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DIED.

HAMILTON.—On March 1st, at her residence, "Holmbank," 435 Ridout street, London, Ontario, Eliza Hill, widow of the late James Hamilton, in her 91st year.

Funeral at 11 o'clock Friday morning; services at St. Paul's Cathedral.

AMUSEMENTS.

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PRINCESS ICE PALACE—7TH BATTALION Band, Saturday night. Race on Monday, 5th. Admission, 10c and 15c. Coupons cancelled. f

PRINCESS — HAVING TO POSTPONE the race in consequence of the celebration, A. J. W. Galbraith and J. J. Heffernan will skate on Monday night, at 8.45; skating before and after match. Admission, 10c and 15c. Coupons not accepted. C2f

GRAND PATRIOTIC CONCERT,
Tuesday, March 6th,
AUDITORIUM,
under auspices of the
IRISH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

The entire proceeds to be divided between Red Cross and Soldiers' Wives' League. Tickets for sale from members of I. B. S. committee and ladies of Red Cross and Soldiers' Wives' League.—John Forristal, President; John Stevely, Secretary. C2v

TO-MORROW AFTERNOON, PALACE Dancing Academy — Commencement of children's closing reception term. Special low rates for balance of season.—Dayton & McCormick.

THE GREAT WAR PLAY—NEW GRAND Opera House, two nights only, probable dates March 14th and 15th. Members of the dramatic caste meet at City Hall to-night, 7.30 sharp. f

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MEETINGS.

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NOTICE.—GARCIA GOLD COMPANY. — On account of the public demonstration to-night the adjourned stockholders' meeting will be further adjourned till Monday, the 5th of March, at 8 o'clock p.m., at Hellmuth & Ivey's office. By order of the President. C1i

THE Conservative Club. MEMBERSHIP TICKETS.....$1
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GENERAL SERVANT WANTED. APPLY 609 Colborne street. C1v

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT; REFERENCES required. Apply Miss McPherson, 172 Central avenue. C1v

AN EXPERIENCED GENERAL SERVANT wanted. Apply Mrs. W. G. Coles, 299 Princess avenue. B24tf

WANTED — HOTEL COOK, $15 PER month; dining-room girl, $10.—McEwen's Intelligence Office, 501½ Richmond St. x

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED Apply Mrs. Frank Love, 34 Hope street B17tf

WANTED — HOTEL COOKS, DINING-ROOM and upstair girls, for in and out of city; also general servant to go to Cleveland, Ohio; expenses paid; with references. On hand—Housemaids, housekeepers, nurse girls; also want twenty first-class general servants for city. Call at headquarters.—Dwyer's Employment Agency, 591 Richmond street.

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FURNISHED ROOMS, 337 DUNDAS, S.-E. corner, C1v

OFFICE TO LET—PART OF LARGE, convenient and centrally located office; steam heated. Apply Box 24, Free Press. B28h

TO RENT OR LEASE—SUBURBAN RESIDENCE, with 35 acres attached; large brick house, 12 rooms, pantries, closets, excellent cellars, etc.; hard and soft water, splendid barns, stables, carriage house, etc.; good orchard and small fruits; just outside city on Dundas street; electric cars pass property. Apply to Thomas Higgins, 324 Wolfe street. B27v&wf

TO LET—STORE ON DUNDAS STREET also large room, very suitable for lodge room; several desirable dwelling houses for sale, others to rent. Money to loan. —Ferguson & Co., 399 Richmond street.

TO LET—NO. 432 RICHMOND STREET, next to Free Press Office. Three floors, about 18x120 feet, and basement; suitable for light manufacturing business. Arrangements can be made for supply of power if required. Apply London Free Press Ptg. Co., Ltd., London, Ont. H18tf

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE MOVING Van, finest and best.—John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce streets. South London: late of London Furniture Co.

"TO LET," "FOR SALE," "ROOMS TO Let" and "Boarding" cards, 10c each; for 25c.—The London Printing & Lithographing Co (Ltd.

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RIDOUT & MAYBEE, SOLICITORS OF Patents and Experts—103 Bay street, Toronto. "Ridout on Patents," price $3.50 and $4. A valuable pamphlet on patents sent free.

WANTED TO PURCHASE.

WANTED — THOUSAND SHARES OF Rossland Poorman; give lowest cash or exchange for other stocks.—J. F. Sangster.

WANTED—A GOOD STRONG WORKING horse. Apply 440 South street. C1v

MILK ROUTE WANTED TO PURCHASE; state price and particulars, to Box 23, Free Press. B24h

MONEY WANTED.

WANTED—$500 ON FIRST MORTGAGE, 6 per cent.; $1,800 at 6 per cent.—J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, 420 Talbot street.

TYPEWRITERS.

TYPEWRITERS — NEW AND SECOND-HAND machines rented and for sale; stenographers supplied. Ribbons, carbon and paper at reduced rates.—W. C. Coo, 76 Dundas street, London. y

MARRIGE LICENSES.

R. V. S. SAUNDERS—MARRIAGE LICENSES issued. No witness. Office, 650 Dundas street, East London.

JOHN M. SHAW ISSUES LICENSES AT Shaw's grocery, London South Post Office, corner Craig and Wortley Road. Residence, 62 Craig. Appointments made. Telephone 569.

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FANCY GLASS SHOW JARS, TRAYS and ice cream glasses for sale at special prices.—J. H. Cunningham, 662 Dundas street.

INCUBATORS, $8; BROODERS, $4; INCUBATOR fittings; circulars free.—Lovell & Co., Carlton West, Ont. C2h

MERRY BELLS—WE MAKE BELLS AND Brass Work. Our Babbit metals are equal to any, and cannot be beat.—John Law, 121 Clarence street, London. C2dt&wf

FOR SALE—GOOD WORK OR DRIVING horse, light dray wagon, set of bob sleighs with box, Gladstone (newly painted, in good order), set single harness; whole outfit for $60 cash. Apply at 753 Dundas street. C2v

AMATEURS, NOW IS THE TIME FOR flash-lights.—McKenzie, photo supplies.

HOTEL RANGE FOR SALE, IN PERFECT repair; very cheap.—J. W. Chambers, Richmond street. B26tf

FIVE IRON LATHES, DIFFERENT sizes, cheap; one foot lathe.—John Moore, corner York and Talbot streets.

LONDON SHOW CASE WORKS, UNDER management D. H. Gillies, 673 Bathurs street. All descriptions of cases at short notice.

SEEDLESS VALENCIA, JAMAICA AND Bitter Oranges; prices right. Few snow apples left. — Chancey Smith, Market Square.

COOKING FIGS, 6 LB. 25c; PRUNES, 4 lb. 25c; Aylmer Canned Goods, 8c; Flake Barley, 6 lb. 25c.—F. Harding, 466 Dufferin avenue. 'Phone 1338. fr

A BARGAIN — SIX-OCT. PIANO-CASE Organ; square piano; also 5-oct. organ easy terms.—Stanley Piano Co., Ltd., 178 Dundas street (Morphy's Jewellery Store.) B20tf

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POLISHING, NICKLE PLATING, ALL kinds of metal; bicycle parts a specialty. —94 Carling street.

ASK YOUR GROCER AND PROVISION dealer for Kemp's cooked meats, jellied tongue, hocks, beef headcheese and ham

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WOOD, WOOD—CALL AT YARD OR 'phone 1108 and get our prices on those all maple hardwood slabs; they are selling rapidly at the remarkably low figure. —J. C. Allan, Oxford and Talbot streets. 'Phone 1108.

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MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS OF $100 and upwards on first mortgages.—G. N. Weekes, solicitor, Hiscox Building, corner King and Richmond streets.

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VETERINARY.

J. H. TENNENT, V. S.—TREATMENT OF dogs a specialty. We breed and have for sale pure-bred collies. 'Phones 278 and 683.

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RELIEF OF LADYSMITH

Gen. Dundonald, With the Natal Carbineers and a Composite Regiment

ENTER THE BELEAGUERED TOWN

Gen. Buller Reports the Whole Country South of Ladysmith to be Clear of the Enemy.

REJOICING THROUGHOUT THE EMPIRE.

The Event Celebrated in Great Britain and All Over Canada—The Storming of Pieter's Hill Described—The Story of the Siege.

London, March 1.—The War Office officially announces that Ladysmith has been relieved.

GEN. BULLER CONFIRMS IT.

London, March 1, 9.52 a. m.—The War Office has received the following despatch from Gen. Buller:—

"Lyttleton's Headquarters, March 1st, 9.05 morning.—Gen. Dundonald, with the Natal Carbineers and a composite regiment, entered Ladysmith last night.

"The country between me and Ladysmith is reported clear of the enemy.

"I am moving on Nelthorpe."

THE VERY LATEST

FREE OF BOERS.

London, March 1, 6.55 p. m.—General Buller wires from Nelthorpe, under to-day's date, that he has just returned from Ladysmith. The whole country south of that place is cleared of the Boers.

JOY IN ENGLAND

OVER THE GLAD NEWS.

London, March 1.—When the news of the relief of Ladysmith became generally known London literally went mad with joy, and throughout England the scenes witnessed have no parallel in the memories of this generation. The pent-up jubilation at the relief of Kimberley, and the defeat of Cronje, could no longer be controlled, and with to-day's crowning triumph the national trait of self-restraint was thrown to the winds. The Lord Mayor of London immediately telegraphed his congratulations to Generals White and Buller, and when the Queen received the news at Windsor, the bells on the curfew tower of the castle were rung in honor of the event. This

STORM OF JUBILATION

centred around the Mansion House and by noon thousands of persons blocked the many approaches to that grim building. It was a dense black mass, composed chiefly of business men, the majority of them carrying little Union Jacks. Never before was there such a sale of flags as to-day. Through this cheering throng there was only one avenue open to traffic, and this was utilized by the 'busses going from east to west. All traffic in other directions was stalled for hours. The only way to get past the Mansion House was by mounting the 'busses, which soon began to resemble chariots in

A TRIUMPHANT PAGEANT.

Stock brokers, bankers, clerks and workingmen clambered on top, and as the 'busses lumbered past the historic building they stood up waving flags, hats and handkerchiefs, and calling for cheers for Buller and Roberts. A mighty shout answered them from the crowds through which they were passing. The procession became continuous, yet the crowd never tired of cheering every time the name of

WHITE, BULLER AND ROBERTS

was mentioned, and off came hats and up went little flags. Grave old financiers waved as vigorously and yelled as frantically as the urchins who had clambered the Mansion House steps, their joy that England's honor had been saved.

The strain that for 118 days had kept the nation in anxiety was removed.

The Lord Mayor showed himself at a window, out of which hung a huge City Imperial Volunteer flag, and the crowd strained for a louder yell. Staid magnates grabbed flaring posters from newsboys and brandished

"LADYSMITH RELIEVED!"

to the roaring throng. All thought of business was forgotten. Nothing could be done on the Stock Exchange except to sing "God Save the Queen" and to cheer. Business closed at one o'clock. No one wanted to trade on such a day as this. The stores put their shutters up and gave their employes a holiday. Great ensigns floated in the sunlight from hundreds of buildings, and little Union Jacks lit up the murky city windows.

LADY BULLER CONGRATULATED.

The Lord Mayor wired Lady Buller as follows:—"My sincerest congratulations on your gallant husband's achievement."

SACRIFICE NOT IN VAIN.

He also ordered a holiday of the city schools. Later he answered by a speech the demands of the crowd that increased as the day wore on. "This news makes our hearts leap for joy," said he. "We now are satisfied that our sacrifice of blood and treasure is not in vain."

Orders were given to ring the great bell in St. Paul's. The West End was as enthusiastic, though not quite so demonstrative, as the city. The stately Foreign Office so far displayed large Union Jacks from the windows.

AT THE WAR OFFICE.

A Cabinet meeting was held, and as the members met at the entrance to the Foreign Office they exchanged the warmest congratulations. Crowds blocked the War Office lobbies, struggling to see for themselves the announcement of the glad tidings, and cheering for General Buller, Lord Dundonald and other heroes of the hour.

OUTSIDE MARLBOROUGH HOUSE,

the London residence of the Prince of Wales, a large and jubilant crowd assembled. From one end of the metropolis to the other joy reigned supreme, and bunting was flying in the bright March morning. Scarcely an omnibus passed through the happy streets but what had tied to the driver's whip a Union Jack or red, white and blue streamers.

THROUGHOUT BRITAIN.

All over the United Kingdom the scenes were enacted. At Glasgow, Liverpool, Birmingham, Edinburgh, and in all the cities, big and little, flags flew everywhere, whistles tooted, bells chimed and crowds paraded the streets singing patriotic songs. Business was given up for the day, the schools were closed; in the harbors all the vessels dressed ship, and at the military and naval depots scenes of the wildest enthusiasm prevailed.

At Liverpool, addressing a crowd of 20,000 people assembled around the town hall, the Lord Mayor said:—"I thank the Almighty God for the glorious news. We have awaited it patiently. We are satisfied that under the humane laws and government of this country the Boers in a very short time will be loyal citizens of the British Empire."

THE AFTERNOON NEWSPAPERS

voice the exultation of the nation. The Globe says:—"The night is past. Since Havelock and Outram fought their way, inch by inch, through the crooked streets and environs of Lucknow, no such thrill of excitement has gone through the land."

BEFORE THE RELIEF.

DETAILS OF THE PIETER'S HILL FIGHT.

Colenso Camp, Tuesday, Feb. 27.—The British successfully stormed to-day the Boer position on Pieter's Hill. Since Friday's attack the whole face

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Depends upon the way the cloth is cut. We have the best cutters that we can find. We save money by cutting the cloth without waste, though we are generous in the use of it where we should be. On the cut of the garment depends the style. That is why our made-to-measure clothes fit well, and are reasonably priced.

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