

AN ENGLISH SIGNAL OFFICER OUTWITTED THE BOERS.

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FACTS ABOUT CHINA.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Population. Lists cities like Newchang, Tin Tsin, Chiao, etc.

CAUSES FOR BOER DEFEATS.

The Boer must be wheedled into fighting, and none but native officers can do this. If not treated to his notion, he will sulk, and a Chinaman will fight better than a sulky Boer.

Some Swift Sellers FOR Saturday

Another Big Saturday Sale At The Big Store.

READ AND PROFIT.

Bargain No. 1

Men's Shirts the kind that will wash and keep their color. The W. G. & R. brand; also a few of Tack's.

Bargain No. 2

85 Soft Bosom Shirts good washers and good value, all sizes lots of patterns make a good outing shirt.

Bargain No. 3

About 50 odd sizes in a laundered and white washed Front Shirts also a few colored, good value at 75c and \$1.00. Saturday's price 25c

Bargain No. 4

Two pieces of English and American Dress Muslin. Very fine Cambric and Percale. Priced from 15c to 19c, cut down to sell Saturday 10c

Bargain No. 5

For your Gird Neck Silk Bandana Scarfs, the kind that will wash and keep their color, made from Soft Coized pattern Silk, regular 75c Scarfs just the thing to wear with a Soft bosom shirt, they were never offered before for less than seventy five cents. Saturday's price 25c

Bargain No. 6

88 New Pulley Belts made from Silk Ribbon price from 75c to \$1.25 Saturday's price bargain 49c

Bargain No. 7

LADIES KID GLOVE SNAP, colored, and Black, Laced and Buttoned and Clapped all sizes one dollar Saturday only 49c

Bargain No. 8

50 Leather Belts, fancy Buckles, priced from 25c to 35c. Saturday's price 10c

Bargain No. 9

500 yd. d. Imported Tweed 12 patterns price 75c, 85c \$1.00 Saturday's price 55c

Bargain No. 10

Soiled in the making at the factory 24 White Gingham Bed Quilts full size, soft finish in dressing good value at \$1.55 and \$1.50. Saturday's price 95c

Bargain No. 11

Our General's Africa 30 framed Pictures regular 50c Pictures Saturday's price 25c

Bargain No. 12

12 Dress Robes at half price, Summer Glycerin & Tropical Mower ground 75c goods, for Saturday 35c

No. 13

Silk Front Shirts for men. 50 Shirts six patterns \$1.25 and 1.50. Saturday 95c

No. 14

53 Children's Pinafores in 10 colors, six sizes. Prices run from 35c to 55c, made from good washing print. Saturday's price 35c

No. 15

100 Ladies' White Lawn Aprons with and without Bibs with insertion trimmings, good value at 50c each. Saturday's price 39c

No. 16

50 HOLLAND BLOUSE Suits and single Blouses for boys 3 to 8 years old, price 75c to \$1.00. Saturday's price 50c

No. 17

15 Ladies' Summer or Spring full Jaquets, Grey, Fawn and Mixed Colors, regular price \$5.00 to 7.50. Saturday's price \$3.75

No. 18

LADIES' JACKETS marked from \$8.50 to \$10.00. Saturday's price 5.00

No. 19

36 Ladies' Summer Coats, Fawns, Drabs, Browns, Blues, Greens, Reds and Blacks sizes 8 to 38, every day price \$7.00 to 10.00. Saturday's price 5.75

Bargain 20

SKIRTS, SUITS and BICYCLE SKIRTS, Crepon Skirts 38, 40, 42 and 44, \$9.00 for 7.00

Bargain 21

ROYAL BARGAIN—High R. offer. Our TWENTY-ONE NUMBER is a ROYAL ONE. Bicycle Skirts \$5.00 value for 3.90

Bargain 22

Summer Outing Skirts, 3 colors, granite cloth, all sizes \$2.75 value. Saturday's price 1.90

Bargain 23

Colored Duck Outing Skirts, 3 colors, Green, Blue, Light Gray \$2.35. Saturday 1.65

Bargain 24

SMALL SHOT for SATURDAY—Lawn Insertion 6 in. wide 15c for 3c

Bargain 25

Under vests for 5c each

Bargain 26

Men's Sox 5c pr

Bargain 27

Men's Ties 3 for 1-4 dollar

Bargain 28

Children's Bibs 5c

Children's Crumpled Pinafores last year's goods 10c

Ladies' Cashmere Ribbed Hose for 25c

Ladies' Summer Corsets for 35c

Direct from our work rooms. 25 Trimmed Hats \$4.00 and 5.00 for 3.75

50 Corset Covers worth up to 25c for 10c

500 yards of Dress Goods, Saturday Half Price.

Ladies Black Satin Hose worth 45c Saturday 10c

Ladies Under Skirts worth up to \$2.25 for 99c

3 for 3 dollar. Hair Brush 10c Brush, Nail Brush Saturday for 25c

American Shopping Bag 95c and \$1.15 quality. Saturday 75c

20 Plaques framed, gentlemen in Krati 48c. Saturday 33c

1500 Yards A drive in original lace 3 to 4 in. wide White, Cream and Butter. Price 10 to 15c Saturday 5c

90 Corset Covers 18c Saturday 10c

80 Pairs Drawers sold up to \$1.25 Saturday 25c

18 Pairs better grade up to \$2.00 Saturday 50c

Men's Underwear 38c a SU

Gordon Dye Black Lisle, Hose all sizes, lace design, very new 48 to 95c (extra special) Ladies Embroidery Initial Handkerchiefs, 3 in a box 45c Saturday 30c

Children's Knit Cotton Waists 85c, Saturday 20c

Hemstitched Ladies Handkerchiefs 50c a doz.

A sample lot of Children's. American Sailor Collars at clearance prices.

Men's Braces 15c pr

Children's Braces 8c pr

Men's Socks 5c, 8c, 10c and 15c

All-wool Sox 25c p.

A lot of Ladies' Shirt Waists, 50c Shirt Waists 39c

68c and 75c. Saturday 50c

Boys' Pants worth up to 65c and 75c. Saturday 50c

Men's 8.00 Suits for 5.00

Men's Worsted Coats and Vests 7.50

300 Colored Shirts to morrow only, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, 50c.

65 Lunch Boxes half price. Valley Belt half price. Leather Bel's half price. \$5.00 Trimmed Hats \$3.75. 50 Soft Bosom Shirts 50c. 30 Men's Scarfs 50. 100 Ladies' Crash Skirts \$1.45 for \$1.00.

Another Sweeping Reduction Skirts for 75c and 95c. Boys' Blouses worth up to \$1.00, to fit boys from 4 to 10 years, for 45c. Children's Pinafores, fit little girls from 4 to 10 years, for 35c. 4 Lines of Tailor made Suits, going at \$3.95. 125 Soft Bosom Shirts, worth up to \$1.40 going at 75c. 50 General's Pictures framed 50c to morrow 25c. 1900 Men's Scarfs, 25c each, to morrow 2 for 25c. A lot of slightly soiled white and colored dress shirts worth up to \$1.00 for 25c. A lot of sample Geli Hose only one pair of a pair 50c to \$1.00 a pair. 500 Pairs Half Hose Black and Khaki 45c for 30c. 300 Pairs Ladies' Ribbed Hose 45c quality for 33c. 50 Shirt Waists 65c quality for 38c. 100 Wrappers \$1.25 for 90c. 85 Ladies' Leather Belts worth up to 30c going at 10c. 300 pairs ladies' Kid Gloves at 45c worth up to \$1.25. Ladies' Summer Corsets 35c. 300 Pairs Lepus' Sample Corsets, worth up to \$1.75 all going at 75c and 95c. 90 pairs Black and colored point Kid Gloves, good value at \$1.20 for 75c. 250 Yards Imported Tweed \$1.00 85c and 75c will be offered to-morrow at 55c. 20 patterns to choose from. Boy's Tweed Caps 15c. 300 pairs Ladies' Corsets at 25 per cent off. 200 Pairs Men's Braces 15c. 53 Men's Caps 25c. 150 Sailor Hats worth 45c for 10c (in black only). 53 Children's Kilt Suits 75c, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Men's \$8.00 Tweed Suits for \$5.50, Children's Suits from 75c. Boys Pants 45c and 60c. JAS. PATON & CO.

METHUEN'S NON-SUCCESS.

Lord Methuen's staff was not such as the head of an army needed. Until Colonel Douglas joined it there was no man of marked ability upon it—not one innate soldier or strong, resourceful campaigner of distinguished experience. It appeared to be made up of men whose companion ship was congenial to the general. I should not like to think its weakness could have been due to any unwillingness to take advice or share the rewards of success, but the three or four very able and experienced men in subordinate commands in that little army, who were ever fruitful of vigorous and original ideas, can say better than I whether Lord Methuen welcomed and utilized good counsel.

Lord Methuen never realized that at Richmond and Graham the Boers were leading him on, and only appearing to give him victories. It appeared as if he never mastered a situation before he went into battle. Whether you recollect the management of his forces at Chingun, his complete surprise by the army at Modder (where he was expecting to battle), his failure to flank the Boer at Magersfontein, or his omission to instantly recover his lost lead there after, the fact is seen to be always the same.

Some exporting houses of London have recently been making experiments by employing Japanese clerks. The Japanese is a quiet, industrious disposition, and entirely trustworthy. He is satisfied with a small compensation, and does not object to an hour or two of overtime whenever the 'rush' requires it. On the other hand, the experiments with Japanese as tradesmen and apprentices have been un satisfactory. A number of manufacturers in London, after having employed Japanese help, found that the first thing these men must be taught was economy with the material, after that great care of the tools and machinery. For the Japanese seem to have absolutely no idea as to the value of the appliances used.

PICTURE OF LORD ROBERTS

How a Fine Picture May be Obtained. Lord Roberts in his reports to the War Office has been more than one occasion alluded to the brilliant deeds of the Canadian troops. "Boys" evidently likes the Canadian boys the right kind of men, for he keeps them right at the front with him and they are prominent heroes in the successful operations of the Canadian Boys since they have been with their great commander. For every soldier from the boys shows his confidence they have in him and their determination to fight under him. Lord Roberts' tribute to the Canadian soldiers have made him dear to the hearts of all Canadians, for there are few who have not some relative, or acquaintance, fighting with him. Bobo would get a great welcome if he ever should visit Canada.

Our readers will be glad of the opportunity to secure a really head and portrait of the great general, and we are glad to be able to present them so conveniently. The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal have had painted by one of the world's best artists a truly handsome picture acknowledged by military authorities as the most life-like portrait of Lord Roberts yet produced. It is 17x22 inches, on excellent paper. This picture should be in every Canadian home. In years to come it will be the pride of many a Canadian to say, "My father fought under that man!" Canadian children now growing up will never forget "Boys," the pride of the nation. This picture is placed within the reach of all. They would sell at one dollar each in any store, but we have made exceptionally favorable terms with the Family Herald by which all our readers can secure it. We offer THE WEEKLY EXAMINER and The Family Herald and Weekly Star for the balance of 1900, including Lord Roberts' picture, for the small sum of eighty cents. To our present subscribers whose subscriptions for the year are paid we offer the Family Herald for the balance of 1900 and Lord Roberts' picture for only 60c. If after receiving the picture subscribers do not think it worth more than the money paid for paper and postage they have the right to demand a refund of the amount. The offer is open for a limited time only.

When It Hurts to Cough.

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