



A CLASH AT ANY MOMENT

Orange Free State Troops Reported to Crossed the Border Into Natal.

EXPECTED TO OCCUPY NEWCASTLE

Diplomatic Relations Between Great Britain and the South African Republic Have Been Broken Off.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Word of a clash between the opposing forces of the Boers and British in South Africa is expected momentarily. There are reports in circulation that troops of the Orange Free State have already crossed the border and are now advancing on Ladysmith. If this proves correct news of a battle may come at any time. The Boers are said to have entered Natal by the Candy Clough pass.

Montague White, consul-general of the South African republic in London, shut up shop and left this afternoon for the continent. Conyngham Green, the British diplomatic agent in the Transvaal, will leave Pretoria this afternoon. Thus diplomatic relations between the two countries are broken off.

The Gazette of the South African republic contains a proclamation calling on all burghers domiciled outside the republic to return and present themselves for service. If they fail they will be fined and imprisoned and their property confiscated. This action is taken in order to catch British subjects, with suspected Boer sympathies, and property within the South African republic.

A force of 4000 soldiers of the Transvaal, under General Cronje, are threatening Mafeking, and the inhabitants of that place are excited.

The Boers are expected to occupy Newcastle by tomorrow.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—A Petermartizburg dispatch says: There are persisting reports that Orange Free States troops have already crossed the frontier, and are advancing on Ladysmith. The Boers entered Natal by the important pass of Candy Clough, thirty miles southwest of Newcastle.

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Shot Down By His Wife.

NORTHPORT, Wash., Oct. 10.—L. J. Brown, proprietor of Brown's cafe and dancehall, was killed by a shot fired by his wife about 10 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Brown and her father went to a room and knocked at the door. Brown and a woman were in the room. After waiting thirty minutes Brown came out, and locked the door behind him. Mrs. Brown asked him for some papers, which he had agreed to give her on the previous day. He gave her some sarcastic answer and turned around. As he turned she drew a pistol and shot him in the back of the neck. Brown lived about thirty minutes. Mrs. Brown gave herself up immediately after the shooting occurred, and is now in the city jail.

Wounded at Noveleta.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Oct. 10.—Captain Hugh McGrath, Fourth-cavalry, who is reported to have been seriously wounded in the battle of Noveleta yesterday, was stationed at this post for some months, in command of troop E, Fourth cavalry, and accompanied it to San Francisco when the regiment was ordered to Manila. Before the troops sailed Captain McGrath was appointed major in the engineer corps, United States volunteers, and ordered to Savannah, and afterwards to Havana, where he was chief engineer officer on the staff of General Ludlow. He was

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Bicyclist Severely Injured.

HILLSBORO, Or., Oct. 10.—Charles Doughty, late a private in company H, Second Oregon volunteers, and who returned from Manila in July with the regiment, had a narrow escape from death yesterday evening while going home on a bicycle. Young Doughty was crossing a streetwalk and his wheel gave him a header. He fell on his head and shoulders and was unconscious for about two hours. He received a terrible blow on the outer angle of the left eyebrow, and his upper lip was badly torn. While at first his physicians thought the accident would prove fatal, he is resting easy, and will recover.

"I wish to express my thanks to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, for having put on the market such a wonderful medicine," says W. W. Massingill, of Beaumont, Texas. There are many thousands of mothers whose children have been saved from attacks of dysentery and cholera infantum who must also feel thankful. It is for sale by Blakeley & Houghton Druggists.

Mistaken For a Deer.

OREGON CITY, Oct. 10.—Last night John A. Howland brought in from the Upper Clackamas Ben Kimbley, of Damascus, who is suffering from a rifle-

ball wound in the fleshy part of the right side below the armpit. The two men were following a deer, taking separate routes. Howland mistook the color of Kimbley's vest in the brush for a deer, and fired. The bullet grazed through the flesh to the depth of about half of its diameter. The accident occurred Thursday afternoon, but they did not reach here until last night to have the wound dressed.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all the diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from ten drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Uncle John Wrecked.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 10.—The barkentine Uncle John, bound from Honolulu to Puget Sound, went ashore Sunday on the west coast of Vancouver island, and is a total loss. The Uncle John left Honolulu September 18, and made a smart passage, being bound for Port Townsend for orders. She was driven ashore Sunday evening during a gale. The officers and men escaped by taking to the boats. The officers and crew will return to Victoria by the Willapa. The wrecked vessel left Eureka, Cal., with a load of lumber for Hawaii last August.

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SMALLPOX AT ASTORIA

Well-Developed Case Was Discovered There This Morning—Patient Has Been Quarantined.

ASTORIA, Or., Oct.—Dr. Bishop, who was called to attend one of the Sloop brothers, Young's river dairymen, this morning, found and diagnosed a well-defined case of smallpox. He called Dr. Hill Hastings, United States quarantine officer, who pronounced it a well-developed case of varioloid. Chief Hallock, who is also health officer, quarantined the patient in a house near the scow bay foundry, as the city has no pest house. A special meeting of the city council was called this afternoon to provide for such matters by arranging for a pest house and physician as health officer.

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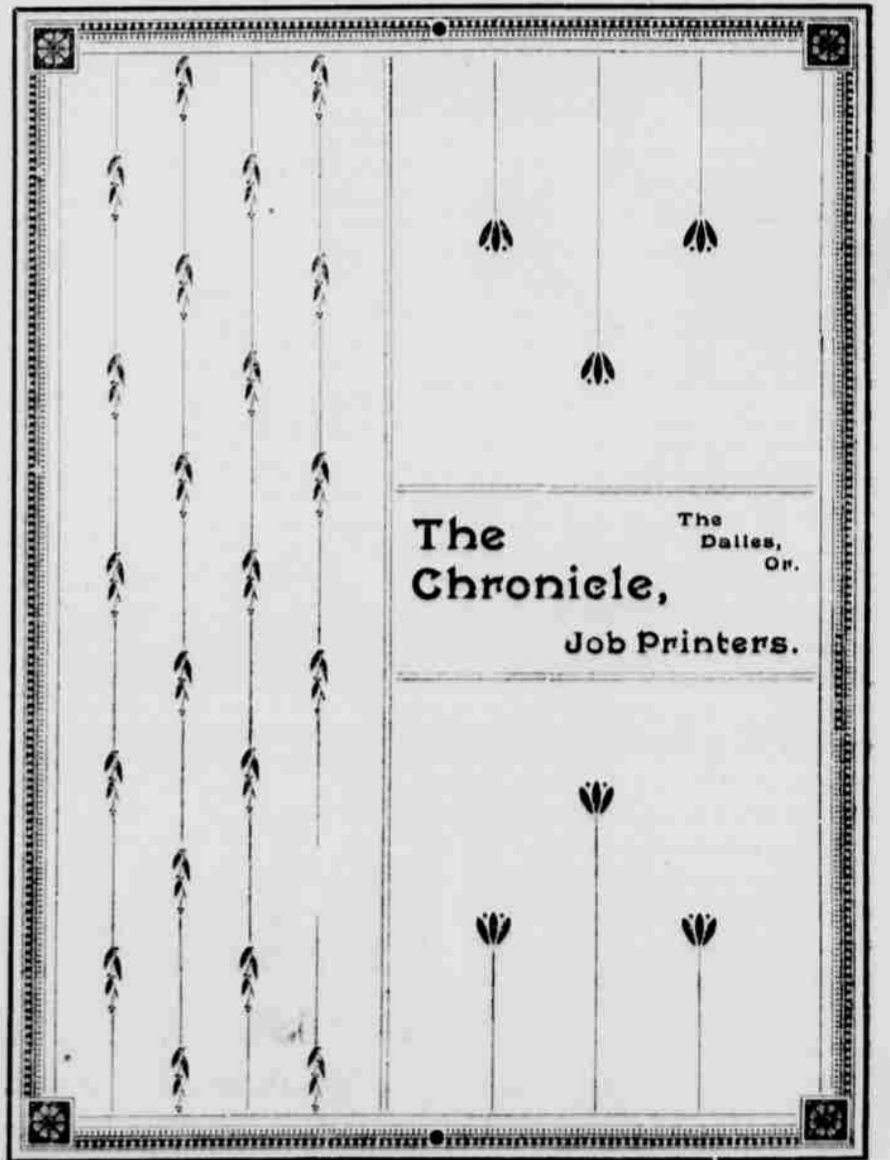
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