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THE BOER WAR.

General Roberts sent 40,000 men in a bold sweep around the Boer left at Osfontein, making the center and right untenable. The Boers abandoned positions fifteen miles long across his path, and retrated northward. British loss. 50.

Roberts is nearly at Bloemfontein. Five regiments encountered Boers in strong position in Dreitfontein kopjes; after a stubborn resistance the burghers fled, leaving 102 dead and twenty prisoners.

Nearly the whole of the Dutch population of the Prieska and Kenhardt districts are in rebellion. Many of the Dutch from neighboring districts are reported to have joined them. It is believed that Gordonia and Victoria West will rise

The British have crossed the Transvaal border by way of Zululand, moving toward Babango.

A censored dispatch from Pretoria states that Kruger had asked Salisbury for peace, conditional upon the independence of the Transvaal and the Free State and amnesty of colonial rebels. Kruger has asked the consuls of the powers at Pretoria to

urge their governments to intervene. President Kruger has appealed to President McKinley to mediate between the Boer republic and Great Britain. Emperor William having refused.

THE WAR IN THE PHILIPPINES.

The complete Philippine commission is as follows: Judge Taft, Ohio, president; Dean C. Worcester, Michigan; Luke Wright, Tennessee; Henry C Ide, Vermont; Bernard Moses, California. General Joseph Wheeler has arrived

at San Francisco from Manila. The president has sent to the senate the correspondence and instructions bearing upon the Philippine insurrec-

General Bates' forces have occupied Nueva Caceres, Daet and other towns

in southern Luzon. Soldiers of the Ninth United States infantry burned a Filipino village in revenge for the murder of Lieutenant E. F. Koehler.

A Manila paper has published a story declaring many leading Filipinos are in a plot to kill Americans.

Instructions have been issued for the return of a part of the troops in the Philippines.

Chicago packers have sent 700,000 pounds of specially prepared ham and bacon to the army in the Philippines. Twelve hundred Insurgents under

Chinese general attacked the towns of Albay and Legaspi. Forty-seventh regiment lost eight men killed and twenty wounded in defending the

Generals Young and Hood are asking for reinforcements and a battalion of the Forty-eighth regiment has been sent to Aparri. Other troops will fol-

General Otis is said to be in bad health, due to overwork and worry. Filipino rebels at Antique, Panay, made vigorous resistance to Colonel Houston's battalion. Seven Americans were killed.

Six Americans were killed recently in an ambush at Aparri, Luzon. Filipinos attacked Major Ward and his company at Aparri, Luzon, and wounded eight Americans.

WASHINGTON NEWS. The conference report on the finan-cial bill was agreed to by the senate,

Bureau chiefs oppose Secretary Root's army reorganization bill. Captain Silas W. Terry, late in command of the Iowa, has been assigned to succeed Admiral McCormick as

commandant of the Washington navy yard. Supporters of the subsidy bill say Atlantic ports are not to receive advantages over lake ports in Canadian

Senator Lodge demands a clearly ded policy toward the Philippines.

The house committee has agreed on a subsidy bill and it will benefit steam-

ers plying between lake ports and Eu-

ropean points. Senators Davis and Hoar urge a direct appropriation for Puerto Rico in place of a tariff on the island's prod-

Secretary of State Hay has requested of the French government an extension of a year's time on the reciprocity

THE CRIMINAL RECORD.

W. H. Weaver, prominent in relig ious work at Independence. Ia., was arrested at Michigan City, Ind., by

postal inspectors. Six men have been indicted and five of them arrested for alleged conspiracy to wreck the Brooklyn Rapid Transit

company. Julius Moyse, the bogus Captain Clarke, was held at New Orleans for trial in the federal court on the charge of impersonating a government officer.

Cy de Vry, who for ten years was head animal keeper at the Lincoln Park Zoo, at Chicago, made an unsuccessful attempt to commit suicide by shooting.

Albert E. Davis and Samuel G. Brooker, public works department Cleveland, O., have been found guilty of defrauding the city.

George W. Drake, a famous mount ain detective and former deputy United States marshal, and William St. John, fought a fatal pistol duel at Tor-

N. L. Michael, who was vice president of the American National bank of Lima, O., at the time that institution was robbed of over \$18,000 a year ago last Christmas, has been arrested, charged with the murder.

A mob at Marion, Ind., threatened to lynch a tramp for his attack upon Mrs. Henry Wise.

Kentucky mountaineers are reported to be arming to rescue from jail Re-

publican officials arrested for alleged complicity in William Goebel's mur

United States Commisioner Douglas Wight and H. H. Blanton, an attorney,

fought with pistols in Nevada, Mo., both being wounded. Willis M. Hewett of Chicago, who forged American Express orders in Michigan last December, has been sentenced at St. Joseph to serve four years in the state reformatory at Ionia.

#### BUSINESS NOTES.

Rumors are current that the Frick-Carnegie suits are to be settled out of

The Frick-Carnegie suits may be settled out of court.

The Ogden Gas company directors Chicago, have decided to issue \$5,000. 000 more stock.

The New River (W. Va.) coal operators have made an advance of about 25 per cent. per ton in run-of-mine

The American Clay Manufacturing company, better known as the "sewer-pipe trust," was refused a certificate of incorporation by Secretary of State Kinney of Ohio.

David A. Clark has filed a bill asking for the appointment of a receiver for the Keystone Axle company of Beaver Falls, Pa. Leading traders on 'change at St

Louis will petition the directors to have an afternoon session established or re store curb trading. St. Louis street car employes and the Transit company came to an agreement and the strike was called

#### ly, the men quitting voluntarily. MISHAPS AND DISASTERS.

off. It had not been declared official

By an explosion in the Red Ash mine at Fire Creek, W. Va., fifty miners were entombed. But few escaped alive. Ten bodies have been taken out and all the rest of the men in the mine are supposed to be dead.

Two men were killed and more than forty injured by a wreck on the Chicago and Indiana near Brazil, Ind. Twenty men were seriously injured in a collision of stock trains near

Broadview, Ills. Wreckage washed ashore at Pubnico N. S., indicates the steamer Planet

Mercury has gone down. Daniel Holtz fell into a vat of pot ash at the Alston Manufacturing com-pany's paint factory, Chicago, and died

W. R. Vaugh, the Cincinnati newspaper man injured in the Missouri Pacific railroad wreck at Independence. Mo., a week ago, is dead of his in-

Smith's Fuse works at Pempton, N J., blew up. Four persons were killed. Samuel Ketcham, for many years a conductor on the Northwestern rail road, was instantly killed while coupling cars at West Chicago, Ills.

Fifteen persons, mostly children, were burned to death in a tenement house fire at Morris and Fourteenth street, Newark, N. J. Seven-year-old Richard Essig, while

playing with a revolver at his home in Chicago, accidentally shot and severely wounded his mother. Twelve more bodies have been taken from the Red Ash mine. This

makes a total of forty-seven dead bodies taken out and at least two more are known to be in the mine.

George Walthers was killed by a train at Lima, O., while on his way

#### NOTABLE DEATHS.

Congressman A. C. Harmer, known as the "father of the house," died at his home in Philadelphia.

Fayette L. Simons, one of the char ter members of the Chicago Board of Trade, suddenly expired at his home in

Santa Monica, Cal. Joseph M. Bresler, consul for the republics of Honduras, Nicaragua and San Salvador at Detroit, Mich., is

dead. Solon Humphreys, formerly a well-

known western railroad man, but for many years past a resident in the east, is dead in New York.

Boardman Shaw, father of Governor Shaw of Iowa, is dead at Morrisville, Vt., aged 84 years. Dr. John Friederich, 55 years old,

founder, publisher and editor of the American-Swiss Gazette of New York city, is dead.

E. J. Phelps, ex-minister to England, is dead at New Haven, Connecticut. THE FIRE RECORD.

Fire at Lead, S. D., destroyed forty

buildings and caused a loss of \$500,-The Second Presbyterian church at

Chicago was destroyed by fire with a loss of \$150,000. The paper mill of Charles Collander.

at Glendale, Mass., was burned Saturday night; loss, \$65,000. The Montgomery county (Tenn.) court house was destroyed by fire. Most of the records were saved. Loss,

**\$125,000**. Fire consumed the stock of the Omaha Tent and Rubber company at Omaha, Neb., valued at \$30,000 and gutted the building.

#### ODDS AND ENDS.

Justice Jesse J. Phillips of the Illinois supreme court, who has been very ill at his home in Hillsboro, Ills., is

reported better. The Citziens' league of Milwaukee is raising a fund of \$5,000 for the entertainment of delegates to the bien-nial convention of the National Federation of Woman's clubs to be held

Russian Quakers talk of establishing 21,000 colonists in south California. The United States annually produces 5,200,000 pounds of aluminium, valued

at \$1,750,000. The Georgia Republican convention elected three negroes and one white man delegates at large to the Republican national convention.

Several cases of Bubonic plague were found on a Chinese vessel at Port Townsend, Wash. National league base ball magnates at New York are unable to reach an

agreement regarding the circuit. The Socialist national convention at Indianapolis nominated this ticket: For president, Eugene V. Debs, of Indiana: for vice president, Job Harriman, of California.

The lord mayor of London, A. J. Newton, has directed that the Irish flag be hoisted over the Mansion House on St. Patrick's day in recognition of the bravery of the Irish troops.

#### LITERARY NOTES

The complete novel of the March 'New Lippincott" is significantly named "The Shadow of a Man." It is by E. W. Hornung, who has made a new success with each new story. "The Shadow of a Man" will doubtless win him fresh laurels, for it is compact, clear-cut, and thrilling, with a love romance that runs through it and binds together the threads of romance. The heroine is a daring rider, who discovers an old convict in a maze of the 'bush," and this solves a mystery which clears her lover. Seldom has "Lippincott put forth a story so fully realizing its promise of a brief complete novel with living interest in every word.

With the March "New Lippincott" begins the long-promised yet timely series of papers by Stephen Crane on "The Great Battles of the World." The first paper is devoted to the "Brief Campaign of New Orleans," which happens to bear with marked significance on the Boer-British war, yet takes its place simply as a keen and engaging study of a world event of the first importance, especially to us Americans. Mr. Crane has rarely used his mother-tongue with greater charm than in this brief paper.

THE series of "Mormon Stories" now running in the "New Lippincott" continues in the March number with "The Grandmother's Story," narrating the pathetic adventures of a Quaker dame who travelled with her family from the East and espoused Mormonism. Notwithstanding all its consequences to her beloved daughter, she held to the faith with devout perseverance. The Congressional investigation lately closed gives keen point to the revelations in the form of fiction of Mrs. J. K. Hudson, of Topeka, Kansas, author of these

The moment is ripe for such a paper s "The Canadian Tommy Atkins," by Percie W. Hart, in the March "New Lippincott." It reveals the inner methods of the Colonial war machine which Britian is now working to its utmost. The author has had especial privileges for observation, and writes by the book.

For brevity and point it would be hard to find a more captivating short story than "In Galleria," by Mrs. Jesse Van Zile Belden. It appears in the March "New Lippincott."

The poetry of the March "New Lippincott" is strong in two directions,war and music. John Ingham contributes a pair of noble sonnets on "Beethoven," and a new Western genius named Herman Scheffaner gives "The Song of the Slaughtered." The author comes from California, whence came Markham.

#### A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Ia., that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters which effected such a wonderful change that he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at Julia A. Story's Drug Store.

Lighthouses and Lifeboats of Old. A search of the record of that venerable corporation, Trinity house, London, shows that it is just 390 years since the first lighthouse was erected at Lowestoft, and this is noted as the first regular lighthouse on the coasts of Great Britian. The next lighthouse to be erect. ed was at Winterton, in 1616. Lowestoft has had, moreover, the unique distinction of possessing the first lifeboat. It was in 1809, just 200 years after the first lighthouse was built there, that the first lifeboat was dispatched on her initial errand of mercy from Lowestoft.

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another leg in the battle yesterday." And this was the reply he received from the old man:

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