WAS VERY BRUTAL

St. Thomas Woman Threw Boil-

ing Water on a Young Man

Because She Thought he was Tres-

passing-He May die-The Woman Arrested. St. Thomas, August 27.-A most ingular and deplorable affair,

which may result fataly, occurred here about five o'clock Saturday after-

noon. It appears that Glen Tyler,

driver of Butler Bros. delivery wagon,

ord Roberts has Left Preforia

ter Machadodorp.

Main Boer Army-Dewet

has Few Followers.

London, Aug. 27 .- Lord Roberts has left Pretoria for the first time in sev-

eral weeks, and sends a despatch from

Wonderfontein, 112 miles east of the

capital, describing the progress made by French and Pole-Carew in press-

ing back Botha's army. The good impression produced by this information yesterday was somewhat damp-ened by a later message from the commander-in-chief, stating that an-

ed by the Boers, losing nearly 100

The affair was unimportant, except as showing the continued activity

and alertness of the Boers in this

A despatch from Capel Town says:

Lord Roberts arrived yesterday at
Belfast, a few miles west of Machado

dorp, where he met Sir Redvers Buller, Gen. French and Gen. Pole-Carew.

Everything is now in readiness for the

De Wet's progress eastward seems

nows effectually checked by Baden-Powell, who has got across the line

separating him from the Lydenburg and Barberton districts. The great

guerilla leader has fallen back, and is now understood to be making for

the Orange Free State again, probably intending to attack Roberts' com-

Winnipeggers sweltered at 86 in the

killed, wounded and prison

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MORE RACE RIOTS.

Shooting in New York Leads to

New York, Aug. 27 .- A number of inipient race riots between blacks and whites broke out here yesterday, the direct cause being the shooting on Saturday night of John Brennan, a Saturday night of John Brennan, a messenger boy, aged 20, by John Davis, alias "Lamp Lighter," a negro. Brennan was one of a crowd of whites who taunted Davis, and bullets from the black's revolver lodged in his stomach and chest. He is in a hospital and likely to die. The shooting was done at 62nd street, and, becoming noised about, the rough white element began to search out negroes. Several were almost beaten to death without cause. Some arrests were driver of Butler Bros. delivery wagon, antered an outhouse in the rear of the Centre street terrace, at the Ross street crossing, which is on the premises of a family named Hulbert. The mistress of the place, probably, annoyed by what seemed to her a case of traspass, picked up a pail of boiling water, walked through the yard, opened the door and emptied the contents upon the unfortunate young man. His agonizing cries brought the neighbors to the scene, who did everything possible to relieve the sufferer. He was frightfully burned around the abdomen and down the legs, the flesh falling in pieces from the body. After the doctors had cut away his clothes, he was conveyed to his father's resi-

ONE MORE ROUND.

Thirty Thousand Boxers Said to be Anxious Therefor.

Are Advancing on Pekin—Danger of a Famine at Tien Tsin.

London, Monday, Aug. 27, 4 a, m.—
The latest news from Pekin indicates that the situation there is unchanged. The imperial city is still invested, but has not yet been occupied. The allies when the last report left were still refraining from aggressive action pending instruction from their governments. At a conference of ministers and general's held at Taku Friday the doctors had cut away his clothes, he was conveyed to his father's residence, No. 31 Forest, avenue, where he now lies in aprecarious condition. Mrs. Hulbert was immediately arrested and lodged in jail. She has five children and a husband. The latter is a farm laborer, at present employed by M. Penhale, Yarmouth. Young Tyler is a son of Emery Tyler, Michigan Central engineer. ters and generals held at Taku Friday t was decided, according to the Daily Telegraph, to refer the fate of the Telegraph, to refer the fate of the forbidden city to Europe. An attack forbidden city to Europe. An attack from 30,000 Boxers was anticipated, and to meet this the whole American force and the British' artillery, ac-cording to a despatch to the Morning Post from Pekin, dated Aug. 18, were moved to the outer city wall. The Boxers were reported coming from the south. Now Within a Few Miles of the

outh. Gen. Dorward, in his report of the engagement outside Tien Tsion, Aug.

19, when the British, Americans and Japanese signally defeated a large force of Boxers, killing over 300, says, in a despatch, dated Aug. 25:—The lines of communication near Tien Tsin are now free from danger. The enemy had been treating the villagers badly. Several decapitated bodies were found Several decapitated bodies were found near their camp. The villagers are now flocking to Tien Tsin at the rate of about 1,000 a day. As there is not more than a month's food supply, there is every prospect a famine is imminent in consequence of the inadequacy of provisions for the hordes of refugees at Tien Tsin, add a new element of peril to the situation. Shanghai advices say that the report of the capture of Emperor Kwang-Su, by the Japanese, was erroneous. It was a case of mistaken identity. commander-in-cener, stating, that an other little mishap had occurred to a part of General Buller's force engaged with another of Botha's commandoes, on Thursday. By some mistake two companies of a British infantry, regi-ment advanced far beyond the firing line after an engagement was suppos-ed to have ceased, and were surround-

BOLTS FROM BRYAN.

The Slump of the Democrats Seems to Have Commenced.

Chicago, Aug. 27 .- The Hon. Charles Denby, of Indiana, ex-United States minister to China, and member of the first commission to the Philippineslife-long Democrat-has written letter urging the re-election of President McKinley. It is entitled "Bry an's attitude towards the Philippines," and is made public by the Republican national committee.

CORDUA DIED munications. According to the com-mander-in-chief, De Wet has only 300 men with him, but this may be an

Walked Fearlessly to the Scene of His Execution and Declared He-Was Ready.

London, Aug. 27.—A special from Pretoria gives details of the execution on Friday of Lieut. Cordua, of the Transvaal Artillery, convicted by court-martial of breaking his parole shade yesterday while snow fell at in plotting to abduct Lord Roberts and kill British officers. Cordua walked fearlessly to the garden be-hind the jail. At his own request he was not bound, and sat in a chair with folded arms. He told Capt. Barchard, commanding the firing party, that he was ready, and ten bullets struck him. The body was buried near the spotwhere the lieutement fell.

Bob Fitzsimmons Once More-The Date Not Yet Settled.

New York, Aug. 27 .- Bob Fitzsimmons has challenged Champion Jim Jeffries for a fight to take place August 31, and has posted \$2,500 as a forfeit. Fitz says that Jeffries must meet him on that date or admit he is afraid of him. Jeffries, who was at Derby, Conn., during the day, was seen there, and said, relative to the challenge: there, and said, relative to the challenge:
"I have defeated Fitzsimmons decisively, once and think I can do it again, but I think it would be poor policy to fight right away, for the fight-going public need a rest. Still I shall allow no engagements to interfere with my championship battle, but I reserve the right to set aside time to train."

W. A. Brady, manager of Champion Jeffries, said in regard to Fitzsimmons challenge to Jeffries: "I have covered Fitzsimmons deposit of \$2,500 to make a match with Jeffries for the championship, and will with Jeffries for the championship, and will meet Fitzsimmons to day to decide on the time and place of meeting."

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