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#### **Natal Afrikaners as loyalists during the Anglo-Boer War ...**

32 Natalia 40 (2010), Johan Wassermann pp 32- 61 Natal Afrikaners as loyalists during the Anglo-Boer War (1899-1902) I n Albert Grundlingh's ground breaking work on Afrikaners who

#### **THE BOER WAR (1899-1902)**

The Boers issued an ultimatum, then invaded Natal on 11 October 1899 The existing British forces were beaten back, and the invasion force under Sir Redvers Buller made a two-pronged attack, to the west along the border between Cape Colony and Orange Free State,

#### **CHAPTER 10 NATAL AFRIKANER WOMEN AND THE ANGLO ...**

best, posing with rifles and bandoliers in front of the Newcastle Town Hall, links Natal Afrikaner women to this myth This photograph appears in A few months with the Boers by Sophia Izedinova with a caption stating that these women from Newcastle, thus Natal Afrikaner women, took up ...

#### **APPENDIX A: DETAILS OF THE NATAL AFRIKANERS ...**

Only came to Natal in 1898 after his marriage to Miss Kemp A Transvaal citizen but resident in Natal Joined the Boers in December 1899 Active around Helpmekaar and on the Biggarsberg conducting patrols 30 De Waal, Daniel Jacobus Carolina, Dundee 291000 High Treason 1 year imprisonment and a fine of ,200 or a further 8 months in prison Age 21

#### **Guide to Boer War Battles**

A brief outline of the war in Natal At the outbreak of the Second Anglo-Boer War on 11 October 1899 between 20 000 and 25 000 Boers invaded the British colony of Natal from the Zuid-Afrikaansche Republiek (Transvaal) and Orange Free State At this stage the major concentrations of the British forces were at Dundee and Ladysmith

## The Boer War

and the Boers was an uneasy one, with Britain extending its control by annexing Natal in 1845, though London did recognise the two republics in two treaties in the 1850s Throughout the nineteenth century tensions were often high, and in 1880-81 the two sides fought a war in which the Boers inflicted several costly defeats on the British army

### The Boers of South Africa (2) - Reformed Reflections

The Boers subsequently called one of the massacre sites " Weenen" - or the place of weeping The Zulus were determined to exterminate all the Boers In 1838, twelve thousand Zulus attacked 470 Boers, with Andrew Pretorius as commander, in a well-sited lager on the bank of the Ncome River in Kwa-Zulu Natal The Boers

### "CAUGHT BETWEEN THE BOERS AND THE BRITISH" - ...

Northern Natal and a process that "must awake strange feelings in the hearts of the Natal Boers"<sup>13</sup> This euphoria was best summed up by Paul de Villiers, a rank-and-file member of the Boer forces, when he stated: "Natal really belongs to us"<sup>14</sup> Similar feelings were in reality shared by only a ...

### The New Republicans: A Centennial Reappraisal of the ...

reports on the motives of the Boers were ambivalent The Natal Witness conceded that the Boers were not influenced by purely 'unselfish motives', but asserted that reports about the Boers 'swallowing up the half of Zululand, or going down to St Lucia Bay are altogether unfounded'<sup>21</sup> This

### THE BOER WAR.

THE BOER WAR CHAPTER I THE FIRST FIGHT—TALANA HILL IT was a bright October morning The sun rose over the hill and veldt of a rocky mountainous country in the northern corner of Natal, shedding its rays upon a scene at once awful and inspiring For there eight thousand men were gathered to strike the first blows of that contest which

### Letters from the Zulu War 1876-1879

The Zulus and Boers had a history of conflict and mutual mistrust The annexation of the Boer Republic brought the British into direct conflict with the Zulu kingdom and its allies The militaristic Zulu kingdom was viewed as a major threat to stability and development in both Natal and Transvaal

### Why did the Boers lose the South African War 1899-1902?

Why did the Boers lose the South African War 1899-1902? The South African, or 2nd Boer War was a conflict fought between the British Empire and the 'Boer Republics' of the Orange Free State and the South African Republic or 'Transvaal' The war was a result ...

### South African History Time-Line Pre-history: 1500-1650

South African History Time-Line Pre-history: By 100,000BC the San people had settle in southern Africa From about ~50,000BC Boers under Andreas Pretorius defeated the Zulu army at the Battle of Blood River at the Ncome River The Boers thereupon settled in Natal, calling it the Republic of Natal, and founded Pietmaritzburg (1839) 1839

### The Battlefields of KwaZulu-Natal and the Revision of ...

Natal in 1838 This was one of the first military encounters between Africans and the Boer pioneers moving into the interior, which ended in total victory for the white settlers The deeply religious Boers ascribed the victory not to their superior weaponry but to the agency of God, which reinforced their determination to dominate the African

### THE ANGLO-BOER WAR IN THE BORDERLANDS OF THE ...

dismantling of the borderlands of the Transvaal and Zululand in favour of the Colony of Natal Introduction One of the neglected areas in the history

of the Anglo-Boer War is the conflict along the borderlands of the South African Republic (Transvaal) and Zululand Although Maphalala1 has researched the Anglo-Boer War in this region,

### **The Boer War (1900-1902) - Timeline**

Battle at Ingogo, when the Transvaal Boers beat superior British forces 1881 Battle at Laing's Neck Natal Boers beat superior powered British 1881 The Boers and Britain sign a peace accord ending the first Boer war 1881 Natal British troops under General-Major Colley occupy Majuba Hill 1881 South African President Kruger accepts ceasefire 1881

### **CANADA AND THE SECOND BOER WAR - Canadian War ...**

Page 2 of 11 CANADA AND THE SECOND BOER WAR Research Paper #16 Published by: The Friends of the Canadian War Museum Origins of the War: The origins of the war were complex, resulting from over a century of conflict between the Boers and the British Empire

### **REMEMBERING DURBAN'S HISTORICAL TAPESTRY THE ...**

stated that his intention was to take military possession of Port Natal and prevent the Afrikaner Boers establishing an independent republic upon the coast with a harbour through which access to the interior could be gained The Battle of Congella began on 23rd May 1842 between British troops from the ...

### **KwaZulu-Natal - Lonely Planet**

the Boers Just after the 1994 elections, Natal Prov-ince was renamed KwaZulu-Natal, acknowl-edging that the Zulu homeland of KwaZulu comprises a large part of the province From that time, Ulundi (the former KwaZulu cap-ital) and Pietermaritzburg (the former Natal homeland capital) enjoyed joint status as capital of KwaZulu-Natal until 2005, when

### **Slave-Raiding and Slavery in the Western Transvaal after ...**

Boers who exchanged cattle, horses, and dogs for children captured by the Swazi Annual volume, according to Bonner, approximated several hundred children, though reports reaching Natal and the Cape at the time alleged that the Boers and the Swazi were doing a "roaring trade" and that slaves