

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.
MILLER—In Chicago, on March 5, the wife of Harry D. Miller, Assistant Manager Mutual Mercantile Agency, of a daughter.

DIED.
HART—In this city, on March 10, 1900, Richard L. Hart, aged 53 years.
Funeral from Richmond Street Methodist Church, north, on Tuesday, March 13, at 2:30 p.m. (services 2 p.m.), to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

FERIS—In this city, on March 10, 1900, Telford W. R. Feris, aged 18 years and 3 months.
Funeral from the family residence, No. 6 York street, on Monday, at 2:30 p.m. (services at 2 p.m.) to St. E. depot. Interment at Alliston, Ont. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

BALL—On Sunday morning, March 11, at the residence of her son-in-law, John H. Phillips, 304 Quebec street, Anna Ball, relict of the late John Ball, aged 77 years.
Funeral from the above residence on Tuesday. Services at 2 o'clock. Funeral at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

OAMERON—On March 11, Elizabeth H. Oameron, daughter of Mrs. H. Oameron.
Funeral from the family residence, corner 7 Westminister, on Tuesday, at 2 o'clock.

GRAHAM—In London township, on Sunday, March 11, 1900, Charlotte, beloved wife of Norris Graham, aged 25 years and 11 months.
Funeral will leave the family residence, Melrose Village, on Tuesday, at 1 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation. Interment at Baptist Cemetery, London township. Services at Baptist Church, 10th Concession.

Amusements and Lectures

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Kelcey & Shannon Company, presenting the intense play of American society.

"The Moth and the Flame."

Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1. Next attraction "The Sleeping City," on Tuesday.

OPERA HOUSE—Tuesday 13th.

The successful comedy-melo-drama.

"The Sleeping City."

Popular prices—15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Seats now on sale.

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The latest musical comedy success.

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Tuesday evening, March 13. Silver collection at door.

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Wednesday and Thursday evening's great war play for benevolent and social purposes.

Bonds. Secure yours tomorrow at Box office Opera House. Prices 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.

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tonight, Ottawa vs. London, 7th Bond Tuesday, March 13, 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

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BRATH and William Nelson, compete for the city skating championship on Wednesday evening, March 13.

WESTMINSTER HALL—SECOND HEAT

of city championship race tonight; grand ice. Cortes's orchestra. Admission 10c.

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SPECIAL RATES VIA C. P. R. AND

G. T. R. in connection with steamship tickets to the Old Country at F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. Tickets sold by best Atlantic lines.

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10 p.m. Friday evening, 16th inst. Best of talent, musical and literary. Rev. M. J. Tierney will give a descriptive address on his recent European tour. Admission, 50c. Seats reserved on and after Wednesday next, at Auditorium.

COME TO FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Church to-night and hear Rev. W. J. Clark tell of battle. Silver collection.

GOING TO GREAT WAR PLAY FOR

benefit of Red Cross fund, next Wednesday evening, the advanced class will meet Friday evening, March 10. Dayton & McCormick.

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1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advt. less than 10 words.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, references required. Apply Mrs. Shillington, 655 Colborne street.

WANTED—GIRL—GENERAL HOUSEWORK—washing and no children. Good wages. Apply Mrs. W. J. Carson, 20 Prospect avenue.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—GOOD IRONER. Apply Matron, City Hospital.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—APPLY 380 Dundas street.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT. APPLY 31 Craig street. (First street over Ridout street bridge.)

Situations Wanted

WANTED—SITUATION—BY A YOUNG lady, as stenographer and office assistant. Has had practical experience in both capacities and can produce best testimonials from former employer. Address Box 40, this office.

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LOST—SATURDAY—PARCEL CONTAINING three yards of worst material, either in store or on Dundas street. Please return to Advertiser.

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to discover and appreciate all the fine points and careful workmanship of the Sotosis Shoe. These American shoes are as elegantly made as a jewel-case, and more durable than one would expect from such delicate feeling material. They are luxuries.

Twenty exclusive styles, for all seasons, and all occasions; sizes 2 to 8. Widths, AA to E.

One price for all styles—

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WANTED—SMART BOY, FOR GENERAL office work; must be a stenographer. Apply in own handwriting, box 42, Advertiser.

YOUNG MEN—OUR CATALOGUE EXPLAINS our special grand offer to the barber trade. Mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENTLE MAN'S furnishing clerk, at Boyd's Station, 133 Dundas street.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED FARM hand. Best wages to competent man. Address Box 38, Advertiser.

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A FAVORABLE OPENING FOR GOOD men to sell my staple household supplies. More money can be made working for us than in any other legitimate business in Canada today. Address Cooper, Drawer 531, London, Ont.

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Teachers Wanted.

TEACHER WANTED—FOR S. S. NO. 7, Westminster. Applications will be received up to 10th inst. stating salary for balance of year 1900, and experience; must be holder of second-class certificate; duties to commence April 2. F. Elliott, secretary, Pond Mills.

Articles For Sale.

FOR SALE—TWO SILVER WYANDOTTE chickens of prize stock, or would exchange for pullets. 650 Dundas street.

FOR SALE—GOOD DAIRY COW, JUST come in. Edward Charlton, Ilderton, London township, lot 26, con. 3.

"BELL PLANOS"—133 DUNDAS STREET, SANBORN & TREBILCOCK.

FANCY GLASS SHOW JARS, TRAYS, candle holders, etc., for sale at 25c each. J. H. Cunningham, 652 Dundas street.

OFFICE DESKS—SOLID OAK CYLINDER tops, worth \$30, for \$15. Keene Bros. Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 10 King street.

EXTENSION AND STEEL-DOORS, SAW, E. BUCKS, quilt and curtain frames. The Waggoner Ladder Co., Limited, 272 William street. Telephone 102. A quantity of 8-inch spruce and some all timbers cheap.

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KENNE'S MASONIC TEMPLE IS THE cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture. Large stock on hand.

FOR QUALITY, QUANTITY

AND PROMPT DELIVERY OF COAL

Phone 1333.

BEST QUALITY HARD WOOD; ALSO soft wood and slabs. Phone 1312. D. H. Gillies & Co., Lumber and Wood Dealers.

DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD jewelry made up-to-date at most expense. J. T. Westland, 340 Richmond street, upstairs.

Wanted.

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WANTED TO RENT—APRIL 15—HOUSE with 4 or 5 bedrooms; all modern conveniences; must be within twenty minutes walk of postoffice and north of Dundas street. Box 44 Advertiser.

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DRESS SUITS FOR SALE OR TO RENT in first-class condition. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street.

Dressmaking.

INSTRUCTIONS IN CUTTING AND FITTING; modern, accurate. Call and inspect before purchasing. Trial lesson free. 233 1/2 Dundas street, Mrs. K. Franks, teacher.

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A. N. UDY, INSURANCE AGENT, OVER A. C. P. H. ticket office, corner Dundas and Richmond streets. Telephone 154.

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You'll find a very elaborate variety of spring and summer suitings and overcoatings. And you'll find workmen who are competent to make up any of these suitings exactly to your liking. We do not employ cheap tailors. We do not handle any goods that could possibly depreciate our excellent reputation.

We can not compete with sweatshop ready-made clothes, when price is the sole consideration; but when style, and fit, and wear are duly considered, we can and do compete with all ready-made goods, and all other tailors.

DEEKS & MUNSON

393 Richmond Street.

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TO RENT—BLACKSMITH STAND—Work for two men; good shop, house and stable; one acre garden; all kinds of fruit; seven miles from Alvinston; full particulars. Charles L. Lacey, Aberfeldy, Ont.

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TO LET—NICE, FURNISHED room, with or without board; central place moderate. Address 467 Dundas street, city.

TO LET—THE MOST SATISFACTORY and best vans in the city. Good storage for plants and furniture. Office and storage, 37 Carling street. Phone 1162; night phone 1167. Book your orders as early as possible. No connection with any other vans.

\$6 PER MONTH FOR SEVEN-ROOMED house, 525 Cheapside, Apply 6 York.

OFFICE TO LET—GROUND FLOOR—Fitted and central. Apply 388 Clarence street, J. H. Shuttleworth.

COTTAGE TO LET—No. 8 OXFORD street. Alex. Harvey.

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Miscellaneous.

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WANTED TO BUY—OLD GOLD and silver. S. K. Milroy, mfg. jeweler, 205 Dundas street.

MAKE A SPECIALTY OF REPAIRING motor and auto electrical apparatus of all kinds. M. Miller, 283 1/2 Dundas street, Spencer Block.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE—THERE WILL BE sold by public auction, at rooms of J. W. Jones, London, on Tuesday, March 20, at 2:30 p.m., the stock and plant of Irwin & Co., London, consisting of—

Parcel 1. Two lathes and one milling machine, valued at \$1,105, upon which is a lien for \$130.

Parcel 2. Lathes, machinery, tools, belting and pulleys, patterns, foundry outfit, sundry castings and office furniture, values at \$3,300.

Terms—One-third cash, balance in 2 and 4 months. The above is subject to the provisions of the assignment. Purdon & Purdon, assignee's solicitors. Alf Robinson, assignee.

Placer Mining Claims in the Yukon Territory.

NOTICE is hereby given that all of the placer mining claims, whole and fraction, the property of the Crown, in the Yukon Territory, will be offered for sale at public auction at Dawson, by the Gold Commissioner, on the 2nd day of July, 1900.

Twenty per cent of the purchase money shall be paid to the Gold Commissioner at Dawson on the day of sale and the remainder within thirty days from that date.

There will be no restriction as to the number of claims which may be sold to any one person or company holding a Free Miner's Certificate, but no hydraulic claims will be included in the sale.

So soon as the purchase money has been paid in full, entries for the claims will be granted in accordance with the provisions of the placer mining regulations then in force, with the exception of the provision as to the staking out of claims and the claims sold shall thereafter be subject to the placer mining regulations.

A survey of the claims sold will be made by the Department at an early date as possible, and the claims shall include the Government Surveyor may define by survey in accordance with such regulations as may be made in that behalf.

By the Gold Commissioner, in and to the effect that the Gold Commissioner shall in respect thereof be final and conclusive.

In case for any reason it is deemed impossible by the Gold Commissioner to give title and possession to any claim disposed of at such auction sale, the Gold Commissioner will refund the deposit, paid at time of sale, and no claim shall lie against the Crown in respect to failure to give title or possession.

A second auction sale under the conditions above set forth, will be held at Dawson on the 2nd day of August, 1900, of all claims not disposed of at the auction sale of the 2nd July, 1900, and of any other claims which have in the meantime become the property of the Crown under the regulations in that behalf.

By the Gold Commissioner, in and to the effect that the Gold Commissioner shall in respect thereof be final and conclusive.

Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 21st February, 1900. 97a

INDIAN SUPPLIES.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and indorsed "Tenders for Indian Supplies," will be received at this office up to noon on Monday, April 2, 1900, for the delivery of Indian Supplies during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901, at various points in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories.

Forms of tender, containing full particulars, may be had by applying to the undersigned, or to the Indian Commissioner, Winnipeg. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. This advertisement is not to be inserted by any newspaper without the authority of the Queen's Printer, and no claim for payment by any newspaper not having such authority, will be admitted.

J. D. McLELLAN, Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, March 1, 1900.

Left Their Dead Upon the Field

Boers Give Way Before British Bayonets.

Severe Fighting Near Driefontein All Day Saturday—Enemy in Greater Force Than Was Expected—102 of Their Dead Left on the Field.

White Flag Treachery Witnessed by Gen. Roberts—Protest and Warning Sent to the Presidents Kruger and Steyn—Boer Prisoners Caught Tunneling Their Way Out—British Losses.

London, March 12.—A dispatch from Driefontein to the war office from Lord Roberts, dated March 11, 7:15 a.m., says: "The enemy opposed us throughout yesterday's march, and from their intimate knowledge of the country gave us considerable trouble. 'Owing to the admirable conduct of the troops, the enemy were unable to prevent us reaching our destination. 'The brunt of the fighting fell on Gen. Kelly-Kenny's division, two battalions of which, the Welsh and Essex, turned the Boers out of two strong positions at the point of the bayonet. BOERS LEAVE 102 DEAD ON THE FIELD. A later dispatch says: 'I cannot get the precise number of casualties before 1 march, but will communicate it as soon as possible. The Boers suffered heavily, 102 of their dead being left on the ground. We captured about 20 prisoners. Among the killed are: 'Capt. Lomax, of the Welsh Regiment. 'Mr. McCarrie, a retired Indian civilian, attached to Kitchener's Horse. Among the wounded are: 'Col. Colonel Hickson, leg, severe; Lieut. Ronald, 'Welsh Regiment—Lieut. Torkington, Pope, Wimberley. 'Essex Regiment—Capt. Broadwood. 'Field Artillery—Lieut. Devenish. 'Medical Corps—Major White, Lieut. Berne. 'Australian Artillery—Col. Umphrey, abdomen, dangerous. HOT WORK. Driefontein, Orange Free State, March 11.—6:30 a.m. Broadway's fighting brigade, advancing on Bloemfontein, unexpectedly found the Boers in a strong position in the Driefontein kopjes yesterday. Gen. Kelly-Kenny's division, arriving, severe fighting ensued. The Boers resisted stubbornly, but were driven from their center position, leaving a number of dead and forty prisoners. The British force is moving forward today. During the night, the five regiments, including the Welsh and Essex, moved forward, with artillery, the Boers, though forced from their center position, clung tenaciously to the other kopjes, shelling the British freely with three guns and two Vickers Maxim's. The British cavalry began to turn the Boer position, but night fell before the movement was completed. The Boers retired during the night. A large number of Australians were engaged yesterday. The Australian Brigade, with the Scots Greys, advanced within 500 yards of the Boers under heavy fire. The New South Wales Mounted Infantry joined in the pursuit of the Boers northward. FOUGHT ALL DAY SATURDAY. All of yesterday was occupied in fighting. The Boers maintained a stubborn rear guard action along a running front of 12 miles on a very difficult ground. The British were advancing in three columns. Gen. Tucker, to the southward, occupied Petrusburg, unopposed. Gen. Kelly-Kenny, after following the river bank, moved in the direction of Abraham's Kraal. At Driefontein, about eight miles south of Abraham's Kraal, the Boers were found posted in considerable strength on the ridges and in the valleys. The Boers were connecting several kopjes, where they had mounted guns. The action began at 8 o'clock in the morning, with an artillery duel. Gen. French's cavalry and Gen. Porter's brigade supported our guns. The Boer artillery was accurately handled, and the British cavalry found a task harder than they had expected. Gen. Broadwood, with dogged perseverance, moved altogether six miles southward, trying to find a means to get round, but the Boers followed behind rising ground, and even attempted to outflank him. Meanwhile the sixth division of infantry, advancing on the Boer left, slowly forced the enemy to retire. Had the infantry been able to move faster, the Boers would have been enveloped. The last shot was fired at 7:30 p.m. This morning the Boers were to be seen. The prisoners belonged to President Kruger's own commando. SOMEWHAT UNEXPECTED. London, March 12.—4:45 a.m.—The war office maps show a group of kopjes and a large water pan at Driefontein—a position which has apparently considerable defensive advantages. The Boers who retreated to Abraham's Kraal from Poplar Grove must have moved southwards or else a fresh force must have come from Bloemfontein or the Orange River. The opposition

met at Driefontein was somewhat unexpected, the idea being that, if there were any resistance it would be at Petrusburg. Profiting by their experience the Boers were prepared for an extended position in order to avoid being outflanked, they probably weakened their center, thus making it possible for the British infantry to carry this with a bayonet charge. White Flag Treachery. Lord Roberts' dignified protest against the abuse of the white flag is regarded as the most important factor of the situation. According to the accounts supplied by the correspondents, the instance appears to have been most flagrant, and there is no doubt that Lord Roberts will carry his threat into execution. A WARNING. London, March 11.—The war office has received the following advice from Lord Roberts, dated Driefontein, Sunday, March 11, 9:45 a.m.: "The following telegram has been addressed by me to their honors, the state presidents of the Orange Free State and the South African Republic: 'Another instance having occurred of gross abuse of the white flag and of the signal of holding up hands in token of surrender, it is my duty to inform you that, if such abuse occurs, I shall most reluctantly be compelled to order my troops to disregard the white flag entirely. 'The instance occurred on a kopje east of Driefontein yesterday evening, and was witnessed by several of my own staff officers as well as by myself, and resulted in the wounding of several of my officers and men. 'A large quantity of explosive bullets of three different kinds was found in Commandant Cronje's baggage, and this has been the case after every engagement with your honors' troops. 'Such breaches of the recognized usages of war and of the Geneva convention are a disgrace to any civilized powers. 'A copy of this telegram has been sent to the government, with a request that it be communicated to the neutral powers. WHITE FLAG TREACHERY. London, March 12.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Asvoel Kop, dated Sunday, March 11, says: "The white flag treachery was personally witnessed at Driefontein by Lord Roberts, who was looking through a telescope when the Boers were charging, and saw the Boers throw up their hands, and show the flag and drop their guns. He saw an English officer advance to receive their surrender, whereupon the Boer volley was fired, and the officer fell." NEAR BLOEMFONTEIN. The Daily News has the following from Asvoel Kop, dated March 11: "The march was continued today to this point. No Boers were seen on the way. The British are now only 25 miles from Bloemfontein. The Morning Post's correspondent at Driefontein, telegraphing Sunday, says: "The fight throughout was much involved. The enemy evacuated and recovered positions, only withdrawing their guns a few minutes prior to their impending capture. Their guns outranged ours, the Naval Brigade not arriving in time. The turning movement was begun too late. The enemy attempted with helicopter, to lure us to occupy a kopje which they held, but detecting the deception we returned. A dispatch to the Times from Driefontein, dated Sunday, says the storming of Alexandria Kop by the Welsh was a particularly fine piece of work. The mobility of the Boers in moving their guns was very remarkable. The New South Wales Mounted Infantry made a gallant, but unsuccessful attempt to capture a gun. BETHUNE'S FORCE IN ACTION. London, Monday, March 12.—4:30 a.m.—A dispatch, dated Durban, March 11, says: The Natal Mercury has