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GOOD NEWS FROM LADYSMITH

Reported by the London Mail
Correspondent

WHITE CAN HOLD OUT LONGER THAN ESTIMATED

Lord Roberts' Departure for Africa

SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE EXAMINER.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—General Roberts bade farewell to-day to the Prince of Wales at Marlborough House.

The staff of the new British Commander-in-Chief of South Africa, includes Major-Genl. Pretymann and Viscount Downe.

CAIRO, Dec. 22.—The train conveying General Lord Kitchener, now on his way from the Sudan to South Africa via this city, was derailed north of Liefer. The result, however, was simply to retard the general's arrival here.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The Daily Mail says: It is understood that news has arrived from General White to the effect that Ladysmith is well supplied with food and ammunition and can hold out much longer than had been estimated.

The troops are described as "in good spirits and anxious to fight."

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The parting message which Lord Roberts sent yesterday through the Associated Press to the American people is republished in London today and occupies the foremost place in the afternoon papers here.

They characterize the straight, simple words as eminently soldierly and as having the ring which should mark the relations between the Anglo-American people.

Although it arrived too late for the usual editorial comments on its contents, the display headlines show that the reference to the Americans' friendliness and Canada's patriotism and his repudiation of the charges of Irish disloyalty are widely approved.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—Orders for a Second Contingent show the following requirements:—Artillery qualifications will be: standard height, gunners 5 feet 6 inches, with 34 inches chest measurement; drivers, 5 feet 3 inches, with 33 inches chest measurement; age not less than 22 nor more than 40; must have performed at least one annual training as a field artilleryman in the active militia or have served in the Royal Canadian Artillery. The cavalry standard is: height 5 feet 6 inches, with 34 inches chest measurement, age not less than 22 nor more than 40.

The following are the terms of service: (A.) Service under the Army Act for

six months with liability of extension to one year.

(B.) Rations, clothing and equipment, including saddlery, free

(C.) Pay at the rate of the standard for Northwest mounted police up to the time of embarkation in South Africa;—after that date pay will be issued by the Imperial Government under the royal warrant for pay.

As to the kind of horses needed, the men who offer themselves for enrolment—other than those belonging to the Royal Canadian Dragoons, and Northwest Mounted Police—and are accepted, are invited to offer their own horses. In case of these being accepted the price after valuation will be paid them, and the horses will become the property of the Government. Standard of age between five and ten years; height 15 to 15½ hands, and practically sound. In special cases very stout and well-built horses of 14½ hands may be purchased.

Saddlery will be provided, viz: regulation cavalry pattern, for regimental staff, squadron and Nos. 1 and 2 troops; "B" squadron and Mexican Northwest mounted police for remainder.

Nova Scotian Volunteers.

HALIFAX, Dec. 20.—Volunteers in this city are offering for enrollment in the second Canadian contingent with far greater alacrity than on the occasion of the raising of the first regiment. During three days this week Col. Irving, D. O. C., has taken the names of 75 men. They came trooping into his office from morning till night, and when met by the statement that he has received no instruction to enroll but that he will take their names, they eagerly asked that they be put on the list so that if there be any chance they might obtain a place in the proposed regiment. For every one that came forward when the first regiment was enrolled there are two now. A despatch from Sydney says seven members of the field battery there have volunteered.

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Clarke Wallace's View.

TORONTO, Dec. 21.—Hon. N. Clarke Wallace, speaking here yesterday as to the second contingent, said: "This is Canada's imperial opportunity. Not only Britain's existence, but Canada's existence as a nation is at stake, and there should be unanimous and immediate action. It is deplorable to think that such a right arm should be paralyzed in the hour of need by apathy and dissensions at Ottawa. The government fought behind closed doors for four days before it decided to send the first contingent, when all the loyal men of Canada were clamoring for immediate action, and now that Canada should raise not less than 5,000 men, there are haggard and divisions over the question of sending one thousand. So there is a lack of vigorous and prompt patriotism which should characterize the government at Ottawa. I am in favor of summoning parliament immediately; in fact, parliament should have been summoned long ago, to take the voice of the nation on this question."

How to Beat the Boers

LONDON, Dec. 21.—J. B. Robertson, the South African millionaire, now in England said in an interview the statements that the Boer ammunition stores were coming to an end were all nonsense. He added: "They have unlimited supplies including food. It is also a mistake to believe that they are led by foreigners. They are following their own traditional tactics. They will never be conquered by the present British tactics."

Mr. Robertson declared in conclusion: "There is a method by which they can be beaten. English commanders will soon discover it, and when they do the war will soon end. He refused to say how the enemy could be beaten on the ground that it would be cabled to South Africa immediately."

Col. Steel Proposed.

EDMONTON, N.W.T., Dec. 12.—There is a strong feeling here in favor of a North West contingent for Africa, made up of mounted plainmen and mountaineers. A first class corps could be mustered. Col. Steel, who is a man of wide experience, is spoken of as the proper leader. He has had years of experience on the plains, and in the Yukon, and has but to call for men and he would get thousands of rough riders, not only in Canada, but also from the neighboring states of Montana and Washington, who as riders, riflemen, packers and frontiersmen could not be surpassed, inured to exposure, and versed in the ways of the savage; able to scout, to do outpost duty, to pack stores, they should prove an effective adjunct of the intelligence department of the army in Africa.

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