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**Enrolment Begins at Once and** Contingent to Sail This Month.

From Our. Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Oct. 13.-The following is the official announcement handed out after ness, following it up by cheering for the the council meeting, and which, at the Queen and country. request of the government, is sent in full

ontingent for service in the Transvaal, has been inaccurate. The press, in the absence of any official statement, has YACHTSMEN TRY indulged in speculations, some of which perhaps have misled readers. In mat ters of this kind there are reasons for official reticence which only men accus tomed to the responsibility of govern

ment can fully understand. "It was only within the last few days that the matter assumed such a shape as admitted of government action, and it was necessary that a full council meet ing be held to consider a question of so great importance. At no time was there the promotion of Imperial interests.

"The only question that caused a moment's delay was whether parlia-

mentary authority was not required. The sending of a contingent to Transvaal involved not only the expenditure of considerable money, but the taking of an important step that had not been conat the hour set for the start the regatta committee boat poked out to set through might possibly be regarded as a precedent, when in a matter of so much consequence precedents ought not hastily to be established. Hence the first view that prevailed was that parliament should be summoned to confirm the action which was proposed. Subsequently it was learned that the Imperial authorities had placed certain limitations on all colonial arrangements, which, in reducing the initial cost and in solving a somewhat serious constitutional question respecting the power of enlistment, obviated the necessity of a meeting of parliament in order to clothe the government with authority to take action.

"In view of this fact and of urgent reasons for prompt action, the ministers decided this afternoon to carry out an arrangement which had been arrived at through communication with the Imperial authorities. The home government agreed to receive into the army in Africa a contingent comprising a number of the patience of the government agreed to receive into the army in Africa a contingent comprising a number of the patience of the start the regatta committee boat poked out to set through the dense vapor of fog and announced to the dense vapor of fog and announced to the group of vessels the same old monotonous story that there would be monotonous tory that there would be monotonous tory that there would be monotonous tory that there would be monotono

Every part of the arrangements will be pressed forward with all speed, and it is expected that, in accordance with the understanding with the Imperial government, the contingent will sail from Can-Every part of the arrangements will be

TARTE BLAMED FOR IT.

Still Insisted That But For Him There

Would Be Canadian Regiment.

Ottawa, Oct. 13 .- As will be seen by the terms upon which the government

Volunteers regular force, and will receive their and pensions from the British tree All the Canadian government does

one Thousand of All Ranks

Called For and Good Marksmen Preferred.

So general is the dissatisfaction with the humiliating conditions that within an hour after the facts had been made known to-night a volunteers' subscription list opened by the Citizen had names on it for a couple of thousand dollars.

The plans of the militia department contemplate the enrolment of 1,000 men for infantry service, chosen with regard to their physique and marksmanship. There will be eight units of 125 men each officered by a captain and three subalterns, and only one major to the contingent. The units will be attached to the different regiments on service for the different regiment and counter the facts had been made the the facts had been made to the the facts had been made to detach the expense of the Imperial government and children was escorted by a detachment of Col. Baden-Powell's force as far as Vryburg, Oct. 13.—The train from Market and housed at Capetown. A railroad train, carrying th

MONTREAL WORKED UP.

Montreal, Oct. 12.—On the floor of the Board of Trade at noon to-day the crowd assembled became intensely patriotic and sang "God Save the Queen" and "Rule Britannia" with much hearti-

RESERVES NOTIFIED.

AGAIN TO-DAY

Heavy Fog Causes Sixth Postponement--All-Hands Becoming Impatient.

New York, Oct. 13.—The winds asleep any question as to the desirability of in the caves, and a coverlet of white fog Canada co-operating with the home auth- drawn over the bosom of the drowsy orities in any movement necessary for ocean to-day lengthened to six the unprecedented record of flukes in a cup contest. As on Tuesday, the yachts did not leave their anchorages inside of Sandy Hook. It was useless to make another attempt in such weather. So at the hour set for the start the regatta

contingent.

"Arrangements will be made by the Canadian government for the equipment of the contingent, as above stated, and for the transportation of the force to a point of debarkation in South Africa.

On arrival in South Africa, the continuous and the foreagon that no attempt was made by the captains of the Columbia and Shamrock to put sails on the yachts. Everything was gotten ready, however, to begin work at a moment's notice. All hands were ordered on board both yachts soon after breakfast and a sharp watch.

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"So far as I am concerned the put point of debarkation in South Africa. On arrival in South Africa, the contingent will be received into the Imperial army, and will come under the Imperial army regulations.

"The arrangements respecting the supplying of units with no officer of higher grade than a Major, is not satisfactory to the Canadian government, who would have preferred to send a complete regiment under command of a Canadian officer. But it appears that the unit arrangement is a part of the general scheme prepared by the more included in the properties of the seneral scheme prepared by the colonies, without any office, applying to various contingents furnished by the colonies, without any prepared in the properties of the southern states of the supplying to various contingents furnished by the colonies, without any officially to declare the weather unfit to point a supplying to various contingents furnished by the colonies, without any officially to declare the weather unfit to point a supplying to various contingents furnished by the colonies, without any officially to declare the weather unfit to point a supplying to various contingents furnished by the colonies, without any officially to declare the weather unfit to point a supplying to various contingents furnished by the colonies, without any officially to declare the weather unfit to point action to the department of the southern states of the Americans in the Philippines, he went on to say:

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"Enrolment will commence at once. Every part of the arrangements will be

MEAT FOR THE ARMY.

War Office Asks Tenders For Imme diate Delivery of Large Quantity.

Ottawa, Oct. 13 .- The department of

agriculture has received a cable message from the high commissioner for Canada, Rossland Man An Applicant For Posiintimating that the war office will ask for tenders for immediate delivery of \$50,000 pounds of compressed corned beef and mutton, chiefly in six-pound tins but other sizes may be offered. The meat must be of unexceptionable quality, guaranteed, and the date of canning stated. The price should be quoted for delivery at Woolwich and Capetown, and a threat to resign to accomplish it, tingent as a separate organization, but the state of the fire brigade, is an applicant for the vacant chiefship of the Toronto fire department, and has forwarded his application. Mr. Guthrie has saved delivery at Woolwich and Capetown, stating the earliest date for supply in each case. intimating that the war office will ask

## Reported

By Associated Press.

Scotsman this morning asserts that a battle has taken place between General Sir Geo. Stewart White, commanding the forces in Natal, and the Boers who entered Natal by way of Van Reenan's tween nine and ten thousand men, and he has twelve guns.

The latest direct despatch from Mafeking says that although the Boers are moving restlessly in the vicinity of their larger, there is no sign yet of any attempt to cross the border.

The presence of Boers at Maribogo, 40 miles south of Mafeking, seems to indicate they are endeavoring to get Col. to the Colonist:

"The greater part of the statements published in the press during the past few days respecting the action of the government in relation to the proposed contingent for service in the Transval.

Halifax, Oct. 12.—All the reserve men in and about Halifax have been notified to be prepared to go to the Cape if new few days respecting the action of the government in relation to the proposed contingent for service in the Transval.

General White, the Scotsman says, is very sanguine of the success of the British movement. The foregoing report is considered to be correct, as late last night the war office had news of a British advance from Ladysmith, and was hourly expecting further intelligence. A despatch to the Daily Telegraph from its correspondent at Ladysmith, dated at noon on Friday, says: "A strong mobile column under Sir George Stewart White, accompanied by General Sir Archibald Hunter, proceeded before daybreak this morning towards Acton Homes, for the purpose of reconnoitering. General White's object was to observe what was going on, and also to test the the men are well and the weather is

mission)—It is reported this evening that the Boers have crossed the border at Ingogo, and that the Free State government has taken possession of the railway to Vanreenan and seized a Natal government train.

ericans were killed and two wounded.

Rumors are in circulation in Manila that Major Cheathem discovered three American prisoners who had been bound, gagged and shot to death. These rumors, however, are not confirmed.

through communication with the Imperial authorities. The home government agreed to receive into the army in Africa a contingent comprising a number of units of 125 men each, the highest to be a Major, so that the units may on arrival be consolidated with the Imperial forces under Imperial officers. The movement is to be entirely a volunteer one. The number of officers and men determined on is 1,000, which is a much larger number than that supplied by any other colony of the Empire.

"The military department, which has all its plans in shape, will immediately provide arms and equipment for the necessary forces. Commanding officers of exact of exact of the excess of her lower sails the foreigner is solumbic. The local will be asked to obtain the names of volunteers to be forwarded to the minister of militia. Only men in the very best physical condition will be accepted, and preference will be given to good marksmen. It is expected, for obvious reasons, that chiefly tunmarried men will form the contingent.

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Men for Obstructing Commerce.

I agos, East Africa, Oct. 13.—The British punitive expedition against the Fula tribes on Leenue river, who had stopped the river traffic and murdered a number of boatsmen, has just returned to Lagos, having destroyed eight towns after prolonged fighting. The natives lost heavily and the British had eight men wounded.

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POSITION AT MAPEKING. Women and Children All Safely Away
-Town Menaced by Large Boer

Mafeking, Cape Colony, Oct. 13-When

Boers Wreck Armored Train and
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Force Menaces the British Garrison.

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London, Oct. 114.... The Edinburgh

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#### SCOUTING PARTY ENGAGES REBELS.

Usual Rout Follows but Three Americans Killed-A Hard March Ended.

Manila, Oct. 13-Major Cheathem with a scouting party while marching along mobility and efficiency of his forces. All a force of rebels strongly entrenched at Muntilpa. Major Cheathem reports that he drove the rebels from their position. In the engagement three Am-

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American prisoners who had been bound, gagged and shot to death. These rumors, however, are not confirmed.

Reports having reached the provost marshal that arms were concealed at the headquarters of the Dominican friars, a large building adjoining the palace, a detachment of soldiers made a search of the building. They found a small stock of Mausers, revolvers and ammunition, which was confiscated despite the protests of the friars that the arms were not intended for unlawful use.

Gen. Schwan with the infantry has reached Baccoor. The troops are greatly exhausted, having had one of the hardest marches of the campaign. From Malabon to Perez Marinas they marched through rice fields.

Mines—Troops Warned Against
Pillaging Settlers.

Pretoria, Oct. 12. (Delayed in transmission)—There is no further news from General Conje's western command.

Commandant General Joubert's command is now at Volksrust. Several Cape Colonists have been sworn in as burghers. The town is quiet.

Postal communication with the surrounding colonies has been suspended, but that between the Transvaal and the Orange Free State is maintained.

Treasurer Gen. De Villiers and Mr. Vanderpost of the Free State raad are now here consulting with the government. The minister of mines reports that a satisfactory number of mines as a satisfactory number of mines and satisfactory number of mines are possible to prove the satisfactory number of mines are proved to the provent of the surrounding colonies has been suspended, but that between the Transvaal and the Orange Free State is maintained.

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THE BOER CONSPIRACY.

British Have Been Practising Patience on Top of a Powder Magaine.

London, Oct. 13.-The Duke of Marlborough last evening addressed a mass burg have been confiscated by the govmeeting at Oldham. He justified the
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and they have been practising patience on top of a powder magazine."

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London, Oct. 13.—Advices from Jo-nannesburg report the commandeering ment."

owners and let a receipt be given with promise of recompense by the governby the Transvaal government of another 25,000 ounces of gold.

A FLYING SQUADRON

officials of Germany proclaim them-selves neutral, the German press is second only to Russian in its denuncia-tion of England's South African policy. "Though not believing at present that these outbursts of rancor will materialize, the British government is taking timely precautions against eventualities. The difficulty and delay in mobilizing an army corps for South Africa is regarded as most unfortunate, and calculated to induce British compines abroad to take

timely precautions against eventualities. The difficulty and delay in mobilizing an army corps for South Africa is regarded as most unfortunate, and calculated to induce Britain's enemies abroad to take advantage of the present crisis to satisfy old animosities."

London, Oct. 13.—There is no abatement in the anti-English feeling on the Continent. Although a considerable minority of the English public regard the war with grave misgivings, it is practically impossible for this feeling to get voice at the present juncture. An astempt of the Peace and Arbitration Association to hold a meeting at Britsol last evening occasioned an extraordinary scene. Directly the doors were opened the citizens crowded into the hall, sang patriotic songs, waved Union Jacks, and refused any hearing to the peace orators, finally taking possession of the platform and passing a vote of confidence in the government.

Basket Ball.—There will be a meeting of the Intermediate Swifts at the Calculation Asteronal Regents' party left by a special Northern Pacific train to-day and were bearing of the Intermediate Swifts at the Calculation Asteronal Regents' party left by a special Northern Pacific train to-day and were hearing and decision in the case against of the Jacks and the train the Cold Storage Works under the Game and Intermediate Swifts at the Cold Storage Works under the Game and Intermediate Swifts at the Cold Storage Works under the Game and Intermediate Swifts at the Cold Storage Works under the Game art in the provincial police court.

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# True Economy

The difference of cost between a good and a poor baking powder would not amount for a family's supply to one dollar a year. The poor powder would cost many times this in doctors' bills.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder may cost a little more per can, but it insures perfect, wholesome food. In fact, it is more economical in the end, because it goes further in leavening and never spoils the food.

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PRICE BAKING POWDER CO.,

Note.—You cannot, if you value good health, afford to use cheap, low-grade, alum baking powders. They are apt to spoil the food; they do endanger the health. All physicians will tell you that alum in food is deleterious.

THE TRANSVAAL CAPITAL.

overnment to Protect Abandoned Mines-Troops Warned Against

now here consulting with the govern-ment. The minister of mines reports that a satisfactory number of mines are being worked and that the government will keep the shafts of abandoned mines free of water in the interest of sharehold-

valued at £500,000 which were discovered in different canteens in Johannes.

policy of the government, which he declared had not been driven into war by over-excited enthusiasm or unwise agitation.

Winston Churchill, who spoke at the same meeting, said he felt no animosity towards the Boers in connection with Majuba Hill. "We were worsted," said Mr. Churchill, "in a fair fight, and I hope now there will be no cant about revenging Majuba Hill. The government throughout have displayed admirable patience, but there is ample evidence of the existence of a deliberate conspiracy against British supremacy, and they have been practising patience

The Volkstein says: "Two small re-The volkstein says: "Two small republics have entered upon a struggle with a gigantic power which wishes to crush them. 'Conquer or die' is the battle cry of the brave burghers. Thus will be the question solved and the republics once for all will either be freed from British provocation or will have to head their necks to the vokes of British. to bend their necks to the vokes of Brit-

AN AMERICAN ILL-TREATED. Reports Brutality in Orange Free State-Transfer of Diplomatic

Capetown, Oct. 12.—(Delayed)—No news of fighting has yet been received.

An American citizen has sworn to an affidavit before the American consulhere, in which he states that he has been subjected by the burghers of the Free State to great ill-treatment. His limbs bear marks showing the effects of the treatment he received.

THE WRECKED TRAIN.

Conflicting Reports as to Fate of the Orew—Cape Policeman Saw the Attack.

London, Oct. 14.—The following despatch has been received from Capetown to day. The engine driver and one nature of the conflicting Reports as to Fate of the Orew—Cape Policeman Saw the Attack.

### **Boers Wait** Attack.

Occupy Passes Through Which the British Troops Must Be Moved.

General White Returns Without Drawing the Enemy Into Engagement.

that his command occupied Bothas Pass armored train, carrying telegraph operand also captured the railway station."

The Times publishes a despatch from Glencoe Camp, stating that the Boers have seized the railroad station north of Fourteen Streams between Vryburg and Kimberley. Fighting is still continuing in the neighborhood.

Pretoria, Oct. 13.—(Delayed in trans

Natal is still open.

There are still Britishers here who are unable to leave on account of lack of funds and the Transvaal government is arranging to move them to the Cape Colors bearing the cape of trucks carrying dynamite was also described to a refuge train occurred at Three Sisters; two peasants were killed and many wounded.

the burghers there are unanimous in the opinion that the settlement this time must be conclusive. They are not anx-ious to fight, but they prefer fighting to giving their assistance to an unsatisfactory solution of the crisis.

It is not known definitely to-day (Fri day) what the next move will be

six residents of Marigogo, south of Mafeking, who, on hearing of the Boer advance, took refuge in the train.

Vryburg, Oct 13.—11.50 a.m. (Delayed in transmission)—According to the latest reports matters so far as the train was concerned were hopeless as soon as the artillery began bombarding it. Sergt. Mathews of the Cape police, who was patrolling the railroad on horseback, brought the first news of the affair and his story leaves little hope that any of the party on board were saved. He watched the concluding episodes by daylight and saw the Boers shell the wreckage long after all resistance had ceased. There was no sign of life about the cars, he said, and yet the storm of shot and shell was continued. There was a faint possibility that some of the occupants escaped to the veldt under cover of darkness.

Besides removing the rails the Boers have destroyed several small bridges.

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British Position at Mafeking
Menaced-Boers Control
the Water Supply.

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 14.—A despatch from Pretoria, dated October 13, says: "Gen. Keoch wires from the Natal boundary that his command occupied Eothas Pass

mission)—Advices from Volksrust confirm the report that a Boer command has occupied Laing's Nek without casualties. The health of the burghers is good.

Pretoria, Oct. 13.—Welayed in transmission)—The Cape government has advised the telegraph department that no further wires will be received from the Republic. Communication by wire from Natal is still open.

Capetown, Oct. 14—Two more armored trains are reported to have been destroyed by the Boers on the Cape railroad. One was carrying a telegraph corps from Mafeking, the other was last seen at Taung's station and is believed to have been destroyed after leaving there. There are conflicting reports as to the fate of the men on the train. They are believed to have been captured. The soldiers on the train destroyed yesterday are also believed to be prisoners. A whole train of trucks carrying dynamite was also des

SLAUGHTER STORY DENIED. Gen. White's Force Returned from Reconnoitre Without Any Engage-

London, Oct 14.—The following despatch from Ladysmith has been received at the war office: "Sir George Stewart White went in the direction of Vanrenan's pass at 3 a.m. (Friday), but failed to draw the Boers to the pass. He returned to Ladysmith, where he is now. No engagement occurred."

This disposes of the sensational story that Gen. White's forces had destroyed 2,000 Boers.

General Sir George Stewart White, commanding in Natal, is estimated to have about 15,000 men stretched in strongly entrenched positions from Ladysmith to Dundee. He is a man of great resources and has the valuable assistance of General Sir Wm. Penn Symons, experienced in hill fighting in India, and General Sir Archibald Hunter, experienced in Soudan campaigns.

THE SCOTSMAN'S OFFICERS.

Montreal, Oct. 13.-The Scotsman's overnment steamer Canadian.

EMPEROR'S VISIT OFF

Berlin, Oct. 12.—Emperor William, is authoritatively announced, will not visit England this year. He had made Queen Victoria a conditional promise to do so but the altered "ical complexion has compelled him amandon his intention"