

HIS ESCAPE COMPLETE

NO HOPES NOW ENTERTAINED OF BOTH'S CAPTURE.

Large Number of Boers Gathered at Newcastle—Buller to Make Another Speech.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—War news is manager and intelligible, but Unionist politicians and military men are satisfied that everything is going right, says the London correspondent of the Tribune.

BOERS AT NEWCASTLE.

British Thought to Be Gradually Involving the Enemy. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—From Newcastle, Natal, a correspondent of the Times sends a dispatch which says a large number of Boers are near Pongolaboch and Slagkop, while a command of 500 holds a position to the east of Piet Reef.

LUNCHEON FOR BULLER.

His Friends Panic Stricken for Fear He Will Make Another Speech. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Commenting upon General Buller's recent speech and his future movements, the London correspondent of the Tribune says General Buller's friends, after being uneasy over Mr. Broderick's protracted conference with the king, are now thrown into a panic by a report that the general will attend a house luncheon at Exeter next week and make another speech. They cannot forecast how much additional mischief he may do by his oratory, and they are hoping that either the court or the war office will issue an order of some kind against talking.

FAVORS BETTER SERVICE.

Argentine Editor Advocates Line of Steamers to South Africa.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—E. P. Fox, editor and part owner of La Prensa (The Press), of Buenos Ayres, Argentina, one of the most influential newspapers in South America, who is in this country to bring about better communication between the United States and South America, makes the following observations concerning the objects of his trip:

"I leave for home on October 22, and to save time I call on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse to Crechbourg and take a steamer at the latter place for my home. This occupies twenty-one days. Going direct from New York requires twenty-five days, because of the class of vessels engaged in the service.

IN DISPUTED TERRITORY.

Chili Building Roads and Bridges in Argentine. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The Buenos Ayres correspondent of the Herald cables: A sensation has been caused by a communication that Chile is building roads and bridges in territory under dispute between Argentina and Chile. The government of Argentina has announced that the foreign office protests against this action of Chile last April, but that complications in Chile's internal policy prevented a settlement of the matter. The government has directed the Argentine minister in Santiago to file a new protest. Chileans say that Argentine troops occupy Cerro Palique, near Ultima Esperanza, and that Chile should protest against that fact.

POLITICIANS VISIT D'ORLEANS.

French Royalists Express Fidelity and Devotion to the Duke. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The Paris correspondent of the Times says the royalists report that the Duc D'Orleans received visits from his political friends at Carlsruhe and had a long conversation with the president of the Royalist committee, who expressed their fidelity and devotion to him. The duke has made a special study of questions relating to the organization of the Royalist party for the next French parliamentary elections.

TRANSPORT SOLACE SAILS.

Her Passengers Consist of the Court That Will Try Captain Talley.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—The transport Solace sailed today for Pango Pango, Samoa. Among her passengers were Rear-Admiral Robley D. Evans, Captains Cooper, Glass, Thomas, Merry, Reiter and Harrington and Captain Myer, United States marine corps. These gentlemen are to form a court that will try Captain R. F. Tiley, governor of Tutuila, on charges preferred by the London Missionary Society if it is found they have sufficient foundation in fact to justify such a procedure.

RUSSELL LEFT QUIETLY.

The British Earl Served Every Hour of His Sentence. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Commenting upon the release from prison of Earl Russell, the London correspondent of the Tribune cables: Earl Russell's release was without a sign of sympathy from the home office. Not a single hour was abated from his sentence. He had the good sense to leave Holloway jail quietly, after refusing to take newspaper reporters into his confidence. It is probable that his first marriage will be annulled speedily by the courts, and that he will be left at liberty to remarry Mrs. Somerville legally, without the trouble of going to Nevada. It has been rumored from the outset that the impulse for the prosecution of Earl Russell for bigamy came from court, but there is no proof that the king interested himself in the matter.

INCENSED AT REFEREE.

The Ryan-Perence Fight at Kenosha Ends in a Row. KENOSHA, Wis., Oct. 18.—During a bout between Adam Ryan, of Chicago, and Joe Perence, of Milwaukee, last night, the crowd became incensed at the decision of the referee. With a wild yell of rage 500 sports made a rush for the stage and threatened to mob Sig Hart, referee. Six burly policemen lined up in front of the stage and held the crowd back until the referee could leave the stage and the building. When the crowd left the opera house they made a rush for the hotel where Hart was stopping. Two hours later the police managed to disperse the crowd.

WILL VISIT KING EDWARD.

Duc D'Orleans' Unfortunate Pander Will Not Be Hit Against Him. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The Copenhagen correspondent of the Times says he is authorized to state that the Duc D'Orleans, who is now traveling in the south, intends later to visit King Edward and Queen Alexandra. The correspondent says he learns that after the duke wrote the letter of apology to Queen Victoria for the unfortunate incident last year (when he congratulated the artist who made a number of caricatures of her majesty in a Paris paper) he received a touching reply assuring him that the misunderstanding was at an end. Queen Victoria's letter was written a short time before her death.

DEATH WOULD BE CERTAIN.

Rumor That Ayub Kahn Has Escaped From Moscow Discredited. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—A rumor that Ayub Kahn has escaped from Moscow, says the Simla correspondent of the Times, is not believed. It is unlikely that he would attempt to escape, for if he entered Afghanistan, his death would be certain as the Shere Ali faction is extinct. The great tribes are not interested in Ayub Kahn, one of the younger sons of the former Amir, Shere Ali, now that he is old and has lost his prestige.

GROWING IN DISFAVOR.

Eight Against the Australian Tariff Continue in Parliament. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—A dispatch from Melbourne to the Times says the feeling against the proposed tariff is growing and especially in New South Wales where, it is declared, the fight against it must continue until the next elections. The debate in parliament proceeds vigorously. The free traders denounce the bill as a protectionist measure, asserting that it is a violation of the promises made by the ministry at the time of the elections. The ministers reply that high duties are necessary for revenue.

THREE RANGERS KILLED.

Captain Mossman Starts for Black River to Seek Revenge. TUCSON, Ariz., Oct. 18.—Captain Bert Mossman, of the Arizona Rangers, accompanied by three rangers, has started for the Black River country where two rangers were killed last week by cattle thieves. He will mobilize all the rangers there and make a thorough search for the outlaws who have made that portion of Arizona dangerous for many years. The country is very rough and in a hunt for outlaws the latter have far the best of it.

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AMERICAN COMBINATIONS TO CAPTURE BRITISH MARKETS.

They Control One-Quarter of the Output in England—Price of Cigarettes Reduced.

PORTO RICANS COMING.

Prominent Business Men Will Visit Leading Cities of United States.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The London representative of the Herald cables many interesting details concerning the "tobacco war" now being on in England. In part the dispatch says: The tobacco war has already commenced. The American combinations having named its retailers of a large reduction in the price of cigarettes. The struggle between the firms of British and American trade may be very severe and prolonged. The object of the Americans is to capture the British tobacco markets. The combination which the British manufacturers have established includes 13 leading manufacturers whose united capital is £3,000,000 (\$25,000,000). They control, roughly speaking, one-quarter of the output of tobacco in England.

FOREIGN TRADE COMPETITION.

Other Countries Making Inroads on British Industries. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The London correspondent of the Tribune communicates the following particulars concerning the "foreign invasion" of English markets: The tobacco war has begun. In other trades England has to face severe competition also. Over 100 men, chiefly shoe hands, are out of work in Northampton. Considerable quantities of Belgian made cotton goods are being sold in Lancashire to the detriment of the loom owners in that country. A class of goods known as "ticks" is pushing Lancashire made goods in the markets, the Belgians having acquired the trade.

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It is Reported from Quetta that the news of Amir Abdur Rahman's death and of his eldest son's succession has been received quietly in Kabul. A rumor of resistance among the Ghilzais, which has gained currency, is not supported by any evidence.

HARRIMAN EXPECTED.

Will Soon Come to San Francisco and Inspect the Lines. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—The officers of the Southern Pacific Company have received word from E. H. Harriman, the new president of the railroad, that he intends coming to San Francisco. While on the coast it is expected that he will make a tour of inspection of the entire Pacific system. He will also run over the Oregon Short Line and the Oregon Railway & Navigation roads.

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HANNA IS HIS FRIEND

THE SENATOR WILL CORDIALLY SUPPORT ROOSEVELT.

Will Be to the New Chief Executive Just What He Was to the Late President.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 18.—Concerning published reports that President Roosevelt had asked him to be his friend and what he was to President McKinley, Senator Hanna today made the statement that whatever talks he had with Roosevelt were entirely satisfactory and that the matter published had not been given out by him. He said further that he would support Roosevelt as probably as he had supported McKinley.

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