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WILSON'S SHARP RETORT TO GERMAN CRITICS OF BRITAIN. Some of the Proved Horrors of the Franco-Prussian War.

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these put spurs to their chargers and rode in among their captives, in some instances tramping them under the horses' feet and lashing them with their riding whips in the most wanton manner. The sight was enough to make one's blood boll."

was enough to make one's blood boll." There is, too, that true and ghastly story of the prison on the peninsula of Iges, into which the beaten French army was driven af-ter its surrender at Sedan, and there left for days to suffer all the horrors of starvation. The story is told without a word of exaggeration by M. Zola in his "Ba-bacle." "Not one precaution," he writes, "seemed to have been taken, not one effort to have been made to feed the 80,000 men whose agony began in that frightful hell." Yet with this record behind them, the German veterans pretend they are finsilited when a British statesman dedares that our action has not been so severe as theirs.



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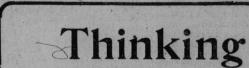
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