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# HOT ENGAGEMENT EXPECTED AT LADYSMITH THIS MORNING

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## Combined Forces of the Boers of the Transvaal and the Free State May Attack on Two Sides--Heavy Firing Has Already Taken Place.

### Col. Baden-Powell Is Believed to Be Holding His Own at Mafeking—Many Boers Were Killed in Their Attack—Zulus and Other Natives Said to Have Risen to Hamper the Boers—Latest War Bulletins.

Great Britain is about to issue a proclamation calling out her militia reserves. This news has startled the British public as the war cloud seems to be thickening.

As yet there is no authentic news from Mafeking, but all reports tend to show that Col. Baden-Powell is holding out. No credence is given to the Boer rumor that a flag of truce had been displayed.

A hot engagement is looked for in the vicinity of Ladysmith to-day. The combined Boer forces of the Transvaal and the Free State are in the vicinity.

There has already been some severe fighting at the outposts. General Sir George White has 12,000 men 46 guns together with a force of volunteers, and no anxiety is felt as to the result of the expected engagement.

The Zulus are arming to attack the Boers. It looks as if there would be a general uprising of the natives.

London, Oct. 19.—There is still no authentic news from Mafeking, but all reports tend to confirm the belief that Col. Baden-Powell is holding his own,and no credit is given to the vague rumor that a flag of truce had been displayed.

A considerable engagement is anticipated in the vicinity of Ladysmith to-day. The combined advance of Boers and Free State troops in this direction had been executed with no inconsiderable skill, and shows a clear appreciation of the British position. General Sir George Stewart White has 12,000 men and 46 guns available, besides a considerable force of volunteers, to hold Ladysmith, and no anxiety is felt on his account, for the Natal country, where the engagement is expected, is fairly open, and, although the work of moving them will be difficult, the guns are likely to do good work.

The country is not favorable for Boer tactics, and it will be very difficult for them to avoid the exposure of their flanks to attack by a vigorous and mobile enemy, already occupying useful positions; that is supposing they really mean to fight, and not merely to attempt to draw General White further out, with a view of surrounding him.

General White has a large body of excellent cavalry, which will be put to good use.

**There Was Heavy Firing.**

The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Ladysmith says no newspaper representatives are allowed to proceed from there, either to Bester's Station or Acton Homes, and adds that General Joubert's forces are moving against Glencoe and Bester's Station, on the Harrismith-Linch line. According to the same authority, some volunteers who had just come into Ladysmith from Bester's Station and Acton Homes before the despatch was sent reported that 300 Boers tried ineffectually to cut off small parties of British troops, but the Natal men were too wary to be caught, and retired firing.

**Rock Hiders as Usual.**

The enemy, as usual, hid themselves behind hills and rocks and in gullies, but were unable to advance. They used cannon against the British riflemen, who, never heeless, maintained a stout resistance. The firing was very heavy. The country about Acton Homes being more open, the British mounted volunteers there are retiring upon Dew Drop. Two thousands Boers were engaged at Acton Homes, and rather fewer at Bester's Station. It is reported that the enemy there is hemmed in and suffering severely.

**What the Theory is.**

The Daily Telegraph, commenting upon the foregoing despatch from its correspondent, says it is difficult to understand the references to Glencoe and Bester's Station, except upon the theory that Commandant-General Joubert is dividing his forces.

**An Engagement Imminent.**

Camp Glencoe, Natal, Oct. 18.—(2 p.m.)—Boer scouts have been sighted at Ratting Spruit, seven miles from the British camp, and an engagement is imminent. These are the Transvaal Boers who are invading Natal by way of Laing's Nek.

**To Attack Ladysmith.**

Ladysmith, Oct. 18.—It is stated that the enemy's scouts are almost in touch with the outposts at Glencoe. The Boers are working around both sides with the idea of yetting south of Ladysmith and attacking in force, with the co-operation of Commandant Gen. Joubert. At Glencoe the British patrol covered a wide area in order to prevent outflanking and were subjected to a hot fire in persistent skirmishes. General Sir George Stewart White is quite prepare dto offer battle and the camp is pleased at the prospect of striking a definite blow.

**Fighting Near Ladysmith.**

Ladysmith, Oct. 18.—(5.25 p.m.)—The British forces came into contact with the enemy (the Free State forces) in the neighborhood of Acton Homes and Bester's Station, about sixteen miles out this morning. The firing began about 10 o'clock.

Later.—The British cavalry patrols have been in action with the Free State forces at Acton Homes and Bester's Station since mid-day and the action is still in progress. A number of casualties have been reported. Supports are leaving the camp and expect to fight to-morrow.

An official note published here says: "A Free State commando yesterday commenced actual hostilities. The Free State has thus taken upon itself the responsibility of beginning war and cannot hereafter pose as the injured party."

**All Well at Newcastle.**

London, Oct. 18.—A despatch from Ladysmith says that a letter was brought to the British pickets by Boer cyclists bearing a white flag, signed by the Newcastle magistrate and sent in by permission of Commandant General Joubert, stating that the Britishers who remain in Newcastle are all well.

**What Will the Natives Do?**

London, Oct. 19.—The Daily News' Ladysmith correspondent telegraphing on Tuesday, says he learns that the discontent in Swaziland is taking a form hostile to the Boers, who quitted Bremersdorf precipitately. According to this correspondent, the Boers dread a Swazi rising and most of the Dutch settlers in that country are preparing to leave, having already sent their wives and families into the Transvaal.

The Cape Town correspondent of The Daily News says, in a despatch dated Tuesday, that large numbers of Basutos employed on various works in the Cape Town district are returning to Basutoland.

The foregoing about exhausts the actual war news this morning. The worst features of the situation are regarded to be the probability of native risings, which, whether on behalf or against the Boers, are certain to produce serious complications, besides danger to the few hundred whites in these districts.

The havoc the Boers are making with the railway and telegraph lines will seriously impede the movement of Gen. Redvers Buller's army corps.

**Have Boers Occupied Helpmakaar?**

There are conflicting reports as to whether the Boers have, or have not, occupied Helpmakaar. According to the best accounts, the rumor that they have done so is untrue, but if the Boers have succeeded in this manoeuvre they are completely around the right of Gen. Sir George Stewart White's position and will be able either to attack him at an advantage or to move down into Natal behind him. The Daily News points this out and seems to think that if the Boers loop their way through Zulu territory or Basuto Land, the natives ought to be permitted to exact respect for their own territory.

The Morning Post criticises England's apparent weakness for defensive actions with inadequate forces, and says that if Col. Baden-Powell holds his own it will be because his assailants are beneath contempt.

**Thirty Boers Were Killed.**

London, Oct. 19.—The Times' Lobatsi correspondent telegraphing under date of Oct. 14, says: "The Boers were around us all day yesterday and broke up the line in several places between Pitsani and Mafeking. They were attacked and defeated by a party of our men from Mafeking. Thirty Boers were killed during the night. Another lot broke up the line a mile north of Lobatsi, cutting the wires. The stationmaster and all of us here set to work and have just restored communication.

"A runner has arrived bringing news of Col. Baden-Powell's success in keeping the enemy at bay."

**The Zulus Are Arming.**

London, Oct. 18.—According to a special despatch from Durban, Natal, the Zulus are arming with assegais. Chief Dinizulu says he is unable to restrain them. It is expected that they will be joined by the Swazels.

**Natives Help the British.**

Ladysmith, Natal, Oct. 17.—(Delayed in transmission.)—It is reported that dysentery and desertion are prevalent in Gen. Cronje's commando. The native tribes of Barolongs, under Chief Wessels, is said to be co-operating in the defence of Mafeking, undertaking outpost duty.

## NEWS COMES VIA BOERDOM

**And Delagoa Bay—Water Supply of Mafeking Has Been Cut Off.**

London, Oct. 18.—Advices from Pretoria, summarizing the reports to the Transvaal Government from Gen. Cronje, in command at the chief laager on the west side, announce that the Maric and Rustenberg

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# GREAT BRITAIN EVIDENTLY KNOWS THAT WAR CLOUDS ARE THICKENING

## Royal Message to Parliament Says a Proclamation is to Be Issued Ordering the Embodiment of the Militia and the Calling Out of the Militia Reserve Force.

London, Oct. 18.—In the House of Commons to-day the First Lord of the Treasury and Government leader, the Right Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, brought in the following message from the Queen:

"The state of affairs in South Africa having constituted, in the opinion of Her Majesty, a case of great emergency within the meaning of the Act of Parliament, Her Majesty deems it proper to provide additional means for military service. She has, therefore, thought it right to communicate to the House that Her Majesty is, by proclamation, about to order the embodiment of the militia, and to call out the militia reserve force, or such part thereof as Her Majesty may think necessary, for permanent service."

The House agreed to consider the royal message to-morrow.

A motion by Mr. Balfour, appropriating the entire special session for Government business, was carried by 279 votes against 48.

**Debate on the Address.**

The debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne was then resumed.

Mr. Philip James Stanhope, Liberal member for Burnley, moved an amendment strongly disapproving the conduct of the negotiations with the Transvaal. He attacked the policy of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, and demanded that the latter should clear himself of the charge of complicity in the Jameson raid. After denouncing the action of Mr. Cecil Rhodes and the South African League, Mr. Stanhope said: "The British High Commissioner in South Africa (Sir Alfred Milner) is lacking in qualities necessary to a diplomatist in his position. While entirely acquitting the Government as a whole of any connection with these doubtful transactions, and believing that they are animated by peaceful motives, I am convinced that the Secretary of State for the Colonies and the British High Commissioner in South Africa have for the last two years been fully determined that war and war only should end this crisis, and that they have worked for this consummation during the last year."

The amendment was seconded by Mr. Samuel Thomas Evans, Liberal member for the middle division of Glamorganshire.

**Sir William's Speech.**

Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Liberal member for West Monmouthshire, and former official leader of the Liberal party, following several minor speeches for and against the Government, said it was the duty of the House to support the Government in maintaining the integrity of the dominions and of the Queen, but that they had a right to speak of the policy of the Government in an altogether different tone.

**Justified Opposition Criticism.**

In an altogether different tone, he went on to justify the Opposition criticism of the conduct of the negotiations prior to the receipt of the ultimatum, declaring his belief that there were salient circumstances in the transaction which did not tend to a peaceable solution.

**Straddles the Fence.**

"Although I do not charge the Government," said Sir William, "with deliberately avoiding a peaceable solution, in my opinion there is no justification for saying that there has been criminal obstinacy on the part of the Transvaal. Step by step, it will be found, on wise advice from the Orange Free State and the Government of Cape Colony, the Transvaal, until the door was shut, yielded and was continuing to yield to our pressure." He then proceeded to contrast Mr. Chamberlain's previous utterances with his present attitude, and asserted that there was absolutely no need to reject the Transvaal's offer of Aug. 5. The language used by Mr. Chamberlain, just after that offer was made and when the negotiations had reached a most promising point, could not be considered favorable to a peaceable settlement.

**The Final Breach.**

Discussing the cause of the final breach, Sir William said: "On Sept. 6, the Transvaal sent a despatch pressing for the appointment of a joint commission to consider their offer on condition that suzerainty be dropped. Everybody is now convinced that suzerainty was dropped in 1884 [Loud Ministerial protests.] At any rate successive Secretaries of State were of that opinion."

Mr. Chamberlain emphatically dissented.

Sir William, resuming, went on to remark that suzerainty was only formally announced to President Kruger by Mr. Chamberlain in 1899. He commented upon the "extraordinary delay in sending the final proposals of Great Britain."

**Claims to Be in the Dark.**

"The British nation," he exclaimed, "has a right to know what the proposals of the Government are. The Government have no right to involve the nation in a war in the dark. I cannot conceive why the good offices of the Orange Free State were rejected, and I think the negotiations might have been conducted differently with a different issue.

"I dissociate myself altogether from responsibility of any kind for the measures that have led to this war, although I am prepared to support the Government in the unhappy conflict in which we are engaged."

The House then adjourned.

**Supplementary Army Estimate.**

A supplementary army estimate has been issued asking the House of Commons to vote an additional 35,000 men and £10,000,000 in consequence of the situation in South Africa. It is explained that the 35,000 men represent the probable maximum excess beyond the establishments fixed for the year 1899-1900, and is in consequence of the calling out of the reserves and of the temporary transfer of troops from the Indian to the British establishment. With the additional £10,000,000 the total army estimates are £30,617,200.

**OF DOUBTFUL VALUE.**

GEORGE WASHINGTON ROSS: Of course it's awfully good of Mr. Hardy to leave me the shoes—but I wish he hadn't muddied and worn 'em out so much.

# NO SENSE WHATEVER IN THE WAR EAGLE SCARE

## If Centre Star Shares Are Worth $1.50, War Eagle Stock Ought to Be Worth More Than $3.00—How It Works Out.

A prominent broker yesterday gave the following comparison of the relative values of Centre Star and War Eagle shares. From his point of view it is a big mistake for War Eagle shareholders to sacrifice their holdings because of the Centre Star flotation. His comparison is as follows:

The value of a mine does not depend upon its capitalization, but upon its production. Let War Eagle and Centre Star be compared from this point of view. The former must produce net profits to the extent of $315,000 a year to pay 1½ cents per share per month on 1,750,000 shares. In order to pay 1 cent per share per month Centre Star must produce yearly in net profits $420,000. If War Eagle's production were $420,000 a year it would be able to pay 2 cents per share per month. If both mines were equally well equipped they should be able to produce equal net profits. Under these conditions Centre Star at $1.50 would be exactly on a par with War Eagle at $3. But the two mines are not equally equipped. War Eagle has much more effective machinery. The Centre Star's probable output up till May next is placed at 1000 tons per week. War Eagle is really shipping about twice that amount. According to present and prospective output War Eagle is therefore much the better property, and if Centre Star is worth $1.50 War Eagle should be considerably higher than $3.

# RECEPTION TO SIR CHARLES.

At Massey Hall, on Saturday evening there promises to be one of the greatest political demonstrations which this city has seen for many years. It will take the form of a public reception to the Right Honorable Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., leader of the Liberal-Conservative party in the Dominion of Canada.

Sir Charles will be the chief speaker of the evening, and will deal with the affairs of the country in his own masterly way.

Mr. J. P. Whitney, Q.C., leader of the party in the Province of Ontario, will also be present and address the meeting. Hon. N. Clarke Wallace is also expected, as well as Messrs. E. B. Osler, M.P., J. J. Foy, M.L.A., E. F. Clark, M.P., W. F. Maclean, M.P., and many other distinguished members of the Legislature and of Parliament, including the leaders of the party from every section of the Province of Ontario.

As soon as it became known that a grand reception was to be tendered Sir Charles Tupper, the officers of the Liberal-Conservative Association were deluged with inquiries respecting the arrangement for admission, etc. The World is authorized to state that there will be no tickets issued for admission, but the doors will be open to all alike at 7 o'clock. Ladies and their escorts will occupy the first gallery. The public are cordially invited.

## ALL BRITISHERS MUST GET OUT

**House-to-House Search of Johannesburg is to Be Made on Monday Next.**

London, Oct. 19.—The Cape Town correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "The authorities at Johannesburg have announced that they will make a house to house search on Monday and will compel every British subject to leave town.

**Boer Money Impounded.**

"The Imperial authorities have impounded 150,000 sovereigns, which arrived by steamer to-day for the Transvaal. The money will be kept here until the war is ended.

**Agent Greene Leaves for Home.**

"Mr. Conyngham Greene and Lady Greene sailed for England to-day. An enthusiastic crowd assembled to bid them farewell.

**To Relieve Mafeking.**

"Despatches from Beira, dated Saturday, state that the Boers, advancing northward, were repulsed at Lobatsi Station. "This doubtless means that Col. Plummer's force, advancing to the relief of Mafeking, had encountered the Boers."

## THE KAISER GOING TO ENGLAND.

**Will Start From Berlin Nov 11—London Daily News Asks the People to Welcome Him.**

Berlin, Oct. 18.—The Cologne Zeitung announces officially that Emperor William will start for England on Nov. 11.

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"McFadden's Flats" at the Toronto, 2 and 8 p.m.
The Princess, 2 and 8 p.m.
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Thoughts of the Transvaal will blur the enjoyment of many in the military manoeuvres of the Sham Battle on this Thanksgiving Day morning. People who abhor war, and whatever suggests war, will probably prefer the more peaceful and pleasing spectacle of the very newest hat and fur fashions in Dineens' Thanksgiving Day window displays.

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# MR. HOSMER SAYS IT'S TRUE

## The Millionaire Has Resigned From Management of the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Co.

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Montreal, Oct. 18.—(Special.)—Few men in Canada have risen to financial fame more rapidly than Charles R. Hosmer, yet no one has other but good words to say of this Napoleon of finance. For some time past it has been stated that Mr. Hosmer contemplated retiring from his position as head of the Canadian Pacific Railway telegraphs, and to-day the story was practically confirmed. When seen by your correspondent, Mr. Hosmer stated that it was true that for some time he had been gradually relieving himself of the details of the telegraph business, and that before the close of the year he expected to be entirely relieved of his official duties, and free to devote himself to his many outside enterprises. As Mr. Hosmer is a director in the Canadian Pacific Railway, of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, and the moving spirit in half a dozen other large concerns, it goes without saying that this very popular millionaire will have plenty to do in the future, even if he does throw up the C.P.R. Telegraph general managership.

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**MARRIAGES.**

KUTLAND—FROUD—At 153 St. Clarens-avenue, on Oct. 16, by the Rev. C. A. Seager, F. St. Clare Rutland, to Miss Alle Froud, both of Toronto.

**DEATHS.**

EVANS—On Wednesday, Oct. 18, Joseph Evans, son of the late Joseph Ick Evans. Funeral from the residence of his aunt, 47 Kensington-avenue, on Saturday, Oct. 21, at 3 p.m.

HUNTER—On Wednesday, Oct. 18, Frances Ann, wife of Thomas Hunter. Funeral on Friday, 20th inst., at 3 o'clock, from 68 Maitland-street to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

KIRBY—Tuesday, Oct. 17th, at his residence, 260 Albany-avenue, Nathaniel Kirby, aged 37 years. Service at 10 a.m., Thursday, at house. Funeral to Maple.

ROGERS—At St. Catharines, on Tuesday, Oct. 17, Robert Rogers, late of Niagara-on-the-Lake, in his 81st year. Funeral on Thursday, at 1 o'clock to Niagara-on-the-Lake. Friends will please accept of this intimation.

SKYNNER—Suddenly, at Sheridan, Toronto Township, on Wednesday, Oct. 18, John Skynner, in his 83rd year, eldest son of the late Capt. John Skynner, R.N. Notice of funeral later.

WOODHOUSE—At his late residence, 20 Seaton-street, Toronto, Ont., on Wednesday, Oct. 18, 1899, Allan M. Woodhouse, second son of the late Robert Woodhouse, barrister, Bristol, England, aged 50 years. Funeral Friday at 2 p.m. to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Bristol papers please copy.

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# SLASHING CRITICISM OF LAURIER'S SPEECH

## By Sir Charles Tupper, Who Spoke at Owen Sound Yesterday.

## A CONSERVATIVE RALLY

### At Which the Voters of North Bruce and North Grey Turned Out in Great Numbers.

### ADDRESSES TO THE OLD LEADER

**Which Show That Hon. Mr. Paterson Won't Have Much Show Up There Now.**

Owen Sound, Ont., Oct. 18.—(Special.)—The Conservative demonstration here today in honor of Sir Charles Tupper was a great success. One was surprised to see such a large turn-out of people from the townships hereabout on the short notice—three days—given of the gathering. In the evening the big skating rink was packed, and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed. At the afternoon meeting Sir Charles was presented with the addresses given below:

To Sir Charles Tupper, Bart.:

Sir,—In behalf of the Liberal-Conservative Association of North Bruce, we unite with our friends, the Conservatives of Grey, in extending to you a hearty welcome to this part of the Province of Ontario. Your presence here carries us, in thought, back to the days of Confederation, when you stood shoulder to shoulder with Sir John Macdonald,battling almost alone in your province, but successfully, for the unity of our glorious Dominion. We are not forgetful of the great services you rendered our country in co-operating with Sir John in carrying through, in the face of the most determined opposition from the Liberal party, that magnificent highway and great public work, the Canadian Pacific Railway.

We recognize the value of the advice and assistance you gave "our chieftain" in the preparation and introduction of the great National policy, which has done so much for the development of Canada. The eminent services you have rendered our country as High Commissioner for Canada in England will long be remembered by a grateful people. In you, sir, the people of Canada recognize the staunch

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## ENLISTING MEN IN TEXAS.

**The Proposal is to Form a Regiment of Scouts for Service in South Africa.**

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 18.—The Express to-day says: An agent for the British Government is enlisting British subjects eligible for duty in the British first reserves for the war in South Africa. He proposes to form a regiment of scouts and the first detachment of 300 men will rendezvous here on Thursday and leave via the Mallory Liner from Galveston on Friday for New York. The men are to receive $100 bounty. They all from New York and will be organized into a command on their arrival at Cape Town.

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**Moderate Weather.**

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Oct. 18.—(8 p.m.)—To-night an extensive but shallow low area lay to the northeast of the lake region, while to the westward the pressure is high. The weather to-day has been showery in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces; elsewhere in the Dominion it has been fair. It continues cold in the Northwest Territories.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44—50; Kamloops, 36—46; Edmonton, 20—28; Prince Albert, 16—28; Qu'Appelle, 6—22; Winnipeg, 26—34; Port Arthur, 34—44; Parry Sound, 32—56; Toronto, 50—57; Ottawa, 42—60; Montreal, 56—60; Quebec, 54—60; Halifax, 52—70.

**Probabilities.**

**Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate west and northwest winds; fair weather.**

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Moderate westerly winds; fair weather.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Moderate to fresh winds, mostly southwesterly; clearing.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh southwesterly and westerly winds; clearing.

Lake Superior—Winds shifting to easterly and increasing at night; fair to-day, probably rain to-morrow.

Manitoba—Easterly winds; fair and cold, followed by some snow to-night.

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