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Montreal Stock Market.

Ask.	Uff.
Canadian Pacific, 94%	941/2
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Duluth 151/2	15
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Commercial Reg Bonds	
Mentreal Telegraph	1751/2
Richelieu and Ontario	10834
Montreal Street Railway311	310
Montreal St. Railway, new 161	1603/8
Toronto Railway, 10934	109 1/2
Montreal Gas Company19234	192
Bell Telephone	190
Royal Electric	15978
Bank of Montreal 271	265
Ontario Bank	
Molsons Bank 209	207
Bank of Toronto	
Merchants' Bank	166
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	180
Quebec Bank	1281/4
Union Rank	
Bank of Commerce	::
Northwest Land pref 35	56
Montreal Collon Co	144
Canada Colored Cotton	70

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Toronto Stock Market	t.
TORONTO,	Nov. 6.
Ask.	Off
Montreal	264
Ontario	130
Toronto	245
Merchants	165
Commerce	151
Imperial218	216
Dominion271	269
Standard	192
Hamilton	194
British America	124
Western Assurance165	164
Consumers' Gas	224
Montreal Gas	193
Dominion Telegraph	130
Northwest Land Company, pref. 57	56
Canada Pacific Ry. Stock 941/4	94
Commercial Cable Company 192	190
Commercial Coupon Bonds	
Com. Registered Bonds	
Bell Telephone Company	189
Richelieu and Ontario	108
Montreal Street Railway	
Toronto Street Railway 109%	109
London Street Railway 185	117
London Electric122	
Dominion Savings and Invest	76
Huron and Erie L. and S	186
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Brooklyn Tran 8814	873%	8844	81	881/2
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Chicago Gas,114%	1141/2	1151/4	11436	11534
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Gen. Electric				
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K. & T., Pfd 401/4	393/	401/4	391/4	401/4
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Steel and Wire. 47	47%			47
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	411/	12	411/	43

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 Foderal Steel
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 57 ½ 49 46 121 41¼ Toronto Produce Market.

TORONTO, Nov. 6.—Wheat easier, at 651/2c for red and white, west; goose, 68c to 69c, west. Manitoba wheat easier, at 79½c to 80c for No. 1 hard, grinding, in transit, and 68c to 69c, west. Flour is quiet, at \$2 80 for cars of straight roller in barrels, Milifeed is steady, at \$14 to \$14 50 for shorts, and \$11 25 to \$11 50 for bran, west. Barley steady, at 41c to 42c for No. 1, and 40c for No. 2, west. Buck-wheat steady, at 50c, wesk. Rye duil, wheat steady, at 50c, west. Rye duil, at 52c to 53c, west. Corn easy, at 32½c to 33c for Canada yellow, west; No. 2 American, yellow, 42c and No. 3, 41½c here. Oats dull, at 25c for mixed, and 25½c for white, west. Peas quiet, at 56c, west. Eggs steady, at 18c to 19c for fresh gathered, and 14c to 15c for limed. Butter steady, at 17½c to 18½s for choice dairy tubs, and 10c to 16c for inferior and medium; large rolls, 17c to 17½c; creamery steady, at 21c for solid and 22c to 23c for prints. Dressed hogs easier on the here; they are unchanged, at \$5 25 to \$5 50; car lots of mixed weights, \$5 25 to \$5 80 bid.

English Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 6-Closing. Wheat-Spot, dull; No. 1 Cal., 68 21/d to 68 v. No. 2 red western, winter, steady, 5 o. 1 red northern spring, steady, 6 s s o. 1 red northern, Duluth, steady, 5 s 10d. Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, firm, 3s 5½d; io. old, firm, 3s 5½d; futures, firm, Nov., 3s 5½d; Dec., quiet, 3s 6½d; Jan., steady,

Feas—Western, 5s 10%d. Canadian, 5s 6%d.
Beef—Prime mess, strong, 80s; extra India

Beef—Prime mess, strong, 80s; extra India mess, strong, 86s 2d.
Pork—Prime mess, fine western, strong, 67s 6d; do. medium, western, 42s 6d.
Lard—American refined, in pails, steady, 29s 6d; prime western in tierces, steady, 27s 6d; middlings, light, dull, 33s 6d.
Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs., dull, 45s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut. 28 to 30 lbs., dull, 34s; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, steady, 34s; long clear middles, light, 36 to 35 lbs, steady, 31s long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 30s; short clear backs. 16 to 18 lbs, dull, 30s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, easy, 35s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm. 32s.
Butter—Finest American, 96s; good, 73s.
Cheese—American finest white, steady, 54s 6d;
colored, steady, 56s; do, old, firm, 54s 6d; ordi-

nary, new, 4"s 6d.
Tallow – Prime city, steady, 24s; Australian,
London, dull, 21s 6d.
Hops – At London (Pacific coast), nominal, £4 Cottonseed oil-Hull refined, Nov. April,

Anll. 168 3d. nll, 168 3d. Turpentine spirits—Steady; 378 6d. Rosin—Common, steady, 4s. Petroleum—Refined, 7½d. inseed oil-24s cd.

Imports of wheat into Liverpool during the past week: From Atlantic ports, 36,706 quarters; from Pacific ports, 33,000; from other ports, 4,000 quarters. Imports of corn into Liverpool from Atlantic ports during the past

American Markets

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.-Flour-Receipts, 35,974 bbls; sales, 6,000 pkgs; state and western fairly active and about steady; winter patents, \$3 60 to \$3 85; winter straights, \$3 40 to \$3 50; winter extras, \$2 55 to \$2 90; winter low grades, \$2 25 to \$2 40; Minensota pat-

\$2 85 to \$3 15. Rye flour quiet; good to fair, \$3 40 to \$3 45; choice to fancy, \$3 45 to \$3 75. Wheat—Receipts, 8,3.5; sales, 1,250,000 bu; options, No. 2 red, market opened steady at 1/4c advance on early cables, but lost the advance under later cables, coming less favorable; March, 76% c to 76% c; May, 77% c to 78% c; Dec., 731/3c to 73%c. Rye quiet; state, 60c; No. 2 western, 62c, f.o.b., afloat, to arrive. Corn—Receipts, 116,625 bu; sales, 25,000 bu; options, No. 2, market firm and 4c higher on cables and local demand, but ruled quiet and a shade easier with May, 384c. Oats-Receipts, wheat: 192,200 bu; options nominal; no business; track, white state and western, 301/20 to 34c. Butter-Receipts, 5,505 pkgs; firm; state dairy, 17c to 23c; June creamery, 17c to 23c; state creamery, 17½c to 25c; western do, 17½c to 25c. Theese-Receipts, 1,195 pkgs; market quiet; small September fancy. 12½c to 12¾c; finest October, 12c to 12¼c; large September fancy, colored, 124c to 121/2c; large October finest, 111/2c. Eggs-Re-

ed at mark, 14c to 18c. Sugar-Raw steady; fair refining, 5 13-16c. BUFFALO, Nov. 6 .- Spring wheat-No. 1 northern, 72%c; No. 2 northern, Winter wheat-No. 2 red, 73c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 39¼c; No. 3 yellow, 38¾c; No. 2 corn, 38c. Oatse—No. 2 white, 29½c; No. 3 white, 28¾c, on

ceipts, 7,525 pkgs; firm; state and Penn-

DETROIT, Nov. 6.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 69½c; No. 2 red, cash, 69%c; Dec., 70%c; May, 75½c. TOLEDO, O., Nov. 6.—Wheat—Cash, 69c; Dec., 70½c; May, 75%c. Corn—Dec., 30%c. Oats-May, 25c.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 6.-Wheat -Cash, 681/2c.

Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, Nov. 6. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicage Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butter broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278. Wheat—Dec... 68% 69
May... 72% 73
Corn—Dec.... 30¾ 31¼ May 72%
Corn—Dec. 30%
May 32%
Oats—Dec. 22%
May 23%
Pork—Dec. 8 20 Pork—Dec.... 8 20 Jan... 9 72 Lard—Dec... 5 07 Jan... 5 25 Ribs-Dec.... 4 85 4 90 ... 4 95 Puts, 681/4. Calls, 693/4

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—Hogs-Market steady; mixed and butchers, \$3 95 to \$4 25; good heavy, \$4 to \$4 271/2; rough and heavy, \$3 75 to \$3 95; light, \$3 90 to \$4 15. Cattle—Receipts, 15,500; market strong; beeves, \$4 50 to \$6 60; cows and heifers, \$1 75 to \$5 10; Texas steers, \$3 50 to \$4 10; stockers and feeders, \$3

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Latest Probabilities

Toronto, Nov. 6 .- 10 a.m. - Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Today and Tuesday-Light to moderate winds; fine, stationary or a little higher temperature.

-The city council will meet tonight. -Henry Copram, of Lobo township, was locked up at the county jail on Saturday, charged with insanity. -George Walker and Thomas Humphrey, two of the street railway strik-

this morning, have been expelled by -The breaking of one of the machines at the power house, left the city churches in darkness for a few minutes during service last night. It was

promptly repaired. -Rev. Dr. Smith is making a series of addresses at his mid-week services on the "Messages to the Seven Churches of Asia." The first one to the church of Smyrna, was delivered on

Wednesday. -The many friends of Mrs. C. W. Austin, 787 Waterloo street, city, will regret to learn of the sad news received by telegraph on Friday afternoon, of the death of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Smith, at Glenshee, on Nov. 2, 1899.

-The opening concert of the Women's Morning Music Club will be held on Wednesday night in the Auditorium. An excellent programme has been arranged. (Mrs. Clara Barnes-Holmes, contralto, and Miss Lillian Littlehales, 'cellist, will provide most of the even-

ing's pleasure. -In the list of the members of the London Company of the South African contingent the mame of Archie Mc-Murphy was spelled "McMurchie" by mistake. Mr. McMurphy is the son of Archibald McMurphy, of West Lon-don, formerly of Komoka.

-One night only will scarcely be sufficient to accommodate the crowds who will flock to see "The Christian," that is all the time that could be provided for it here owing to previous engagements elsewhere. The sale of seats is now in progress, and from present indications the house will be sold out. The cast numbers 50 odd

people. -When the box office at the Grand Opera House was opened this morning for the sale of seats for "The Christian," the waiting crowd was so large they had to be placed in line two by two. The line extended clean around onto Richmond street. There has not been such a demand for seats before

this season -Mail and Empire: Hon. David Mills will this week lecture before the stu-dents of Toronto University. The minister of justice, who is probably the best posted man in Canada on South African affairs, is being strongly urged to publish his lectures on South Africa. Their appearance at this time would

be particularly appropriate. -The Hamilton Road Methodist Church held their Epworth League anniversary yesterday. Rev. A. C. Crews preached morning and evening. The semmons were of a coul-

ents. \$3 75 to \$4 19; Minnesota bakers, stirring character. A mass meeting when addresses were given by the Rev. Thomas Wilson, Rev. L. W. Wickett and the Misses Shaw and Spence, all giving good advice. The Edward League in this church is in

a very prosperous condition. —A very large number of friends gathered at the home of the late John Tanton, on Piccadilly street, yesterday afternoon and joined in the funeral cortege. The remains were interred in Woodland Cemetery. The Canadian Order of Foresters, to the number of about 300, walked. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Smith, of the First Methodist Church smith, of the First Methodist Church, and Rev. Mr. Morrison. The pall-bearers were Mr. T. Cockrill, Mr. Wm. Baskerville, Mr. Charles Colerick, Mr. C. W. Walker. Mr. Wm. Rider and Mr. John Hamilton.

The German-Lutherans to the number of about 70 held church services yesterday in Duffield block. The services were conducted in the German language by Rev. F. R. Loeb, of Baden. sylvania, 21c to 211/2c; western ungrad- Much interest is being evinced in the meetings, and their continuance will please a large number of the German conony in the city. Next Saturday the meeting will be held in a room of the Yerex college. Until the Germans shall have a congregation large enough to support a minister of their own, they will be supplied with one by the synod. It will be remembered that some pro-

tests were made as to the awarding of prizes in the wheat department of the Western Fair. It was believed that the wheat that was given first prize in the spring grain class was really fall wheat. The opinion of Mr. Hunt, an expert, was obtained, and he decided that it was spring wheat, and the frize money was given. The claim was then made that it was not home-grown, and the board exercised the right of calling for five bushels of the wheat, and comparing it with the samples. Secretary has received 20 bushels of the wheat, and a committee composed of Messrs. Leys, Bogue, Trebilcock, Moore and Laidlaw will decide as to whether or not the exhibitor of the grain is entitled to the money.

SELECTING THE JURORS. Judge Edward Elliott, Squire J. B. Smyth and Sheriff Cameron are selecting the jurors for the winter assizes

ELECT TRIAL BY JUDGE. John Maxwell, who is charged with stealing \$100 from William Robb, and Herbert Wilson, who is on remand on four charges, came up before Judge Edward Elliott this morning and elected trial before his lordship. They will

be tried on Nov. 14. ESCAPED AND RETAKEN. An asylum patient named Sinclair, escaped last week and returned to the home of a Lobo township farmer, by whom he was formerly employed. They took from him a big club, which he was carrying, and kept him quiet un-til the asylum authorities arrived and took him in charge again. Before his commitment Sinclair stabbed a number of cattle in Lobo.

WINTER 'BUSSES HAVE ARRIVED. Two of the winter omnibusses expected by the street railway strikers' committee arrived over the M. C. R. this morning. They are fitted in the inside much like the interior of a street car. They resemble, in style, the omnibusses used on the streets of old London. The seats are comfortably upholstered and the 'busses are thoroughly watertight. Six or eight more busses are expected in a few days.

MEETING OF MUSICIANS. will ere long be ready to announce and others, warning all persons against their curriculum. A meeting of representatives of the three sections into which the association is divided, was held at the Y. M. C. A. building here this afternoon, to further consider the maitter. Among those present were W. Caven Barron, St. John Hyttenrauch, and J. W. Fetherston, representing the London section; W. E. Fairclough, W. Forsyth and S. T. Church (general secretary), of the Toronto section, and Dr. Harrison, Mr. Andrews and E. W. Schuch, of the Hamilton section.

CIATION. A meeting of the Methodist Ministerial Conference was held this morning at 10 o'clock, in Wesley Hall. Rev. Joseph Edge presided. There was a discussion on matters pertaining to evangelistic services in the outlying churches. Nothing final was arrived at, and another meeting will be held tomorrow morning to further consider this work. Rev. Dr. Saunders read a paper from I. Corinthians, xv., 44: "It is sown a material body; it is raised a spiritual body. There is a material ers who returned to work on the cars body and there is a spiritual body." Afterwards the paper was discussed by the ministers present. The next paper will be read by Rev. A. G. Harris, of Empress Avenue Methodist

METHODIST MINISTERIAL ASSO-

Church. UNVEILING A MONUMENT.

There was a large gathering of of members of the Woodmen of the World at Birr yesterday, to attend the unveiling of a monument to the memory of the late James Roberts, of Il-derton, by the officers of the Ilderton Camp. Services were conducted at 10:30 in the English Church. The rector, Rev. Mr. Wilson, delivered an impressive sermon, and difficult musical selections were beautifully rendered by the choir. The unveiling of the monument took place at 1 o'clock. The address by High Consul Commander C. C. Hodgins, of Lucan, was able and eloquent. Mr. Wm. Hawthorns, consul commander of the London Camp, read the poem. Mr. Peter Boyle, of Ilderton, was master of ceremonies. In addition to the turn-out by Camp Ilderton, of which deceased was a member, Camp Ballymote, Hyde Park and Lucan were well represented.

A JOKE ON NICHOLAS. It is told by the Neepawa Press of Nicholas Flood Davin, M.P., that he was billed to speak in the suburbs of a grain elevator a hundred miles or so from Regina. Heavy rains destroyed a part of the railway track, and Mr. Davin could not make the meeting-place. He sent this dispatch: "Regina, — 20, 189—.
"Chairman Conservative Association:

"Cannot come; washout on line. "NICHOLAS FLOOD DAVIN." A few hour later Mr. Davin came in from roaming the solitude of the vast prairie, arm-in-arm with his own peerless intellect, when the following dispatch was handed to him:

- 20, 189-"N. F. Davin, M.P., Regina:
"Never mind; borrow a shirt and come anyway. "CHAIRMAN COMMITTEE."

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An Immense Weight Lifted From the Public Mind

By the Latest News From Ladysmith Speculation as to the Reason for Evacuating Colenso and Stromberg.

London, Nov. 6.-An immense weight was lifted in the public mind by a brief official dispatch published this morning, by which the continental stories of disaster at Ladysmith were proved to be false, although the dispatch itself revived the anxiety of the more timid in another direction, as it indicated that Gen. White, instead of sitting tight and acting wholly on the defensive, as it is held in many quarters he ought to do, persists in sortieing and risking another Nicholson's Nek disaster. Generally, however, the cheery tone of the dispatch, showing that there is no anxiety at Ladysmith as regards the ability of the beleaguer-

cellent effect on the country. UNEXPLAINED. The evacuation of Colenso and the reported withdrawal of the British force from Stromberg are still unex-The former may be due either to the Boer artillery, rendering the place untenable, or that pressure elsewhere, possibly at Pietermaritzburg, has necessitated the concentration at a threatened point of all available

ed garrison to hold its own, has an ex-

It is said that if the objective of the with the facts I witnessed.

Boers traversing Zululand was Pieter
At the battle of Majuba Hill I saw Boers traversing Zululand was Pieter-maritzburg, they ought shortly to be heard from. That the position is regarded as serious is apparent from the fact that British cruisers are hurrying to the Cape station.

REGARDING STORMBERG. With regard to Stormberg, it is claimed that if it turns out to be true that the place has been evacuated it may either be due to the impossibility at present of providing an adequate gar-rison to defend such important supplies against the Boer raids, or to a change in Gen. Buller's plans, where-by Gen. Methuen's division will be landed at Durban to relieve Gen. White. If the latter plan is decided upon the nearest available stores are those at Stormberg, and the quickest method of making the necessary provision for an advance will be to railroad these stores to East London, whence they would reach Durban before the first troopship.

THE SPECIAL SERVICE SQUAD-RON. A dispatch from Portland says that

the special service squadron has been instructed to forthwith coal for a voyage, and that no one connected with the squadron is permitted to sleep outside the port. MARTIAL LAW. Advices from Cape Town, under date

of Nov. 3, says martial law has been proclaimed in the districts occupied by the British troops between the Orange River and De Aar.
The premier, Mr. W. P. Schreiner, The Associated Musicians of Ontario has sent a circular to the magistrates parliamentary institutions and con-stitutional government will be lost or

detrimentally affected. He adds that the proclamation of martial law is only a matter of temporary urgency in some districts, and does not compel the burghers of the colony to partake "deplorable hostilities."

At the Police Court.

At the police court this morning Herbert Wilson was charged with stealing \$15 from Mrs. M. Smyth. He pleaded not guilty, and was remanded until Thursday.

James Springer was charged by his wife with non-support. He was dis-charged upon agreeing to pay her a certain sum every week. Rosi Noisi, who was charged with damaging property belonging to his mother, paid a fine of \$2 and was dis-Walter Stinchcombe, who drove his horse on the sidewalk, was allowed to

go with a warning. Ira Halliday was up for his old of fense-too much liquor. He has been before the magistrate 44 times. Halliday was remanded until Friday. Two bicyclists were fined \$1 each for riding on the sidewalk.

Obituary.

WILLIAM ADAMS.

Many friends will regret to learn of the death of Mr. William Adams, which took place Saturday evening in this city. The deceased had been ill for several months. He leaves a widow, daughter of the late Wm. Ellis, of this city, also a mother and three sisters and a brother. Mr. Adams formerly lived in Chicago.

Steam	ship Arriva	als.
Nov. 4. Canada Corean Lake Superior Nov. 5. Concordia Glenhead St. Paul Umbria Etruria La Bretagne Numidian Vanconver Nov. 6. La Champagne Californian	At. Boston Glasgow Fame Point. At Montreal Montreal New York New York Liverpool Havre Father Point Father Point New York	From Liverpool Philadelphia Liverpool From Glasgow Belfast Southampton Liverpool New York New York Liverpool

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The Presbyterian Church and contents at Bobcaygeon were totally destroyed by fire on Sunday morning. FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure—one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's

NO SECOND CONTINGENT

Likely To Be Accepted From Canada for the Present-But the Department Will Be Ready if Called On.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 6.-The general opinion in official circles is that a second Canadian contingent will not be accepted by the war office for the present, but should the war be of long duration it may.

The militia department, however, will be ready so as to be able to duplicate what is now on the way at the shortest

BOERS AS THEY ARE

An Old Campaigner Relates Instances of Cruelty in Former War.

[New York Herald, Oct. 29.] Henry Bagg writes as follows: As the war in South Africa is the subject of so much interest and discussion at the present time, and as so many opinions are being advanced by those of more or less prominence who have not expeditions in South Africa to give a few facts based upon personal obser-

I have read with a great deal of interest a letter written by Miss Olive Schreiner, sister of the premier of Cape Colony, who has strong anti-English proclivities, in which she paints the Boers in the most touching colors, and I cannot reconcile her statements

these same gentle Boers fire at our wounded men. I saw them shoot Corp. Farmer through the right arm, with which he was upholding the Red Cross flag. He seized the flag with his left hand and held it aloft; then they shot him through the left arm. Next he managed to hold up the flag by getting the staff into his boot, and the Boers shot him through the leg, and the flag of mercy fell with the gallant Farmer, who was rewarded subsequently with the Victoria Cross. Almost simultaneously the Boers shot and killed Surgeon Major Lanvon, who was taking a wounded soldier a hypodermic injec-tion of morphine. These are but a few of the many instances which it was my misfortune to witness."

Permit me also to call the attention of the admirers of the Boers to the manner in which they meet their financial obligations. Thomas Honey was for many years a contractor for the Boer government. No criticism of his supplies or methods was ever made until necessity compelled him, in 1882, to insist on the payment of what was due to him. Then these Boers trumped up a charge of filibustering against him and took him before the landrost at Standerton, who refused to commit him. They then started with him for Vryburg, ostensibly to take him before the magistrate there. On the way they hinted to him that they were friendly and would give him an op-portunity to escape. He saw through their ruse and refused to break away. Finally, one day, when the party had stream drinking, they shot him in the back of the head. Commandant Celwas in charge of the party and Gen. Niekerk had issued the order. Both of these men were subsequent-

ly arrested by the English government, and I was sergeant in charge of the guard over the courthouse at Vryburg in which Gen. Nie erk was confined on several different occasions, until was released in pursuance of Mr. Gladstone's South African policy.

During that time I had the oppor-tunity to study his character, which am bold enough to say was typical of the Boers. A fair idea of that sort of character was well expressed by King Mankoroane of Bechuanaland when he said to me personally, "I would rather see all of Bechuanaland taken away from me by the English than to have five Boers settle in it."

DIVORCE CASES IN KANSAS

Samples of the Complaints Made in the Courts of That State.

Divorce is on the increase in Kansas. The dockets of the district courts are burdened with divorce cases, as never before in the history of the state. No good reason has been advanced yet tor this state of affairs, but it is the comment of bench and bar. The following are an example of the cases: Mrs. Elizabeth Hagerman, aged 73 years, of Coffeyville, sues her husband, A. J. Hagerman, aged 83 years, for divorce on the ground that he chews tobacco.

The Rev. J. R. Eubanks, Methodist pastor of Weir City, sues for divorce, alleging that every time he starts family prayers his wife commences to "curse profanely."

Mrs. Louisa Gatch, of Abilene, who

has enjoyed four honeymoons and had three divorces, has commenced proceedings for the fourth divorce.

In the divorce suit of Cornell vs. Cornell at Westmoreland, Mr. Cornell was granted a divorce on testimony that his wife's scolding had become unendurable. The testimony went to show that for several nights in succession she got out of bed, planted herself in a rocking-chair in the middle of the floor, rocked violently and brought her heels down with a bang at each rock, and for two full hours sang at the top of her voice. "Oh, won't it be joyful when we part

to meet no more."
A Wellington man is sueing for divorce because his wife told him she "would rather have the little finger or any other man than your whole body George D. Mueller, an old soldier at Leavenworth, is sueing for divorce because his wife refuses to cook meals. He offers to give the wife his home and all the property if she will consent to the divorce and make no

claim on his pension. Mrs. Nettie Smith, of Topeka, filed suit for divorce from her husband, Joel P. Smith, on the ground that he went to bed with his boots on.

Mrs. Eliza Davis, of Shawnee county, asks a decree of divorce on the

ground that her husband, Charles Dayls, knocked her down and "kicked, cuffed, and beat her until she was sick, sore and lame."

A Jewell City woman employed

lawyer to secure a divorce for her. As a preliminary step, the lawyer wrote back to investigate the record in the county where her husband resides, and he found that his client was already free, a divorce having been granted the husband.

In a divorce suit at Abilene the

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wife counted him, and when he began to find out things after the marriage he found out she had been married and divorced three times before she wooed and won him.

Just before moon an Eldorado wo-man filed suit for divorce from her husband. When the clerk returned from dinner he found her waiting for him so he could dismiss the case. The wife of Ed. Jaquins, the representative from the Winfield district.

sues for divorce, alleging parsimony. Col. Jaquins is worth \$100,000, and his wife wants one-half of it. John Hedge, of Topeka, sues Mary Hedge, his wife, for divorce. John Hedge is a "jirer," and he alleges that his wife was accustomed to lock the doors when he went to the lodge, refusing to permit him to enter on his return. Not only did Mrs. Hedge lock the door, but, so Mr. Hedge claims, nailed them up with ten-penny nails.

A divorce suit at Atchison, Mrs. Martha Jane Brown charges her husband, Henry Brown, with "puncturing

every remark with profanity."

In a suit at Leavenworth, Mrs. Wilma Matton complains that her husband stays at his mother's home, refusing to live with her until she goes to school and qualifies herself to be a fit companion to him. William Beardly, of Topeka, aged 84

sues for divorce, alleging extreme cruelty on the part of his wife, who is 80 years old. Laura E. Downey, of Aitchison, was divorced from her husband, Harrison E. Downey, after a brief marital life,

er chief allegation being that Mr. Downey brought numerous men, men and children, his kin, to her house and thrust them upon her for entertainment, which was against her wish and was a great expense.

Webster and Boyes' carriage factory at Napanee, and the contents were completely destroyed by fire on Sun-day. Loss about \$1.600