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THOMAS STONE & SON

For Tuesday

Exceptionally good opportunities are here for you To-morrow Tuesday. this time of year we have many lines of goods we are anxious to clear up and they are just the goods you want for immediate wear.

Muslins

10 pieces of new American Organdie Muslins, in very desirable shades of pink, sky, rose, helio, etc., in neat designs, good value at 15c yard, our regular price 12 1-2c yard, very special

Very special values in India Linens and Victoria Lawns, particularly suit-ed for waists, at per yard, 12 1-2c, 15c,

Rugs and Curtains

For to-morrow, (Tuesday), we will continue our sale of Ascot Jute Rugs, 27 in. wide, 64 in. long, fringed at both and an area. ends, on sale, very special, for

31-2 yards long, 50 in. wide, fine, lacy designs in Nottingham Lace Curtains, excellent value at \$1 a pair, very special Tuesday

\$6.50 skirts for \$4.88, made of al wool coating serge, trimmed with taffets bands, perfect fitting and latest

Others at Half-price.

10 pieces Japan crystal corded wash silks in very neat checks and stripes, in colors sky, pink, cardinal, helio, etc., regular price 50c a yard, on sale Tuesday, very special at

Bed Spreads

Full double bed size white honey comb bed spreads, fringed, regular \$1.00, special Tuesday

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Shirt Waists

Continued clearance sale of our e tire stock of shirt waists, including white, lawn, percale or print waists-

on Tuesday-50c. waists for 35c 75c. waists for 48c. \$1.00 waists for 72c.

\$2.00 waists for \$1.20. \$1.50 waists for \$1.12.

Dress Goods

Eight pieces double width cloth suit-ing in colors navy, black, green, brown fawn, etc., especially suited for bath-ing dresses, very special, at per yard on Tuesday

Ginghams

Continued sale of very desirable stripes, checks and plaids in fine American and Scotch ginghams, regular 12 1-2c quality, Tuesday for

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PARTY OF CONSTABULARY AMBUSHED BY BOERS

Boer Raids in Natal the Cause of an Order Requiring Whites to Evacuate Farms Between the Tugela and Sunday Rivers, England Said to be Threatened with Fresh Peril.

Considerable interest and satisfaction was evidenced this morning when, the races and traced from there.

London, July 21.—The casualty lists to the representations of the State cecived last night at the war office Department, the British government has declined to release any of the ndicates that a party of South African Constabulary was ambushed near Petrusburg, July 16, that two members of the party were killed, one was dangerously wounded, and seventeen are missing, and are believed to have been taken prisoners by the Boers.

The information reached Chatham

at 9.30 by telephone from Chief Wills

Epperson was arrested by Wind-

At noon to-day Deputy Sheriff Bees-

ton, accompanied by a constable, will

leave for Windsor to bring the escap-

They expect to place him again in

of Windsor, to Sheriff Gemmill.

ed convict back to Chatham

Castle Mercer to-night.

MUST EVACUATE THE FARMS. A despatch of the 20th says :- In consequence of the Boer raids into Natal and the support given the raiders by the Republicans, the military authorities have ordered all white men, with their live stock, foodstuffs and clothing to evacuate all farms between the Tugela and Sunday

ters protests against the publication of the correspondence between Mr. Reitz. Transvaal States Secretary, and Mr. Steyn, President of the Orange Free State, that was captured with the latter's baggage near Lindley on July 11. The communication maintains that Mr. Steyn's optimistic views are fully upheld by confidential reports from Botha, Delarey, Smutz and Beyer. It is said that Mr. Kruger has received within a week a most satisfactory letter from General Botha, in which details of future plans and movements are given, everything going to show that the Boers in the field are as determined

Americans who were captured while serving in the Boer army. The only exceptions will be in the case of prisoners whose health is such as to make their confinement dangerous Some Americans are among the military prisoners in Ceylon, and the State Department had special refer-ference to their case in addressing the British Government in the matter.

RECAPTURED IN WINDSOR

by the Windsor police.

ing the re-capture of Andrew Epper-

Immediately on receipt of the spe-

cial despatch to this journal a bulle-tin was issued and Sheriff Gemmill communicated with. The Sheriff had previously received the news, however, from Chief of Police Wills, of Windsor,

and was making preparations for Epperson's removal to this city.

At noon Deputy Sheriff Beeston and Constable John Carpenter left for Windsor, and will bring Epperson back to Chatham, this evening.

son, one of the three escaped convicts,

Sheriff Gemmill Notified This Morning that the Escaped Convict was Secured in Windsor-Will Arrive in Chatham To-Night.

Desperado Has Had Many Weeks of Stolen Liberty

Andrew Epperson was re-captured with ots customary promptness. The

in Windsor early this morning and is Planet issued the above brief extra.

now in the Windsor Police Station. giving the first information concern-

FULL OF MYSTERY. London, July 21.—The decision to withdraw 70,000 infantry from South Africa in September was made before the capture of the Reitz-Steyn cor-

yet be averted, but it is giving the to meet it. ANGLO-ITALIAN CONFERENCE.

Though not officially admitted, an important conference will shortly be held by British and Italian naval officers in regard to various Mediterranean questions. The conference, in-deed, is part of the program of the visit of a British squadron o Italian waters, where peculiar privileges will be granted to the Englishmen. Both governments desire to arrive at an understanding through their naval re-presentatives which will cover all eventualities, including probably a pre-Washington, July 20. — In response ian interests in Tripoli.

MRS. KRUGER THE ETHICS PASSED AWAY

Death of the Wife of the Ex-President of the Transvaal.

ondon Times Expresses Sympathy-Oom Paul Bursts into Tea son Learning the News.

Pretoria, July 21. - Mrs. Kruger, wife of former President Kruger of the South African republic, died yesterday of pneumonia, after, an illness of three days. She was 67 years old. Mrs. Kruger's long separation from her husband, combined with the death of her favorite daughter, Mrs. Smith, had completely broken her spirit. Mr. Eloff and many other members

side when she passed away.

OF JOURNALISM

Editor of the Market Guide Gives Some Advice to his Would-

Personal Screeds and Ridiculous Untruths Condemned-Lessons for the Banner-News to Poncer.

> Chatham, Ont. July 22, 1901.

somewhat childish screed published in last Saturday's Banner, only that it. contains some false insinuations about myself and about the Market Guide. In the latter I stated on the authority of three reputable and unsolicited witnesses, that the Banner, while London, July 22-"Owing to the claiming to be the originator of the Sunday telegraph hours in Holland," Thursday half-holiday, violated its says a dispatch to the Daily Mail own professions, by keeping "mostly" from Hilversum, "Mr Kruger was not all of its employes at work during this

suys a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Hilversum, "Mr Kruger was not informed of his wife's death until the evening. The news was broken to him by Dr. Neymans and Secretary Boeschoten Mr. Kruger, who had just returned from Hilversum, burst into tears and asked to be left alone.

"He exclaimed 'She was a good woman. We quarrelled only once and that was six months after we were married.' He prayed for a long time and is now calmly sleeping, his bible beside his bed.

"The Transvaal and Orange Free State flag is flying above the white villa and were draped and half masted. Shortly before the news came a crowd of country girls had been singing a folk-song outside the villa.

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into play, by denial of acknowledged; facts and scurrilous abuse of the pub-lisher of said facts.

Personally, I do not profess to know whether the Banner men were kept in on Thursday afternoon or not, as I have had no recent intercourse with the Banner, other than that of calling at their office by in-structions of the Walker presentation committee, to invite the presence of a Banner reporter at that presenta-

I leave the matter in the hands of the public to bring in thein verdict. They have on the one hand the testimony of several reputable witnesses including that of a leading merchant, that the Banner employes did not get the Thursday half-holiday. On the the Thursday half-holiday. On the other hand, and in rebuttal of these disinterested statements, we have the simple and heated denial of these facts, made by a deeply interested party whose netions about the morality of lying are confessedly misty and too feeble to restrain him from false denial of awkward facts. Let the public

weigh testimony against testimon-ies and pass judgment. The Banner man's false insinua-Rivers. Any white man remaining in this section of the country after July 31 will be subject to martial law.

FROM A FRENCH SOURCE.

Paris, July 21.—An official communication from the Boer, headquarters protests against the publication ver be averted, but it is giving the subject to martial the capture of the Reitz-Steyn correspondence. It was not dictated by The Banner man's false insinuations against myself and the Market Guide, may be matter of brief comment. I have no business or any other partnership connection with any other individual or newspaper in Chatham, I publish my views as, I think fit, and without consultation with an dictated by the expected collapse of the Boer resistance, but by another crisis which threatens to follow close on the heels of the war in South Africa. It would be permature to indicate the nature individual or newspaper in Chatham, I publish my views as, I think fit, and without consultation with, or dictagovernment the greatest anxiety, and tion from any other newspaper. I elaborate preparations are being made get my paper, the Market Guide, print-

contract price, and as I pay cash, weekly, fail to see where the "char-ity" referred to by the Banaer comes in. I do not feel under any compli-ment to The Planet in this matter, nor they to me, and so long as both parties are satisfied the transaction does not concern anyone else so far as I can see I have been engaged in journalism in Chatham for 21 years, and have published the Market Guide for 16 years. The fact that T. Stone & Son., G. Stephens & Co., Atkinson & Rispin and others or their predecessors in business have continued constantly to advertise in the Market Guide from its first issue on Sept. 5, 1885, till last Saturday, and the other fact that I have all the advertising I can hold without trenching on my news columns, prove that the Chatham public continue to appreciate the M. G. During my business career, I have not sought relief in bankruptcy

like some other people. Since the present proprietor of the Banner arrived, I have charitably tried to educate his journal by point-ing out its numerous blunders, local and general, but I fear I must give up the task as hopeless, as he does t know the a. b. c., of journalistic ethics or even newspaper etiquette. As a case in point, he did not send me a copy of his paper published tlast Saturday with its attack on the Mar-Guide and he personally asked me the names of my informants, which any newspaper tyro knows, could not be given to an outsider without the consent of these men or, pursuant to order

Finally, as to the Bannerman's sneer at my age, (though I cannot see how it would effect the controversy were I a centennarian), I shall only conclude by saying that the burden of years has not weighed me down so heavily as to prevent me from dealing with a blunderer of the Banner man's calibre. When I have reached that point of feebleness, I shall retire on my laurels and quit journal-

W. E. HAMILTON. B. A. T. C. D.

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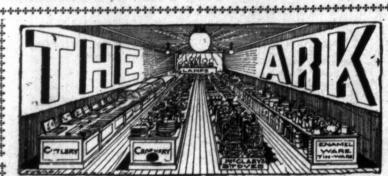
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of the Kruger family were at her bed-

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