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A FEMALE DRUMMER

w York, Jan. 31,-The Evening Work ts a delayed despatch from Lieut. Win-Churchill, dated Spearman's Camp. 27, 6 p.m. It says: action on the summit of Spion Kop

one of the most fierce and furious cons in British military history. Guided
Phorneycroft's, the troops surprised the
rs there and carried the trenches with
bayonet at 3 o'clock in the morning,
re was little loss. At once the troops
enched hastily, but the ground was
ten by large rocks, and unsufted for
enchments.

Reinforcements Called for. Reinforcements Called for.
dawn beavy Boer shelling began, Gen,
begate was 'seriously wounded at the
inning. Urgent demands for reinforcesis were sent by the commander who
seeded Woodgate.
he reinforcements were sent, strengthing the defence. Thorneycroft was apited brigadler, commanding the whole
we on top of the hill. A bitter and
day struggle followed thruout the day,
Boers concentrating every man and gun
the summit of the hill and attacking
he the greatest spirit.

Thorneycroft Decided It. efore, Thorneycroft's decision to it was both wise and necessary.

A Glorious Episode. the official lists will give the losses, the defence of the hill by the English mirry, particularly the Lancashire Regists, was a glorious episode. The whole is in the way of the will make Another Effort.

pion Kop is not a disaster. Neither guns re lost nor unwounded prisoners made, was simply a bloody action in which gment of the enemy's entrenchments is effected, but which proved untenable, Boer Losses Must Be Great,

Outchmen Would Have Risen in Cape Colony.

a tacit understanding existed between ld follow the ripening rebellion at the

WILD RUMOR FROM PARIS.

udanese Troops at Khartoum Reorted to Have Rebelled Against British Officers,

ris, Jan. 31 .- There is a rumor in offisources, that a rebellion has occuri among the Soudanese troops in Khar-im. There are only 150 white British diers there under command of a major, e Soudanese force consists of two bat-ions with a total of 1500 men.

rk is impossible: the llerk, the Barber, the because nature forover your head for a e. The warning that are the keynote of y health. The great ason for Dr. Pitcher

SOHO ST.

FRED HENNING.

17 Soho-street,
Toronto, Ont.

7. Fred Henning, of No. 17 Soho-street,
marine engineer, and has at times ats of lumbago, a lameness and aching
the muscles of the back. He had a
bus time with it this last fall and, readof Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tabhe procured a bottle from Jackson
le, the Spadine-avenue druggist. He
tes the result of his experiment:
daving a very lame back, so sensitive
bending forward or assuming an upt position gave me the sharpest kind
twinges, and robbed me of energy, I
ermined to try Dr. Pitcher's Backache
ney Tablets. I had found it very
d to get anything to do me any good,
I was surprised at the quickness with
ch they relieved me. I am entirely
r the whole trouble and have found
se' tablets to be a general invigorator,
m pleased to recommend them to anysuffering from a lame back. They are
mpt and reliable."

FLORENCE ST. ge E. Nutall, 10 Florence-street, To-

The E. Nutall, 10 Florence-street, 10 or Ont.

George E. Nutall, of No. 10 Florence can vouch for the beneficial reof using Pitcher's Backache Kidney to in his family. He says:

wife had suffered so much pain in ack, causing her untold misery, while ling to her domestic duries. We read.

Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets, learning what they were accomplishwent to A. D. Deverell, the druggist, Queen-street west, and got a bottle, did her ever so much good. She is large woman, but she is a great work, and those tablets removed the pain and less from the small of the back intely. Before that she had worn plassind used other remedies without obg any help. She used to feel so weary epressed mornings; that has left her; as no annoyance from the kidneys as no annoyance from the kidneys Tablets did my wife."

ney Tablets.

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ANFUL PLIGHT AFTER BATTLES.

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ous passengers than a means of salvation to the young girl, or the young married to the unwary or absentminded victim woman. In those times, moreover, the adwhom accident lands in front of the rush- jective of youth would not have been aping trolley. There is an easeful looking-plied to the maiden who had passed her back to it, against which one might lean 25th year, and only in the spirit of the luxuriously, and it looks long enough to grossest flattery to the matron who had accommodate half a dozen "fares." Its seen her three decades. It is typical of only drawback is that it has no guard at the age that this explanatory note should the side nearest the other troiley, to pre- be necessary. Now the expr rolled among the wheels. Nevertheless, has been entirely abolished. Where almost when one is packed like a herring in the everybody is younger than somebody els o'clock rush, and the conductor squeezes it is only the few who are proud of their giving one here a painful prod with his fare with any degree of certainty as old. At 30 ox, there a shove with his hard elbows, the girl of to-day no longer retires on the or incidentally, in the process of collecting shelf as a failure, to pass the rest fares, thrusts one into somebody else's unwilling lap, one will think longingly of that maiden aunt who devotes herself to the nice, airy, summery looking seat which adorns the front of the trolley, and which She is merely preparing to start on a new seems to smile at the crush within. So phase of life, with a more definite plan uncomfortable looking an affair as the cowuncomfortable looking an affair as the cowcatcher of the steam engine has been utilized at times as a means of airy locomotion by all classes, from migrating tramps to distinguished personages like our Governor-Generals and their wives—why not then these pleasant-looking garden seats, which act as a species of perambulator to the big trolley? One would experience all the delights of coasting or tobogganing these clear, cold wintry days and nights on these seats, or of spinning thru the warm, fresh air on a wheel in summer, without the unnecessary exercise of propelling the wheel. Then, too, when the unwary or the absentminded ran amuck of the trolley, there would be somebody there to receive him or her, and to hold the victim in place—a requisite that is certainly lacking in all the fenders which have so far adorned the fronts of the city trolleys!

The Woman's Literary Society of University College are giving an at home on Saturday, Feb. 3, from 7.30 to 11 o'cfock p.m., in the University gymnasium. A very interesting program has been prepared for the cocasion. Among those taking part eatcher of the steam engine has been utilizines and begins afresh at 40. Sometime

teresting program has been prepared for the occasion. Among those taking part are Miss Bessie Cowan, who will give a piano solo; Miss Woolryche, who plays the violin charmingly, and the Misses Lola Ronan, K. Westman and Edythe Hill, vocal soloists, while Miss Madeline Evans will contribute a 'cello solo. Cards have been sent out for this always attractive affair.

St. Valentine is to be more than usually honored, I am assured, this season. Lately he has been relegated to a minor place among the saints but he is to occupy a prominent place this 14th of February, and his votaries are purchasing all sorts of lace and gold valentines in his honor. "Say," said a youth with his hat on one side of his head and a Chimmle Fadden manner generally, "Say, you git me one of

manner generally, "Say, you git me one of the swellest valentines you can order-one and very pretty. of them things all lace and gold and pomes of them things all lace and gold and pomes and I want it in a nice box. I'm going to 'git ahead of all the fellows with a girl I know and I don't care what it costs." The bookseller totted the order, smiling symptomic statements of the content of the content of the costs. The bookseller totted the order, smiling symptomic statements of the costs. The volves of the costs of the co



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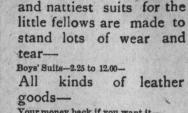
will be held at the Head Office of the Company, 26 King-street east, Toronto, Ontarie, on Wednesday, the 7th day of February, 1900, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the reception of the Annual Report, and statement of the affairs of the Company, for the Election of Directors for the year, and for all other business and general purposes relating to the management of the Company.

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Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the stockholders and policyholders of the company for the election of directors and the transaction of other business will be held at the Head Office of the company, in the City of Toronto, on Wednesday, the 28th day of February, 1900, at noon.

The following persons have been proposed for election to the office of director by policyholders:

Hon. D. McInnes, B. E. Walker, Phon. D. McInnes, J. W. Flavelle, Sir George Burton, Z. A. Lash, Q.C., Hon. Geo. A. Cox, Samuel C. Biggs, The first nine of whom are also shareholders.

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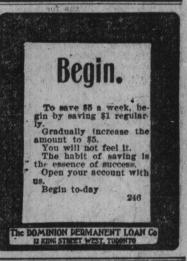
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