

Court of Appeals, died here yesterday of consumption, aged 60 years.

Brewing Company Loss.

CHICAGO, April 29.—Fire tonight ruined the building occupied by the Atlas Brewing Company. Loss, \$200,000.

Lieutenant-General Sir Herbert Chermide, who is playing an important part in the present operations southeast of Bloemfontein, is an engineer officer, holding the substantial rank of Major-General. The British Government has been fortunate in securing a brilliant commander, but was recently given command of a division. From almost his start in the service his career has been identified with the East. He served as Military Attache with the Turkish troops throughout the Russo-Turkish War. In 1882 he went to Egypt and served through the campaign of that year, and in the Sudan expeditions in 1884 and 1885, and was for some time Governor-General of the Red Sea Littoral. From 1886 to 1888 he commanded on the Italian frontier, and in command of the Italian Expeditionary Corps in 1890 he was required for Crete. Chermide was the man selected, and there he remained from 1890 until next year. Though with 29 years' service to his credit, Sir Herbert is only 50 years of age.