

**THE MORNING GUARDIAN**

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**DEATH OF PAUL KRUGER.**

Paul Kruger is dead. In old age and in exile he has passed from the activities of this life. Born at Rastenburg in 1825 he was educated in the narrow religious school of his people. He was ten years old when he with his parents joined in the Great Trek of 1835. That event and subsequent experiences fixed in his mind beyond hope of eradication the notion that the British Government was an iniquitous oppression. The Great Trek really grew out of the abolition of slavery. It and subsequent removals was made in assertion of the right of the white man to hold the black man in bondage.

As a young man Kruger became a horseman, a mighty hunter, a warrior valiant in fight against the Kafirs. Twice he was sent with other delegates to England to protest against the annexation of the Transvaal and in 1880 fought at Majuba Hill and helped to win an ill-starred victory. He became a member of the Executive Council of the Transvaal in 1872 and President in 1882. To that office he was three times afterwards elected, outwitting all rivals by mingled strength of character, indomitable purpose, force and fraud. He was destined to be the last President of the Transvaal.

It was the beginning of the end when after most wonderful preparation and in alliance with the Orange Free State he snatched the famous ultimatum which began the deadly struggle for Boer supremacy in South Africa. He was then seventy-five years of age. He believed he would eradicate the British flag from Cape Colony and Natal. He predicted that Britain could only retain her hold at a price which "would stagger humanity." In this he was not far astray—the price was indeed terrible, thousands were

slain and the money cost mounted to a billion of dollars.

Sturdy, stubborn, self-righteous, a preacher of religion and a champion of Boer rights, cunning in diplomacy, victim of his own narrow prejudices and the belief that the Lord was with him in the war, he misled himself and those who trusted in him. Before the war was over, but when its current had turned unmitigably against him, he fled with his golden treasures to safety in Europe leaving his brave and faithful lieutenants with the people who had trusted him to work out their own salvation. By this act, and by successive defeats the eyes of his people were opened and the once popular idol of Boerland fell from its pedestal.

His last days were shadowed by defeat, the lost independence of his country, the dissipation of all his ambitious dreams. To all this was added the death of his wife to whom he was devotedly attached. Doubtless in his old age and exile he saw things differently from what they appeared to him in his days of power and wealth in the presidential chair at Pretoria. It might have been better for his country had he never lived. It could not have been pleasant matter for reflection in his last years that he had been a moving cause to so much needless loss and desolation, so much suffering death. He ended badly, with diminished honor and reverence from his own people, and with scant respect from those in other lands. His name will stand on the page of history written in blood, a name of evil rather than of good omen.

**DOES YOUR BABY CRY AT NIGHT**

If so, it is well to know the great value of Eolson's Nerviline, a household remedy for stomach pains, cramps, toothache, and the manifold ills peculiar to children. A few drops of Nerviline in sweetened water makes a very pleasant drink and never fails to quickly relieve. Nerviline is as good as the doctor in emergencies and costs only 25c. a bottle. Get Nerviline from your druggist today.

DR. HAMILTON'S MANDRAKE PILLS FOR HEADACHE.

**AT PORT ARTHUR.**

We were quite prepared for the contradiction from "Tokio of the story of a Japanese repulse with a loss of 30,000 men at Port Arthur. There is apparently authentic news that the besiegers are making assured and steady progress. On July 4th Miao Tsui fort and eight guns was captured by the Japanese. This fort is on the coast, four miles to the eastward of the entrance to Port Arthur harbor. It is on the flank of the interior series of forts, and in the rear the strong Uring and Keek Wang forts, which will enable the besiegers to attack those important positions in reverse. This capture marks the advance of the Japanese column which advanced from Dalny along the eastern shore of the peninsula.

A second column which came down the road from Nan Shan Hill was at last accounts concentrating against the Shui Shi Ying fort, six miles to the north of Port Arthur. Here a stubborn fight has been for some days expected. Once it is captured it will enable the Japanese to sweep the eastern and northern portions of the inner line of fortifications. Evidently, as we remarked yesterday, the time is not yet ripe for the final grand assault, but it is coming. The besiegers appear to be advancing with patient and consummate skill.

Port Arthur is an exceedingly strong fortress and it will be most stubbornly defended. We believe it will yet to be taken but not without great cost in blood. It is safe to discount somewhat the statement from Tokio that "the place is like a ripe plum, to be plucked whenever we are ready." Still this confidence of the commanders backed by such fighting material as composes the ranks of the besieging army, is of itself an augury of ultimate success.

One of our leading dry goods houses advertises to close at 9 o'clock on Saturday evenings. This accords with a resolution some time since adopted by the Lord's Day Alliance, the object being to enable those employed to have a better chance to rest and attend the Sunday morning services. We hope to see the plan generally acted upon.

**WONT YOU CONTRIBUTE?**

The Larner Fund still continues to grow and many are taking a deep interest in securing the carriage for the unfortunate man. Contributions are still coming in gradually. A little help will be appreciated and do much towards prolonging the life of a fellow man. The following are the contributions.

Previously acknowledged	\$50.75
Charles H B, Longworth	3.00
Judge Warburton	\$2.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$55.75</b>

**TRADE AND SHIPPING**

**PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.**

July 13, ar: Lochiel, McLaine, Pictou; Raeburn, McLean, Lonsburg.  
 July 14: Arequipa, Forrest, West, Arichat; Alma, Berso, Pictou; Lorena, McMillan, Wood Islands; Katie and Ella, Trenholm, Bale Verte; Lizzie A, McRae, Pinette; S S Electra, McLaren, Montague.  
 July 13: old; Eventide, Strickland, North Sydney; Baltic, Lawson, Pictou.  
 July 14: Arequipa, Forrest, Arichat; Alma Berso, Pictou; Katie and Ella, Trenholm, Bale Verte; Swallow, Read, Pughwash; Lizzie A, McRae, Montague; Lorena, McMillan, Wood Islands; S S Electra, McLaren, Murray Harbor.

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**WARM WEATHER WEARABLES UNDER-PRICED.**

Every department is clamoring for representation, but as a matter of fact, we can't begin to do them justice on paper—really the most satisfactory thing to do is to come yourself and judge of the many attractions in person. We think you can save money by coming here. Try!

- White and colored Linen Outing Hats, marked 38c for 25c each
- Boys' Cloth Caps worth up to 75c, for 25c each
- Men's Cloth Caps worth up to 75c, for 25c each
- Men's Braces worth 15c, for 10c each
- Men's Black Cotton Socks worth 18c, for 12c each
- Men's Summer Underwear, special value per suit 50c
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- 2 Pieces Fancy Dress Muslin marked 20c, for 15c yard
- 2 Pieces Fancy Dress Muslin marked 30c, for 15c yard
- 2 Pieces Black and White Dress Muslin marked 25c, for 15c yard
- 1 Piece Fancy Mercerized Lawns marked 30c, for 15c yard
- 2 Dozen Ready-to-Wear Hats Half Price
- 6 Ladies' Cotton Wrappers Half Price
- Children's White Lawn Sun Hats Half Price
- Basket full of Children's Tan Hose Half Price
- Basket full Children's Plaid Hose Half Price
- Ladies' Black Cotton Hose "Special" 12c pair
- Special value Cashmere Hose 25c pair
- Fancy stitched Cotton Hose, "special" 28c pair
- Basket of ladies' Silk Gloves per pair, "special" 25c pair
- 6 ladies' Linen Coats, marked \$1.50, now 25c each
- 4 dozen Shirtwaists Half Price
- 8 pairs slightly soiled Lace Curtains Half Price
- Colored Silk Collar Forms, marked 20c, now 10c each
- Olympic Collaring, marked 25c for 10c
- 20 pieces Muslin, special price 10c yard
- 3 pieces fancy Voile Dress Goods, marked 65c, for 45c
- 3 pieces striped Voile Dress Goods, marked 48c, for 35c
- Basket full of Applique reduced to 7c yard
- 75c Pairs of Corsets, all sizes Half Price
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- Men's Pants reduced to 75c pair

**NEW GOODS BY EXPRESS.**

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 New Four-in-hand Shirtwaist Scarfs, new Belts, new Shirtwaists Sets, new fancy Hat Pins, Silk Waists, etc.

**Men's Ready-made Clothing at big Discounts.**

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**F. PERKINS & CO.,**  
 The Millinery Leaders,  
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**SNAPS FOR TODAY.**

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- 8 doz. dark and medium tan guaranteed gloves, sizes 6 to 7 1/2, regular \$1.15 for 70c pr
- 2 Baskets of black and cardinal cashmere Hose, all sizes, to clear at 25c pr
- 2 doz. Ladies' Fancy Muslin Waists, \$1.20 for 25c
- 10 only white Pique Underskirts, \$2.40 for \$1.00
- Lot Children's Muslin and Linen Hoods up to \$1.10, for 29c
- Lot Ladies' Leather Belts up to 30c, for 15c
- 50 pieces elegant Dress Muslins at big cuts in prices.
- 10 ends Muslin, all colors, 10c at 7c yd
- 12 ends all different patterns, 12c Muslins at 8c yd
- 16 ends Dress Muslins, 16c for 11c yd
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