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BRITISH GREED AND THE BOER REPUBLIC.

However closely allied English and American interests may be, or however near the possibility of an Anglo-American alliance, it has been clearly manifested that the sympathy of the United States has gone out to the brave little Boer Republic in its present struggle for existence.

For the contest in which British and Boers are engaged is virtually a life and death struggle with the Boer Government. Upon the result, and without the factor of foreign intervention, which at this writing appears a remote contingency, there can be no doubt of the defeat of the Boer forces, depends practically the future independence of the little Republic.

Ever since the Jameson raid, which rankled in the minds of the English, it has been apparent that matters were attaining a crisis in Krugerland. The conflict between Boer and British interests had grown sharper and sharper, finally culminating in the threatening demands of England and the brave and prompt ultimatum of President Kruger.

However thinly veiled the cause of war may appear, stripped of pretence it is this. Within the boundaries of the Republic there are found valuable gold and diamond mines which have long constituted a fascination for the eyes of the English.

Up to the time of present writing several battles have been fought on the Boer borderland, with success favoring English arms, although every step has been bravely and stubbornly contested by the Boers. The Boers are a brave people, and excellent marksmen, but this after all will not avail against an equally brave enemy who have spent their days in scientific evolution and training for warfare.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

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should always be kept in the house for the following reasons:

- FIRST—Because, if any member of the family has a hard cold, it will cure it.
SECOND—Because, if the children are delicate and sickly, it will make them strong and well.
THIRD—Because, if the father or mother is losing flesh and becoming thin and emaciated, it will build them up and give them flesh and strength.
FOURTH—Because it is the standard remedy in all throat and lung affections.

drove the Boers from the hills. Towards evening rain and darkness set in and enabled the Boers to withdraw. The Boers killed were three hundred, and an equal number of prisoners taken by the English.

While the outcome of the war cannot but be disastrous to the little Dutch Republic, still the sympathy of a larger and more powerful Republic goes out to a brave people fighting gallantly for their right of independent government.

Why were 25,000 BOTTLES OF ROBERTS' TASTELESS CHILL TONIC sold the first year of its birth? Answer: Because it is the BEST AT ANY PRICE, guaranteed to cure, money refunded if it fails, pleasant to take, 25c per bottle.

THE REWARD OF COGHLAN.

The fate of the courageous Coghlan, the gallant commander of the cruiser Raleigh, is one to point a moral and adorn a tale. The first home comer from the little fleet in Manila Bay, after the destruction of the Spanish ships, he was received with the plaudits of the nation.

In the privacy of his club, among his friends, with no idea that his remarks would reach the world outside, his utterances were twisted and contorted by the representatives of the press until Coghlan woke next morning, to find his indiscreet remarks the talk of the country.

existed untold mirth. Behold the result! The dignity of his majesty Wilhelm der Kaiser, is insulted. Communications pass between his Majesty and the German Ambassador at Washington. A protest is entered at the State Department by the Ambassador, His War Lordship has been laughed at Apologies must be made.

Note the apologetic attitude of the State Department. It enters a disclaimer and promises reparation. A formal and severe reprimand is forthwith dispatched to the brave Coghlan who suffers the humiliation of being forced to read the reprimand before the officers and crew of his ship. Subsequently he is detached from command of the Raleigh and so in an atmosphere of humiliation disappears from public view.

In all the account of the New York celebration and triumph of Dewey and his men, you read no mention of Coghlan. How many of those who read the "Hoch der Kaiser" saw an absconder in a Naval journal some time ago which stated briefly that Captain J. B. Coghlan had been assigned to the duty of inspecting Light houses somewhere off the coast of Alaska.

Verily the tongue is mightier than the sword. SWAMP-ROOT. Is not recommended for everything; but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need.

THE FUSION CONCLAVE.

At Statesville, that august body of Fusion managers, met a few days back to formulate plans for the ensuing campaign. The first order of business was where are we? The November cyclone so demoralized them that they are just beginning to realize their true situation and endeavor to regain what they have lost.

There is a lack of morals and a consequent pitiable absence of dignity in this administration policy to be announced in President McKinley's message, but commercialized politics never received a more typical illustration. Now that we have the chance to grab and hold a big slice of territory in the Old World we'll do it, right or wrong, and in clear violation of the solemn pledge contained in the Monroe Doctrine.

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DIS-GREEING STATEMENT.

A disparity of opinion exists, which should not exist, between President McKinley and his fellow-townsmen and late Secretary of state, Judge Day, on a subject of deep importance. In a reference to the Philippines, in his early morning talk at Cedar Falls, the President declared: "I believe, my fellow-citizens, that this territory came to us in the providence of God. We did not seek it. It is ours with all the responsibilities that belong to it; and as a great, brave nation, we mean to meet them and we mean to carry our education and our civilization there."

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

President McKinley's forthcoming message to Congress, it is stated from Washington, will recommend the establishment of American sovereignty in the Philippines by all the force that may be needed, that it be maintained permanently, that the civil government follow the military at the earliest possible moment, and that wide latitude be allowed the natives in local self-government.

In the forecast of the message announcing this policy it is not intimated that the President endeavors to justify in principle this departure from American doctrine and the consequent denial of liberty to a people who had well nigh won this from their Spanish oppressors before this government received the opportunity to prove a consistent loyalty to American declarations. But the President does make an effort to commend his policy to the American people by showing that there's money in it for them.

pressors before this government received the opportunity to prove a consistent loyalty to American declarations. But the President does make an effort to commend his policy to the American people by showing that there's money in it for them. "In recommending definite action by the Congress as to the future government of the Philippines," we are told, "attention will be called to reports from competent authorities showing the commercial importance of the islands." Upon this exhibit, it is to be presumed, whatever opposition there may be to the forcible annexation of the Philippines, the final and lasting repudiation of the Monroe Doctrine, the deliberate refusal to longer recognize the truths enunciated in the Declaration of Independence, will vanish like mist before the sun. Why? Faith, because there's more money in holding the Philippines than in letting go of them.

Melton cloth coats for ladies, in the new fawn shade and black, handsomely trimmed with stitching and stylish buttons at \$7.89 is one of the richest garments in the town. Large city stores would charge \$12 for the same goods. Their expenses are so much, you know. You can get almost any kind of ready-made garment at Mitchell's. He was the first to bring them here. No lady needs to have the trouble to make a pretty skirt or shirt waist this season, Mitchell has almost any kind of skirt, and at prices cheaper than you can buy the material alone.

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HINTS TO LADY SHOPPERS.

Last week we told you about the pretty dress goods at Mitchell's. If you could see the crowd of ladies in his store every day, and see the number of clerks cutting off dress after dress, you would begin to believe what he advertises must be true. The popular prices for such stylish dress goods, brings the crowd every day. No store has shown such an assortment from 25c. per yard to 59c. Trimmings and linings to match every dress. The extreme warm weather would not suggest a jacket or cloak, but if you wait you'll regret it. Mitchell seems to have discovered some secret in selecting ladies' jackets. Every garment was made to order for him and you should see what lovely jackets he is selling at \$4.98 made of fine broad-cloth. New blue, tan and black are the popular shades. Handsome jackets lined throughout with silk at \$6.48 that will cost you \$10 anywhere, but you know "Mitchell sells it for less." He advertises this everywhere and he is making the Bee Hive the most popular store in Elizabeth City on this account. He has been in business twenty years and knows where to buy, and has enough money to pay cash for all his goods; this is what counts. He does not mark his goods up and wait for the customer to ask him, "if he can't do better" or, pretend to "knock off a little." He has it marked in plain figures and sells to everybody at the same price. The only honest way to do business.

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NORTH CAROLINA. In the Gates County. S. I. Harrell, Adm'r of Elmo Parker, deceased.

James K. Parker, Sallie R. Gurley, S. S. Hardison, Arthur Mitchell and wife Matilda Mitchell, W. J. Hayes and Lemuel Hayes and Carrol Hayes by L. L. Smith, their guardian, and Edna Brown and Harry Brown, Hugh Brown and Essie Dail, Mabel Dail and — Dail.

NOTICE. The defendants, Sallie R. Gurley, W. J. Hayes, Carrol Hayes and Hugh Brown, above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Gates county for the purpose of selling certain real estate to make assets. Said real estate is known as the Elmo Parker place, and is situated about one mile from Sunbury, in said county; and the said defendants will appear at the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Gates county on the 27th day of November, 1899, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This 4th day of October, 1899.

W. T. CROSS, Clerk Superior Court.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—Eastern District of North Carolina.—In Admiralty in a cause of contract civil and maritime.

George W. Creef, Jr., and B. H. Creef, trading as Creef & Creef, libellants, vs. Schooner Walter E. Avery.

Whereas, a libel has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina on the 15th day of October, 1899, by George W. Creef, Jr., and B. H. Creef, trading as Creef & Creef, libellants, against the schooner Walter E. Avery in a cause of contract civil and maritime, and praying process may issue against said vessel, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and that said vessel may be condemned and sold to pay said George W. Creef, Jr., and B. H. Creef, trading as Creef & Creef, with costs, charges and expenses.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the monition under the seal of the said court, to me directed and delivered, I do hereby give public notice to all persons claiming the said vessel, or in any manner interested therein, that they be and appear before said District Court, to be held at the Court House in the town of Elizabeth City, in and for the Eastern District of North Carolina on Tuesday, the 31st day of October, A. D. 1899, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, provided the same shall be a day of jurisdiction, other wise on the next day of jurisdiction thereafter, then and there to interpose their claims and make their allegations in that behalf. Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C., the 16th day of October, 1899.

H. C. DOCKERY, U. S. Marshal, Per U. A. BANKS, Dep. Marshal, G. W. Ward, E. F. & S. S. Lamb, Proctors for Libellants.

A Card.

There are two or three parties claiming to be agents of mine. I wish to say I have no agents or partner. Those wishing Photographs or Enlarging and copying done will please communicate direct to me on Water street. Very Respectfully, W. H. ZOELLER. Oct. 11, 1899.

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'PHONE 125.

NOTICE.

MANTRO, N. C., Sept. 26, 1899. I have in my possession \$35.10, the same being amount received of I. I. Midgett, Wreck Commissioner for District No. 2, as net proceeds from sale of 1 spanker lot canvas, some old rope, 1 bag cloths, 1 lot lumber and 3 barrels beef, marked "Thomas Bradley." Sold September 9, 1899. Any person showing good title for above described property will receive the amount stated, less expenses advertising, etc. This 26th day of Sept., 1899. THEO. S. MEEKINS, Clerk Superior Court of Dare County.

NOTICE.

MANTRO, N. C., Sept. 26, 1899. I have in my possession \$34.13, being amount received from I. B. Midgett, Wreck Commissioner for District No. 2, as net proceeds from sale of 1 lot of railroad ties, lumber and 1 barrel kags, sold on Catawbinchico beach on the 14th day of September, 1899. Any person showing good title for same will receive the amount stated, less expenses for advertising, etc. This 26th day of September, 1899. THEO. S. MEEKINS, Clerk Sup. Court of Dare county.

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Office Clerk Superior Court, Dare County, N. C.

I have in my hands \$480.00 the same being amount received from B. F. Whedbee, Wreck Commissioner for Dist. N. C. as Net proceeds of sale 51,000 oak, staves and a small amount wreckage, that washed ashore on Hatteras Beach in August 1899, and sold on the 19th day of September, 1899. Anyone one applying and showing good title for the same in the next 12 months will receive the said amount less Clerk Com's. and advertising expenses.

THEO. S. MEEKINS, Clerk Sup'r Court.

Rent, Rent, Rent.

Rooms above store corner of Main and Water streets.

Shop on Main street, near Water, recently occupied as a Chinese laundry.

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