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LONDON, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1902.

WHOLE NO. 16511.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.

JOHNSTON-In West Nissouri, on Feb. 18, 1902, Ellen, the beloved wife of Joseph Johnston, aged 48 years. Funeral from her late residence, lot 6, con. 2, West Nissouri, on Thursday, Feb. 20, at 2:30; service at 2 p.m. Interment at Brown's Hill Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this inti-

NIXON-In this city, on Tuesday, Feb. 18, 1902, Robert Nixon, aged 79 years. Funeral on Thursday, at 2 p.m., from the residence of George W. Ferguson, Lambeth. Interment at Lambeth

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

MASSEY MUSIC HALL, Toronto Wednesday, March 5, THE GREATEST PIANIST

Paderewski.

Special train from London, good for two days.

\$2,35 Return. Particulars and subscription list at

NEW GRAND THIS EVE'S The Little The Chas. Frohman production of Barrie's

Minister. delightful story. 75c, 50c, 25c.

ORGAN RECITAL Dundas Center Methodist Church, SATURDAY AFTERNOON NEXT,

at 4 o'clock, By Mr. W. H. Hewlett, assisted by Mrs. Adam Beck. Admission, 10 cents.

TONIGHT-JUBILEE RINK. TWO City League matches. First, Hortons vs. St. John's; second, Aberdeens, vs. Memorials.

AUDITORIUM — THURSDAY, 20th. "Spafford, the Cartoonist-Reciter." Plan open at Nordheimer's. Tickets. 25 and 50 cents.

WESTMINSTER RINK-BAND TO-NIGHT. Two-mile city championship Friday. Cortese's Orchestra, with cor-PRINCESS-BAND THURSDAY AND

Saturday. Skating afternoon and evening. Skates to rent. THE ANCHOR LINE WILL DISPATCH

their favorite steamer Astoria from New York to Glasgow, calling at Derry, Saturday, March 1. First cabin, sec-ond cabin and steerage fares at low rates. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

AMERICAN GOLD DOLLARS-TWO coins bought and sold. F. B. Clarke, broker, Richmond street, next Adver-

VOICE CULTURE-EVA N. ROBLYN, Soprano Soloist, Dundas Center Methodist Church. Director vocal department. Alma College, St. Thomas. Studio, 323 Dundas street. 'Phone 1,270.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY R. B. Millard, 245 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waits and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

DANCING-BEGINNERS' NEW TERM now open. Gentlemen, Monday; ladies, Tuesday evening; children, Saturday afternoon. Private tuition any hour. Dayton & McCormick.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

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LADIES WANTED TO LEARN DRESS-MAKING in two weeks; none but good sewers need apply. If you are perfectly satisfied after you are through you pay me \$10, including one of the best systems in the world. If not I guarantee to give you \$10 for your trouble. I have taught over 200 girls, and have been successful in every case. I will teach in Woodstock from March 3 to 15. All wishing to learn, call on me, Buckingham Hotel, Woodstock, Saturday, March 1, from 1 to 6 p.m. Will teach in London from March 17 to 29.
All wishing to learn, call London House, London, Saturday, March 15, from 1 to 6 p.m. Mrs. Wm. Sanders.

WANTED-A GOOD GENERAL SER-VANT; good references. Apply in the evening, 286 Dufferin avenue. 10tf

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SER-VANT, at once. Apply Mrs. A. S. Leys, 52 Elmwood avenue. WANTED-DINING-ROOM GIRL AND kitchen girl. Apply at Reid House, East London.

TWO FIRST-CLASS SALESLADIES wanted at once. Apply personally, Bayley's drygoods stores, 172 and 174 Dundas street. 9c

WANTED-GIRL ABOUT 16 YEARS,

BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

COMFORTABLE ROOM, WITH BOARD
—Suitable for two gentlemen or ladies.
484 Maitland street. 11c

PLEASANT ROOMS TO LET IN PRI-VATE family, with board; all modern conveniences. 348 Waterloo street, next to Medical School. 10c GOOD TABLE BOARD AT 320 DUNDAS

Savings and Investment Society.

HIGHEST RATES

Paid on Deposits and Detentures.

OFFICES - Masonic Temple come ne, corner King and Ricamond Streets.

> NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager

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The new 1902 Shoes are trade winners. Thousands of pairs in Men's, Women's and Children's to choose from.

You will quickly recognize the money-saving advantages of such values as we have to offer for the spring trade.

The Invictus Shoes are good shoes. Eighteen styles for men and twelve styles for women, all at one price.

\$3.50. Don't ask for your size; ask to be fitted.

Pocock Bros. Have you taken advantage of our wind-up price sale? The bar-gains will interest you.

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OFFICE BOY WANTED FOR WHOLE-SALE warehouse, Address in own handwriting, stating references. Box 89, Advertiser.

PORTER WANTED. APPLY FRASER House, King street. 10c WANTED-HUSTLER; TEMPORARY position; no canvassing; good pay. Address Globe, 723 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

STOUT BOYS, ABOUT 16, FOR MA-

CHINE room; some experience pre-ferred. Hourd & Co., furniture factory, Quebec street. WANTED-YOUNG MAN WITH SOME experience at wood work, to make himself generally useful. Hourd & Co., furniture factory, Quebec street. 9c

AGENTS WANTED.

lc per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. AGENTS-GOOD LINE, STEADY DE-MAND, large profits. Write today MAND, large profits. Write today Sample, 5 cents. Adams, Toronto, Ont

AGENTS-WE START YOU IN BUSINESS. You can easily make \$25 per week. No capital required. Apply P. O. Drawer 531, London. 91tf

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET. lc per word first insertion, and ½c pe word each subsequent insertion. N advertisement less than ten words.

ROOMS OVER MY STORE, SUITABLE for clubs and offices. C. D. Johnston, 198. Dundas street. 9c

MODERN BRICK RESIDENCE-NINE rooms and bathroom; every convenience; electric light. Apply next door. G. C. Jolly, 70 Fullarton street.

TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN-Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Catheart and Bruce, South Lon-don, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 310.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

le per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. BLACKSMITH SHOP TO LET-COR-NER of Talbot and Queen's avenue; best location in city; immediate posses-sion. Alex. Harvey. 67tf sion, Alex. Harvey.

BAKE SHOP FOR RENT, INQUIRE at St. James P. O., London South.

WANTED. lc per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED-A FAMILY WASHING.
Apply Box 87, this office.

9c

HOUSE WANTED-MODERN CON-VENIENCES. Address with full par-ticulars, "Tenant," Advertiser. 6n

COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Pompadours. They are perfect. Combings wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 222 Dundas street.

ARTICLES FOR SALE. ic per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

CHOICE LARGE ROLL BUTTER, 19c lb; second quality, 16c to 18c lb; choice 1 lb rolls, 20c. Strictly new-laid eggs, 25c dozen. New and old cheese, extra quality, 12c lb. T. A. Faulds' 13 Market ZXV

HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL KINDS fresh and smoked fish. Our goods are the best; fresh daily. F. S. Onn, Fish Market. 'Phone 1,296.

FOR SALE—TREES, VINES, SHRUBS, Roses, plants of all kinds. No one can supply better or cheaper or other varieties. Apply Baker, at London Nursery, Ridout street south, Westminster township, one mile from market. Pruning and grafting done. Sweet Pea sticks on hand, 4 to 5 feet, mostly sharpened, 75c per 100.

\$110 WILL BUY A SECOND-HAND GAS engine, in first-class order. D. Kenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street. FIRST-CLASS RUBBER STAMPS, 10

cents per line. Send for list. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont. THIS IS THE TIME OF THE YEAR that makes the people look for the best wood at the best prices. Ring up 1,312, and ask them about their different kinds of wood and prices. D. H. Gillies & Co., 673 Bathurst street.

EXTRA VALUE IN MEN'S WORKING Pants, \$1, \$1 25, \$1 50; and Overalls and Smocks, 50c to \$1, at Cunningham's, 662

TOVES-STOVES-WE HAVE a large stock of stoves, comprising coal baseburners, hot blast and St. Lewis airtight. Very cneap, at Keene's, 141 King street.

SNAP-GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 71-3 octaves; in first-ciass condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

FOR THE BEST HARD AND SOFT coal, steam coal and slack, or the best hard and soft wood, and good, dry sawmill slabs, at \$1.30 per load, go to Green & Co., William street and G. T. R. 'Phone 1.331.

\$11 WILL BUY A \$15 HALL STAND this week at Keene Bros.' furniture store, 127 King street, opposite Market House.

BUSINESS CARDS.

HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS, paper-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Crders promptly done. WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS— Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. Phone 1,231.

KANKEBAKKKKKKKKKKKKKKKKK SPEAKING upon the problem of where he would extend his patronage in securing a suit

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which he could be assured was the best in style, material and make, he was told by his friend that

ordered from a reliable, well-established house, always gave satisfaction. He Deeks & Munson, Tallors and Drapers, 393 Richmond Street.

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LOST — A GOLD FILLED, OPEN face watch, Elgin movement. Finder rewarded by leaving same at 485 Richmond street. LOST-ON TUESDAY AFTERNOON, lady's gold watch. Reward on returning to this office.

REAL ESTATE.

le per word first insertion, and 1/4c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. FOR SALE - LOT, STORE AND dwelling, No. 774 Waterloo street, occupied by Mr James Clarke, grocer. For terms address A. U. Garrett, World office, Toronto, or Messrs. Meredith & Fisher.

FARM-100 ACRES, CONSISTING OF first-class land, being lot 4, con. 8, London Township; dwelling house, two large barns, one long shed, granary, stables, etc.; good water; well fenced, and in a good state of cultivation. For terms and particulars apply to Wm. Knapton, 1,071 Richmond street, London, or to Meredith & Fisher. 96bu-tx

FIFTY ACRE FARM FOR SALE— Fine pasture land, with spring creek. Lot 8, con. 3, Lobo. Alex. C. Graham, Lobo P. O. 6h

FOR SALE — TWO-STORY BRICK — Nearly new; all modern, and central; brick cottage on Dufferin avenue. Frame cottage on King street. Small cottage on monthly installments. J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

711 QUEEN'S AVENUE—SUPERIOR built and planned brick cottage, in excellent repair, with large lot. Price low. Terms easy. J. H. McMechan, 388 king street

FOR SALE-VERY DESIRABLE RESI-DENCE and store premises on main street of Thorndale. For particulars apply to Alfred Bailey, Thorndale P.O.

LIVERY STABLES. LILLEY'S LIVERY-NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone

BROKERS.

FOR SALE-LONDON LOAN COM-PANY'S stock. John Wright, stock broker, London, Ont. PERSONAL.

LADIES' CONSULTATION PARLORS

-Specialty, health and tollet remedles.

Palmistry continued by request.

Madame, 470 Ridout.

PARCEL DELIVERY.

CITY PARCEL EXPRESS-OFFICE removed to 154 Carling street. Parcels called for and delivered to any part of city. Telephone 1,295. C. H. Anderson. CLAIRVOYANT.

MADAME BAKER, CLAIRVOYANT-Room 35, Bernard House. Hours, 9-12, 2-5, and 7-10 p.m. Fee, 50 cents. 6m **Executors' Notice to Creditors**

In the Estate of Mary Ann Aitchison, late of the City of London,

Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chap-ter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the having claims against the estate of the said Mary Ann Aitchison, who died on or about the twenty-first day of January, 1902, are required on or before the thirty-first day of March, 1902, to send by post prepaid or deliver to Messrs, Magee, McKillop & Murphy, of the City of London, Ontario, solicitors for Philip Mackenzie, Esquire, executor of the will of said deceased, their full names and addresses, with a full statement of their claims duly verified, and the nature of claims, duly verified, and the nature of the security of any, held by them, and after said last-mentioned date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall

have been received.
MAGEE. McKILLOP & MURPHY, Solicitors for the said Executor. London, February 13th, 1902. 8u-tx

For Busy Readers.

Nine of the wealthiest and most influentian citizens of Chicago have sent to the Senate of the United States a petition asking for uniform and rigid divorce laws in all the states of the

Miners have been forced to leave the Tennant Coal Company's mines at Turner, Ind., on account of the intense heat caused by the burning coal more than 100 feet underneath the ground.

During the gale which raged on the Nova Scotian coast Monday night, the steamer Grecian, ashore near Herring Cove, was broken in two. One half s now so close on shore that people can walk on board.

A Niagara Falls (N. Y.) dispatch says that Wm. E. Hunt has been arrested, charged with conducting a lottery at Fort Eric contrary to the laws of Canada, also using the Canadian mails for fraudulent purposes.

In connection with recent fatal boiler accident at Portage la Prairie, Man., it developed that the boiler had never been tested or inspected. Neither was there any safety valve used. A verdict in accordane with the testimony was given.

The British ship Belford arrived at Victoria, B. C., Monday night, 130 days out from London, with a general cargo. She is the winner of a race from England with the ship McDiarmid, which sailed from Liverpeol on same day she left London.

At the sale of the library of the late Thomas J. McKee in New York, \$1,700 was paid for Maj. John Andre's original manuscript prologue, written and spoken by him on the occasion of the opening of the John Street Theater in New York, on the evening of Jan. 9,

TO LEAVE FOR CANADA

Mr. Chamberlain Cannot Help the Welshmen

Who Want to Give Up Patagonia for This Country.

More Rioting in Barcelona - The Queen at the Theater-Duelist Gets Six Years.

London, Feb. 19.-Mr. Chamberlain yesterday met a deputation of Welshmen who desired to ask that the government provide a transport for the purpose of removing to Canada a number of their countrymen and their families who had migrated to Patagonia, and who desired a change of settlement.

Mr. Chamberlain said that when the mentioned he understood that the Welsh in Patagonia wished to emigrate to South Africa. Had such been the case arrangements could easily have been made, but he was powerless to render them assistance to emigrate to Canada. He suggested that the deputation should call on Lord Salisbury, or that a subscription be started in the United Kingdom to raise the necessary five or six thous-and pounds, or that the Canadian government might increase their liberal offer of a pound per head.

The deputation, which was greatly disappointed at the colonial secretary's reply, was headed by represen-tative Welshmen, resident of London.

The Canadian high commissioner's office was not represented. It is reported in some quarters that the Elder-Dempster Company will offer a steamship to transport the Welsh settlers to Canada. About 1,500 of these Welsh settlers occupy 70,000 acres in Patagonia, divided into 350 farms, where no produce can be grown without irrigation, and where recurring floods have proved

vocated strenuously by the Welsh delegation. THE QUEEN AT THEATER. Queen Alexandra and Princess Vicoria attended the performance at Mrs. Langtry's Theater Monday night. The King did not accompany them.

disastrous. The transplanting of this agricultural colony to Canada is ad-

DUELIST GETS SIX YEARS. A Hanover cable says: Herr Falkenhagen, who killed Herr Von Bennig-sen, governor of Joringe, in a duel, has been convicted and sentenced to six years' imprisonment in a fortress. The duel grew out of the intimacy of Von Bennigsen. After Herr Falken-hagen had killed Bennigsen, he went to Leipzig, and met the latter's wife. Thence he went to Berlin, where he visited various dancing saloons, and was arrested while drunk. The affair caused a great sensation.

RIOTING IN BARCELONA. Rioting was renewed in Barcelona Tuesday evening and crowds of strikers paraded the streets doing extensive damage. The troops charged them repeatedly, but only succeeded in dispersing the strikers when they opened fire. The strikers then assembled in large numbers in the outskirts of the

city. A serious collision between the troops and the strikers occurred at San Martin, a village in the suburbs. Here defor corrupt practices by agents, the troops fired on the mob killing three and wounding six. At Badalena the mob attacked the gendarmes and the cavalry who were

person was killed and three were wounded. At Sabadell, also in the suburbs, the strikers burned the octroi tax offices and a convent. Troops have been sent

protecting the street car service, and

a serious melee followed, in which one

to Sabadell and to other places to suppress the disorders. WAS MISS STONE RELEASED? The Paris Temps publishes a dispatch from Constantinople, which announces that Miss Helen M. Stone has been released by the brigands who have held her captive since Sept. 3 last, and has been handed over in good health to the dragoman of the American legation. The dispatch adds that the Rev. Tsilka has been arrested on the charge of complicity in the kid-napping of Miss Stone. London, Feb. 19 .- The Rev. Tsilka, who, according to the correspondent of the Paris Temps, in a dispatch, announces the release of Miss Stone, had

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CABLE NOTES.

maintenance of the German regiment

at Shanghai, asserting that its pres-

been arrested on the charge of complicity in the kidnapping of the missionaries, is the husband of Mme. Tsilka, the companion of Miss Stone. It was announced lately that the Turkish authorities suspected the Rev. Tsilka of complicity in the kidnapping of the missionaries. LIVERPOOL BANK FRAUDS. When the hearing of the charges against the defendants in the case of the Bank of Liverpool frauds was resumed, Thomas P. Goudie, the accused bookkeeper of the bank, was placed on the stand as a witness for the crown He told his story substantially as aiready known, and said James Mances, an American bookmaker, accused of connection with the rob-

beries, introduced himself to Goudie as an American acquainted with American jockeys, and hence in a position to spot winners. The intro-duction was followed by bets, whereby Marks & Co. won £30,000 during the first week. Goudie explained that fears of exposure rendered him an easy vic-Yung Yu, Chinese minister to Rus-At a meeting of the budget committee of the German Reichstag the government demanded provision for the

ence there was necessary in order to support German interests in China. A majority of the committee assented.

Three Austrian warships have ar-F. C. Andrews, vice-president of the Detroit City Savings Bank, which is rived at Trieste (Austria-Hungry) and now in a receiver's hands, is still in

COMMENT BY Company's docks. Four notorious anachists have been arrested. Mr. Brodrick, replying to a question in the British Commons regarding the remount scandal, announced that Major-General Truman, inspector-gen-KITCHENER eral of the remount establishment, had sent in his provisional resignation, but

On the British Mishap at Tweefontein.

Native Force of 2,000 Men Started to Recapture Stolen Stock.

Are Solid for Laurier and rible Visitation—Death of a Good Government. Noted Boer Scout.

They Elected D. A. Stewart by a Rousing Majority.

The Independent Beaten by Over

One Thousand Votes,

he would be allowed to retain his post pending the decision of the court of inquiry appointed to inquire into the

charges brought against his depart-

LIBERALS

THE LISGAR

action of the deputation was first While the Conservative Candidate Was Nearly Seventeen Hun-

dred Behind.

[Associated Press Dispatch.] Winnipeg, Feb. 18.-The bye-election for the commons in Lisgar, rendered necessary by the unseating of R. L. Richardson, Independent Liberal, came off today, and resulted in the return of D. A. Stewart, Liberal.

Seventy out of 78 polling subdivisions give the following totals: Stewart, Liberal, 3,271; Richardson, Independent, 2,162; Toombs, Conservative, 1,514. Eight polls yet to hear from.

At midnight 72 out of 78 polls give Stewart 3.218. Richardson 2.173. and Toombs 1,522. Large crowds waited all evening around the bulletin boards eagerly looking for the latest from Lisgar.

The Lisgar Victory. [Special Dispatch to the Globe.] Winnipeg, Feb. 18.-The electors of Lisgar declared today with no uncertain sound for Laurier and good government when they returned at the head of the polls by nearly one thousand majority Mr. D. A. Stewart, the Liberal candidate. The contest was probably one of the most bitterly fought in the history of Manitoba. Every possible means was taken by the Conservatives and Independents to besmirch the government and Hon. Mr. Sifton, the latter having taken a prominent part in the campaign. No trick was too mean for the opponents of the government, but the result was a sweeping victory for Liberalism, and also an indication of the approaching doom of the Roblin Government. TOOMBS WILL LOSE HIS DEPOSIT Mr. Toombs, the Conservative candidate, was expected to take second place in the fight, but was badly distanced, and will lose his deposit, alcaptured Bloemfontein. This halted though he received the support of Premier Roblin and all his ministers. efforts to carry the The news of the election was receiv-

made desperate seat by a campaign of abuse against Mr. Sifton, and attempts to capture the Conservative vote. ed in Winnipeg with great joy by the Liberals at their club rooms, where speeches were made by leading members of the party. Returns were also

bulletined at all central points in the

city, so great was the interest taken. THE EXPECTED HAPPENED. [G. N. W. Press Dispatch.] Winnipeg, Feb. 18.-The result was just about what was expected, although it was believed Mr. Richardson would give Mr. Stewart a close chase. majority of Mr. Richardson's supporters are still of the belief that he would have been elected had the vote been split by Mr. Toombs entering the field. The Liberals are naturally very much elated. The Conservatives are not saying anything, although they den't like the idea of their candidate

losing his deposit. CONSERVATIVE CAUCUS. Toronto, Feb. 18 .- There was a Conervative caucus at the parliament buildings this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, and it lasted until the time for the to meet. The question which they discused was prohibition. Just what decision was arrived at nobody would say. However, the Conservatives are opposed to the bill coming up this week for a second reading, because they have not yet been supplied with a draft. There is a general opinion in the corridors that the Opposition will move a six months' hoist. ST. THOMAS MUNICIPAL ELEC-

TION. Toronto, Feb. 18 .- The fight over the polling of duplicate votes in the recent St. Thomas municipal election must be fought over again. It will be remembered that last week, when the application of Mr. Turner, to force Police Magistrate Glenn to hear his complaint, that Patrick Meehan had voted three times, was before the division court, Mr. Duvernet took the ground that the single court was the proper tribunal. The judges this morning announced that the point was well taken. They added, however, that as they had heard the case on its merits, by an agreement of the parties a single judge could give a decision, and this would obviate the necessity of hearing the case over again. If the parties do not agree to this within a week, fresh application must be made by Turner before a single judge.

landed blue jackets to protect the har-bor and the Austrian Lloyd Steamship

Major Colenbrander Saves Boer Women and Children From a Ter-

London, Feb. 19.-General Kitchener's details of the operations in South Africa during January are published today in the Official Gazette. Referring to the Tweefontein mishap, he says a court of inquiry was held on the affair, "which, in my opinion, was not satisfactorily covered by the explanations put forward. Considering the warnings this force received, directing them to be on the alert, the preparations made by them to meet a night attack seem, so far as I can judge at present, to have been most

defective. Incidentally, General Kitchener mentions that Major Colenbrander met a party of natives under Chief Linchwe, 2,000 strong, marching in an endeavor to recapture stock that had been stolen he previous month by Commandant Kemp. As there were Boer women and children in the neighborhood, deplorable results might have occurred. Major Colenbrander ordered the natives to return, and they obeyed, much to the relief of the Boer families scatered in the district.

MAY TRECK TO TEXAS. It is learned from a hitherto reliable source at The Hague that a plan has been decided upon to prevent the remnant of the fighting guerrillas now in the field in South Africa, a large majority of whom are Natal and Cape rebels, liable to trial for treason, from eventually falling into the hands of the British. They cannot keep up the now in the field should migrate to one of the Western States, presumably Texas or New Mexico. It is to fur-ther this scheme, so the story goes, put a man in each district to advise the that Wessels and Wolmarans sailed for

the effect that the Boer delegates have not gone to America, but to the Transvaal by way of Delagoa Bay to try According to British war office re-ports, the Boer loss last week was 267

killed, wounded, captured and surrendered. NOTED BOER SCOUT DEAD. A cablegram gives the news of the death at Charing Cross Hotel, London, of Col. Francis J. Turner, a noted Boer scout. For the first eighteen months of the South African war Turner was a leading scout of the Boer army. He was a civil, mining and mechanical engineer, and had large inin South Africa. John O. Knight, of the Chicago Record, went his only associate in the daring

the British over two months and gave the Boers a chance to re-form lines Turner also led some of the most daring raids of the war and was se-verely wounded during the battle of Colenso. Later he went to Holland to recruit in health and do important work for the Boer cause. At the time of his death he was preparing to re-

feat of blowing up the railway bridges

behind the Boers, when the British

turn to South Africa. TO SAVE KRITZINGER. The Belgian League for the Rights of Man has addressed an appeal to President Roosevelt asking him "for the love of God" to intervene to prevent the possible execution of Boer Commandant Kritzinger and others. Commandant Kritzinger was captured by Gen. French last December.

trial in South Africa began Feb. 15. DISPERSED DEWET'S FORCE. Heilborn, Orange Colony, Feb. 18 .-The British columns have again come in contact with Dewet's forces near Reitz, Orange Colony. The latter were split up and dispersed.

SCHEEPERS DID NOT CAPTURE ANY GUNS. In reply to Mr. MacNeill, Mr. Brodrick said in the House of Commons that no guns were captured by Commandant Scheepers in Cape Colony in the year 1901. The war office, said Mr. Brodrick, was paying careful attention to where the Boers got their munitions of war. He could not, how-ever, satisfy Mr. Alfred Davies' curi-

osity on the subject. "Is 'curiosity' a parliamentary term?" cried Mr. Davies, appealing to the speaker, who, however, did not think that such a mild term was out of order. "Lord Milner," said Mr. Chamberlain, replying to Mr. Black, "is responsible all matters relating to the administration of the two colonies, except such as are specially reserved on account of military exigencies."

JOB FOR "FIGHTING MAC." General Hector Macdonald has been appointed to succeed Major-General F. T. Hobson as commander of the forces in Ceylon. "Fighting Mac," as General Macdonald is called, is one of the most brilliant British generals. He it was who at Omdurman saved the British from a threatened disaster. He figured actively in the earlier stages of the war in South Africa, when infantry were engaged, and was wounded after Paardeberg. He has recently been visiting Australia.

CASHIER ALLEGED TO HAVE

STOLEN \$178,000. Helena, Mont., Feb. 19.—A special from Great Falls, Mont., says that H. H. Matteson, who, on Jan. 5, confessed to embezzling \$75,000 from the First National embezzling \$15,000 from the Photos Bank while acting as cashier, is now alleged to have taken \$178,000, his operations extending over three years. The tions extending over three years. The statement was made at a meeting of the bank directors yesterday.

LUXURIANT HAIR.

Next time you brush your hair just look at it critically. Is it dull or excessively dry? Is it harsh or filled with dandruff? Is it thinner than it was five years ago? If you are dissatisfied with it you can be pretty sure that others will notice the defect.

For all hair troubles use Oriental Rum and Quinine Hair Tonic.

It cleans the scalp and stimulates the growth of the hair. It will stop falling of hair. It will help to make the hair glossy without making it greasy. Strong claims? Well, a good many customers have found good many customers have found them to be true.

Only 50 cents bottle. CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE. Chemists and Druggists. 216 Dundas St., corner Park Ave.

AGAIN THE SUGAR BEET.

Advantageous Offer To Be Submitted to the City.

Port Stanley Stockholders' Meeting Again Adjourned—Gossip of the City Hall.

Another proposition for the building of a beet sugar factory in London is to engage the attention of the manufacturers' committee of the city council. Mr. Charles W. de Rekowski, superintendent of the Dresden Sugar Company, of Dresden, Ont., comes forward with an offer to erect a factory here which would employ 300 hands. He will ask for no financial aid whatever. but such civic encouragement as a free site, tax exemption, free water, etc., would be acceptable. Mr. de Rekowski's company has built and now controls four factories in the United States in addition to the Dresden factory. Mr. de Rekowski says that to have the factory in operation in 1903 it would be necessary to start its erection almost at once, to allow sufficient time for erecting and equipping it properly. Meanwhile, Mr. Rekowski wants 2,000 acres of beets grown durstruggle many months longer, and it is ing the coming summer in the vicin-proposed that the bulk of the burghers ity of London. In order to assure the success of the crop, and prepare the agriculturists for the larger demand farmers as to proper management, and New York from Boulogne on the steamer Rotterdam last Friday. end of the season, the yield would be A report from a French source is to bought at ruling prices and shipped to Dresden, while the following year the London factory would take the product of 10,000 acres.

> In this connection, Chairman Doug lass of the manufacturers' commit tee has arranged for a mass meeting in the interests of the sugar beet industry, to be held at the city hall on Sat-urday afternoon, Feb. 22, at 2 o'clock sharp. At this meeting the prospects of beet growing will be discussed, and practical advice given as to the cultivation of sugar beets by Mr. de Re-kowski. The farmers of the district should take full advantage of the opportunity to learn something on a subject which may materially affect their prospects for the better.

The adjourned meeting of the shareholders of the London and Port Stanley Railway, set for noon today, resulted in another adjournment for two weeks. Only Mayor Beck and Mr. A. McCormick showed up at the meeting. The meeting of the shareholders is only a perfunctory part of the leas, negotiations, as the city controls 8,631 of the total stock vote of 11,218.

Blackwell are tendering a dinner to the board of education and their frieds at the City Hotel on Feb. 27. Over 100 invitations have been issued, and the affair promises to be a complete success. The city engineer's department is preparing to call for tenders for the street watering. In past years belated

petitions for street watering have

venience. This year it is understood

the area of watering will be defined

at as early a date as possibly, and

caused the department much incon-

Messrs. E. J. MacRobert and D. W.

thereafter no additions will be allowed to be made. It is expected that the medical health officer will be installed shortly in his temporary office in the ante-room of the council chamber. Here he will have regular office hours, which will be a much more satisfactory arrangement than the present condition for the aldermen, board of health, physicians, undertakers and others

who have constant business with him DIVIDEND OF \$10,000,000. New York, Feb. 18 .- J. P. Morgan & Company distributed a dividend of \$10,000,000 today to the members of the syndicate formed to underwrite the United States Steel Corporation. The dividend represents 5 per cent of the

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