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RALEIGH.

The Trial of Marshal in the Federal Court.

Telephone Company Chartered For Eastern Carolina. No Pay For Commissioner White. The Smallpox at Salisbury.

RALEIGH, N. C., January 7.—The trial of Attorney A. J. Marshall, of Wilmington on the charge of counterfeiting, which is in progress here, grows in interest daily. The first day the Government presented all its witnesses, including its "star" witness, Politz, a Greek, in the penitentiary for counterfeiting. Marshall then had his innings, and literally destroyed the evidence of Politz. The evidence of Penitentiary Superintendent Day alone would have sufficed for this. The trial will occupy several days more. It cost Marshall $600 to get his witnesses here. Some influential men are aiding him. His counsel are very able. The evidence yesterday was all favorable to Marshall and contradicted that of Darkley, another Greek.

The Democrats say the prosecution of Marshall is political, but the Republicans deny and say ex-Secret Service Agent Perry, who arrested Marshall, is a Democrat. The Democrats say some Republicans desire to punish Marshall, who was active in the troubles at Wilmington and in the Bellamy-Dockery contest.

State Republican headquarters will be opened here by the end of this month, in the rooms in a hotel which the Democratic committee occupied two years.

The State has chartered the Twin-City Knitting Mills, at Winston-Salem, capital $12,000. The Wells-Whitehead Tobacco Company, of Wilson, capital $10,000; the Carolina Telegraph and Telephone Company, headquarters at Tarboro, George Holderness, W. H. Powell and W. H. McNair owners, capital $50,000. The latter will connect Eastern North Carolina towns.

Thus far only four of the 96 sheriffs have made full settlements of State taxes. Such slowness was never before known.

The State officials have decided to pay the current expenses of the oyster patrol but to pay no salary to Chief Commissioner White until the Supreme Court decides his case.

This State has since 1873 allowed Confederate soldiers who lost in service both arms $120 a year as pension—of them there were 34. The last Legislature extended this provision so as to cover cases of soldiers who have become blind since the war. There were Saturday seven applications allowed and eight more are filed.

There is a sensation in the northern part of this country. A young Populist farmer has deserted his wife and four children and eloped with a school teacher the daughter of another Populist. The woman's father swears he will kill the farmer on sight. The farmer sold half his land and mortgaged the rest, took the money and left with the teacher, whom he said he was going to take home. They came to Raleigh, but since then thre are no tidings of either.

Wr. J. Westmoreland, of Thomasville, has married four sisters in succession.

Statements have been widely circulated that there were 100 smallpox patients at Salisbury's pesthouse. The fact is there are only 30. Raleigh has not had a smallpox case since last spring. Denial is made of the Associated Press story that there is an epidemic of smallpox in Chatham.

Three boys were drowned eight miles from here Saturday. Two were from Raleigh—one a son of Capt. B. P. Williamson, county treasurer, the other a son of C. R. Lee, a tobacco warehouseman. The third boy was a son of Chas. H. Hinton. The drowning occurred at a fish pond on Hinton's farm. The boys been in the water several hours before the discovery was made that they were drowned. All were students at the Raleigh Male Academy. There is grief intense among their parents, relatives and friends.

Kentucky Republicans May Appeal.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 7.—Republican leaders who are on confidential terms with Governor Taylor intimated tonight that the Republicans who are contesting the recent elections may not quit the fight in the event the Legislature and State Contest Board vote to seat Goebel and the other Democrats.

Republicans have by no means given up hope that they will win in the Legislature, but are taking time by the forelock and looking around for other moves in case Goebel should win. It is generally believed they will seek to raise a Federal question and take the case into the United States court. One of the questions which could be raised, they say, would be on the deposing of Lieutenant-Governor Marshall as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly in the event of the adoption of the rules as passed by the Senate yesterday and also on the prerogative unseating of Republican members of the Legislature.

G. H. Appleton, Justice of Peace, Clarksville, N. J., says, "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills made for constipation. We use no others." Quick by cure all liver and bowel troubles. F S Duffy.

HARD PRESSED.

Ladysmith Beset by the Boers With Fierce Energy.

Repulsed by British at the Bayonet's Point.

Buller Unable to Give Help. Another German Steamer Seized. Russia Moving Troops to the Frontier of Afghanistan.

LONDON, January 7.—Tonight's dispatches from the seat of war show the situation more critical for the British arms than at any previous stage of the campaign.

The Boers attacked Ladysmith in force on Saturday, and at last advices were still fighting hard. Though General White was able to repel the first assaults, the last words received from the besieged town were "very hard pressed."

General Buller upon receipt of this news moved General Clery's two brigades forward, only to find the Boers in force in the trenches at Colenso, showing they are strong enough to attack Ladysmith and to hold General Buller in check at the same time.

Fighting was begun by General Clery near Colenso bridge Saturday afternoon about 4.30 o'clock. The clue to the result is given in a dispatch sent today by General Buller, who says:

I sent all available troops yesterday to make a demonstration at Colenso. The trenches there were all occupied by the enemy.

General White's successive dispatches to General Buller, which tell the story briefly, are as follows:

Jan. 6, 9 a. m.—The enemy attacked Caesar's Camp at 2.45 a. m. in considerable force. The enemy was everywhere repulsed but the fighting still continues.

Jan. 6 11 a. m.—Attack continues and enemy has been reinforced from the south.

Jan. 6. 12.45 p. m.—Have beaten enemy off at present, but they are still around us in great numbers, especially to the South, and I think renewed attack very probable.

Jan. 6, 3.15 p. m. Attack renewed. Very hard pressed.

This was the last dispatch received from General White, General Buller adds, in his dispatch sent today:

I have absolutely no more news, and there is no sun. There is a camp rumor that White defeated the enemy at 5 o'clock this afternoon and took 400 prisoners.

General White, by common consent, is one of the bravest of the brave, and it is pretty sure that he would not loose, or seem to loose, heart unless his position was extremely critical.

The scene of the attack on General White's lines is important, as it shows the Boers to be following a well-defined plan. Below General Joubert on the Tugela is an army which numbers 33,000 men. Within the Ladysmith camp there are at least 8,000, while the Boers number from 25,000 to 30,000 men.

Another dispatch from Frere, dated January 6, 7:20 p. m. says:

"General White heliographs that he defeated the Boers in this morning's fighting. They crept up so close to the defending forces that the Gordon Highlanders and the Manchesters actually repulsed them at the point of the bayonet."

DURBAN, Natal, January 7—The German steamer Herzog has been seized by a British warship and brought to this port.

BERLIN, January 7—The Berlin press prints violent attacks on Joseph Chamberlain.

The public demands the seizure of British ships in German harbors. The press, however, advises against this.

LONDON, January 7—It is now known here that Russia is massing troops on the frontier of Afghanistan.

A semiofficial explanation of these movements comes from St. Petersburg to the effect that they were "merely to test the capacity of the Central Asian railroads to transport troops." The experiment, it is added, regarded as highly successful, and it proves that in case of necessity troops from the Caucasus can reach the Afghan frontier in eight days.

This explanation is hardly regarded as satisfactory, but official circles in London disregard the idea that Russia present movements in any way threaten Afghanistan or India.

The modern and most effective cure for constipation and all liver troubles—the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. F S Duffy.

Lipton's Plans.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Sir Thomas Lipton it is understood, will defer action regarding another challenge for the America's cup until the Distance Shore and another yacht now in course of construction according to designs by Watson have been completed for Mr. C. D. Rhodes. Experts say the Distance Shore will be an improvement upon the Britannia and the Ranger, and that the designs are much like those of the Herreshoff masterpiece.

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TIDE TURNS.

Boers Routed At Ladysmith With Heavy Losses.

Sudden Change In the Fortunes of War. London Wildly Rejoicing. Report That Buller Crosses the Tugela and Captures Twelve Guns.

Special to Journal.

LONDON, January 8—General Buller, reports from Frere Camp, Natal, January 8th as follows:

General White at 3 p. m., yesterday, reported: An attack was commenced on my position but chiefly against Cæsar's camp and Wagon hill.

The enemy in great strength pushed the attack with the greatest courage and energy. Some of the entrenchments on Wagon hill were taken three times by the enemy and retaken by us.

The attack was continued until 7.30 p. m. One point in our position was occupied by the enemy the whole day, but during a very heavy rain storm they were turned out of the position at the point of the bayonet in the most gallant manner by the Devonshires led by Colonel Park. Colonel Hamilton commanded Wagon hill and rendered valuable services.

The troops have had a very trying time and have behaved excellently. They are elated at the services they have rendered the Queen.

The enemy were repulsed everywhere with a heavy loss, which greatly exceeded the losses on our side. Our losses will be reported as soon as the lists are completed."

LONDON, Jany. 8.—A rumor is current in the city that General Buller has crossed the Tugela river and captured twelve guns from the Boers and is now marching on Ladysmith. Nothing received officially corroborating the rumor so the report must be taken with reserve.

The news of General White's victory at Ladysmith spread with astonishing rapidity all over London. It caused an instantaneous change in the aspect of the metropolis.

Smiling faces were seen everywhere and even the sedate Foreign Office and other departments of the government showed great elation.

The newspapers are all jubilant. The Conservatives announced in big lines, "Glorious Victory Ladysmith."

The Stock Exchange received the news with loud cheers. Prices immediately ascended in all departments.

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