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General Yule Hard Pressed by Boers in the Vicinity of Dundee.

MUST SOON BE REINFORCED

Burgers are Said to Have Secured the Services of Thirteen Thousand Natives.

New York, Oct. 24.—A dispatch to the World from London says: The ministers and their supporters are now realizing that they plunged into the war with reckless haste, and the queen's message, in which she speaks of "dearly bought victories" and "dreadful loss of life" indicate with a plainness which she has never before permitted herself to indulge in, under like circumstances, her disapproval of the war.

The British forces in Natal have already lost in killed or wounded nearly 500 men in three days' fighting. The Gordon Highlanders lost only one officer and five men killed in their famous attack on Dargai Heights in the Afridi campaign, while at Elani's Laagto they had four officers killed and nine wounded, twenty men killed and thirty-three wounded.

Prolongation of the war beyond British expectation is now regarded as certain.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The war office here has this morning been attempting to explain the summary of the situation in Natal, furnished by Field Marshal Lord Wolseley to the house of commons yesterday. His statement is now said to have created unnecessary alarm, and it is asserted that what the official note called General Yule's retirement would be more accurately described as "a change of position for tactical reasons," and that the alarm for the safety of the wounded is not justified.

In the absence of authentic news, there are a number of contradictory rumors afloat, but the most reasonable interpretation of the various reports seems to indicate that there was some artillery practice at Glencoe Saturday and Sunday, but no fighting at close quarters. There is no denying, however, that great suspense and anxiety exists, which has been increased by the report in circulation purporting to emanate from official quarters to the effect that the Boers have secured the services of 13,000 natives. News has at length been received direct from Colonel Baden-Powell, dated Mafeking, October 15. It confirms the statement that in the armored train fight the British had two men killed and fifteen wounded, including Lieutenant Lord Charles Bentinck, in the Ninth lanciers, slightly wounded.

The latest advices from Kimberley under date of October 21, said the Boers' attack was still pending, and that large Boer forces in the neighborhood had destroyed big sections of the railroad line north and south of the town.

Fall Season a Failure.
ASTORIA, 23.—The run of fish has about

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ceased, and it is doubtful if a gillnetter, trapman, seiner, cold-storage man or canneryman has paid expenses during the fall season. The recent storms have injured nearly all the traps in Baker's bay, and they are being taken up for the season. Gillnetters are catching only dogfish, but they find a ready sale at five cents each. It was but a few days ago that the most unpleasant thing which could be said of a canneryman was that he packed dogfish, but now they are put up in quantities for sale in the South. The up-river seiners are reported to be doing nothing, and one haul at Miller's sands Saturday netted only three fish. The fall season is now practically at an end, and was a dismal failure.

OUR DUTY TO HELP ENGLAND

Ex-Minister to Russia Breckinridge Opines That It Is in Event Russia or France Interferes in the Matter.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Clifton R. Breckinridge, United States minister to Russia during the second Cleveland administration, in an interview states that in case any nation or combination of nations should attempt to embarrass England in the present war in South Africa, it would be the imperative duty of the United States to take the part of Great Britain and sustain her with our whole moral and material strength. He said:

"Great Britain's action in South Africa is in line with the duty and development of the Anglo-Saxon race. In her present struggle, she deserves the unanimous support of the American people. In case other European nations should, through international jealousies, attempt to retard her in the clear and simple duty she is performing at this time, the conduct of the United States should be determined by considerations mightier than mere political expediency or political precedence.

"We should be enjoined by every sentiment of patriotism and every tie of racial kinship to stand shoulder to shoulder with our brethren across the sea."

Appointment of Ex-Governor Lord.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The appointment of ex-Governor Lord, as minister to the Argentine Republic, is looked upon with general favor in Washington, and much gratification has been expressed by those who are acquainted with the new minister. He will take his new office in about two weeks, as the resignation of Mr. Buchanan expires in about that time. The appointment would have been made at an earlier date, but the retiring minister hesitated in

order to make sure of his new position before surrendering his office in Argentina. Governor Lord's new position will pay him \$7500 a year, whereas had he been appointed to Persia last winter he would have received but \$5000.

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In His Home State.

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 23.—Colonel W. J. Bryan arrived in Lincoln early this evening, went to his home for a three hours' rest, and started tonight for Polk county, where he begins two weeks' speech-making in Nebraska tomorrow, at Stromburg. He said his health is excellent, and he is confident of being able to conclude his campaign as scheduled. Mr. Bryan said his long tour in Nebraska has no special significance. He had, in years past, neglected his home state, and he is simply redeeming promises of speeches made long ago. He said he is gratified at the reception he received and the sentiment of the people in the states recently visited.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other 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.

Drove Rebels Out of Negros.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The war department has received the following cablegram:
"Manila—Hughes reports the Panay insurgents driven out of Negros; Byrne struck one band, killed ten, captured thirteen; native troops struck another band, killed six. No casualties. OTIS"

Chester H. Brown, Kalamazoo, Mich., says: "Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cured me of a severe case of indigestion; can strongly recommend it to all dyspeptics." Digests what you eat without aid from the stomach, and cures dyspepsia. Butler Drug Co.

MAY SAVE THE TRANSVAAL

France and Russia Will Not Permit its Annexation to England.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—A dispatch to the Herald from Berlin says: Telegrams from Brussels announce that in the Transvaal legation circles it is stated that France and Russia will not permit the annexation of the Transvaal and Orange Free State to England.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says: The sailing of the channel squadron today for Gibraltar is now regarded by the keenest observers as an indication that some unexpected attack upon British interests is possible. The magnitude of the preparations for war, which are out of all proportion to the requirements of the military situation, can only be adequately explained on the theory that the government suspected that some great power would be tempted to seize the opportunity for striking a sudden blow or carrying out a deeply cherished policy.

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SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon, for the county of Wasco.
Harriet A. Simon, Plaintiff,
vs.
William H. H. Simon, defendant.
To William H. H. Simon, the above named defendant:
In the Name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby notified to be and appear in the above entitled court on or before the last day of the publication of this summons, to-wit: On or before Saturday, the 18th day of November, 1899, then and there to answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled suit; and if you so fail to appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief prayed for in his complaint herein, to-wit: that the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved forever and that plaintiff have judgment against defendant for his costs and disbursements and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem meet and equitable.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof by order of the Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, Judge of the above entitled court, which order bears date of the 2nd day of October, 1899, and directs that said summons be served upon the said defendant by publication thereof for six consecutive weeks in The Dalles Chronicle, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published in The Dalles, Wasco county, Oregon; said publication to begin on the 7th day of October, 1899, and end on the 18th day of November, 1899.

DUFUR & MENEFEE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon, for the County of Wasco.
Charles G. L. Benson, plaintiff,
vs.
Hettie A. Benson, defendant.
To Hettie A. Benson, the above named defendant:
In the Name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint in the above entitled court and cause on or before six weeks from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: the 6th day of September, 1899, and if you fail to so appear and answer or otherwise plead, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint herein, to-wit: that the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved forever and that plaintiff have judgment against defendant for his costs and disbursements and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem meet and equitable.

This summons is published by virtue of an order made and signed by Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, Judge of the above entitled court, on the 23rd day of September, 1899, directing that said summons be published once a week for a period of not less than six consecutive weeks.

FRED. W. WILSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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