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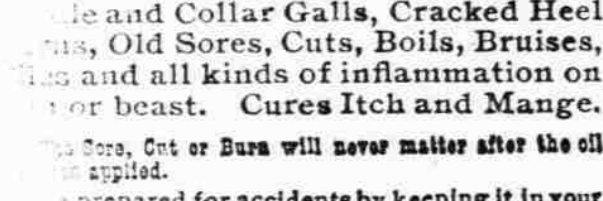
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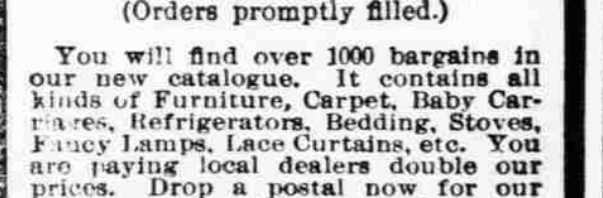
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FOR A WINTER CAMPAIGN

PREPARATIONS BEING MADE TO HOLD BLOEMFONTEIN

Against Surprises—Roberts Awaiting Remounts and Winter Clothing for Troops—Erabant and Gatacre at a Standstill—Pro-Boer Meeting in London.

London, April 10.—5 a. m.—Britons are now beginning, though reluctantly, to realize that Lord Roberts is in for a winter campaign, lasting several months. This is the end, in a few words of the high hopes based upon Lord Roberts' brilliant dash to Kimberley and Bloemfontein.

Preparations are being made to hold Bloemfontein against surprises. Lord Kitchener has been given an important duty, being responsible for the protection of the railway, while Lord Roberts is waiting for re-mounts and winter clothing for the troops, whose thin cotton khaki uniforms and boots are worn out.

General Erabant and General Gatacre are both at a standstill. Lord Roberts will probably for some time confine his operations to clearing the Free State behind him of raiders and to relieving Mafeking, for which purpose apparently the Eighth Division, now arriving at Cape Town, has been ordered to Kimberley.

Lady Sarah Wilson and other Mafeking correspondents send diaries of the doings there, showing that the Boers have tried, by abandoning their trenches, to lure the besieged out into a mined ambush. Fortunately the British engineers discovered the mine, cut the wire communication, and unearthed 250 pounds of dynamite and war gelatin.

What the chances are for an advance to Pretoria may be judged from the fact that only from six to ten thousand horses are on their way to the Cape and from the further fact that the military tailoring departments only within the last three weeks began making woolen khaki uniforms. It is said it will take at least two months to provide 200,000 uniforms.

Mr. Steyn's address to the Free Stater Raad at Kroonstad is confirmed. The Fisch-Wolmarans deputa-tion has full power to negotiate for peace, subject to the Raad's sanction. Lady Roberts will remain at Cape Town. The Duke of Westminster, the Duke of Marlborough and Lord Henry Cavendish Bentinck have gone to the front.

London, April 10.—The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "The railway and telegraph are working well. Works and trenches have been prepared in suitable positions around Bloemfontein and the Boer army has exercised. Some of the troops sleep in the trenches.

Confirmation has been received of the report that the Boers are in laager in considerable force, with guns, at Donkerspoort, eighteen miles southeast. The British scouts report another body still closed. The Boer patrols have grown very daring, venturing much nearer our front.

"The movement of troops continues with increasing frequency, brigades and divisions appearing and disappearing at brief intervals. No specific accounts of such movements are permitted.

Some re-mounts were fired on yesterday on the railway, while they were on the way here from the south. The enemy are reported to be in considerable numbers to the southeast of the line.

OUR CAPTURED PRIZES.

THE RESULTS OF THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR.

The Secretary of the Navy Informed Through Counsel that Suit Will be Instituted Before the United States Courts—The Claims are Set Forth by Counsel.

Washington, April 9.—The Navy Department has received from J. N. Stripling, United States District Attorney for the Southern District of Florida, a statement of the results of the proceedings conducted by him before the court in that district, in the matter of condemnation of prizes taken by American warships during the Spanish-American war.

It appears from his statement that there were 27 ships declared prizes and 24 captured vessels were released and restored to the owners by decree of the prize court. These were: E. Raoul, Pilgrim, Greenan Castle, Three Bell, Franklin, Paquette, A. Suarez, Espirana, Sovoroto, Buena Ventura, Miguel Jover, Catalina, Regulas Engracia, Ferdinandia, Oriente, Lola, Wary, Nickerson, Tabasgueno, Quatro de Septiembre, Antonio Y. Pazo, Santiago Apostol, Poder de Dios.

The twenty-seven prizes and the disposition made of them were: The Matildo, captured by the Porter, was condemned, realizing \$6452 for vessel and cargo. The Soda, captured by the Cushing, Wilmington, Algonquin and Porter, realized \$6564 for ship and cargo.

Tres Hermanos, captured by the Foote, Terror and Machias, realized \$5384. The Pinero, captured by the Castine and Newport, realized \$629. In the case of these four vessels, the Attorney-General is considering the expediency of refunding the net proceeds, on the ground that the owners of the vessels were Cuban sympathizers.

The other twenty-three vessels declared prizes and disposed of were: The Candita, captured by the Cushing and Wilmington, realized net \$399. Pedro, captured by the New York, realized net \$22,822. The Panama, captured by the New York and Mangrove, realizing net \$15,837.

The A. Bolivar, captured by the Terror and Machias, realizing \$12,433 net. The Lorenzo, captured by the Indiana, Terror, Iowa, New York, Porter and Amphitrite, realizing \$21,512 net. The Guano, captured by the Foote, Machias and Terror, realizing \$16,021 net.

The Carlos F. Roses, captured by the Terror and New York, realizing \$17,111 net. The Amphala, captured by the Wilmington, Newport and Marietta, realizing \$1804 net.

The Benito Estinger, captured by the Hornet, released on bond. The Santo Domingo, now under consideration by the Secretary of the Navy. The Gallito, captured by the Eagle, realizing \$509 net.

The Belle Ynez, captured by the Pompey, Uncas and Hudson, realizing \$285. The Domingo Aurelio, captured by the Maple and Topeka, realizing \$2657. The Anquidita, captured by the Nashville and the Marblehead, realizing \$306. The Gibara, captured by the Nashville, realizing \$2681.

The Dolores, captured by the Eagle, realizing \$859. The Christina, captured by the Hudson, realizing \$151. The Expresso, captured by the Nashville, realizing \$2285.

DEWEY WILL WITHDRAW.

The Admiral May Not be a Candidate for the Presidency.

New York, April 10.—A Washington special to the Evening World says: "It is asserted that this afternoon what seems to be good authority that Admiral Dewey has decided to withdraw as a candidate for the Presidency, and that within a few days he will formally announce his decision.

"His brother-in-law, John R. McLean, is alleged to be responsible for this latest move.

"Within forty-eight hours Admiral Dewey has been in consultation with Democratic leaders and others antagonistic to President McKinley, and the opinions then expressed, together with unfavorable or non-committal views voiced by the newspapers decided him, it is asserted, to withdraw from the contest.

Washington, April 10.—Admiral Dewey said to-night that the report published in a New York afternoon newspaper, to the effect that he intended to withdraw his candidacy for the Presidency, was all a mistake, that he had never given any one whatever any such information.

Richmond Primary Election. Special to The Landmark. Richmond, Va., April 10.—The municipal primary here to-day was one of the largest in recent years. There were probably 10,000 votes polled. Up to midnight the returns from only about half a dozen precincts out of twenty-four had been received at headquarters. The count will hardly be completed before to-morrow evening.

The indications are that all of the incoming general offices have been renominated. The only contest regarded as in serious doubt is that for City Sergeant, in which H. Chalborne Egges was opposed by ex-Sergeant J. C. Smith. The vote seems very close. Precincts thus far heard from are favorable to him, but it is believed the larger city ward will put Egges through safely. Auditor Warren, Clerk Saville, of the Chancery Court, Clerk Christian, of the Hustings Court, and High Constable Garrison seem practically certain of nomination.

THE BOER PEACE COMMISSIONERS. Naples, April 10.—The Boer peace commissioners, Messrs. Fischer, Wellmanns and Wessels, arrived here to-day about 11 o'clock. They were accompanied by the representative of the Orange Free State, and Mr. Van Boeschoten, the secretary of the Transvaal legation at Brussels. They will remain here for some time, and will be accompanied by Boeschoten when he goes to the Kaiser and had a long conference with the envoys. It is asserted by passengers that the peace commissioners are expected to open negotiations for an acceptable peace or for a truce, with a view to subsequent negotiations.

The Correspondent of this evening publishes an interview with Mr. Fischer representing him as having said: "Lord Roberts will never reach Pretoria, as he would be unable to pass through an impracticable desert."

THE TELEGRAPHERS DISPUTE. Atlanta, Ga., April 10.—President Powell has wired the president of the Southern railroad system laying before him the position of the telegraphers in the controversy concerning wages and asking his intervention with the view of settling the differences peacefully and without a strike.

Mr. Powell, president of the Railroad Telegraphers, says he will be willing to leave the disputed points to W. H. Baldwin, Jr., president of the Long Island railway, and abide by his decision. He also says that he and his fellow telegraphers are patriotic and far-sighted citizens of Atlanta.

TO UNSEAT CLARK.

THE MONTANA SENATOR NOT ENTITLED TO HIS SEAT

As Senator from Montana—The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections Decide by a Unanimous Vote Against Him—The Outlay of Money in Past Elections in Montana.

Washington, April 10.—The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections to-day decided by a unanimous vote to recommend the adoption of a resolution declaring that the Hon. W. O. Clark, of Montana, is not entitled to occupy his seat as a Senator from Montana.

This decision followed a two hours' session, at which the members spoke at length on the question. Senator Harris, of Kansas, said that whatever Mr. Clark's offenses, they were but little worse than the methods pursued by Congressman Campbell and ex-Senate Senator Whiteside in their efforts to expose the Senator, and he insisted that if the report was to be antagonistic to Mr. Clark, it should at the same time relate in full detail the course pursued by the two principal witnesses against him.

Senator Pettus, of Kentucky, agreed with Mr. Harris. The consensus of opinion of the committee was that the cumulative character of the testimony should be considered rather than any one special feature.

Senators Chandler and Turley were directed to prepare the report. It is expected to be presented at an early day.

There were many expressions in the committee favorable to Senator Clark from a personal point of view and more than one Senator gave utterance to doubts as to whether he had actually taken any part in knowledge of the expenditure. Others expressed the opinion that the Senator was in a certain sense the victim of environment and of habit. The outlay of money in past elections in Montana was dwelt upon as one of the explanations of the liberal expenditure in this case.

Senator Turley was among the Senators who vigorously dissented from the view that Mr. Clark could have been uninformally the use of money to promote his election.

Senator Clark was at the Capitol when the announcement of the action of the committee became known. He was surprised at the result. He refused to make a statement until after consultation with his friends and attorneys. He bore himself with his usual composure.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 10.—A Butte (Montana) special messenger, who reported to the Senate committee against Clark that he was a member of the Senate campaign, received the following to-day: "Washington, D. C.—To W. O. Clark: Report of committee will be adverse. Don't let this worry you. I will be vindicated either here or in Montana. W. A. CLARK."

Some of Mr. Clark's friends here predicted that he will return and return to Montana for vindication.

INVADING COLOMBIA.

A REVOLUTIONARY EXPEDITION SAILS FOR THAT PURPOSE.

The Movement is Under the Leadership of General Herrera—The Invaders Contemplate the Acquisition of the Entire Isthmus—The Invading Band Sail in a Boat Loaned by the Government of Nicaragua.

Washington, April 11.—In regard to the revolutionary expedition under command of General Herrera, which issued from Nicaragua, sailed down the western coast of Costa Rica and landed at David, a point on the Pacific side of the strip of Colombian territory which forms the Isthmus of Panama, both Senator Calderon, the Colombian Minister, and Senator Calvo, the Costa Rican Minister, agree upon the fact that the movement was not made as a means of attacking Costa Rica on the south, as was assumed, but rather that the invasion is directed against Colombia.

The fact that the invading band sailed down to David in a boat loaned by the government of Nicaragua, the Momotombo, is regarded as significant, particularly as the boat was returned to that government after the landing of the expedition. Senator Calderon has heard nothing of the invaders since their appearance on Colombian soil, but believes that they contemplate the acquisition of the entire Isthmus.

General Herrera, the leader of the invading force, according to Senator Calderon was formerly musician in one of Colombia's military bands, who left that country to go to Nicaragua, where his rise in military affairs evidently has been very rapid.

GEN. WHEELER'S SEAT IN CONGRESS. Birmingham, Ala., April 11.—The first positive information as to the probable action of General Joe Wheeler, regarding his seat in Congress, was made public to-day in a letter received by William Bunting of the Florence, Ala., Herald, from the General, dated at Washington on the 8th instant, which reads as follows: "William Bunting, Florence, Ala. My dear Sir:—When W. J. Wood was here (about three weeks before the writing of this letter) I asked him to tell the Governor the situation, with the hope that the Governor would immediately order an election. I also stated to Judge Wood, both personally and in writing, that I would devote myself to the interests of the district until the arrival of my successor. I feel more deeply than ever express the embarrassing position in which I have been placed. With high regards, truly your friend, JOSEPH WHEELER."

Governor Johnston has taken no action. GENERA LEE TO COMMAND. Washington, April 11.—The President to-day issued an order merging the Department of Havana and Pinar del Rio, Cuba, under the command of General Fitzhugh Lee, with headquarters at Quemados. The change will take effect May 1st. At present General Ludlow is in command of the Department of Havana, which is to be amalgamated with Pinar del Rio.

Quemados is the present headquarters of the Department of Pinar del Rio and is the site of the camp where the headquarters of the military are quartered. The fact that General Lee is to retain his headquarters there is regarded as an evidence of the fact that his duties are to be purely military and that he will have nothing to do with the civil administration in Havana.

MR. MACRUM HURLS THE LIE. East Liverpool, Ohio, April 11.—Hon. Charles E. Macrum, ex-consul at Pretoria, S. A. R., said to-day regarding the statement that Consul-General Adelbert Hay had failed to find any evidence of the consular mail being tampered with during Mr. Macrum's stay at Pretoria, said: "This is such a palpable perversion of the truth that it is impossible to allow the matter to pass unnoticed, as it seems to have come from the State Department. This statement is on a parallel with the malicious representations which came from the same department before I reached this country. If proofs of all my charges are on file at the consulate in Pretoria it is because they have been willfully abstracted therefrom. In short, I want to say that the statement published to-day is a lie, and that I have been slandered and maligned until I have become tired of it."

THE STORAGE OF CONTRABAND LIQUOR. Washington, April 11.—The Secretary of the Treasury has received a report from the special agent who has conducted the investigation of the storeroom of the custom house at Charleston, S. C., for the storage of contraband liquors for illicit sales. The search of the building by the inspector and a number of assistants resulted in the finding of a cask containing about fifteen gallons of rum, and thirty-nine ten-gallon kegs, from which the liquor had recently been taken. The rum was found in the basement and the empty kegs in the attic. A number of officers and employees of the custom house were asked for an explanation of the finding of the liquor, but all disclaimed having any knowledge concerning it except one of the night watchmen, who admitted having allowed some of his friends to keep the liquor there. Other testimony disclosed information which leads the officers making the investigation to believe that the liquor belonged to a certain individual in Charleston who has a wholesale liquor dealer's license. The conclusion of the officials is that a certain deputy collector is responsible for the storing of liquor in the custom house, and that several employees had full knowledge of it. The report is accompanied by copies of the testimony taken. The Treasury officials have taken no action in regard to the matter, but there seems to be no doubt that the guilty parties will be immediately brought to justice.

MINERS' STRIKE. Frostburg, Md., April 11.—Five thousand miners of the Georges Creek region struck to-night and began what promises to be a protracted struggle for an increase of wages, and incidentally the recognition by the operators of the United Mine Workers of America.

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