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## Victoria's Reign is Over



ON Tuesday of last week at the hour of 6.30 p.m., Britain's great and noble Queen passed from her glorious reign on earth to the realms beyond. To say that her death has wrought intense and lasting sorrow in the hearts and minds of all her subjects, is but an inadequate way of expressing the deepset grief

glorious reign, the longest in the history of the British Empire, has been characterized by that true nobility which seeks first the welfare of her subjects and the progress and prosperity of her people. Because of this and other noble traits, Victoria has endeared herself in the hearts of all her subjects, peer and peasant alike, and has made the word "Queen" a synonym for goodness, truth and nobility.

To those of us who have lived all our days



that exists throughout the Empire. She was indeed a great and noble Queen, a Queen in every sense of the term, not only in name, but in word and deed. Every act of her long and

under her benign rule, and we are the great majority, it is hard to realize the true significance of the events of the past few days, and that the Queen's illustrious reign has come to