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# BADEN-POWELL WAS REPULSED

Englishman has been constrained to

hold his breath notil the issue of the

Public anxiety has not been deeper

than the feeling of suspense among mili-

tary men. They have described the

Boer defensive position, 16 miles in

length, with relays of horses behind it,

ble to turn it, and the remarkable mo-

terprise.

on the British side.

Repulsed at Mafeking.

nade in preparation for the sortie.

Maxim of the Cape police.

to advance, and his squanron led off. "As our men engaged the position

yards of the area of the lort.

fall, and Captain Vernon, already twice

to be shot themselves the next moment.

and their accuracy of fire still further confused the men who had followed Cap-

tain Vernon and who saw him and his

LONDON, Jan. 6 .- Saturday 4:45 a. m.

ed Back With Losses

Heavy Fighting Reported From Colesburg, Developing Cross. The veldt around the Boer po-From a Slight Skirmish

A TERRIBLE BATTLE IS EXPECTED MOST ANY DAY been so extraordinarily protected, we should have been in possession.

Between the Opposing Forces Along the Tugela River and at the Besieged Cities -- Nothing Definite Allowed to Pass the British

Press Censor

by Associated Press to the Journal | could lay his hand, and has stiffened LONDON, Jan. 6 .- Thogah nothing def- his force in every way practicable for nite is permitted to pass the censor, suf- a supreme effort to break through the leient transpires to confirm the belief Boer line of defense and relieve Ladythat an important move on Tugela river smith. Even the stoutest-hearted is imminent. Continual bombardment of the Boer entrenchments, and the battle is known. numerous reconnaisances are apparently connected with a well defined purpose. There are indications that the British plan of attack includes an important movement via Weenene.

Baden Powell's defeat in his sorties concentrated at any point that might be at Mafeking raises serious doubts as to strongly attacked, as something unique in military history. There never was Today, however, comes the report that and strategy studied by the staff college anything like it, and ordinary tactics See our Ladies' Sorosis Colonel Plumer reached Mochanid have provided no expedients for regulatabout I anuary 1 with the Rhodesian ing a scientific attack on a swollen river relief force. As Plumer had about 2,000 | with #concealment of the enemy's posimen, if the news is correct, he ought to raise the seige of Mafeking.

> In conclusion the fighting around The dispatches indicate that the attack the difficulties of a most formidable enis developing into a general engagement. Advices from Belmont say two companies of Canadians who have been dispatched to cover the return of Col. cealed trenches and thousand of horses Pitcher's column, occupied a pass mix under saddle has been successful when miles out to prevent an attempt of the attacked at the point of greatest resist-Boers to cut off their force.

> A special dispatch from Cape Town The Boers, adapting themselves to today says it is rumored that General British tactics, had devised a most in-French has entered Colesburg.

Robert's Defense.

Washington, Jan 6 .- Roberts went on with his arguments begun yesterday. He reviewed the action of the constitutional convention of Utah, urging that this carried out the requirements of congress for the admission of Utah as a state, namely polygamous marriages should no longer be con tracted.

The "General" Discharged. Beaux, Jan. 6.- A dispatch from Aden says the authorities have renounced and further search of the German steamer "General." The Steamer will resume her voyage in few days.

Those Wonderful Defences, LONDON, Jan. 6 .- General Buller, since his defeat, has called into Natal every battalion and battery upon which he

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commanders, they were driven off at one tion restraining the election commispoint, but they endeavored to scale the sioners Mackay and Cochran, Governor fort at others. They found the position Taylors appointees, from qualifying and of the Boers almost impregnable.

"When we retired under cover of the armored train, so many men had been wounded that a suspension of hostilities occured under the auspices of the Red ur Associated Press to the Journal sition was at once dotted with flags of Foxhall Keene, an American sportsmercy, and it was seen that our wound- man, who broke his collar bone while ed were scattered within but a short ra- out hunting yesterday, has also susdius of the fort. We had almost completely surrounded it; and had it not

KENTUCKY JUDGE SEEMS MIXED DISABLED

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 6 .- Judge Cantbrother officers killed. Being without rill entered an order granting an injunc The Victoria Arrives at Manila With a acting. Court afterward entered an order setting the injunction saside and giving the right to appeal.

LONDON, Jan. 6 .- It is feared that tained internal injuries.

Sales of cheese brought over \$2,000 to Brownsville within a few days.

#### PORTUGAL REFUSES HELP.

Tells England and Germany that She Wants No Loan. speaker of the Montana house of repre-

By Associated Press to the Journal. Lisnon, Jan. 6.-A semi-official note regarding the Anglo-German agreement that he had been approached by Wilhas been issued. It is as follows:

"The British and German governments have informed Portugal that in the Clark, and his support was solicited for event of her contraction of a loan for the purpose of re-organizing her finances, the the latter two governments were disposed to guarantee the success of the operation. Great Britain and Germany assured Portugal that the basis of the agreement between A. B. Cook, the former state auditor, them was in recognition of the integrity of the Portugese colonial dominions. The who offered him \$20,000 to vote for Clark. by which the forces could be rapidly Portugese government declared that it had no need for such a loan.

#### AMERICAN PRISONERS

Many Missing Officers and Men Probably being perpetrated, and I was willing to tions. Boer occupation of two points Among Them. on the Southern bank and the extension of their line until it was hardly practica-

> By Associated Press to the Journal Washington, Jan. 6.-Official confirmation has come from both Otis and

Watson of the release of the American prisoners who have been held by the Fili-The most thoughtful veterans have pinos for many months. Otis' dispatch reads: added that while this new defensive "Manila-Prisoners are now enroute from Vigan, and will arrive tonight, and from Belgium, having in view a petition the measures adopted at Camp McKinsystem with long range guns in con-

the list will be telegraphed tomorrow. Lieutenant Gilmore is among the number. That of Watson follows:

"Manila-Colonels Hare and Howse have recaptured all the American prisers including Gilmore, now at Vigan.

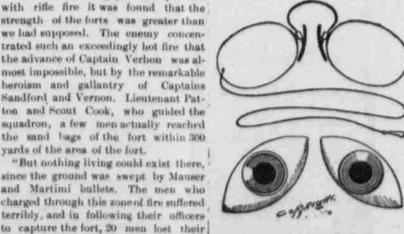
The sweeping statements that all American prisoners had been released has ance, it might prove weak and vulnerable at the point of least resistance. aroused the hope that in the list will appear the names of some officers and privates of the army who are set down as missing Prominent among the missing when the invitation comes from both army officers was Major Rockefeller, of the Ninth infantry. He disappeared com- disputants, and not from one alone, nor genious scheme of defense. It might pletely, and no trace of his body was ever found. prove unexpectedly weak if the British

"I went with the ambulance to PROPOSED NEW generals in turn could adapt their attack to it with any degree of flexibility. Gametree. The fort itself is circula terest operations have proceeded elsefrontage between six and seven feet where, which serves to indicate in- high, pierced with triple tiers of loopcreased mobility and improved tactics holes and surrounded by a ditch."

dispatch from Mafeking, dated Decem-"At dawn today, Col. Baden-Powell strong position of the enemy at Gamegains. The dispatch of dramatic inter- water, tree, two miles from Mafeking, from est is a narrative of the useless galwhich the Boers have been maintain- lantry at the sortie from Maleking, ing a desultory, but annoying, shell and where the stormers threw themselves rifle fire for several weeks. The railway hopelessly against the strongly defended has recently been reconstructed between Boer works. the town and Gametree, where the Boers

The question of contraband seizures had destroyed it, final repairs being takes almost paramount place in the thoughts of the public, a vague possibil-"During the night an armored train ity that they may be made a pretext for eith Maxim and Hotchkis guns, under continental intervention is disturbing Captain Williams and his troops, took the official and private observers. The p positions for an attack 'rom two government's undeviating purpose to enides. Capt, Lord Charles Bentinck and force strictly the right of search has been squadron were in reserve on the left, set forth in detailed instructions, diswhile the extreme left wing was occupatched yesterday by the admiralty to oled by artillery and the galloping the British naval commanders in South African waters, giving them weighty "Emplacements were thrown up durwarnings, without exception, to uphold ig the night, the orders being to atat dawn, and the artillery fire to pression of importation of contraban d esist upon the prolonged tooting from by way of Deingon bay.

the armored train. At daybreak the guns opened fire and rapidly drew a See the advertisement on page 4, in reply from the enemy, our shells burst- regrad to the Wilder Harp and String ing within effective range. Capt. Ver- quartet. non gave the signal to cease firing and



lives. Captain Sunford was the first to From Eyeglasses to Glasseyes

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NATIONAL PARK

sociated Press to the Journal. LONDON, Jan. 6.—Saturday, 4:50 a. drews has prepared a bill to bring about row, of the United States circuit court, way to Spain having decided to take up m -No decisive action is reported from an arrangement with the Chippewa In-The Times publishes the following South Africa this morning, the military dians for obtaining certain reservations of error to the supreme court of the activity being confined to points of for the proposed northern Minnesota United States in his suit for \$500,000 subsidiary importance. In the central National Park, at the headwaters of the damages against the justices of the sutheatre of operations, the British have Mississippi river. Territory comprises preme court of California and several organized an unsuccessful attack upon a apparently secured no substantial 611,000 acres land, and 214,000 acres lawyers, whom he accuses of "conspir-

sentatives, was the first witness in the Clark case before the senate committee Diagnosis Indicate That it is the on privileges and elections. He stated liam Bickford, as a representative of Stiff also detailed a conversation with

By Associated Press to the Journal.

Clark Bribery Case,

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.-Henry C. Stiff

"I told him that if Clark wanted my vote he could afford to pay more than were five deaths from bubonic plague in \$20,000, and suggested \$50,000, saying the Chinese quarter of Honolulu, and MANILA. \$20,000, and suggested \$00,000, saying the Onlinese quarter of the Hawaiian National State of the Hawaiian National stood as an offer on my part. I con- whole regiment of the Hawaiian Nationact the part of a detective."

Will Uncle Sam Intercede?

New York, Jan. 6 .- A special to the Tribune, from Washington, says: "It s pointed out at the state department to President McKinley, asking him to offer mediation to the beligerents of South Africa, is altogether misdirected. The United States is always ready to use its good offices to avoid or end strife

from mere outsiders. ATTORNEY PHILBROOK WINS A POINT.

St. Paul, Jan. 6.—General C. C. An- San Francisco, Jan. 6.—Judge Moracy to libel, oppress and ruin him,"

Philbrook was disbarred by the su-MANILA, Jan. 6.-Transport Victoria preme court for making charges of unarrived today in tow, having broken proffessional conduct against Justice

BUBONIC PLAGUE

IN HONOLULU

Real Article--Precautions

ily Associated Press to the Journal. WASHINGTON, Jan. 6,-Surgeon-General Sternberg has received the following report from Major Taylor, the surgeon in charge at the military hospital in Honolulu, dated December 15:

"I have the honor to report that on the 11th and 12th of this month there sidered that an outrageous crime was al Guard is isolated from the infected districts, and the board of health is making a house-to-house inspection and disinfection. All corpses have been cremated and I think there will be but little danger of the spead of infection among the troops. There is little doubt about the diagnosis in most of the cases."

Surgeon-General Sternberg is not alarmed at the conditions in Honolulu that the popu'ar movement reported as set out in the report, and believes ley are adequate. He will not recommend that the army transports be prevented from tonching at Honolulu.

FRENCHMEN TAKE

THEIR MEDICINE

dy Associated Press to the Journal. Paris, San 6 .- M. Guerin who was sentenced to ten years confinement in fortified place, has arrived at Clairvaux where he will undergo sentence, Buffet, who was condemned to ten years banishment remains in Brussels. De Roulede also banished ten years is an

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