

## LADYSMITH SAID TO BE WELL SUPPLIED

### Official Returns of British Losses in South Africa.

#### BOER PRISONERS EN ROUTE TO CAPE TOWN.

Unconfirmed story regarding an important engagement.—Boer documents captured.—A Yellow Journal story.

#### SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE EXAMINER.

##### BRITISH LOSSES.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The latest official returns show, thus far, the British casualties in South Africa,—including the fighting at Ladysmith, prior to Saturday's battle, to have been:

Killed, 1027.  
Wounded, 3675.  
Missing, 2111,  
Total, 7213.

##### THE LAST ENGAGEMENT.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—A Durban despatch to the Daily Mail says: "We learn that in the attack at Ladysmith last Saturday, January 6th, British losses were: 14 officers killed; 34 wounded, and over 800 non-commissioned officers and men killed and wounded.

The Boer losses are estimated at between 2,000 and 3,000.

##### BRITISH PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The Queen has proclaimed that the meeting of Parliament is to take place on January 30th.

##### UNCONFIRMED REPORTS.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—A number of rumours, absolutely lacking confirmation, were current last evening. Referring to the proceedings at the front, it was stated at the West End and elsewhere that the news of an important engagement in which General Buller was concerned, had been received.

##### LADYSMITH WELL SUPPLIED.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The Daily Mail's despatch from Pietermaritzburg, January 8th, says the latest advices from Ladysmith, dated January 7th, state that the rations of bread and meat are still plentiful, and that the garrison have not yet touched its bully beef and biscuit supplies. Luxuries are scarce, but the hospital is well supplied with milk. The horses are in good condition.

##### BOER PRISONERS.

MODDER RIVER, Jan. 12.—Forty-one prisoners, belonging to the Sunnyside commando of Colonial Dutch, took train here yesterday afternoon for Cape Town, under the escort of a section of the Duke

of Cornwall's infantry. The prisoners were allotted comfortable seats in railway carriages.

Like all other Boers, except the Staats artillery, they are without uniforms, most of them are men forty years old. But there were half a dozen youths who looked like typical Veldt peasants—loose-jointed, unkempt and round-shouldered.

Among the prisoners are the 2nd and 3rd leaders of the commando.

The documents captured included the political records of the residents of the county.

For miles in the neighborhood of Sunnyside the stationery of the British government has been used in the Boers correspondence which was found in the magistrates' offices of the evacuated towns.

##### PROBABLY A FAKE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The Journal of this city has a story that the Yorkshire and Surrey regiments at Estcourt, November 23, charged each other by mistake. The news, it is said, came in a letter from one of Buller's men. Before the mistake was discovered many were killed or wounded. Just after the fight between themselves the Boers put in an appearance and completed the event.

No stock is taken in the story. Those who should know pronounce it a fake.

##### Big German Steamer.

STETTIN, Jan. 11.—The steamer Duetschland was launched yesterday in the presence of Emperor William and many notable people. The Minister of Foreign Affairs, Count Von Buelow, christened the vessel. In his speech, Count Von Buelow dwelt upon the development of the Hamburg-American line, which, he said, with the North German Lloyd, had, during half a century, grown to be the greatest shipping company in the world. The new ship added to their fleet, to run on that high road of North Atlantic traffic which connected Germany with a friendly nation, the United States. The Deutschland was intended to be the most powerful steamer in the world and to surpass in speed all vessels afloat. After breaking a bottle of champagne across the steamer's bow, Count Von Buelow said: "God bless and protect this ship. Protect the friendship and commerce between us and the United States." The Deutschland is a twin-screw, 16,000 ton vessel, with engines of 35,000 horse-power and guaranteed to have a speed of 23 knots.

##### Not Dismayed.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The Morning Post's correspondent at Fiere, in a despatch dated January 6th, says that the foreign military attaches who are accompanying Gen. Buller express astonishment at the high spirits of the troops, the excellence of the medical transports and the supply arrangements. Everybody is looking forward to a great effort to relieve Ladysmith. Confidence in Gen. Buller is unshaken.

##### Americans at Pretoria.

DURBAN, Jan. 11.—Mr. Lynch, the correspondent who was released by the Boers after his capture near Ladysmith, confirms the statement that there are several American citizens in prison in Pretoria. They are greatly dissatisfied that their representations to the United States Consul have had no effect.

They have written repeatedly and their to him letter which did not receive the slightest notice.

##### More Troops and Guns.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—England is preparing fresh armaments, and 22 transports will be on the way to South Africa during the present month. According to the programme, 25,000 additional troops and 72 guns will soon be afloat. The Government has ordered the Maxims to manufacture as many 4-7 inch and 6 inch quick-firers as can be turned out until otherwise notified.

##### Davitt's Successor.

DUBLIN, Jan. 11.—It is stated that Major McBride, who is a prisoner in the Transvaal with the Irish Brigade, will be a candidate for Michael Davitt's vacated seat of South Mayo. It is probable that he will not be opposed.

##### Germany Prosperous.

BERLIN, January 11.—In introducing the estimates in lower house of the diet yesterday, minister of finance, declared the budget was the most favorable ever submitted.

Sometimes the most careful women are the most careless. Many a woman bundles herself up, to keep out sickness—when she is neglecting the very worst sickness—that can come to a woman. She allows a slight disorder to become worse, to slowly tap her vitality. The little pain and the other slight indications of trouble seem to her unimportant. She goes on, with increasing suffering, until life itself becomes a drag. Nervousness, sinking spells, digestive disturbances, and fifty other complications may arise from the derangement of the organs distinctly feminine. Over thirty years ago, the need for a reliable remedy for so-called female complaints was recognized by Dr. R. V. Pierce, then, as now, chief consulting physician to the World's Dispensary and Invalids' Hotel, at Buffalo, N. Y. He prepared Dr. Pierce's favorite prescription, the most wonderfully effective remedy that has ever been used for such maladies.

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