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Miss Louise Hillman returned yesterday from visiting friends in Lon-

Miss Minnie Regan, of Bothwell, who has been visiting Miss Minnie Jahnke, returned home to-day.

By a collision at Galt, William Childs, a C. P. R. passenger engineer on this division, had his leg broken.

David Holmes, Stanley Ave., one of the managers of the Toronto Fanning Mill Co., returned to Toronto this

Mrs. Munro and son Fred, of London, returned home to-day after a visit with relatives here.

Philip Macaulay met with a nasty accident at Wm. Grey & cons' factory yesterday. He was working at the shears in the blacksmith shop when a

lever supped striking him on the head

BOARD OF HEALTH.

authorized to continue to act. A vote of thanks was passed to Chairman Bray for the efficient manner in which

A VICTIM OF THE WAR.

Last evening Barney Dillon, second son of John Dillon, passed away in this city. Mr. Dillon returned from the Philippine Islands about four months ago broken down in health. He was born in in Euphemia township,

proved unavailing, however, and Mr. Dillon scarcely left his bed since his return. He was well liked by all who

knew him and his demise will be much

HARWICH ELECTION.

SEPARATE SCHOOL ELECTION.

The election for: Separate school trustees is on to-day in the city. Everything is moving smoothly but much earnest work is being done by the candidates and their friends. Ex-Ald. D. J. O'Keeffe is the returning officer. The voting is on the open system, and at three o'clock the poll stood:

Ward 2.

Ward 3.

Ward 5.

Joseph Kenny, 25. Peter Blonde, 25.

William O'Brien, 10. James A. Gordon, 10.

John Welsh, 13.

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THE PHOBABILITIES

G. N. W. Special. Toponto, Jan. 3-10 a m.-Fair and cold to day and on Thursday.

J. W. White returned from Toronto to-day.

John Coveny, Oungah, has purchased a thoroughbred Durham bull that weighs 2,200 pounds. Miss Clara Blight has returned from

New Year's holidays. R. F. Killip and wife will leave for their home in Butte, Montana, the be-

ginning of next week. Miss Ella Vinter, Tilbury, who has been visiting with Mrs. H. A. Willcox, Bloomfield, returned home yesterday. The writs for several Dominion byelections will be issued to-day. All these seats were formerly held by Lib-

erals except Sherbrooke. The Windsor Daily World, which has been established about a year and a half, announces it has ceased publication for the present.

Miss R. F. Birch, Lorne Ave., left this afternoon for New York city to enter the New York Hospital Nurses' Training School as a probationer.

A. Vinter and son, of Tilbury, who have been visiting with Mrs. H. Willcox, River Road, Raleigh, have re-

The London-tity council voted the 30 mounted riflemen and 18 artillerymen

mounted riflemen and 18 artillerymen from this district a sovereign apiece, except an the case of Londoners, who will get two sovereigns.

At moon to-day in the Old Town Hall City Clerk Merritt made the formal declaration of the results of the polls at the recent civic elections. They were in entire accordance with the figwere in entire accordance with the fig- air would do him good. Everything ures published in yesterday's Planet. was but one spectator to hear the announcements.

The Wilkinson homestead, in Sandwich, was burned to the ground Mon-day night. The fire was the result of a defective chimney. Remni Body, who occupied the place, saved most of his furniture. The house is believed to be the oldest in Western Ontario. It was built 100 years ago, and was once the residence of Sheriff Hands, one of the first officials appointed in this part of the Province. Most of the lumber in the house was black



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W. S. PICHARDS

The meeting of the Kent Law Society for the election of trustees, etc., was held in Harrison Hall this after-

One of the leading articles in the Canadian Medical and Surgical Jour-nal for January is by Dr. G. T. Mc-Keough, of this city. The essay is on important surgical subject.

A BATTLE RAGING.

Boers Have Attacked General Gatacre at Molieno.

Naaurpoort, Cape Colony, Jan. 2. There was brisk fighting to-day in the hills around Colesburg. The Boers stubbornly resisted the British at every point, but gradually retreated. The British held the extreme position to the south and east, overlooking the

Sterkstroom, Cape Colony, January 3. — The Boers attacked Molteno this morning. A brisk action is in progress. Molteno is the town to which Gen. Gatacre retired after his reverse the control of the con at Stormberg Junction recently. CANADIANS HAD THE LOOT.

London, Jan. 3.—The representative of the Associated Press with the fly-

ing column says:

"The immediate result of Col. Pilcher's success is the entire dispersal of the rebels who have been governor to the past six ing the country for the past six weeks.
"After Sunnyside was captured the

"After Sunnyside was captured the Torontos occupied the camp for the night and, joined the main body the following morning, bringing the whole of the Boer tents, wagons and loot, and leaving the Cornwalls in garrison at Sunnyside. The British force then started for Douglas, the Torontosbringing up the rear in wagons.

"In the afternoon the troops entered the town unopposed and amid extraordinary scenes. The inhabitants were overjoyed and crowded about the sol-

Ther ewere present at yesterday sclosing meeting of the 1893 board of health, the chairman, Dr. R. V. Bray, and O. B. Hulin, Bishop Wilmore, and R. S. Dunlop. The medical Health officer reported no contageous diseases in the city during December and also that the Lacroix street sewer had been properly trapped. An account of \$2.57 from the Central Drug Store was passed. The committee on the plumbing by-law reported progress and were authorized to continue to act. A vote overjoyed and crowded about the sol-diers, shaking hands with them, and when they learned that their deliver-ers were Canadians and Australians, the enthusiasm became frenzied. There were deafening cheers as the troops traversed the main street, and it was almost impossible for them to make progress, the crowds being so eager to shake hands with the colonels.

"It appears that the landrost and all

the mounted rebels evacuated the The 40 prisoners captured by the Canadians will likely be shot as rebels to make an example. place on the previous night.

WAR NOTES.

The Boers inquired by heliograph:—
"Why is Roberts coming? What has
Buller done?" The British replied:—
"How did you like our lyddite in the
late battle?"

Gen. White reports under date Dec. 31, that the number of cases of dysentery and fever is increasing in

He was born in in Euphemia township, Lambton, in 1860, and spent his early buyhood there. Seventeen years ago he went to the Western States where he was engaged for the most of the time in mining and prospecting. When the regiments were being recruited in the Western States to follow up Dewey's victory at Manila, Mr. Dillon cast in his lot with the regiment from Idaho. While in Manila he was in several engagements and saw some hot Ladysmith. The Daily Telegraph has received the following, dated Jan. 2, from Frere Camp:—The weather is fine. The Tu-gela river is now fordable. Gen. Bul-ler's army is in fine form, ready and confident of the work before it.

Great Britain will spend \$25,000,000

James Baxter, the well known Mont-James saxter, the well known mont-treal broker, was arrested last night for being a party to the concealment of Herbert, the Bank Ville Marie tell-er. Bail was refused for Baxter, and sensational developments are p

A detachment of the West India Regiment (colored) has embarked from Jamaica to reinforce the Bermuda garrison. It is expected that if the Imperial troops go to South Africa, Canadian militia will be sent there for garrison duty.

knew him and his demise will be much regretted by his many friends in the west and Ontario. Besides his father and mother four brothers and two sisters survive. They are Joseph, Henry, Thos, and John, of Detroit, James W., of Lansing, and Miss Maggie and Miss Annie at home. The Mrs. John Phillip, of Hamilton, who has always borne a good reputation, who was highly respected by her friends, and who is well fixed financially, was convicted of shop-lifting in the George W. Robinson departmental store, and sentenced yesterday to ten days in jail. When sentence was pronounced there was a scene in court, Mrs. Phillip and her daughters crying bitterly. The woman was removed to jail in a hack. Mrs. John Phillip, of Hamilton, who funeral will take place Friday at 10 o'clock to St. Joseph's church, thence The official returns of Harwich are For reeve—McCully 496, Tole 483; majority for McCully 13. For councillors—Buchanan 620, Mor-rison 628, McCormick 546, Young 488,

THE GAS EXPLODED.

The pumper at Fargo met with a nasty accident last evening. He had been pumping and went into the engine house with his lantern and looked down the well. Gas had accumulated during the pumping and the lighted lantern exploded it. The top was blown off the pump and the building was eplit open at the top. The pumper was very severely burned about the face and hands. 'te was carried to the hotel where his injuries were attended to.

The Parisian Laundry building in Detroit, was gutted this morning. The loss of the various occupants exceeds \$60,000.

It is intimated in London that as the fourth of January is usually regarded as settling day, Buller is very likely to meet his engagements to the Boers on that date.

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THE BOERS RALL

And are Still Fighting General French.

Were Evidently Reinforced They and Occupied Their Former Positions During the Night.

Rensburg, Cape Colony, Jan. 2.-It was discovered this morning that the Boers, who had apparently been reinforced, had returned during the night and reoccupied the positions from which General French drove them. Their quick-firing guns, which were believed to have been disabled yesterday, reopened to-day, shelling the Britihs cavalry with considerable accuracy, though their shells did not explode and were ineffective. The British hold all the positions they took vesterday.

MORE FIGHTING AHEAD. London, Wednesday, Jan. 3.—The latest news of Gen. French's operations show that his clever surprise of the Boers and his successful skirmish with them will be followed by more fighting. The Boers during the dark-ness rallied and turned the surprise on the British by attacking them next day with their supposed crippled guns, some of which were evidently those that Gen. Gatacre lost at Stormberg. Gen. French's despatch does not detail his movements later than 2 p. m. Jan. 1, and the final issue of the move-

ment is unknown.

Nothing reliable has been received confirming the rumored occupation of

Colesberg.

WAS THERE TREACHERY? Rensburg, Cape Colony, Jan. 2.—A train containing supplies, to which no engine was attached, started moving within the British lines to-day, and ran down an incline toward the Boer ran down an incline toward the Boer lines. It was found that the train could not be stopped, and the British gunners were therefore ordered to de-stroy it to prevent the supplies from falling into the hands of the Boers. Their aim was accurate, and the cars and their contents were soon worth-less. What started the train is unknown, but treachery is suspected. One man has been arrested in connection with the matter.

LIEUT. ADIE IS DEAD. Belmont, Jan. 2.—(Toronto Mail Special).—Toronto Company of the Canadian contingent, 100 strong, under Capt. Barker, experienced its baptism of fire in South Africa yesterday, at Sunnyside, 30 miles north-west of here. Two of the Queensland volunteers were killed, and Lt. Adie, of the Queenslands, died from wounds. None of the Canadians were killed. Forty Boers were captured and many killed. The Toronto boys were first in laager and stood fire gallantly.

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BOYS' 2 PC. SUITS, made from reliable wearing tweeds and serges, range of sizes 22 to 30, regular prices \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50, mark down prices \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2,39, \$2 95.

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