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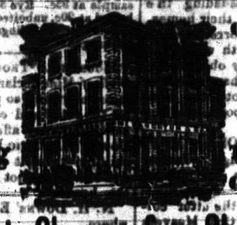
Ready-Made Clothing!  Diagonals, Worsted Coatings, Tweeds, Gent's Furnishings, CLOTHS

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QUEEN VICTORIA.

A SKETCH OF HER DAILY WALK AND CONVERSATION.

The Queen leads a very quiet, and yet a busy life, and few great ladies find time to compress as many occupations into a day-time as she does. She breakfasts at nine, lunches at two, dines at eight. From three to five she generally drives or walks out; but the remainder of her hours is devoted to state business, study or correspondence with members of her widespread family. All the Queen's private letters are written in English, not in German, as many think, and, in fact, German is so little spoken among the royal family that even when the Crown Prince of Germany comes over he speaks English at court like his wife's relatives. The Queen reads all the daily newspapers, and the proprietors of the *Daily Telegram*, with the vein of toadyism that distinguishes them, print several copies of their journal for the royal palaces on special paper. The Queen's devotion to state affairs is well known, and her intervention in them, particularly when religious questions are involved, is not at all half-hearted. She also exercises her own discretion very freely in the appointment of Bishops and peers. As to peers, the Queen, anxious to preserve the prestige of the nobility, has made it her rule never to bestow them on small fortunes, unless they were persons of fairly advanced age, leaving no sons. On a certain occasion, when advised to raise to the peerage a diplomatist more ambitious than wealthy, she replied very shrewdly: "I should be rendering him a poor service," and the diplomatist had to be content with the ribbon of G. C. C. Dean Stanley is of all divines in the church of England the one whom the Queen likes best as a preacher, and this liking is backed by a strong personal regard. During the life time of Lady Augusta Stanley, her majesty was a frequent visitor at the deanery, and there in several occasions met Mr. Carlyle. Mr. Carlyle (who, by-the-bye, refused the grand cross of the bath at the same time when Mr. Tennyson declined a baronetcy) is no courtier, and his unsophisticated manners more than once amused the Queen. One day, being, perhaps, hard of hearing and wishing to hear her majesty's remarks distinctly, he came close to her, dragging a chair after him, and having made himself cosy by her side, proceeded to question her as to her historical likes and dislikes, instead of waiting till he was himself questioned.—*London Truth.*

THE ZULU CONQUEST.

WHY THE WAR IS SO POPULAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

(*London Daily News.*)

The latest intelligence from South Africa sheds no light upon Cetywayo's answer to Sir Bartle Frere's ultimatum. There is, however, one point which a correspondent who writes from Natal makes clear enough, and that is the enormous expense in which the military preparations already made will involve the taxpayers of this country. It appears that for several months past the expenditure has been at the rate of £100,000 a month, and, indeed, this correspondent estimates that since Lord Chelmsford's arrival in the colony at least £500,000 has been spent, to be added to the deficit in England. It is not surprising that when English money is thus profusely expended the war should be very popular in Natal and the Transvaal. Although they have virtually originated the policy which is being pursued, the whole expense, we fear, will have to be borne by the mother country. Natal, it is true, has undertaken to take part in defending her own frontier, and volunteers have been called out for that purpose. Levies of Boers are being raised, and, according to the *Transvaal Argus* of December 14, they will be allowed to 'fight in their own fashion,' and to appropriate all the booty which they capture. When President Burgers authorized the Dutch commanders to divide the spoil which they seized from the natives whom they attacked, Lord Carnarvon, in the name of the British government, energetically protested against such a mode of carrying on warfare. It will be interesting to note whether Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is prepared to confirm the strong view which Lord Carnarvon and Sir Henry Barkly both expressed on this subject. In the first instance the war party in South Africa considered that Sir Bartle Frere's mild nature was far too moderate, and desired to see the power of the Zulu nation completely broken. But since the unauthorised publication of Sir B. Frere's stupendous memorandum this section of the colonists has renewed its expressions of confidence in the Governor. We have already pointed out that this memorandum, by granting without compensation British titles to all the persons who were allotted farms in the disputed territory, has virtually nullified all the advantages which the Zulus expected to derive from the return of their land. It is said, indeed, that nearly all the fertile land in the territory was given away by the Transvaal government. In these circumstances it is hardly surprising that the Natal *Witness* should be of opinion that 'the more Sir B. Frere's demands are studied the more does the mind become struck with the astuteness which pervades them,' and also that the Natal *Mercury* should declare that 'the tentative measures which are now being carried out will indubitably lead to annexation, and in many respects practically amount to the same thing.' The Zulus probably take the same view of the matter, and are consequently much more likely to fight than to make that unconditional submission which they were called upon to render on or before January 11.

Grant's Opinion.

General Grant had an opportunity some time ago of witnessing a review of the sham-fight of British troops in Gibraltan, in company with Lord Napier, of Magdala. The General examined them very closely, and said that he did not see how their discipline could be improved: "I have seen," said the General, "both one of the troops of Europe; they all seemed good; I liked the Germans very much, and the Spaniards only wanted good officers, so far as I could see, to bring them up to the highest standard; but there was something about them—I suppose it is their Saxon blood—which none of the rest possess; they have the swing of conquest."

New Ministers.

It is understood that a new class of Ministers have been called into existence by the exigencies of the Tory party in Ottawa. They are known as Ministers in Waiting. Mr. Dalton McCarthy, M.P., is Minister of Hope; Mr. Easton, Chairman of C. P. is Minister of Patience; Mr. Rufus Stephenson, M.P., is Minister of Postage, and Prof. W. McDougall is Minister of Wrath. There is no doubt, but that the appointments are exceedingly appropriate, and the trust has been expressed that the new gentlemen will impart dignity to their office.

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