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Grand Rapids, Mich., April 25. — Miss Ethelyn Quimby, a prominent society young woman, is out \$800 in money and jewels. It is alleged that money and jewels. It is alleged that Mrs. D. Preston, a visiting slairvoyant, hypnotized her. Miss Quimby went to consult the clairvoyant about an important lawsuit, and the latter induced her to borrow the money. It is said the clairvoyant prevailed on Miss Quimby to part with the jewels with the presenting that the jewels. Miss Quimby to part with the jewens and cash by representing that the jewelry would enable them to get a better insight into her future, and that the money would be doubled over night. The clairvoyant and her husband disappeared Friday night with the money and jewels. Miss Quimby's doctor says she was hypnotized. The story was made public to-day.

THEY HAVE LOST AGAIN. Toronto, April, 25.—The Court of Appeal has handed out judgment in the famous saw log case, in which R. W. Smylie, of Detroit, on behalf of the lumbermen of Michinterested in Ontario timber limits, sues for the right to remove logs cut on Crown lands to Michigan, and saw them into Crown lands to Michigan, and saw them into lumber there. The judgment is unanimously in favor of the Crown, the law requiring the logs to be sawn in Canada being upheld. Costs are given against the appellants. It is said that the lumbermen will before abandoning the fight carry their appeal to the Privy Council of England.

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#### Lord Roberts has Spread His Net Most Adroitly.

Only Thing That May Save the Enemy's Forc sat Wepener is the Bad State of the Roads -Latest War News

London, April 25, 1.15 p. m.—The War tion on a range of hills at Gennaden-Office issues the following from Lord

dale, north of the Modder. The water-works were found undamaged, with the exception of the removal of the sliding valves of the pumping engines. The Boers now can only escape without risking an encounter northward to Ladybrand, and the chance of a successful outcome of the plans of Lord Roberts depends on whether the British troops can reach Thabanchu and Ladybrand before the reteeating commandoes from Dewetsdorp and Wepener. "Bloemfontein, April 24. - Generals Brabant and Hart yesterday turned the position occupied by the enemy, who tried to prevent their moving northward and got into heliograph communication with Col. Dalgety, commandant of the besieged garrison ener.
All the correspondents report that the roads are in a terrible condition, which accounts for the slow progress of the British columnmpand if the Boers are as well informed of the British plans as they have hitherto been they are likely to again escape. It is now within three weeks of the date predicted for the British occupation of Pretoria, and although the present operations, as suggested in some quarters, may be the beginning of the main advance, it is not certain that they will not entail a further halt at Bloemfontein. at Wepener, who reported all well. "General Brahant has three wounded

and one missing. Three were wounded on the previous day. The Border Regment had seven wounded.

"At 1 p. m. yesterday, Brabant and Hart were eight miles south of Wepener. The 11th division, under General Pole-Carew, and General French's two brigades of cavalry reached Tweede Celuk yesterday afternoon without having met serious opposition." "Heliograph communication has

been established with Gen. Rundle. A correspondent of the Standard with Gen. Brabant at Seastrong, tele-graphing Monday, says:—Before leaving Rouxville on the advance northward, Gen. Hart issued the following proclamation:—Take notice, inhabitants of Rouxville and all concerned, that you are allowed to remain into "A patrol of the 7th Dragoons, under Lieut. Jenkins, which was reported missing yesterday, has rejoined Gen. French's camp, with the exception of Corp. Taylor and Private Cook, who are believed to be wounded and pris-

are believed to be wounded and prisoners.

"Mounted infantry yesterday, under Gen. Ian Hamilton, occupied the water-works at Sana's Post. As the enemy are holding the neighboring hills in some strength, the 9th Divisien, consisting of Gen. Smith-Dorrien's and Gen. Macdonald's brigades, has been despatched to support Hamilton.

"Gen. Maxwell's brigade, formerly Gen. Chermside's, of the Seventh Division, yesterday, moved eastward and seized the hills covering the wagon tants of Romxville and all concerned, that you are allowed to remain in occupation of your homes in peace and the trues as the officer whom I appoint to command here may find it necessary to make. Such rules will not, however, be for oppression, but for precaution; and I hereby direct him and all troops under his command kindness. But if, in my absence, you commit, abet or screen any act of hostility towards the troops of the Queen, not consistent with the honorable customs of war with regard to the behavior of inhabitants considered

Gen. Chermside's, of the Seventh Division, yesterday moved eastward and seized the hills covering the wagon bridge over the Modder river at Kranz Kraaf, an important communication, much used by the Boers during the last three weeks.

"Our only casualty was Pte. Braune, N. S. W. Mounted Rifles, taken prisions."

Queen, not consistent with the able customs of war with regard to be non-combatants, I will, in due to time, certainly inflict on you and this town such a penalty as will force you to regret your transgression."

A Boer commando left Seastrong last Monday, going in the direction of weepener. Before leaving the commando left seast the commando left seast the commando left seast the commando left seast the behavior of inhabitants considered the behavior of inhabitants considered to be non-combatants, I will, in due to be non-combatants, I will, i

LORD ROBERTS' NET. London, Wednesday, April 25, 5 a.m. The reports that the siege of Wepener had been practically raised were apparently premature. The Boer at-tack upon Col. Dalgety's northern posi-

tion as described from Maseru, was likely a final attempt to rush the garrison before securing a safe retreat, and as Col. Dalgety successfully re-pulsed the attack little anxiety is felt on his account.

Lord Roberts has now spread a net

with some 40,000 or more men and 150 with some 40,000 or more men and 150 gains covering the whole western semicircle, around Wepener, while Gen. Hamilton has occupied the waterworks, practically without opposition. The Seventh Division, under Gen. Tucker, assisted by naval guns, has made a demonstration from Karee Siding, the Boers showing some opposition. At the same time a brigade moved out from Glen to take up a posi

# commander is endeavoring to amuse the Boers until General French shall be able to shut off their retreat north-

British army so deployed. BOERS BEATEN BACK. Maseru, Basutoland, Tuesday, April .—The Boers severely attacked Col

Dalgety's northern position, facing Vokpoort Ridge, at ten o'clock this morning, bringing four guns into action, under whose fire they made a determined advance. The British returned a heavy fire, before which the Boers recoiled, afterward extending account the fire and maintaining. across the flats, and maintaining a continuous long-range fusilade for

HART'S PROCLAMATION.

Winston Churchill wires from Wek-

THE SECOND ACT. Spencer Wilkinson, discussing the

military position in the Morning Post says: - Lord Roberts, with a commendable concealment of his in-

dommendable concentment of ms in-tention, has begun the second act in his campaign. He has suddenly de-ployed his army on the long front from Karee Siding to Wepener, a dis-tance of about 70 miles. Without doubt Mr. Winston Churchill's refer-

ence to Gen. Rundle means that this

ward. The Boers have no army on

Artillery can be heard in the direction of Dewet's Dorp, but there is no sign that the British relief column in that quarter has advanced further. The natives report that another British force has been despatched from Bloemfontein. If so, the position of the Boers around Wepener is

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kerstroom, under Monday's date, as follows: "Combined operations on a great scale are now in progress, and General Rundle's force is still con-taining the Boer position before Dew-et's Dern" Canada's Greatest Pianofortes

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