

LOOKS VERY WARLIKE.

The Transvaal Controversy Reaches an Acute Phase.

A SPECIAL CABINET MEETING.

Great Activity at the British Admiralty, the War Office and the Colonial Office—Meantime Boers Angrily Discuss Assembling British Troops on Border.

London, Sept. 6.—The premier, the Marquis of Salisbury, came to London today from Walmer to confer with the secretary of state for the colonies, Joseph Chamberlain, and a cabinet council has been summoned for Friday, urgent messages having been sent to all the ministers requesting their attendance.

There is great activity at the admiralty, the war office and the colonial office. Numerous telegrams from South Africa arrived at the colonial office yesterday, but their contents have not been made public.

General Lord Wolsley, field marshal and commander-in-chief, is in daily communication with the war office, as are also General Sir Evelyn Wood, adjutant general to the forces, and Colonel Hector Archibald MacDonald, aide-de-camp to the queen.

The press association asserts that the officers of the Highland Light Infantry at Davenport notified their men last evening to prepare for departure, probably tomorrow.

The Daily Mail expresses the opinion that the "next move will be an ultimatum unless President Kruger yields." It declares that 15,000 men is the outside number that the Transvaal government can put into the field.

The Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "I learn from Boer sources that reliable news has been received at The Hague from Pretoria to the effect that President Kruger will not give Mr. Chamberlain time to send an ultimatum, but will take advantage of the first suspicious move of the British troops on the border to assume the offensive."

The Times, which comments editorially upon the gravity of the situation that necessitates a cabinet council at such an unusual period, says: "It would be unparadonable folly to shut our eyes to the suspiciously dilatory character of President Kruger's diplomacy and to the energy with which he is simultaneously preparing for war. It is well known that General Sir Henry Buller has been selected to command the British forces, should war unfortunately come, but it is the clear duty of the government to take other steps beside the choice of a commander."

According to a dispatch from Pretoria the volksraad yesterday accepted Mr. Coester's motion to fix the debates to grow out of the interpellation of the government as to the assembling of British troops along the Transvaal borders for tomorrow.

In presenting his motion Mr. Coester referred to the "Jameson raid and other outrages and murders committed by British troops" as leading him to distrust the present concentration. He declared that the convention of 1884 did not contain the suzerainty stipulation, and he maintained that Mr. Chamberlain had broken that convention by interfering in the internal affairs of the republic.

Other burghers supported Mr. Coester, saying that, while negotiations were proceeding, all the British colonies were offering armed assistance. "And must the Transvaal remain silent?" exclaimed a burgher. "It is opposed to Christianity to conduct friendly negotiations and yet mobilize troops. We must know why the British troops are on our borders." The motion to wait until tomorrow for the government's reply was agreed to unanimously.

MISS GRANT'S PRINCE.

The Royal Seson Who Is to Marry the General's Daughter.

New York, Sept. 6.—Among the passengers on board the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, which arrived here yesterday, is Prince Cantacuzene, who on Sept. 25 is to marry Miss Julia



PRINCE MICHAEL CANTACUZENE. Dent Grant, daughter of General and Mrs. Frederick D. Grant. Mrs. Grant, who has been resting in the Hudson, and Honore Palmer met the prince when the steamship reached her pier. The prince, with Mrs. Grant and Mr. Palmer, left for Newport last evening to visit the prospective bride.

John Y. McKane Dead.

New York, Sept. 6.—John Y. McKane died at his home in Coney Island at 6:15 o'clock last night, aged 58 years. McKane was formerly the political boss of Coney Island, and gained national notoriety in 1894, when he was placed on trial for ballot stuffing, was convicted and served a term in Sing Sing, less the commutation for good behavior allowed all convicts.

The Speedy Shamrock. New York, Sept. 6.—The Shamrock was out again for a spin yesterday. During the afternoon she logged 12 knots over a moderately rough sea. The rough weather did not appear to check her speed, and she rode over the waters easily.

FIVE KILLED AND SEVEN INJURED

By Boiler Explosion at the Republic Iron Works, Pittsburgh.

Pittsburg, Sept. 2.—A boiler explosion at the Republic iron works, on South Twenty-fourth street, shortly before daylight yesterday, killed five men and seriously injured seven others. A fire which broke out following the explosion added to the horror. The mill was partly wrecked and the entire plant was compelled to close down.

The killed and injured are: David Matthews, married; Thomas Beavens, married; William Thomas, married; John Warminski and an unknown man, who was crushed almost beyond recognition.

The explosion occurred just as one force was leaving and another coming on duty, so that there were only a few men in the mill at the time. If it had happened a half hour later the list of dead and injured would have been appalling. It occurred in the 14-inch department, and the concussion was terrific. Buildings were shaken a mile away, and dust riled the air for two or three blocks. It entered open windows and nearly suffocated persons who were aroused by the roar and the shock.

Immediately following the explosion the wreckage took fire, and this added to the difficulties encountered in rescuing the burned and mangled victims. A fire alarm was quickly sounded, and in a short time the flames were under control, after which the firemen were employed in searching the ruins for the dead and injured.

The first two bodies taken out were identified as those of Beavens and Matthews. The bodies were lying against their wrecked furnace. The men had been knocked down by the flying bricks, and were roasted to death by the heat of their own furnace. The others were found soon after and sent to the morgue. The injured were removed to the South Side hospital, where they received prompt attention.

ITEMS OF STATE NEWS.

Philadelphia, Sept. 4.—Lieutenant Commander Winslow, of Rear Admiral Sampson's staff, in speaking for the admiral today absolutely denied the report that the admiral is to be relieved of the command of the North Atlantic squadron at his own request. The commander said that Admiral Sampson is enjoying good health, and that he wants to stay with the squadron.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 5.—David L. Lewis, aged 11 years, was shot and killed at a pigeon shooting match in this city yesterday afternoon. The boy ran towards the trap to capture a wounded pigeon, when he received a load of shot in the body. The shooting was accidental, but two of the shooters, John Bates and John Jones, were taken into custody on the charge of manslaughter.

Allentown, Pa., Sept. 2.—Brainard Ibach was shot and instantly killed yesterday by Mrs. Alice M. Ritter in the woman's room in the shopping part of the city. Mrs. Ritter then killed herself. Ibach was single, 32 years of age. Mrs. Ritter was older, and was the second wife of Charles F. Ritter, from whom she separated because of Ibach's intimacy with her. Ibach and the woman had been meeting for several years. Recently he tired of her and she became jealous. When shot Ibach was lying in bed.

Seranton, Pa., Sept. 5.—The tenth annual convention of the National Letter Carriers' association was opened in this city yesterday afternoon with by far the biggest parade in the association's history and the biggest in Seranton's experience, so far as uniformed men are concerned. Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith and Governor Stone reviewed the parade from a large stand in front of the federal and postoffice building, with a large number of postmasters and T. V. Powderly, commissioner of immigration. A conservative estimate of the total number in line is 5,000.

Pittston, Pa., Sept. 4.—Striking miners at the Stevens colliery, at Exeter, near here, met in battle with coal and iron policemen Saturday, one man being killed, two fatally wounded and a dozen others more or less hurt. The dead man is Leopold Wolkoski, a leader of the strikers, who was shot in the head while leading the mob against a gang of men who were preparing to go to work. It is asserted that the first shots were fired from the ranks of the strikers. This was returned with a volley from the officers, and the strikers fled, leaving their dead and wounded behind. A score of arrests have been made.

Howard Gould's Long Cruise. Southampton, Sept. 6.—Howard Gould and party, on Mr. Gould's steam yacht Niagara, have returned to Southampton from Norway, having cruised 12,000 miles since May 12, on which date the Niagara sailed from New York. The company celebrated the Fourth of July at Hammerfest, Norway, from which port they proceeded by land to Alexandavik, a newly founded Russian town, where the Stars and Stripes had a hearty reception by Finns and Russians. Subsequently the Niagara put in at Copenhagen and Stockholm. At St. Petersburg the Grand Duke Alexis was entertained on the Niagara, as Emperor William was also when the vessel reached Kiel. Mr. Gould will sail for New York in a few days in order that he may be able to see the Columbia-Shamrock races.

Lottery Tickets Seized. New York, Sept. 6.—The superintendent of the Adams Express company reported to Chief of Police Devery yesterday that his company had received from Montreal a trunk which it was believed contained packages of lottery drawings. The trunk was opened and found to contain 56 packages of lottery drawings of the Kentucky lottery. The packages were seized and turned over to the police property clerk.

Fatalities Due to Employer's Negligence. Chicago, Sept. 6.—The Pittsburg Bridge company and Charles M. Peaseley, superintendent, were held responsible by a coroner's jury for the death of 11 men who were killed in the collapse of the arches of the Coliseum building, in course of construction, on Aug. 28. The jury's verdict declares that "had the proper precautions been taken the accident would not have happened."

GRAND ARMY'S PARADE

Twenty Thousand Veterans March Through Philadelphia Streets.

REVIEWED BY THE PRESIDENT.

The Chief Magistrate of the Nation Also Visited the War Vessels of the North Atlantic Squadron and Was Given an Enthusiastic Reception.

Philadelphia, Sept. 6.—Of the 50,000 veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic now in this city 20,000 participated in yesterday's parade, which was reviewed by President McKinley at the city hall. The parade was witnessed by nearly a hundred thousand people, who lined the streets along the three and a half mile line of march and crowded every window and other point of vantage from which a view of the great concourse could be had. The people were packed in such solid masses that even breathing was difficult. As a result of the crush about 400 men, women and children were overcome and taken from the crowd to various hospitals.

With President McKinley and Mayor Ashbridge there were on the reviewing stand Rear Admiral Melville, Rear Admiral Sampson and the officers of the fleet now in the harbor, together with Secretary of War Root, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, Jacob G. Schurman, of the Philippine commission; Presidential Secretary J. Addison Porter and Assistant Secretary George B. Cortelyou.

The parade was six hours and ten minutes passing the reviewing stand. At the head of each organization marched military bands and drum corps, and as the war scarred veterans moved proudly along the streets tumultuous applause greeted them and a sea of handkerchiefs and small flags waved in admiration and welcome.

When the Ohio posts appeared the aged paraders became wild with enthusiasm. One veteran broke ranks and standing before his comrades shouted: "Three cheers for the biggest man on earth, Major William McKinley, of Ohio." This invitation for cheers was followed by a mighty roar, which was echoed and re-echoed among the spectators for blocks.

No feature of the long parade inspired half the enthusiasm in the ranks of the marching veterans as did the singing of patriotic airs by 3,000 school children, who occupied seats upon the immense stand that faced the marching hosts as they came down Broad street to the public buildings. The children attired in blue formed in huge outline the letters G. A. R. Between these letters those in red cloaks were seated in the form of monster keystones, while a thousand or more who were attired in pure white formed the background, which brought out the letters and the staves in vivid relief.

Before the parade of the old soldiers president McKinley and his staff, together with Admiral Sampson and other officers of the fleet now lying in the Delaware, drove over the greater part of the route. Though the weather was early there were already many people on the street, and the reception accorded them was of that hearty and enthusiastic character always accorded the president in Philadelphia.

After leaving the reviewing stand the president was entertained at luncheon in the rooms of the department of public works.

The visit to the fleet was decided upon yesterday morning when Admiral Sampson called upon the president at the Hotel Walton. It was the intention to have the chief executive to remain here until Friday to review the naval parade and visit the squadron, but the president's desire to return to Washington last night caused a rearrangement in the program. The visit of the president to the squadron proved to be the greatest marine spectacle ever seen here. It was the intention to have Mr. McKinley visit only the New York, but he grew so enthusiastic over the great fighters that he suddenly made up his mind to inspect all of them. There was a almost continuous roar of guns during the one and three-quarters hours that it took to inspect the vessels. In all 462 guns were fired by the squadron in president's salutes.

The return of the president to the shore was an inspiring one. The Texas was moored, furthest up the river, and the presidential party had to pass each of the great vessels on its return to shore. The river was alive with craft crowded to their utmost capacity, and a great noise was being made. As the barge neared the flagship the signal was given to salute, and six big ships again belched forth a terrific salute. Every man and officer on the ships stood at attention, and the bands added to the din by again playing "Hail to the Chief." The barge was stopped while the salute was being fired, and after it had ceased the twelve brawny sailors pulled for the shore, closing one of the most patriotic scenes that has ever taken place on the river.

Last night the president attended the Grand Army campfire at the Academy of Music, and made a feeling speech of greeting to his comrades in the civil war. Later he was the guest of honor at a banquet in Odd Fellows' Temple, tendered by Meade Post, of this city, to the Lafayette Post, of New York, and the Kingsley Post, of Boston. Here, too, he made a brief speech. Secretary Root and Professor Schurman also spoke.

The presidential party retired from the banqueting hall and drove directly to the Pennsylvania railroad station, where the party boarded a special train and left for Washington at 11:30 o'clock.

The first event of the week was the parade of naval veterans and the crews of the North Atlantic fleet, which took place on Monday. The three rear admirals, Sampson, Casey and Melville, rode in carriages, and were loudly cheered.

The fight for commander-in-chief is very exciting. Colonel Albert D. Shaw of Watertown, N. Y., seems to lead, with Comrade Leo Rausser of St. Louis a good second. The contest among the cities for the holding of next year's encampment has narrowed down to Chicago and Salt Lake City. It is practically conceded that Chicago will be the winner.

JIMINEZ WELCOMED HOME.

The Santo Domingo Revolutionist Hailed as a Deliverer.

Porto Plata, Santo Domingo, Sept. 6.—General Isidro Jiminez landed here yesterday, having come from Cuba, touching at Cape Haytien on the way. He was received at the water side by



DON JUAN ISIDRO JIMINEZ.

An immense throng. His reception, arranged by General Ramon Imbert, was enthusiastic. The news of Jiminez's arrival has been sent into the interior, and it is believed that settled order and peace will soon be restored.

Last night there was a popular demonstration, with a procession of soldiers and citizens and speeches of welcome.

Wreck of the Morgan City. Washington, Sept. 5.—The following official dispatch, received at the war department from Nagasaki, Japan, yesterday afternoon gives some particulars of the wreck of the transport Morgan City: "Transport Morgan City, under guidance of experienced pilot, struck reef in inland sea, eight miles from Ononuchi, 250 miles from Nagasaki, about 4 a. m. Sept. 1. Backed off at daylight. Vessel filled rapidly, was beached and all saved. Officers and crew did excellent work. Have telegraphed to Kobe for food. Am sending wrecking crew vessel food from here. Cargo almost all lost. Can you send me transport from Manila? General Otis notified the department that the Ohio would be sent to Nagasaki."

Dewey's Washington Reception. Washington, Sept. 6.—Preparations for the reception of Admiral Dewey in this city are rapidly assuming shape, and from the program, even in its present incomplete condition, the celebration will be one of the most noteworthy that has ever occurred in Washington. The admiral's reception here will be largely in the nature of an official function, as its central feature will be the presentation of the magnificent sword voted to him by congress. The celebration will take place on the night of Oct. 2 or 3. There will be an imposing parade at night and a general illumination of the city, and the procession will be reviewed by President McKinley and Admiral Dewey. The governors of all the states and territories have been invited to be present.

"The Connecticut Valley Patriots." Springfield, Mass., Sept. 6.—The first public demonstration of the anti-imperialists of this city last night was attended by 1,500 people. The supporters of the administration made but little attempt to show their feelings of dissent when the speakers made their strongest statements, and save for a few cries there was nothing to mark the audience as being any other than all on the side of the speakers. The principal speaker was ex-Governor George S. Boutwell. At the close of his address a committee was appointed to organize "The Connecticut Valley Patriots."

Columbia Beats Defender For a Cup. Newport, Sept. 6.—In the finest kind of sailing breeze yesterday the cup defender Columbia defeated Defender by 3 minutes 11 seconds over a 20 mile course, ten miles to windward and return. She rounded the windward mark 2 minutes and 33 seconds ahead of the Defender, besides making up a handicap at the start of 31 seconds. On the run home, with spinners set, she gained 38 seconds over her rival. The race was for a cup offered by Colonel William Goddard, of Providence.

Admiral Dewey's Retirement. Gibraltar, Sept. 6.—Admiral Dewey today expressed a favorable opinion as to the outcome of the war in the Philippine islands, saying that he hoped the next dry season would see the insurrection quelled. The admiral said that he did not expect to go on sea service again except in the event of war, and that he will probably retire under the regulations.

Sampson Asked to Be Relieved. Philadelphia, Sept. 6.—In an interview with a reporter yesterday Rear Admiral Sampson confirmed the report that he had asked to be relieved of the command of the North Atlantic squadron after the Dewey reception at New York. Secretary Long has not yet fixed a definite time when his relief shall be ordered.

Rich Gold Strike in Tennessee. Chattanooga, Sept. 6.—While digging a well on Lookout mountain G. H. Jarnagin and others discovered gold quartz in large quantities. The gold vein was struck about six miles from Chattanooga and gives evidence of being a rich one. The discovery has caused a great deal of excitement.

A Conscience Contribution. Washington, Sept. 6.—United States Treasurer Reberts has received a conscience contribution of \$300 from an unknown party, who requested that the name of his home town be not made public.

Third Dewey Artist Dead. Paterson, N. J., Sept. 6.—The third artist engaged in the preliminaries for the Dewey reception has succumbed to overwork. Frank E. Crane, the well known decorator, was found dead in bed yesterday. He was 43 years old.

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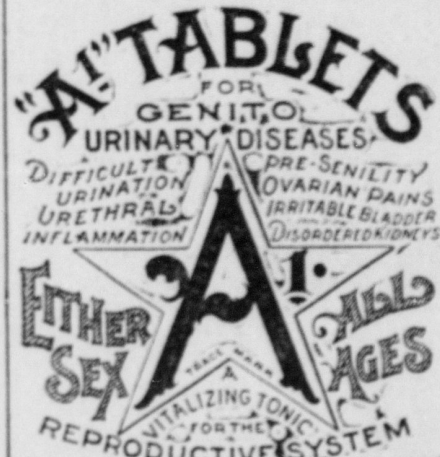
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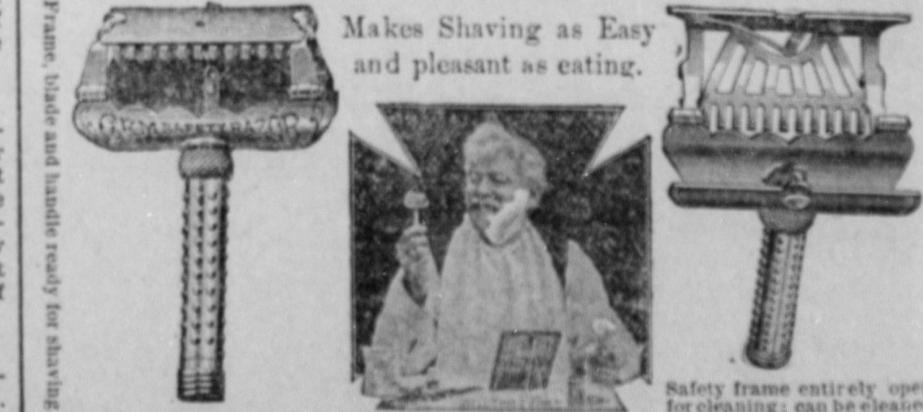
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LEGAL NOTICES.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE. In the Orphan's Court of Centre county, in the estate of RUDOLPH MULHOLLAND, dec'd. The undersigned, an auditor appointed by said court to dispose of the exceptions filed, and restate the account filed by Godfrey Finler, guardian of Blanche Hayes, nee Mulholland minor child of Rudolph Mulholland, will be at his office at 5 East High street, Bellefonte, Pa., for the duties of his appointment at 2 p. m. on Wednesday the 27th day of September, 1899, when and where all parties in interest may attend if they see fit. J. W. ALEXANDER, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE. In the matter of the assigned estate of C. C. Loose. The undersigned having been appointed an auditor by the Court of Common Pleas, of Centre county to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the Assignee to and among those legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the office of Orvis, Bower & Orvis in the Borough of Bellefonte, Pa., on Monday, the 26th day of September, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock a. m., when and where all parties in interest can attend to substantiate their respective claims or be debarred from coming in on said fund. S. D. GETTIG, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE. In the estate of GEO. BOWEN, dec'd. The undersigned an auditor appointed by said Court to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the administrator arising from the personal estate and the real estate in the estate in partition and the money paid into Court by A. F. Bower to and among those legally entitled to same, the same will meet for the purpose of his appointment at his office in Bellefonte, on Friday the 3rd day of Oct. 1899, when and where all parties in interest are requested to be present to be heard. WM. J. SINGER, Auditor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. Estate of SAMUEL BURRELL, dec'd, late of Greig township. Letters testamentary upon said estate having been granted by the Register of Wills to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims, to present them for settlement. S. G. BURRELL, Executor, Penn Hall, Pa.

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