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IN SOUTH AFRICA

Boers and English Drawing Closer and Heavy Fighting Soon Expected.

The English Victory Over the Dervishes Received With Glad Hearts and is Welcome Set-off to South African Situation—The American Consul at Pretoria Instructed—Engagement at Willow Grange Much More Severe Than at First Cabled—British Losses Heavier Than Told.

By Associated Press to the Journal.
LONDON, Nov. 25.—News of the death of Khalifa and final defeat of the Dervishes was received with great joy as well as a welcome set-off to the serious situation in South Africa. A dispatch from Queenstown, Cape Colony, announces four hundred colonial rebels, including the Ex-Magistrate as having the enemy at Lamar place and reported marching on Dordrecht, whence can operate to interrupt Gatacre's advance to reoccupy the Stormberg junction.

Refugees from Queenstown assert that Lady Grey has been occupied by colonial farmers and it is feared there will be a general movement in favor of the Boers. Advice from Belmont confirming the treacherous use of the white flag by the Boers is arousing indignation. All accounts confirm the splendid charging of the British infantry, the Scots and guards entering the fight with drums beating and rifles playing. The guards advanced steadily, many coolly smoking.

Durban, Natal, Nov. 25.—An official message from General White, at Ladysmith, dated November 22, says: "Situation, unchanged. Troops well and cheerful."
"Five thousand British left Estcourt Wednesday afternoon for reconnaissance. They surprised the Boers at 3 o'clock Thursday morning, and occupied the Boer position, bayonetting 80 of the enemy. At daybreak the Boers opened with quick-fires."
"The British artillery was unable to reach the Boers and the British position therefore became untenable and was evacuated. Subsequently the artillery was brought into action, and the Boers fell back. Their object having been attained, the British retired to Estcourt."

Wasmoros, Nov. 24.—United States Consul Marston, at Pretoria, has been instructed by cable to impress upon President Kruger that it is the view of this government that the usage of all civilized nations sanctions the ministrations of a neutral representative in the interest of citizens and captives of one of the parties to the war, and he must further insist upon performing the sacred duty imposed by all the conditions of humanity.

This practically an announcement of our government upon the execution of the trust which it assumed to look after the interests of British citizens in the South African Republic.

Engagement Willow Grange.
LONDON, Nov. 25, 5 A. M.—General White's dispatch of Wednesday effectively disposes of all rumors of another sortie from Ladysmith and of the defeat of the Boers. The situation in Natal remains unchanged, the sorties from Estcourt to Willow Grange having little effect.

The position at Mafeking is beginning to be regarded with anxiety, in view of the impossibility of Lord Methuen being able to relieve the town for some time to come.

General Buller's destination is kept a strict secret at Cape Town, some reports saying that he has gone north, and others that he has gone to Durban, as already cabled.

A dispatch to the Times from Mooi river gives the British casualties in the

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All this would indicate much work in connection with the system, but the books and blanks are ruled and printed in such a way as to reduce this work to a minimum.

For instance, each little book for the child's use is arranged and printed to include a dated space for each Monday from Oct. 2, 1899 to June 30, 1900, so that the teacher need only enter the amount in its proper place and hand the book back to the child.

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The bank books of the pupils are kept by the Principal or Teacher as long as they attend school. If they leave the school, or at vacation, the book will be given to them, and they can withdraw their money, but they will require the presence of their father or mother and the signature of the Principal or teacher.

During the summer vacation of the school, deposits may be made or money withdrawn from the bank direct, the Cashier acting during that time for the teacher; but if the applicant is unknown to the Cashier he must be identified before receiving the money.

After consultation between Prof. Yoder and A. T. Gilbert it may be said that the system will probably be put in operation immediately after the holidays.

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TODAY'S FOOT BALL GAMES

The Grand Yale and Princeton Game is Played in Fine Weather.

By Associated Press to the Journal.
NEW HAVEN, Nov. 25.—Finest November weather greeted the foot ball enthusiasts who have come to witness the contest between Yale and Princeton. The few waters that have been posted wereat odds of five to three on Yale.

First half of the game is as follows: Yale 10; Princeton, 6.

New HAVEN, Nov. 25.—Final score, Princeton 11; Yale 10.

Since the surprising tie played by Yale with Harvard the feeling is general that Yale will repeat its record of 1897, when it tied Harvard and later defeated Princeton. Paul Dashiell umpired and ex-Captain Wrightington of Harvard refereed the game.

NOTES.
The U. of O. football team met the Multnomah team today in Portland. Corvallis vs. Chemawa football team, play today at Corvallis. The Indians will play the Salems at the Fair Grounds next Thursday.

GREAT STORM ON TEXAS COAST

By Associated Press to the Journal.
DALLAS, TEX., Nov. 25.—Alarming reports come from the lower gulf coast of Texas, where a severe storm is raging. A number of small vessels lost and hundreds of cattle were drowned, having been driven into the gulf by the great force of the wind.

Many homes were destroyed and it is feared some lives were lost.

PEACE BE TO HIS ASHES.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 25.—The earthly remains of the late Vice-President Garrett A. Hobart were consigned to a temporary resting place in Cedar Lawn cemetery, today. A brief funeral service was held at the residence, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Dr. Magie, President McKinley, cabinet officers and over sixty members of the senate and a great many congressmen attended the service at the house.

NAVY YARD CONFLAGRATION

By Associated Press to the Journal.
BOENON, No. 25.—Fire broke out at the Charleston navy yard this morning. The vending shed was destroyed, entailing a loss estimated at \$100,000. Marines and sailors on the Machias and Washast assisted in fighting the flames and the adjoining property was saved.

DERVISHES DEFEATED.

Principal Officers Killed and Many Thousand Taken Prisoners.

By Associated Press to the Journal.
CAIRO, Nov. 25.—Lord Cromer received the following from Gen. Kitchener today. Wingate's force caught up with Gen. Khalifa's force, 77 miles southeast of Gaddid. After a sharp fight he took the position. Khalifa was killed and all the principal emirs killed or captured except Osman Digna. The Dervishes are utterly defeated and thousands have surrendered.

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NEWS FROM OTIS

Filipinos Satisfied With the Present Form of Government Which is Working Fine.

Insurgents Make Another Feint on Imus—Three Americans Wounded and Two Filipinos Captured and Two Wounded. Aguinaldo Left Tarlac on the 13th, Escaping Between Young and Wheaton's Brigade—Wheaton is Pursuing Him—Aguinaldo's Mother and Child Captured and With Wheaton's Troops.

By Associated Press to the Journal.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The following cable was received from Gen. Otis today: "Manila.—The Insurgents made a feint on Imus last night. Three enlisted men were wounded. Their loss was two killed, two captured. They quickly withdrew. Additional troops were sent from Manila today. The insurgents will be driven south. Reports from Negros are encouraging. The chief insurgent leader north of the island surrendered voluntarily. More planting is being done, more sugar mills are at work than at any time since the revolution against Spain began. Officers report the people apparently cheerful and hopeful, that the form of government put in operation is well suited to their conditions and working smoothly."

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The following is from Otis: "Manila—A vessel from Lingayen gulf, with dispatches from Wheaton to 23rd inst., brought in Buencamino, the insurgent secretary of state captured. He says that Aguinaldo and party left Tarlac on the 13th, to be escorted North by 2,000 troops, from Bayambang and Dagupan.

With those troops Wheaton struck San Jacinto and Young captured. Aguinaldo with a part of his family has escaped north with 200 men passing between Young and Wheaton. Young is still in pursuit.

Aguinaldo, mother and oldest child, are with Buencamino, separated from the party, the mother was lost in the woods and a child four year old are with Wheaton troops. Two thousand dollars in gold, belonging to the mother, was captured, now is in the Manila treasury.

A heavy storm at Lingayen has prevented the landing troops for the north. Mac Arthur has captured the insurgent director of the railroad, who endeavored

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WHEAT MARKET.

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