

Casualties up to December.

London, Dec. 18.—Total reduction of the field force,
South Africa, due to casualties, to end of November:

	Officers.	Men.
Killed in action,	311	3,118
Died of wounds,	93	952
Died in captivity,	4	92
Died of disease,	163	6,566
Accidental deaths,	4	176
Missing and prisoners (excluding those who have been recovered or have died in cap- tivity),	14	1,230
Sent home as invalids,	1,551	35,548
Total,	2,140	47,588
	49,728	

Absolute Loss to the Army.

	Officers.	Men.
Deaths in South Africa,	575	10,804
Missing and prisoners,	14	1,236
Invalids sent home who have died,	4	231
Left the service as unfit,	1,314
Total,	593	13,585
	14,178	