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TO-DAY'S MARKETS

MONTREAL STOCKS. Canadian Pacific, xd, xr......1121/ Duluth, common ... Duluth, preferred . Vinnipeg Electric

Montreal Street Railway

Oronto Street Railway, xd. ..140 ..2681/2 ..1173/2 Halifax Street Railway, xd. 108
St. John Street Railway 125
Twin City Transit Railway 115
Richelieu and Ontario, xr. 113½
Commercial Cable, xd. 155 Iontreal Cotton Dominion Cotton
Canada Colored Cotton
Merchants' Cotton Bank of Toronto Merchants Bank Royal Bank Bank of Nova Scotia Quebec Bank. Union Bank. Bank of Commerce....

Hochelaga.

Northwest Land, pref.

Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds 87%

Heat and Light Bonds.

Dominion Coal Bonds.

Laurentide Bonds. Ask. Off.

265 257

1283/4 1283/4 2201/2

1524 152

2324 TORONTO STOCKS. Merchants..... Standard... Hamilton British America... National Trust. Montreal Gas.
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land. 70
Canada Northwest Land pref. 84
Canada Northwest Land com.
Can. Pacific Railway Stock. 113
Toronto Electric Light. 145
General Electric. 223
London Electric Light. 153 Commercial Cable 153
Cable Coup. Bonds 98
Cable Reg. Bonds 98
Dominion Telegraph. Bell Telephone Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co..1131/4 Hamilton Steamboat
Toronto Railway
London Street Railway Ottswa Street Railway

Ottswa Street Railway

Twin City Railway

Luxfer Prism. pref 80

Cycle and Motor

Carter Crume 107 Tire, pref......107 Wer Eagle. 11
Republic. 103
Payne Mining. 27
Cariboo (McKinney). Cariboo (McKinney)
Virtue
Crows Nest Coal
North Star. 25
British Canadian L. and I 75
Canada Landed and Nat. Inv. 102 113 186 70 118 81 1/2

Teronto Savings and Loan
Teronto Savings and Loan
Toronto Mortgage
Western Canada L. and S.
Dominion Steel com 443
Dominion Steel pref. 933
Dominion Steel Bonds 87
Dominion Coal, com. 1193 .119% NEW YORK STOCKS. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broke Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

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London and Ontario

Manitoba Loan

Ontario Loan and Deb

Peoples' Loan

Real Estate Loan and Deb

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Yesterday	1			
Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	p.m
Anaconda 291/2	2814	29	28	29
Amal. Copper 61%	62	621/4	61	615%
Atcheson 78	77 74	7776	771/4	773%
Atheson Pfd 9754	971	9714	97	971/4
B. & O	1061/2	106%		106
Brooklyn Tran 65%	65	66%	65	6514
CRAO	-	00/4		
C. B. & Q				
C. F. I. 1043/	10314	10634	1021/	10536
Erie 37%	37	37	363%	365%
K.& T. Pfd 54%	541/4	٠,	00/0	
L. & N 106%	106%	10674	1061/4	10614
Manhattan 1331/2	1331/4	134 16	133	134
Metropolitan St. 168	168	16814	16714	168
Mo. P101	100 %	10176	100%	100%
N. Y. Central 1633/4	163	163	16244	16234
Norfolk and W. 56%	5614	5614		5634
N. Pacific, Pid	0079	00/2	0078	
Ont.and Western 33%	33	831/8	3274	32%
Pacific Mail 45	00	00/8	04/1	0-/-
Pennsylvania151	151	1511/2	150%	150%
People's Gas102	101%	101%	10134	101%
R. I	17916	179%	17934	17934
R. 1		8114	8154	81%
Reading 81%	164%	16434	163%	164
St. Paul		951/	9456	94%
Southern Rv. Pfd 97%	65 1/4	65%	6455	64 34
Southern Pacific 65	4054	007	ux/a	01/6
Texas 41%	71	711%	70	70%
T. C. I 71		100%	994	99%
U. Pacific 10016	901/2		90	80
W. U 901/s	8073	9078	20	20
TRUSTS-	207/	2074	8214	82%
Leather 82%	82%	132%		1321
Sugar	13174	13279		43
U.S. Steel Com . 4273	1278		9376	
U. S. Steel Pfd 9471	31/3			
Rubber 181/4	1814	1814	17%	1758

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. Toronto, March 25.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 red, 73½c; No. 2 white, 72c middle freights; No. 2 goose easy, 66c, middle freights; No. 2 goose easy, 66c, middle freights; spring, 72½c for No. 1 east; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, 86c; No. 2 northern, 82½c, en route, North Bay; No. 2 northern, 78c, on spot, North Bay. Flour—Quiet; cars of 90 per cent patents, \$2.75 in buyers' bass, middle freights; choice brands are 16c to 20c higher; Manitoba, \$4.20 for cars of Hungarian patents and \$4 for strong bakers in car lots, bags included, on the track at Toronto. Millfeed—Easier, at \$18.50 for cars of shorts and \$16.50 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Barley—Quiet; No. 1 at 55c, No. 2 at 52c to 53c, No. 3 extra at 50c to 51c, and No. 3 at 48c to 49c, middle freights. Buckstered. to 63c. No. 3 extra at 50c to 51c, and No. 3 at 48c to 49c, middle freights. Buck-wheat—Steady, at 55c, middle freights. Rye—Steady. at 56c, middle freights. Corn—Easier; Canada No. 2 mixed and Corn—Easier; Canada No. 2 mixed and yellow, 50c west. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 41c, middle freights. Peas—Steady, at 79c to 80c west. Butter—Offerings of choice are small; low grade and medium dairies are plentiful; creamery prints, 22c to 23c; solids, 21c to 22c; seconds. 18c to 20c; dairy pound rolls, choice, 18c to 20c; large rolls, choice, 17c to 17½c; tuba.

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14c to 16c; medium and low grades, 19c to 12½c. Eggs—Offerings plentiful; the market is steady; good demand, at 13c to 14½c. Live hogs—Receipts today, 60c; select bacon advanced ½c, to \$612½; heavy and light fats, \$575.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

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NEW YORK, March 25.—Butter—Market steady; receipts, 7,994 pkgs. New butter: Creamery extras, per lb, 28c; do, firsts, 26½c to 27½c; do, seconds, 25c to 26c; do, lower grades, 23c to 24c; state dairy half-tubs, fancy, 25c to 27c; do, firsts, 24c to 25c; do, seconds, 22c to 23c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 24c to 25c; do, firsts, 22½c to 23c; do, lower grades, 20c to 22c; western factory, choice, 22c; do, common to good, 18c to 21c; renovated fancy, 24c to 24½c; do, common to choice, 19c to 23c. Old butter: Creamery, summer make, fancy, 26c to 26½c; do, fair to prime, 24c to 25c; do, lower grades, 21c to 23c; western factory, summer make, best, 20½c to 21c; do, lower grades, 18c to 20c; packing stock, new or old, 17c to 19½c. Cheese—Firm; receipts, 1,392 boxes; state full cream, small fall-made fancy, 13c to 13½c; do, be to 14½c; do, and the law of the law of the law or old to the law of the law or old to the law of the law of the law or old to the law of the law or old to the law of the law or old the law receipts, 1,392 boxes; state full cream, small fall-made fancy, 13c to 13½c; do, choice, 1½c to 12½c; do, good to prime, 11¼c to 12½c; do, common to fair, 9c to 10½c; do, choice, 11½c to 11¾c; do, good to prime, 10¾c; do, choice, 11½c to 11¾c; do, common to fair, 9c to 10½c; light skims, small choice, 10c to 10½c; do, large choice, 9c to 9½c; part skims, prime, 8½c to 9c; do, fair to good, 6c to 8c; do, common, 4½c to 5½c; full skims, 3½c to 4c. Eggs—Firm; receipts, 21,741 cases; state and Pennsylvania, fancy selected, white, 17c; do, average prime, 16c; western and Kentucky, best, 16c; do, fair to good, 15¾c; Tennessee and other southern, best, 15%c; do, fair to good, 15¼c; dots to 15¼c; checks, 13c to 13¼c; duck eggs, 33c to 37c; goose, 75c to 85c.

NEW YORK, March 25—Flour—Re-

eggs, 33c to 37c; goose, 75c to 85c.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Flour—Receipts, 39,160 bbls; sales, 4,700 pkgs; flour ruled quiet and about steady. Rye flour—Steady; fair to good, \$3 25 to \$3 40; choice to fancy, \$3 50 to \$3 75. Wheat—Receipts, 114,950 bu; sales, 1,315,000 bu; wheat opened easier with cables, but rallied on covering and foreign buying; May, 78½c to 78%c; July, 78½c to 78 11-16c; Sept., 78c. Rye—Steady; state, 60c to 61c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 63½c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 30,600 bu; sales, 60,600 bu; corn opened firmer on a scare of shorts, later easing off a little; sales, 60,000 bu; corn opened firmer on a scare of shorts, later easing off a little; May, 63% c to 64% c; July, 63% c; Sept., 62% c to 62% c. Oats—Receipts, 213,000 bu; oats were dull but fairly steady. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3% c; molasses sugar, 2% c; refined unsettled. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 511-16c. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Quiet. Hops—Firm.

BUFFALO, March 25.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 76%c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, \$2c, on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 634c; No. 3 yellow, 63c; No. 2 corn, 62%c; No. 3 corn, 624c, on track. Oats—No. 2 western, 48%c; No. 3 white, 47c; No. 2 mixed, 46%c, on track.

DETROIT, March 25.—Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 81c; No. 2 red, cash, March and May, 794c; July, 76c.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. Reported for The Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker: OHICAGO, March 25. Open. High. Low. Close.
72 7258 7114 7234
7256 7334 7234 78
5834 5854 58 5836 5854
5834 5946 5836 5854
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July ... 72%

-May ... 58%

July ... 58%

-May ... 42%

July ... 34% July July July ... 34%
Pork—May. ... 15 90
Lard—May. ... 9 65
Ribs—May. ... 8 75

ENGLISH MARKETS. LIVERPOOL.

The following table shows the quotations per cental yesterday for American

WHEAT-		March 19.		March 20.		March 21.		March 22.	
Red Winter		0%	6	014	6	034	6	1	
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	01/2		0%		034	6	i	
Walla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
No. 1 Cal	0	0	6	i	6	4	6	4	
March	6	1%		11/8				ī	
May	6	05%		01/			5	115	
July	6	01/2		1136	5	1134		115	
CORN-	10	0/8	0	11,8	0	**/4		,	
New	0	0	5	216	5	234	5	23	
Old		31/	5	314			5	33	
Oct		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov		0	0	0	10	ŏ	0	ō	
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Jan		0	0	0	0		0	0	
March		0	9	0	0	Ö	0	ŏ	
May		23/							
July	15	2	5	15			3	0	
Flour	20	ō	20		20		20	0	
Peas		8	6		6		6	8	
Pork, prime mess.	71	0	71		71		71	Ö	
Lard		0	47		148		148		
Tallow	129	9	29		29		29		
Bacon, light	45		15		45		145		
Cheese, white	153	0	53		63		53		
Cheese colored		0	53		153		153		

LIVERPOOL, March 25—Closing. Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, 6s ½d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s ½d; No. 1 California, 6s 3d. Futures, quiet; March, 6s ½d; May, 5s 11½d; July, 5s 10½d.
Corn-Spot steady; American mixed, new, 5s 2½d; do, old, 5s 3d. Futures easy; May, 5s ½d; July, 4s 11½d.
Peas-Canadian steady, 6s 8d.
Flour-St. Louis fancy winter firm, 8s.
Hops (at London)-Pacific coast firm, f3 15s to f4 10s.
Beef-Firm; extra India mess, 80s.
Pork-Steady; prime mess western 71s.

Pork-Steady; prime mess western, 71s. Hams-Short cut 14 to 16 lbs, steady,

47s 6d.

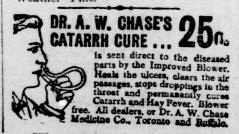
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 45s 6d; short ribs sides, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 44s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, steady, 45s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 45s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 46s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 48s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 36s 6d.

Lard—Firm; prime western, in tierces, 49s; American refined, in pails, 49s 6d.

Lard—Firm; prime western, in tierces, 49s; American refined, in pails, 49s &d.
Butter—Firm; finest united States, 95s; good United States, 50s.
Cheese—Firm; American finest white and colored, 59s.
Tallow—Prime city firm, 29s 9d.
Turpentine spirits—Firm, 32s.
Rosin—Common steady, 4s 3d.
Petroleum—Refined steady, 7½d.
Linseed oil—Quiet, 31s 6d.
Receipts of wheat during the past three days, 237,000 centals, including 194,000 American.

Receipts of American corn during the past three days, 37,500 centals.

Weather—Fine.



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WEATHER BULLETIN.

London, March 25-8 a.m. TEMPERATURE. STATIONS-8 a.m. Min. Calgary...... Winnipeg..... Parry Sound ... Toronto......
Ottawa......
Montreal..... Quebec...... Father Point..... FORECASTS.

Today-Easterly winds; fine and Wednesday-Not much change. WEATHER NOTES.

Rain is falling over Manitoba and light snow in the Territories, while in Ontario and Quebec the weather keeps very fine. There is still no appearance

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

-Mrs. George Thomas, of Exeter, and Miss Jacobs, of Cobourg, are spending their holidays with Mrs. A. G. Pearson, of 558 Horton street, city. -A horse belonging to Mr. James

other day by leaping a fence over six abolished or that they be paid overfeet high.

for a few days. -The choir of Dundas Center Methodist Church, specially augmented for the occasion, will give a rendition of Mendelssohn's grand oratorio, Paul," on Tuesday evening, April 8. -Mr. John Lang, of Bruce street, South London, the well known drain contractor, has fully recovered his

usual health, and is now prepared to

take contracts for excavating drains,

-Tomorrow (Wednesday) evening, London Camp, No. 120, Woodmen of Gunner Loses Both Arms in Firing the World, will hold their annual concert and assembly. An excellent programme will be given and a good time generally is assured all those who at-

-Glencoe Transcript: Mr. Reginald excellent solos, one of his own composition, on Sunday evening, in the Presbyterian Church here. They were great ly appreciated, and added much to the musical part of the service.

-The London Convalescent Home has received a donation of \$5 from Mr.Robert Ralph, of London township, and ed to him. The gift was accompanied by many kind words of appreciation and sympathy in the good work. Mr. Ralph is an old friend to the Convalescent Home.

STILL PROTESTING. Stanley street residents attended the meeting of the board of works, held yesterday afternoon, and strongly protested against the double tracking proposed there.

TRESPASSERS APPEAR.

Fourteen more boys charged with trespassing on the property of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, appeared before Squires Lacey and Smyth this morning. Eleven were let go on suspended sentence by reason of their previous good behavior and their youth. Four older offenders were fined

WAGON RAN INTO CAR. A wagon belonging to John Boyle, of Grey street, carrying a load of staves, collided with a Hamilton road car about 11:45 a.m. on Horton street. The driver, for some unknown reason, drove straight into the car, Woods, cutting her chin.

G. T. R. ASSESSMENT.

The Grand Trunk property here is assessed in bulk, although it is much divided. Consequently the company is at a disadvantage when local improvements are being made. If they wished the local improvement act to do, they Commissioner Grant will put the assessors to work earlier this year-the second week in April, probably-and assess the G. T. R. property in special lots. The change will affect it valuation, but not the amount of taxes paid.

ROBERTSON-OTIS. ceremony was last evening witnessed by about 30 guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stevens, upon the old Austin farm, north of the Haskell Home on Hubbard street, the contracting parties being Mr. J. P. Robertson and Miss Ida Otis, Elder S. H. Sane performing the ceremony in a highly pleasing style. The bride was prettily and becomingly gowned in dove-color-ed silk, trimmed with white, ornamented with white roses, a spray of which she carried. Following the ceremony and congratulations a fine wedding supper was served, supplemented with wini juices. The happy pair were the recipients of many useful and valuable presents. Mr. and Mrs. Robertson leave this morning for Des Moines, Ia., to connect with the branch sanitarium located at that place. Mr. Robertson is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, 421 Pall Mall street, London, Ont."

Distress after eating, belching and nau-sea between meals are symptoms of dys-pepsia, which Hood's Sarsaparilla always

Westlake's Studio-Open Good Friday-374% Richmond street.

AT CROSSINGS

Battle-Royal Between Farmers and Railway Men.

Big Deputation of the Latter Gather to Oppose the Lancaster Bill.

Matter Goes Over Till the Best Kind of Guard Can Be Selected-C. P. R. Telegraph Operators Want More Pay.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., March 25 .-- All the leading railway men of the Dominion and their legal representatives were here today opposing Mr. Lancaster's bill for cattle guards at railway crossings. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, Wm. Wainwright, D. Mann, and others, were in attendance.

It was a question as between the farmers and the railways. Several amendments were proposed to meet objections on the one side and the other. Finally the minister of railways was asked for his view. Mr. Blair said that as there was the greatest divergence as to matters of fact, he suggested that the subject be left over until next session and that in the meantime a commission be appointed to look into the best kind of cattle guards to use, and once this was done then make it compulsory on all railways to use it. In view of this statement by Mr. Blair, a motion to adjourn the debate

TELEGRAPHERS WANT BETTER

TERMS. A deputation of the telegraphers from the eastern division of the C. P. R. waited upon Superintendent H. B. Spencer yesterday and asked that they Mahlins, the well-known hackman, af-forded a good deal of amusement the in wages and that Sunday work be time for Sunday duties. -Mrs. D. E. Adams and daughters, of Winnipeg, and Miss C. P. Soper, of Guelph, are visiting their sister-in-law, Mrs. F. N. Soper, of Sydenham street, higher officers of the company. Today Mr. McAmmond, chairman of the local board, will go to Montreal to wait

FATALITY AT A LAUNCHING

a Salute.

John Redmond Gives Notice of a of Censure.

BOTH ARMS SHOT OF. London, March 25.-While the Prince and Princess of Wales were launching hearty thanks for the same are offer- the battleship Prince of Wales at Chatham today, a gunner, who was firing a salute, was mortally injured, both | Feb. 15, says: his arms being blown off.

VOTE OF CENSURE. London, March 25 .- John Redmond,

the leader of the Irish Nationalists, gave notice in the House of Commons today of a motion, equivalent to a vote of censure on the speaker, William **POCKET DOG** Court Gully, for not having made the colonial secretary, Joseph Chamberlain, withdraw his remark "the honorable gentleman is a good judge of traitors.' addressed to John Dillon (Irish Nationalist) in the house on March 20, which led to Mr. Dillon retorting that Mr. Chamberlain was a "damned liar." FOREIGN RESIDENTS ROILED.

Yokohama, March 25 .- The authorities here have aroused the resentment of the foreign residents by distraining properties of those who refuse to pay the house tax. They have distrained money for the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank and the Chartered Bank of India. Today they seized money and property at Jardine, Matheson & Co.'s and at other places of business and at residences. The officials refuse to acreason, drove straight into the car, cept payment of the tax under probreaking five windows. A splinter of test. The legations are receiving nufriend, who were in her muff and distinctly furred, well-shaped ears are merous complaints from foreigners of the treatment the latter have been sub-

GUN VS. CLUB.

Watertown, N. Y., March 25.-Noel Carr, of Dickinson Center, Franklin county, is dead from a gunshot wound given him by Guy Dawson, of the same place. The men were embittered by an at times to protest against a work, as old feud, and met near the edge of the it is their privilege under the terms of woods, where Dawson claims Carr attacked him with a club, obliging him could not. To remedy this, Assessment to shoot in self-defense. Dawson has been arrested and taken to Malone. POSTMASTER WIGLE'S CASE.

Windsor, Ont., March 25. - George Ross, deputy postmaster at Toronto, was in Windsor yesterday, and was closeted for several hours with Acting Postmaster Ecclestone. Both gentle-Battle Creek Morning Inquirer: "A Mr. Ross' visit to the city, but it is more than usually pleasing wedding understood that he was sent by the department at Ottawa to make a careful investigation of the trouble which led to the recent suspension of Postmaster Wigle.

Hard to Matriculate.

[Philadelphia Times.]

Mr. Peixoto, lodge-keeper at Girard College, prides himself on his intimate knowledge of the regulations of the institution. The other day a bright-look-ing young hoodlum of some 7 years of age, carrying a telescope bag and with in England there is talk of a miniature a cigarette jauntily poised in his mouth, entered the lodge. "Say, I want to come to this school,"

said the visitor.

"You can't come here if you smoke that thing," answered Peixoto.

"Well, I'll throw it away," was the ready reply.
"Is your father living," asked the

"Course he is," answered the boy.
"We don't admit pupils whose fathers are not dead, only orphans."
"Gee!" was the response. "Then to get in I've got to kill the old man.
Dat's tough!"

ESPECIALLY **DANGEROUS**

Sir George Goldie Sizes Up the Situation

In South Africa as It Seems to Impress Him.

The Conditions in Cape Colony He Regards as Especially Dangerous-Rebels Must Be Disfranchised.

London, March 25 .- Sir George Goldie, vice-president of the Royal Geographical Society and founder of Nigeria, who has just returned from a thorough investigation of South Africa. where he conferred with Lord Milner, Lord Kitchener, Cecil Rhodes, Sir Walter Hely-Hutchinson, the governor of the Cape of Good Hope, and numbers of other influential men, brings home

PESSIMISTIC VIEWS of the general situation from a British point of view. The conditions in Cape Colony, he regarded as especially dangerous, and he considers that the most serious British difficulties will be encountered there in the future, as at present. In the course of an interview Sir George Goldie, while recognizing the possible importance of Acting-President Schalkburger's step, said he was convinced that the question of peace or war rests

STEYN. and that Mr. Kruger and the other Boers in Europe no longer represent Boer opinion. The real difficulty in the path of peace, he believes, is the question of granting amnesty to the Cape and Natal rebels, and, Sir George says, the vague promises of the British Government have not the slightest weight, while the fighting burghers are in their present state of mind. Sir George Goldie advocates granting amnesty to the rebels, but he insists that

IN THE HANDS OF PRESIDENT

every one must be DISFRANCHISED FOR LIFE. This, he claims, would go far towards allaying the bitterness of the loyalists Sir George deprecates any attempt to permit the use of a dual language. He says English alone must be the official language, and adds that the fact that practically the whole of the rising generations of the two republics are now in the concentration camps and are rapidly learning English will be of great aid in this direction.

ARMY OF 100,000 NEEDED. He estimates that 100,000 armed men will be needed in South Africa for some years after the conclusion of

Sir George Goldie failed to meet any Boers who yet recognized that they had been finally beaten, though some of them admitted that they had been temporarily overweighted by numbers.

WHY THE BOERS WOULD FIGHT ON.

tageous than those previously de-The latest report from President Steyn, received under date of

"Last year we fought hopefully; now we are fighting with confidence, not to the bitter end, but to a happy The Boer forces have plenty of everything except clothing.

IS THE VOGUE

Fanciers Breeding the Toy Black and White Poms.

it Fits in a Muff-Two and One-Half Pounds Is the Record Weight Up to the Present.

(Washington Star.] Canine extremes met the other day

when a rich young woman, leading a great Dane, as big as a Shetland pony, played with joy an imported toy Pommeranian dog of full growth pression. weighing exactly two and a half flesh that has ever come to the counported the little Pom. for breeding pur- His coloring is a rich chocolate, of muff and pocket dogs with which to satisfy the growing demand for the

Toy dogs we know even now in numbers, but they have up to this time been apple-headed, vacant-eyed, ratlike, hairless little beasties from Mexico. For a long while breeders have realized the existence of a market for tiny fluffy dogs with plumy tails and gray coats, and in England a welldirected effort has been made to produce an animal of ultra fashionable character. A dog that could be drop-ped in the pocket of a raglan or worn cosily up among the frills of a Louis Quinz sleeve or tucked into a muff and made happy in these dainty, but limited quarters, is the dog for which duchesses and countesses and princesses stood ready to pay almost any price. This set the amateur and professional breeders off on scientific lines, and the results have been enough to take the mere observer's breath away. Already dog club, with an annual show, and the smartest breeders talk confidently of the one-pound dog of the future.

DOGS WORN AS ORNAMENTS. The two-and-a-half-pound Poms in spotless white coats, blue-eyed and black-nosed, are at the present the limit, and on the Riviera they are known and worn as sleeve dogs. Some exceedingly small Poms are admitted into the blue-blooded circle, where canines worth their weight in gold are literally worn as ornaments, and those women who do not affect the pocket dog

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The Chien Ecureuil, or squirrel dog, Though the muff was not as he is sometimes entitled, in honor over size the owner's hands and the of his true squirrel tail, or the Spanwee dog were not crowded therein for ish Butterfly, as he is more gracefully space. Up to date this is apparently called, because of his ears, that are the tiniest morsel of developed dog shaped like a butterfly's wings, is a Spanish grandee, descended from a try, and, as the proud possessor im- long line of pure, Iberian ancestors. poses, there is no doubt that if all goes lieved with golden tan tints, and his well we shall have an adequate supply disposition, cuddling, sweet-tempered to a fault and modest to the point of diffidence, is one of his most powerful recommendations to fashionable and feminine favor.

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