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RUMOR OF FENIAN INVASION

Unusual Activity in Canadian Militia Circles.

DETROIT, May 3.—Local papers today print the following:

"Windsor, Ont., May 3.—Colonel Holmes, commanding officer of No. 1 military district, has received instructions from Ottawa to have the Twenty-first Essex Fusiliers, Seventh London Fusiliers, the Twenty-sixth Middlesex, Twenty-seventh Lambton and Twenty-fifth Elgin Battalions ready to march at two hours' notice. This step has been deemed advisable by the military department owing to information that bands of Fenians intend invading Canada at some point along the river St. Clair or Detroit river, for the purpose of destroying some of the railway lines. Arrangements have been so far completed that the battalion is preparing for marching orders at any time. Local military authorities claim an invasion is not feared, but that the battalions named will be mobilized at some point on the frontier for tactical exercise only."

OTTAWA, Ontario, May 3.—Hon. Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia, said tonight, in regard to the dispatch from Windsor Station, that Colonel Holmes received from Ottawa instructions to have the military ready to march at two hours' notice to repel a Fenian invasion, that there was not a word of truth in it. Colonel Holmes had apparently been carrying out some tactical scheme, of which General Uttin was the father, and Dr. Borden has demanded an explanation from Colonel Holmes of the reports published concerning him. Nothing is known of the matter here.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Blakeley & Houghton, Druggists, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c. and $1. Every battle guaranteed, or price refunded. 3

Brandfort Taken.

LONDON, May 4.—It is announced that the British have captured Brandfort.

BRANDFORT, Thursday, May 3, Morning.—Brandfort was captured by a combined movement of Colonel Tucker's and General Pole-Carew's divisions, on the east and center, and General Hutton's mounted infantry on the west. The British surprised the Boers, who retreated hastily. Four thousand of the enemy moved here yesterday evening in order to oppose our advance. Colonel Tucker's artillery had a sharp duel with the enemy's guns, and put two of them out of action.

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Responsibility a Great One.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Bishop Potter, speaking last night at the annual dinner of the New York Commandery of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States at Delmonico's, said that his mind had not undergone any radical change concerning the Philippines since his return to the United States. He thus illustrated his views:

"If my son should come to me and say he proposed to marry a young Creole woman with seven children I would call him a great big ass. But if he came to me and said he had already contracted such a marriage I would still try to sustain intimate relations with him.

"No, gentlemen, what we have done has established just such a relation as that, and it would be a source of national mortification if we gave up our responsibilities because we find them difficult."

Caught a Dreadful Cold.

Marion Kooke, manager for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of fine millinery at 1658 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, says: "During the late severe weather I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time, which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Porto Ricans Are Waking Up.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, April 25.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The merchants, planters, farmers—all men engaged in Porto Rican industries who have been withholding operations pending congressional action, are now ready to invade the commercial field, and shiploads of sugar and tobacco will soon be dispatched to the United States. It is interesting to note, in this connection, that the retail price of cigars will probably soon be raised, the retail dealers claiming that this step will be necessary on account of the large shipments to the United States.

Three steamers leaving here within the next few days will carry over 6000 tons of sugar and about 1500 bales of tobacco.

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Dead in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The senate will not abandon its amendment to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, and the Hepburn amendments to the Nicaragua Canal treaty are considered practically in line with the treaty. The canal bill will not pass the senate, however, because the amended treaty is not satisfactory to the parties negotiating it, nor is the bill in its present form satisfactory to the administration. The Walker Commission report, to be submitted later, will serve as a pretext to put over the canal bill, although the treaty is the important element.

Don't let your old worn out machinery lie in the fence corner any longer. Take it to Fletcher Faulkner, The Dalles junk dealer, and get the cash for it. Highest cash price paid for cast and wrought iron, rubber boots and shoes, bicycle tires, etc., brass, copper, zinc, lead, pewter, old woolen rags, beer bottles and flasks, horse manes and tails, and bones of all descriptions. Price paid for cast iron, 40 cents per 100 lbs. One door west of J. H. Worsley's, Second St., The Dalles. m24-1mo.

Oil Trust Raises Wages.

NEW YORK, May 3.—The World tomorrow will print the following:

"Twenty-five thousand men employed by the Standard Oil Company as mechanics and laborers all over the country have had their wages raised 10 per cent. The advance will not affect clerks."

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THE INSURGENTS ARE HOPEFUL

Adopt Boer Tactics and Will Operate in Mounted Guerilla Bands of an Hundred—Expect to Tax Inhabitants

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Recent mail advices to the war department from the Philippines indicate that the latest plan of the insurgents is to organize into mounted bands of 100 and harass the American forces wherever possible. These bands will be scattered throughout the islands and will be in daily communication with each other as far as possible by means of scouts, who will carry the orders to govern concerted movements, and all information concerning retreats, reinforcements, etc. According to the Liberal, the organ of the Filipinos, a complete plan of military strategy will be drawn up "as a result of which the Americans will soon suffer."

It is reported that a strong insurgent camp is being organized in the Zambeles Mountains, and that nearly all the towns of the provinces, whether occupied by Americans or not, continue to pay taxes for the sustenance of the Filipinos in arms and the prosecution of the struggle.

Brave Men Fall

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents, at Blakeley & Houghton's drug store. Every bottle guaranteed. 3

Pleaded the Briton's Cause.

CHICAGO, May 3.—Bishop Hartzell pleaded the case of the Briton in the Transvaal tonight before an audience that almost filled the auditorium. He spoke from impressions gained by personal observations in South Africa; from personal acquaintance with President Kruger and from close study of laws and administration of laws by the government. Bishop Hartzell made his argument in behalf of the English. The audience was pro-British in its sympathies.

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England Is Asked to Explain.

LONDON, May 3.—It has been learned by a representative of the Associated Press that United States Ambassador Choate has asked Lord Salisbury for an explanation as to the alleged abuse of international right in the case of the American ship Sea Witch, which, according to statement of her commander, Captain Howe, was boarded by the British war ship Wasp, within the three-mile limit of Portuguese territory, in East Africa.

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M. B. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says, "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the very best pills I ever used for costiveness, liver and bowel troubles."

LATEST IN TRIMMINGS.

Tassels of Fine Silk and Many Buttons Are Among the New Features of Gowns.

Much of the effect from small tassels as dress trimmings depends upon their being heavy enough to vibrate from their own weight. A tassel of fine silk has not body enough to do this. Hence the knowing choose such ornaments when made from heavy silk cord. There will be a number of new garnitures in the way of embroideries, and buttons will also be extremely popular.

Skirts are being trimmed with two rows of buttons down the front. The two rows extend directly down the middle of the front, and for this purpose small but very expensive buttons are employed. They are of gold, beautifully set with mock gems of blue and red and green to imitate turquoise, the emerald and the ruby. Some of these buttons cost five dollars each, and frequently two dollars each.

Foulards are going to be more popular than even last season. Blue has hitherto been the chief favorite, but now all colors are distinctly in vogue. Blues will, however, retain much of their former favor and will appear with white embellishments. Black and white, with a touch of color, will also be much worn.

Beiges and light browns will have a great rage for street wear in spring. Indeed, brown is coming conspicuously into style. The bronze or greenish brown is the newest of all and the most effective.—Washington Star.

Where Women Can Learn from Men.

Women when ill suffer more from the indiscretion and the over-attentiveness of friends than do men; they are ill the more often, for one reason. Then, too, men do not visit one another in sickness so much as women do, not being fond, in fact, of the sick room in any capacity. See a man call upon his afflicted friend, and ten to one his wife or other female mentor sent him, and that at considerable outlay of rhetoric. Herein a man shows at once his wisdom and his selfishness. Common sense and observation, if not actual painful experience, have taught him that a man sick is like a wounded animal, which drags itself to some quiet, sequestered spot to die or to endure alone; he wants only his family about him, and he wants them to be unofficious. He knows, too, that a sick man is not entertaining; and, as for stopping a whole afternoon to gossip with any other visitors who might drop in, the idea is preposterous; the sick man would never permit it, anyway. — Bland Brunner Huddleston, in Woman's Home Companion.

Lobster Salad.

Take two lobsters, three fresh eggs, half a pint of salad oil, half a pint of vinegar, two tablespoonfuls of made mustard, cayenne pepper and salt, three lettuces, a sprig of mint and a boiled beet. To make the dressing, beat the eggs well and gradually mix them with the salad oil. Beat in about half a pint of made mustard, cayenne pepper and salt. Wash three fine white lettuces and drain them; then cut them up with the meat of the lobsters, adding the mint. Take a deep dish, mix all the ingredients together and pour them into the middle of the bowl, heaped up. Then pour in the dressing, so that it may moisten all thoroughly and collect in the sides of the dish. Lay slices of hard-boiled eggs around the edge of the dish, with one egg cut in two for the center of the salad. Slice the beet and lay slices of it across the salad.—Washington Star.

For the Complexion.

One hears of so many girls who complain of thick or spotty complexions, and in nine cases out of ten the trouble is quite easily removed. The very latest cure and quite the simplest one to follow, is to wash the face with parsley water, says a recent authority. It is done in this way. Take half a pint of rain water and soak it in a large bunch of parsley, letting it remain in the water all night. In the morning rub the face well with dry towel, then dip your sponge in the parsley water and pass it over your face, allowing it to dry on. Do this three times daily, and at the end of two weeks if you have persevered in the simple treatment you will be rewarded to see that there are no more spots or roughnesses on your face. Many of the high priced complexion nostrums contain this simple remedy, which is as inexpensive as it is effectual.—Detroit Free Press.

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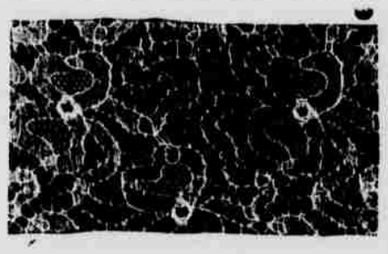

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