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South Africa celebrated a hundred years of progress with a festival unequalled throughout its history. A hundred years ago the Zulus were defeated at the Battle of Blood River --- and to-day descendants of those early settlers --- the pioneers who built the present-day South Africa --- rode out in the manner of their forefathers. At Pretoria a monument will stand to commemorate the Boer Trek of 1838 --- the Voortrekker's Monument whose foundation stone was laid this day by three women descendants of the old Voortrekker leaders.