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DIPLOMATIC.

Mr. Deane, the head of a large manufacturing business, built up his success by his own dogged and persistent toil. He had never felt that he could spare time for a vacation. Not long ago he decided that he was getting along in years and was entitled to a rest. Calling his son Ellis into the library one evening, he said—

"Ellis, I've worked pretty hard for quite a while now and have done pretty well, so I have about decided to retire and turn the business over to you. What do you say?"

Ellis pondered the situation gravely for a moment, then his face brightened and he replied—

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GREAT MAJORITY OF BOERS
ARE LOYAL TO BRITAIN

The action of Colonel Maritz and his commando in joining forces with the Germans in the northwest cape province of South Africa has naturally created surprise amongst the Boers. Doubtless Colonel Maritz's action was stimulated by the resignation of Colonel Beyers of his position as commandant general of the Union Defence Forces. General Botha has taken supreme command of the South African Expeditionary Force, and, as an overwhelming majority of the Boers are loyal to Great Britain, Colonel Maritz will receive a short shrift. In tendering his resignation to General Smuts, minister of defence, ex-General Beyers stated that to his utmost surprise, parliament confirmed the resolution adopted by the government, namely, to conquer German Southwest Africa, without any provocation towards the Union from the Germans. The government must be aware that by far the great majority of the Dutch-speaking people of the Union decidedly disapproved of their crossing the frontier. The fact that three ministers of the British cabinet had resigned showed that, even in England, there was a strong minority who could not be convinced of the righteousness of a war with Germany. It was said that war was being waged against the barbarity of the Germans. He had forgiven but not forgotten all the barbarities perpetrated during the South African War. With very few exceptions all farms—not to mention many towns—were so many "Louvains."

The allegations made in parliament—namely, that the Germans have already violated their frontier, were ungrounded. Apparently the government longed for some transgression by the Germans of German Southwest Africa, but had been disappointed in this, for so far not a single German soldier had crossed our frontier.

THE MINISTER'S REPLY.

The reply of the minister of defence emphasizes in the most complete and unquestionable manner the crushing contempt of the South African government for the insignificant number of malcontents, represented by men of the Beyers and Maritz type.

Penned by a man who, fifteen years ago, was one of the most active of the Boer generals against the British forces, it is all the more remarkable in its vindication of the fairness of British rule. General Smuts wrote as follows under date of Pretoria, Sept. 19th:

"Sir:—It was with regret that I received your letter of the 9th inst., tendering your resignation as the commandant general, Union Defence Forces, and as an officer of the Union. The circumstances under which that resignation took place and the terms in which you endeavor to justify your action tend to leave a very painful impression. It is true that it was known to me that you entertained objections against the war operations in German Southwest Africa, but I never received the impression that you would resign. On the contrary, all the information in the possession of the government was communicated to you, all plans were discussed with you, and your advice was followed to a large extent.

The principal officers were appointed on your recommendation and with your concurrence, and the plan of operations which is now being followed is largely the one recommended by yourself at a conference of officers. My last instructions to you before I left for Cape Town to attend the special session of parliament were that in my absence you should visit certain regiments on the German border, and it was well understood

between us that immediately the war operations were somewhat further advanced and co-operation among the various divisions would be practicable, you should yourself undertake the chief command in German Southwest Africa. The attitude of the government after this remained unchanged and was approved by parliament after full discussion. One would have expected that that approval would make the matter easier for you, but now I find that you anticipated that parliament would disapprove of the policy of the government, and that your disappointment in this became the reason for your unexpected action.

In order to make your motives clearer, the reasons for your resignation were explained in a long political argument which was immediately communicated to the press and came into the hands of the government long after publication. I need not tell you that all these circumstances in connection with your resignation have made a most unpleasant impression on my colleagues and myself. But this unpleasant impression has ever been aggravated by the allegations contained in your letter. Your bitter attack on Great Britain is not entirely baseless, but is the more unjustifiable coming as it does in the midst of a great war from the commandant general of one of the British dominions. Your reference to barbarous acts during the South African War cannot justify the criminal devastation of Belgium and can only be calculated to sow hatred and even division among the people of South Africa.

You forget to mention that since the South African War the British people gave South Africa her entire freedom under a constitution which makes it possible for us to realize our national ideals along our own lines, and which, for instance, allows you to write with impunity a letter for which you would without a doubt be liable in the German empire to the extreme penalty.

As regards your other statements, they have been answered and disposed of in parliament. From these dis-

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TRAMP STEAMERS

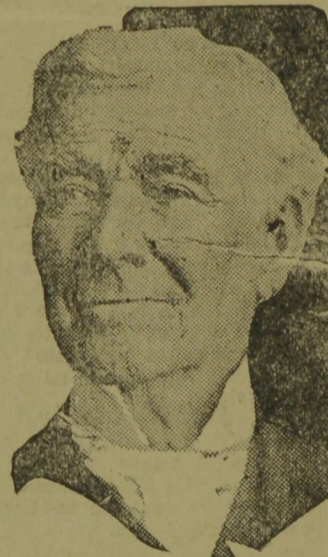
They Are So-called Because They Are the "Wanderers of the Ocean"

A "tramp" steamer is a "tramp" because she wanders the world over carrying the most advantageous cargo she can procure and proceeding to any port, no matter how unfamiliar and remote, to which her manifest takes her.

She is not a "tramp," explains Harper's Magazine, because she goes about in tatters and poverty. Quite the contrary is true. There are great tramp lines immensely wealthy and powerful, and the ships that fly these flags are modern in every respect equipped with wireless, of vast tonnage, and most comfortably appointed in respect to officers' quarters. When his vessel lies in port the tramp captain appears to the envious long shore onlooker to live a life of the most agreeable sort.

As a general rule, however, the captain himself holds his occupation in no such high regard. Tramp captains may gratify their desire for romance, it is true, but only in a limited way, after all; and their prospect for material prosperity is of the smallest. The cash return is little enough; for all the responsibility assumed, the rich cargo and lives carried through months of anxious weather, of gales and fogs at sea, of lonely and monotonous wastes, the wage isn't much greater than a commonplace bookkeeper may earn ashore.

The pay of a junior officer aboard a tramp steamer would outrage the feelings of an alert office boy; the pay of a first mate would shock a bank clerk. But once a first-class officer becomes a captain, his pay is practically doubled. If his owners possess no other ship than his the chance for advancement is extremely slight; but if he is in the service of one of the great freight lines, his prospect at the best is that of the newest ship at a wage of \$1,500 a year. The next move in fortune of the tramp captain is to the command of a mail steamer. Having obtained this eminence in the service of one of the most considerable trans-Atlantic lines, he is paid no less than \$2,000 a year, and possibly as much as \$4,000 or \$5,000. It is the ultimately sought-for job.



PROF. I. E. ALLEN

of Pensacola, Florida, who after teaching school for fifty years and wearing a beard for the whole time, shaved for the first time in his life to celebrate the opening of a new railroad through his town.

By making the entries each noon or night the books can be so kept up-to-date that an executor can look over the record, stock, and produce books, etc., and see in a few moments how affairs stand; and the farmer himself knows about his work.—C. E. Davis.

Gigantic Aeroplanes

The Russian government has ordered ten aeroplanes of a type to carry eleven persons in addition to the pilot.

Long Navigable River

The Congo river and its tributaries furnish more than 9,000 miles of water ways navigable by flat-bottomed steamers.

Remarkable Prison Record

In Edinburgh Police Court Thomas Hyland pleaded guilty to having been drunk in the Grassmarket. Out of the 365 days in last year accused had spent no fewer than 336 of them in prison for various offences. Recently an effort had been made to deal with him under the Inebriates Act, but, unfortunately the conditions of the statute did not fully apply. Bailie Rusk sent him to prison for sixty days.

Photographic Process

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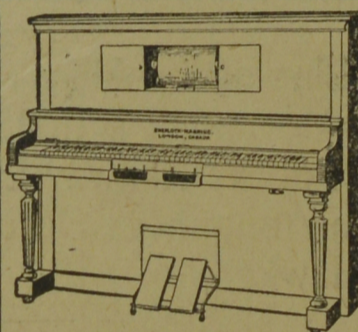
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