

HOT FROM THE WIRES

Rev. Mgr. Murphy, Private Secretary to Archbishop O'Brien

DEAD AT HALIFAX.

Belief That Miss Stone Has Succumbed to Cold.

BENGAL LANCERS KILLED BY MASHUDS.

London Enveloped in Impenetrable Fog.

A REAL LONDON FOG.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)
London, Nov. 4.—Fog which overhangs London is so dense that traffic has been discontinued and navigation at several parts suspended.

BIG EXPORTS IN WHEAT.

(Special to Daily Herald.)
Winnipeg, Nov. 4.—Up to date over ten million bushels of wheat have been shipped eastward. Less of it, however, is grade No. 1 hard than last year.

A CLERGYMAN'S DEATH.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)
Halifax, Nov. 4.—Rev. Monsignor Murphy, rector of St. Mary's R. C. Cathedral and private secretary to Archbishop O'Brien, died this morning. He was thirty-four years a priest.

KILLED BENGAL LANCERS.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)
Simla, Nov. 4.—A detachment of 23 Bengal lancers were attacked yesterday by Mahsuds and thirteen of the lancers killed.

Some of the Mahsuds were captured.

BELIEVES MISS STONE DEAD.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)
Boston, Nov. 4.—A letter received from Ivan Roduloff, a student who was with Miss Stone when she was captured by brigands, expresses the belief that the rigours of the Macedonian winter have killed her before this time.

DEATH OF MRS. A. INCHES.

Former Fredericton Lady Passed Away Suddenly at Toronto.

Late Saturday afternoon Mr. Frank I. Morrison received a telegram from Dr. James Inches at Toronto, notifying him of the death of the Doctor's mother, Mrs. Andrew Inches formerly of this city. The sad event occurred at the residence of her daughter Mrs. (Prof.) Fletcher whom deceased was visiting. This afternoon Mr. Morrison also received a letter from Dr. Inches giving some particulars of Mrs. Inches' death, but does not mention the cause. Mr. Morrison, who is a friend of the family and has the management of the late Mr. Andrew Inches' estate in this city, is making the arrangements for the funeral tomorrow.

Mrs. Inches who was residing with her son Dr. James Inches in St. Clair, Michigan, left there about twelve days ago to visit her daughter, Mrs. Hemming at London and Mrs. Fletcher at Toronto. She was then in good health and her sudden death was a great shock to her friends. She was a much esteemed lady and with her late husband while living here, was the centre of a large circle of friends.

The remains of the deceased lady will arrive here at noon tomorrow, in charge of her sons Dr. James Inches and Dr. Charles Inches, and after service at the Cathedral, will be interred in the old burying ground beside those of her late husband.

SUPREME COURT.

Michaelmas Term to Open Tomorrow—Law Exams.

Michaelmas term of the supreme court opens in the supreme court chamber at eleven o'clock tomorrow morning. It is not likely that the docket will be a very large one.

The examination of the candidates for attorneys and students at law, will probably commence Wednesday morning in the county court house. The list of applicants is as follows:

For Attorneys.—E S Ritchie, H H Parlee, H H Allison, C C Avar, J O Baldwin, J H A L Fairweather, J C Sherrin, H J

Smith, F R Taylor, G M Bleakney, B L Gerow, Frances Kerr, T C L Ketchum, F A Morrison, J R H Simms, F J Sutton, J J F Winslow.

For Students at Law.—Andrew K Dy-sart, Frank A Good, John Barnett, jr, Donald M. Campbell, O R Connell, Max D. Cormier, B A B Fields, R St. John Freeze, Mark C Gillen, F J G Knowlton, Thos Parker, Milton Price, B A ; Oscar Ring, Harry P. Saunders, L E Rowley.

THE CORPORATION DRIVE

Has Passed Woodstock and is Making Fair Progress.

The corporation drive has passed Woodstock, and the latest reports are to the effect that good progress is being made, notwithstanding the fact that the water is falling quite fast. Robert Noble, one of the contractors, in conversation with the Herald today expressed the opinion that the logs would all be into the Douglas boom, at the expiration of ten days at the latest. Mr. Noble, says that having passed Woodstock, there is little danger now of the drive, getting caught in the ice.

Has Arrived.

The fifty foot extension ladder, ordered by the city council some time ago for the use of the fire department, arrived by the Canada Eastern train today. It was manufactured by the Seagrave's Extension Ladder Co., of Walkerville, Ont.

Weather Probs.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)
Toronto, Nov. 4.—Maritime: Mostly fine today, becoming showery during the night. Tuesday, colder and showery.

Will Arrive Wednesday.

Major-General O'Grady Haley, commanding the Canadian militia, is expected to arrive here on Wednesday evening to inspect No. 4 regimental depot. He will be accompanied by Mrs. O'Grady Haley and the General's A. D. C., Capt Heward. The party are at present at Halifax.

David Harum.

Mr Elliott appeals to a distinct class and affords lovers of pure amusement an evening of such pleasure as is rarely found. His is the perfection of art, for it is art without elaboration or vulgar accessories. Mr Elliott will impersonate David Harum at the opera house on Wednesday evening.—d.

FATALLY ILL.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)
New York, Nov. 4.—Edward S. Stoke who some years ago shot and killed Jim Fiske, is at the point of death. He is in a semicomatose condition at the home of his sister, Mrs. Howard McNutt, 731 St. Nicholas av., and the indications are that he will not survive the day.

HEIR TO BELGIUM'S THRONE.

Brussels, Nov. 4.—Princess Elizabeth, who was married October 2, 1900, to Prince Albert, heir presumptive to the throne of Belgium, on Saturday gave birth to a son, who will be christened Leopold.

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Oct. 29, d61. ALEX. BURCHILL, Supt.

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HAND TO HAND.

It Was a Desperate Encounter Between Britons and Boers.

BOTA COMMANDED THE ENEMY AND SHARED IN THE FIGHTING.

Col. Benson Killed Was Not Canadian Officer of That Name.

Pretoria, Nov. 4.—Further details have been received regarding the attack by the Boers under Commandant General Louis Botha last week upon Col. Benson's column near Brakenlaagte, Eastern Transvaal. It appears that General Botha, who had been joined by another big commando, aggregating a thousand men, attacked Col. Benson's rear guard October 30, on the march and captured two guns, but was unable to retain them. Col. Benson fell mortally wounded in the fight.

Major Woolls-Sampson took command, collected the convoy and took up a position for defence about 500 yards from entrenchments prepared by the Boers. The captured guns were so situated that neither side could touch them.

The Boers made desperate efforts to overwhelm the whole British force, charging repeatedly right up the British lines and being driven back each time with heavy loss. The defence was stubbornly and successfully maintained through the whole of the following day and the succeeding night, until Col. Barker, who had marched all night from Buemman's Kop, brought relief in the morning of November 1. The Boers then retired. The losses are estimated as between 300 and 400.

Col. Benson did not long survive. Not only did General Botha direct the attack, but he personally shared in the fighting.

London, Nov. 4.—The special despatches from South Africa, reveal practically nothing further about the disaster of Col. Benson's column. It appears that the first attack was made in a blinding rain-storm. The heaviest casualties occurred while Major Woolls-Sampson, who is a Johannesburg reformer and an officer in one of the colonial levies, was gathering the convoy under the brow of a hill, a most difficult task. It is assumed in London that the two fifteen pounders remained in the possession of the British, but the telegrams are not clear on this point.

Edgar Wallace, a correspondent of the Daily Mail, writing from Pretoria under date of October 12, again protests against official optimism and declares that the war will not be ended for another year. He urges the immediate despatch of large reinforcements of both men and horses. "Even when all that is possible has been done in this direction," he says, "it will be necessary to wait grimly and not to expect any quick result."

St. Catharines, Ont., Nov. 4.—The Colonel Benson, mentioned in Lord Kitchener's despatches as having been killed near Brakenlaagte, Eastern Transvaal, is not Colonel Benson, who formerly lived here, as was wrongly reported today. His brother, Charles I. Benson, of this city, states that Colonel Benson has been in London for the past nine months. He was chief staff officer to General Kelly-Kenny, but returned to England with that officer and has since then held a commission in the war office. Mr. Benson had a letter from his brother, dated London, last week.

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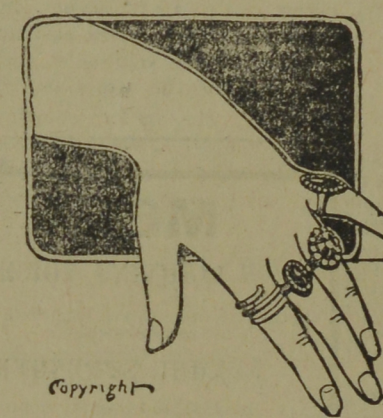
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