

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

DIED.
SMITH—On the 14th of January, at the family residence, 171 Elmwood street, Jane Smith, the beloved wife of Thomas Smith, in her 70th year.
Funeral will leave above residence on Wednesday, Jan. 16, 1901, at 10:30 a.m.; services at 10 a.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

SAMPEY—On Jan. 14, at his late residence, 128 Albert street, Geo. E. Sampey, aged 54 years and 7 months.
The funeral will take place to Woodland Cemetery, on Wednesday, at 2:30 p.m.; services at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. small family, references required. Mrs. W. Chapman, 239 Dundas street. 60c

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT.

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LOST—ON MARKET SQUARE, LONDON. Saturday afternoon (12th inst.), two halters, two horse blankets and coat bag. Finder please leave at Central Hotel, in care of William Hodgins. 60cxbw

LOST—ON FRIDAY EVENING, BETWEEN Ridout street south and Bellot street north, a green plush bag containing evening slippers, gloves, fan and lace handkerchief. Finder will be suitably rewarded on returning same to this office. 60c

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STOVES—NEW AND SECOND-HAND— Very cheap at Keene's Stove and Furniture Store, 141 King street.

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WANTED—TO BUY OR RENT—BRICK cottage or story and a half, with large lot and stable. Send particulars to J. W. G. Winnett, 420 Tabbot street. ywt

WANTED—SECOND-HAND BAGA- TELLE board. Answer Box 16, Advertiser. 60c

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AS extensive alterations will soon be commenced on the front and interior of our store, we will offer for the next thirty days, commencing Saturday, Jan. 12th, our large stock of **Boots and Shoes**

at wholesale prices. All our broken lines of men's, women's and children's footwear will be **SOLD AT COST**, and our very latest **FALL AND WINTER STYLES** at **20 Per Cent Discount.**

This is a splendid opportunity to secure the **BEST FOOTWEAR** in London at **WHOLESALE PRICES.**
Don't Miss Your Chance.

Brown's Shoe Store

(Near Smallman & Ingram's)
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FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST-PAYING barber shops in London; good location; four chairs; good condition; good reasons for selling. Apply Box 19, Advertiser. 60c

FOR SALE—A SMALL GROCERY business; stock about \$500; near center of city. Box 15, this office. 60c

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NICE WARM FURNISHED ROOMS, with board, suitable for ladies or gentlemen; all modern conveniences. Apply 461 Dundas street. 60c

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WATSON & CO. HOUSE MOVERS— Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. Phone 1,231.

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TO LET—THE CENTRAL RESTAUR- ANT—Nos. 4 and 5, north side Market Square; possession Feb. 1. Inquire Cronin & Betts, Huron and Erie Buildings, 42 Richmond street. 60c

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TO LET—STORE AT PRESENT OCCU- PIED by The Dominion Savings and Investment Society. Apply Thomas C. Knott. 51c

TO LET—LARGE STORE, NO. 173 Dundas street. Possession Dec. 1. Apply Fitzgerald, Scandrett & Co. 21c

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN— Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. Phone 310. 60c

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FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT— one hundred acres, lot 19, concession 5, township of Westminster, 3/2 miles from London; soil, good clay loam; good fences, tile drained, 25 acres timber, principally hardwood; plenty of water; orchard; new two-story brick house, barn, silo and out-buildings. Price, \$6,700. Address John Govenlock, Hubrey, Ont. 60c ywt

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FOR SALE—FINE LOT, 90x100 FEET, corner St. James and William streets. Apply R. Tremaine, London Junction. 60c

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FOREST CITY PARCEL DELIVERY— Nichols & Co. Orders received at office at Jenkins' Clear store, 133 Dundas street, two doors west Market Lane. ywt

TO WATER CONSUMERS:

Pay Your Water Rates
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Lord Lionel Cecil, half-brother of the Marquis of Salisbury, is dead.

MOVEMENTS OF THE INVADERS!

No Important Changes in the Situation in the Colonies.

Lord Kitchener's Latest Dispatches From the Field— Heavy Losses in the Recent Fighting at Belfast— Col. Steele Down With Fever—Strathconas Sail January 21.

London, Jan. 15.—Reporting to the war office under date of Pretoria, Jan. 14, Lord Kitchener says:

"Beyer's whole force crossed the railway near Kallfontein, Jan. 12, making to the east.

"There are no important changes in the position in the colonies. Several small parties appear to be returning to the Orange River Colony. Some Cape rebels who accompanied a commando into the colony have surrendered."

BRITISH LOSSES.
London, Jan. 15.—The official list of the British casualties in the recent fighting at Belfast shows 29 killed, 63 wounded and 72 missing. This does not account for the British losses at other points of simultaneous attacks by the Boers, namely, Wonderfontein, Noutgedacht and Wyldfontein, and shows that affairs in that quarter were more serious than Lord Kitchener reported them to be.

NO FETTER FOR "BOBS."
London, Jan. 14.—Earl Roberts has written a letter to the mayor of London, Frank Green, postponing the city's reception, and expressing the opinion that "in the present unhappy circumstances in South Africa there could be no further fettering for some time." His lordship's decision applies to all similar proposed functions. He is visiting the Queen at Osborne today, but it is said his visit is not connected with the war.

The announcement is made by the Morning Post that the scheme for raising a colonial police force has been abandoned for the present. The rates of pay were not considered "tempting enough by the people living in South Africa, and of 16,000 men who applied to the United Kingdom to join the force, only 500 or so were selected as suitable."

NEED SOLDIERS, NOT POLICE.
London, Jan. 14.—The Morning Post says it understands that the scheme of raising a colonial police force under Gen. Baden-Powell has been temporarily abandoned. It says that the War Office intends to ask for the further enlistment of yeomanry. This, if true, seems to imply that the government does not see any prospect of a situation arising in which police could be suitably employed; in other words it points to an indefinite prolongation of the war.

The first announcement that 12,000 police would be enrolled was made at Pretoria at the beginning of October, and it was said that the recruiting would be confined to South Africa. A supplementary announcement made in London on November 13 invited 1,000 recruits in the United Kingdom, and this number was enlarged to 5,000 on December 16.

CAPE TOWN JAIL.—A portion of the town guard, numbering nearly 4,000 men, were inspected Saturday by Col. Cooper, the base commandant, who expressed great satisfaction with the appearance of the men. A flying column is being formed in the districts between the eastern and western lines of railway. This column will be commanded by Col. Gorrings, and will be employed with the regular forces in clearing the colony of invaders. It

is rumored that a Cape cart corps is in process of formation. Each section will consist of seven carts, each of which will carry a driver, three men, food and ammunition. Every section will be provided with Maxim guns and pom-poms.

HOW IS THIS?
Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—A large contingent of Canadian Mounted Rifles returned Sunday from South Africa, under command of Major Williams. The officer commanding says a great injustice has been done the Canadians by the imperial government in the matter of pay. While the Cape Colony volunteers and Australians received \$1.25 per day the Canadians were paid only the regular "Tommy" rate of 85 cents a day by the English Government. Major Williams intends to bring the matter to the notice of the authorities. He also thinks Lord Roberts made a big mistake in the way of accepting the surrender of old arms from the Boers, and were given free passes again. Soon as the British army had passed on these Boers dug up their rifles and joined other commandos like Dewet's. He expects Lord Kitchener will have another year's hard work before the Boers are settled.

CAPT. IRVING'S PLAIN TALK.
Toronto, Jan. 14.—Capt. Irving, who was in command of E Battery, has not a very high opinion of the British officers under whom the Canadians fought. Most of them, he claims, were too much bound down by book theories about military matters. Gen. Hutton, under whom the Canadians served for a time, had, he considered, some of these defects. He was inclined to be a martinet, and to carry on the war on theoretical instead of practical lines. He was not popular with the men as a whole. Gen. Baden-Powell and Gen. Paget, with whom Capt. Irving served for some time, were immensely popular with their troops. Regarding the emergency rations issued by the government, Capt. Irving also has a high opinion. The troops did not use them as an emergency food at all, but used them in a few cases as ordinary fare, supplemented with beef and other rations. However, on the whole, he thought no fault could be found with the commissariat department of the army. The Canadian horses, Capt. Irving says, came through the campaign better than the horses purchased in foreign countries by the war office.

The Strathconas.
Ottawa, Jan. 15.—A private letter from the seat of war states that at the date of writing Lieut.-Col. Steele of Strathcona's Horse, was ill of enteric fever, and the corps was under temporary command of Lieut.-Col. Gordon.

The writer instanced a case of what looked like bungling extraordinary by somebody at headquarters. The Strathconas had been dismounted at Tzavria, and the cowboy saddles sent to their further disgust were supplied to the men being sent home to Canada. A few days afterwards the order was countermanded and the Strathconas received raw mounts, and to their further disgust were supplied with British cavalry saddles. With this outfit they were ordered on duty again.

WILL SAIL JAN. 21.
A cable to the militia department says that the Strathcona Horse will sail for Canada on the 21st inst.

Col. Steele, the popular commander of the Strathcona Horse, is down with an attack of enteric fever, but fortunately of a mild type. Col. Gordon is in command of the regiment.

THANKSGIVING.
Windsor, Jan. 15.—Thanksgiving services were held Sunday afternoon in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in honor of the Windsor soldiers returned from South Africa. In the military procession to the church the returned soldiers, 15 in all, had the place of honor. Every available spot in the church was occupied, and hundreds were turned away. The interior of the edifice was elaborately decorated with British flags. Rev. J. C. Toimie, pastor of the church; Canon Hinks, All Saints' Church; Rev. W. S. Butt, Walkerville, and Rev. Mr. Eler, Ridgetown, took part in the service.

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Comprising Alaska seal, Persian lamb, electric seal, gray lamb, Russian lamb, astrachan and other jackets; Persian lamb and sable capelines; seal, Persian lamb and other caps; sable and quercie seal and other furs; boas; full line scarfs and ruffs; fur-lined coats and opera cloaks; musk ox and other robes; making in all the largest and most valuable collection of fur goods ever offered in Canada; commencing on

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At 2:30 O'Clock Afternoon and 8 O'Clock Evening,

and following afternoons and evenings until all is sold; under instructions from one of the largest fur houses in Canada. The above are all high-class goods and warranted. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer.

Current News.

The Dominion convention to discuss the question of tuberculosis will be held in Ottawa on Feb. 14.

Under the reapportionment bill the U. S. electoral college will contain 478 members, of whom 233 will be necessary for a choice.

The Niagara Falls, N. Y., gun squad took part in the reception to the men of Niagara Falls, Ont., who have just returned from South Africa.

Richard Yates was, on Monday, inaugurated Governor of Illinois. Just forty years ago Richard Yates, Sr., was inducted into the same office.

At the inaugural meeting of the city council of Kingston a deadlock resulted over the contest for the chairmanship of the Board of Works.

The trial, at Toronto, of Joseph Hazelton, the druggist, on a charge of murdering Mrs. Martha Milne, has again been postponed at request of counsel for defense.