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South Africa and the East.

OFFICERS QUARRELING.

ONE CAUSE OF SLOW PROGRESS AND FREQUENT LOSSES.

Mr. Charles Williams, the military expert of the London Morning Leader, who throughout the South African campaign has shown himself possessed of information which other critics did not have, let fresh light into the serious quarrels among the British officers at the front in South Africa, when he said in a recent issue of that journal.

Field-Marshal Lord Roberts has been, and up till a few days was, suffering from a bowel complaint which was so serious that Lady Roberts was sent for in a hurry from Bloemfontein. It is a most unfortunate thing that newspaper amenities prevent us from setting forth in so many words the causes of what we venture to call an extraordinary heroism shown by the victor of Kandahar in his endurance of the saddle after having been operated upon in a most serious manner some years ago for fistula. But, at the age of 68, it might fairly be expected that such a lesion would sooner or later tell upon mind as well as upon body. Not that, by any means, we venture to suggest any incapacity for the present in the fulfilment of Lord Roberts' duties. Still, the delay is most unfortunate, because the troops now in South Africa, or 50,000 of them are very badly needed elsewhere, as it is thought highly undesirable that Great Britain should be represented in operations against Peking by an Indian contingent only.

We also learn, not wholly with astonishment, that Lord Roberts and Lord Kitchener would have parted company before now but that the Chief of the Staff in S. Africa is a special protégé of the Prime Minister. Since the day when Lord Kitchener sacrificed eighteen hundred men at Paardeberg, the relations between the victor of Karahar and the victor of Omdurman have not been so intimate as is desirable in connections of this kind; and there have been times when the best-informed people in London have looked for Lord Kitchener to be sent home, as Sir W. F. Gatacre was and now Sir Henry Colville is. Gatacre is a man of war, too much so for the stomachs of certain people, Colville, who has administered Uganda, is not at all likely to take the insult lying down, as Sir William Gatacre has done, more particularly as Lord Methuen has not been sent home, as everybody expected he would have been for the terrible mismanagement at the Modder River and Magersfontein. We do not forget the shameful treatment meted out to Colonel B. Gough, of the 9th Lancers, by Lord Methuen, but as an inquiry has been promised into that affair we say no more about it at present. The administrative chaos in S. Africa has probably been reduced by the interview of several days' duration between Lord Roberts and Sir Redvers Buller, who, in case of Lord Roberts' incapacity, would be entitled, unless the Cabinet named another General, to succeed to the chief command. And he would succeed to no enviable post, for scarcely any one would believe, who does not know the men, the bickering and acrid feeling that has existed for six months, not so much between the Chiefs as between subordinate English and Indian Staff officers. There, we have blurted it out, and those who have patience to wait will read in due time something very much worse than anything told of the relations of the General Staff in the Crimean war.

THE CHINESE PLEA.

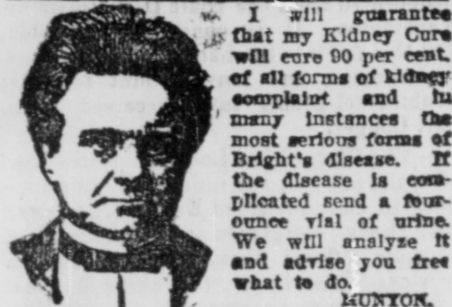
President McKinley, in his reply to the Chinese request for his good offices to bring about an understanding with the powers, has practically followed the lead set by France, by whom a

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similar message was received last week. He demands, first, an official public assurance as to whether the foreign ministers are alive, and, if they are, a statement of their position; second, that the ministers, if they are alive, be put in immediate and free communication with their respective governments; third, that the Chinese Imperial authorities place themselves in communication with the relief expedition, and co-operate with it for the liberation of the legations, the protection of foreigners, and the restoration of order. Action on these lines by the Chinese authorities would not only justify any of the powers in striving to stop the present hostilities, but would make further operations unnecessary. There are enough of the powers which have no desire to grasp Chinese territory, now represented in the international column, to make its progress without their help hopeless. The gravity of the situation for China is in the fact that its Government seems unable to give the desired assurances. The Emperor's letter, to which President McKinley's is a reply was dated equivalent to July 19. It does not say a word about the legations or their European occupants, though the Emperor's advisors must have known from the Chinese ministers abroad how deep is the anxiety in the matter. The appeal will rather add to the fear that the reports of the massacre were well founded, that the silence of the Chinese messages on the all-important question is a sign that the worst has happened, and that the appeals and protests from Peking are only for the purpose of gaining time in a hope that something may turn up to avert the evil consequences of one of the worst of the century's crimes.

DON'T SAY UNKIND THINGS.

A woman with a sharp tongue, but with the tenderest of hearts, the most generous of natures, but with a keenly critical mind and a rare intuition as to the character, was brought up "standing, as she expressed it, after she had been talking one day with a friend about several people and before a young girl who was visiting the friend.

In a sudden lull in the talk the girl said, as if by uncontrollable impulse: "Don't you like anybody?" "What do you mean?" said the startled woman. The girl blushed and hesitated, and then said, "Please pardon me, but it seemed so." Little more was said; it was passed off and passed by, as in the polite world things that are unpleasant are passed over; but into the heart of that woman the criticism sank deeply, and from that hour she watched and guarded her tongue. Now she does not depreciate in speech, and, if she can not appreciate, is silent. It is well to remember the wise words of Emerson: "Omit the negative propositions. Don't waste yourself in rejection nor hark against the bad, but chant the beauty of the good." What a changed

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A WOMAN'S PROBLEM.

When breakfast things are cleared away The same old problem's rising, For she again sits down to think Of something appetizing. The dinner she must soon prepare, Or give the cook directions, And great is the relief she feels When she has made selections.

When dinner things are cleared away The problem that is upper just the same with one's word changed—

"What can I get for supper?" She wants to give them something new And long is meditation, Till choice is made, and then begins The work of preparation.

When supper things are cleared away Again her mind is worried, For then she thinks of breakfast time, When meals are often hurried. She ponders o'er it long until The question is decided, Then hustles round till she makes sure That everything's provided.

Three times each day, week in, week out, This problem she is meeting, And often she is sore perplexed In making plans for eating.

For one likes this, and one likes that, And what is appetizing To some is by the others spurned As food that they're despising.

That "woman's work is never done" Has often been disputed, But that she's worried is a fact, And cannot be refuted.

The worry over what to eat Is greatest of these questions, And glad she'd be if someone else Would make the meal suggestions.



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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22nd, 1900

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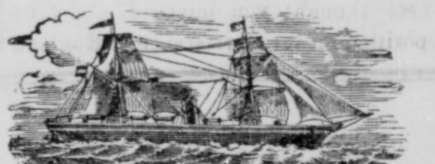
Return tickets from Charlottetown 85c, Georgetown 85c, intermediate stations all proportionate rates.

Return tickets will be issued from all stations west of Royalty Junction at one first-class fare on August 21st, good to return on August 23rd.

For train arrangements, prize lists and all particulars see programme and advertisements in newspapers later.

JOHN McPHEE, President. D. R. McLENNAN, Rec. Secretary.

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The S. S. Bonavista sailing from Montreal Tuesday morning July 24th will be due at Charlottetown Friday July 27th and sails for St. John's, Newfoundland, via North Sydney, carrying horses, cattle and sheep on deck, and produce under deck, at lowest possible rates.

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