

WAR NEWS HELD UP.

Nothing Heard From Natal Since Sunday.

RUMORS OF JOUBERT'S INJURY.

Great Britain's Loss Now Amounts to Nearly Eight Thousand—Great Anxiety For Ladysmith Garrison and Blame For Buller.

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The war office has not contributed the least particular as to what is taking place in Natal since Sunday. Neither has it allowed the dispatches of correspondents to get through. Consequently the facts of the situation are replaced by conjectures, and the impotence of the public pours itself into a discussion of the conduct of the war and of what might have been done or ought now to be done.

The Daily Mail's Estocote (Natal) correspondent states that Commandant General Joubert has been seriously injured and will take no further part in the war. His horse was shot from under the general and rolled over on him, causing a rupture and serious injury to the spine.

Great Britain's losses since the war began are first approaching 8,000. A war office compilation of casualties issued last evening shows a total of 7,213—1,027 killed, 3,675 wounded and 2,511 missing. These do not include 140 who have succumbed to disease nor the casualties at Ladysmith last Saturday.

Major General Prior, commanding the Fifteenth brigade, under orders to proceed to South Africa, died on Monday. A dispatch to The Daily Chronicle, dated at Frere camp, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, says:

"There has been no bombardment of Ladysmith today, nor any shelling at Chieveley by the British guns."

The Berlin correspondent of The Daily Mail gives under reserve a report that 45,000 hydride shells have been turned out by the Krupp works, which are not destined for England, but were ordered some time ago by Dr. Leyds.

The Daily Mail has the following dispatch, dated Sunday, Jan. 7, from Cape Town:

"Dordrecht is now garrisoned by 1,000 rebels, thus releasing the Orange Free State troops for service elsewhere."

The Daily Graphic makes the following statement regarding the seizures of German vessels by British warships:

"Germany has addressed two notes to the British foreign office challenging Great Britain's right to detain any vessels traveling between two neutral ports. These notes have been duly answered."

"The queen's government find them selves wholly unable to acquiesce in Germany's contention. Germany cited a case in support of her contention, but on examination this so called precedent proved to be quite inapplicable to the seizures under discussion."

"The correspondence between the two governments rests there, pending a decision by the prize court."

The remarkable revolution in Boer tactics has been another complete surprise to the British, who had not reckoned on the weakened garrison of Ladysmith being subjected to such a courageous assault, and it is realized that General White's troops cannot be expected to lengthily prolong such an arduous defense. In some quarters it is considered unaccountable that General Buller did not press his attempt to effect a passage of the Tugela river while the Boers were engaged northward, and the comments on his apparent supineness are now commonplace.

Advices from the Modder river say the Boers continue to extend their works, and it is estimated that 30,000 men are required to defend them.

Little change is apparent in the position at Colberg. General French reported to the war office Sunday morning, Jan. 7, that he had reconnoitered with a squadron of the Household Cavalry on the Boers' east flank, two miles from Achtterkant, and drew a considerable force of burghers, who, being anxious for their communications with Norval's Post, withdrew.

The casualties of the Suffolk near Colberg were: Killed, Colonel Watson and Lieutenants Wilkins, Carey and White and 23 men; missing, Captains Brett, Thomson and Brown and Lieutenants Hants, Allen, Wood-Martin and Butler and 107 men; wounded, 21 men.

General French further reports that the casualties of the other regiments to Jan. 4 were 12 men killed and 44 wounded.

BRITISH GARRISON CAPTURED.

The Town of Kuruman Yields to a Boer Attack.

PRETORIA, Jan. 8.—Field Cornet Visser, under date of Tuesday, Jan. 2, reports as follows from Kuruman, British Bechuanaland:

"I commenced a bombardment of Kuruman yesterday morning, aiming at the police barracks. The fight lasted until 6 in the evening, when the garrison surrendered, issuing from the forts and yielding up arms."

"We took 120 prisoners, including Captain Bates and Captain Dennison, Mr. Hilliard, the magistrate, and eight other officers. We also captured 70 rifles, together with a number of rifles and revolvers and a quantity of ammunition."

"Fifteen British were wounded. They are being attended by us with the help of Dr. Beaune, an English physician."

"The horses, oxen, mules and flour taken from the prisoners have been sent to Pretoria by way of Vryburg."

German Steamer Released.

ADEN, Jan. 10.—The imperial German mail steamer General, detained here by the British authorities since Jan. 4 on suspicion of having contraband of war on board, has been released. After her cargo had been examined it was found that she only had a few chemicals and acetres on board. Nothing else was disclosed. A quantity of Trieste flour, brought by a Lloyd's steamer supposed to be bound for the Transvaal, has been held pending the decision of a prize court.

Noted Divine Dead.

NEWBURG, N. Y., Jan. 8.—The Rev. Dr. Edward McGlynn, rector of St. Mary's church, died at the rectory at 5:20 Sunday afternoon after an illness of six weeks. Death was due to heart failure superinduced by Bright's disease.

Bontelle's Condition Encouraging.

BANGOR, Me., Jan. 9.—The latest reports from Congressman Bontelle are of an encouraging nature. He sleeps well, takes a liberal amount of nourishment and shows decided improvement.

DRIVING OUT TAGALS.

Otis Reports Several Successful Encounters In Luzon.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The war department has received the following from General Otis:

"Manila, Jan. 8.—Bates pursuing an enemy in south with vigor. Schwann's column, moving along shore Laguna de Bay struck 800 insurgents under General Noriel at Binen 6th inst, and drove them westward on Silang; captured place, from which point cavalry pushed through to Indang. Schwann captured three of Noriel's six pieces artillery and will take remainder; also his transportation, with records and large quantity of ammunition. Two battalions Twenty-eighth, part of Wheaton's column, struck enemy near Imus yesterday, killing and wounding 140."

"Berkheimer, with battalion Twenty-eighth, struck enemy entrenched west of Bacoor yesterday morning. Enemy left on field 65 dead, 40 wounded and 32 rifles. Our loss thus far Lieutenant Cheney, Fourth infantry; four enlisted men killed, 24 enlisted men wounded. Expected that Schwann's troops will cut off retreat of enemy's favorite army. Wheaton moving on Das Marinas. Boyd, Thirty-seventh infantry, moved east from Las Banos, surrounded troops of General Riscal at daylight, capturing Riscal and considerable property. It is expected that Cavite and Batangas provinces will be cleared up soon. In the north Leonhauser, with three companies Twenty-fifth, attacked robber bands in Arayat mountains, dispersed them, destroying their barracks and subsistence. Found there five of our prisoners, whom they had picked up on railroad; three killed and two seriously wounded. These northern robber bands will be actively pursued."

M'GOVERN BEATS DIXON.

Is Now the Bantam and Feather-weight World Champion.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—After holding the featherweight championship of the world, which he won from "Cal" McCarty nearly nine years ago, George Dixon had to relinquish it to the little Brooklyn "terror," Terry McGovern, last night at the Broadway Athletic club. McGovern, in defeating Dixon, possesses double championship honors. He is now the bantam as well as the featherweight champion of the world. The fight only lasted eight rounds.

Terry won the former title in short order by defeating "Paddy" Palmer in less than half a round at Westchester a few months ago, and his defeat of Dixon stamps him as a wonder in either class.

In fact, McGovern stands now in a class by himself. He has met everybody of any note under 122 pounds and has dismissed each one of them in such a decisive manner that some new phenomenon will have to be brought to the surface to wrest his honors from him.

Dixon went down to defeat after the hardest battle of his life, but while beaten the dusky Nova Scotian had the sympathy of everybody and is as much thought of, though despoiled of his championship honors, as he ever was. Dixon's career in the ring during the last 12 years is a most enviable one. Only once during that time was he knocked out.

DROWNED IN THE MOHAWK.

S. D. Greene and Wife of Schenectady Skate to Their Death.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Jan. 9.—S. Dana Greene, an official of the General Electric company, and his wife were drowned last evening while skating on the Mohawk river. The body of Mrs. Greene was recovered before she died, while that of her husband was found three hours later.

Scrummies were heard by men at work on the Bellevue shore shortly before 6 o'clock, and a boat was immediately dispatched to the rescue. The body of Mrs. Greene was found, life not being extinct when it was taken from the water. She died, however, in a few moments. It was then discovered that Mr. Greene also was missing, and searching parties were sent to drag the river for his body, which was recovered shortly before 9 o'clock.

TWO WOMEN CREMATED.

Perished in the Burning of Joseph Pulitzer's New York House.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Two women were burned to death today in a terrible fire that destroyed the palatial city house of Joseph Pulitzer, Nos. 10 and 12 East Fifty-third street. There were many thrilling escapes. At the risk of her own life Mrs. Pulitzer fought her way through smoke and heat up stairs to the nursery and rescued her 3-months-old baby, Herbert.

The fire started in the conservatory in the rear on the first floor. All the inside of the house is ruined. It was a storehouse of costly works of art. The loss will be at least \$200,000.

South Carolina Prosperous.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Jan. 10.—The general assembly of South Carolina assembled yesterday. In his annual message Governor McQueeney congratulates the general assembly upon existing conditions. There is no bitter political factionalism in the state, and South Carolina has advanced wonderfully in the year just closed. There has been no mob violence, and good order has prevailed. The condition of the state's finances is encouraging. The net income of railroads in the state for 1899 was \$2,701,430.16.

Two Murderers Hanged.

MONTROSE, Pa., Jan. 10.—Cornelius Shaw and James J. Egan, the murderers of Andrew J. Pepper, an aged and wealthy farmer of Rush township, Susquehanna county, were hanged here yesterday. The drop fell at 10:03 o'clock, three minutes after the men left their cells. Sheriff Maxey was assisted in the execution by Ward Duell, a former sheriff, and Sheriff Charles Knapp of Wyoming county.

Newark City Home Burned.

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 10.—The Newark City Home, a reformatory for children at Verona, N. J., was burned to the ground last night, involving a loss of nearly \$100,000. Three hundred inmates were got out in safety and about 275 were marched a couple of miles to the other institutions, where they were placed in confinement. About 25 boys are missing, but they are all known to have got out of the building in safety.

Roosevelt Appoints Williams.

ALBANY, Jan. 10.—The designation by Governor Roosevelt of Justice Pardon C. Williams of Watertown as a justice of the appellate division bench, fourth department, to succeed Justice Walter Lloyd Smith, has been filed with the secretary of state.

OUT OF DEATH'S JAWS.

Lieutenant Gillmore Tells the Story of His Captivity.

TERRIBLE SUFFERING AND CRUELTY.

Filipinos Hard Pressed by Relief Party Abandoned Prisoners to Starve—Found Two Days Later In a Desperate Condition.

MANILA, Jan. 8.—Lieutenant J. C. Gillmore of the United States cruiser Yorktown, who was captured by the insurgents last April near Baler, on the east coast of Luzon, and rescued a few days ago by Colonel Luther R. Hare of the Thirty-third volunteer infantry, sat in the apartment of his sister, Mrs. Major Price, at the Hotel Oriente, in Manila, and told a remarkable story of his eight months in captivity, ending with his dramatic deliverance from a death that seemed inevitable.

Lieutenant Gillmore made the following statement for publication:

"The Filipinos abandoned us on the night of Dec. 15. We had reached the Abulot river near its source that morning, and the Filipinos rafted us over. We then went down the stream along a rough trail, guarded by a company of Filipinos. That night we were separated from this guard, and another company, armed with Mausers, was put in charge of us. I suspected something and questioned the lieutenant in command. He said: 'I have orders from General Tineo to shoot you all, but my conscience forbids. I shall leave you here.'"

"I begged him for two rifles to protect us from savages, adding that I would give him letters to the Americans, who would pay him well and keep him from all harm. He refused this, however, saying that he would not dare to comply. Soon afterward he left with his company."

"We had seen some savages in war-paint around us, and we prepared to fight them with colibolones, the only weapons that were available to us. The next morning we followed the trail of the Filipino soldiers, feeling that it was better to stick to them than to be murdered by savages, but we could not catch up with them. Then I ordered the men to build rafts in the hope of floating down the river. It was a forlorn hope, but I knew the river must empty into the sea somewhere. I was so weak myself that I did not expect to get out, but I thought some of the men could."

"On the morning of Dec. 18, while we were working on the rafts, the Americans came toward us yelling. One of my men shouted, 'They are on us!' He was lashing a raft of bamboo. I, however, knew it was not the yell of savages, but the yell of Americans. The rescuing troops thought we had Filipino guards and called to us in English to lie down so that they could shoot the Filipinos. That was the finest body of officers and men I ever saw."

Lieutenant Gillmore could not speak enthusiastically enough about the 140 picked-up men who had rescued him and his party.

The command spent the day in making rafts. Colonel Hare thought Lieutenant Gillmore too weak to live through the trip, but there was no alternative. They shot many rapids, the men lashing all their efforts and Lieutenant Gillmore some valuable papers. Only 14 out of 37 rafts survived the first night's experiences, and 80 men were practically unable to walk when Vigan was reached.

"The Filipino treatment of the Spaniards in Cuba, but I have seen Spaniards dying at the rate of two or three per day from starvation in the hospitals at Vigan. I have seen Tagalog officers strike Spaniards in the face with whips and revolvers."

Among the prisoners arriving with Lieutenant Gillmore were F. J. Hubert, Edward Burke and J. J. Farley, sailors from the Urdaneta; Von Galen of the Baltimore; A. H. Gordon and George Sackett of the Third infantry; Leonard Smith and Frank Stone of the signal corps; Harry Huber of the hospital corps; William Bruce and Edward Honeyman of the Nevada cavalry; Martin Brennan and James Curran of the Sixteenth infantry; Albert Bishop of the Third artillery and John O'Brien and David Brown, civilians.

Charles Baker of the Third artillery was formerly one of the prisoners, but he became too weak to travel, and the Filipino guards bayoneted him during the last flight through the mountains.

Death of Columbia's Executive.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Jan. 8.—Advices from Columbia report the death of President M. A. Sanclemente, which has created a new situation and greatly complicated the political outlook. The insurgents are making the most of the changed conditions. Additional calls for men and loans made upon the state of Panama will, it is thought likely, provoke an open revolt. The revolutionary movement was as the case in 1885, the present situation being intolerable.

The Permanent Arch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The committee having in charge the raising of funds for the erection of a Dewey permanent arch has received a note from John D. Rockefeller saying that he would give \$5,000. They also got a check for \$2,000 from a banker who does not wish his name to be known. Since Jan. 1 the committee has received more than \$10,000 in pledges and cash, and the total amount now aggregates more than \$200,000.

Ex-Surgeon General Hammond Dead.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Dr. William A. Hammond, formerly surgeon general of the army, died at his residence in this city last night from an attack of heart disease, brought on by a hurriedly ascending flight of stairs. He expired before a physician could be summoned. Dr. Hammond had been in the house but a short time before the attack. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed.

Good Season For Fishermen.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Jan. 5.—The estimated catch of salt water fish by the Gloucester fishing fleet for 1899 is 128,967,570 pounds, to care for which it required 30,000 tons of ice and 30,000 tons of salt. About 300 vessels were employed in the fisheries, and the year was a fairly prosperous one.

Another Challenge From Lipton.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Sir Thomas Lipton has again challenged for the America's cup. He says he will build the finest yacht ever constructed.

TAX LAW CHANGES.

Comptroller Morgan Would Relieve Real Estate.

ALBANY, Jan. 10.—State Comptroller William J. Morgan, in his first annual report to the legislature, makes some highly important recommendations for legislation and advocates radical changes in the state's attitude toward corporations and in the financial system of the state.

Briefly enumerated, they are as follows:

The elimination of a direct tax on real and personal estate, because real estate bears an extremely unfair proportion of the burden, and the providing of money for support of the state government by indirect taxes as is done in Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

The making of a tax rate large enough to provide a sufficient sum to pay state expenses during the early part of each fiscal year, so as to avoid the necessity of borrowing money at high rates of interest.

The elimination from the supply bills of items except such deficiencies as occur through oversight in making up the general appropriation bill.

The taxation of capital "invested, employed or held" in this state so as to prevent corporations from escaping a state tax by alleging that their capital is invested but not employed.

The prevention of corporations from escaping direct taxation locally on personal property through the payment of a small indirect tax to the state.

Providing that every incorporated company, regardless of the business engaged in, except quasi public corporations, such as transmission companies, now paying on gross earnings, shall be taxed on their authorized capital, the tax to increase as dividends increase.

The reduction of the organization tax in this state so as to encourage companies to organize here instead of in other states.

The enactment of an amendment to the corporation laws that will be less onerous than the present ones as to liability of directors of corporations, without permitting wrecking or swindling.

Compelling religious and charitable institutions to pay the inheritance tax on bequests, the same as widows and children.

The completion of the nine foot improvement to the canal, the installing of hydraulic locks and the introduction at once of electricity for propulsion, to be furnished by the state and sold for transmission at cost.

Three Mississippians Shot.

VICKSBURG, Miss., Jan. 10.—Oakridge, a little hamlet 18 miles northeast of this city, was the scene yesterday of a pistol fight in which three of the best known residents of the county were killed. The dead are A. D. Rolland, R. S. Stepien and Dr. Otto Austin. Only meager details of the encounter are obtainable, but it transpires that Dr. James Austin, his son, Otto Austin, and his son-in-law, R. S. Stepien, had been arrested on an affidavit sworn out by Rolland charging them with whipping one of Rolland's negro tenants. The trial was set for yesterday morning in Justice Griffin's court at Oakridge. The trial had hardly begun when the shooting began. When the smoke had cleared away, Rolland, Stepien and Otto Austin were stretched on the floor dead, and Dr. James Austin and a young son of Rolland were seriously wounded.

Pullman Executors Get Large Fee.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Robert T. Lincoln and Norman B. Remm, executors of the estate of the late George M. Pullman, have been allotted as compensation for their services the sum of \$425,000. The order was entered by Judge Hatten in the probate court. This is said to be the largest amount in fees ever allowed executors of any estate handled by the probate court here. Another order was made giving the widow's award of \$20,000. The final accounting of the above executors in the Pullman estate is expected to be made next week. It is said that the estate, which was listed at about \$8,000,000 when the will was probated, will now figure up to nearly \$14,000,000.

First Aluminum Telephone.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 6.—The world's first aluminum telephone system is in operation between this city and New Kensington, a distance of 18 miles, and is so much of a success that it is said the Pennsylvania company operating lines west of Pittsburgh has ordered a similar system to be used in connection with the heavy copper system now in use.

Negro Exodus From Georgia.

COVINGTON, Jan. 8.—This section of Georgia is threatened with a large famine owing to the fact that the negroes in large numbers are leaving for Mississippi, Arkansas and Louisiana, where there is said to be a big demand for negro labor. Almost daily two or three carloads of negroes westward bound leave this section.

Snow Blocks Klondike Route.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 9.—Heavy snow falls and slides have blocked the line of the White Pass and Yukon railroad, and traffic to the Klondike and other districts is suspended indefinitely. The rotary snowplow has broken down in endeavoring to clear a passage through the accumulated heaps.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—FLOUR—State and western was inactive and rather weak. Minnesota patents, \$3.80-4.05; winter straights, \$3.40-3.45; winter extras, \$2.50-2.60. WHEAT—Market opened weak under cable news, but subsequently rallied slightly on foreign buying; March, 74 1/2-74 3/4; May, 73 1/2-74 1/4. RYE—Steady; state, 55-56; c. f. n. New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 60 1/2-61. OATS—Market opened weak through the influence of cable news and the drop in wheat and was dull all the morning. OATS—4 1/2-4 3/4; track, white, state, 31a 3/4; track, white, western, 31a 3/4. PORK—Firm; mess, \$10.25-10.75; family, \$12-12.50. LARD—Easy; prime western steam, \$6 1/2. BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 20a 3/4; state creamery, 20a 3/4. CHEESE—Firm; full made, fancy, small, 12 1/2-13c; full made, fancy, large, 12 1/2-13c. EGGS—Weak and lower; state and Pennsylvania, 24c; western, 24c; loss off; western, ungraded at mark, 16a 1/2. SUGAR—Raw strong; fair refined, 35c; crushed, 36c; 4-1/2-16c. MOLASSES—Quiet, but firm; New Orleans, 22a-40c. RICE—Steady; domestic, 4a 3/4-5c; Japan, 4 1/2-5c. TALLOW—Steady; city, 5 1/2-6c; country, 5 1/2-6c. HAY—Firm; shipping, 72 1/2-80c; good to choice, 80a 7/8c.

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