# THE BAYONET. To March

British Charge and Carry the Boer Posi- Canadian Companies Must Be tion at Elandslaagte Capturing Equipment, Horses and Wagons.

Glencoe Victory Won at Great Cost to British Officers-Loss From Ranks Less Than at First Reported--General Symons slightly Improved.

Burghers Discouraged by Series of Reverses--Mafeking Series Stoutly Contested That Dead Not Secured-The Basutos Excited.

By Associa ted Press.

Dargai heights.

THE ASSAULT ON MAFEKING.

Boers Though Worsted Hold Field

That Bodies of British Slain Can-

not Be Recovered.

London, Oct. 21.-The latest advice

SHOOK WITH THE PRESIDENT.

by McKinley and His Cabinet.

President at the White House this even-

congress. The President made no remarks but was presented to all the dele-

KILLED IN BROOKLYN.

Passengers Attempt to Walk on Ele

vated Railway and Are Struck

by Train.

PHILIPPINE WARFARE.

Six Additions to Long Roll of America Casualties Yesterday's Report.

Major Seatham's battalion was kille

FROM PREMIER TO CLERK.

JEW-BAITING.

The

gates individually.

Washington, Oct. 21.-The delegates

London, Oct. 22.—At 2 o'clock this morning the war office posted this from Gen. Sir Archibald Hunter:

"Ladysmith, Oct. 21.—8.45 p.m.—Gen. White rode towards Elandslaagte at 2:30 p.m. The force under French left here at 4 a.m. by road and rail to Modhere at 4 a.m. by road and rail to Mod-Fifth Lancers, a squadron of the Fifth Dragoon Guards, two field batteries, the Natal Field Battery, the Devonshire Regiment, half the Manchester Regiment, half the Gordon Highlanders, the Imperial Light Horse and two squadrons of Naval Volunteers.

"I remain here in defense of Ladyhalf the Manchester, half the Gordon at Kimberley on Thursday. Although

"I learn by telephone from an armored needs. train a mile this side of Blandslaagte, that at 5 p.m., the enemy's three guns were silenced and that our infantry were | Chamier made a sortie with a reconnoit-

Chamier made a sortie with a reconnoitable of the specific party and some guns on board an armored train. After a few shots had at 3,000 and another 1,000 is expected to arrive in the afternoon.

"General White's intention was to reopen the railway to Dundee and return there with his troops to-night.

"At 7:45 a report was received by telephone saying we had carried the enemy's position, capturing their camp equipment, horses and wagons. The cavalry are in pursuit.

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The operators on the instruments say we have some wounded, but have no details yet. I expect General White will be late, so I will wire for him."

THE SLAIN AT GLENCOE. Officers' Lives Sacrificed by Gallantry-

liant Fighting. London, Oct. 21.-The war office has issued a list of casualties in the battle between Glencoe and Dundee yesterday, received in a despatch from the general commanding in Natal, Sir Geo. Stewart
White, dated Ladysmith, Oct. 21, 4:20

Further Details of Soldiers' Bril-

John Schester, deputy staff officer to the Philadelphia international comond Lieut. A. H. M. Hill, 1st Batt. mercial congress were received by the TORONTO GIFT TO VOLUNTEERS. and brigade major. Capt. G. A. Weldon, Royal Dublin ing. The reception was in the east room which was filled with delegates and ladies of the party, about 150 in all. It usiliers.
Lieut. Col. R. H. Gunning, King's members of the cabinet were present and many of the members of the diplo-

Lieut. J. Taylor, King's Royal Rifles. Lieut. R. C. Barnett, King's Royal

Lieut, N. J. Hambrook, King's Royal

Divisional staff: Gen. Symons, mortally wounded in the stomach; Col. C. E. Breket, assistant adjutant-general, seriously wounded in the right shoulder; Major Frederick Hamersley, deputy asadjutant-general, wounded in the leg.

Eighteen other officers were wounded officer:

Eighteen other officers were wounded. Thirty one-non-commissioned officers and men were killed and 151 wounded. The list of officers killed and wounded strikingly shows that although the British victory was complete, it was bought at a heavy price. In addition to Sir William Penn Symons, wounded, two colonels, two captains and five lieutenants were killed, and a colonel, three majors, six captains and ten lieutenants wounded. This heavy loss among the officers was due, as the latest despatches from the front show, to their sticking to from the front show, to their sticking to the traditions of the British army and rethe traditions of the British army and re-fusing to use the cover of which the men availed themselves in storming the Boer position on the summit of the kopje.

The earliest despatches regarding yes-

couple of hours, the British artillery silencing the Boer guns and the infantry then simply charging right over the hill. According to the latest advices, how-ever, the battle lasted eight hours, and nearly seven hours elapsed before the

last Boer gun was put out of action.
The Irish Fusiliers and the King's Rifles, meanwhile, had advanced to the assault and were shooting their way up the hill, driving the Boers back from shelter, until the final rush of the Brit. ish carried them to the summit. It was a bright, clear morning, which enabled the operations to be followed by the staff officers without difficulty.

A curious fact was that at times a lull occurred in the firing on the British side, the British infantry apparently taking a breathing space in the stiff climb, and the Boers also holding back their

The magnificent practice of the British was of immense use, and the success been filled temporarily for of the assault was greatly due thereto. The dual salary is \$3,400. An enormous quantity of ammunition was expended.

when the British bayonets showed on top of the kopje the Boers retreated, and when, on descending the other side, they found a British battery and the British cavalry outflanking them, the retreat because of the British guns followcavalry outflanking them, the retreat became a rout. The British guns followed, and from time to time threw shells among the flying foe. The latter did not others.

# At Once.

on Way to Quebec by Wednesday Next.

Four Special Staff Officers and Three Pressmen Going With Contingent.

Division of Dominion Troops Still the Prospect - Sardinian's Port Unknown.

From Our Own Correspondent. Ottawa, Oct. 21.-Orders have gon out to most of the companies of the Canadian contingent for South Africa to leave their headquarters for Quebec on Wednesday next, so that they will arrive there on Thursday or Friday, but it may be some days later before the Western contingent reaches the Ancient Capi-

tal. It is not likely that the Sardinian will get away before Saturday, the 4th of November. The Governor-General and Though Turbulent Boers There staff and possibly some of the ministers here at 4 a.m. by road and rail to Modder Bridge. By 2 p.m., it has been gradistillar feat of British arms in India, will go to Quebec to say good-bye to the ually strengthened to the following total: when the Gordon Highlanders stormed Canadian boys. Mr. Tarte is not likely to be there.

Application has been made to the hom government for permission to send four special staff officers to South Africa and the authorities of the militia department are acting upon the assumption that it will be granted, as provision is being made for the accommodation of these By Associated Press. smith with the Gloucestershire regiment, from Capetown show that all was well officers on the Sardinian. It looks this morning as if this action would have the Highlanders, a mountain battery and 500 the usual water supply of the town was effect of shutting out the newspaper corcut off there was ample water for all respondents, as word went forth that no A small body of Boers' approached on board the troopship. Later, however, Pont Drift this morning shouting that Kimberley on Wednesday and Major Dr. Borden had a conversation over the

No nurses are to go with the Sardin-ian, but it is understood that the services Boers at bay. The garrison is throwing

to recover the bodies of the British Report is current to-night that the Sar-failed, owing, it is alleged to the Boers dinian will sail under sealed orders. If refusing to recognize the Red Cross flag. The news from Glencoe aroused immense enthusiasm among the British residents of Cape Colony and this is rapidly spreading to Basutoland, where it is feared it will further increase the desire

of the natives to participate in the opera-tions against the Boers.

London, Oct. 22.—A special despatch from Capetown states that a message has majors and an adjutant and paymaster. that the regiment is to remain intact, then it will be necessary to appoint two received from Kimberley saying A telegram has been received at the Cecil Rhodes has been urged to militia department from Col. Otter urgleave the town, but refuses to do so, being determined to see things through. strictly adhered to, as if the necessary umber of men coming up to the stand ard set by the department cannot procured in any district he can get

Grant Out of Municipal Funds-Each Officer Gets Revolver and Field

Toronto, Oct. 21.—(Special)—The exed to-day, great enthusiasm being dis-played. The way volunteers are offering and occasionally a deep sob would es-and the various pulling of wires to get to cape from some strong man, but other-the war shows that Ontario could easily wise the silence of the impressive scene behalf of the exposition. Ex-Mayor Warwick of Philadelphia made a brief speech on behalf of the delegates to the caise twenty times the number of men was unbroken.

Toronto men of the Transvaal contingent General supernumerary to the establishto provide equipment and comforts. In ment for distinguished service in the addition each officer will receive a refield." Toronto men of the Transvaal contingent to provide equipment and comforts. In

volver costing \$30 and a binocular glass costing \$80.

Col. Otter in the course of an interiew relating to the Canadian contin-ent says: "I would like to have them gent says: in barracks for four or five days before they sail. They are to be armed, equip-ped and clothed at Quebec. We will drill the men during the voyage, giving them manual, firing and physical exercises, and practice with Morris tubes. They will also be disciplined and taught interior economy, such as how to pack their things together, and scrub out their quarters. On board ship you may be sure everything will go like clock. be sure everything will go like clock-work and the men will be drilled in all Augustus Snyder had his skull cracked and died at the hospital. The seriously injured are: Wm. J. Moody, Frank Reynsten, Wm. Reynsten, Chas. Wright. Lizzie Hall, colored, was a witness of the accident and died from the shock,

xereises except in bodies. "Judging by the recruits you picked out to-day, you seem to prefer short nen," was remarked to Col. Otter. men," was remarked to Col. Otter.

'Yes," was the reply, "I do. Of course we do not refuse tall men when they are physically strong and able, but men of medium height, if they are deep-chested, are able to stand work better."





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## All Right.

Promise to Make the British Sit Up.

Victory at Glencoe Moves Vienna to Pay Tribute to the British Soldier.

London, Oct. 21.—The first news for a mer's present attitude is considered long time from Rhodesia comes in a tel-safeguard against Dutch disaffection." London, Oct. 21.-The first news for a egram from Tuli, dated October 16. The despatch says: "Major Polson from correspondents would be accommodated Rhodes Drift, with fifty Boers, passed One of Columbia Incendiaries Severely they would make the British sit up. telephone with Mr. H. A. Allan, who stated that he would be glad to furnish Another body of Boers has crossed the river at Bain's Drift, and is marching on Macloutsie, where the postmaster declares that he thinks he can hold the

Sad Scenes on Posting of Glencoe Death Roll-Gen. Symons' Condition-Other Nations Impressed.

London, Oct. 21 .- The war office is still beseiged late to-night by anxious in quirers but the officials have no further news from Glencoe. Some anxiety is beginning to be felt regarding the 18th Hussars, whose return from their pursuit of the Boers has not yet been offi-

nounced the death of General Symons but this report has not been confirmed procured in any district he can get all the men he requires to complete the number in Toronto.

Mayor Payment will proclaim Wednesday afternoon a civic holiday and the boys will be given a grand send-off.

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Mayor Payment will proclaim Wednesday afternoon a civic holiday and the war office stated that no fresh advices had been received since the despatch log comforts of the Canadian South Actions the Canadian South Actions the Canadian South Actions the control of the Mailton, Oct. 21.—The sixth annual meeting of the National Council of Women was formally opened here yesterday. Lady Aberdeen presiding. A resolution by Lady Aberdeen, that the council cooperate with the government in providing comforts of the Canadian South Actions the Canadi

Glencoe was posted late this afternoon and in an incredibly short time the lo bies of the building were crowded to their utmost capacity. Many a fervent "Thank God!" was uttered by those who turned away without finding in the list of names one they dreaded to see,

Vienna, Oct. 21.-The victory won at Glencoe Camp was a vast surprise to a number of critics of the British army, who asserted that while Tommy Atkins might slaughter badly armed barbarians The importance of the victory is fully

Want Permission to War Upon Their Neighbors of the Free State. London, Oct. 21 .- The paramount chief

of the Basutos, according to a despatch from Capetown, has asked permission to assemble the other Basuto chiefs with a

to the contrary, will take the field and invade the Free State.

lelson's Famous Message to His Troop Displayed on the Anniversary.

niversary of the battle of Trafalgar, Lord Nelson's column in Trafalgar Square was richly garlaned while the Victoria, lying at Portsmouth, for the first time since the battle flew Nelson's famous since the battle new iverson's lamous signal, "England expects that every man will do his duty."

QUEBEC'S LIBERAL EXAMPLE. Leave of Absence on Full Pay Grante

to Volunteers for Transvaal.

Quebec, Oct. 21.—(Special)—The provincial government to-day granted leave of absence on full pay to any of its employees wishing to serve in the Trans-

BOERS DEMORALIZED.

sire to Fight-Schreiner Controls Cape Dutch, London, Oct. 21.-The Outlook pub

lishes a despatch from Capetown dated yesterday alleging that the Boers are not likely to make any further considerable offensive movements. The correspon-"They are utterly demoralized and the men refuse to take risks. They are get-ting to distrust Gen. Joubert. The ar-

illery is badly handicapped, and the ad ministration department is revealing material defects. the British commissioner in South Africa and governor of Cape Colony, and his resignation is now desired as the Pre-

SIX YEARS FOR FIREBUG. Sentenced-Perjury in Witness

Kamloops, Oct. 21 .- (Special)-The trial of Charles Mullen, charged with complicity in the burning down of the Columbia hotel, Columbia, closed this evening, the jury finding a verdict of

not guilty."
Such evidence as was adduced showed This shows that the Boers nave thus far achieved nothing in the direction of Rhodesia.

THE COST OF VICTORY.

Sad Scenes on Posting of Glencee Death Mullen admitted in the witnesses upon whom the crown relied for the principal evidence against Mullen were perjurers most unblushing in character. Robt.

Cameron who had been convicted on a similar charge to that preferred against Mullen admitted in the witness beyone the Mullen, admitted in the witness box that he had perjured on more than one oc-casion and would not hesitate to do so at any time to-get out of trouble. Cam

POWERS WOULD MEDDLE.

Paris, Oct. 21.—The Memorial Diplo matique and the Courier du Soir learn from different cources that immediately after the first fights in South Africa

Hamilton, Oct. 21.-The sixth annua had been received since the stating that General Symons' condition was slightly improved.

The statement of British losses at from Victoria, B.C., and St. John, N.B.

DIED ON AORANGI Vancouver, Oct. 21 .- While engaged at

his duties at 10 o'clock last night on board the Aorangi John Taylor, quartermaster, fell dead from cerebral hem-C.P.R. CONDUCTOR KILLED.

ossland, Oct. 21 .- A. P. Fawcett, P.R. conductor, who was badly in-ured at Robson last night, died at Nelon to-day.

LIBERAL CAMPAIGNING

Winnipeg, Oct. 20.—Hon. Messrs. Sifton and Paterson and Mr. Logan, M.P., are expected here to-morrow to begin a eries of political meetings. D. C. Fraser, M.P., will join the two here. Hospital in this city.

KILKENNY'S SHAME

Representative Expelled From the Com mons For Disgraceful Conduct.

London, Oct. 23 .- During the proceed report on supplementary estimates, Mr. Patrick O'Brien, member for Kilkenny City, declared that the hands of the British secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Chamberlain, were as much stained with blood as those of any murderer wheever mounted the scaffold.

The Speaker called upon Mr. O'Brien to withdraw his remark, but he refused to do so, whereupon the house by a vote of 310 to 26 resolved to suspend him, and he left the house warmking. better bring up another army corps, un-less you want it somewhere else."

THE SCOTSMAN'S LOSS. Captain Detailing Preliminaries to Board

of Inquiry at Quebec.

Quebec, Oct. 23 .- (Special)-Inquiry into the loss of the steamship Scotsman was opened to-day before Capt. Smith. R. H. R., and Captains McElhinney and Douglas. The first witness examined Douglas The first witness examined was Capt. Skrimshire of the Scotsman who at the morning session gave evi dence concerning the competency of the ship's crew and the reliability of the ship's navigating instruments, and also described the course steered by him after

described the course steered by him after leaving the coast of Ireland.

At the afternoon session Capt. Skrim-shire's evidence was continued, and at-adjournment he had described the posifresh bread, two ounces two ounces of sugar. Sunday, Monday, Thursday and Satur-day will be beef or mutton days. Wed-nesday will be salt beef day, Tuesday on of the ship at noon on the day pre

ROUGH DIAMONDS.

tion and Three Powers Again Appealed to.

San Francisco, Oct. 20.-The steamer Moana arrived to-day from Australian ports via Apia. The correspondent of the Associated Press says under date of Joubert's Forces Making Deter-

"The aspect of affairs in Samoa is i deed far from reassuring. There trouble brewing and it will come soon the three powers do not come to the aid of the government and the distracted of-ficials.

ficials.

"The three consuls who were left here as a provisional government by the commissioners, are finding their position by no means a bed of roses. It is a matter of report that the feeling between the members of the provisional government is strained."

THE VOLUNTEERS INSURED. ne Thousand Dollars For Dependents in Case of Death or Maiming.

Montreal, Oct. 23. - (Special) - Sir Charles Tupper has concluded arrangements with an accident insurance company to insure to the limit of \$1,000,000 on the men of all ranks in the Canadian contingent going to Africa. One thousand dollars is to be paid on proof of ial despatch from Glencoe Camp the Britdeath while engaged with the enemy in ish cavalry, while pursuing the defeated

\$500 will be paid. WOE AT PRETORIA.

loss of one hand or one foot or one eye,

Place Bewailing the Folly of Their Rulers.

London, Oct. 23.-A private despatch senger who has just arrived from Preoria says the women there are weeping and wailing on the market place. Three trains have been despatched from Klerksdorp to fetch the wounded from Mafeking. It is estimated that there are 700 killed and wounded, and it is stated at Pretoria that the British casualties are only 18.

### NO COMPANIES PURELY FRENCH.

the Deficiency-The Sol-

diers' Rations. From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Oct. 23.-A militia order is ued to-night says: "(1). District officers commanding will rolled in special service company raised have been sent north and west,

in their district.

"(a). They will also prepare in duplicate at an early date a list giving names, corps and post office address of the men enrolled in their districts. One of these enrolled in their districts. One of these lists will be kept in the district office as enemy. An armored train went out yes an index to attestation papers, and others terday and found the Boers still in

without fail before embarkation.

"(3). The grant of \$125 to officers towards defraying expenses of their outfit and advance of pay to amount of \$60
inhibitive to defend Vryburg, whose inwill be paid at Quebec by

"(4). N. C. officers and men of perma nent corps will be allowed to count their service in special service force as a por-tion of the period for which they have enlisted in the permanent forces. "(5). Volunteers for the permanent force accepted for enrolment in the special service force will proceed to Que bec with the company of the special service force enrolled in the district to

which they belong." NURSES ACCEPTED.

tawa, who will be superintendent of staff; Miss Forbes of Liverpool, N. S., sister of Judge Forbes; and Miss Minrie Affleck, of Ottawa. Miss Pope is a sister of Mr. Joseph Pope, under secretary of state. Miss Pope and Miss Forbes were in hospital work together in Washington. Miss Affleck is on the staff of the Children's

ANOTHER OFFICER. Before the departure of the contingent there may be further changes amongst the officers. A new appointment to-day is that of Lieut. Armstrong, Fifth Royal

cots, of Montreal.

MR. TARTE'S FRIENDS reference to recruiting. Col. Foster is bers, with Dillon and Davit in the fore well satisfied with the men who have responded in certain districts, but disap canadian companies as such will not materialize, as only eleven men have so pathy with the Boers and their reiterfar come forward, and instructions have been sent to the enrolling officer to recruit English-speaking men in this company. Recruiting lists have been re-opened both in Toronto and Ottawa.

that the men may get plenty of bayonet in a few brief, simple words, spoken exercise without danger of injuring themselves. Surgeon-General Neilson went to Mont real to-day to look over the accommodation on the Sardinian from a hygienic

THE BILL OF FARE.

water and forage for troops on board the Sardinian are as follows: Every day they will be supplied with two ounces of butter, two of cheese, four of fresh vegetables, found pounds of bisenits are as follows:

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Wednesday will be plum duff days; Monday and Friday salt pork days. Sunday and Wednesday will be plum duff days; Monday, Wednesday and Friday, rice or barley puddings. Four days in the week fresh sunder a to be supplied and the week

### Provisional Government in Trying Posi- Boers Shell Glencoe

mined Assault on British Entrenched Position.

Dundee Also Under Fire-British Cavalry Engaged While Pursuing.

Investment of Kimberley Continues.-No General Move on Bechuanaland.

By Associated Press. Glencoe Camp, Oct. 22.-Heavy firing is now in progress north and west of this camp.

London, Oct. 22.-According to a spec Africa, or death within 30 days of en- Boers, were engaged by a strolling force gagement, or for loss of both feet, of of the enemy on the main north road. both hands or both eyes. In case of the Firing is now in progress.

Capetown, Oct. 22.-1 p.m.-It is reported here from Glencoe that the Boer forces under Commandant General Joubert have attacked or are about to Widows and Orphans in the Market attack the British entrenched position a

Glencoe. 3 p.m.-It is now known that Glencoe was attacked yesterday by the Boer main northern column. Our forces are rom Ladysmith to-day says: "A mes- entrenched in a good position. The situation there is not fully closed up. 10 p.m.-A despatch has just arrived

announcing that the Boers are shelling

Dundee as well as Glencoe, at long

range, but that their fire is ineffective. AT MAKEKING. Capetown, Oct. 22 .- A message received from Col. Baden-Powell at Mafeking, dated October 21, says three Beers were killed and a large number wounded in

the encounter with his forces. It is reported that the British at Mafe king fired from the grand stand on the race track upon Boer patrols who were Toronto and Ottawa Make Up guarding the waterworks. The burghers replied, but the patrols evacuated.

WHOLE FORCE OUT.

London, Oct. 22.-Latest despatches received to-day do not indicate any general incursion of Boers as yet into Bech uanaland, Along Orange river everything seems to be quiet. From Colesburg. Cape Colony, it is reported that all availretain attestation papers of men en- able burghers of the Orange Free State

KIMBERLEY'S INVESTMENT

Kimberley, Oct. 20 .- (by despatch rider from Orange river)-This is the sixth day of Kimberley's investment by the forwarded to headquarters.

"(2). Officers travelling on duty connected with special service force will send in their travelling expenses claim without fail before embarkation.

"(3) The grapt of \$125 to officers.

Two despatch riders to Mafeking, Mr. Stapelton and Mr. Harding, were captured by Boers on October 15. habitants are disloyal and treechero Two Englishmen who had been imprisoned by the Boers escaped last even-

ing and have just arrived here

VRYBURG'S SURENDER Townspeople Gave Up on Approach of Boers-Police Officer Shoots Him-

London, Oct. 21 .- The Daily Mail's Kurumen correspondent says under date The nurses to accompany the Cana-dian contingent are: Miss Pope, of Ot-Sunday without resistance, at the reof October 16: "Vryburg surrendered on quest of the townspeople on the approach of a strong Boer force with artillery.

"Major Scott, the officer in charge of
the Cape Police at Vryburg, shot himself through chagrin at being compelled
to evacuate the town."

VALOR OF ENGLAND'S FOES Acknowledgment in the Commons Quiet for a Time the Contentious Irish

Members. New York, Oct. 22 .- The London con respondent of the World says: "One of the most impressive scenes ever enacted Communications were passing between in the House of Commons was witness the department and Col. Otter to-day in ed there Friday night. The Irish memfront, were offering the sternest resisliberately provoked, had aroused the fiercest resentment and hostility among the ministerialists, and the proceedings

threatened to terminate in some violen BAYONET PRACTICE.

Major Cartwright, assistant adjutantgeneral, is arranging to send a supply of
spring bayonets on the Sardinian, so
that the Sardinian, so
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member with a record of battle, rose and outbreak of passion. respect to the dead and dying Englishmen, Irishmen and Scotsmen lying on the battlefield, as well as their gallant fees. "The effect was instantaneous. The clamor was stilled and Mr. Dillon, acknowledging the manly spirit of Cole

tables, found pounds of biscuits, one of the generous attitude of the Irishme fresh bread, two ounces of potatoes, and of the generous attitude of the Irishmen ing that General Symons, to whose gal-lantry the British success was due, was

> discussion the house adjourned TIRING OF PAUPERS

Ottawa, Oct. 20 .- The interior depart ment proposes to try to check pauper im-migration by withholding from steamship mpanies all bonus on immigrants who

"Our Boy

A Memorable Scen Hall Farewell to Volunte

Appropriate Exerc Momentous E perial His

British Columbia's ing of Soldie Quee

"It's the Soldiers of The "Who've been—my
"In the fight for Britain
"When we've had to sh

"And when we say v
"And when they ask
"We proudly point to e
"Of Britain's sold British Columbia's took leave of the first

soldiers who have gor shoulder to shoulder w Australia, India, Son Motherland in fightin Greater Britain. The occasion was marked the welding of the chain of Imperial I

portance of which it is estimate. It was n epoch in Victoria's histo to a single night. That the city is prou sons was manifest drill hall was crowded with quite ten thou subjects of the Queen. to bear without comp into an almost solid n if only they might ge the brave fellows who the city's fame in the were glad to stand in the hall, craning necl ears by doors or winde might take up the rin the centingent for act forward, or were called to receive the token of they were out, too.

with massed humanity

the drill hall to the

parting contingent as regimental band and rades who stay in they passed from tho on the first stage of t to where Britain's othe proving the undimmed British arms. It was not a wildly cally-enthusiastic partin farewell of a solid, under ple, whose glory is in and whose religion is its red fire and rhetoric ons in the leave-taking, cause all hearts did not all hopes and prayers gave their sons and h the flag-gave them safe return, but with their courage, their fi and their loyalty to O Within the drill ha were limited to a few minent public men, c

with songs that stirre the volunteers who h by their country wer forward, and the in appropriate words speed, and presented that but imperfectly e est of their city's ap came the cheers-for Queen. A perfect to the favorite of the in toria, Acting Sergeant
After the speeches a cheers and the plaud ered-and it was the wrung, with tears in the departing soldiers was the undercurrent

On the march to the mothers and daughter got the muddy roadsassiveness and cold ed proudly beside their and friends in the rank be seen until the last exchanged, the final ch ing across the harbor, contingent for the Ca off to the Transvaal, mite had rounded the disappeared in the strait of Fuca. It was evidence of

citizens that Sunday

the volunteers would never-to-be-forgotten although the muster nntil 9:30, the hall was hours earlier. The p hours earlier. The speakers of the evening at the rear of the h visit to the city of Da and here the men of t tion, the half-companyice, with Captain Bla manding officer, immeraised platform.

Behind, around, in where—the citizens wer ly as to seem one solid Mayor Redfern was c

in by thousands, its rin he great hall.
The Divine blessing u volunteers was then Lordship Bishop Perrin the reverent silence wa full to the fartherm "O Almighty God," he of all Kings, and gover

whose power no create sist, pour down Thy blo Thee, upon us now name. Receive into most merciful protection bodies of these Thy serv the army of Our Most eign Lady Queen Victor them in their going out Preserve them from all gers by land and by sea a defense against the factors. a defence against the fa and grant, if it be Th that they may return to

proceedings opened with old martial hymn, "C Soldiers." Led by the

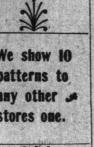
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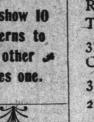
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## WEILER BROS, . Victoria, B. C.

## Report That Burghers Have Lost De-

This shows that the Boers have thus

cially notified to the war office.

Lady Symons had word this afternoon that her husband was slightly better. A late edition of the Pall Mall Gazette an-

The civic board of control has decided to make a grant on behalf of the city of \$\frac{1}{25}\$ to each of the Toronto officers and \$25\$ to each of the \$\frac{1}{25}\$ to each of the \$\fra

BASUTOS AROUSED.

view of inviting them to pledge loyalty to the Queen.

This is supposed to be a forerunner of a Basuto movement, and the Orange Free State burghers near the Basuto border are said to be in a state of consternation fearing that at any moment the Basutos, despite Imperial instructions

TRAFALGAR DAY.

ous to the wreck.

New York, Oct. 23.—Since the 16th instant diamonds in the rough have advanced twice, in each case 5 per cent., making a total increase in price of 55 per cent. during the last six months. So far the cut diamonds have not been affected.