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THE WAR.

The news from South Africa during the week is such as to justify the opinion that the end is within sight. The guerilla bands of Boers are being kept constantly on the move endeavoring to escape capture and they are being harassed at every point. DeWet, who narrowly escaped capture last week, has this week again eluded his pursuers but at the expense of the loss of his only gun. His force is being slowly but surely reduced, his scouts captured and his field of operations limited. It is reported that his men are short of horses as well as provisions and that desertions from his camp are numerous. More than the usual number of Boers killed, captured and surrendered have been reported for the week and the feeling in Great Britain as reported in the cable dispatches is that Lord Kitchener is slowly but surely drawing his net around the enemy. It will no doubt take time and patience to restore perfect order in a country so vast and in some localities so hostile, but it is felt that Kitchener has the work well in hand and in him the British public have every confidence.

The German and other European newspapers hostile to Great Britain keep publishing from day to day accounts of British barbarities in South Africa. The most malicious of these slanderous articles are "made in Germany" and find their way into the European and American press. Indeed nothing in this line appears too filthy or indecent for the German newspapers. Cartoons and caricatures that would disgrace the lowest dives find their way into the most prominent journals and are received and apparently appreciated by not only the low and ignorant but by the educated and influential classes. Some of these cartoons have been considered too indecent for publication outside of Germany, but many of them find their way into the pages of the pro-Boer journals of the United States. During the lifetime of our late Queen she was caricatured in the coarsest and most indecent fashion, and since the accession of King Edward, he has been made the subject of some of the vilest productions. He is represented in every stage of intoxication, as dancing on the mutilated bodies of Boer women and children, as a monkey lapping Boer blood, and in other equally repulsive conditions. In the January number of an American magazine four cartoons are reproduced from German so-called comic papers. In the first of these, the king is represented as the English Saturn in the act of devouring his children, and in the second he is represented as preparing for his coronation by washing his crown in Boer

blood. Chamberlain and Kitchener are also caricatured in the vilest manner. In one cartoon Chamberlain appears as the devil. In another lately reproduced in an American magazine he is represented as being cast into Hell and there meeting Herod who greets him as a fellow toiler. But Chamberlain haughtily turns away exclaiming, "How dare you call me 'fellow toiler? You were a child 'murderer on a small scale. I am 'too large an operator in that line 'to be on a par with you.'" Lord Kitchener is represented as a butcher holding in each hand the head of a Boer dripping with blood. British soldiers are represented as ravishing Boer women, and committing other atrocities of the most shameful character.

That section of the United States press hostile to Great Britain reproduce these cartoons or at least those not too indecent for publication. They also republish with every evidence of satisfaction the manufactured reports of British atrocities in South Africa and the barbarities practised by British soldiers on Boer women and children. They denounce the concentration camps as contrary to civilized warfare, and liken them to the reconcentrado camps of General Weyler in Cuba. We all remember how indignant these same journals were over Weyler's reconcentrado policy, how he was depicted as a butcher and how even the late President McKinley in his message to Congress in 1897 claimed that "the cruel policy of 'concentration pursued by General 'Weyler in Cuba' was not civilized warfare. And now it appears that the Americans in the Philippines have been compelled to adopt the same policy in their warfare with the natives. An order has gone forth from the General in command, that the natives of the Island of Batangos leave their homes and assemble in concentration camps near the fortified towns. We have not yet heard that the American government has dismissed or even rebuked the General. On the contrary the American Army and Navy Journal in commenting on the feeble protest raised by a few newspapers pityingly remarks that "the things which the civilian 'critics in the United States don't 'know about military affairs would 'make a whole library of war 'history."

DIVORCE IN CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES.

The Senate of Canada at its next session will be called upon to deal with an unusual number of divorce cases. Thus far preliminary steps have been taken for the hearing of nine cases. This number appears small when compared with the long lists of divorces turned out by the divorce mills of the various states of the Union, but in Canada, where the marriage tie is held in more reverence, this number appears large. The difficulties and expense attending an application of this nature to the Senate are sufficient to keep down the number, and it is seldom that more than two or three such cases are dealt with at one session. In New Brunswick and Nova Scotia there are Divorce Courts instituted previous to Confederation, but even here the expense is considerable and the sentiment of society in general so strong that except

in the most extreme cases these courts are not resorted to. In the other provinces of Canada, Divorce Courts do not exist and the only remedy for those who desire to obtain a release from the matrimonial bond is to apply to the Senate of Canada. Then again the only ground upon which a divorce can be granted is that sanctioned by both the New Testament and the Old. We have not sought to imitate our American neighbors in relaxing the stringency of the marriage laws and in thus reducing marriage to little more than a conventional union. On the other hand all our legislation has been in the opposite direction. Indeed the divorce laws of some of the States are a disgrace to a civilized community. The most trivial grounds are sufficient to separate those whom it is commanded that no man put asunder. In at least four States a divorce is permitted "when it shall be made fully apparent 'that the parties cannot live in 'peace and happiness together and 'that their welfare requires a separation.'" Under such a law all that is required is that either husband or wife go into Court and make an affidavit to that effect, and if there be no defence a divorce is granted without further formality. The cost is so trifling that it need not be taken into account. In another State "a divorce may be granted for any 'cause deemed sufficient by the 'Court." And it is not only in the far western States as is generally supposed that a dissolution of marriage is so easily obtained. In the neighboring State of Maine divorces are permitted "when conducive to domestic harmony and 'consistent with the peace and 'morality of society." This would appear to be sufficiently vague and uncertain to satisfy any unhappy couple who might wish to shake off the matrimonial shackles. It is little wonder that our neighbors are awakening to the fact that "trivial causes are too often accepted in Divorce Courts and 'that these latter institutions are 'in need of a check rein."

SENATOR THOMPSON.

The announcement of the appointment of Mr. Fred P. Thompson, of Fredericton, to a seat in the Senate has been received with pretty general satisfaction. Mr. Thompson has never engaged actively in Dominion politics but has taken a leading part in provincial politics since 1878, when he was first elected to the Assembly for the County of York. He was then a colleague of the present Minister of Railways. He was then sent to the Legislative Council and was one of those who voted for the abolition of that Chamber. He has since contested several elections, sometimes meeting success and sometimes defeat. At the last general election he was elected at the head of the poll. He is a successful business man and is personally popular. His thorough knowledge of business affairs and his long experience in the legislature have given him a training which will be of incalculable value to him in the position he has been called upon to fill. He is also a good speaker and will be a valuable addition to the debating strength of the Senate. His appointment leaves a vacancy in the provincial legislature for the County of York.

HINTS FOR GIRLS.

HOW TO PRESERVE HEALTH AND GOOD COLOR.

Pale, Sallow, or Anæmic Girls Restored to the Bright Freshness of Youth by Natural Means—Good Health Within the Reach of All.

From the Sun, Orangeville, Ont. Miss Maggie Brownlee, of Orangeville, is a young lady well known to the residents of the town and greatly esteemed by all her acquaintances. Like thousands of other young girls throughout Canada, Miss Brownlee fell a victim to anæmia or watery blood, and for a time, as she herself, feared she would never again enjoy robust health. Experiences like Miss Brownlee's cannot fail to be of benefit to other pale and anæmic girls, and for this reason she kindly consented to give a statement to the Sun for publication. "My illness," said Miss Brownlee, "came on very gradually, and at first it merely seemed as though it was a feeling of depression and tiredness. I kept getting worse, however, and finally had to give up a good position. I was at times troubled with a throbbing, racking headache; my appetite gave out; the least exertion tired me, and my heart would beat painfully. My limbs seemed to feel like weights, and at other times there was a sinking sensation which I can scarcely describe. I was treated by a good doctor and took a number of remedies, but without any improvement in my condition, and I began to fear that I was doomed to be an invalid. One day a friend who called to see me spoke very highly of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and what she said interested my mother so much that she bought a few boxes. I began taking them, and in the course of a few weeks there was no room to doubt that they were helping me. I continued taking the pills for a couple of months or more, when I felt as well and strong as ever I had been. It is about a year since I gave up taking the pills, and I have not since felt the need of any medicine. I think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a grand medicine, and should be taken by all pale and feeble girls."

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DANISH-AMERICAN TREATY.

The text of the treaty for the cession of the Danish West Indies to the United States for \$5,000,000 has been made public. The payment must be made within six months of the date of the treaty, which is January 24, ultimo. The most important provisions are as follows: The consummation of said cession does not import the transference to the United States of the financial claims now held by Denmark against the colonial treasuries of the island. Danish subjects residing in said island may remain therein or remove therefrom at will, retaining in either event all their rights or property. Differences of opinion in regard to the interpretation or application of the convention shall be submitted for arbitration to the permanent court of arbitration at The Hague if not settled by diplomatic negotiations.

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Chronic Bronchitis

Mr. Wm. Davidson, St. Andrews, Que., states:—"Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine has cured me of bronchitis. I have, without success, tried many remedies for the past six years. Last winter when I had a severe attack and was unable to work I procured a bottle of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, and am happy to state that the third bottle made me a well man."

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

KOUCHIBOUGUAC NOTES.

Miss Tait, of Sackville, is the guest of Mrs. C. Atkinson. Miss Bertha Miller, of Nicholas River, is visiting friends here. Miss Maud Beattie is visiting friends in Richibucto. Mr. Fraser, of Rexton, preached here last Sunday morning. C. Atkinson paid a flying visit to Richibucto one day last week.

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Mayor Cochrane was inaugurated as Mayor of Montreal Monday.

Two cases of smallpox were discovered at Portland, Me., Monday.

Santos-Dumont made his third trip over the bay in his balloon alighting at Monaco.

Lyman J. Gage has been appointed to the position of president of the United States Trust Company of New York city.

Rev. Dr. Nextly, in pursuance of a design to deliver a series of discourses on the mountains of the Bible made this announcement:—

WANTED—Reliable correspondents in all parts of the County, for liberal terms write to the News Editor, care of THE REVIEW.

A Game For Two.

Once upon a time a young gentleman and a younger lady were alone in a bright parlor in front of a cheerful open fire, with a table between them, playing cards. As they continued to play and chat the table was not so much between them, for they both got nearer the fire and played the game on one corner of the table.

They had started in to play euchre, but after an hour and a half they found that they were playing hearts.

Moral—We are not always sure what the game is.

No Right to Live.

Beggar—Won't you give me some money, professor? My money is all gone, and I can't live.

Professor—How old are you?

Beggar—Forty years, sir.

Professor—Forty years! Don't you know that according to the latest mortality tables the average age of the male population of Europe reaches only thirty-four years and five months? Statistically you have no right to live any longer anyway!

Corn.

Corn, with its twenty-four to thirty-two rows under cultivation, was once but a coarse grass, hiding each seed it produced under a husk, as wheat and oats now do. Brought out to the light and sun, with a chance to get at enough plant food, it has worked its way up to eight rows of seeds, covering these with one husk. The farmer and nature together have added the extra sixteen and twenty-four rows.

She Understood.

"Ignorance," remarked young Borem, "they say is bliss."

"Oh, that probably accounts for it," rejoined Miss Cutting.

"Accounts for what?" queried the youth.

"The contented and happy look you usually wear," she replied.

An Offset.

A asks B to lend him 50 cents. B has but 25 cents and gives that to A. A accepts it, remarking that he will trust B for the balance. B later asks A to settle with him, whereupon A claims that as B owes him 25 cents one debt offsets the other. What is the answer?

A MODERN JOB

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There will be sold at Public Auction in front of the Court House in the Parish of Richibucto, in the County of Kent, and Province of New Brunswick, on MONDAY, THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1902, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title, interest, use, possession, property, claim and demand either at law or in equity of John Simon Landry and Aime Simon Landry or of each or either of them in, to, out of or upon the following described premises:—

(First.) All those certain lots of land situate on the south side of the Cocagne River and conveyed to the said John Simon Landry by deed bearing date the 24th day of December A. D. 1900 from Simon Landry, and duly recorded in the Office of the Registrar of deeds and wills in and for the County of Kent, by the number 33596, book S. 2., page 225, on the 18th day of March A. D. 1901.

(Second.) All that certain piece or parcel of land situate on the south side of the Cocagne River aforesaid, and conveyed to one Dominick H. Leger by the said Simon Landry on the 31st day of May A. D. 1899, and recorded in the said Registrar's Office on the seventh day of June A. D. 1899, by the number 33142 book Q. 2., page 570.

(Third.) All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate on the south side of the Cocagne River aforesaid, and bounded as follows:—commencing at the north west corner of lot number 18 in block D on Government plan, thence running south along the west side line of said lot until it strikes the southwest corner thereof, thence east along the south side line of said lot and thence north parallel with the west side line of said lot until it strikes the north side line thereof, thence west along the said north side line to the place of beginning, and to extend east a sufficient distance along the said south side line and the said north side line, so as to include in the said last mentioned lot, twenty-five acres and no more.

Also all other lands of the said John Simon Landry and Aime Simon Landry, wherever situate and howsoever described in my bailiwick. Together with all and singular the privileges and improvements thereon and the appurtenances to the same belonging, the same having been seized, levied upon and taken under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Westmorland County Court against the said John Simon Landry and Aime Simon Landry.

Dated at the Sheriff's Office in the Parish of Richibucto in the said County of Kent, this seventeenth day of December A. D. 1901.

AUGUSTE LEGER, Sheriff of Kent County.

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