

congratulations both to General Buller and to General White with the words, "I thank God." We know that this is no pious formula, no piece of cant on her part, but the truest and deepest expression of her heart, a heart that hates war. And it is hopeful to see this feeling echoed in the daily press of England. What could be better than these words of the London *Daily Mail*: "Almighty God, whose arm is strength, has blessed the efforts of General Buller's army with complete victory and the cause of freedom has triumphed once more." In this hour of world-wide exultation let us imitate the piety of our Queen, let us not be so foolish, so idolatrous, so brutish, as to sacrifice to our net or burn incense to our drag.