

The Globe

RELIEF NEAR AT HAND

ADVANCE OF FORCES TOWARD MAFEEKING REGARDED AS SATISFACTORY

NATIVES GETTING STIRRED UP

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ANOTHER BRUSH WITH BOERS

A Cavalry Brigade Attempting to Cut off 2,000 That Are Making Their Way Now to the Southward.

LONDON, March 19, 4:30 a. m.—The news from South Africa today is entirely satisfactory to the British public. The relief of Mafeking is not yet announced, but it is extremely probable that it has already been accomplished by Col. P. Pieterman, Lady Charles Bentinck, and Cape Town, has received a telegram from her husband in Mafeking, dated March 12, stating that he expected to join her shortly. The actual relief movement has not been publicly described in detail, but it seems that Lord Methuen only started very recently and is rather engaged in dispersing the Boers of the district than aiming at actual relief.

Col. Beakman has dispersed 500 Boers at Fourteen Streams. Lord Roberts probably ascertained from Mr. Frazier, the main mayor of Bloemfontein, before dispatching Gen. Pole-Carew southward, that in all likelihood the railway was clear. The next movement will be to collect at Bloemfontein by railway sufficient stores for the immense army Lord Roberts will have when the Orange river forces have joined him. This will probably occupy from two to three weeks. Therefore the next important operations may be expected in Natal.

The cavalry brigade Lord Roberts has sent to Thaba Nchu, thirty-five miles east of Bloemfontein, is destined to cut off 2,000 Boers, who are escaping from the southward.

The Boers are reported to have destroyed the railway in the neighborhood of Kroonstad.

Lord Kitchener is quietly organizing in the northeast of Cape Colony. Predictions are beginning here that the war will be ended by the middle of May.

Dispatches from Durban, Pietermaritzburg and other South African towns describe most enthusiastic celebrations on St. Patrick's day.

A London newspaper correspondent says that Lord Roberts suggested the queen's order for the wearing of the green. Whether this is so or not, it has been most favorably received.

NATIVES BEING ARMED.
LOURENZO MARQUES, Sunday, March 18.—A dispatch from Sunday, dated Saturday, March 10, says: "The garrison is holding its own. We have heard numerous rumors that the Boers are making erratic movements, but the Boer troops are being retrained so that the Boers are inflicting nameless tortures upon captured native runners. These may not be true, but they are tending to inflame the passions to such an extent that it may soon be impossible to hold the natives in check."

"Owing to the Boers having deliberately bombarded the natives, which is full of women and children, Col. Baden-Powell has armed the natives, but he has only allowed them to act on the defensive, although they have clamored to be allowed to go out and attack at the point of the assegai."

DISPATCH FROM ROBERTS.
LONDON, March 18.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Field Marshal Lord Roberts, dated Bloemfontein, Sunday, March 18: "The Boers are being retrained yesterday from Norval's Post. Several burghers have laid down their arms to Gen. Pole-Carew at Edinburg and elsewhere."

"The officer commanding at Belmont reports that some deserters have come in from a Maxing mine-pouder, and another gun. Another mine-pouder has been brought into Colesberg. The cavalry brigade has gone to Thaba Nchu in order to reassure the inhabitants of that district and to put an end to the proclamation to the people of the Free State. These proclamations are being eagerly sought after."

Lord Methuen reached Warrenton on March 16. He was in time to prevent the deviation bridge from being completely destroyed and to clear the point on the Vaal. The English mail was dispatched from here by rail yesterday and tomorrow the regular railway service with Cape Town will be reopened.

Mafeking reports that all was well on March 7.

SURRENDERING ARMS.
A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Bloemfontein, dated Friday, March 15, says: "We are getting rifles surrendered faster than a factory could turn them out. It is quite certain that if a British official can reach the northern laager with Lord Roberts' proclamation the whole Boer population will declare for peace."

TALKING OF THE END.
A dispatch to the Daily News from Bloemfontein, dated Friday, March 15, says: "Events have occurred which have induced some to predict that the war will last only so long as it takes to march to Pretoria. The educated Boers, even the Transvaalers, are ready to accept the inevitable. I am told that a corps of 2,000 women has been formed at Pretoria. It is called the Amazon corps. All the members are uniformed in kilts and are armed."

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pend the independence of the Transvaal to the last."

BOERS WANT TO QUIT.
The Naples correspondent of the Daily Mail telegraphs an interview he had with Webster Davis, United States assistant secretary of the Interior. According to this, Mr. Davis said: "When I left Pretoria the Boers were in a state of confusion. President Kruger and Gen. Joubert were the strongest opponents of the peace party, but they were becoming exceedingly unpopular. I do not believe the Boers will resist much longer."

BOER FORTIFICATIONS.
LONDON, March 18.—A dispatch to the Times from Ladysmith, dated March 18, says: "Our advanced camp is on Sunday night two miles north of Elands-laagte. The Boers hold two positions on the Elandsberg range, about ten miles north. The strongest is on the Newcastle road, where several guns have already been mounted, and where they are digging extensive trenches. The second position, which is on the Dundee road, is not so strong."

FIGHT AT FOURTEEN STREAMS.
CAPE TOWN, Sunday, March 18.—The Mafeking relief column, Col. Drummond and Pieterman's command, had a sharp engagement at Fourteen Streams. The British succeeded in driving the Boers off. They had only a few casualties.

HEADED FOR MAFEEKING.
CAPE TOWN, March 18.—The mounted force from Kimberley, proceeding to the relief of Mafeking, has arrived at Warrenton. As the force near Warrenton the Boers evacuated the town, blowing up the bridge.

It is known that the burghers who refused to accompany the Transvaalers when the latter evacuated Tanga and Vryburg are preparing to trek into Da-mara and the first of the British, but the Hootent chiefs are getting ready to bar their escape.

MAFEEKING STILL BESIEGED.
PRETORIA, Friday, March 16.—It is officially denied that the siege of Mafeking has been raised or the town relieved. The British officers who have been removed from the model school to new quarters on the outskirts of the town.

REICHHMANN AT PRETORIA.
PRETORIA, March 18.—Capt. Carl Reichmann, the United States army officer detailed to conduct the relief expedition from the Boer side, returned here this morning from the Modder river.

FREE STATES QUITTING.
BLOEMFONTEIN, Saturday, March 17.—Gen. Pole-Carew's force has returned from Springfontein, where a junction was effected with Gen. Gatacre.

Gen. Pole-Carew also proceeded to Norval's Post, from which point he heliographed to Gen. Clements that 1,800 Free States had submitted at Edinburg.

MESSAGE FROM THE QUEEN.
Adds to the Joy of St. Patrick's Day Celebration.

CAPE TOWN, Sunday, March 18.—St. Patrick's day was celebrated with extraordinary enthusiasm throughout South Africa. In reply to a message by the Irishmen of Cape Town, the queen sent the following:

"I have always felt confident that the spirit, courage and allegiance which have distinguished the Irish soldiers in the face of the enemy would be shared by their brethren in the colony in support of the authority of my government."

On the initiative of Lord Roberts, a newspaper has been started at Bloemfontein for the edification of the troops.

The shamrock is the badge of the Irish, and a number of the following lines:

"O, Terence dear, and did you hear
The news that's going round?
The shamrock is the badge of law
Where'er her sons are found.
From Bloemfontein to Hallybank,
The King of Kings is being sung
We've won our right in open fight—
To the wearing of the green."

WILKINSON'S OPINION.
Figures That Col. Pieterman Will Be First to Mafeking.

LONDON, March 15.—Spencer Wilkinson, in the Morning Post, says: "Probably Mafeking will be relieved by the approach of Col. Pieterman before the relief of Kimberley. There are other routes with advantages that may be worthy of consideration. According to Winston Churchill there are 14,000 Boers with twenty guns in the Biggarsberg range. They will have to be caught sooner or later. The British troops are anxious to try, and the feeling is general that before long they will be permitted to do so."

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Commando Starts from Senat for the Besieged Town.

LOBATSI, Saturday, March 10.—It is reported that Commandant Eloff, with a commando, has left Senat for Mafeking. Commandant Schwartz, with 150 men, is threatening the railway near Aasvogel Kop north of Lobatsi.

A British patrol, who reconnoitered within fourteen miles of Mafeking, find the railway uninjured and the telegraph wires untouched north of Pitsani.

FEDERAL LOSSES.
The Killed Before the Relief of Ladysmith Placed at 677.

PRETORIA, Friday, March 16.—The chief of the Intelligence department, Montraf, announces that the federal losses prior to the relief of Kimberley and Ladysmith were: Killed, 677; wounded, 2,129; accidents, sickness and other disabling causes, he asserts, bring the total to 4,851.

SMALLPOX AT NEW HAVEN
ST. PAUL STUDENT IS ISOLATED IN CONNECTICUT TOWN.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 18.—Another case that is suspicious, bearing resemblance in diagnosis to varioloid, was discovered today in a student dormitory, a private house on Wall street. The sick man is William David Breennan, nineteen years of age, of St. Paul, Minn., one of the crack runners on the university track athletic team.

Health Officer White was called in by the attending physician, and, after consulting with the following announcement: "I cannot say that the case is varioloid or that it is measles. It is not developed enough to make a definite statement on that point. It is, however, a suspicious case, though not in the same degree the first two cases were. There is no need of fear, for the sick man is isolated."

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MINNESOTA CONGRESSMEN DISGRUNTLED BY THE ACTION OF THE SENATORS

LATTER GET NEXT TO PEOPLE

POSITION OF SENATORS DAVIS AND NELSON ON PUERTO RICAN MEASURE SURPRISE

FORMER GETS A BIG BOOST

His Name Mentioned in Connection With the Republican Presidential Nomination Four Years Hence—Jolly for Heatwolve.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 17.—(Special.)—The course pursued by Senators Davis and Nelson, with reference to the pending Puerto Rican tariff bill has of course been a severe blow to Representatives Tawney, Eddy, McCleary, Morris and Stevens. These five men, to use a slang phrase, are politically disjoined. They are not only out of joint with a majority of the leading Republicans in their districts, but also with the rank and file, and their chances therefore are anything but bright for renomination and their prospects exceedingly dismal for success at the polls in November. If any of the five are lucky enough to be given another trial by the Republican congressional convention in their districts.

MAY STAY AT HOME.
The prediction is made here by Minnesotans, who claim to know the sentiment prevailing in the districts represented by Tawney, McCleary, Stevens, Morris and Eddy, is against any of them being returned to congress because of their vote in favor of the Puerto Rican tariff bill in the house.

The assertion is made by these Minnesotans that Eddy cannot be renominated. The opinion also prevails that Morris and McCleary are pretty certain to fail to be endorsed by the Republicans of their districts. It is admitted, however, that Tawney and Stevens may be more lucky than their colleagues and again be given an opportunity to succeed themselves. Whether or not they can succeed at the polls in November is another question.

NEXT TO THE PEOPLE.
Senators Davis and Nelson have, as it is well known, been able to get "next to the people" in this Puerto Rican tariff controversy and have greatly strengthened their political positions thereby. The course pursued by Senator Davis may result in his being brought forward as the Republican candidate for the presidency four years hence. The senior senator from Minnesota has at least made a political "ten strike," and which lands him in the White house, March 4, 1906, or not, he has increased his reputation and will hereafter be considered one of the leading statesmen of his time. And the Puerto Rican fight is going to help Knute Nelson. He was in danger of losing his seat in the United States senate. His attitude on the Puerto Rican measure will strengthen him greatly with the Republicans of Minnesota. If the legislature, however, is anti-Republican, present Gov. John Lind, and his successor, will probably secure a second term in the United States senate.

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TO BE RENOMINATED.
North Dakotans here say that Representative Spaulding, who is in the hands of his present position by the legislature of that state this year. At one time Mr. Spaulding's friends feared that the Hansbrough clique in North Dakota would endeavor to throw the measure in the legislative overboard. It is now stated that Spaulding is aware of the fact that the Hansbrough men cannot injure him, and in view of the fact that he has so far made a record pleasing to his constituents, not only his renomination but his re-election in November is a certainty.

BADGER STATE FIGHT.
Members of the Wisconsin delegation in Washington are watching with intense interest the outcome of the battle royal which is now on between a dozen or more ambitious men in the Badger state to capture the Republican nomination for the governorship before next year. If the legislative contest that is now on, for the reason that the outcome may mean his political undoing, Mr. Spooner has never been extremely popular. Certain corporations are said to have been instrumental in giving him two terms in the United States senate.

The sentiment in the state is that Mr. Spooner, as a result, may be retired to private life at the end of his senatorial term. As before stated, if a man antagonistic to him is nominated and elected governor this year, it may have a great deal to do with Spooner's official and political future.

JOLLY FOR HEATWOLVE.
The presumption here is that some one has been giving Joel P. Heatwolve a big "jolly" in reference to the possibility of his being nominated for the vice presidency at the Philadelphia convention in June. The Northfield editor and self-styled statesman waxes no more now, as it is stated here for becoming Maj. McKinley's running mate than Mayor Kiefer, of St. Paul. And it is well to state in passing that Kiefer's name is still confined to the city limits of St. Paul.

But some people will continue to "jolly" the Heatwolve, and he, in turn, will, as usual, remain as silent as an owl.

FORECAST OF THE HOUSE.
The Business of the Week Is Generally Outlined.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Tomorrow is District of Columbia day in the house. Tuesday the Loud bill, relating to second-class mail matter, will come up under a special order setting aside Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for its consideration. Friday, under the rule, will be devoted to private pension legislation unless that order is superseded by the army appropriation bill, which is on the calendar.

Tomorrow, before the District business is taken up the Puerto Rican relief bill, with senate amendments, will be called up and passed. The senate amendments

BULLETIN OF IMPORTANT NEWS OF THE DAY

Weather Forecast for St. Paul: Probably Snow.

1—Progress of the War. Minnesotans in a Box. Bell Shows His Hand.

2—Local Political News. Woman Fiercely Assaulted. Address on Ireland. Window Smasher Again.

3—Minneapolis Matters. Northwest News. Big Strike in Sight. Clevel's Commercial Letter.

4—Editorial. Washington Gossip. Bishop Joyce on Labor.

5—Sporting News. Treachery in Manila. Nebraska Convention Today.

6—Popular Wants. Farm, Field and Garden.

7—Markets of the World.

8—The Ship's Adventure.

OCEAN LINERS.

METROPOLITAN—Vivia Allen in "The Christian," 8 p. m.
Avenue of St. Paul manufacturers, Commercial club, 8 p. m.
Debate between Judge Willis and T. R. Kane, in afternoon club, New York Life building, 8 p. m.
Methodist ministers meet, Y. M. C. A. rooms, 2 p. m.
Eighth ward Democrats meet, Jarosz's hall, Thomas and Gaultier streets.
Shelton Lodge No. 11, A. F. & A. M., meets, Masonic hall, South Wabasha street.

TODAY IN ST. PAUL.

BREMEN—Arrived: Steamer Munchen, Baltimore.
CHERBOURG—Sailed: Steamer New York (from Southampton), New York.
QUEENSTOWN—Sailed: Steamer Bovie, from Liverpool, New York.
NEW YORK—Arrived: La Gasconne, Havre.
PORTLAND, Me.—Arrived: Steamer Vancouver, Liverpool.

ACCIDENT ON AN I ROAD

NINE PERSONS INJURED IN NEW YORK CITY.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Nine persons were injured early this morning in an accident to a New York Elevated railway train near Barclay street. Five of the nine are severely injured, and one is in a hospital suffering from a fracture of the skull. Four of the injured are at Bellevue hospital. The others were sent to their homes. The most seriously injured, besides Finley, are Richard B. Barlow, of Yonkers, engineer of the train, scalp wounds and shock; Thomas Shelvey, an engineer, internally injured; Alfred Alexander, salesman, internally injured and taken to the hospital unconscious; James Manning, laborer, injured about the head.

The train left South Ferry for Harlem and passed the Battery plaza station at its usual speed, and was approaching the crossing station. The engineer did not need coal for his engine and so did not signal to the man in charge of the coal-truck. The coal-truck was in the way of the train, although the coal man says it was through the vibration caused by the approaching train, the coal chute dropped down almost at the moment the train reached the station. The chute struck the roof of the cab and tore it off, at the same time throwing Engineer Barlow and Fireman Hutchings to the floor of the cab.

Barlow's hand was at the throttle at the moment of the collision. As he fell his hand turned the pressure still more, and the engine dashed ahead at full speed upon the track, not stopping until it reached Barclay street station. Meanwhile the chute had wrecked the roof of the two passenger coaches, and the dozen passengers were thrown in every direction.

DEWEYS STARTED SOUTH

THEY EXPECT TO VISIT SEVERAL SOUTHERN STATES.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Admiral and Mrs. Dewey left here tonight for a trip South. They expect to visit Savannah, Macon, St. Augustine, Jacksonville and Palm Beach, and the admiral says Mrs. Dewey probably will not return to the city until the latter part of next month, at which time it is said they will sail for Europe, visiting the exposition some time during the summer.

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FIND A GOOD WITNESS

EVIDENCE AGAINST GOEBEL'S SLAYERS BEING COLLECTED.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 18.—A special to the Courier Journal from Lexington, Ky., says: Attorney T. C. Campbell, of New York, County Attorney Polsgrove and Commonwealth's Attorney Robert Franklin, of Frankfort, were here today, and held a three-hour consultation with Sergeant F. Wharton Golden, of the Barbourville company of state militia, who was wounded in the Colson-Scott shooting in the Capitol hotel at Frankfort in January. He went to the state capitol to nurse his brother and remained there as a member of the militia guard about the state house. The attorneys mentioned are managing the investigation into the assassination of Gov. Goebel and will conduct the prosecution of the persons already arrested as accessories to the murder.

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