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WAR NEWS. London, March 31.—The head of the army of Lord Roberts is now about 21 miles north of Bloemfontein. It occupies a cluster of hills from the Boers after a stiff fight in which the British lost seven officers and one hundred men. The Boers have been using their kopjes as a base for assembling bands that have been beating up the country adjacent to Bloemfontein, for supplies, driving out cattle and forcing non-resident Free States into their ranks again. The enemy must have been in considerable force as Lord Roberts sent 8,000 infantry and 3,000 cavalry against them. Lord Roberts' progress as reported will probably consist of a series of such forward movements, in which Boer positions will be attacked by a portion of the army, advancing rapidly with, while transports the main army coming up as the railway is repaired. Lord Roberts is stripping the forces in the minor spheres of operations in order to hasten the advance. This is understood to be the reason why he recalled Lord Methuen from Barkly West. Lord Roberts had to have Methuen's transport. The recent why a hot chase was made after Commandant Olivier is that Lord Roberts did not wish to waste on the cavalry transport. General French lost 3,000 horses in the roller of Kimberley and the pursuit of Coetzee. Lord Roberts lost 3,000 transport cattle at Waterford Drift and it is estimated that he has lost 4,000 other animals since the forward movement began on February 15.

The advance beyond Bloemfontein through a hilly country and the supply officers forcing an increasing difficulty in providing forage for an army moving along a single line of railway, even when the latter is working smoothly and with ample polling stock. The Canadian Mounted Rifles were part of the force that occupied Keerats yesterday. The rebellion throughout the North-west districts of Cape Colony is almost suppressed. The Government will send 400 men for St. Helena to guard General Cronje and 4,000 prisoners. Cape Town, March 27.—General White has related several instances of the courage of the British troops during the late attack on the Cape. He said: "During the attack on the Cape, a private named Smith, who was with the 16th Cavalry, was shot through the chest and fell. He was lying on the ground, and the enemy was closing in on him. He was shot through the chest and fell. He was lying on the ground, and the enemy was closing in on him. He was shot through the chest and fell. He was lying on the ground, and the enemy was closing in on him."

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mand of the Foreign Legion, which is operating in the Free State. "General Prinsloo (recently arrested) is charged by the Boers with high treason." Great Britain, according to the Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail, has thanked Germany for the latter's warning of the Boer plans for attacking Walvisch Bay on the west African coast. Montreal, March 26.—The Herald published an extra at noon today giving a detailed account of the battle of Paardebos, in which so many Canadians were killed. It states that the charge which cost the Canadian contingent so dearly was a needless one. The battle had raged all day long. The men advanced and took cover as best they could, but no Boers could be seen to fire at the gullies they occupied being the best natural fortifications that could be. The correspondent says the action went on during the night until 5 o'clock, when the Commandant in support. The officer commanding this battalion seemed to think that too much time had already been spent in fighting the Boers so he ordered a charge. The result was fatal to the Commandant and the rest of the battalion. The Canadians acting under the order of the commanding officer of the Cornwallis, as they had to retire. With the result, but the Canadians in the morning simply lay down and remained. It was during this charge that most of the fatalities occurred. The unfortunate commanding officer of the Cornwallis was killed and Capt. Arnold and Lieut. Mason, of the Canadians, were wounded. The latter subsequently expressed his regret that the charge took place as it was not intended, but at the same time warmly congratulated the Canadians on their behavior as did Lord Roberts.

The Canadian losses were 10 killed and 62 wounded. PARADES, March 26.—The government has commandeered a portion of the gold reserve of all the banks. Bar gold has been given as security to the amount of about £500,000. DORSET, March 29.—The foreign office, according to the Chronicle, is arranging with Portugal for some thousands of British troops to be landed at Lisbon and sent by the Rhodesia railway from Natal to Cape Town. A permanent arrangement is proposed to exist for the use of this route to transport the Rhodesia police. A possible foreign protest is suggested by the Chronicle. BURGESS, March 28.—A private despatch has been received here from Pretoria which says that President Kruger will now take chief command of the Transvaal forces. Bulletin—London, March 28, 7.20 p.m.—A private telegram received from Mafeking reports that all was well there March 28. CAROLINA, Wednesday, March 28.—Gen. Sir George White killed for England today. London, April 2, 4.30 a.m.—General Buller's anxious inquiry whether British officers will ever learn the value of scouting comes back with enforced emphasis to the British public today, in receipt of the tidings that a convoy with guns had deliberately into a Boer ambush within about 20 miles of Bloemfontein. Lord Roberts' own report of the affair, if yet received by the war office, has not been published and no account of the affair is available to the public except the despatch from Bushman's Kloof. Nothing can be said therefore, regarding the extent of the British misfortune. Evidently Col. Broadwood thought it necessary to retreat in haste from Thaba Nchu, as he marched all through Friday night, apparently followed by a considerable force of the enemy. The convoy and guns had to pass through a deep spruit which the Boers had occupied. Six of twelve guns, comprising two batteries, all the waggon, and it is feared many men, fell into the hands of the wily Boers, whose daring, displayed so near Bloemfontein, shows that they are rapidly recovering heart after their recent reverses. The hope is expressed here that Gen. Colville will recover the convoy and guns, but this is hardly likely in such a difficult country, and it is probably that the next news will be that, after a stiff fight, General Colville has extricated Col. Broadwood from his difficult position, but failed to retrieve the disaster. Severe criticisms are heard regarding the removal of the old mistake of under-estimating the Boers, and the absence of proper precaution. No doubt the affair will revive Boer hopes and inspire confidence among the enemy as a tactical moment. Great things are expected by the Boers of the new commander-in-chief, General Botha, who has made his reputation wholly during the present campaign. Foreign officers serving with the Boers have expressed surprise at his clever tactics. The proof of continuing Boer activity in the Free State will compel greater cir-

cumspation on the part of the British and will probably delay the march of Lord Roberts. Detailed accounts of the fight at Kame Siding estimate the Boer forces invariably from 3,000 to 5,000 men. Brabant's Horse occupied Wepener last Thursday unopposed. Lord Methuen has issued the following notification at Kimberley: "I have received instructions that, if any disturbance occurs west of the Vaal river, my force is to return and punish the rebels immediately."

ST. VITUS CURED. THE STORY OF A BRIGHT YOUNG GIRL'S RECOVERY. See Was First attacked with La Grippe, the After Effects Resulting in St. Vitus' Dance—Friends Despaired of Her Recovery. From the Asclepiad, Wolfville, N. S. The mails from Wolfville, N. S., are carried every day by an official who is noted for his willingness to accommodate and the practicality with which he discharges his duties. His name is Mr. Morrison Cleveland and his home is in Gasperon, where he resides with his wife and grand-daughter, Miss Lizette May Cleveland, a bright girl of fifteen years. A few months ago the health of her grand-daughter was a source of very great anxiety to Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland, and the neighbor who learned of the physical condition of the little girl gravely shook their heads and said to themselves that the fears of the fond grand-parents were by no means groundless. When the news reached the ears of an Annapolis man, a short time ago, that the health of Miss Cleveland had been restored, he hastened to interview Mr. Cleveland as to the facts of the case. When he explained his errand both Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland appeared only too eager to give him the information sought and it is in accordance with their wishes that we give to the public the facts of this remarkable cure. Early in December, 1898, Miss Cleveland was taken ill with a severe attack of la grippe and fever of her recovery were uncertain. Careful nursing, however, brought her through this weakness, but left her system in a completely run down condition. This showed itself principally in a weakness of the nerves. In January symptoms of St. Vitus' dance began to show themselves. At first these were not very prominent, but it was not long before she was rendered altogether helpless by this terrible malady. In a short time she lost all control over the movements of her hands and feet. For weeks she had to be carried from room to room and was unable to feed herself. Her grand-parents naturally became very much alarmed and having tried other remedies without effect, determined to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial. Developments showed that their confidence was not misplaced. When three boxes had been used the condition of the patient had improved considerably. Then Mr. Cleveland bought six boxes more and continued their use, before the sufferer rapidly began to recover. When she had completed the fifth box Mrs. Cleveland reduced the dose to one pill a day and by the time the sixth box was gone a complete cure was effected. Miss Cleveland is now as vigorous and healthy as could be desired. Her grand-parents are persuaded that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are alone responsible for her cure and are devoutly thankful for the results which, under Providence, they have produced. Sold by all dealers or sent post paid at 50c a box or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. Do not be persuaded to try something else said to be "just as good."

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