

Births, Marriages, Death

DIED
At the family residence, 49 Palace street, on Tuesday morning, Nov. 7, Bessie Stoneham, beloved wife of James L. Spry.
Funeral on Wednesday, Nov. 8, at 3 p.m.; service at the house at 2:30.

CAMPBELL—At his late residence, 215 Wellington street, this city, on Nov. 7, 1899, I. J. Campbell, aged 70 years.
Funeral private, Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30. Flowers respectfully declined.

Amusements and Lectures

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LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN WILL
meet in London House, Co's rooms, 900 Dundas street, Thursday, Nov. 9, 7:30 p.m. Members of affiliated societies and public cordially invited.

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Tenders for Earth Filling

Sealed tenders will be received at the office of Moore & Henry, Albion Building, until 5 p.m., Friday, Nov. 10, for the earth filling behind the retaining wall at the dam at Springbank.

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JOHN M. MOORE,
Chief Eng. and Supt.

Steamship Arrivals.

Nov. 6. At Lake Ontario..... Liverpool..... Montreal
Nov. 6. At Lake Ontario..... Copenhagen..... New York
Nov. 6. At Lake Ontario..... Antwerp..... New York
Nov. 6. At Lake Ontario..... Southampton..... New York
Nov. 6. At Lake Ontario..... Bristol..... Montreal
Nov. 6. At Lake Ontario..... London..... Montreal
Nov. 6. At Lake Ontario..... New York..... Hamburg

Mr. William Cliffe, night watchman for the Norton Manufacturing Company, at Hamilton, died probably from eating canned herring. An inquest was ordered, and there is suspicion of foul play.

The Fight on Tatham's Farm

Cavalry Cut Their Way Through the Boers' Lines.

The Enemy Twice Driven Back, Losing 800 Men.

Naval Guns and an Armored Train Do Good Service.

Boers Suffer in an Engagement With Dublin Fusiliers Near Colenso.

Cronje's Big Gun That Was to Smash Mafeking Is a Failure.

The Queen's Grandson, Prince Christian Victor, Off for the Front—Special Service Squadron Held in Readiness.

London, Tuesday, Nov. 7.—The war office announced at midnight that no dispatches had been received beyond those already made public, and nothing further would be issued before noon today. Thus not a solitary official item of news has been posted for nearly 24 hours. This has given rise to a crop of rumors that Ladysmith's ammunition is exhausted; that Sir George Stewart White is mortally injured, and that other unlucky happenings have taken place. For all these rumors there is absolutely no foundation.

The actual news that the Ladysmith garrison is confident of holding out, and that Thursday's and Friday's fighting resulted successfully for Gen. Buller's forces, tends to brace up the British.

Advices from other parts of South Africa are distinctly unpromising, and everything points to an unsatisfactory situation in Natal and the northern portions of Cape Colony likely to grow more acute until Gen. White is relieved or decisively defeated.

A Cavalry Charge.
DARING DEEDS.
Cape Town, Saturday, Nov. 4.—Afternoon.—A dispatch from Ladysmith says that on Thursday afternoon the British cavalry charged the Boers while the latter were maneuvering south of the town and cut their way through them. A Long Tom posted on Bulwin Hill shelled the town, but little damage was done. The naval gunners put the big gun situated on Hepworth's Hill out of action.

The enemy at Grobler's Kloof engaged a company of the Royal Irish Fusiliers, and brisk firing occurred on both sides. An armored train with sixty infantrymen on board, drew the enemy's fire, enabling the volunteers to make headquarters safely. The military are elated by their timely help to the volunteers.

BOERS LOSE 800 MEN.
Estcourt, Natal, Saturday, Nov. 4.—It is reported that the Boers lost 800 killed, wounded and captured in Thursday's fight on Tatham's farm, near Ladysmith.

Noon.—A reliable messenger has just arrived from Ladysmith, passing the Boer lines during the night, who reports that heavy fighting occurred on Thursday around Ladysmith. The hottest engagement was on George Tatham's farm on the Orange Free State side of Besters'. The British drove the Boers back to their camp. The enemy suffered great loss and thirty mounted Boers were captured.

The fighting was resumed Friday, the Boers firing from Nodswathshana Hill, near Hepworth's farm. Again they were driven back with loss on their camp.

A large Boer force, with artillery, under John Wessels, has taken up a position on the left of Beacon, located on the Woodhouse, Piccones and Langvach farms, facing Besters' and a small commando is now encamped on the south side of Pieter's station, commanding the railway. The Boers have torn up the culverts of the railway near Pieter's station and have burned the wooden portions. No damage has yet been done at Colenso. The houses, stores, railway and iron bridges remain intact.

LADYSMITH BELIEVED TO BE SAFE.
It is generally assumed that Gen. White, with the aid of the naval guns, will be able to cope with any bombardment, and the idea that the Boers could take Ladysmith by assault is scouted as absurd. Meanwhile vague remarks in the dispatches point to the

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clamation of martial law is only a matter of temporary urgency in some districts, and does not compel the burghers of the colony to partake in the "despicable hostilities."

STEYN'S PROCLAMATION.
The consul-general of the Orange Free State in New York has given out there the full text of President Steyn's proclamation calling on the Orange Free State Boers to support the Transvaal.

"OBSTINATELY HOLDS HIS OWN."
An official notice posted at the Landroos office at Vryburg, Oct. 23, referring to the bombardment of Mafeking, says: "The big Pretoria gun wrought great destruction, but the enemy obstinately holds his own."

Other advices from Vryburg say the British flag still floats over Kuruman, but that a Boer force is about to proceed thither.

There are rumors of another engagement at Elandslaagte, with severe Boer losses.

AROUND KIMBERLEY.
It is believed that the Orange State commanders now have 11,000 men concentrated against Kimberley and on the Free State southern frontier. Opposed to them are only 7,000 British troops. The towns which lie open to their attack are Allwal North, Burgersdorp, Steynburg, Barkley and Molteno.

CRONJE'S GUN.
It is reported that the big gun with which Gen. Cronje has hoped to demolish Mafeking is not a success. It is believed to be a Schneider-Canet gun, weighing, with the carriage, about ten tons. The recoil is so tremendous as to throw the gun out of gear every

'BUS FINES REFUNDED

Police Magistrate Parke Discussed at the Council.

Strong Words Used by Ald. Pritchard.

Side Lights on the Board of Works Department.

Ald. Douglass Comes in for Wholesale Censure.

Aldermen on the Hunt for Money—Exhausted Appropriations—Ald. Douglass Knew All Along the "Rate" Was a "Bluff."

At the meeting of the city council last night no very important action was taken, but a number of stirring debates and startling assertions were among the features. The topics of discussion included the street railway strike, Police Magistrate Parke, and chiefly the board of works department. Mr. Walter Morgan was appointed to the school board. The mayor presided, and all the members were present but Ald. McPhillips. The audience was larger than usual, and was doubtless, to some extent, responsible for the session lasting until 12:30.

The question of remitting the two fines of \$5 each imposed on drivers of union busses came up again. The city solicitor's opinion that although the council had in the past, and no doubt would continue to remit police court fines, there was no legal authority for it, was again read, together with the solicitor's opinion.

Ald. Dreaney moved that the petition of Division No. 37 of the Street Railway Employees be granted and the fines be remitted, and that the police court and city solicitor be requested to discontinue the prosecution of the "bus cases. Ald. Reed seconded.

Mr. E. T. Essery, solicitor for the strikers, addressed the council in support of the motion. The street railway men had rendered a service to the city when their busses, especially during the Western Fair, and the importance of this institution as a means of advertising the city could not be overestimated. Had it not been for the busses, some people would have stayed away, as it was the fair, and he held his own. These men were a public want. The two lines running alongside each other prevented any bad feeling from arising, and in that way they performed a duty. They might not have known how much they were doing at the time, but the council, on calmly considering the matter, would recognize it. They had performed a useful service to the city. The busses were not making any money, but were the means of keeping up the men's side of the fight. If by operating the busses without a license they violated the law, then they did so unwittingly. No strikers had been tried and found guilty of misconduct. Newspapers were hounding the police magistrate, and the police magistrate was not in a position to strike back. "I do not support the government that appointed him," he said, "and I never will, but I do say if there is a man who is an honor and a credit to the city of London, that man is Police Magistrate Parke. I hope the day will never be seen, under British rule, when a magistrate will take the oath of one man, who comes from God knows where, against the evidence of eight or ten respectable citizens. If he did, as some newspapers wanted him to, he would have been a common scoundrel; he would have gone to jail for what? Because a perjurer swore against him and nine or ten men gave evidence to show that the statement was false."

Ald. Pritchard had no use for the strikers. "I can hardly call persons men," he said, "who will follow a defenseless lady into a car and shout 'scab' after her. But the one who is branded as a coward. As regards the police magistrate, I have this to say: If he had done his duty we wouldn't have had half as much trouble as we have had, and he is not fit to hold the position he does today." He would go by the city solicitor's opinion.

Ald. Parnell said the sort of thing that Ald. Pritchard referred to was not going on now, to the interest of peace and harmony it would be better to let the matter drop now. No good would be gained by the prosecution.

Ald. Dreaney's motion carried. Ald. Pritchard, Rumball and McCallum voting "nay."

AFRAID OF FIRE.
C. G. Morehead and others complained of the quantity of coal, benzine, gasoline and other combustibles stored in the premises of the Queen City Oil Company on York street. Mr. Morehead addressed the council in support of the complaint. The petitioners represented an assessment of between \$12,000 and \$15,000, he said, and claimed that their property was in great danger of being destroyed in case fire broke out in the Queen City Oil Company's store house.

Ald. Winnett called attention to the bylaw bearing on the storing of inflammable material in the city, and moved that the proper officials have the bylaw enforced.

On motion of Ald. Graham the matter was referred to No. 3 committee, with power.

Bylaw No. 756, sec. 30, to which Ald. Winnett referred, provides that no person shall keep within the city of London, naphtha, benzine, gasoline, turpentine, benzole, or other like inflammable goods to an amount exceeding

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OTHER COMMUNICATIONS.

Robert Washburn, through his solicitors, Messrs. Parke, Purdon & Purdon, claimed damages for injuries received through an alleged defective sidewalk. Referred to No. 2 committee.

An application was received from Secretary P. E. Mackenzie for the use of the city hall on Nov. 30 for holding St. Andrew's Society dinner. Granted.

J. R. Gray asked for the use of the city hall on Dec. 1 for giving a benefit ball for one of the members of the Metal Polishers and Buffers' Association. Granted.

A number of petitions were referred to No. 1 committee.

Ald. Wilkey, as one of the members of the committee which inspected the city hall, said he must object to granting the hall for such a purpose, as it was, in his opinion, unsafe.

Ald. O'Meara was in favor of granting the hall on the understanding that the city would not be responsible for any damages resulting.

Ald. Carrothers made light of the fears. What was the use of granting the hall for a dinner, at which there would be 200 or 300 people, and refusing it for a dance, at which there would be no more. The request was granted.

An account for \$30 from ex-Ald. Carrothers for some years' use of his property as a place for storing lumber, was filed. No one knew anything of instructions having been given to the ward foreman to store the lumber there. Ald. Garratt gave his old colleague a shot. "I have five acres you can use," he said, "and it won't cost a cent, and Josh Garratt won't use a stick of firing, either." (Laughter.)

Sergeant Cranston, of No. 1 company, R. C. R. I., sent an account of \$24 for extra messing for the members of B company of the Canadian contingent for South Africa, during their stay at Wolseley Barracks.

Ald. Graham explained that a regular fund for extra rations was subscribed to by the men at Wolseley Barracks, and the members of B company were accepted as subscribers to this fund, but owing to the fact that they were not paid until after embarkation they could not settle.

Ald. Dreaney wanted the account sent to No. 1 committee, but it was passed for payment.

FRONT STREET BREAKWATER.

On behalf of Messrs. Holmes, Lowe and other residents on Front street, Solicitor J. C. Judd urged the council to extend the Front street breakwater. Ald. Carrothers moved to refer the matter to No. 2 committee. Ald. McCallum moved to grant No. 2 committee \$125, with instructions to proceed with the work. Ald. Rumball, the "finance minister," protested. The committee's appropriation was overdrawn, he said. Why wasn't this matter attended to when the committee had the money, if the case was so urgent. They had no power to spend more than their appropriation. "I don't know," he said, "but that any citizen if he chose to take the matter up, could hold the aldermen liable for any amount overdrawn." Mr. Judd said that lots of his clients were being harassed. He hinted at their legal claim on the city, but said he was not making a threat. Ald. Greenlee regretted that the breakwater had not been extended far enough in the first place. He favored Ald. McCallum's motion. Ald. McCallum's motion was defeated 8 to 9. The matter was referred to No. 2 committee to report immediately, on motion of Ald. Carrothers.

NUMBER THREE COMMITTEE.

Ald. Dreaney presented the report of No. 3 committee. He thought it hard of the council because they would not allow Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett to sell medicine on the Market Square. The application of the grocers for a place on the market to stand their horses while doing purchasing, was filed. There were other citizens who would have an equal claim for such privilege. Ald. McCallum said. He opposed granting the petition.

AN ALDERMAN'S INTERESTS.

The board of works again recommended that London lane be taken over by the city. The lane, which is 28 feet wide, is situated on the west side of Richmond street, opposite Hyman's Dock. Ald. Douglass urged the adoption of the recommendation.

Ald. Winnett said he understood that one of the aldermen was particularly interested in this lane. "Perhaps that is why this thing is being forced through here tonight," he said.

Ald. Douglass—Ald. Winnett talks of some alderman being interested. I'm interested. I own five houses on the lane, and I don't give a snap of my finger whether the city takes it over or not. But I want it noted on the record, then we won't have to pay the taxes.

Ald. Rumball—Ald. Douglass says that he is going to improve the lane if we don't take it over. Ald. O'Meara's plea is that it should be taken over so that it will be improved. I don't suppose there would be any desire to tax Ald. Douglass on the improvements to the street. I can see no reason for taking over the property.

Ald. Douglass had a queer idea about paying taxes. Ald. Carrothers said. He could rest assured that the assessment commission would raise his taxes with the improvements, no matter who put them there.

Ald. Graham and Dreaney each spoke in opposition to taking over the property, but a motion by Ald. Garratt to adopt the clause carried.

CRY FOR HELP.

A statement of No. 2 committee's finances on Nov. 6 showed \$157.56 to the credit of the committee. The amount of the estimates was \$35,000, the amount of our own was \$33,513.75, and the amount outstanding, \$1,238.55. The following accounts were overdrawn: Streets and general improvements, \$224.66; exhibition buildings, \$248.75; bridges, \$209.05; breakwater, \$328.30. The breakwater appropriation was \$1,000, and the amount paid out, \$1,525.30. The committee asked that \$3,000 be placed to their credit, that being the engineer's estimate of the sum required to see them through the year.

"There always was an overdrawn

account," said Ald. Douglass, and added: "It is likely, too, that there will be for some years to come. We all knew that the appropriation would not be sufficient. What the rate was struck." Ald. Graham but partially suppressed a laugh at this point. Ald. Douglass, continuing, said that he for one was aware of it anyway.

Ald. Garratt seconded the adoption of the clause.

Ald. Parnell emphasized the importance of the question. The laws of the land said they should raise the necessary funds for current expenses. What Ald. Graham had said was quite correct. They had trouble to have the rate as high as it was. Chairman Douglass voted for a lower rate. It was not economy to overdraw. There had been extraordinary expenditure this year, but he disagreed with the chairman that \$35,000 was not a sufficient appropriation.

Ald. Douglass had compared this year with '96 and '97, when the appropriation ran \$42,000 and \$43,000. It was true there had been an overdraw in '97, so far as the committee's appropriation was concerned owing to the construction of a large concrete drain at the East End. But that work was only undertaken when it was found that there was enough money in the general treasury to meet it. In those years the plank sidewalk annual account was about \$12,000. This should be added to the \$22,000 in comparing the expenditures of this year with previous years. He was opposed to overdraws, but in this instance he favored paying the sum to the committee's credit. The appropriation had been judiciously handled, and there remained certain expenses which had to be met.

Ald. Rumball moved to refer the matter back to the committee to get a statement as to what was to be done with the \$3,000 if granted, and also to obtain the city solicitor's opinion as to the power the council had to overdraw the account in this manner.

Ald. Parnell pointed out that there was nothing to the credit of No. 2 committee to pay the corporation laborers on Friday.

Ald. Rumball's motion carried on the understanding that wages were to be paid.

MYSTERY SOMEWHERE.

The finance minister was at a loss to understand the workings of the board of works department. He did not want to vote \$3,000 to the board, but he knew it was not going to be squandered. He understood that a contract had been let to supply gravel for the breakwater at 35 cents a yard, and that it had not been let by tender. Some work was being done for the city at 17 cents a yard.

Ald. Douglass said tenders had been called and that the 35-cent job had been let to the lowest tenderer.

"I'm at sea," said Ald. Rumball. "I got certain information from the engineer's office, and you say another thing. We don't know where we are at."

Ald. Douglass—Was it the city engineer who told you?

Ald. Rumball—it was.

"WHAT A FALLING OUT WAS THERE."

Ald. Carrothers then took a whack at the chairman of the board of works. "What much did the street cleaning cost the last time?" He queried. "I don't know," said Ald. Douglass. "It's not finished yet," was Ald. Douglass's safe reply. "I'm credibly informed that it was not done by the contractor," Ald. Carrothers said, and added that what would cost \$10 to a block by contract had cost \$5.10 by day labor.

Ald. Parnell—I want to inform the council that this matter was before the committee. I, for one, supposed they were done by the contractor.

Ald. Douglass—This is the first I have heard of it.

Ald. Winnett—I know that King street was done by day labor.

Ald. Carrothers—They all are. A contractor should be obliged to carry out his contract.

The incident closed.

SOME ACCOUNTS.

There were some accounts referred to in No. 1 committee's report which Ald. Plant wanted explained. One of \$8 was for 8 hours' hack hire. Ald. Douglass said the committee had to visit the pork factory, Carling's brewery and some other places on the afternoon of Oct. 29. A misfortune happened on the way through one of the occupants and the bill for this was \$2. They had not been out eight hours. The bill was not properly itemized.

Another account was for dinner for the cement sidewalk investigation committee one day the members were engaged in making tests.

Mr. G. W. Andrus made some interesting statements regarding an accounting for drain connections. A corporation employee had told him the work could be done for \$15. The bill was for \$28.75, and included an item for teaming. Mr. Andrus was positive that a team was never used for the job. He also found fault with other items. The account was referred to No. 2 committee to get an explanation from the engineer.

AN OLD CLAIM.

Mrs. Crawford Beckett's claim for damages through the death of her husband was up again. The committee wanted her latest bill.

In reply to Ald. Parnell, Ald. Rumball said other widows received \$2 and some \$3 a week.

Ald. Graham stated that this was the last claim of any kind before the claims committee.

Ald. Parnell moved that Mrs. Beckett be granted \$3 a week for three years, from the date of the city hall disaster.

Ald. Plant was in favor of sending the matter to No. 1 committee as more definite information was desired. Ald. Parnell seconded this, and it carried. The council, on motion of Ald. Jolly, remitted the taxes of Geo. Bartlett, instead of charging them against the property, as the committee recommended.

With regard to granting the Canadian Packing Company permission to connect with the trunk sewers, Ald. Wilkey wished the question referred back to allow the committee to obtain a guarantee that the sewer would be large enough.

Ald. Pritchard said the council should hold out for compensation.

Ald. McCallum thought it possible that the sewer from the Packing Company's factory might be a great expense.

Ald. O'Meara opposed granting the connection.

Ald. Carrothers thought the committee should give the matter further consideration, but spoke strongly in favor of granting the request. Referred back.

THE SEWER COMMITTEE.
Ald. O'Meara was opposed to giving Harding & Leathorn the contract for "filling in" at the core at \$900, when Murray, Frost & Walsh had tendered on

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Notice that a vacancy on the board of education had been caused by the death of Dr. J. B. Campbell, high school trustee, was read. As his successor, Ald. Graham named Walter Morgan, Ald. Rumball named Edward Martyn, Ald. Wilkey named E. N. Hunt. Ald. Garratt named Findlay Marshall. The voting resulted in favor of Mr. Morgan.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

Ald. Plant gave notice of motion for submitting the question of the abolition of the ward system.

Ald. Jolly gave notice for submitting the frontage tax system.

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A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION

In Ottawa Caribide Works Results in the Injury of Fifteen Men.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 7.—A terrific explosion in the Dominion carbide works at the chaudiere yesterday afternoon wrecked the building and badly injured about 15 men. Those who suffered are: J. W. McCrae, Elgin street, president Ottawa Electric Company, J. Paquette, St. Andrew street, hintonburn, burned about the head; Ed Larouche, McKay's stables, face burned; George Faulkner, Gilchrist street, hintonburn, hurt about the eyes; J. H. Tucker, hintonburn, hurt about the eyes; A. Prevost, Hull, driver, badly hurt; Wm. Baldwin, Lloyd street, badly hurt; Fred Couvrette, 127 Murray street; Jos. Duquette, face, hands and head badly burned; Ed McGinnis, New Edinburgh, Baldwin iron works, face and eyes burned; Albert Ingram, Head street, fact cut; Chas. Kitch, Osgoode street, eyes burned; Paquette, badly cut, not likely to recover; Chief Provost, teeth knocked out; Jas. Baldwin, badly hurt; Wm. Burridge, Hull, badly hurt; Wm. Gillespie, of hintonburn, cut in the explosion.

A motor burned out in the upper flat of the building and set fire to the cupola. Everyone in the lower store was more or less injured. It is feared that five men will lose their eyesight. Fully fifteen men are badly injured. The explosion was caused by the water dropping into a red-hot crucible of the carbide. The explosion blew out the large iron doors of the furnace, and the flying iron struck several men. The furnace itself was blown clear across the building.

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SPORTING MATTERS

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The Irish Rugby Team's Latest Victory in Canada—Turf Events and Other Sporting News.

PISTOL.

New York, Nov. 7.—James J. Jeffries is now being challenged by Fitzsimmons, Maher, Corbett, McCoy and Sharkey. Jeffries will probably not accept any challenge for a year. The sporting authorities think that Sharkey should be first considered when the champion fights again.

FOOTBALL.

IRISH RUGBY TEAM.
Toronto, Nov. 7.—The Irish Rugby team, which has been touring in Canada during the past two weeks, closed its season's play yesterday afternoon by beating Toronto University by 12 to 6.

TURF.

AT THE AQUEDUCT.
New York, Nov. 7.—Yesterday's results:

First race, selling, about 7 furlongs—Buffoon 1, Belle of Holmdel 2, Sir Florian 3. Time, 1:28.
Second race, selling, 11-16 miles—Campania 1, Strangest 2, Our Nellie 3. Time, 1:50.
Third race, 6 1/2 furlongs—Waring 1, Sidney Lucas 2, Edin Conig 3. Time, 1:08.
Fourth race, selling, 11-16 miles—Flax-Spinner 1, Scotch Plaid 2, Brisk 3. Time, 1:49.
Fifth race, selling, 1 mile and 70 yards—Village Pride 1, The Gardener 2, Coal Runner 3. Time, 1:47.
Sixth race, 5 1/2 furlongs—Sir Guy 1, Clales 2, The Corinthian 3. Time, 1:09.

AT LATONIA.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 7.—Yesterday's results:
First race, 11-16 miles, selling—Frank McConnell 1, Paraket 2, Col. Cluke 3. Time, 1:54.
Second race, 5 1/2 furlongs—Fondle 1, Troubadour 2, Etta 3. Time, 1:11.
Third race, selling, 1 mile—Ramiro II 1, Bell Punch 2, Hampden 3. Time, 1:45.
Fourth race, 7 furlongs, handicap—Souchon 1, Pinocchio 2, Skillman 3. Time, 1:31.
Fifth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Deide 1, Albert Vale 2, Janetta 3. Time, 1:17.

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Track heavy yesterday.
First race, 6 furlongs—Jim Gore II 1, Eva Wilson 2, Hermoso 3. Time, 1:19.
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THE FIGHT ON TATHAM'S FARM

(Continued from page 1.)

German warship Zanzibar, bound from Zanzibar, arrived at Port Said without any passengers, and having embarked 33, she sailed, followed and watched by the British cruiser Fearless.

ARRIVAL OF TRANSPORTS.
London, Nov. 7.—The newspapers publish a list of the transports due to arrive at Cape Colony today. According to this some 20,000 men should reach the Cape by the end of the week, but the admiralty issued a warning last evening to the effect that no disappointment must be felt by the public if the transports should not arrive at the dates mentioned, dates which, the war office says, are "based in many cases on too sanguine expectations."

UNITED STATES SYMPATHY.
The Times, in a careful review on the attitude of the United States in regard to the war in South Africa, says: When the continent rings with denunciations of Britain it is very cheering and inspiring for the British people to notice the sympathy and intelligent comprehension manifested in the United States. We should prize American sympathy in any case, but it becomes doubly grateful when manifested based upon a deliberate and well-informed judgment of the essential merits of the cause, as well as upon a recognition of the kindly feelings with which Englishmen regard American aims and enterprises. The American people are not blinded by the accident that the republic calls itself a republic. They know that this is a republic, and they know also that Britain stands for equal laws, individual freedom and the energetic progress which together make up the republicanism of the Americans. As Britain's plumped for the United States, so the United States will plump for Britain, without regard to the fine drawn technicalities of the attorney.

THE QUEEN'S GRANDSON IS A FIGHTER.
Prince Christian Victor of Schleswig-Holstein, grandson of Queen Victoria, and a captain in the King's Royal Rifles, and other officers, have left Cape Town for Ladysmith to replace the dead and wounded.

NO INTERVENTION.
Berlin, Nov. 7.—Commenting on a rumor from Amsterdam that Dr. Leyds, the diplomatic representative of the Transvaal in Europe, had declared that the intervention of France, Russia and Germany in the Transvaal was now assured, the Kolnische Zeitung says: "We do not know what Dr. Leyds may have said, but the matter of his supposed statement is false in every particular. Neither France nor Russia has shown the slightest inclination, either with or without Germany, to set the South African question on the order of the day."

BERESFORD'S WARNING.
Rear-Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, speaking at Sunderland last evening, said he regarded with great apprehension what might be the attitude of the blacks towards the vanquished Boers. "I must repeat," said Lord Beresford, "that in view of such a contingency the government is not even now sending out sufficient troops. The possibility of foreign intervention, I consider, is the greatest naval, military and financial resources of the empire are calculated to ward off any undue European dictation."

WOLSELEY ON THE BOERS.
Gen. Lord Wolseley, commander-in-chief, who was the guest of the Authors' Club last evening, said that the short service system, which the British army had at last been acknowledged as the right one, even by its most strenuous opponents. Discussing the situation in South Africa, the field marshal remarked: "In my various commands I have learned much of Boer character, and I can say truthfully that the Boers as a people are the most ignorant with which I have ever come in contact. Their aspiration is to rule the whole of South Africa. This is a point the English people must keep before them. There are ups and downs in warfare, and the Boers, who have suffered are having the good effect of bringing the English people closer together."

FIRED THE VELDT

Boers Explode a Dynamite Magazine Near Kimberley.

London, Nov. 1.—The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Kimberley, dated Wednesday, by way of Hopetown, Saturday Nov. 4: This morning the Boers fired the veldt near Dromed, set off a mine near Kimberley, and this afternoon the flames set off the smaller of the two magazines, exploding the dynamite with a terrific report. Fortunately no one was injured. The veldt is still burning, and it is feared that the larger magazine, where there are 1,200 cases of dynamite, will be ignited.

THE GORDONS WERE THERE.
Pietmaritzburg, Natal, Nov. 4.—Saturday evening the British force at Ladysmith, it now appears, were engaged twice successfully on Thursday.

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and on Friday. It is reported that the cavalry scored heavily and that the infantry did great execution with bayonets. The Boers lost heavily in killed and wounded, and a number surrendered.

CAPE COLONY THREATENED.
Allwal North, Saturday, Nov. 4.—A Boer commando is now located at Governor's Drift, up the river, and is reported to be about to cross the colony, probably to join the Bethulie burghers now in the colony. The natives are greatly excited in the districts near the drift.

REASSURING.
London, Nov. 7.—Such scanty intelligence as is filtering from the front is generally accepted here as reassuring, although the later reports agree that the fighting outside Ladysmith, on Thursday and Friday, was much more severe than indicated by the official accounts.

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Amount insured, payable at death.....5,000 00
Cash profits, end of first quinquennium.....52 00
Cash profits, end of second quinquennium.....109 45
Cash profits, end of third quinquennium.....144 60

Whole Life Policy, No. 2817, Age 45.
Issued December, 1883. Yearly premium.....\$ 181 00
Amount insured, payable at death.....5,000 00
Cash profits, end of first quinquennium.....92 50
Cash profits, end of second quinquennium.....199 30
Cash profits, end of third quinquennium.....267 75

Twenty Payment Life Policy, No. 2970, Age 28.
Issued July, 1884. Yearly premium.....\$ 131 00
Amount insured, payable at death.....5,000 00
Cash profits, end of first quinquennium.....60 00
Cash profits, end of second quinquennium.....124 50
Cash profits, end of third quinquennium.....185 65

Twenty-Five Year Endowment Policy, No. 2908, Age 21.
Issued March, 1884. Yearly premium.....\$ 160 00
Amount payable at death or end of endowment term.....5,000 00
Cash profits, end of first quinquennium.....59 60
Cash profits, end of second quinquennium.....139 90
Cash profits, end of third quinquennium.....213 75

Endowment at 60, Policy No. 2897, Age 24.
Issued June, 1884. Yearly premium.....\$ 109 75
Amount payable at death or end of endowment term.....\$5,000 00
Cash profits, end of first quinquennium.....49 90
Cash profits, end of second quinquennium.....103 95
Cash profits, end of third quinquennium.....155 20

Bearing in mind that the foregoing examples of profits are actual results, and that the profits indicated were payable in cash at the end of the respective periods, they must not be confounded with estimated results of companies having no actual profit-sharing record, or of companies whose actual results do not nearly correspond to their estimates, nor with bonus additions payable only at death or end of endowment term.

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