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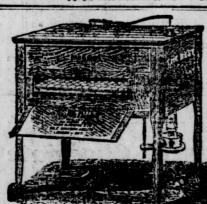
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CITY OF LONDON

TAXPAYERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the third installment of taxes of 1999 that the third installment of taxes of 1899 are due and payable on or before 30th November. All unpaid taxes after that date will be ber. All unpaid taxes after that date will be subject to the percentage charge of 5 cents on each dollar, and may be collected by distress or

AUCTION SALE

Of Household Furniture and Piano

W. JONES HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED to sell at the residence of the late Thomas

109 Wharncliffe Road, South London on Thursday, Nov. 30, at 10:30 a.m., The whole of the household effects, comprising grand upright Piano, (Newcombe), parlor suite in odd pieces, easy chairs, rockers, fancy stands, piano, hanging and other lamps, contertables, fine engravings, elegant velvet and other carpets, oilcloth, curtains and poles, music cabinet, couches, sofas, hall stand, contents of four bodrooms in suites, hair mattresses, springs, wardrobe, toiletware, Haymond sewing machine, sideboard, dining tables and chairs, dinner and tea sets, glassware. No. 9

chairs, dinner and tea sets, glassware, No. 9
McClary's Active Range, cook stove, bedroom, stove, splendid oil stove, Datsy churn, kitchen utensils, wringer, refrigerator, step ladder, garden tools, lawn mowers, work bench, grain boxes, English dog cart, etc. Terms cash.

12u tx J. W. JONES, Auctioneer. NOTICE—THE LONDON AND WASTERN
Trust Company (Limited) have applied to be appointed administrators of the estate of Henry Briers, late of the City of London, railway watchman, deceased. Any parties owing money to the deceased are warned against paying same to any person other than the company. R. H. Dignan, Solicitor, 418 Talbot street.

In the Matter of Charles R. Tuson and Arthur J. Watts, carrying on business under the name, style and firm of "The Ontario Lithographing and Printing Company," of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, insolvents. Notice is hereby given that the above named Charles R. Tuson and Arthur J. Watts have made an assignment to me of all their estate and effects in trust for the benefit of their creditors. A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby convened and will be held at my office in the Masonic Temple in the city of London, on Friday, the 8th day of December A. D. 1899, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., for the appointment of inspectors, and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the estate. All the creditors of the said estate are hereby required to file their claims with me, duly verified by affidavit, and stating the nature and value of security (if any) held by them, on or before the 21st day of December, 1899, after which date I shall proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to such claims as I shall have notice of, and I shall not be responsible for the assets of the said estate or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim or claims shall not then have been filed. Dated 27th day of November, 1899. Affred Robinson, Masonic Temple, London, Trustee, Purdom & Purdom, Solicitors for Trustee. IN THE MATTER OF CHARLES R. TUSON

Keep on Victorious Once More!

Methuen's Men Defeated a Force of 8,000 Boers,

Modder River,

Without Food or Water and in the Burning Sun.

"One of the Most Trying Fights in the Annals of the British Army."

News From Kimberley Up to Nov. 23.

The Garrison in Good Health and Water Prentiful.

Enemy Abandoning Their Camps South of the Town-Boers Losing Confidence as to Their Ultimate Success.

London, Nov. 29-11:55 a.m.-Gen. Methuen has defeated the whole Boer

force at Modder River. The war office has received the following dispatch from Gen. Buller:

Cape Town, Tuesday, Nov. 28 .- Gen. Methuen reports: "Modder River, Tuesday, Nov. 28 .- Reconnoitered at 5 a.m. the enemy's position on River Modder, and found them strongly entrenched and concealed. There were no means of outfianking them, the river being

"Action was commenced with artilery, mounted infantry and cavalry at 5:30. The guards on the right and the ninth brigade on the left, attacked the position in a widely-extended formation at 6:30, and, supported by the artillery, found in fromt of them the whole Boer force, 8,000 strong, with two large guns, four Krupps, etc

"The naval brigade rendered great assistance from the railway. "After desperately hard fighting, which lasted ten hours, our men without food or water, and in the burning sun, made the enemy quit his

position. Gen. Pole-Carew was successful in getting a small party excross the river. gallantly assisted by 300 sappers.

"I speak in terms of high praise of the conduct of all who were engaged in one of the hardest and most trying fights of the British earny. If I can mention one arm particularly, it is two batteries of artillery."

Boer Dispatches.

DEFEAT ADMITTED. Pretoria, Monday, Nov. 27.-Gen. Dutort reports that the British made a

Lost and Found.

LOST-LAST SUNDAY-POINTER BITCH and pup. Reward if returned; prosecution if detained. 311 Central avenue. 13c TOST - IN NORTHERN VICINITY LON-DON, evening 24th, small muff with sable tails. Finder rewarded by returning to Adver-tiser.

LOST - TUESDAY MORNING, ON PALL Mall or William stree is, purse containing between \$30 and \$40. Reward at this office.

OST-DIAMOND TIE-PIN, WITH BLUE-to finder by returning W. S. Bradford, Con-fectioner, Dundas street. LOST-THURSDAY, PAIR SPECTACLES, between Bennet Mfg. Co. and Horton street. Finder rewarded at 491 Horton street or Advertiser.

LOST COACH DOG. REWARD IF RE-turned. Prosecution if retained. 86 Maple GTRAYED-COW, IN TO PREMISES OF Geo. McCallum, Wilton Grove, Monday. Nov. 20. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. 12n property and paying expenses.

ADMINISTRATIOR'S SALE Of Farm, Parm Stock, Implements, Furniture and Effects.

THERE WILL BE C FFERED FOR SALE by public auction, by Mr. A. M. Hunt, auctioneer, en the pre mises, on Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1899, at 1 o'clock, the following property, belonging to the a state of the late Walter Walters, lot No. 79, wer to of the north branch of the Talbot road, in the township of Westminster, said to contain 107 acres more or less; and the southerly part of let No. 45, in the first concession of the township) of Westminster, containing 20 acres.

Also at the same time and place, the farm stock, implements, be usehold furniture and effects belonging to the said estate.

For further particulars see posters or apply to JOHN HOSKIN, Esq., Q.C., official guardian, Toronto. FRA SER & MOORE, solicitors for administratrix, London. Sc xxy bw

THERE WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE
by J. W. Jones, a uctioneer, at his auction
rooms, 242 Dundae street, London, on Friday,
December 1, at 4 p.m., the premises known as
number 724 King street, London.
Terms and conditio as made known at time
of sale or on application te
U. A. BUCHNER,
at Fundae street, London.

In a Ten-Hour Fight on | sortie from Kimberley early Saturday morning, and fired on the Boers with artillery and infantry in the darkness. began, the Guards forming the re-He says: "The British sortied where the Bloemhof Boer force was stationed. On our side there were 300 men. Gen. Dutort, who was nine miles off, hastened to the assistance of the Bloeuhof contingent with 100 men. Nine burghers were killed, seventeen were wounded, and there were some missing. Th British left on the field a private and a sergeant. It is re-ported that the British attempted to leave Kimberley on the east side to assist the troops from Belmont. Com-mandant Lubbe was slightly wounded. The British have repaired the damage

to the railroad. "The Free Staters engaged with the British were overwhelmed by numbers, and after a brave stand until the afternoon we were compelled to take up another position on the other side of another position on the other side of railroad. Delarey says it is impossible to give the numbers of killed and wounded Boers, but the loss is not great. The Boers had four guns to the British 24." The general says the Free Staters are full of courage.

The latter part of the Pretoria dispatch from "The Free Staters," evidently refers to either the battle of Belmont of the battle of Enslin (Gras Pan)

Pan). THE SARDINIAN.

There is no confirmation of the rumor that the Sardinian, with the Can-adian contingent on board, has been

The Morning News.

patches of Gen. Forestier Walker to be fired upon accidentally. The enemy excused themselves for firing on the the war office. The cables remain ambulance during the action, on the to prevent news regarding important movements now being carried on. It seams clear that Lord Methuen is continuing to advance rapidly, and that finding the railway much damaged he left it behind him. It is possible that sufferings. soon there will be news of four simultaneous battles-at Modder River, Arundel, Stormberg and Colenso. As the Boers, according to Gen. Forestier Walker's report, are leaving Kimberley for the south, it is possible that Lord Kekewich is already marching with 2,000 troops to meet Lord Me-thuen. It is believed that after the relief of Kimberley, Lord Methuen will proceed to the relief of Mafeking, about which considerable anxiety is still felt. Lieut.-Gen. Charles Mans-field Clark, it is reported, will be the commander of the sixth division.

The latest phase of the mobilization of the reserves has proved as satisfactory as have former calls. Out of 9,786 men summoned, 9,553 have rejoined the colors.

FROM KIMBERLEY.

London, Nov. 28.—General Forestier Walker sent the following today to the war office: "Kekewich reports from Kimberly from Nov. 18 to Nov. 23 some unimportant skirmishes with the Boers.
"Wounded—Captain Bodley, Lieut.
Hawkr and three troopers, all doing well. The health of the garrison is good and the water supply plentiful. 'Native reports to Kekewich state

that the enemy's camps to the south of Kimberley have been evacuated. and that Cronje, with 3,000 Boers, is marching to the south. The Boers are disappearing from the vicinity of Kimberley. The enemy seems restless. RAILWAY REOPENED.

point six miles north of Gras Pan Sunday and telegraph was reopened to within eight miles of Modder River, or 33 miles from Kimberley.
"Later-Gatacre occupied Bushman's Hock yesterday with a balk line of 50. His main body is at Puetter's Kraal. The enemy retired toward Molteno."

"The railway line was repaired to a

THE GRAS PAN FIGHT. London, Nov. 29.—A dispatch from Orange River, dated Monday, Nov. 27, describing the battle of Enslin, says: The Boers successfully retreated. The Lancers attempted to intercept and reach them, but a severe fire, opened from a hill, forced the Lancers to re-

treat. Gen. Cronje was with the en-Among the Boer prisoners are Alderman Jeppe and Commandant Res-sik, who led the Boer force. Many of the Boers voluntarily surrendered. The Boers were shelled during the retreat, and must have lost heavily, but they succeeded in getting away northward

with their six guns.

The British were badly in need of more cavalry.

The bulk of the fighting was on Free State territory and the engagement was admirably planned. Thirty Boer wounded are under arrest here. the close of the action Lord Methuen complimented the naval brigade. THE ENEMY'S STRONG POSI-

Another account says: The enemy, strongly entrenched, held a range of hills commanding both sides of the railway at Roollaagte, near Gras Pan. The Lancashires, under Lewis, reconnoitered in an armored train on Friday. The Boers shelled the train, killing Lewis and a private. Gen. Methuen then advanced. His column made a detour and bivouacked for the night at Swink's Pan, three miles from the Boar position. At dawn the advance

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The column debouched on the plain eastward of the Boer kopjes. The Boer guns opened fire. Two bat-teries of British artillery, posted on each side, shelled the Boers, practice being good on both sides. The Boers stuck to their positions, firing steadily

and accurately. DEADLY DUEL.

The duel, which continually be-tame hotter, lasted three hours. The Boer shells wounded several The of the naval brigade. ing it impossible to displace the Boers, by artillery, Gen. Methuen resolved upon an infantry attack. A brigade of infantry, including the York-shires, Northamptons, Northumberlands and Lancashires, with the naval brigade on the right, gallantly stormed the Boer position in the face of a withering fire, and carried hill-after hill, the brigade under Col. Money carrying the main hill under a terrible

fire, but suffering severely. BOERS LOSING CONFIDENCE. London, Nov. 29. — Bennet Burleigh cables the Daily Telegraph as follows: "Estcourt, Nov. 26.—Major Jennings, of the medical corps, who brought the wounded from the Beacon Hill fight, chatted with Boers, who expressed doubts of their ultimate victory, although they were sure God was with

HEROIC CONDUCT.

"It was in consequence of a letter from Gen. Joubert to Gen. Hildyard, offering to allow us to remove our dead, that Major Jennings went with the ambulance. Gen. Joubert asked him to surrender the Boer dead and wounded, but we had none. The Boer London, Wednesday, Nov. 28, 5 p.m.

—At this hour the only fresh news from the front is contained in the dissilent, because of Gen. Buller's desire ground that an officer was seeking shelter there. Our wounded say they

were well and promptly treated.
"Major Jennings confirms a report that one of the reservists, a London. grocer, who had a leg shattered during the fight, got a comrade to pull the leg straight and turn him on his stomach, when he fired 24 shots at the advancing Boers. He did not flinch, despite his

BOER PLANS. London, Nov. 29.—The Berlin Deutsche Zeitung publishes the following dispatch, dated Pretoria, Nov. 27, received through Boer diplomatic channels: President Kruger and President Steyn have instructed Gen. Joubert and Gen. Cronje not to split their forces into small detachments, but to strike vigorous blows. Gen. Joubert

in order to cut off the British retreat, Gen. Cronje's forces are divided into three contingents-one at Kimberley,

has three corps-one holding Lady-

smith, the second commanding the Tugela, and the third east of Estcourt,

another at Modder River, and the third in the rear of Gen. Methuen. FRENCH NEUTRALITY. At the beginning of the hostilities the French consuls at Pretoria and Johannesburg issued notices in the pa-pers that the Frenchmen must observe the strictest neutrality. Their wise counsels were followed, for, while the Germans, Dutch and Americans formed volunteer corps, no French corps was formed. No Frenchmen joined the Boers, but some entered the international police force, which was organized to protect foreign property. These police rendered great services, protecting not only French, but English property that had been hurriedly

forsaken by its owners. NEW CARTRIDGE BELT. The war office has decided to test the Mills-Wells cartridge belt in use in the United States army, and has given an initial order to a Boston firm, which at the outbreak of the Transvaal war transferred a factory to England, immediately receiving a recompense for this enterprise by the aforementioned order. The British army is now using leather cartridge belts, which have been found to become stiff

and covered with verdigris. KAISER WANTS PEACE. The Paris correspondent of the London Times telegraphs the substance of an interview he has had with a dis-tinguished German, who went to England to observe what was going on during the visit of the kalser, and who said: "I do not think the emperor said: went to England purely for political [Continued on page 3.]

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