

## Chamberlain's Latest Utterances Stirred Up a Hornet's Nest—Frenchmen Disclaim an Attack on the Queen—How Col. Baden-Powell Came To Be in South Africa—Critical Editors' Occupation Gone.

**LIKE AN ENGLISH BULLDOG.**  
But he had no idea that he had been beaten, and no intention of letting the English people or the enemy think so. He had his slight tactical advantage, and he held his ground like an English bulldog. He remained where he was three days, until reinforcements could be sent forward, and the engineers could repair the bridge, so that the navy could be supplied, and supplies might go with him, and within 48 hours the world can expect that another battle has been fought, and Kimberley is again in the hands of a Boer, and he works men terribly hard, as is proved by the record of his having marched 33 miles within seven days, and fought three battles, in which he has killed the entire force killed or disabled. But he is a fine type of English grit and invincible courage. It seems probable from a clue furnished by the Boer commandant that Gen. Methuen expected to find the enemy in force, not at Modder River but at Spytfontein beyond, and that he was not prepared to fight a set battle, but that he confronted him when he reached the swollen stream. He accepted the challenge of battle at once and fought from hour to hour until the sun went down.

It is extremely probable that the Guards Brigade was engaged in the tongue of land formed by the Modder and Tietes

REACH 120,000.

The announcement that reinforcements amounting to half of the second army corps are to be sent to South Africa immediately meets with universal approval. There is little doubt that a third division will follow a

in India, he met Lord Wolseley at Piccadilly. "Hulloa!" said the commander-in-chief. "You ought to be in South Africa. Can you get out at once?" Col. Baden-Powell left on the following day.

## Tuesday and Wednesday Specials.

We've begun December well and intend keeping up the enthusiasm. Our several stocks are in magnificent shape for holiday selling, while recent improvements have made the store more convenient than ever. The following prices with an "extra special" list for Tuesday and Wednesday should make business hum.

Gray Wool Flannels, in plain and twill; shades, dark, medium and light, from ..... 12½c to 35c

Navy Blue and Military Flannels, different shades, ..... 25c, 30c and 35c

Feather Ticking, in different stripes and widths, at ..... 20c to 30c

Pure White Wool Blankets—Our stock this season is remarkably good value, ranging in price from ..... \$2.40 to \$9.00

Cambric White, 20-in. Sheeting, 72-inch, special at ..... 55c and 60c

72-inch Bleached Twill Cotton Sheeting, very special, ..... 20c

Gray and White Flannelette Sheeting, 72-inch, per yard, ..... 10c, 12½c and 35c

White Lawns, 42-inch, very special ..... 10c, 12½c and 15c

## Gloves

Ladies' Ringwood Gloves, worth 35c and 25c a pair ..... 15

Special value in Kid Gloves, all shades, at, per pair .... \$1.00 and 75

Children's and Ladies' Gray and Black Astrachan Gauntlets, very special, per pair .... 50c, 60c and 75

<b>Handsome Damask Tray Cloths,</b> hem-stitched and fringed, beau- tiful goods, at 25c, 25c, 40c, 45c and	70
<b>Plain Linen Tray Cloths,</b> hem- stitched and embroidered, an elegant line, at .....	35
<b>Handsome Linen Grapes,</b> some fringed, some hem-stitched, plain linen and embroidered ends, also Damask Drapes from 1½ to 2 yards long, from ..... 25c to \$2	
<b>Swiss Alpina Drapes</b> .....	

## Hosiery

Double Knitted Hose for boys, Scotch wool, seamless feet, worth 75c a pair, for .....	50c
Boys' Ribbed Hose, good pure wool, seamless feet, large sizes.....	25c
Children's Ribbed Cashmere Hose, double heels and soles, double knees; extra value, per pair, .....	25c and 20c

See our 25c Tables, containing Christmas Novelties, worth from 25c to 50c, for ..... 25c  
Specials in Kid-Body Dolls, extra special at ..... 10c and 25c  
New Comb Goods, in Hair Pads, Shell Hair Pins, Braid Pins and Circular Combs.

P. N. Corsets, long waist and short hip, solid steel filing and cork protection under front steel; special	
Crompton's Long Waist Corset, in solid black, with small mesh and equal width steels and trimmed with lace, special	\$1 00
Ladies' High Bust Dress Model Corset, with shoulder straps, in gray or white, with steel filing and well trimmed	\$1 25
Ladies' Short Corset, 3 lengths and qualities, per pair, 75c, \$1. \$1 25	\$1 00
Ladies' Double Black Corset, long waist	\$1 50
Ladies' Long Waist Corset, filled with heavy cord, 22 to 30, were \$1 per pair, for	\$1 75

Black Silk, Figured Poplins, beautiful silk finish, 44-inch, in medium size designs, spots and figures, an elegant material for dress skirt, very special, per yard, ..... \$1.25

Black Silk and Mohair Crepons, glossy finish goods, 44-inch, in elegant designs for skirts and dresses, all widths, in size figures, very special, per yard ..... .95

Black Serge Suiting, 44-inch, hard finish, twill, large and small, all widths, material for skirts and dresses, at per yard ..... 50

Black Serge Suiting (English coat-making make), 44-inch, all wool, smooth soft finish, heavy twill, special for suits, at per yard ..... 75c and \$1.00

Japanese Silk for fancy work or evening wear, in every tint and coloring (pale silk) 20-inch width, per yard 25c; 21-inch width, per yard.....	45c
Japanese Silk for Christmas party work, cushion tops, curtains and drapes, blended in art patterns, and floral designs, all pure silk, 27-inch, per yard.....	75c
Tartan silk for coats, in shades of Blue, Cerise, Cherry, Red, Gray, Garnet, Turquoise, Sky, Bluet, Brown, Fawn and pure white, 21-inch, pure silk, all the bright new shades, blue, pink, sky and black, 24-inch, beautiful heavy face satin, per yard.....	75c

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208, 210, 210½ and 212 DUNDAS STREET.

### SOLVING THE BORDEN MYSTERY

New York, Dec. 4.—There is even evidence that the famous Borden mystery is entering upon a new phase, said a dispatch from Fall River, Mass., Lizie Borden, who was accused of the crime, was acquitted by a jury in 1892. Since then many of her countrymen have held aloof. Detectives and lawyers are now examining new evidence pointing to a sweetheart of Bridget Sullivan, servant of the Borden family at the time of the murder, as the wielder of the axe with which Andrew J. Borden and his wife, Elizabeth Borden's stepmother, were hacked to pieces.

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With the Use of Dr. Chase's Kidne  
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Women are so accustomed to attribute their pains to ailments of the feminine organs that they frequently suffer with backache and kidney disorders without understanding the nature of the disease.

The most marked symptom of kidney disease is backache. Then there are irregularities in urinating and deposits in the urine. When these indications are present delays are dangerous. There is safety only in immediate treatment with the world's greatest Kidney Cure—Dr. Chase's Kidney

Women who suffer with backache and tired, languid feelings, which accompany kidney ailments, can use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills with perfect confidence. They are purely vegetable and act naturally on kidneys, liver and bowels. One pill a dose. In a box, at all dealers, or Edmans Bates & Co., Toronto.

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Ministers use Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine for "dry throat," bronchitis and colds.

**REARRESTED.**  
Kingston, Ont., Dec. 4.—Charles Frederick, the hotelkeeper, who confessed to having shot John James, musician, while the latter, he said, was robbing his hen roost, and who was discharged by the coroner's jury, was rearrested Saturday morning, charged with murder. A Rochester detective has been working on the case.

**The Rossin House, Toronto.**



To globe-trotters, the name "The Roselm," the finest hotel in Ontario, has long stood a synonym of cosiness, home-like comfort and up-to-date luxury, attributes which are much advertised, and in reality possessed little by other pretentious houses. While being the most centrally located of the Toronto hotels, it is happily remote from all the noise, smoke and dust of the railways, yet only two blocks from the Union Station, up York street, at the intersection with King street, Toronto's historic and most fashionable promenade.

In capacity "The Roselin" can comfortably accommodate 400 guests. 50 of its rooms are fitted with fireproof safes for the protection against fire. The building is built with brick partitions throughout. There are five stairways from the upper to the first floor, and, nightly, watchmen patrol the corridors, insuring the perfect safety of guests. An additional feature of the house is the absence of winding passages—all the hallways being attractively wide and lofty. Every respect of the building, with its perfect safety, health and comfort, wrought on a generous scale. In fact, the house is like its management, its cuisine, like its patronage, the best and most modern in the city. Each home would be known to you with no surprise, has numbered among its guests at various times, members of the royal family, of the nobility and the leading men of the day.

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