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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY, 14, 1900.

### THE JAMESON RAID.

In all discussions of the causes of the war in South Africa frequent reference is made to the Jameson raid of 1895-6, and it may be desirable to refresh the memories of GUARDIAN readers in regard to that important episode. It is frequently more difficult to obtain a reliable and intelligible account of an affair of three or four years ago than of a like occurrence in a past century.

The famous raid grew out of the grievances and disabilities of the Outlanders in Johannesburg. After they had repeatedly petitioned for redress and failed to obtain it the discontented ones organized the Reform Committee of which so much has been heard and began collecting arms and ammunition for the assertion of their demands by force. During the year 1895 Lee Metford and Martini Henry rifles and Maxim and Nordenfeldt guns were smuggled into Johannesburg under the disguise of mining machinery and supplies. Meat and breadstuffs were also brought in secretly until it was thought the city could stand a six months siege.

At first these proceedings were not suspected by the Transvaal government but on discovery of the facts preparations for war between the Transvaal and the Outlanders were quite openly made. The government police were withdrawn from Johannesburg, and the "Reformers," in full possession of the city had thrown up entrenchments, mounted galling and other guns, and were in open insurrection.

This was the state of things when on 20th November 1895 five representative men, Charles Leonard, George Farrar, Lionel Phillips and Francis Rhodes, all British subjects and John Hays Hammond, a citizen of the United States, addressed a letter to Dr. Jameson asking him to come to their aid in the event of an armed conflict at Johannesburg. The Francis Rhodes here mentioned is a brother of the famous Cecil Rhodes, who was at that time Premier of Cape Colony. Dr. Jameson was administrator of the affairs of the British South African Company, commonly spoken of as the Chartered Company, in which Cecil Rhodes was a leading stockholder. The territory of which this company had acquired possession lies directly north of the Transvaal and is now more commonly spoken of as Rhodesia.

In the war between the Chartered Company and the Metaboles a considerable force of mounted men had been employed by the Company, and Dr. Jameson had taken a prominent part in that war. He had been a dissipated character, but Cecil Rhodes, seeing his incapacity, had reformed him, and promoted him to his present condition. As to his courage we may take the word of Gen. Joubert: "There is only one braver that I know of and that is the devil." Though the Rhodesian forces had been mainly disbanded after the conquest of the Metaboles, they were easily enlisted again by Dr. Jameson, and a force of 800 of them were ready at Mafeking with Dr. Jameson when the letter above referred to reached him from the Reform Committee at Johannesburg.

The actual raid was made across the Transvaal border by Dr. Jameson's force on 30th December, 1895. They cut the telegraph wires behind them probably that they might not be able to receive orders that might be sent them from the Chartered Company, from Cape Town or from England commanding them to return. They counted confidently on meeting a force of at least 2,000 armed Outlanders on the way and with their aid to march on triumphantly to Johannesburg. The latter town is some 180 miles due east of Mafeking. But the Outlanders had in the meantime had a parley with Kruger, who promised concessions, and they sent word to Jameson not to come. They were also somewhat intimidated by a force of 5,000 Boers who had been sent to intercept Jameson and hence no Outlanders went out to give the raider a welcome and assistance.

Jameson and his men, though warned to turn back proceeded, on their way and without much opposition reached a point near Krugersdorp and within 15 miles of Johannesburg, where the enemy were met. They were outnumbered by the Boers six to one. They had marched for a day and a night, and had but little food and a scant supply of ammunition. In the first skirmish they lost nine killed and 12 prisoners. The following day, turning southward to outflank the Boers they reached Viofontein, only about six miles from Johannesburg. Here they fought all

## THE JAMESON RAID.

I suppose we were wrong, were madmen. Still I think at the Judgment Day. When God sifts the good from the bad men There will be something more to say.

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ALFRED AUSTIN.

night, within sight and hearing of the Outlanders they had come to liberate, but the latter gave no sign of assistance or welcome. In the morning they were famished and exhausted and their cartridges about gone. They fought on stubbornly till noon when ammunition gave out and they were compelled to surrender. About 150 of Dr. Jameson's followers had been killed and 50 wounded, a quarter of his entire force. The prisoners were taken to Pretoria, but were afterwards sent to Durban and handed over to the British Government. On January 7th, 1896, Johannesburg surrendered unconditionally to the Transvaal. In the meantime the Emperor of Germany had sent his memorable message of congratulation to President Kruger, which nearly brought about a war between Germany and England. Phillips, Hammond, Rhodes and Farrar, members of the committee who had invited the raid, were sentenced to death, and a score of others from Johannesburg were sentenced to various terms of imprisonment or banishment.

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