

# @ White Sale do

Great Bargains. Special Event.



## NOTE: POSITIVELY FINISHES SATURDAY, 6th INSTANT.

ATTRACTIVE BARGAINS IN LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING, EXCEPTIONAL PRICES TO-DAY.

Tables of Camisoles, Knickers, Combies, Nightdresses, Vests, Petticoats. Ten Per Cent. off American Corsets, Royal Worcester, Bon Ton, and Adjusto. Ten Per Cent. Discount. Also many Standard British Makes.

Now is the time to buy your HOLIDAY HATS, Untrimmed Panamas, 5s., 7s. 6d., Coarse Tuscan, Beach, Coarse Straw Hats, Shady Shape, Special Line at 7s. 6d.

White Frocks, White Blouses, White Skirts, White Voile Jumpers, etc. Bargains. White Embroideries, Embroidery Flouncings, Knicker Frillings, Camisole Embroideries, Laces, Ribbons, Sunshades, White, Lisle Hose, Calicoes, Longcloths, Nainsook, etc, at Special Prices.

# See Windows for Bargains John Orr & Co's White Sale

able reception, while papers, in sympathetic critiques, refer to the singer's well-trained voice.

Lieut.-Colonel T. Gurney, D.S.O. Private Secretary and Controller of the ht, and Capt. I., d'Urban Cloete, C. arrived from England by the

willage of Warrenton

ath was found to be due to exposure Mr. W. Pickering, hon, treasurer of was tha the Child Welfare Society, Kimberley NATIVE CHIEFS COULD He branch, acknowledges with thanks the

The Union Health Department informs the Press that a few cases of influenza of an extremely mild type have occurred at the Breakwater Reformatory in Capctown. Eight boys out of a total of 71 All necessary steps in regard to solation have been carried out.

The four howitzers which have been presented to the Union by the Imperial Government to commemorate the wor of the South African Heavy Artillery in France were shipped on the "Gran-tully Castle" on October 16 The tully Castle" on October 16. The distribution. One is to go to Capetown one to Kimberley and one to Johannesburg. The other will remain in Pre-

Mr. Charles E. Tod, of Cedarville, has it is understood, signified his intention of coming forward as a candidate for the East Griqualand Parliamentary division at the next general election. He wil stand as an out and out supporter neral Smuts. Mr. Tod contested the eat against Mr. J. G. King, M.L.A., at the election in March last and was de-ieated by 29 votes, the figures being King, 941; Tod, 912.

Though all the plans for the interment of an unknown hero in Westminster Abbey have been settled, there is considerable support for the proposal that the body should find a resting place in the Cenotaph rather than in the Abbey It is improbable that this sugestion will be adopted, but there is some likelihood that the authorities may their way to carry out the proposal at the wooden cross which marked grave in France should be brought here and placed near the site chosen for the interment in the Abbey.

The "Daily Chronicle" says that the Berlin police have captured the entire gang which was concerned in the for-gery of British Treasury notes, eight millions of which were ready for circulation. One of the Berlin banks purchased a number of bundles of British Treasury notes and found that only the top and bottom notes in each bundle were genuine, the rest being excellent forgeries. The matter was reported to the police, who discovered the forger the police, who discovered the forgers press and plant, which were concealed during the day and used only at night. The gang consisted of eighteen Gali. The paper was obtained from

Our Bloemfontein correspondent wires At a public meeting of the registered owners of immovable property withi the local municipality held to-night (Monday), the Town Council were authorised to purchase a certain building to be used as a young women's hostel This step was taken at the instigation of the local Council of Women, and it is amodate in the building young working women who cannot afford to put up at an hotel or boarding-house. Special beds will also be kept for women travellers who have to break their journey here, and who have not the means to make use of the limited accommodation provided by the hotels.

Government as chief of these one Lottomoreng Montsion,

branch, acknowledges with thanks the following donations to the funds of the society: F. Hirschhorn, £5; L. Isaacson & Co., £2 2s.; Major and Mrs. Ford, £2 2s.; L. R. Grimmer, £2 2s.; "Anon," £2 2s.; "Anon," £2 2s.; "Anon," £2 2s.; Mrs. B. Hawke. 10s.; and from "H.E.," £1 is Some time last year, when John Mon sion was still chief, there was a cas heard against a man named Ackerman, and he was fined a certain number of head of cattle. Ackerman did not lodge an apreal against this judgment, as he town. Eight boys out of a total of it an agreed agents the languages, and inmates are affected, and the condition could have done; but, on the other by the patients is already most reassurthe present chief, Lotlamoreng, was appointed, he sent one of his men round, and enquired from Ackerman whether

he was going to pay this fine. Ackerman apparently refused. The present chief then appointed a man named Tiego, one of his headmen, to have a further trial against Ackerman. As a result of this trial, Ackerman was fined two head of cattle. Ackerman did not lodge an appeal against this decision; but he did not pay it. Then

DAY BY DAY.

Ratsidi Dispute

Concerning the cheef cheef content keral follow, and also Tiego, and they stole from that kral follow, and they stole from the belonging to Tiego, and they stole from the belonging to Tiego, and they stole from the belonging to Tiego, and the present chief. The present chief was appointed in No.

Mr. Malooim McKenzie and the Misses McKenzie returned to Kimberley yesterday after a holiday in the Old Country.

By arrangement with the Mayor and City Council, a street collection will be for the kral of other the Hon. Sir John Land and a jury (presided over by Mr. W. Wilson), at the Grimmin Session, or the Saturday in aid of the work beld next Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work beld next Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work beld next Saturday in aid of the work beld next Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work beld next Saturday in aid of the work beld next Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work beld next Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work beld next Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in the Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in the Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of the work of the Saturday in aid of th

n the direction of the kraal o The Crown would say that the shots fired killed two nself, and said they did

the other men. Th sked the Inspector ovene, and said it he die aid there would be blood cholson thereupon went desent chief, and on April as held by the chief, at

public were present. The cussed, and Mr. Nicholson is a result of that meeting, ed these cattle had been opponents of the present st whom, of course, were and that there was no ettling the matter whatsoever, ad of eattle had been taken,

HAD BEEN SLAUGHTERED, present chief could in no way artisy the parties, and Tiege and Mooki aid all the accused should be charged

and not lodge an appeal against this decision; but he did not pay it. Then the chief Lotlamoreng, told Tiego to sieze a couple of head of cattle, and, if necessary, to use force. This Tiego went with 13 others, to the kraal of the accused, Ackerman, and they took two head of cattle. This occurred on April 7 this

It would

It would appear that Ackerman was one of those and a judgment had been given against thin in connection with some land he claimed as his own. Ackerman was one of those and a judgment had been given against thin in connection with some land he claimed as his own. Ackerman was one of those and a judgment had been given against thin in connection with some land he claimed as his own. Ackerman was one of those and a judgment had been given against thin in connection with some land he claimed as his own. Ackerman was one of those and a judgment had been given against thin in connection with some land he claimed as his own. Ackerman was one of those and a judgment had been given against thin in connection with some land he claimed as his own. Ackerman was one of those and a judgment had been given against thin in connection with some land he claimed as his own. Ackerman was one of those and a judgment had been given against thin in connection with some land he claimed as his own. Ackerman was one of those and the did not recognise the present chief.

Alter Mr. Loewenthad he conclusion of the case for the conclusion of the conclusion cused, Ackerman, and they took two head of cattle. This occurred on April 7 this reaping if—it beyonged to these others, and judgment had been given in their that the present accused wichel in re-

It would appear from the evidence favour-and he molested some women that the present accused wished to retalite, and that same night, between 7 and was brought against him, and he was so to the kraal of a man named Mooki (since appear from what Mr. Nicholson would dead), in which were cattle belonging tell them that at a later stage, some

WHEN influenza first attacked father we had only been married a few months and I cannot tell you how I worried, and how the disease defied treatment.

In those days the expense of a doctor's visit meant a lot to us and I was at a loss to know just what to do. Then a neighbour told me of Granny Chamberlain and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Since then I have often used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for influenza and have never known it to fail. always insist on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and recommend it to my friends.

Trateful.

oxen.

Mr. Loewenthal: Was he satisfied?—
Witness: He was quite pleased. (Laugh.

Mr. Loewenthal:

ness said the accused wery Councillors carth. The Judge: Are they Councillors of that a chief cun Lotlamoreng?-Witness: hese men re-fused to be Councillors of the Chief hereditary lands Mr. Kitchin: They are Councillors by birth, aren't they hereditary Council-from where he is to

And the Baralong sustom is, once a Councillor, always a Councillor?—Yes.

A Councillor is also a headman or petty chief? It is the same thing isn't it?-Yes, but they always have one who is the headman. This trouble about the four head of

chieffainship of the tribe, doesn't it? - the to Government. Wer have settled about the chieftainship. It is not about that at all. Do all these accused recognise Lotlamoreng?—They are the only men who do not recognise him as their chief.

Witness afterwards admitted there

not so.

A lot of genealogical questions were asked the witness, bearing on the succession to the chieffainship, which led the Judge to remark that the jury were the jury to return a verdict guilty.

After considerable discussion the Judge to remark that the jury were After considerable discussion not going to decide that day who was the counsel, His Lordship directed Chief of the Baralongs.

moreng was born in 1896, five years after the death of his so-called father?—I do The Judge intimated that he mot remember this

Mr. Loewenthal said he expected this point to be raised. Lotlamoreng, the present, chief was born five or six years to day, when the defence will be to day, when the defence will be to day. after his father died, the reason being seed was implanted to keep the fama seed was implanted to keep the family going. A child was born about six years after the old man had died. Lot-lamoreng was that offspring. One did not know who his father was The Judge: It is

A CUSTOM AMONG NATIVES

that when a chief dies without heirs the next brother, either marries the chief's widow, or lives with her, to procure an heir, and the heir succeeds to the deceased person. It is an old cus-tom. I do not say this was so in this case, but one has heard of this. It is an aucient Biblical custom. You will find something of this kind in the Old Mr. Kitchin: We are all agreed that

is the custom. Our evidence is that also. There is such a custom Mr. Kitchin (to witness): Who do you say was the father of Letlamoreng? Who was the man who raised offspiring from the widow according to native custom?— At that time I was still a boy, and do

not know.

Mr. Kitchin: Our widence will be old Montsiva himself was the father of Lotlamoreng. He had four wives already, and this was a fifth.

The Judge: He took his son's wife to

Mr. Kitchin: You have heard about this, havn't you? No. I have not heard You are all more or less related. All the accused are related to Montsio's family, arn't they -Yes.

The Judge: And s You?-Yes. Evidence was given by a native hous wife as to seeing Nos. 4 and 5 take the four cattle from Tiego's kreal. An interesting witness was Lotla-moreng, the present chief of the Ratsidis, who is approved by Government. He wore a summer suit of a light holland material, and had a very youthful ap-

pearance. He

far, enquiries have failed to find for the unflinching manner in which further falls of rock or the cause won't listen to what

Sapt. O. Reid Buried at Johannesburg cattle all arises over a dispute as to the he told them he would repo

> Mr. Kitchin: The nation fairly evenly into two parties matter?-Witness: I am not to say they are evenly divided

Mr. Kitchin; The present Chief Lotla-spect of accused No. 2, and the

**Enemy Shipping** Another Distribution by Reparations

Commission Total of 42 Passenger and 115 Cargo Steamers Handed Over.

London, Oct. 29 (Reuter's Special Sere).-Lord Incheape is offering a furor forty enemy ships to British ships eners, which, it is understood, constiute the residue of the more important ships allotted to ship owners in Great Britain by the Reparations Commission Including the above, up to now 42 pas senger and 115 cargo steamers have been

Alleged Plot

Insured on Last Voyage for £60,000

Il be remembered that the court niry found that the loss of the as due to a wilful act of Capt.

Earth Tremors.

More Shocks on the Rand anesburg, Nov. 1 (Reuter) .- At s morning a fairly severe earth vatory, followed by another at previous one, which was caused by fall of rock at the Village Main.

V.C. Hero's Funeral,

Largely-Attended Ceremonial Johannesburg, Nov. 1 (Reuter).—The uneral of Capt. Oswald Reid, V.C., was one of the largest ever held on the Rand. It was attended by a very large number ex-service men in uniform, and rowd of the general public. St. Mary Church was packed, and thousands gathered in the cemetery.

Durban's New Mayor.

Mr. Fleming Johnson Elected Durban, Nov. 1 (Reuter) .- Mr. Plemng Johnson was formally elected Mayor his morning, and Mr. George Mitchell Deputy Mayor, vice Mr. T. Burman and irect Mr. W. Gilbert, who have been unseated not as a result of litigation previously re

Colliery Fatality.

Fitter Killed Through Pall of Roof Dundee, Nov. 1 (Reuter's Special Serice) .- A fatality is reported from the South African Collieries, where a fitter named Chas. Herzel was killed, as the result of the fall of a section of roof.

Give the Children

Grape-Nuts

This ready-cooked food contains, in quickly digestible form, the full nourishing qualities of wheat and malted barley. A packet soon proves its worth as a builder.

Delightful in flavour, convenient to serve, no waste. Needs no sugar.

Every table should have its daily ration of Grape-Nuts.

There's a Reason

At Stores and Grocers'

MEYER, BRIDGENS & CO., Ltd., Exclusive Distributors, CAPE TOWN AND JOHANNESBURG.

Threatened Strike at P.E.

Natives Rescind Resolution

Seeking Redress for Grievances by

Negotiation Port Elizabeth, Nov. 1 (Regiter),-The strike of native workers called for to-day s officially declared off. The decision was come to at a meeting held at New Brighton Location on Saturday afternoon, when a resolution (which was confirmed at another gathering yesterday) was carried as follows: "This meeting of non-European workers of Port Elizabeth resolves that the resolution passed at a mass meeting held at Korsten on the 24th inst., declaring a general strike on the 1st of November, if a satisfactory reply to the representations for an increase of wages was not forthcoming on or before this date, be and is hereby onden, Oct. 28 (Reuter's Special Sers).—The owner, William Jones, and
master, Capt. Plummer, of the
mer Glendelough, which was and subsequently broken up on workers with the employers for a reasoncoast, near Belfast Lough, in able settlement, and to do all possible to improve the economic conditions as affecting the workers."

Lutire calm prevails in the city and environs, and it is understood that the extra police will be gradually with-

RESTORATION OF NORM Port Eliabeth, Nov. 1 (Reuter).—Out-ward and visible signs of the restoration of the native situation in the City are not wanting. The departure of police reinforcements commenced today, when considerable numbers of men entrained for their different stations, was recorded at the Union In the forenoon a special parade was held, when the Mayor (Mr. W. F. Savbut neither was nearly so severe as orevious one, which was caused by tall of rock at the Village Main.

> they had maintained law and order in Major Halse, District Commandant, in returning thanks, mentioned that dur-ing the ten days of the crisis there had not been a single case of breach of discipline in the force. That was a record to be proud of, and it showed that the non-coms, took a close interest in the training of their men, and that the men were proud of the corps to which they belonged.

JOHANNESBURG NATIVES AND "BAY" RIOTS.

PROTEST AGAINST ARREST.

POLICY OF AUTHORITIES DE-NOUNCED. a meeting of the committee of the

Transvaal Native Congress, Johannes-burg branch, held yesterday, the following resolutions were adopted in refer-ence to the Port Elizabeth trouble:--1. That we extend deep sympathy to all the relatives of all those who were killed and injured in the disturbances at Port Elizabeth on October 23.

2. That we view with the deepest concern the disturbance in question, and strongly protest against the action of the authorities in arresting Mr. S. Masabalala, which action, the committee is of opinion, precipitated matters, and brought about such appalling loss of

3. The committee strongly denounce: (a) The policy of arresting native leaders when they protest against restrictive legislation and conditions brought about by the increased cost of living; and (b) the mobilisation of the police and military forces whenever there is a demonstration justly demanding better pay and equal opportunity.

4. Further, the committee request the Government to appoint a Commission to enquire into the shooting of natives in Johannesburg in February last, and into the shooting which took place in Port Elizabeth, and urge the authorities to carry out the recommendation of the Moffat Commission, namely, the creation of Arbitration Boards in all industrial

AMERICA.

In view of the great struggle for the American Presidency over the question of the League of Nations, which will be finally decided on Thursday, Nevember 4, the following stirring lines, which appear in the current issue of "The Sun and Agricultural Journal," are of in-

Why bend to the League of Nations, You died for Humanity there; Your statue stands for Liberty. At the mouth of the Hudson fair.

Applications are invited for the position of Secretary to the East London Board of Executors and Trust Company, Limited, at East London. Remuneration: Salary and commission, plications must be in writing, dressed to the Chairman, and will be reated confidentially.

Printed and purofished by the "Diamond Fields, Acvertiser," Ltd., at their Electric Printing Works, Stockdain Street, Kimberley.

SEE OUR WINDOWS.

45- to 100-.

WONDERFUL VALUE.

REGISTERED AT THE GENERAL POST OFFISE AS A NEWSPAPER

Walter H. Adams, Opposite Post Office.

No. 13,432 Val. XLII. CIRCULATION

30,000 WEEKLY

KIMBERLEY, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2 1920. CIRCULATION OVER 30,000 WEEKLY. PRIORTHREEPENCE

ALTER H. ADAMS. Opposite Post Office.

# The Favourite of all Sports: "Castle" Lager.

Harding Melville's Sales.

108 DUTOITSPAN ROAD.

## The Entire Furnishings

of the above well-known Boarding Establishment.

Auctioneer and Sworn Appraiser, duly instructed by Mrs. Dorkin, will Sell by Public Auction,

### To-day (Tuesday), November 2nd,

Commencing 10.30 a.m. The whole of the Furnishings and Appointments of "THE WARKEN," No. 108, DUTOITSPAN ROAD (contents of Dining Room, Lounge, Hall, 8 Bedrooms and Kitchen), including Bed and Table Linen, Blan-

kets, Crockery, Cutlery, Glassware, etc. To publish a detailed inventory would only severely tax space and the public patience, but special mention must be made of the SPLEN-DID OAK BEDROOM SUITE (51 feet), CHESTERFIELD SUITE (Couch, 2 Club Easies and 6 Table Chairs); a very fine WAL SIDEBOARD; "HOPKINS" PIANO, and the COLUMBIAN CO

ING RANGE. Everything to be converted into "ready" without one particle of reserve-BARGAINS INEVITABLE!

Phone 512. P.O. Box 102.

HARDING MELVILLE, Auctioneer and Swron Appraiser.

### W. Ricketts' Sale.

Messrs. Slaughter & Stimpson Realisation Sala Account of Dissolution of Partnership.

A. W. Ricketts, Auctioneer and Sworn Appy Duly instructed, by the above, will Sell on the Market Square, by

#### SATURDAY, at 11 a.m., on NOVEMBER

amongst them; a Ford Motor, in first-class running a number of Wagons, Carts, Harness, C.C. MUST BE SOLD.

SALE OF

Slaughter Poles at Newton, and other Premises disposed of by Private Treaty. Apply to Slaughter & Stimpson, or

A. W. RICKETTS, Auctioneer.

### Kimberley-Beaconsfield Co-operative Society, Lto DECLARATION OF DIVIDENDS.

Notice is hereby given that the following Dividends have been

SHARE DIVIDEND No. 1, at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable to Shareholders registered at June 30th, 1920. PURCHASES DIVIDEND No. 1, at the rate of two and half per cent. payable to Members on their purchase for the eight months ended 30th

On and after the 8th instant, the Secretary will be in attendance daily (except Wednesdays), at 15 Jones Street, Kimberley, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 pm. for the purpose of paying out the abovementioned Dividends, or for issuing new Shares to those who desire to take their Dividends in Shares instead of in Cash. By order,

C. E. BEALES, Secretary.

November 1st, 1920, Kimberley.

## KEEP COOL

and buy your Summer Clothing

## McCullagh & Bothwell

Men's White Indian Drill Trousers 136

Men's White Indian Drill Jackets 176

Men's Tussorette Lounge Suits 426, 50, 75-

Large Selection in Cool Underwear, Aertex Cellular, India Gauze Net, etc., etc.

Panama Hats, 126, 176, 226.

ONLY ADDRESS :

Jones Street. Phone 477.

Prosperous Firms are Advertising Firms! Advertising Firms are Prosperous Firms! Advertising, like everything

else, needs to be advertised. IF IT PAYS US TO ADVERTISE ADVERTISING, IT'S A MORAL CERTAINTY ADVERTISING WILL PAY YOU

Great Sale

Will offer to the Public.

Ladies', Children's, and Gent's

SPECIAL:

Only Gent's Working Shirts,

-WITH COLLAR

VERY STRONG

YOUR HOME THIS WINTER

# A HEATERS

night, when the blinds are drawn, it will make the warm and pleasant till bedtime. You ove it to fildren to have a Perfection Heater in the Nursery. urns Paraffin Oil, and gives best results when rel" brand is used. It is stocked by all Hardware

ACUUM OIL COMPANY OF S.A. Ltd.

### APOSTLE 5 Star

## BRANDY,

the most successful

## Influenza Medicine,

recommended during

## The Epidemic.

SOLE PROPRIETORS

### E. K. GREEN & MORISON, Ltd., 67 Dutoitspan Road, Kimberley.

P.O. Box 183.

Telegrams : "Grapes."

MUTUAL LIFE OFFICE.

### OLDEST AND BEST.

JOHN KENT & CO.,

H. A. LIDDLE, Chapel Street, Kimberley.

FUNDS £16,000,000.

Voiles! Voiles! Voiles! The Popular Summer Fabric In the Estate of the late Mrs. M. M. SELZER For Ladies' Wear.

J. R. Hicks, DRAPER and OUTFITTER, 71 and 73 DE BEERS ROAD.

WHITE VOILES (39in.), at 2/9 to 6/6 yard COLOURED VOILES (39in ) all the Leading Colours including Maize, Mauve. Cerise, V Rose, &c. '3/3 to 4/3 yard. FIGURED VOILES

39in.), Pretty, Refined Patterns 3/3 to 5/6 yard. SPOTTED VOILES (Single Width), 1/6 yard BLACK VOILES 39in.), Good Blacks, 3/- to 4/6 yard.

NICE RANGE OF WHITE PIQUES COTTON GABS, DRILLS, WHITE PIQUES WHITE COTTON GABERDINES

(and Cream, 38in, 3/6 to 6/6 yard. STRIPE SPONGE CLOTHS POPULAR ZEPHYRS (in Stripes and Checks), 1/9 to 4/6 yard. PRINTED NAINSOOKS & MUSLINS

CREPE CHINETTES J. R. Hicks

De Beers Road

We Told

THAT-

Diamon and Pendants—Cospassable Selection Novelty and Utility just arrived from I open for the ins

DISCRIMINATING

Our Prices Defy C

Traction and Sa



## Tyres.

The India Rubber Products Co.



## EYESIGHT SPECIALIST.

(Opposite the Public Library)

Expert Sight Testing By the Latest Scientific

Kryptok's and Sir William Crooke's Lenses kept in Stock. All Lenses cut and ground on the me

West, in extent 2,896 morgen or thereabouts. To-day

J. T. Vigne's Sales.

THE FARM

"Klein Rietfontein'

(No. N.W. 60).

Situate in the District of Barkly

(Tuesday), the 2nd Nov., at 12 noon.

J. T. VIGNE, AUCTIONEER AND SWORN Duly instructed by C. A. SELZER, Esq., Executor in the above Estate, will offer to Public Auction.

IN FRONT OF

## Moll's Hotel, Delport's

The Above-mentioned Valuable Farm Property, in orgen or thereabouts, fenced on two sides There are Two Homesteads thereon, each containing 4 The Water Supply is in abundance and a Dam has bee There is a splendid Mixed Veldt suitable for all class and the Farm is very healthy.

For any further infor

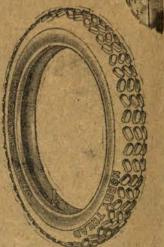
Lates

Rand Props

Rand Deber

Heynes Mathew, Ltd. Manufacturing Chemists and Photographic Dealers,

Dutoitspan Road, Kimberley. P.O: Box 220. Telegraphic Address: "Bismuth.



# U.S. Nobby Tread



## H. MARKS

66a Dutoitspan Road

Free of Charge,

## THERE IS ONLY ONE CAR

with the Patent Three-Point Suspension Springs, that is THE



That it meets the requirements of the rough conditions of the country roads of South Africa was proved by its performance in the Non-Stop Run from Capetown Johannesburg, the engine running continuously day and night. LET US DEMONSTRATE.

Price £475.

BARTLE & Co. (Kimberley), Ltd. 3-5 Dutoitspan Road,

KIMBERLEY.

SERVICES TO ENGLAND.

South and East African Ports and Mauritius. ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS TO ENGLAND VIA MADEIRA.

November 5th, "Norman," Captain George. November 12th, "Llanstephan Gastle," Captain Millard. November 12th, "Lianstephan Gastle," Captain Millard November 19th, "Garisbrook Gastle," Captain Strong. November 26th, "Balmoral Gastle," Captain Bremner. December 3rd, "Kinfauns Gastle," Captain Hoskins. December 10th, "Kenilworth Gastle," Captain Chope. December 17th, "Armadale Castle," Captain Hague, 24th December, "Walmer Castle," Captain Neilson. December 31st, "Edinburgh Castle," Captain Gandy.

NO VISITORS ALLOWED ON BOARD ON SAILING DAY.

FACING THE PUBLIC LIBRARY. GRIQUALAND WEST BOARD OF EXECUTORS, TRUST AND AGENCY COMPANY, LTD, AGENTS.

#### DEATH.

LOWNITZ.—Died at Hopetown on the 28th October, Mr. S. Lomnitz, of "Sunny Side," Rondebosch, in his 71st year, senior partner in the firm of Lilienfeld Brothers, Hopetown

#### IN MEMORIAM.

GLASSON. In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Ann Glasson, who died November 2, 1916. "To memory ever dear,"

#### THANKS.

Mrs. Louw wishes to thank the Doctor and Nurses of Southey Ward. Rev. Poffley, Miss Pearce, Rev. Pescod, Mrs. v. d. Gryp and family, and Mrs. Bridge for kindness shown during the long illness of Gladys; also for all floral tributes sent.

#### UNDERTAKERS.

R. BODLEY & SON.—Funeral Furnishings, Wreaths, Crosses, &c. 18, Barry Street.

SCHOUW & SONS, Funeral Furnisher, 38, Dyer Place, Beaconsfield. 'Phone No. 552. 19451

Win. E. DAVIES, Funeral Furnisher. Choice Selection of Wreaths. 27 and 27a, De Beers Road.—Telephone 277. j8320

#### MONUMENTAL MASONS.

C. GOUGH, KIMBERLEY MONUMENTAL WORKS, 30, De Beers Road. P.O. Box 366. Tel. Address: "Sculpture."

#### WANTED.

EUROPEAN Nurse Girl, one able to A do plain sewing. Reply stating dary required to "Help," care this office.

LL Second-hand Boots and Clothing bought. Best prices given. —Send steard to R. Goldberg, 53A De Beers oad, which will receive prompt attention

LL Second hand Boots and Clothing ladies and gents; best cash price A postcard to J. Miller, 17, Do rs Road, will receive prompt and urteous attention.

LL Second-band Boots Clothing, Fur niture, Musical Instruments and mos bought. Cash prices given.—Send to 42 York Street, which wil

Lieut.-Colonel
Private Secretary and Cone.
Household to Prince Arthur

D.C. arrived from England by the

6617

NFURFISHED House, careful ten-ant, willing to take on lease. Apply R.E.X.," this office 6644

#### SITUATIONS WANTED.

POST as Companion-Help with children; good needlewoman; willing to travel about; references.—Apply "Companion,"

DETURNED Soldier seeks employment; 49: reliable and trustworthy; stimonials: — Apply "J.S.," this

#### TO LET.

UNFURNISHED Room; electric light; outside entrance, erred.—Apply this office.

(back of Railway Station), the finest decoy Rooms in town, Board and esidence, Table Boarders. Terms moderat. All conveniences. Phone 511.

MURNISHED Double and Single Balcony Bedrooms; hot water; electric it; every convenience; excellent cuisin cend terms for table boarders. - Apply Royal Osk Hotel (corner De Beers Road and Warren Street, 'Phone 162, 592

DURNISHEL/Apartments, Bedroom and Breakfast: trams pass door; very sele neighbourhood; electric light and bath terms moderate. 25, Gordo Street, Gardens, Capetown,

FURNISHED Bedroom, elec ric light shower bath; one minute from tram Apply 25, Lawrence Road.

URNISHED House, 4 Rooms, k.p.b., large yard; electric light; from 15th November, 1920, to 28th February, 1921; ertrant Apply T. B. Tredres, 22. Beam

OR Six months, starting 1st December may occupy earlier), desirable resi fence, unfaraished, turat-brick throughont, containing six rooms, dining room pantry, lobby, bathroom and two servants' rooms. Electric light; water laid on; two rooms. Electric 1(2n); water and on; two large yards with productive vegetable guidens. In quiet locality; 10 minutes walk from centre of town; also stable, shed and outhouses, all with option of purchase. Suit two families or as Boarding establishment. — Apply Leslie R. Laing, 11 De Beers Road. Telephone 584

ARGE Well-ventilated Office, situated Market Square, Apply "Well ildings," Market Square, or Box 10

VO Unfurnished Rooms, private en-trance; also I Furnished Room with of kitchen and bathroom. - Apply 34, iman Street, De Beers.

REE Rooms, partly furnished o 6647

) Unfurnished Rooms, Electricight Both verandah entrance. "A.B.C.," this office. 6653

to Spe trai

ney

RURNITURE, made of solid oak wholesale and retail. Send for illustrated price lists, to Franz Moeller, East

TRAMOPHONES, Needles and R A cords, best makes only stocked, fro £4 10/- upwards. Send for illustrate price lists, to Franz Moeller, East Lon

ORGANS, made by Malcolm, guaran teed for 20 years. Send for illus rated price lists, to Franz Moeller, Ea-

PIANOS, made by Kaps, Steinman etc, guaranteed for 25 years, fro 91 Guineas upwards. Send for illustrate orice lists, to Franz Moeller,

7/9 HARLEY-DAVIDSON Mo to trial.—"Harley," this office. 6651

#### FIREWORKS! FIREWORKS!

Large assortment just arrived.

CRACKERS, etc. Note Address: C. J. KINNEAR, 13 Transvaal Road, Kimberley.

#### THYSELF KNOW

Readings by post. Events, Travels. Business Successes, Lucky number, Affinities. colour and stone, according to planet. Open postal order 5/-. Birth-dates. Stamped directed envelope.—Madame Garcia, Box 1484. Durban.

## W. A. RAYNER & SONS

Manufacturing Jewellers 11 Stockdale Street (Opposite the Queen's Hotel),

Are now showing a splendid range of DIAMOND ENGAGEMENT RINGS at the lowest prices in South Africa. We can prove this statement by the

following FACTS:-We buy our DIAMONDS in the ROUGH. After they are cut we mount them ourselves in our own workshop at above address. We are therefore able to give you

Rock-Bottom Manufacturers' Prices (which cannot be beaten) INSPECTION INVITED

ntry Customers kindly note: 'Phone No 544.

### Bacon Bacon Bacon

Try our Dikeeyeured Rolls (always alter) and delicious in 10th shoot at parcels at 16 a per servy sh with order.

Applications are invited appoint Pent to the abovementi ost, at a commencing salar £160 per annum, rising by an

increments of £10 to £130 annum, plus the benefits confer by the Fourth Report of the Pu Service/Commission of Enq. 6636 (on a guaduated scale commence with £40 per annum,) £10 per annum in lieu of Uniform, Quarters, Rations, Washing and

the relative War Allowance. Appleants must be certificated od possess a knowledge of Hospital Administrative work.

Applications, stating age, and supported by particulars of qualifications and experience and a health certificate, together with recent

Prince Alfred's Infirmary

BOARD and Accommodation, Also
Table Boarders. Every convenience.

Apply Mrs. Blumgart, 7, Spencer Lane, opposite Hospital. Phone 456. 0000 be obtained, and should reach that officer not later than the 30th November, 1920.

A. WEISBECKER,

for Provincial Secretary. Administrator's Office, Capetown, 27th October, 1920.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS Chas. C. Church, Mattress Maker and Reimpje Worker 28 OLD DE BEERS ROAD,

Phone 402, KIMBERLEY. Sox and Stockings (Knitted to order by Macoine, Plain or Ribbed. MATTRESSES MADE AND RE-MADE. Furniture Repaired in Cane, Reimpje, and Plyboard. All orders receive personal and prompt attention.

## Bradlow's

Furniture Emporium, 83/85 Market Street, Johannesburg.

Specialize in Cots (Wood and Iron)
Baby Dars of every description,
Tetambulators, Baby Walkers, Child's Beds, Play Yards, Baby Chairs, Tricycles (to suit all ages) Horse Tricycles, Swings, etc., etc.—Write for our Catalogue,

Remember we pay Carriage and BRAZING SPELTER. light.—Apply \*Partly," efo this guarantee safe delivery to your

We are sure to please you. Give us a trial. Cash-Or Easy Terms

THE WASTED TRUTT

# THE DIAMOND FIELDS ADVERTISER,

ALICE JOYCE

oroughbred

very fine Racing story. ALSO

HOUDINI. Thursday, Friday and Saturday Next. VAUDEVILLE BILL.

Ackerman & Wynne ditional Country Songs and Duets

the Three Nitos.

panish Comedy Acrobats Bertini & Asche.

In a Musical Burlesque

AURELE LEE

ESQUIRE

ALSO HRST EPISODE OF

ost Sensational Super-Serial pro-Every real packed with gigantic

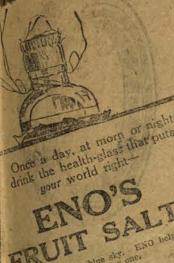
AND

Read Arrived:

**EXPRESS** RETTES bus Qualities)

slavsky's famous Eagle" Cigarettes. ained at Wholesale

Brices, at bson & Co. an Street.



Once a day, at morn or night, the health-glass that puts your world right



ANDREW, RESTIEAUX & CO., Massfacturing Metal Merchants

and Exporters, 246 Fox Street, Johannesburg. TO MERCHANTS AND INDENTERS

Belone placing orders Overstas, it will pay Joa to ascertain our prices for :— ANTIFRICTION METALS, SOLDERS IN ALL GRADES, PRIMER'S METALS, .

TIN LEAD, ZINC, ALUMINIUM, and BRONZE INGOTS, diries through Sole Agentsi. Broughton Engineering Company,

KIMBERLEY. BECO, Kimberley.

A M North of England

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2 1920

War Bridge (In aid of Local Charites

IN THE CITY HALL (KIMBERLEY WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3.

Valuable Prizes Refresiments.

It was "Her Tive Foot Highness" and progressive spirit that won for her. See EDITH ROBERTS in this delightful play. BOOKING AT THE BETTER 'OLE.

KIMBERLEY-BEACONSFIELD Co-Operative Society Always fresh in the Fillowing Assortments at 5s. per lb.:-(LIMITED).

15 Lower Jones Street. KIMBERLEY. FOR HIGH-CLASS

Groceries, Provisions, Confectionery, Crockery and Hardware. CAKE and FANCY PASTRIES

TO-NIGHT

and TO-MORROW,

Special Draint by the Universal Manufacturing Film Company,

Her Five Foot

EDITH ROBERTS

Made Fresh Daily. HARDWARE DEPARTMENT. Kinneo's Patent and Ant-Proof

Sales. Garden Hose and Fittings. Taylor's Eye-Witness Table Cutlery.

Enamelled Milk Boilers. Enamelled Mugs (in 3 sizes). Feather Dusters. Steel Trunks.

Griswold's Food Cutters. Washboards. Dog Collars and Leads, Blue Band Cups and Saucers.

White and Gold Cups and Saucers. Household Butter Churns,

JUST LARGE

rimmed Millinery

Shades and Shapes, From 3/6 to 22/6 each.

VISIT US EARLY. 7 Dutoitspan Road, Kimberley.

# Magic Dyes

WOOL, SILK. COTTON and LINEN.

ALL COLOURS.

No Rubbing No Boiling, No Streaking, No Spotting.

9d. PACKET.

CHEMISTS. Kimberley and Beaconsfield.

Nannucci's Spring to Attention CLEANING AND DYEING.

P.C. or 'Phone 396. THEY CALL Leave 49 Jones Street, Kimberley. THEY LOOK AFTER YOU.



Association

TICKETS 26

Commence at 8 p.m. powl

#### MICKIE'S CANDY KITCHEN

CHOCOLATES ARE THE
STANDARD FOR
EXCELLENCE AS
REGARDS QUALITY
AND PURITY.

ALMOND AND RAISIN (HOCO. LATES. DATE CHOCOLATES. COCONUT CREAM CHOCO. LATES. CARAMELS, ETC., IN 15 11b.

CHOCOLATE KEWPIES. Our Latest Novelty, the Real Thing for a Pleasant Surprise Present. MARKET SQUARE

KIMBERLEY.



Corporation of America. Having used your 7-seater

nection with my motor se past three years, I though details might be interesting One car, a 6-cylinder, which I have driven my touched This car passengers 100 miles years from Kimberle and back, six days a

satisfied ones. I am enthusiast. po Thanking

on the market. Lat HUMBER Market Square, K

Diseases of th and Skin Cur "DOMIG

Blood and Skin Troubles as Eczema, Ulcers, Boils ples, Blotchy Skin, etc. DOI is recognised as the Greatest fie for Cleansing the Blood Sold by all Chemists, in form, at 25s., 15s. 6d. and per box. Ointment at 3s.

par.

Domigo Medicated Soap
greatest Disinfectant for all
and Scalp Diseases. Price
per tablet or three for 3s, 6d.

"Domigo" Antiseptic Thro
Mouth Wash, 4s, 6d. per bottl
A booklet containing full p
lars and Testimonials of nu Curcs achieved by Domigo sent free on application to J. W. ROBINSON, Chemist, M. Square. Box 458. Kimberley Agent for Kimberley and Disc

## Farms and Randes

Write for Free Copy of New FARMS & RANCHES FOR IN S. RHODESIA.

The most comprehensive and up list published. Intending purchase eapital from £1,000 to £20,000 sh into direct communication with HASSELLS AGENCY. P.O. Box 170, Salisbury. Office Merkle's Hotel,

1 ransvaal PRETORIA'S PREMIER A POPULAR HOTEL

Daily Inclusive Accommodal from ...... 15/-. Bed and Breakfast from 9/6, w Room available.
Table d'Hote......36 TRUDA'S BAND TUESDAY THURSDAYS and SUNDAY S. B. LEVY Sole Prop

Cuisine unexcelled

LEWIS LEVY, late of Klerks Kimberley and Capetown, C. R. LEVY, Managers,

IGHT REJOICING

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY. Armistice Day

FETE, THURSDAY, Nov. 11th. KIMBERLEY REGIMENT BAND

By kind permission of Lieut Col H. S. Harris, C.B.L., and Officers of the Kimbe ley Regiment. Presentation of Medals.

ALL THE FUN OF THE FAIR. YOU'LL BE THERE WELL ALL BE THERE.

These days knowledge, topical knowledge, is the factor in family, social and business life The war proved that no sec tion of the community can re main unaffected by the happenings of the outside world. In the good or bad old days, gossip was the font of knowledge, but the world has changed since then. To-day we want facts, and the one safe way of becoming conversant with the topics affecting our everyday life is by newspaper reading. And the best ewspaper is the local newspaper. Subscribe to the "Advertiser." We arrange delivery.

Payable in advance. 3 months ... ... ... £0 15 0 ... ... 2 10 0

Commence To-day and

Boy's High School, Kimberley.

SATURDAY NEXT,

November 6th. ANOTHE OF

CITY HALL SWOOMEN AND MAS 田学

9 a.m. to 12,39 p.m., and 3 p.m to 5,30 p.m.; Bread and Cake Stall; Produce Stall, Meat & Poultry Stall; Needlework Stall; Flower Stall; Book, Picture and Curio Stall; Sweet Stall; Children's Stall.

REFRESHMENTS, in the Supper Room, Mr. Ashworth's School Orchestra will give Selections at Intervals. Miscellaneous Entertainment,

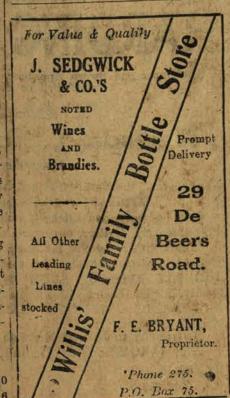
S p.m. sharp. Mr. Ashworth's Boys Choir: Mr. Holland's Junior Gymnas-tic Squad; Comic Boxing, Etc., Etc. CINDERELLA DANCE, 930 p.m. Excellent Music by Mr. Vivian Taylor's Select Orchestra.

LICKETS. Entertainment 1/3 Dance 2/9 (including tax). — Obtainable from Pupils of the School.

CONTRIBUTIONS to the Various Stalls may be sent to Mr Bezemer, Boy's High School, at any time during the week.

PERISHABLES, Should be sent direct to the CITY HALL on Saturday Morning, before

Proceeds in Aid of School Sports Funds. R. W. H. WISBEY. Hon. Secretay



BLINDNESS CURED. GENTLEMEN Blind 5 

E SPECIALISE IN HIGH-GRADE

> RNITURE at prices consistent with the principle of true economy, and invite enquiries for free estimates and complete furnishing schemes.

NOTE OUR NEW PREMISES:

19 Market Square, Kimberley.

J. STOLLER & SONS .: AND MANUFACTURERS. ::

She will be

Royal Mail and Passenger Motor Service. G. CARNELL & CO., CONTRACTORS.

Cars leave GRAND HOTEL, KIMBERLEY, for THE BEND, Barkly West and River Diggings, as follows:-Daily, except Sunday, at 8.45 a.m., returning to Kimberley at about 4.45 p.m. Daily, except Saturday, at 3.30 p.m. and leave SYDNEY HOTEL at 7 a.m. daily, except Saturday and Sunday, for Kimberley.

FARES. Single. Return. GRAND HOTEL, FIMBERLEY, to The Bend and Besters ... ... 10/-15/-Barkly West ... ... ... ... 15/-22/6 Gong Gong and Waldeck's Plant 17/6 Longlands, Winter's Rush, and Sydney ... ... ... 20/-30/-Delpoort's Hope ... ... ... ... For parcel rates and further particulars apply

GRAND HOTEL. Economy Campaign
Get your Old Suits Cleaned cheaper. I return them clearly like new: Drop me a postcard

D. CANTERBURY.

Takkoon SQUARE.

Topposite St Alban's Church).

A Car leaves Sydney-on-Vaal for Kimberley at 7.30 a.m. daily carept Sunday). Passengers desirous of catching this car at Gong Gong should take out tickets, and give one day's notice to the Agent at Gong Gong, who will make arrangements, so that the Car will meet the passengers at "Proctor's Store" about 8 a.m. If such arrangements are not made, the car does not call, travels on top road direct to Barkly. The Agent at Gong Gong will be pleased to give any further information if required.

BE CLEAN.



# @ White Sale do

Great Bargains. Special Event.



## NOTE: POSITIVELY FINISHES SATURDAY, 6th INSTANT.

ATTRACTIVE BARGAINS IN LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING, EXCEPTIONAL PRICES TO-DAY.

Tables of Camisoles, Knickers, Combies, Nightdresses, Vests, Petticoats. Ten Per Cent. off American Corsets, Royal Worcester, Bon Ton, and Adjusto. Ten Per Cent. Discount. Also many Standard British Makes.

Now is the time to buy your HOLIDAY HATS, Untrimmed Panamas, 5s., 7s. 6d., Coarse Tuscan, Beach, Coarse Straw Hats, Shady Shape, Special Line at 7s. 6d.

White Frocks, White Blouses, White Skirts, White Voile Jumpers, etc. Bargains. White Embroideries, Embroidery Flouncings, Knicker Frillings, Camisole Embroideries, Laces, Ribbons, Sunshades, White, Lisle Hose, Calicoes, Longcloths, Nainsook, etc., at Special Prices.

# See Windows for Bargains John Orr & Co's White Sale

DAY BY DAY.

able reception, while papers, in sym-pathetic critiques, refer to the singer's

Lieut. Colonel T. Gurney, D.S.O. Private Secretary and Controller of the ght, and Capt. L. d'Urban Cloete, heifer, Acens

leath was found to be due to exposure

f the patients is already most reassur-

East Griqualand Parliamentary division

at the next general election. He will

stand as an out and out supporter general Smuts. Mr. Tod contested to seat against Mr. J. G. King, M.L.A.,

the election in March last and was de-leated by 29 votes, the figures being King, 941; Tod. 912.

Though all the plans for the interment of an unknown hero in Westmin-

ster Abbey have been settled, there is considerable support for the proposal

that the body should find a resting place in the Cenotaph rather than in the

Abbey It is improbable that this suggestion will be adopted, but there is some likelihood that the authorities may

ace their way to carry out the proposal that the wooden cross which marked the grave in France should be brought

here and placed near the site chosen or the interment in the Abbey.

The "Daily Chronicle" says that the

Berlin police-have captured the entire gang which was concerned in the for-gery of British Treasury notes, eight

chased a number of bundles of British Treasury notes and found that only the

top and bottom notes in each bundle

were genuine, the rest being excellent forgeries. The matter was reported to the police, who discovered the forgers press and plant, which were concealed during the day and used only at night. The gang consisted of eighteen Galicians. The paper was obtained from England.

Our Bloemfontein correspondent wires

At a public meeting of the registered

owners of immovable property within the focal municipality held to-night (Monday), the Town Council were au-

thorised to purchase a certain building

to be used as a young women's hostel. This step was taken at the instigation

of the local Council of Women, and it is

young working women who cannot afford

to put up at an hotel or boarding-house.

Special beds will also be kept for women

travellers who have to break their jour-

ney here, and who have not the means to make use of the limited accommodation

provided by the hotels.

intended to accommodate in the buildi

10s.; and from "H.E.," £1 1s

The London wood sales will commence on November 8, providing the miners' ballot is favourable

Concerning the chief-trainship of the miners bullot is favourable

Concerning the chief-trainship of the miners bullot is favourable

Sequel at Criminal Sessions

Mr. Malcolm McKenzie and the Misses McKenzie returned to Kimberley resterday after a holiday in the Old Country.

By arrangement with the Mayor and City Council, a street collection will be held next Saturday in aid of the work of the Salvation Army in Kimberley.

The Mayor has pleasure in acknowledging the receipt of the sum of \$20 from the Griquiand West Horticultural Society, in aid of the funds of the Kimberley War Memorial.

Light Marx, of Johannesburg, gave a large and a many and had a most favourable reception, while papers, in symalls receipt of the seal of cattle, the property of Dinko Model, and further receipt of the Acelian Hall, London, on Friday, and had a most favourable reception, while papers, in symalls receipt of the sum of Equipment of the Content of the Content of the Mayor has pleasure to the first mishing of the Ration of the Ward Cattle which had been stoken were frequently referred to. The accused were six in number, and were all leading men among the Rationship to the Ration of the Ward Marx, of Johannesburg, gave a large men among the Rationship that the cattle, and the success of the course of the course of the course of the course of the found of the Kimberley were factle, and the course of the sum of \$20 from the course of the found of the Ward Mark and a jury (presided over by Mr. W. J. Mark and a jury (presided over by Mr. W. J. Wilson), at the Criminal Sessions, on the course of the factle was in Article wa

Mooki, and further with stealing tw

and in his place dovernment as chief of these one Lot amoreng Montsion.

the Child Welfare Society, Kimberley branch, acknowledges with thanks the branch, acknowledges with thanks the following donations to the funds of the society: F. Hirschhorn, £5; L. Isaacson & Co., £2 2s.; Major and Mrs. Ford. £2 2s.; I. R. Grimmer, £2 2s.; "Anon," £3 2s.; "Anon," £4 2s.; "Anon," £5 2s.; "Anon," £5 2s.; "Anon," £6 2s.; "Anon," £6 2s.; "Anon," £8 2s.; "Anon," £8 2s.; "Anon," £8 2s.; "Anon," £8 2s.; "Anon," £9 2s.; "Anon, pointed some headmen to hear o The Union Health Department informs sion was still chief, there was a ca the Press that a few cases of influenza heard against a man named Ackerman of an extremely mild type have occurred and he was fined a certain number of at the Breakwater Reformatory in Cape- head of cattle. Ackerman did not lodge town. Eight boys out of a total of 71 an appeal against this judgment, as he inmates are affected, and the condition could have done; but, on the other hand, he did not pay the fine. When bug. All necessary steps in regard to isolation have been carried out.

NATIVE CHIEFS COULD HE

The four howitzers which have been presented to the Union by the Imperial Ackerman apparently refused. The present chief then appointed a man Government to commemorate the work of the South African Heavy Artifler present chief then appointed a man named Tiego, one of his headmen, to have a further trial against Ackerman. As a result of this trial, Ackerman was fined two head of cattle. Ackerman did not lodge an appeal against this decision; but he did not pay it. Then the chief Lotlamoreng, told Tiego to sieze a couple of head of cattle, and, if necessary, to use force. This Tiego went with 13 others, to the kraal of the acin France were shipped on the "Grat tully Castle" on October 16. The howitzers will be sent to Pretoria for distribution. One is to go to Capetown one to Kimberley and one to Johan-nesburg. The other will remain in Pro-Mr. Charles E. Tod, of Cedarville, ha it is understood, signified his intention of coming forward as a candidate for the

It would appear from the evidence favour and he molested some women

Ratsidi Dispute

to Mooki, and also Tiego, and they stole from that kraal four head of cattle, two of them belonging to Tiego, and two of them belonging to Mooki. It was found out almost at once that these found out almost at once that these cattle were missing.

Togo went to results April, a certain section of these natives lodged a protest with the Government against the apointment of the present chief. The present chief was appointed in No. of followers since you have a number of followers since you have been chief?—

The Crown would say that the shots fired killed two terms.

Oxen.

Oxen.

Mr. Loewenthal Was he satisfied?—

Witness: He was quite pleased, (Laugh
Mr. Loewenthal:

Mr. Loewenthal: It would appear that went to the Inspector of

of the Baralong pation.

The Judge: Are they councillors of Lotlamoreng?—Witness: hese men refused to be Councillors of the Chief Lotlamoreng. Mr. Kitchin; They are Councillors by birth, aren't they; heeditary Council-

And the Baralong sustom is, once a Councillor, always a Councillor?—Yes.

A Councillor is also a headman or petty chief? It is the same thing isn't it?-Yes, but they always have one who is the headman.
This trouble about the four head of

cattle all arises over a dispute as to the chieffainship of the tribe, doesn't it?-We have settled about the chieftainship. It is not about that at all. Do all these accused recognise Lotla-moreng?—They are the only men who

do not recognise him as their chief. Witness afterwards admitted there were some others whe did not recognise Mr. Kitchin, Isat it a fact that a large number of the Ratsidis, the ma-Molema objected at that meeting jority of the Ratsids in fact, do not re-

cognise Lotlamoreng as the chief?-It is A lot of genealogical questions were Mr. Kitchin asked the Judg under asked the witness, baring on the succession to the chieffainship, which led the Judge to remark that the jury were guilty.

not going to decide that day who was the counsel, His Lordship directed

mot remember this.

Mr. Loewenthal said he expected this point to be raised. Lotiamoreng, the present, chief was born five or six years after his father died, the reason being after his father died, the reason being upon.

The case was thereupon adjoured till to-day, when the defence will be mixed to the fall of a section of roof. vears after the old man had died. Lot-lamoreng was that offspring. One did not know who his father was. The Judge: It is

that when a chief dies without heirs the next brother, either marries the chief's widow, or lives with her, to pro-

A CUSTOM AMONG NATIVES

cure an heir, and the heir succeeds to the deceased person. It is an old custom. I do not say this was so in this case, but one has heard of this. It is an alteient Biblical fustom. You will find something of this kind in the Old Mr. Kitchin: We are all agreed that is the custom. Our evidence is that also. There is such a custom.

Mr. Kitchin (to witness): Who do you say was the father of Lotlamoreng? Who

was the man who raised offspiring from the widow according to native custom?— At that time I was still a boy, and do not know.

Mr. Kitchin: Our evidence will be old Montsiva himself was the father of Lotlamoreng. He had four wives already, and this was a fifth.

The Judge: He took his son's wife to

Mr. Kitchin: You have heard about this, havn't you? No. I have not heard

You are all more or less related. All the accused are related to Montsio's family, arn't they -Yes. The Judge: And so are you? Yes. Evidence was given by a native house-wife as to seeing Nos. 4 and 5 take the four cattle from Tiego's krant An interesting witness was Lotla-moreng, the present chief of the Ratsidis,

who is approved by Government. He wore a summer suit of a light holland material, and had a very youthful appearance. He

he told them he would rep er to Government.

Mr. Kitchin: The nation airly evenly into two partie natter?-Witness: I am not to say they are evenly divide

direct Mr. W. Gilbert, who have been unseated not as a result of litigation previously re-

Chief of the Baralongs.

Mr. Kitchin; The present Chief Lotlamoreng was born in 1896, five years after the death of his so-tailed father?—I do not remember this.

Mr. Loewenthal said he expected this

**Enemy Shipping** 

Another Distribution by Reparations

Commission

Total of 42 Passenger and 115 Cargo Steamers Handed Over. London, Oct. 29 (Reuter's Special Sere).-Lord Incheape is offering a furor forty enemy ships to British ship ders, which, it is understood, constiute the residue of the more important ships allotted to ship owners in Great Brighton Location on Saturday after-

Britain by the Reparations Commission. Including the above, up to now 42 pas-senger and 115 cargo steamers have been

Alleged Plot

Insured on Last Voyage for £60,000 onden, Oct. 28 (Reuter's Special Ser- the whole question of grievances be left .—The owner, William Jones, and entirely in the hands of Mr. H. Selby-master, Capt. Plummer, of the Msinang, of Bloemfontein, who is hereby ed and subsequently broken up on workers with the employers for a reason rish coast, near Belfast Lough, in able settlement, and to do all possible to improve the economic conditions as remembered that the court

Entire calm prevails in the city and environs, and it is understood that the extra police will be gradually with-RESTORATION OF NORMAL DITIONS,

Port Eliabeth, Nov. 1 (Renter).-Out-ward and visible signs of the restora-

tion of the native situation in the City are not wanting. The departure of police reinforcements commenced to-day, when considerable numbers of men

Major Halse, District Commandant, in

not been a single case of breach of disci-

pline in the force. That was a record to be proud of, and it showed that the

non-coms, took a close interest in the training of their men, and that the men

were proud of the corps to which they

affecting the workers.'

Threatened Strike at

P.E.

Natives Rescind Rasolution

Seeking Redress for Grievances by

Negotiation

strike of native workers called for to-day is officially declared off. The decision

was come to at a meeting held at New

noon, when a resolution (which was confirmed at another gathering yesterday) was carried as follows: "This meeting of non-European workers of Port Elizabeth resolves that the resolution passed at a mass meeting held at Korsten on

the 24th inst., declaring a general strike on the 1st of November, if a satisfactory reply to the representations for an in-

crease of wages was not forthcoming on or before this date, be and is hereby

rescinded: and it is further resolved that

Port Elizabeth, Nov. 1 (Renter).-The

### Earth Tremors.

More Shocks on the Rand anesburg, Nov. 1 (Reuter) .- At

chis morning a fairly severe earth or was recorded at the Union rvatory, followed by another at but neither was nearly so severe as but neither was nearly so severe as previous one, which was caused by their timely assistance, paying special tribute to the local officers and men far, enquiries have failed to find for the unflinching manner in which further falls of rock or the cause they had maintained law and order in

returning thanks, mentioned that dur-ing the ten days of the crisis there had I.C. Hero's Funeral,

apt, O. Reid Buried at Johannesburg Largely-Attended Ceremonial

Johannesburg, Nov. 1 (Reuter).—The were properly ineral of Capt. Oswald Reid, V.C., was belonged he of the largest ever held on the Rand. It was attended by a very large number ex-service men in uniform, and rowd of the general public. St. Mary's Church was packed, and thousands gathered in the cemetery.

Durban's New Mayor. Mr. Fleming Johnson Elected Durban, Nov. 1 (Reuter) .- Mr. Fleming Johnson was formally elected Mayor this morning, and Mr. George Mitchell Deputy Mayor, vice Mr. T. Burman and

Fitter Killed Through Pall of Roof

Colliery Fatality.

South African Collieries, where a fitter numed Chas. Herzel was killed, as the when they protest against restrictive

Give the Children

Grape-Nuts

This ready-cooked food con-

tains, in quickly digestible

form, the full nourishing qual-

ities of wheat and malted

barley. A packet soon proves

Delightful in flavour, convenient to

serve, no waste. Needs no sugar.

Every table should have its

daily ration of Grape-Nuts.

"There's a Reason"

At Stores and Grocers'

MEYER, BRIDGENS & CO., Ltd., Exclusive Distributors

CAPE TOWN AND JOHANNESBURG.

its worth as a builder.

JOHANNESBURG NATIVES AND "BAY" RIOTS.

PROTEST AGAINST ARREST.

POLICY OF AUTHORITIES DE-NOUNCED.

At a meeting of the committee of the Transvaal Native Congress. Johannes-burg branch, held yesterday, the following resolutions were adopted in refer-

ence to the Port Elizabeth trouble -1. That we extend deep sympathy to all the relatives of all those who were killed and injured in the disturbances at Port Elizabeth on October 23. 2. That we view with the deepest concern the disturbance in question, and strongly protest against the action of the authorities in arresting Mr. S. Masabalala, which action, the committee is of opinion, precipitated matters, and brought about such appalling loss of

3. The committee strongly denounce legislation and conditions brought about by the increased cost of living; and (b) the mobilisation of the police and milistration justly demanding better pay and equal opportunity, 4. Further, the committee request the

Government to appoint a Commission to enquire into the shooting of natives in Johannesburg in February last, and into the shooting which took place in Port Elizabeth, and urge the authorities to carry out the recommendation of the Moffat Commission, namely, the creation of Arbitration Boards in all industrial

AMERICA.

In view of the great struggle for the American Presidency over the question of the League of Nations, which will be finally decided on Thursday, November 4, the following stirring lines, which appear in the current issue of "The Sun and Agricultural Journal," are of in-Why bend to the League of Nations,

You died for Humanity there: Your statue stands for Liberty, At the mouth of the Hudson fair.

Applications are invited for the position of Secretary to the East London Board of Executors and Trust Company, Limited, at East London. Remuneration: Salary and commission. Applications must be in writing, addressed to the Chairman, and will be treated confidentially.

Printed and purofished by the "Diamond Fields , Acvertiser," Ltd., at their Electric Printing Works, Stockanin Street, Kimberley.



hew I worried, and how the disease defied treatment.

Then a neighbour told me of Granny Chamberlain and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Since then I have often used Chamberlain's Cough

Remedy for influenza and have never known it to fail. I always insist on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and recommend it to my friends

etaliate by taking fou sked the Inspector of vene, and said it he did

aid there would be bloodicholson thereupon went was held by the chief, at used, except No. 5, were

on was present, and he public were present. The discussed, and Mr. Nicholson s a result of that meeting, ied these cattle had been opponents of the present gst whom, of course, were , and that there was no cettling the matter whatsoever, ad of cattle had been taken,

the present chief, Lotlamoreng, was appointed, he sent one of his men round, and enquired from Ackerman whether said all the accused should be charged IAD BEEN SLAUGHTERED,

with theft. Accused were before the Court on this charge, Originally, said Mr. Loewenthal, the

with 13 others, to the kraal of the ac- treated this land still as his own. When used, Ackerman, and they took two head he went along one day he found others, cattle This occurred on April 7 this reaping it—it beyonged to these others, and judgment had been given in their It would appear from the evidence favour—and he molested some women that the present accused wished to retalite, and that same night, between 7 and 8, they, or some of them, went by stealth to the kraal of a man named Mooki (since dead), in which were cattle belonging

been married a few months and I cannot tell you

In those days the expense of a doctor's visit meant a lot to us and I was at a loss to know just what to do.

### DAY BY DAY.

The usual annual ten per cent. bonus was paid out to members of the Standard Bank staff in Capetown last week.

General Olivier, accompanied by Mrs. and Miss Olivier, arrived at Johannesburg from Bloemfontein on Friday morning.

The £100 contribution to the subscription list for the Bishop's Hostel for Boys, attributed to Mr. W. B. Humphreys, was in error. It should have been from the late Mr. S. B. Humphreys. Owing to the delay due to coaling arrangements, the Kinfauns Castle, conveying Prince Arthur of Connaught will

arrive until Wednesday, November 17th. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cohen have re-ceived cable information to the effect that their son Sol has been appointed to the position of Junior House Surgeon in the Dundee Hospital.

A Johannesburg telegram says
William Henry Smullan, a policeman,
who had retired on pension, was found
in his room on Tuesday, with a dead in his room on Tuesday bloodstained razor by his side.

The Post Office notifies that on and after the 1st November, the rate of conversion of money orders exchanged between the Union of South Africa and Canada will be four dollars per pound. sterling.

r. Potgieter, M.P.C. for the Oudt-rn division, having resigned his in connection with having unwitingly incurred certain expenditure dur-ing the election campaign, has been re-nominated the candidate of the Nation-Advices from Hamburg state

tonnage is wanted for a cargo of German beet sugar' for New Orleans. The opinion is held in some quarters that German houses must have a surplus of sugar over local requirements, as during a recent month England received 4,000 tons of German sugar. An Austrian aristocrat, received at Prangius, Switzerland, by the ex-Em-Prangus, Switzerland, by the ex-Emperor Karl, reports that the Emperor assured him: "I am outside the monarchial propaganda in Austria. Far be it from my thoughts to provoke civil war." The ex-Emperor has turned grey, says his visitor.

The Zambesi River is very low just now; it is possible to cross over the rocks from Eastern Cataract to Livingstone Island, a distance of about three-quarters of a mile. Judging from the number of large fish now being brought in by the natives, the lowness of the water presents good opportunities for The "Cape Argus" of Saturday last publishes an excellent cartoon under the heading "Not Letter-Perfect." The Tiel-

man Roos instructor is depicted as endeavouring to impress upon the parrot that it must cry "Secession; secession!" The response of the Smithfield bird, made with an effort, is "Discretion; discretion!" that Labour members hammered away he response of the Smithfield bird, adde with an effort, is "Discretion; Mr. Moll (Nat.) warned teachers that if they went so far as to strike they would get nothing at all. That voiced the sentiments of the Nationalist Party. for the 4d. 16. when

August, when it root is 4d. for the 2lb. loaf. In September the price was is 3d., and on October 1 it was reduced to 1s. 2d. Several shops in town, moreover, have been selling at 1s. per 2lb. loaf for some months past, adds the over, have been setting loaf for some months local paper. In connection with unemployment, the Government, it is stated, has agreed to take on a hundred additional whites at Hartcheestepoort Dam, married men to receive 1s. 01d. per hour, and single men 11d. The Unemployment Commission

is endeavouring to get an assurance that men who prove themselves steady and capable at this work will be allotted farms in the district. Mr. W. Pickering, hon, treasurer of the Child Welfare Society, Kimberley Branch, acknowledges with thanks the following donations to the funds of the Society: Price Bros., Ltd., £1 1s.; Mosen-thal Bros., £5 5s.; Mr. and Mrs. Lezard, £2 1s.; Sam Sutherland, £2 2s.; G. Scott

Ronaldson, £5; S. S. Brown, £1 1s.; Jno. Nicholson, £1 1s.; Mrs. A. H. Hill, £2 2s.; the Very Rev. Dean Robson, 10s.; 2s.; the Very Rev. E. Oppenheimer, 10s. The following appointment appointments in The following appointments in the Native Affairs Department are gazetted:—Mr. B. Barrett, Secretary for Native Affairs; Mr. G. A. Godley, Under-Secretary for Native Affairs; Mr. E. H. R. Garthorne, First Grade Chief Clerk, Native Affairs Department; Mr. W. T. Welsh, Chief Magistrate, Transkeian Territories; and Mr. T. W. C. Norton, Assistant Chief Magistrate, Transkeian Territories, and Resident Magistrate, Umtata.

Signs of disaffection amongst the natives at the Point, Durban, says the "Advertiser") have not been wanting during the last few days, and it is feared that there are agitators at work similar to those who fomented the Port Elizabeth trouble. It is not usual to have any number of hore charged with breaches of discipline, yet yesterday there were no fewer than seven. None, it is true were of a perious nature, but the sullen bearing of the men was significant. nificant.

The successful tenderers for the new coaling plant at Lourenco Marques are Head, Wrightson & Co., South Africa, whose scheme provides for a coaling capacity of eight hundred tons an hour, and has to be working in six months. The port already passesses at plant and the second statement of the coaling capacity of eight hundred tons an hour. The port already possesses a plant capable of lifting six hundred tons hourly, and it is confidently expected (says Reuter's correspondent) that the two combined will double the Transvaal export trade through Delagoa Bay if ceal can be delivered quick enough be delivered quick enough.

It is suspected, states the Durban "Mercury," that there was a deliberate attempt to wreck the special train conveying the delegates attending the annual congress of the South African Agricultural Union to the North Coast, for the purpose of inspecting the sugar industry there. A railway employee disdustry there. A railway employee discovered a sleeper on the track shortly before the train would have passed.

removed the obstruction, but on returning later found it had been replaced. Three shots were fired at a native suspected of the deed, but he got away. A sharp look-out is being kept by the authorities against further obstructions being released on the next track. ing placed on the railway track. Ex-soldiers who have received dedals or decorations through medals or decorations through post, and who wish to have them the

post, and who wish to have them presented at a presentation to be made on Armisfice Day, November 11th, are requested to forward them the District Staff Officer. are requested to forward them to the District Staff Officer, Drill Hall, Kimberley, not later than Tuesday, the 9th inst. The regimental number, rank, name, unit and oddress of the recipient should accompany any medals, etc. ne District



#### THREAT FROM NATIONALIST

#### MEMB+R Pretoria, Nov. 2 (Reuter).—The question of teachers salaries formed the

burden of the debate in the Provincial Council to-day on a motion to go into Committee on the estimates. Mr. Kuper (Labour) was ruled out of order on a technicality when originally

moving the adjournment of the Council to call attention to the matter. Labour members strongly protested against the action of the Executive in offering a 50 per cent. increase when a motion was before the Council to make it 33 1-3 per cent. Mr. Kuper warned the Council not to treat the matter lightly, asserting that teachers would be deserving of all they got if they had not the backbone to got if they had not the backbone to strike if the Executive did not accede to a fair and reasonable demand. Mr. Joubert (Nat.) thought only labourers went on strike, not exalted neople like teachers. Personally he did

people like teachers. Personally he did not object to teachers getting an in-crease of money got through lottery or such means, but not through a land tax. was a scandal and disgrace the way that Labour members hammered

Executive could agree to a compromise with the teachers, the S.A.P. members would support it, if it cost £10 or £10,000. The debate was adjourned. White Labour on S.A.R.

protested against

Mr. Jooste (S.A.P. Barberto half of the party, protested ag Moll's threat to the teachers.

#### Criticism of Administration Policy By the "Nurahs'" Secretary

Johannesburg, Nov. 2 (Reuter).—In an interview to-day, Mr. Moore, secretary of the National Union of Railway and

Harbour Servants, discussing the ques-tion of white labour, said that during the conference with the Minister of Rail-ways at Pretoria recently, the "Nurahs" brought up the question of the relation of white to coloured labour.

"By way of illustration, we said that, taking the full number of employees in the Railway and Harbour Service to-day at 80,000, and that 40,000 were white and the remainder coloured, we said that in

order to preserve the balance an under-taking should be given to preserve the equilibrium. All the time we urged that the obligation of the Government to the community should ensure that approximately all white vacancies in the Service should be filled by whites only, and that all vacancies among the Service should be filled by whites only, and that all vacancies among the coloured employees should be filled by coloured men, that one class should not encroach on the others. The Minister would not agree," said Mr. Moore. They had to venture the opinion, continued Mr. Moore, that until such arrangement was arrived at, from their knowledge of the Service all over the country, the Government was under the suspicion of proclaiming a white policy, and at the same time actually encouraging a Mack policy. The reconomic factor was overwhelmingly the moral obligation of the country, as represented by the Railway Administration; that was to say, that as country, as represented by the Railway Administration; that was to say, that as white labour was forced by the "Nurahs" into a higher standard of living, it could be taken that the lowest living, it could be taken that the lowest tiving out in white today we 12 per-day, as compared with the pre-war figure of 4s. 6d. Owing to this increased cost to white labour, white employees were being replaced when vacancies oc-curred by cheaper natives and coloured RELIEVES INDIGESTION IN TWO MINUTES. SIMPLE REMEDY SAVES DOCTORS! BILLS. If you suffer from dyspepsia, indigen-

## tion, pain after eating, gastritis, heart-burn, or any stomach trouble due to acidity or food fermentation—and over ninety per cent. of stomach complaints

ninety per cent. of stomach complaints are due to these causes—go to your chemist, and get a bottle of Bisurated Magnesia. The next time you eat or have pain in the stomach, take half a teaspoonful in a little hot water, and note how quickly all pains and discomforts cease. The reason for this is simple—it is due to the fact that Bisurated Magnesia quickly neutralises the excess acid and stops fermentation, thus promoting healthy, natural digesthus promoting healthy, natural diges-tion. Being absolutely harmless, as well as inexpensive, Bisurated Magnesia should be kept on hand in every home where economy and good health are

Bisurated Magnesia is one of the best remedies for Indigestion, and is also obtainable in tablet form. Beware of substitutes. Look for the makers name, Bismag, Limited, which appears on every genuine package.

Reduction.—Collisons announce a reduction of 12s. per dozen on Commando and all their other choice branches. If any difficulty in obtaining supplies, write Box 390, Kimberley.

it was Elijah (since dead) who gave the orders, but he could not say. There was great excitement over the seizure of great excitement over the seizure of the cattle, and in order that peace might be preserved, witness reported to the Superintendent of Natives, and the superintendent called a meeting. Witness pointed out at the meeting that the cattle must have been seized in retaliation, and he further said that the trouble appropriate the chief in the said that the trouble appropriate the chief in the said that the trouble appropriate the chief in the said that the trouble appropriate the chief in the said that the trouble regarding the chieftainship the cause of the cattle being taken. Afterwards there was a meeting of the Afterwards there was a meeting of the Kgotla, or native counsel, and there witness suggested the an independent chief should be called in to settle the friction, because Lotlamoreng was interested, through his father-in-law being a party to the case against Ackerman. Some of the headmen said they had better settle the matter among themselves, whereuppen witness suggested six Councillors, three from either side, should settle the matter, and this was agreed to, but the arrangements afterwards to, but the arrangements afterwards broke down. The present chief had told the Resident Commissioner of the Bechuanaland Protectorate that he never cused witness in connection with the taking of these four cattle, but it was the Government who did so.

Witness was cross-examined at great length by Mr. Loewenthal.

Mr. Loewenthal: You say your party had sent in a petition to Government to get rid of the present chief. Supposition Green party days not according posing Government does not accede your request, and the present chief remains chief, are you going to continue this business?—I hold on to the native

Supposing the present chief has a case brought before him, and he fines you personally two head of cattle. and you personally two head or cattle, and takes two away, are you going to retalinte?—I will retaliate.

Now eay Government has no right to appoint the present chief?—The GOVERNMENT HAS A RIGHT TO SANCTION

the wish of the people, but not appoint.

Have they any right to depose?—They have no right to depose.

The Judge: As far as I can see, Silas, this sort of thing cannot go chief, acting within his jurisdiction as he thinks, fines a man two head of cattle, and the other party goes and seizes cattle of the headman of that chief. Where is the thing going to end? It seems to me your people are coming to a deadlock there. Witness was questioned by

recognition of the authority of the chief and his headman, and at length the foreman remarked: "It seems to be the foreman remarked: "It seems to be a case for a Government inquiry instead of a case to be tried by a jufy."

The Judge: That is what defendants contend. That is the whole thing I am going to leave to you in the end.

The Judge described the law as applied to the area in question, which had left

The Judge described to the area in question, which had left certain jurisdiction to be exercised by the natives as between members of their own tribe, concerning certain civil and matters. He pointed out other minor matters. He points their liquor law was retained by by which no native could get liquor unor any circumstances.
Other evidence was given for

Mr. Loewenthal addressed the Court for the Crown. He showed that there was evidence against Tau and Molokwane for taking the four cattle away, while there was also evidence against Molokwane and Motshegare for selling the skins of the two slaughtered animals. He admitted the case was not so strong against Silas and Goitsenna. Mr. Kitchin, in his address for the defence, urged there was no evidence against Silas and Goitsenna. As to Tau

and Molokwane taking the cattle away, and Molekwane taking the cattle away, he urged there might have been a bonade mistake in their identification by the one witness who said she saw them. As to the selling of the skins by Molekwane and Motshegare, he said even if they were in possession, they were not in guilty possession of them. Concerning the charge of malicious injury to property, there was nothing to connect any animals. With regard to the general question, he said it would appear to be more

A MATTER FOR LEGISLATION than anything else, after a proper

inquiry.

The jury found Silas and Goitsenna not guilty, and Tau, Molokwane, and Motshegare guilty of theft; and the foreman said they would like to add that the three guilty men had been strongly influenced by this tribal dispute, and therefore they begged to recommend them to the Judge's consideration. The Judge: I think I have a right to do that.

Mr. Loewenthal: In this case the Government does not press for anything

more than a fine. His Lordship intimated that he proposed doing this.

Mr. Kitchin asked that a suspended sentence should be passed. The Judge thought it would be better to pass a suspended sentence.

would be misunderstood. He did not propose to pass a heavy sentence. The tribe would pay the fine and not the individuals. Mr. Kitchin said then he would ask His Lordship to deal with them as leniently as possible. The Judge: I propose to deal with

them quite leniently. His Lordship, in passing sentence, said Silas and Goitsenna had been found not guilty by the jury, and would be discharged. Tau, Molokwane and Motshegare had been found guilty of stell-

ing these cattle, but the jury had recommended them to mercy. As a rule, men who stole cattle were seriously dealt with, but the jury had recommended them to mercy because they considered they were influenced by this tribal trouble. He warned them to take care not to be so influenced in the future. If the Chief imposed a fine on a man, and any of them retaliated, as it was said they did here, they would get into very serious trouble, or if any others did so they would get into get into very serious trouble, or if any others did so they would get into trouble. It advised them to tell all the people in the stad that it such a thin occurred again—if they went and took other people' attle and killed them

they did not approve—it would not be a question of a fine in the future, but the question of a long turm of imprisonment, and possibly of lashes as well. He was going to let them off lightly, and they would each be fined £10, or in default of payment three months' imprisonment with hard labour. Then he must also make them pay the value of the two cattle not recovered. He took the value of each at £15, and they would have to pay among them that amount value of each at £15, and they would have to pay among them that amount of £30, and in default of payment of this amount they would each have to go to prison for an extra three months, with hard labour. If they did not pay either amount, they would receive six months' imprisonment each, with hard labour. Time was allowed for payment until 4 p.m. on Tuesday, November 9, and accused were let out on bail on their own recognisance of £25 each. European's Death.

## Singular Occurrence at Oudtshoorn

Cudtshoorn, Nov. 2 (Reuter).—A European, aged 50, who is said to have been suffering from tootherder, maked his abdomen with a knife so arrange, that he died in hospital last night. The European was named Henry Arrer: Reduction.—Collisins announce and duction of 12s. per down on Consuming and all their other choice beautiful

and all their other choice branding.

If any difficulty in obtaining supplier,
write Box 390, Kimberley.

The Ratsidi's Dispute. CASE FOR THE DEFENCE

Fullo advertix

#### COUNCILLORS FINED

The case was resumed in the Criminal Sessions, before the Hon, Sir John Lange on Tuesday, in which five Coun-cillors of the Ratsidi branch of the Baralong nation, vîz., Siløs Molema, cillors of the Ratsul branch of the Baralong nation, viz., Siles Molema, Goitsenna Lekoma, Tau Tawana, Molok-wane Lekoma and Motshegare Motshe-gare were indicted for stealing two head of cattle, the property of Dinko Mooki, and two head of cattle, the pro-perty of Tiego Tawana, or alternaperty of Tiego Tawana, or alterna-tively with malicious injury to property by shooting an ox, the property of Tiego Tawana, and one heifer, the pro-perty of Dinko Mooki.

Mr. Advocate F. K. Loewenthal repre-sented the Crown, and Mr. Kitchin,

ted the Crown, and Mr. Kitchin, instructed by Messrs, De Kock and Kock, of Mafeking, appeared to defend.

In this case it appeared there had been a dispute among the Ratsidis as to the chieftainship of the tribe. Chief John Montsion had been deposed by the Government, and Chief Lotlamoreng appointed by Government in his place. appointed by Government in his place. Part of the Ratsidis objected to Lotlamoreng, because he was not the nearest successor, according to native custom, and part supported the Government nominee. When Lotlamoreng's headman, acting under instructions from the chief, fined a native named Ackerman orders of the chief and slaughtered.

Some of the natives, who did not fav-our Lotlamoreng, then seized four cat-tle in retaliation, two of which they retaliation, slaughtered. Accused were charged in connection with the taking of these four oxen. A sixth Councillor named Leboconnection with the connection named Lebopea Molema was charged originally along with the other five, but was discharged on the ground that there was no evidence against him.

The defence was now entered upon, Silas Molema, the first accused, giving evidence. He said he was headman and Councillor of the Ratsidi tribe at Mafeking, and was related to the late Chief Montaion through his brether Molema.

king, and was related to the late Chief Montsion through his brother Molema. His defence briefly was that he had nothing to do with the seizing of these cattle. He did not recognise Lotlamoreng as Chief of the Ratsidis, though he recognised him as his superior birth. He said the SUCCESSION TO THE CHIEFTAIN-SHIP

was by birth, and there were many nearer heirs to the chieftainship than Lotlamoreng, who had recently been appointed by Government. This contention was upheld by the majority of the tribe, who did not support the chief ap-

pointed by Government. Witness said the rightful chief was Tshiperang.
Mr. Kitchin: Is he regarded by the majority of the Ratsidis as the rightful heir?-Yes.

The Judge: He is not proclaimed until e becomes of age? Then you proclaim Mr. Kitchin: According to your na-

custom, has the Government of the action has been proclaimed by the action and accepted as a chief has been proclaimed by the as-sembly of the people and accepted as the chief by the people—has the Gov-ernment any right to depose such a chief?-No, sir.

Has the Government any right to apoint anyone else who is not the right-nl heir as chief?—No, air. Supposing one dies has the Governful heir

ment any right to bring in a tenth-rate man in the order of succe sion, and put arm over the right ul heir No.

The Judge: How came Lotlamoreng to appointed? Some of the people must be appointed?

ernment about it?—There was a private

ernment about it?—There was a private petition drawn up by a certain party to the Government to come in and proclaim him, and depose John Montsioa.

The Judge: You say a petition was sent by some of your people to Lotlamoreng's people. Then Government had a meeting, I suppose, How did they come to put Lotlamoreng's people in?—The Minister of Native Affairs came and said he had got a petition from some of the Baralong people to come and proclaim Lotlamoreng as their

and proclaim Lotlamoreng as their rightful chief, of course, there was opposition — great opposition — on the position—great opposition—on the ground that Lotlamoreng was not the proper chief. At the same time they wanted to be given time, so that they could consult all the nation, and discuss the matter, and this was

REFUSED BY THE GOVERNMENT. In answer to counsel, witness said they were all on friendly terms, person-ally. This was only a political matter. There was no bad feeling against any-

one of the other party.

The Judge: When you meet the Chief Lotlamoreng, do you epeak to him or go on?—Yes; I give him what go on?—Yes; I give him what the worthy to be given him, in the line of money or anything he ought to get. Even himself (Lotlamoreng) he is on friendly terms with me.

Witness, proceedings. Witness, proceeding, said the majority

of the Baralongs were with him (witness) in this matter. A petition was sent to Government this year, signed by 400 Ratsidis, and there would have been more, but some did not know the way to sign Witness said he heard of the four cat-tle being seized, but did not know by during N whose orders it was done. He presumed son, Ltd.

Special 15 per cent, discount on all cash purchases, other than white works, during White Sale week -P. H. Hender-

**Collection Number: A979** 

#### Silas T MOLEMA and Solomon T PLAATJE Papers

#### **PUBLISHER:**

Publisher:- Historical Papers, University of the Witwatersrand Location:- Johannesburg ©2012

#### **LEGAL NOTICES:**

**Copyright Notice:** Copyright for all materials on the Historical Papers website is owned by The University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg and is protected by South African copyright law. Material may not be reproduced, distributed, transmitted, displayed, or otherwise published in any format, without the prior written permission of the University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg.

**Disclaimer and Terms of Use:** Provided that you maintain all copyright and other notices contained therein, you may download material (one machine readable copy and one print copy per page) for your personal and/or educational non-commercial use only.

People using these records relating to the archives of Historical Papers, The Library, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, are reminded that such records sometimes contain material which is uncorroborated, inaccurate, distorted or untrue. While these digital records are true facsimiles of paper documents and the information contained herein is obtained from sources believed to be accurate and reliable, Historical Papers, University of the Witwatersrand has not independently verified their content. Consequently, the University is not responsible for any errors or omissions and excludes any and all liability for any errors in or omissions from the information on the website or any related information on third party websites accessible from this website.

This document is part of a collection owned by the University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg and deposited at Historical Papers at The University of the Witwatersrand.