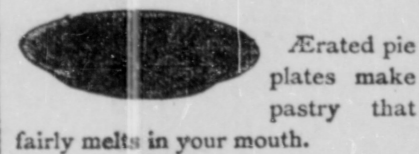


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War in The Transvaal

Particulars of the Struggle in South Africa.

The Queen has accepted the services of twelve battalions of militia for foreign stations. Seven of these are assigned to South Africa.

Colesburg, Cape Colony, is a town of nearly 2,000 inhabitants, about midway between the Orange River and Naupoort, in Northern Cape Colony. The inhabitants are mostly Dutch, and are almost to a man in sympathy with the Boers. Colesburg was seized by the burghers of the Orange Free State early in the war. Its only British force there was a squad of police under a sergeant.

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The War Office publishes a telegram received from the Boer commandant-general at Pretoria under date of December 29, in reply to a request from the British commander at Cape Town for particulars as to the condition of the wounded English soldiers now held as prisoners by the Boers. The Boer commander furnishes the information desired. His telegram states that nine of the wounded British prisoners are still in the hospital at Pretoria, and 30 others are being taken care of in the Boer Hospital at Dundee.

Our Canadian boys have been successful in their first brush with the enemy near Belmont, and all the Dominion is proud of them. The Montreal Witness remarks that now that they are at the front and open to the grim chances of war, we realize and share the painful anxiety of the people in Great Britain and Ireland, with whose sons and brothers our sons and brothers are fighting shoulder to shoulder. Our people also partake in the exultation, right or wrong, which remains in human nature at having part in the realities of conflict. As a nation we realize that we are no longer a mere colony or a dependency, but an active integral part of the empire, and Canadians at the front will prove themselves worthy of the larger imperial life.

A farrier sergeant attached to Sir George White's forces in Ladysmith has written home an interesting letter about the way the besieged horses can stand a bombardment. "You would be surprised," he writes, "to see how little the horses seem to mind the noise of the exploding shells. They take no more notice of them than we do. I was shoeing an officer's horse in a space of open ground behind the stables of the hotel. I had already got two or three of the nails in when I heard the screaming of a shell in the air. It burst about five or six yards away. The bits and splinters came whizzing all round me and the horse, but did not touch either of us. Now, you will hardly believe it, but when the dust and smoke had cleared away and I had got back my presence of mind—of course, the whole thing didn't take 12 seconds—I found the mare had still got her foot on my apron, and was waiting for the rest of the nails. It hadn't disturbed her a bit."

A trooper in the Imperial Light Horse has written to his brother, a mill foreman, of Oldham, in Lancashire, describing his sensation at Elanslaagte. "What astonished me more than anything about the battle," he says, "was the dreadful noise that went on without stopping. You have never

heard a shell fired, so I will tell you what it is like. It passes your head with a horrible screaming noise a little like a railway whistle, only much more shrill. If you have not heard it you can't imagine what it means. When a shell explodes close by you, if you are lucky enough not to be hit by the bits you are sure to be thrown to the ground by the force of the explosion. I have been knocked on my side from one of these explosions. I think the greatest drawback is the constant thirst we have to put up with. It feels just as if your throat was crammed full of soot. The vapours from the burning powder are bitter and help to dry up the throat.

Every day said Mr. Chamberlain in the course of a recent speech, we see Irishmen, Englishmen, Scotchmen, all with equal gallantry maintaining the honor of the flag and the great traditions of their different races. On the field there is no distinction of race; our soldiers are fired by one universal spirit of patriotism, and nothing that can happen can detract from their glory or lessen the admiration which we must all feel for them. During the last session of the House of Commons, when we were all wrangling over a certain vote for the war, we received the news of the battle of Glencoe and the fate of the gallant General Symons, and an hon. member appealed to us to cease our controversy in silent admiration of the brave men who had fallen on both sides. Is it not thus that the voice of party should be hushed to-day? Let us postpone the bitterness of party conflict in the presence of the mourning that prevails in so many homes in Ireland and Great Britain, and join in a common hope for the speedy and successful conclusion of the war.

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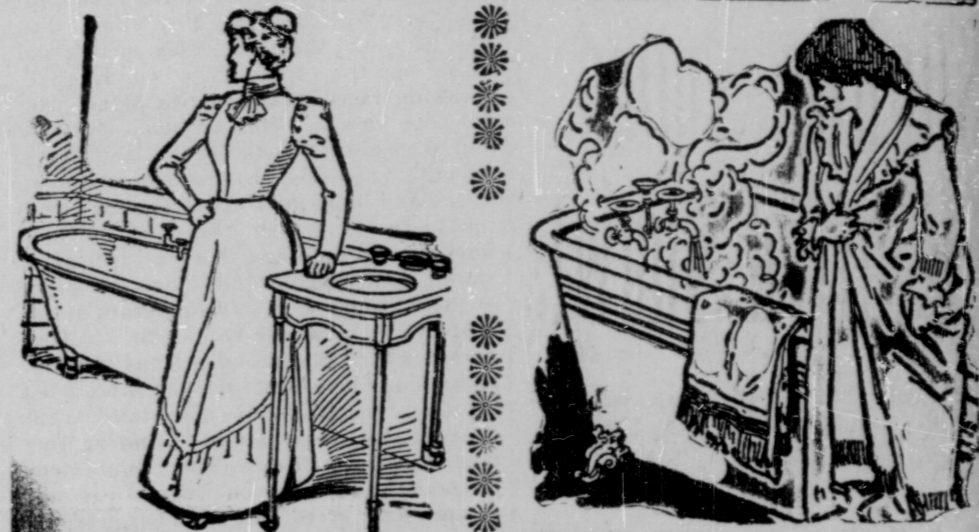
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