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UNION BY LIES.

The following is part of a recent Pretoria despatch: From conversations had with all classes of people in the district it appears to be the overwhelming opinion that General Botha will surrender immediately De Wet is done with. Everywhere is heard the same tale of misery and desire on the part of the burghers to return to their farms. They are only restrained from surrendering by the fear of their own people. Great numbers have fled to the bushveldt, rifle in hand, as the only escape from further participation in active operations.

The whole of Botha's force is kept together by a series of extraordinary fabrications circulated by Kruger. One despatch states that Lord Roberts had been forced to retreat south of the Vaal, that Pretoria was surrounded, and that Lady Roberts had escaped in a balloon. Another declared that 25 transports had left Cape Town for China owing to the difficulty of finding troops. Another, describing the fighting near Springs, asserted that the British dead lay in heaps, and that over 1,000 had been killed.

DEATH IN CHINA.

Just outside the native town at Canton is a spot which brings home to the European, more, perhaps, than any other sight, the callousness of the Chinese to death and suffering of their fellow-beings. This is the native 'home for the dying'—a barren bit of waste land, where the destitute poor are 'permitted' to come to pass their last moments without comforts, without attention, without the powers to help themselves. Almost any day you may see the poor creatures lying writhing away their last breaths in abject misery.

In every thing that relates to death and sepulture, the customs of the Chinese are most singular. They meet their last enemy with apparent unconcern, but whilst they regard their future state with indifference, the quality of their coffins is to them a matter of vital importance. These articles are frequently obtained during lifetime; indeed a coffin is reckoned a most acceptable present, and it is frequently given by children to their parents.

OPINIONS IN GERMANY.

The Frankfurter General Anzeniger, declared that the object of the campaign in China is not merely the liberation of the foreigners in Peking, but the complete subjection of the Chinese forces. Until this is accomplished and peace definitely concluded, not by diplomats, but by the military commander-in-chief, the troops of all nationalities will be subject to Gen. von Waldersee's authority. He will have the right to dismiss officers guilty of disobedience, and summon court-martial in aggravated cases. He will be allowed to amalgamate bodies of troops of different nationalities, and regulate the transport on a common basis, so that the provisions of one contingent may be appropriated for the others in case of necessity. His instructions provide for the permanent occupation of the most important Chinese centres until the powers are completely reimbursed for the expenses of the war. It is not known what authority the Anzeiger has for the foregoing. There is no official intimation of any such international agreement as alone would give such powers to Gen. von Waldersee.

BRITISH TREATMENT.

In a letter to the London Times under date of St. Helena, July 2, Col Schiel, the German officer, who was

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captured at Paardeburg when Cronje surrendered, writes: "In your weekly issue dated June 8 appears a report stating that a French gentleman residing at St. Helena has mentioned in a letter to Sir Howard Vincent, M. P., that I am not satisfied with my treatment as a prisoner of war on this island.

"I beg to give that statement an unqualified denial.

"The treatment meted out to me and the prisoners of war during our stay here by the commanding officers, Colonel Leeke and Colonels Evans, is so kind and generous that it would be unjust and ungrateful to allow such a statement to pass uncontradicted.

I have the honor to be, Sir your most obedient servant,
A. SCHIEL, Lieutenant-Colonel.

GERMANY NEXT.

From Berlin a despatch comes containing the following: Regarding Great Britain's apparent designs upon the Yang Tse Valley, particularly Shanghai, it is believed here that Germany will not allow their realization, and in this France supports Germany, and it is hoped the United States will also do so, since such action contravenes the open door policy. Germany, before long, will have a good sized force in Shanghai to checkmate, singlehanded, the British schemes there. It is said that a brigade of 5,000 men is now forming, and will proceed to Shanghai for that purpose, and to protect German commercial interests in the Yang Tse Valley, notably at Shanghai and Han Jui.

Sir Robert Hart, chief of Customs in China, is worshipped by his native servants, and it is now thought they tried some time ago to warn him of coming trouble. An English lady was dining at Sir Robert's in Peking last March, when she accidentally upset the salt, and to retrieve matters, hastily threw a pinch of it over her shoulder. Her host noticed the action and inquired if she were superstitious. She replied that she simply complied with the old custom from force of habit. Sir Robert asked her if she were not interested in superstitions. "If so," he continued earnestly, "I will tell you what has happened in this house lately. Above this room there has been at times a mysterious scratching. I have thought it was a dog, or a cat, or a rat, scratching the boards, but no animal has been found. Nevertheless, my Chinese servants tell me it is a beast—half dog and half dragon—which comes from the temple near by, and that this strange animal only pays visits when some awful calamity is about to happen." It is more than probable that the domestics had an inkling of the Boxers' intentions, and hoped in this way to warn their master.

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forces operating in or dispatched to China; and there is another brigade under orders. The colonies do not represent all the auxiliary strength of the home army. Where it is not a white man's war on both sides India can give more than all the colonies together; and some Indian troops have no superiors.

Cheng Yin Huan, the Cantonese who was the special ambassador from China at Queen Victoria's jubilee, and who is now in banishment at Ili, has been very modestly ordered, according to a Shanghai despatch, to commit suicide, an Imperial edict having been issued to that effect.

The total number of allies in the province of Pei Chi Li is 38,000, with 114 guns. The total number by end of August is expected to be 78,000, with 280 guns.

Corea, according to a Seoul despatch, consents to Japan sending troops there to provide for emergencies.

WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A CANADIAN.

The son of Hon. Thomas Casgrain accompanied his parents on a trip to the Maritime Provinces and was greatly impressed with that section of Canada. "Next year I will take him out west," said Mr. Casgrain after describing the trip, "for I want him to know what it means, and what an honour it is to be a Canadian."

The words of this eminent French-Canadian are well-worthy of consideration. What does it mean to be a Canadian?

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The young men of Canada should be taught to know and love their country. Before they see the cities of the United States they should see the cities of Canada. They should visit St. John, Halifax and Sydney, Quebec and Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto and Hamilton, Winnipeg and Vancouver. The Canadian cities are not as big as those of the United States, but they have equal natural advantages and must have greater development in the future, offering finer opportunities for young men to get on in the world.

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- The Star Hill Survey Katherine Hughes
- The Broken Spectre J. M.
- Adversity, a Day Dream J. Edward Rendle
- Bedouque and its People—II' Henry H. Hooper, Detroit, Mich
- Newspaper Life and Newspaper Men—IV J. H. Fletcher
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