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London, May 18.-9:16 p.m.has been relieved. Pretoria, May 18.-It was off nounced to-day that when t and forts around Mafeking

severely bombarded the A special despatch from says a telegram from a Boer s

nounces that Mafeking was Tuesday. The recipient of the telegram ed with having heard of the Ladysmith before it was anno London, May 19.-(4 a. m.)millions spent half the nig streets, and at 5 o'clock this groups of men are singing and and there are crowds in from Mansion House, Marlborough the clubs on Pall Mall and the and in Parliament Square, wa and joining in national airs.

Mr. George Wyndham, und tary for war, replying to seve bers of the house who had priv terrogated him, said: "Altho government has nothing, I am to believe the Boer bulletin. It to-morrow or even Monday be to-morrow or even Monday be government could get the defrom our military commanders the siege were raised some day the news would need to be over a very long distance by ron horseback, whereas the ener probably be able to avail them telegraphic communications."

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Col. Baden-Powell's brother in has received a cablegram from friend in Pretoria, saying that has been relieved.

London, May 18.—The despite Associated Press announcilief of Mafeking were posted of Mansion House, and the new spread. A large crowd collect streets in the neighborhood with cheers. The war office a announced that no news had announced that no news had ceived, and at 9:40 the Lord his official robes of office, annojoyful news to the crowd outs masses of people outside the House soon grew to such



Special editions of the new peared, and in the West End thoroughfares were thorough by a stream of people che selves hoarse and singing the Queen." The enthusiasm spatch is sent promises to occess attending the relief of A reporter of the Associate quired at the foreign office, a dent clerk said nothing ha ceived there yet in confirm news from Pretoria of the Mateking. The despatch ociated Press containing never relief of the long besieged sent to the houses of parliam it created a great deal of ethe press galleries and lobbibegan to be circulated amo of the House of Common Chedderwick, advanced Libe for the Wick district, amid excitement said he understoof the relief of Mafeking. for the Wick district, amid excitement said he understoo of the relief of Mafeking I ceived. Was that so? made any reply, and the debtinued. But the house no any interest in it, and me into lobbies to discuss the grant of the Lady Mayoress to the Mayor Was are the Lady Mayoress to the Mayor Was and Mayor was an interest Hance where an interest the second of the Mayor was a second of the Mayor was an interest the second of the Mayor was a second of the Mayo