the crisis. A means of decreasing progency in the renewal of vigor, endurance, vim. Your druggist has it. Get a box to-day.

Men's Box Calf Laced Boots
with heavy extension soles, English back straps, a stylish looking boot and a good wearer.

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FOR SALE

The valuable lot above Wm. H. Haskin's residence and grounds, formerly owned by Judge Hensley and now owned by me, containing between 10 and 12 acres running from the Royalty Road to the North River. A beautiful location for a fine residence and grounds. Apply to the owner.

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Try our **EARLY GIANT GARDEN PEAS.**
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UNION BLEND

THE HONOUR LIST AT P. W. COLLEGE

Miss Bessie Guard, Alberton Wins the coveted Medal—The Certificates Awarded in the First and Second Years—Program For Closing To-night.

THE closing exercises of Prince of Wales College will be held in the College Hall this evening at eight o'clock. The following program will be given:
Opening Selection—Orchestra.
Report of year's work—By Principal.
Presentation of medals and diplomas—by His Honor, Judge Warburton.
Address—John Caven Esq., Professor Emeritus.
Glee—College Glee Club.
Report of Manual Training and presentation of Certificates—J. D. Collier Esq., Director of McDonald school.
Quartet.—
Address—H. J. Cundall, Esq.
Orchestral Selection—
Address On behalf of staff—J. A. McDonald, B. A.
God Save the King.

HONOR LIST—1903.
The Anderson Gold Medal—Bessie Guard, Alberton.
The Governor General's Silver Medal—Viola Beers, City.
The Governor General's Bronze Medal—Garnet Lelacheur, Murray Harbor South.
The Howard Prize—John T. McNeill, Elmsdale.
The D. A. MacKinnon Prize—Bessie Boyver, City.
The John Caven Prize—Esther Oxenham, Brookfield.

HONOR DIPLOMAS.
Bessie Guard.
Viola Beers.
Alice Perkins, City.
Bessie Boyver.
SECOND YEAR CERTIFICATES.
Esther Oxenham.
Garnet Lelacheur, Murray Harbor South.
Robert B. Stewart, Stratburgartney.
Winnie Thomas, Corwall.
Lemuel Ackland, Hampshire.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST.

Harry D. McLean, Scuris was in the city yesterday.
Hon. Benj. Rogers, Alberton went to Truro yesterday.
Dr. Honeywell, Hunter River, was in the city yesterday.
J. W. McDonald, contractor returns to Stellerton to-day.
Mrs. James E. Harris, Windsor is visiting friends in the city.
Mrs. Benj. Rogers, Fairholm, left yesterday on a visit to Boston.
E. H. HAVILAND made the round trip by the Princess yesterday.
J. M. Clark, Summerside came to the city last night by the express.
Kenneth Ferguson, Glace Bay was a passenger to the city last night.
Thomas Handrahan returned last night from a business trip to Sydney.
Dr. Taylor returned last night from a three weeks visit to New York.
George A. Hughes of the P. E. Island Railway went to Moncton yesterday.
Victor Douse was a passenger by the Princess last night returning from Sydney.
D. A. Sharpe, Summerside was in the city yesterday. He was registered at the Revere.
Major Schurman was a passenger from Summerside last night and goes to Sydney to-day.

UTTERLY HELPLESS.
W. E. Ellis Could not Feed Himself or Walk Alone—Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured him.

CEDARDALE, Ont., May 25th.—(Special)—W. E. Ellis, of this place, whose remarkable cure of Muscular Rheumatism set the whole neighborhood talking, is out with a statement that his recovery was entirely due to Dodd's Kidney Pills.
"Two years ago," Mr. Ellis states, "I got Muscular Rheumatism, I could get no relief from the medicine I tried and in answer to my direct question, Doctor, can you cure Muscular Rheumatism?" the doctor answered "No." Then I said "You are of no use to me."
"I got so bad I could not feed myself or walk alone. Then I was induced to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I took six boxes and they drove all the Rheumatism out of me and left me in good health once more."

EARTHQUAKE ON THE EUPHRATES

Totally Destroys a Turkish Town Killing Thousands

Armenians and Troops Perish—Shock at Constantinople—Awful Accident by Boat Capsizing at Posen.

EARTHQUAKE DESTROYES A TOWN.
CONSTANTINOPLE, May 28.—(Special)—A terrible earthquake occurred April 26th at Melszherd, in the village of Van, eighty miles southeast of Erzeroum, on

FLAMES RAGE OVER TEN MILES
Carrying Destruction to All That is Before Them

Terrific Fires Are Sweeping Forests in Annapolis County Leaving Destruction in Their Wake.

LAWRENCEVILLE, N. S., May 27.—A terrific forest fire is raging south of Lawrenceville which threatens the destruction of thousands of dollars worth of property. In fact the loss is already estimated at several thousand dollars. It has been raging for several days and now covers an area of about ten miles and is spreading rapidly.
On Tuesday night the dwelling and out-buildings of Matthew Sheardon at Albany were totally destroyed.
Help has been summoned from Lawrenceville, Middleton, Springfield and Bridgewater and today hundreds of willing hands attempted to check the progress of the flames but it is believed that unless a heavy rain comes quickly the damage will be almost appalling.
So far no lives have been reported lost, but it is difficult to foretell what will happen during the next twenty-four hours.
Davidson's lumber mill at Alpena is threatened as is also that of Pickles and Mills at Paradise. The latter firm have

BRIDES

Are always "beautiful" and always "happy" according to the society reporters, and in this case the report is mostly true. There may be unhappy brides in fiction, but there are few in real life. But how hard it is to look upon many of the wives we know and believe that they were once beautiful and happy. Pain, the result of womanly disease, has marred beauty and undermined happiness. Beauty and happiness are both restored to the sufferers from womanly diseases by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures the pain-producing, irregular, drying, weakening, draining, healing inflammation and ulceration, and curing female weakness. It restores roundness to the sunken cheek and plumpness to the shrunken body.

"I have thought for some time I would write you and tell you of the great improvement in my health since taking your 'Favorite Prescription,'" says Mrs. H. S. Jones, of Forest, N. C. "When I began its use I was a physical wreck and had despaired of ever having any health again. Could not sit up all day, and was so weak I could not walk one quarter of a mile. I noted a great improvement in my health before the first bottle was used. Was suffering with almost every pain that a woman is subject to: had inflammation of ovaries, painful and suppressed periods, and other symptoms of female disease. After taking six bottles of 'Favorite Prescription,' I felt like a new person. Can ride horseback and take all kinds of exercise and do not feel tired."

If you are led to the purchase of "Favorite Prescription" because of its remarkable cures of other women, do not accept a substitute which has none of these cures to its credit.
If you are looking for a perfect laxative try Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

NEW YORK STOCKS
Daily Quotation List Furnished by E. G. RYKERT & CO., MEMBERS OF THE MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE Montreal.
Closing prices May 27/28
Amalgamated Copper 61 3/4
American Sugar 133 1/2
Atchafalca 74
Atchafalca Preferred 84 3/4
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 81 1/2
Erie 34 3/4
Louisville & Nashville 111 1/2
Manhattan 107 1/2
Metropolitan 100 1/2
Missouri Pacific 100 1/2
New York Central 107 1/2
Pennsylvania 107 1/2
Reading 94 1/2
Rock Island 36 3/4
Southern Pacific 51 3/4
" " Railway Common 27 1/2
" " Preferred 94 1/2
St. Paul 100 1/2
Union Pacific 85 3/4
United States Steel Common 81 1/2
" " Preferred 81 1/2
Soo Preferred 118 1/2

COMING EVENTS.
City Council meets on the second Monday in each month. Dr. James Warburton, Mayor; H. M. Davison, City Clerk.
The B. I. S. meets on the first Monday of each month.

GUARDIAN WANTS
HELP WANTED—MALE
WANTED.—A man to assist in the care of an invalid. For further information write or apply to D. S. Harper, Shediac, New Brunswick. 2414
WANTED—SEVERAL INDUSTRIOUS PERSONS in each state to travel for house established eleven years and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for successful and profitable life. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$3 and all travelling expenses and hotel bills advanced in cash each week. Experience not essential. Mention reference and enclose self-addressed envelope, THE NATIONAL, Canton Bldg., Chicago. 523 301
HELP WANTED—FEMALE
WANTED—A servant for general household work. Apply to Mrs. C. R. Smallwood, City. 2414
WANTED—A girl for general household work. Apply at this office. 2414
LOST
LOST—A medium sized account book (leather bound) between Kensington Hall and Worthy's Bakery. Finder please leave at this office. 2414
FOR SALE
FOR SALE—A very nice driving carriage cheap. Call at the Guardian office. 2414
ROAD WAGON FOR SALE—One superior pneumatic road wagon, highest grade, ball bearings, dunlop tires, quick coupling shafts and all the latest improvements, shipped to Charlottetown by mistake. Have orders to sell or return. Enquire at Guardian office. 2414
FOR SALE—That pleasantly situated house fronting on Hillsborough Square, one door west of Notre Dame Convent. Apply on the premises. 2414
TO LET
TO LET—Two commodious offices in the new Desbrisay Block. Apply to G. F. Hutchison, 15 d t
TO LET—Furnished house in pleasant locality, ten large, well-lighted rooms, modern conveniences, large lawn and shade trees. Night minutes walk to Post Office. Address Box 251. 49 d t
FOR SALE—Cheap, two Church organs; 1 Pipe organ, 1 Two Manual Pedal Bass organ.—H. A. Tanton & Co., Great George Street, Charlottetown. 422 d, w t

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