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# War in The Transvaal

## Particulars of the Struggle in South Africa.

**British Army in South Africa.**  
 The War office knows the value of its own work in carrying out the mobilization scheme and is content with drawing upon the regular lines of reserves. "The Daily Chronicle" publishes a detailed statement showing that 104,373 men, with 289 guns, are now in the field, and that, with the troops now at sea or preparing to sail, there will be an aggregate strength of 160,000 men, 32,000 horses and 448 guns in the course of a few weeks. This will be done without stripping India, England and Ireland of their battalions, stiffened by militia, and without calling for more than 10,000 out of 26,000 citizen soldiers. Meanwhile the croakers are complaining that the second and third army corps have been pigeon-holed in the war office, and that Lord Lansdowne has misled them.

**Kruger Quotes Scripture.**  
 A despatch to the London Daily Mail from Lorenzo Marques, says: "President Kruger has issued a proclamation ordering all Burghers to the front. The Volksstem, the Transvaal official organ, suggests that the moment the British cross the border the gold industry should be irretrievably destroyed."

"President Kruger also issued a circular, dated Jan. 7, to Boer commandants and Burghers, urging them to show more energy in the Transvaal cause. He quotes Psalm XXXIII, verse 7, as God given instructions to the Burghers, and says that the British have fixed their faith in Psalm LXXXIII. He also quotes Psalm LXXXIX, verses 13 and 14, and asserts that he has searched the Bible without being able to find any other mode which can be followed by the Boers, who "Must fight in the name of the Lord."

**The Mines and the War.**  
 The London Times has a Lorenzo Marques, despatch of Jan. 10 which quotes from the Pretoria Volkstein to the effect that every day the war continues it costs the mine shareholders £17,000. The paper adds that with the invaluable assistance of considerable number of British subjects the Transvaal is steadily increasing the yield of gold, thus securing funds to pay foreigners for the means of prosecuting the war. The service that British mining men are thus rendering the Boers is proportionately ten times greater than of an equal number of colonial rebels. The time must come when Britain will forbid her subjects to enter into any arrangements with the Transvaal; and warn them that for assisting the Boers they are prosecuted for treason or deprived of citizenship.

**Melancholy Incidents.**  
 The Canadians at Belmont are having some experience with the melancholly side of the war. A private in the Ottawa company in a letter dated Dec. 9, says: "Rumors of a Boer raid upon this station caused us to sleep in our boots last night, and in the morning we heard news of a melancholy misadventure. The First Shropshires, the old 46th, lie beside us; we first met them at De Aar. They furnished the outposts last night

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and in the night we heard a few shots. The news spread this morning that a sentry had shot a sergeant and a private of his own men. The sentry fired seven shots, piercing the sergeant three times and the private four times. The sergeant is very dangerously wounded, and his statement is that the sentry was asleep and lost his head when he approached in the ordinary course of duty. The sentry declares that the other did not give the proper reply when challenged. An investigation will be held, but the chances are against our hearing the result. This grim incident is one of the things that is making our men realize what manner of work they have entered upon. Our regiment furnished the picquets tonight, and were an the qui vive.

"Yet another incident. Just after reveille this morning music was heard and a military funeral filed in a slow way past our lines from the hospital to the cemetery. The man was an Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders who had succumbed. The Shropshires furnished the band and the escort. A saddening dead march sobbed out, and an army wagon conveyed the poor remains of a defender of the empire. We had noticed an open grave on the previous evening at the cemetery, and to it the melancholy procession filed its way."

The Boers regard only genuine burghers as losses; they do not reckon colonial, Hollanders, Germans, and half-castes.

A wounded soldier returned from Ladysmith was asked. "How long do you think Ladysmith can hold out?" "Well," was the reply, given after some deliberation, "I should say six months from the time the town was isolated, and that as you know, was in the first two or three days of November. It is not a strong position; in fact, it is only what Sir George White and his officers and men have made it. But they have made it surprisingly strong in the circumstances, and you may depend upon it that Sir George White will hold out to the very last."

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 First: "Have you backache, or weak, lame back?"  
 Second: "Do you have difficulty in urinating or a too frequent desire to urinate?"  
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 So long as the cells of the kidneys are not completely wasted away, as in the last stages of Bright's disease, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will give them new vigor and strength and make them strong, healthy and active. One pill a dose, 25c. a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

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### THE WOMAN WITH THE DOG.

She cuddled a dog against her breast, And she stroked its glossy head, "Oo is the dearest, darlingest, best 'Little doggie on earth," she said. Her face was fair, and her robes were rich, And she heard a cry from the reeking ditch, And the cry was a cry for bread.  
 She saw a child as she rode along That was hollow eyed and lean, And she told herself there was something wrong, And she grieved at what she had seen, Yet she cuddled the dog against her breast! The child in polluted rags was dressed, But the dog that she held was clean.  
 —S. E. Kiser in Chicago Times-Herald.

**Horseshoe Luck.**  
 "Hardacre stuck a horseshoe over his barn door for luck. Lightning struck the horseshoe and set fire to the barn, burned up the stable, two wheat fans, lot of farming implements and the whole year's crop."  
 "Reckon that shook Hardacre's belief in horseshoes."  
 "Not by a jugful! Says he's going to have a horseshoe put over both doors and all the windows when he builds another barn."  
 "Gosh! Hope he don't believe there's luck in 'em yet?"  
 "He ought to. If I could get \$10,000 insurance on an old barn and a corn crop, I'd believe in 'em too."—Chicago News.

**Depressing Outlook.**  
 "That young woman missionary looked sad when she went away."  
 "Yes; we fixed her up so she won't have to have any new clothes made for seven years."

**LEFT HIM TO DIE.**  
 Bright's Disease Pronounced Past Hope by Physicians—South American Kidney Cure is the Saver.

A traveller for a well known western manufacturing firm was so hale and hearty that the possibility of his contracting kidney trouble was farthest from his mind, but through constant exposure Bright's Disease, that most insidious of ailments, laid hold on him. He doctored for months—physicians gave him but a short time to live. A friend who had derived great benefit from South American Kidney Cure recommended it to him. When he had taken seven bottles all signs of the disease had left him, and to-day he is as well as  
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"Ancient-looking individual, (sneezed) he?"  
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 Then the fight begins.

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### List of Ratepayers for the City of Charlottetown

In default for Assessment due on Real Property, for the year ending 31st December, 1899, containing names of all such defaulters, and the amount due from them respectively, with a statement of the Number of the town Lot, Water Lot or Common Lot, upon which, or any part thereof, such assessment is in default.

Name of Ratepayer in Default.	Statement or Description of Property upon which Assessment is made.	Amount of Assessment due & unpaid
Binns, Elizabeth	House & Land on Town Lot No. 26, 4th Hundred	\$18.00
Coyl, Stephen	House & Land on Town Lot No. 3, 2nd Hundred	15.75
Cudmore, Andrew	House & Land on Common Lot No. 26	6.75
Hughes, Peter	House & Land on Common Lot No. 22	6.75
Hughes, John	House & Land on Common Lot No. 21	2.25
Lowe, Walter	Vacant Land on Common Lot No. 31	2.06
McKay, W David	Mill Buildings & Land on Common Lots Nos. 19 & 20	28.12
Purdie, Jane (W. A. O. Morsom, Leslie McNutt, Trustees)	House & Land on Town Lots Nos. 97 & 93, 1st Hundred	33.75
Stewart, Allan Estate of late	Vacant Land on Town Lot No. 55, 3rd Hundred	2.06
Walling Mrs	House & Land on Town Lot No. 89, 2nd Hundred	2.88
Walling, Mrs	Vacant Land on Common Lot No. 15	1.68
Williams, John	Houses & Land on Common Lot No. 24	11.25

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the Statute, 51 Victoria Cap. 12, Section 91, after 30 days publication of the above list, being a list of the Ratepayers of the City of Charlottetown, who have failed to pay within the time prescribed the Assessment severally levied upon their Real Property in said City, I will make an application to His Honor, the Stipendiary Magistrate of said City, for Judgment and all of the lands above described, for the respective amounts so assessed, and then unpaid, and that upon such judgement being duly entered, they apply for a warrant for the sale of such lands.  
 Dated this 19th day of December, A. D., 1899.  
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