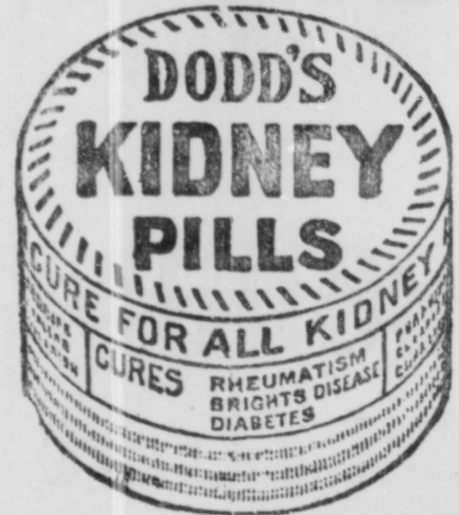


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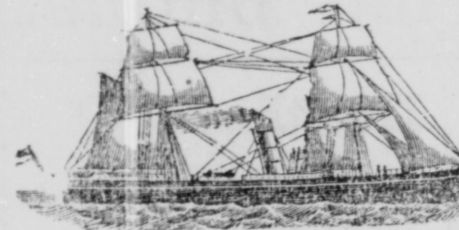
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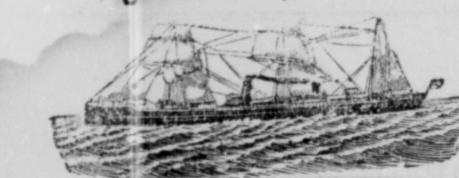
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F. W. MALES, SURETAR

The Transvaal War

The Last Boer War.

The circumstances that led up to the last war with the Boers may seem to belong to ancient history, but a right knowledge of the facts is necessary to the understanding of the present position of affairs, which is simply the inevitable result of the events of twenty years ago. The President of the Boer Republic in March, 1877, drew the attention of the Volksraad to the critical position of their affairs. The treasury was empty, and the interest on the debt due three months before was unpaid. There were other liabilities outstanding, and no means of meeting them. The Zulus and other natives had driven many of the Boers from their farms, and threatened them with extermination. He therefore urged upon the Volksraad the "duty of coming to an arrangement with the British Government," as the only solution of the many difficulties they had to face.

The majority of the Boers were apparently of the opinion that this was the only course open to them, and President Burgers entered into communication with Sir Theophilus Shepstone with a view to placing the country under British protection. It was arranged that Sir Theophilus Shepstone should quietly annex the Transvaal, and that President Burgers, to pacify some of the irreconcilables, should issue a formal protest. Here is the account of the transaction written by Sir Theophilus Shepstone at the time:—

"Yesterday morning, Mr. Burgers came to me to arrange how the matter should be done. I read to him the draft of my proclamation, and he proposed the alteration of two words, to which I agreed. He brought to me a number of conditions which he wished me to insert, which I have accepted and have embodied in my proclamation. He told me that he could not help issuing a protest to keep the noisy portion of the people quiet—and you will see grounds for this precaution when I tell you that there are only half-a-dozen native constables to represent the power of the State in Pretoria and a considerable number of the Boers in the neighborhood are of the lowest and most ignorant class. Mr. Burgers read me, too, the draft of his protest, and asked me if I saw any objection to it or thought it too strong. I said that it appeared to me to pledge the people to resist by-and-by; to which he replied that it was to tide over the difficulty of the moment, seeing that my support, the troops were a fortnight's march distant and by the time the answer to the protest came all desire of opposition would have died out. I therefore did not persuade him from his protest."

It is easy to point out mistakes after the event, and for Sir Theophilus Shepstone's acquiescence in this double dealing, Great Britain had to pay a heavy penalty. At first the scheme seemed to work wonderfully well. The Transvaal was quietly annexed, the debts were paid, and the finances placed on a sound footing. The Zulus were crushed at a cost to Great Britain of many gallant lives, and \$30,000,000 in money. When they were relieved from the pressure of these burdens, the Boers' ancient spirit of independence re-asserted itself. Peaceful agitation proving fruitless, they resorted to war, and gained some striking successes. But that they could have been beaten without much trouble, and that they ought to have been, few people now doubt. Looked at in the light of later events, the policy of the British Government and its representatives at that time appears a series of bungles.

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admirably calculated to impress the Boers with the idea that to bully or bamboozle Great Britain was the easiest thing in the world. It is not surprising that they have acted on that assumption ever since. To deceive them will be a very painful business for them, and a very costly one for Great Britain. But they have themselves made it abundantly clear that the lesson will have to be well learnt before there can be any hope of peace or progress in South Africa.

The Mail and Empire remarks that, "In assembling an army twice as large as that which she sent to the Crimea and considerably greater than Wellington's force at Waterloo, England is offering an illustration, for the first time in many decades, of her ability to fight on land. Although her naval strength has often been demonstrated to advantage, it has still been a matter of doubt whether her military arm would compare favorably with that of continental nations; and in the throes of such a test she has been engaged the past week day and night. Gangs of men are working incessantly at the ports that dot England's shores, transforming liners into troopships. Largely augmented forces are ceaselessly turning out ammunition and ordnance stores. Some idea of the activity in this branch can be gained from the fact that three million rounds of small arm ammunition left Woolwich last week.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S REMEDIES.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, for diseases of the Kidneys, Liver, Bladder and Bowels. One pill a dose; 25c. a box.

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Y. M. C. A.

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Political Meetings

MURRAY HARBOR DISTRICT.

I will address the electors of the Murray Harbor District, at St. Mary's Road, first schoolhouse west of Commercial Road, on WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25th.

At Glenwilliam, on THURSDAY, OCT. 26th. At Highbank on FRIDAY, OCT. 27th Meetings to commence each evening at 7 o'clock Hon. D. A. McKinnon respectfully invited to attend. 245—d&w wat A. P. PROWSE

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AMBITIOUS CITY AGAIN.

Mr. Harry Bawden, of Hamilton, Ont Cured of Lumbago, by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Hamilton, Oct. 16. Mr. Harry Bawden of this city corroborates the report printed recently relating to his cure of Lumbago by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"For six years," he says, "I suffered with Lumbago and Kidney Disease. I tried everything under the sun, but absolutely nothing I ever took gave me the slightest relief. A friend advised me about one year ago to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I finally decided to do so, and purchased one box and found relief. I used in all five boxes and am completely cured.

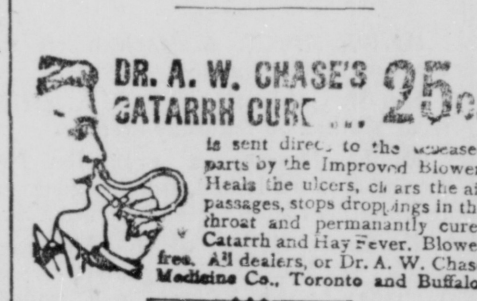
The case has created quite a stir and there are found, too many warm, endorsers of Dodd's Kidney Pills in this city. Little faith is put in the many imitations of Dodd's Kidney Pills, the verdict being that the original is the best.

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To read this advertisement and then give Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor a trial. It never fails to cure. Acts in twenty-four hours and causes neither pain nor discomfort. Putnam's Corn Extractor extracts corns. It is the best

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the Act of 51st Vic. Cap. 12, sections 82 and 83, that the undersigned will apply at the next monthly meeting of the City Council, of the City of Charlottetown, to be held on the 13th day of November, next, for the exemption from taxation, of the Factory, Building, Lands and Premises, of the Charlottetown Condensed Milk Company, Limited, now being erected, and situated on the south side of the St. Peter's Road, in the common of Charlottetown, adjoining the Railway reservation, the industry proposed to be introduced and carried on in said Factory Building and premises, being the manufacturing of Condensed Milk and Condensed Coffee. Dated this 10th day of October, A. D. 1899. THE CHARLOTTETOWN CONDENSED MILK CO., Limited Oct 10—law & w. tues

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