

**INTENSE EXCITEMENT
IN HOUSE OF COMMONS**

Heavy British Reverse Gives the Lie to the Claim that the War is About Over

London, Mar. 10—General Delaroy has defeated and captured a force of twelve hundred men and General Methuen and four guns have fallen into the hands of the Boers.

The news of this last terrible reverse of the British army in South Africa was read in the house of commons today.

Methuen's entire force of twelve hundred men were taken and Methuen himself is a prisoner and injured.

The announcement created intense excitement in the house.

London, Mar. 8—Queen Alexandra performed the christening ceremony today at the launching of the battleship Queen at Devonport. King Edward accompanied the Queen to Devonport and their visit was made the occasion for a gala demonstration in their honor. The city of Plymouth was crowded with visitors as seldom before in its history. Flags and bunting were displayed everywhere, a large sum having been appropriated for the decoration by the town council. The mallet and chisel used in severing the launching cord were contained in a handsomely carved oak casket with golden key, all of which were presented to her majesty after the ceremony.

The Queen is a battleship of the first class and is designed to be one of the most formidable fighting machines afloat.

West Point, Mar. 8—The fencing team of Cornell University came to West Point today to cross swords with the crack fencers of the United States military academy. Both teams have made excellent records so far in their contests this year and the outcome of the meeting is awaited with interest.

New York, Mar. 8—Prince Henry enjoyed today in drives about the city visiting various places of interest. Elaborate plans have been made for the dinner in his honor to be given by the German Society tonight at the Waldorf-Astoria. Speeches will be made by Mayor Low, President Butler of Columbia University, Carl Schurz and others. One hundred picked singers of the Liederkreis society will sing. Senator Frue, Speaker Henderson, Governor Odell and Ambassador von Holleben are among the thousand guests invited.

The menu bears portraits of Washington, Frederick the Great, Baron Steuben, President Roosevelt and the Kaiser.

Washington, Mar. 8—At the bureau of yards and docks of the navy department bids were opened today for the construction of a new joiner shop at the Puget Sound navy yard. The new building will add much to the capacity of the yard for repairing war vessels. It will be a substantial three-story structure of brick and will cost in the neighborhood of \$70,000.

The Dalles, Mar. 8—The Republican county convention was organized by the Moody faction.

Convention was called to order at 10:30 by N. Wheelton.

Moody was elected chairman by a vote of 62½ to 30½ for N. J. Stunot.

The Williamson resolution instructing delegates to the state convention to oppose the re-election of Joseph Simon to the senate was tabled by a decisive vote.

Delegates to the state convention were elected by acclamation.

Washington, Mar. 8—Admiral A. S. Crowninshield, who now holds the title ex-officio, as head of the Navigation Bureau, tomorrow will become a rear-admiral in fact, through the ordinary course of retirement and promotion. Late in the present month Admiral Crowninshield will sail from New York to take command of the European squadron.

Hong Kong, Mar. 8—The Kwangsu rebellion is spreading. Triads and members of secret societies have joined the rebels and are burning and looting the villages.

The Kalchow garrison has been overpowered and all prisoners released.

**LORD PAUCEFOTE TRIED
TO CLIP OUR WINGS**

The Truth Coming out Regarding England's Attitude Before the War

Washington, Mar. 10—Russia has taken sides with Germany in the controversy respecting the attitude of British Ambassador Paucéfote towards the United States before the Spanish-American war.

A statement to this effect made by the Russian foreign officer has been forwarded to the state department by the American ambassador at St. Petersburg.

The charges preferred by Germany are that Paucéfote, previous to the opening of the war attempted to induce the powers to express disapproval of the policy of the United States.

Washington, Mar. 8—Heinrich Mueller, representing the Orange Free State called on Secretary Hay this morning and asked whether the United States could do anything to alleviate the condition of the Boers in the reconcentrated camps in South Africa. Owing to government neutrality the secretary said he was unable to offer the visitors any encouragement.

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**BIG BOSTON STRIKE
INAUGURATED YESTERDAY**

Boston, Mar. 10—What may prove the biggest strike that has ever taken place in Boston was inaugurated this morning when the teamsters, freight handlers, freight clerks and longshoremen to the number of several thousand refused to go to work.

Children Especially Liable

Burns, bruises and cuts are extremely painful and if neglected often result in blood poisoning. Children are especially liable to such mishaps because not so careful. As a remedy De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Draws out the fire, stops the pain, soon heals the wound. Beware of counterfeits. Sure cure for piles. "De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cured my baby of eczema, after two physicians gave her up," writes James Mock, N. Webster, Ind. "The sores were so bad she spoiled two to five dresses a day."—Red Cross Drug Store and Sengstacken's Pharmacy.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

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New York, Mar. 8—Wireless telegraphy operator Hepworth on the Canarder Lucaia which arrived today, tried two days to reach the missing Eturria on the passage to this country but failed.

Hepworth claims to have interrupted a message off Nantucket lightship, disproving Mareoni's assertion that wireless messages are private.

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Every tablet of Cascarets Candy Cathartic bears the famous C. C. C. Never sold in bulk. Look for it and accept no other. Beware of fraud. All druggists, 10c.

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CHANGE OF AGENCY

Arcata and Empire to Land at Standard Oil Co. Wharf—Improvements to be Made

As was stated in the last issue of the MAIL, F. S. Dow, who returned on the Arcata from San Francisco, has accepted the agency for the steamers Arcata and Empire. E. G. Flanagan, who has been acting as agent for several years, resigned some time ago and the agency was then offered to Mr. Dow, who has accepted, after consulting with the owners in San Francisco.

It is not now intended to make any change until the work of repairing North Front street has been completed. Mr. Flanagan having consented to attend to the agency until that time. Improvements will be made at the Standard Oil Co's warehouse, where the steamers will land, to facilitate the handling of freight. The wharf will be enlarged and extended to permit of teams passing around it. Electric lights will be put in both for inside and outside illumination.

The merchants who have been afraid that the change would increase their drayage bills, will be glad to know that freight will be delivered free in town. The hauling will be let by contract to the lowest bidder. Wharfage charges will be the same as they are in town.

These changes are only a forerunner of others which are likely to revolutionize the transportation business here, the plans for which are not yet ready to be given out. It is practically assured that before fall this port will have a steamboat service that we may well be proud of, and the O. C. & N. Co. will keep up with the procession.

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Karl's Clover Root Tea corrects the Stomach

The Schooner Repeat on her way down from the mill in tow of the tug yesterday got out of the channel far enough to find bottom near the old Bay City wharf, but Captain Magee expected to get her off on the night tide.

Having a Run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Between the hours of eleven o'clock a. m. and closing time at night on Jan. 25th, 1901, A. F. Clark, druggist, Glade Springs, Va., sold twelve of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says, "I never handled a medicine that sold better or gave better satisfaction to my customers." This Remedy has been in general use in Virginia for many years, and the people there are well acquainted with its excellent qualities. Many of them have testified to the remarkable cures which it has effected. When you need a good, reliable medicine for a cough or cold, or attack of the grip, use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you are certain to be more than pleased with the quick cure which it affords. For sale by John Freese.

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**LONG'S RESIGNATION
IN EFFECT MAY 1ST**

Will be Succeeded by Representative Moody of Massachusetts

Washington, Mar. 10—Secretary Long handed his resignation to President Roosevelt this morning. The resignation is to take effect on May 1st. The secretary announces his intention of resigning his law practice in Boston after his retirement.

Representative Moody of Massachusetts has confirmed the statement to the effect that he has been offered and accepted the navy portfolio.

The Umpqua Camps M. W. A.

Following are the names of the officers installed in the two camps of M. W. A. recently organized at Gardiner and Scottsburg.

Gardiner Camp No. 10,497: V. C., Albert Pyritz; W. A., M. Waggoner; Banker, Ernest Haskell; Clerk, H. C. Miller; Escort, Bert Henderson; Watchman, J. Peterson; Sentry, F. Leach; Physician, Alex Patterson; Managers, John Leach, Chas. Johnson and O. C. Oleson, 1, 2 and 3 years respectively.

Scottsburg Camp: V. C., Wm. Burchard; W. A., Wm. Grubbe; Banker, John N. Hedden; Clerk, Fred Weatherly; Escort, Wm. Sagaberd; Watchman, Stillman Nottage; Sentry, Clarence Newman; Physician, Dr. Alex Patterson; Manager, F. Henry Sagaberd, Chas. Spaulding, Edward Upton, for 1, 2 and 3 years respectively.

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Boat Stolen

Some one without the fear of the law before his eyes has stolen Chas George's boat. The craft, a neat clinker built boat was kept fastened with a chain and a Yale lock, back of George & Tibbetts' store, but the thief took boat, chain, lock and all, and now Mr. George wants the party to either bring them all back or come and get the key also.

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