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RETAIN PHILIPPINES.

Report of Commission Endorsed by President and Cabinet.

Congress Will Be Asked to Take Immediate Action to That End—General Shafter Severely Criticises the Treatment of Sick and Wounded Volunteers Returned on the Transports—Vice President Hobart Not Improving—Other National News.

Retain the Islands.
By Associated Press to the Journal. New York, Nov. 4.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: It was unanimously agreed at the meeting of the cabinet to urge upon congress the immediate passage of a joint resolution declaring it to be the intention of this government to retain the Philippine islands, to suppress the insurrection, and to grant the broadest kind of local self-government to the inhabitants under such a form of United States civil government as may be deemed expedient. The decision was reached after the cabinet members had discussed the unanimous report of the Philippine commission.

Scorching Reports.
By Associated Press to the Journal. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—The Examiner says that the most sensational report of the military board of inquiry ever sent to the war department from this city was forwarded to Washington from the headquarters of General Shafter a few days ago.

The document contains the severest kind of criticism of the methods employed by the officers in charge of the sick and wounded soldiers who returned from the Philippines on the transports Tartar and Newport.

Hobart's Condition.
By Associated Press to the Journal. PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 4.—Vice President Hobart passed a comfortable night, sleeping under the influence of opiates. This morning, while very weak, he did not appear to have lost his strength.

Horses for the Philippines.
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—The Transports Leelanaw and Comenough have sailed for Manila with horses.

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BRITISH TERRITORY

Continues to Be Invaded By the Sturdy Dutch Republic.

British Troops Move South From Colcuso Without Stopping to Engage the Boers—Orange Free State and Transvaal Forces Headed for Cape Colony—The Cable is Still Interrupted—Boers Still Hanging Onto Their Siege of Ladysmith.

LONDON IS HOPEFUL.
Can Discover Some Favorable Aspects of the Situation.

By Associated Press to the Journal. LONDON, Nov. 4.—The fact that the war office has received no news of the situation at Ladysmith seems to effectually dispose of yesterday's continental rumors about White's capitulation and kindred stories.

There is no reason to believe that Joubert would be glad to forward White's announcement of the fact to the nearest telegraph station, while, had news such of a serious character reached any foreign government in cipher, it would undoubtedly promptly conveyed to the British government.

British exports smile at the Boer plan of campaign, which contemplates sending Durban in order to prevent landing British troops there. They say it has the fatal defect, namely, that it ignores the British fleet, under whose guns the seizure of Durban would be impossible.

Dispatches today show that the forces of the Orange Free State are prepared to invade Cape Colony. The objective of this force of Boers would probably be Neenpoort one of the most important strategic railroad points in South Africa.

The dispatches from Ladysmith, though three days old, are regarded as more cheering, and as indicating that the Boers are not disposed to come to close quarters. On the other hand some people assert that it is more probable that the Boers are recuperating prior to a fresh onslaught on Ladysmith.

Boers Enter Cape Colony.
LONDON, Nov. 4.—The war office today announced that nothing had been received to corroborate the reiterated reports from Berlin of the capitulation of General White.

A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co., dated Cape Town, Nov. 1, announced that the Boers have entered Cape Colony at Norvalspuit, destroying several bridges. The British troopship Papinian, which sailed for South Africa from Liverpool, is returning in a damaged condition having encountered a storm.

Cable Still Off.
LONDON, Nov. 4.—Following official announcement was made by the war office: "No news is received from Ladysmith up to 2 o'clock this afternoon. We therefore presume the wire is still interrupted."

English Move South.
LONDON, Nov. 4.—The war office issued the following announcement: "Colonial office has received information that English troops have withdrawn from Colenso and concentrated further south, but we have no news of any engagement in that neighborhood."

THE TRANSVAAL WAR.
General Cronje Still Blazing Away at Mafeking.

By Associated Press to the Journal. LONDON, Nov. 4.—4.05 a. m. There is very little fresh intelligence today, but it is believed that the Delagoa bay cable route, if not already restored, speedily will be, thus giving quicker communication with the Cape.

The situation is still hopeful. The accounts that continue to arrive regarding the fighting on Farquhar's farm only confirm its serious nature and the narrow escape General White had. On this point, the Morning Post remarks: "Nothing tells such a tale of battle as the list of missing. When the missing exceeds the killed, it is almost safe to write defeat across the story, because



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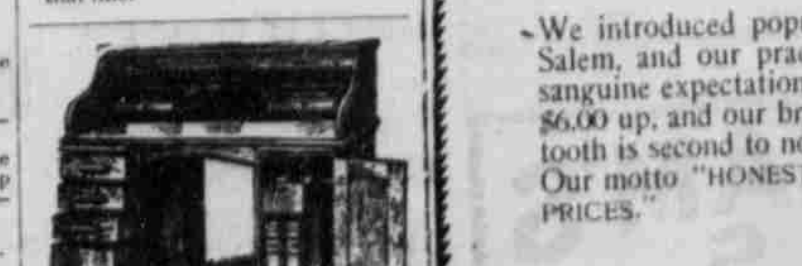
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ALASKAN BOUNDARY

Great Britain Only Tried to Prevent Extension Eastward.

When the Russians Were in Possession of That Territory—Great Syndicate to Fight the Bell Telephone Monopoly—Surveying the Nicaragua Canal—General Miles at Port Townsend.

By Associated Press to the Journal. WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Ex-Secretary John W. Foster, a member of the joint high commission to settle the differences between the United States and Canada, has prepared a Summary of this government's case on the Alaska boundary.

Foster reviews the history of negotiations between Russia and Great Britain, and shows the British only sought to prevent the extension of the Russian's claims eastward Rocky Mountains.

New York, Nov. 4.—The Herald says: Proofs continue to multiply that the Whitney-Widener-Elkins-Maloney syndicate is the prime mover in the colossal telephone project for fighting the American Bell telephone Company.

The Whitney syndicate has secured all the facilities in the city that it desires and before long startling developments are expected.

PORT TOWNSEND, Nov. 4.—General Miles arrived here on a tour inspection of the triangular system of fortifications on point Wilson, Morrowstone point and Admiralty head.

Another party of engineers will leave the United States Monday next to engage in the surveys being made under the direction of the Isthmian Canal commission.

ATLANTA, Nov. 4. Twelve thousand people crowded the auditorium this afternoon to witness the presentation of a loving cup to Admiral Schley from the citizens of Atlanta.

BOSTON, Nov. 4.—A number of prominent gold Democrats of the state have issued an address to voters calling upon them to support Taylor, the Democratic candidate for governor.

GOVERNMENT DEFEATED
By the insurrection in the United States of Colombia.

KINOSTON, Jamaica, Nov. 4.—Colombian advisers contradict the story.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—Cash 105.

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