

KEEP HANDS OFF THE WAR

AMERICANS IN SOUTH AFRICA SEND AN APPEAL TO THIS COUNTRY.

Fair Hope of Intervention Believed to Be Prolonging Boer Resistance—Open Letter to National Conventions Here, Urging Them to Refrain From Cruelly Placing This Matter for Political Purposes—The Boers Report That They Have Repulsed the British Relief Column Near Mafeking—Huller Enters Gleenco.

BRITISH FLAG IN THE TRANSVAAL

Hosted Over Christmas by Gen. Hunter—Roberts Expected to Resume Advance To-day.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. LONDON, May 17.—Despatches from Fourteen Streams indicate that Gen. Hunter is with the main body in that district which advanced along the north bank of the Vaal River as far as Christiansia. A reconnaissance by the Boers had evacuated this place and were retreating. Gen. Hunter thereupon marched in at the head of his division without opposition, and for the first time since the outbreak of the war hoisted the British flag in the Transvaal. As the Union Jack was hoisted, the Boer troops cheered for the Queen and a band played the national anthem. It is reported that Gen. Hunter subsequently advanced in the direction of Klerksdorp, but this is not confirmed.

ALL THE MATERIAL NEWS FROM NATAL IS CONTAINED IN GEN. HULLER'S REPORT. HE EVIDENTLY IS NO MORE ABLE TO HOLD OUT AGAINST THE BRITISH AND INFLICT DAMAGE ON THE BOERS, WHO ARE RETREATING SKILFULLY AND WITHOUT LOSS, DESTROYING THE RAILWAY BEHIND THEM. GEN. HULLER REPORTS:

"DUNDEE, May 16.—We occupied Gleenco yesterday. The Transvaalers have now evacuated the Bagnersberg and the Free Staters on the Bagnersberg have been driven back to the Carolina, Lydenburg and Pretoria. Some commandos trekked north from Hlabulungu on the 13th and 14th. Eleven guns were entrained at Gleenco and the last train with the ambulances left there about dawn yesterday.

THE RESULT HAS BEEN LARGELY PRODUCED BY THE DEFEAT OF THE TRANSVAALERS. DURING THE LAST FEW DAYS, HAS DONE A GREAT DEAL OF HARD WORK IN MARCHING, MOUNTAIN CLIMBING AND ROAD MAKING.

"Trains are now running to Wessels' Nek station."

NOTHING NEW HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM KROONSTAD. IT IS EXPECTED THAT THE REPAIRS TO THE RAILWAY TO THAT PLACE WILL BE COMPLETED SHORTLY WHEN IT IS ASSUMED GEN. ROBERTS'S ADVANCE WILL BE RESUMED.

A BATCH OF BELATED TELEGRAMS FROM BEIRA GIVES FURTHER DETAILS OF THE ARRIVAL OF BRITISH TROOPS AT PORTUGUESE PORT, INCLUDING THE YOUNGSTER SHARPSHOOTERS UNDER LORD HUNTER.

They arrived on May 13 and landed at the wharf, with a battery of 15-pounders, who arrived May 10.

BRITISH CAUGHT IN AMBUSH.

Boers Fire on a Foraging Party From a Farmhouse Displaying a White Flag.

LONDON, May 16.—The War Office has received the following despatch from Gen. Roberts:

KROONSTAD, May 15, 9 P. M.—Two officers and six men of Prince Alfred's Guards went out foraging yesterday a few miles from Kroonstad. They had visited a farmhouse from which a white flag was flying and the owner of which had surrendered himself with his arms and ammunition. They then approached another farm, which was also flying a white flag. When within forty yards of the farmhouse they were fired upon by fifteen or sixteen Boers who were concealed behind the farm walls. Two men were killed and one of the officers wounded. The other officer and two men were made prisoners. The owner of the farm states that the Boers threatened to shoot him when he protested against making improper use of the white flag."

THE WAR OFFICE HAS ISSUED A LIST OF CASUALTIES AT KROONSTAD ON MAY 15 AND 16. ON MAY 15, TWO MEN WERE MADE PRISONERS. THE OWNER OF THE FARM STATES THAT THE BOERS THREATENED TO SHOOT HIM WHEN HE PROTESTED AGAINST MAKING IMPROPER USE OF THE WHITE FLAG."

SPED ON THE BOER DELEGATES.

LONDON, "Daily Express" Reporter Says He Heard Them Admit Their Hopelessness.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. LONDON, May 17.—The Daily Express devotes half of its front page this morning to a despatch to the revelation of the duplicity of the Boer delegates now in the United States. Under the heading "Slim Boers Outwitted," it prints in big type a wordy telegram from New York signed Patrick O'Connor, recording the results of that individual's stay on the steamer Massadun, which was arranged for the purpose of spying on the delegates and overhearing their conversations.

O'Connor posed as an "Irish-American gentleman" who was ignorant of any knowledge of Cape Dutch, though really he is thoroughly acquainted with that tongue. The result of the espionage work which the Boer delegates were doing in the United States, according to the spy, revealed unwittingly their belief that the struggle of their compatriots was quite hopeless, that they did not hope for anything from the United States, that the message they issued on the eve of the departure of the delegates was a desperate bluff, that their losses in the war had been terrible and that if it lasted much longer the delegates themselves would probably not return to South Africa.

DR. JAMES GOING TO KIMBERLEY.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. CAPE TOWN, May 16.—Dr. James has returned from the fever which he contracted while with the besieged Garrison at Ladysmith and has started for Kimberley.

LONDON, May 17.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Kimberley says that Dr. James has been appointed director of the De Beers mines.

PRESIDENT LITTLE WILL RESIGN.

Head of the Board of Education Is Suffering From Illness.

President J. Little of the Board of Education announced yesterday that in accordance with the advice of his physician, he had decided to resign the office of President. Some time ago the physician expressed belief that Mr. Little was suffering from kidney disease, and he now announces it as a fact that he has Bright's disease of a mild type. Mr. Little has not yet made up his mind about the date of his resignation. The members of the board wish him to hold over until after the summer vacations, but he does not think that he would be able to do so.

At its meeting last night the board adopted Commissioner Sterne's motion to adjourn until Saturday evening as it was suggested that a vacancy might exist by that time and that it would be unwise to chance an interregnum. This suggestion was generally understood to mean that President Little would have tendered his resignation by Saturday. Commissioner Burlington offered a resolution which was adopted providing that the Board of Superintendents should meet publicly, so that the public would be kept advised of what was going on. Executive sessions were to be allowed when necessary.

IMMIGRATION BOOMING.

This Country Strikes the Best of the World as a Good Place to Live In.

The largest number of immigrants landed in a single day at this port for many years passed through the Barge Canal yesterday. There were 4,677 of them from six ships. It is probable that the immigration for this month will exceed by thousands the figures of last May. The number of those who arrived last month was 4,677, which exceeded the figures of April, 1899, by 13,874.

CARL H. SCHULTZ'S CARBONATED WATER ARE THE ONLY PURE AND CORRECT ARTIFICIAL MINERAL WATER.

Advertisement for Carl H. Schultz's Carbonated Water.

CUBAN OFFICIALS IN JAIL.

Postmaster, Deputy Auditor and Two Clerks Arrested.

Confession by Postmaster Thompson That Havana Office Funds Were Jagged to Cover a Shortage of \$435 Which He Had Used—Clerk Says He Bought Condemned Stamps From Neely, His Stenographer and Director Rathbone's Non-in-Law, McCConnell.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. HAVANA, May 16.—Postmaster Edward P. Thompson, Deputy Auditor A. R. Edwards and Edward Moya and Jorge Muscato, clerks in the stamp department, all of whom had been suspended and under surveillance for several days, were arrested to-night on warrants issued by the Cuban court. They are able to furnish it. Reeves's assistant, Reynolds, and C. M. Rich, a clerk, who told the authorities where \$5,000 worth of the stolen stamps were hidden, remain under surveillance.

Before his arrest to-night Postmaster Thompson confessed to the falsification of \$435 and other irregularities. Thompson made a sworn statement to one of the Secret Service officers. He said that in April, 1898, he needed money for his own use and took \$435 from the money order account depositing his receipt. When the inspection was made by the Department by special inspectors, he was being used to repay the money, ordered the clerk in charge of the money order receipts to withdraw his personal receipt and substitute \$435 in cash which had been received that day and which would not have to be accounted for until the next collection. The money was sent back and the money came out again. By this method he successfully evaded detection during several inspections.

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TRACY OUT OF THE PLATT FIRM.

He Joins Condert Brothers—A Family Reason Given for the Change.

Gen. Benjamin F. Tracy, who for several years has been the head of the firm of Tracy, Boardman & Platt, the other members being Arthur B. Boardman, Frank H. Platt, son of Senator Thomas C. Platt, James R. Foley and Timothy D. Morwin, has terminated his partnership in that firm with the latter. A member of the firm of Condert Bros. Tracy will retain this title. Public notice of Gen. Tracy's change in his business associations was given yesterday in the following card sent out by Condert Bros.

"We take pleasure in announcing that from another standpoint Benjamin F. Tracy will be associated with our firm."

On the letterhead on which the notice is printed Gen. Tracy's name appears as counsel.

Gen. Tracy was not accessible last evening at the Waldorf-Astoria, where he lives, but members of both the firms said that his reason for making the change was a family matter. Frederick W. Condert, Jr., a member of the firm of Condert Brothers, married Gen. Tracy's granddaughter, Mrs. Condert was Miss Alice T. Wilmerding, daughter of Gen. Tracy's daughter, Mrs. Ferdinand Wilmerding. Frederick R. Condert, Sr., has not been able to locate the time when he was formerly did and Mr. Condert, Jr., invited Gen. Tracy to join the firm. According to the statement of members of both firms Gen. Tracy is more interested in the husband of his granddaughter than in any one else who is practicing law in New York and is desirous of settling his own interests with the firm's partners and the change was made yesterday. His former associates continue as a firm and cards of announcement of his withdrawal from that firm were being prepared yesterday. Both firms said that there was no basis for reports that the firm was in partnership with the late Gen. Tracy, or that the partnership was anything but a partnership, and that the only business reasons were those that have been mentioned. This was said, perhaps, in view of reports that Gen. Tracy and Frank H. Platt have not always agreed.

Tracy and Thomas C. Platt were long together. Tracy was a farmer, and Platt started in business in Oswego as a drug dealer. They have been intimately associated ever since. Through Mr. Platt's influence Mr. Tracy was at one time appointed a judge of the Court of Appeals to fill a vacancy. He had Senator Platt's support when he was appointed Secretary of the State. Tracy was also a member of the greater New York charter was passed at Albany a couple of years ago. Gen. Tracy was made President of the Charter Commission. Then came the Mayoralty campaign of Tracy-Low-Van Wyck. Ten days before election Gen. Tracy, because of his labors in that campaign, was called to the office of the Secretary of the heart one afternoon at the Union League Club. It was shortly before Henry George died. The greatest secrecy was maintained as to Gen. Tracy's condition. Gen. Tracy in entering that campaign believed that an amicable arrangement would be reached whereby he as well as George would be elected. He was, however, many times called to the office of a Republican like the late Frederick A. Schroeder of Brooklyn. Gen. Tracy, it is known, was somewhat chagrined because he was called as a witness in the Rampart water matter before the Mazet Commission. Gen. Tracy never complained that he had called on him as a witness did not please him.

SALT OF LIFE WAS GONE.

Second Time Krass Tried Suicide the Household Emetic Had Given Out.

Lewis Krass, 25 years old, of 60 East Ninth street, tried twice yesterday to kill himself with paris green, and the second attempt was a success. Between the doses there was an interval of three hours and in that time there was a reconciliation and a new row in the Krass family. It is known that the reconciliation was effected by the intervention of Mrs. Krass's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Curley of 574 Grand street. Krass bought some paris green and followed his wife.

His greeting was not cordial. Calling the name of the woman to the poison which he poured into a glass of water and drank, Krass said: "Good-by, mother, good-by, Rose."

Mrs. Curley did not lose her presence of mind. She threw Krass down and told Rose to hold him. Then she poured a handful of salt into a cup of water. "It ain't a salt," she said, "mother; get a good deal," exclaimed Mrs. Curley as she advanced upon Krass. "You can't make a widow out of my daughter that way."

Warm salt water did all that she had hoped and Krass was saved. He had a good appetite for the noon dinner, and the all the day he did not seem to be run away again and the wife promised to go right back home and to be as good as new. Krass was taken up with the women and Rose reconsidered her determination. Krass was equal to the emergency; for he had more poison in another pocket.

"By mother, good-by, Rose," he said once more and told the second dose.

The salt-bath was empty. "It ain't a salt," she said, "mother; get a good deal," exclaimed Mrs. Curley as she advanced upon Krass. "You can't make a widow out of my daughter that way."

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PUT NO TRUST IN IRELAND.

CHAMBERLAIN AND BALFOUR SEE DANGER IN HOME RULE.

Salisbury's Warning Repeated—Colonial Secretary Says an Independent Parliament in Dublin Would Seek Ireland's Opportunity in England's Present Danger—Balfour Says That the Home Rule Agitation Is a Menace to the Empire That Is to Be Ignored.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. LONDON, May 16.—At the banquet of the Liberal Union Club to-night Colonial Secretary Chamberlain and First Lord of the Treasury Balfour, in reviewing the Unionist alliance, which has now lasted fourteen years, referred to the relations with Ireland in a manner, which though milder than Lord Salisbury's reference at the meeting of the Primrose League on May 9, showed that the Irish bogey fills the Ministerial mind with fears.

Mr. Chamberlain asked his hearers to conceive what the position of England would have been to-day if there had been an independent Parliament in Dublin, manned by extreme Nationalists, animated by bitter feelings toward England and her policy, and willing, as they would have been willing, to seek Ireland's opportunity in England's danger. He said the fact that they had been spared this was a cause for thankfulness.

Mr. Balfour said he could not feel assured, as some felt, that the disintegrating home rule influence was destroyed. As long as there were eighty votes going begging in the House of Commons, as long as the home rule formula had a place among the shillbills of the Liberal party, and as long as there was a recrudescence of the home rule agitation the menace to the Empire would continue to be a danger that could not be ignored.

FILIPINO REBEL ARMS CAPTURED.

Fifty Thousand Manner Shells Found in Cavite Province—Non-sectarian College in Manila.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. MANILA, May 16.—Capt. O'Connor's company of the Forty-sixth Infantry, has captured 35,000 and 50,000 Manner shells and 50,000 Manner shells at Silan, Cavite province.

The war veterans living in Manila are forming a company of 100 men as a nucleus for a military force.

It has been planned to open here in June a non-Filipino college that will be non-sectarian. It is to be the first of its kind in the archipelago. The Provost Marshal has approved the prospectus. The sum of \$100,000 has been subscribed for the endowment of the college.

Dr. Paterno, formerly a member of Aguinaldo's Cabinet, who was captured recently, has been kept incommunicado. He was taken to a mountainous island in the straits, passing over a distance of 100 miles, where he spent half an hour with Gen. MacArthur.

200,000 FIRE IN GREENWICH.

Catholic Church, Opera House, Stables Owned by Benedict and Other Buildings Burned.

GREENWICH, Conn., May 16.—Fire was discovered in J. H. Ray & Son's hardware store and carriage shop about 7:30 o'clock to-night and for three hours the business part of the village was threatened with destruction. The local firemen were not called until the flames and word was sent to Stamford and Portchester and fire steamers and hose arrived in about an hour, and with the aid of the firemen from the neighboring engines the fire was under control