

BOERS GATHERING
YEAR CASBORG
British Forces Are Very Extended.
Fears Being Expressed Enemy
May Break Through.

LONDON, June 20.—The casualties in Africa made public by the War Office, including a long list of missing, show British losses in engagements hitherto not reported. In an attack on a reconnoitering train at Leeuw Spruit on June 13 three were killed, five wounded and sixty captured. Leeuw Spruit is 42 miles north of Kroonstad. This was the day of the Sand River attack, eighty miles distant. Another list shows nine wounded and seven missing in an action at Vrededorp on June 7, no previous mention of which had been made.

The Daily Mail points out that it is quite possible the Boers have again been cut in Lord Roberts' rear, as no dispatches later than June 13 have been received. The Boers are gathering in force in spite of General Buller near Pekaarsburg. His forces stretch forty miles. As some parts of the line are weakly held the British fear that the Boers may break through. Outpost skirmishes are of daily occurrence. The Boers there are commanded by De Villiers and Hermann. Mr. Steyn is at Bethlehem, the temporary capital of the Free State. According to dispatches from Lourenco Marques dated yesterday the Malana bridge has been destroyed. One account says it was blown up. Another asserts that it was undermined by a patrol from Beaufort West, and a collapse under the weight of a train. This will temporarily interrupt the flow of supplies to the Boers from Lourenco Marques. The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Daily Mail, telegraphing June 16, says that Lord Roberts is getting huts for 30,000 men and is arranging retransport for a part of his army, although his plans are not to take effect immediately. The Lourenco Marques correspondent of the Daily Express says: "A German-American, well known to the New York police, is alleged to have planned a desperate attempt to steal some of the bar gold from the trucks attached to President Kruger's traveling capital. He is said to have carried off some bars before he was discovered. The Lourenco Marques correspondent of the Times says: "Three escaped prisoners (British) are believed to have tampered with Malana

bridge. A freight train pitched into the stream and two men were killed.

ROBERTS CAPTURES ARMS.
LONDON, June 19, 2:20 p. m.—No important developments mark the progress of the British in the Transvaal. Lord Roberts reports that over 2000 stands of arms have been given up at Pretoria since the occupation of the capital. These were utilized by the released British prisoners, of whom there are 143 officers and 2,500 men. General Buller reports that the first through passed Laings Nek Monday, June 18, and proceeded to Charlestown. The first batch of Mafeking's sick and wounded arrived at the hospital at Belmont, June 18. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, has seen through the medium of negotiation when Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Liberal leader in the House of Commons, and others were mystified. Now that the war was concluding, he added, all were unanimous that whatever the settlement might be, it should be such as to leave behind it the seeds of further mischief and make a reputation of the present trouble.

General Feeling Is That It Is About Time for Great Britain to Stop the Farce at Peking.
Correspondence of Associated Press.
YOKOHAMA, June 19.—On the announcement yesterday of the fall of Pretoria the streets were suddenly filled with English and American flags. The common rejoicing over the end of the South African war. The pro-English feeling on the part of the Americans here has been strongly marked from the beginning, and in fact the same is true all through the Orient, where the Americans, who constitute a very intelligent class, thoroughly appreciate what it means for a land to be under British control. It is also a significant fact that the Japanese sympathy for England has been as strong as it has been unanimous. While one war cloud ends it would seem to be in the very nick of time, as appearance in China indicate that the strong hand of England must soon fall there, or things will rapidly fall into chaos. The impression prevails that either the partition of the world empire or some arrangement for its joint control by the powers is close at hand. The Japanese press is almost a unit in the expression of the belief that the time has come to put an end to the present farce in Peking and to throw down the gauntlet and open a "open door" policy is exciting general comment, every one contrasting the attitude of the Japanese against the British and the latter in the past few years ago with the prominent position she occupies now in everything which concerns the Orient. The situation in Korea has in interest hardly given place to that in China during the past week. The Japanese have not only been great about the weakness or blunders of the Korean Government in the past, but also have been the cause of the horrible tortures inflicted upon two men who were in a sense the special watch-dogs of the Korean Government. An and Kwong, had fled to Japan on suspicion of having been implicated in the murder of the late Emperor. They had been sentenced to banishment for three years. The Japanese Government has demanded that the two men be returned and had been sentenced to banishment for three years. The Japanese Government has demanded that the two men be returned and had been sentenced to banishment for three years.

Officer of Fusiliers Killed.
LONDON, June 19.—Colonel Wilcox reports to the Colonial Office that Captain Willson of the Royal Irish Fusiliers and seven natives were killed and ten wounded in Captain Hall's attempt to relieve Colonel Carter. There is no news from Kumbung.

Town Guard Surrenders.
VOLKSRUST, Transvaal, June 19.—The town guard of Volksrust has surrendered to the British and a number of Mausers with several rifles of American manufacture have been handed in. General Hildyard has returned here.

NATIONAL TRADES COUNCIL TO ASSIST STRIKERS
Official Notice Sent Out Directed Against Ten Cities Where There Is Labor Trouble.
CHICAGO, June 19.—New life has been injected into the lockout in Chicago by the action of the National Building Trades' Council to which the local body is subordinate. The national body indicated that labor is more than ever determined to triumph by taking official notice of the strikes and lockouts in ten different cities where the membership of its affiliated unions is involved. The national body is endeavoring to give the strikers assistance by an organized effort to prevent strikers who might be seeking new fields in which to find employment. The national executive board Secretary H. W. Steinhaus has sent the following official notice to every city in the country where there is a building trades union: "Every one must keep away from Chicago until further notice, owing to a lockout of all building tradesmen. Carpenters and painters must keep away from St. Louis and East St. Louis. Carpenters and woodworkers must keep away from Omaha and Kansas City. Carpenters and woodworkers must keep away from Memphis. Carpenters and painters must keep away from Savannah, Ga. Carpenters, tinners, painters and woodworkers must stay away from Dallas, Texas. Carpenters and woodworkers must keep away from Cleveland, Ohio. All building tradesmen must keep away from Savannah, Ga."

TWO MEN KILLED IN RAILROAD WRECK
Center of a Bridge Span Gives Way and the Train Crashes Into a River.
LEBANON, Ky., June 19.—Two men were killed and five seriously injured in a wreck this afternoon on the Greensburg branch of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad at Calvary, six miles from here. The train was carrying 100 passengers.

CAPTAIN LEE DROWNED OFF COAST OF ALBANY
Officer of the Forty-Fifth Volunteer Infantry Meets an Untimely Death.
WASHINGTON, June 19.—Adjutant General Corbin received a cable from General MacArthur at Manila to-day, saying that Captain Orison Lee, of the Forty-fifth Volunteer Infantry, was drowned off the coast of Albany on the 10th instant. Captain Lee, who was 48 years old, was born at Shelbyville, Ind., and served in the service April 18, 1858, as captain of the Sixteenth Indiana Volunteers. He served with the regiment at Matanzas, Cuba, from January to March, 1859. He was appointed captain of the Forty-fifth Volunteer Infantry on August 17, 1896, and accompanied the regiment to the Philippines in December.

Death Due to Disappointment.
BERLIN, June 19.—It is said that the death of Herr John Langal, Burgomaster of Oberammergau, who died yesterday as the result of an operation, was hastened by the disappointment over the conclusion of himself and his daughter from the caste of the passion play, which was due to village intrigue.

To Build New Ships.
BERLIN, June 14.—The North German-Lloyds Steamship Company have commissioned the Vulcan Shipbuilding Works at Stettin to construct for their New York line two of the largest steamships in the world, each of 24,000 tons.

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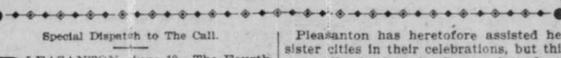
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Western Lines Form Local Pooling Arrangement and Will Divide Profits.
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THE CALL'S Home Study Circle.
SEYMOUR EATON, Director.
SUMMER COURSES, 1900...
Beginning Friday, June 15.

- American Political Parties.
- The Discoverers and Explorers of North America.
- Famous Art Galleries of the World.
- Historic Studies in Home Furnishings.
- Comparative Studies of Two Centuries.
- Literary Talks and Reminiscences.

THE NATIONAL GALLERY, LONDON.
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FAMOUS ART GALLERIES OF THE WORLD.

There are few great masterpieces, but on the other hand, there are many good examples of the historical schools of painting. In the London National Gallery. A visitor to mention to the artist the best possible substitute—for a tour of the great Continental galleries. For this reason, and because the present paper is to be the first of a series on the famous art galleries of the world, we will, for the sake of the artist, distinguish the various national and local schools I will try to arrange what I have to say as to elucidate the general movement in which the career of each of these schools was an incident. To do this, we will be technically inferior but historically important, and to pass over in silence many clever imitative works. But, as I have said, the collection is one that leads itself to this treatment, and it will appear, I think, in the end that the epoch making work, though crude and faulty, offers more of genuine interest than the accomplished but unprogressive work of a more advanced school. The National Gallery is rich in examples of the Italian, Flemish and German primitives, and we should not be deterred by their incomplete technique from giving them the attention which is their due. Even as regards technique they show wonderful devotion in special directions, and their importance as the first fruits of modern art need not be insisted upon. Their painters were the first after a long period of normality, to return to nature, but it should be added, the best of them did so with a purpose in view. The National Gallery is rich in examples of the Italian, Flemish and German primitives, and we should not be deterred by their incomplete technique from giving them the attention which is their due. Even as regards technique they show wonderful devotion in special directions, and their importance as the first fruits of modern art need not be insisted upon. Their painters were the first after a long period of normality, to return to nature, but it should be added, the best of them did so with a purpose in view.



NATIONAL GALLERY, LONDON, FROM TRAPALGAR SQUARE.

known to them; examples of genre, the portrait, the story picture, still life, and the religious and symbolic pictures. There are even, among the Germans especially, a sort of decadent prettiness and a love of great impetus which we generally think of as vices of much later periods. To take in the whole of this wonderful art, to express which we have called Cimabue, a Madonna, austere, rigid and ill drawn, or the more interesting triptych of the Virgin and Child, or the "Paradise" of Fra Angelico, where all the saints are seen growing almost as if from the ground, or with Jan Van Eyck's portrait group of the quaintly dressed Arnolfini, with the landscape reflected in the round mirror and the taper still burning in the chandelier.

It is a mistake to ascribe the renaissance of art wholly to the revival of classical learning and attention was drawn to the

PROGRESS OF MINERS OPENS
President Montgomery Delivers His Annual Address.
Urges the Creation of a Department of Mines, With a Cabinet Officer at its Head.

MILWAUKEE, June 19.—The third convention of the International Mining Congress opened here to-day with several hundred delegates in attendance. Colorado heads the list in exhibits, with a collection of 200 specimens. Among the most notable arrivals are B. F. Montgomery of Cripple Creek, Colo.; ex-Governor Bradford L. Prince of Santa Fe, N. Mex., and ex-Governor Swineford of Alaska. Ex-Governor Prince responded to the address of welcome and President Montgomery then delivered his annual address. He gave a brief review of the history of the congress up to the present session, discussing in detail its objects and purposes, and recommending a permanent organization to meet annually.

ACCIDENTALLY DROWNED.
Mrs. Chesnutwood Loses Her Life Near Santa Cruz.
SANTA CRUZ, June 19.—Mrs. Janie A. Chesnutwood, wife of Professor Chesnutwood, was accidentally drowned near the Cliff drive early this morning. She left home at about 5 o'clock and soon afterward her shawl, veil and shoes were found on the cliff a hundred feet away from where she is supposed to have fallen. Eight years ago Mrs. Chesnutwood had an attack of the grip, which left her very nervous. It is presumed that she was ordered to the cliff while in a dazed condition. The body was recovered at 11 o'clock. Deceased was a native of New York, aged 51 years. Professor Chesnutwood has conducted a business college for many years and is well known throughout the State.

Will Bore for Oil.
TACOMA, Wash., June 19.—The Pacific Oil Well Company has incorporated yesterday with a capital of a quarter of a million dollars, to bore for oil in a gulch almost in the heart of the city. Samples taken from outcroppings indicate rich deposits. Work will be prosecuted without delay.