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THE NEWS.

THE NEWS of to-day does not relieve the anxiety of the situation in Natal. It is clear that the small British force was unable to prevent the enemy from occupying strong positions in the vicinity of Ladysmith and from isolating Dundee and Glencoe. It will be a relief to hear that General Yule has effected a junction with Sir George Stewart White. Help must, however, be close at hand. Several batteries of artillery were due to arrive at a port in Natal on the 20th and several regiments from India and the Mediterranean stations are hastening to the scene.

DEPARTURE OF THE VOLUNTEERS.

SUCH a getting up early in the morning there has not been in Charlottetown for many a year. Never have we seen greater excitement and enthusiasm in the city. As our militia men, headed by their band, marched from drill shed to railway station with their quota of the Canadian contingent, there were repeated cheers—real British cheers—and the crowd of men, women and children was immense. We can now understand how the people of the motherland feel when, year after year they send their sons to distant parts of the earth to fight the Empire's battles and maintain their country's proud position among the nations. We feel sure that the men who have gone from us to-day, will show, by their courage and fortitude, their discipline and temperance, that they are true scions of the grand stock from which they have sprung.

FRENCH-CANADIAN OPINION

MR. TARTE has been trying to create ill-feeling in Quebec and to throw discredit upon Britain, while he has been declaring himself a Frenchman first and representing to English-speaking Canadians that his compatriots are not quite loyal. Good French-Canadians have at the same time, been speaking up as we knew they would. Mayor Prefontaine, of Montreal, as already noted, has spoken nobly and well. Mr. Bergeron, M. P., in his St. John speech, declared that Quebec is with Britain heart and soul. For his loyalty Tarde has turned upon Mr. Bergeron and dubbed him an Orangeman—that being the designation which the Minister regards as most expressive of contempt. But now Mr. Lemieux, the Deputy Speaker, has come out splendidly. He told a large audience of French-Canadians in Montreal that the war was just—that Britain is fighting for the right. "I am glad to say," he added, "I am glad that 'civic Britannicus sum.' I am ready to accept all the obligations conferred by the title. I claim all its privileges, and I am not a loser."

—Eland-laagte, the scene of the battle, is a small railway station on the railway midway between Ladysmith, where the main body of the British force in Natal, under General White, is occupying an entrenched camp, and Glencoe, where on Friday a smaller British force under General Symons defeated the Boers so decisively.

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THE REASON WHY.

THE rumor that Mr. Irving—nominated by a convention of the government's partisans—has been canvassing as an independent has not been denied by the Patriot. If the rumor be true, the cause is not far to seek. The people cannot forget that the Liberals came into power pledged to "make ends meet," and that they have rolled up a public debt of about \$600,000, involving an interest charge of close upon \$20,000 a year—or nearly nine times more than the interest charge of the year preceding their advent to power. Mr. Irving must see that he cannot be elected as the champion of a government which is responsible for this great increase of debt and interest and the consequent bitter disappointment of our taxpayers. That is the reason why he is now out as an independent. Of course, the electors will not be led away by this feint.

MISCHIEVOUS LANGUAGE.

LA PATRIE, of Montreal—controlled by Mr. Israel Tarte and his sons—is striving to make trouble among the French Canadians. The following agent the despatch of our Canadian Contingent is quoted from a recent issue:

"The violent discussions which have taken place, the sensational resignation of Mr. Bourassa, place on the order paper the question of our future relations with the Empire. No taxes without representation! This point of view, which is the political gospel of British citizens the world over, cannot be ignored here, any more than in other parts of the Empire. "The insults which have been heaped upon all that is French-Canadian within the past eight or ten days, will not, let us hope, be a lesson lost. We have learned once again the ferocious hate which certain elements of the population entertain for us, and this torrent of abuse has perhaps not been foreign to the resolution taken by the member for Labelle."

There may be a few persons who impute to the French Canadians as a whole, the sentiments of Mr. Tarte and those mischief makers who followed his lead. These persons are not well advised. The bulk of French-Canadian people are as true to the Empire as the people of other races. But they are excitable and their racial prejudices are easily worked upon by demagogues. Such language as that of La Patrie is evidently used with deliberate intention. It is hoped by Mr. Tarte that the French Canadians, as a whole, will take issue against those who have forced the government to send a Canadian contingent to South Africa.

—The Guardian: Every one of these thirty men represents the people of Prince Edward Island as truly as do our thirty representatives in the Provincial Legislature. They represent our interest in the Great Empire of which we form a part, our devotion to the Old Flag under which it is our pride to live. They go to offer their lives "to make the bounds of freedom wider yet," and to give British liberty and British justice to a region where these priceless blessings have been denied.

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LOCATION OF THE ROAD.

Let it be Decided and the Question Taken out of Politics.

At a large meeting of electors, held at Pisquid Road, on Monday evening, the following resolutions were passed:

Whereas, the Dominion Government, having signified their intention to construct a Railway from Charlottetown to Murray Harbor, have surveyed two routes in Lot 50, in Queen's County, are passing the populous centre of Upper Vernon River and the other extending along the shore and through the seaport of Verano River Bridge;

And whereas, although said lines were surveyed in 1897 by competent engineers under the authority of the Minister of Railways of Canada, the Dominion Government has not stated which route they have selected;

And, whereas, the location of the line is being made a political question by the Provincial Government politicians;

Therefore resolved that this meeting greatly deploring the fact that the Dominion Government has not finally located the route of the Belfast and Murray Harbor Railway in Lot 50 and vicinity.

Further resolved that this meeting fully recognizes the fact that with the information in possession of the railway department the question of location is one that could be easily and speedily settled by the Minister of Railways without the interference of provincial politicians; and this meeting desires the matter to be brought before the Minister with a view to obtain a speedy settlement of the location, and the taking thereof out of politics, and it is hereby resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Minister of Railways.

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Boys' Good Strong Navy Blue Serge Suits, Norfolk style, lined taro and very neat, from \$1.84.

Boys' Brown and Gray Halifax Tweed Suits, Norfolk Jacket, Knickerbockers, from \$3.75.

Boys' extra quality Brown and Gray Check Tweed Suits, single or double breasted, farmer's satin lined, special from \$3.85.

New Autumn Shirt Waists.

Two Special Novelties in Ladies Fall Shirt Waists will be of interest on Monday. This particular word of them. Here are a few Prices.

Velvet Shirt Waists.

Ladies' Stylish Shirt Waists in black, green, navy, carise and rose pink, made with pouch fronts, yoke backs, self collar and cuffs, lined throughout and pretty glass buttons. Special \$3.10

FINE OPERA SHIRT WAISTS in cardinal, blue and grenat, cut with yoke backs and full fronts, self collar and cuffs, neatly trimmed with small gilt buttons, lined throughout. Special \$2.75.—Jas. Paton & Co.

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The Walking Hat is growing in popularity every day.

A Dainty Walking Hat, made with Soft Felt Crown and Stiff Brim, finished inside with Leather Band and trimmed fold of Cream or Black Satin and Large Quill, in Navy, Fawn, Brown or Black. Special \$1.50.

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A Special Shipment of Splendid English Blankets will be shown in the store they come in all sizes from 9-4 to 13-4 and prices range from \$3.70.

Good Canadian Blankets from \$2 up.

Men's Suits.

Men's Navy Blue Serge Suits, well made, all wool, at \$5.50. Better quality at \$6.50.

Men's Check Tweed Suits, different shades, well made and trimmed at \$7.50

Men's very fine close hard twisted All wool Navy Blue Serge Suits, well got up at \$9.00

Men's Suits in Scotch Tweeds, a big range of different patterns, made with large facings, latest cut, also black Venetian Worsted Suits, either Sacque or Morning Coat, at \$10.50

Men's Blue and Black Imported Cheviot Suits, well made and trimmed at \$12.00.

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Men's Overcoats.

Men's Blue and Black Beaver Overcoats, with velvet collars Italian lined, just right for present wear, or could be worn throughout winter, at \$5.00

Men's Overcoats, in dark grey cheviot, black vicuana, also an imported curl cloth, well made and trimmed, at \$7.00.

Men's Blue and Black Beaver Overcoats, double or single breasted, wool lined, also a large range of Short Coat Overcoats, made with large facings at \$10.50.

Men's Scotch Cheviot Overcoats, in different shades of brown and grey, half silk lined, tailor made, at \$12.00

Men's Best Overcoats, made in navy blue and black beaver, Scotch chevots, herring bone, all wool lined, shouders lined with silk, silk velvet collars, finished in every respect, equal to custom make, at \$13.50.

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At \$8.25. A Stylish Beaver Cloth Jacket in fawn, drap or new blue, also black, lined plain satin and finished rows of stitching. Special \$8.25.

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