

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.
PORTOUS—At Kansas City, Mo., on Wednesday, May 4, to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Portous, a son.
TACKABURY—At 328 King street, on Friday, May 4, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Tackabury, a daughter.
DIED.
DEELEY—In this city, on May 9, 1900, Dan Deeley, aged 8 years.
Funeral from his father's residence, 127 Central avenue, on Friday, at 2:30 p.m., to Woodland cemetery.
GRIEVE—On Thursday morning, May 10, at the residence of her son-in-law, A. Sharp, 330 Central avenue, Margaret Bessie, widow of the late William Grieve, aged 85 years.
Funeral Saturday, at 1 p.m., to Pond Mills cemetery.

Amusements and Lectures

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Meetings.

MASONIC—KING SOLOMON LODGE, NO. 375.—A regular communication of King Solomon Lodge will be held in the lodge room, Sherwood Hall, Richmond street, tonight, at 7:30 o'clock. Visitors welcome. Official visit of D.D.G.M. John Kelley, W.M.; Wm. Nichols, Secretary.
O. E. S.—MEMBERS OF CHELSEA S. Lodge are requested to attend their hall, at 6 o'clock on Friday afternoon, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Dan Deeley. Sister Lodge please attend. W. G. Garfield, president.
BOARD OF TRADE—THE ANNUAL meeting of the London Board of Trade will be held Friday, 11th inst., at 8 o'clock p.m. Election of officers and committees and general business. A full attendance is desired. Jas. Mattinson, Pres.; J. A. Nelles, Sec.

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The Canadians In a Sharp Fight

While Endeavoring to Capture a Boer Convoy.

Timely Arrival of Gen. French's Troopers—Hutton's Men Took 60 Prisoners—Lively Skirmishes Occur Every Day, but the British Advance Rolls On—Buller on the Move

—Proclamations to Dutch Rebels and Burghers—

Successes at Several Different Points.

London, May 10—4:15 a.m.—General Hutton's mounted infantry brigade, including the Canadians, with a part of Gen. French's cavalry, crossed the Zand River Tuesday and began to work its way cautiously along the railway northward in the track of the retreating Boers. About 8,000 horsemen were probably engaged in this advance. Gen. Hutton, before he was joined by a part of Gen. French's force, had a sharp fight. This was

when he reached the river and saw the Boer convoy on the other side, and pressed forward, intending to cross and capture them. The Boers, however, opened fire with from eight to ten guns, forced the river above and below, seemingly in thousands, and sought to envelop the British. Gen. Hutton felt several miles, the Boers following until other British cavalry reinforced Hutton. During the night

THE BOERS RETREATED. Lord Roberts, according to one correspondent, left Smaldeel Tuesday to consult one of the Hamiltons, fifteen miles distant. The Boer attack on Gen. Hutton does not indicate any such panic conditions as have been alleged to exist among them. Nevertheless the British advance rolls on steadily. Gen. Broadwood and Gen. Erice Hamilton have penetrated 15 miles beyond Winburg. According to Boer advices, sharp skirmishes are of daily occurrence, and there was a sharp rifle engagement outside Winburg on Saturday. From Boer sources comes also the report that in a skirmish outside of Mafeking, on May 5, Colonel Baden-Powell was slightly wounded.

A dispatch to the Times from Smaldeel, dated Tuesday, May 9, says: "Lord Roberts has halted here to complete the railway and to allow time for the cavalry now retreating from Thabanchu to take the place assigned for them in the original scheme of advance. Gen. Hamilton last week was continually in touch with Gen. Botha's rear guard. The enemy maneuvered field guns skillfully to check Gen. Hamilton's advance. On one occasion they masked their position so well as to jeopardize the British convoy, which was saved by the timely arrival of the Highland Brigade, with naval guns. The advance on Winburg was so rapid that Hamilton's advance scouts were overlapping the town before Botha's transport was clear, but owing to difficulties at the drift the guns arrived too late to effect the convoy's capture."

GEN. BOTHA RETIRED. "While the British Captain Balfour was negotiating with the landroft for the surrender of Winburg, Gen. Botha himself, misunderstanding the enemy's language, threatened to shoot him; but the landroft, rightly interpreting the words, and perceiving that the British were in a position to bombard the town, decided to surrender. Gen. Botha then retired. The town contains a large stock of ammunition and grain. It is known that Botha has ten guns in front of Hamilton and that Gen. Delarey has six in front of the main advance."

AFTER A CONVOY. Smaldeel, Tuesday, May 9.—Yesterday Gen. Hutton attempted to seize a Boer convoy that was leaving the Zand River. He advanced toward the river with mounted infantry, including the Canadians. A long line of wagons was plainly visible. On becoming aware of Gen. Hutton's object, the Boers stopped their retreat, and opened fire with ten guns. They seemed in great force, and threatened Hutton's flank. Presently mounted Boers were seen crossing the dry bed of the river. They circled to the right and began to enfilade the West Australians, while many of the British were hit by Boer shells. The position became serious. The Boers sent up reinforcements, placing the Australians in danger of being cut off. Thereupon Gen. Hutton ordered a retirement to Weigelen, where he had left his own convoy. A portion of the forces advanced and engaged the Boers to cover this retirement, which was successfully accomplished. The Boers continued to shell the retreating troops, but showed no desire to press the attack further. Meanwhile the Boer trains steamed away northward, blowing up the culverts as they went.

TOOK SIXTY PRISONERS. London, May 10.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Smaldeel, dated Tuesday, May 9, says: "Stores are being accumulated here. Convoys are proceeding regularly to the north and also to Winburg. Gen. Hutton's brigade, while skirmishing yesterday, took sixty prisoners."

Buller Moving. PROCLAMATIONS. Cape Town, May 9.—It is reported that General Buller is advancing on

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Baden-Powell Sends a Cheery Dispatch to Lord Roberts

Official Announcement That the British Crossed the Zand

And the Boers Are Being Pushed Back

London, May 10.—The war office has received from Lord Roberts a dispatch, dated Zand River Camp, May 9, saying:

"I have received a most cheery telegram from Baden-Powell, dated April 27."

The Toronto Globe's special cable says: "It is announced that there was a skirmish outside of Mafeking last Saturday, so on that day Col. Baden-Powell was still holding his own."

"The Cape Town correspondent of the London Daily Mail learns that the towns will be relieved in about a week."

OVER THE ZAND. London, May 10.—10:20 a.m.—It is officially announced that the British have crossed the Zand River and that the Boers are being pushed back from their strong position.

BEFORE THEY CROSSED. London, May 10.—10:20 a.m.—Lord Roberts telegraphs to the war office from Weigelen, under date of May 9, evening, as follows: "Pole-Carew and Tucker's divisions, Hamilton's column of heavy naval and royal garrison artillery guns and four brigades of cavalry marched here today. The enemy held the opposite bank of the Zand River. Their strength will be ascertained tomorrow, when I hope to be able to force a passage of the river."

PUSHING BACK THE BOERS. Lord Roberts also reports to the war office as follows: "Cable cart headquarters at the Front, May 10, 9:10 a.m.: 'We are now across the Zand river. The enemy are still holding a strong position, but we are gradually pushing them back.'"

ENEMY'S HEADQUARTERS CHANGED. Thabanchu, May 9.—The Boers have moved their headquarters in this district from Ladybrand to Clooclan. They occupy strong positions at Meagathling's Nek.

The British, including Gen. Brabant, are scattered among a number of strategic points scouring the country south of the lines from Winburg to Ladybrand.

FREE STATERS TREKKING. Maseru, May 9.—The Free Staters are moving in small parties, with their herds, from Ficksburg to Bethlehem, their way to Harrismith or the Vaal.

RAAD SESSION CLOSED. Pretoria, Wednesday, May 9.—The request of the government for permission to sell mining rights for prices which should be approved by the government was rejected by the raad by a vote of 12 to 8. The session is closed.

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