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The funeral will take place from the residence of Mrs. James Woods, Princess St., on Tuesday, 6th inst., at 9.30 a.m., to St. Joseph's Church.

EYANG, At London, on Monday, Feb.

EVANS—At London, on Monday, Feb.
5th, Israel Evans, License Inspector
West Kent, aged 77 years.
Funeral will take place from the Grand Trunk Station at one o'clock on Wednesday, the 7th inst., to Maple

Relatives and friends will please ac cept this intimation.

HE PROBABLILLES

G. N. W. Special. Toronto, Feb. 5.-10 a. m.-Fine and rold. Tuesday, fair, with a

The funeral of the late Mrs. Carney The thermometer registered six de-

grees above zero this morning. Henry Leip died at the house of refuge and was buried in St. Anthony's cemetery this afternoon at 3

Refreshments will be served at the Y. M. Catholic Clubion Thursday evening February 8th. Proceeds in aid of St. Joseph's church.

The Shenango left the Eau Sunday at noon. The cars were taken off Sat-urday, and those consigned to Chat-ham and Wallaceburg have alredy reached their destination.

George McLachian, the popular city traveller for the Bee Hive, has secured a situation as salesman with the Central Glass and Paint Co., of Detroit. trail Glass and Paint Co., of Detroit.
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has many friends in this city. For
four years he has been with Ald. Sulman, and prior to that he was seven
years in the employ of Alex. VonGunten. He has been secretary of the
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was an efficient member of this misiwas an efficient member of this musi-cal organization. Mr. McLachlan will on Monday, Feb. 12.



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NO ADVANCE YET

War Office Declares That Everything is Q iet

As far as it nows-The Public Still

London, Feb. 5.-The correspondent of the Associated Press learns from official sources that absolutely no confirmation has been received by the war office of reports that Gen. Buller has recrossed the Tugela and is marching on Ladysmith.

On the contrary, according to the information of the war office at the present moment, there is every indication that things are quiet at the front, and that no immediate movement is antici-

Regarding the despatches from Ladysmith saying that Buller's guns have been heard there it is surmised that some practice may have been go-ing on with the new batteries which have just reached the front. BULLER MAY BE OPERATING.

The war office statement that it has peceived no confirmation of the report that Gen. Buller has crossed the Tugela river has failed to shake public belief that operations of tre-mendous importance are proceeding at the Tugela, and it is thought that either the denial was prompted by a desire to keep the military movements as secret as possible until some thing is accomplished or that Gen Buller is keeping the home officials in the dark perding results.

It is obviously extremely difficult to extract the truth from the conflicting statements shrouding Gen. Buller's movements, but most of the compensators agree that the aggregate of the itens tends to confirm the belief that movements of importance are in progress. It is thus that the confirmation of the progress. It is true that the correspondents at Gen. Buller's headquarters convey the impression that his main force is still south of the Tu-gela, but it is easily conceivable that the despatches are so censored.

WAR NOTES.

Among the Boers killed last week was Opperman, who was formerly head gaoler at Pretoria, but who was dis-missed from that post after Winston Churchill, the newspaper correspondent, made his escape from the gaol

The Boers, after the fall of Ladysmith, intended to send Fresident Kru-ger to Europe to appeal to the powers, thinking that the pathos of the veter-an statesman's appearance would not fail to have the desired effect. Ladysmith not having fallen, the Boers are now awaiting a smaller success. I Field Marshal Lord Roberts has notified the war office that forty Highlanders who were previously re-ported killed at Magersfontein are

risoners at Pretoria. The Ladrost at New Boshof read The Ladrost at New Boshol read publicly on Jan. 26, the following telegram, which he said had just been received: "Lord Roberts is a prisoner. Gen. Buller has been killed. Nine thousand British have been killed. Nine thousand British have been killed. and 7,000 captured. The British also lost 48 guns last Saturday."

The New Zealanders, Hemington Guides, and a squadron of Life Guards made a sweep of several, miles along the hills adjacent to the British right flank, at Rensburg. One kople occupied by Bosrs was rushed, the Boers

flank, at Rensburg. One koppe occu-pied by Boers was rushed, the Boers clearing out after a slight resistance. One New Zealander was wounded. Small parties in the distance retreated whenever British horse appeared.

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Some people foretell changes in the weather by their corns, others by their bones, while the moon's changes are readily indicated by the editorial ebullitions of our esteemed but tuberculosisly-affected local contemporary. Authorities on mental complications tell us that the moon has this peculiar effect, and the article on county council affairs in Saturday's Banner strongly indicates that the said authorities have diagnosed the matter correctly. The Planet recently devoted a column to the gossip that is flying about concerning the actions of the county council, re officials. It stated distinctly at the beginning of the article that it purported only to be the gossip of the town, and was published so as to give our friends, the county councillors, an opportunity to set themselves right if they could. For

feel grateful. We had an idea at the time that that article would also net some suckers, and were not mistaken. The poor, old, wobbling Banner bit at once.

this opportunity they will no doubt

After pestering officials for information and getting nothing it indulges in a column of badly spelled and worse punctuated amateurism that would look quite at home in the Backwoods Buzzer, or some other leading director of public opinion.

We may say of the article in ques tion, however, that it does this leading advertising medium justice in one particular, by using capitals in speaking of it as Kent county's great family journal. That is the correct thing. There is only one g.f. j. around these parts and we are pleased to see that the Banner recognizes that fact. At the same time when that paper undertakes to raise the standard of its columns by quoting from the only journal with a circulation worth mentioning in Chatham we wish it would not spell "wily" with an "e". Some of its 140 odd subscribers may imagine

the spelling is ours. We would suggest further that the Banner quits begging the real point The figures are available showing how much the county loses by the shake up, because it does lose and lose a good deal. We will give it until to-morrow to produce those figures without any wriggling. If it will not do so then The Planet will, and they will soon settle whether there was any foundation for the gossip or not. We are sorry to see politics dragged

into this matter but as the dragging in

all done by the Banner we don't suppose anybody will pay any attention to it. Now, if it were the Market Guide or a really influential paper it might have a had effect, but the few people who read our erratic cotem., that is when it is mechanically readable, know what value to place on its eccentric use of bad English. The Planet distinctly said that of course politics had nothing to do with the matter. At the same time we may now add that it is a remarkable coincidence that the only officials attacked were Conservatives and that the county council should be willing to throw away a lct of money just for the sake of cutting at them. As the Banner says, one or two unsuspecting Conservatives may have been drawn in to vote for some of these schemes. When our good friend Willism Hickey was boodwinked as it is claimed on the Charteris boom it is quite possible others were to. How ever, let us have the Banney's figure to show the amount lost to the county by the scheme as it was worked turough and no doubt the Conservative members of the council who supported it will assume their share of the re-responsibility as well as the others.

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