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HAVE CHANGED THEIR TONE.
A very noticeable change has taken place in the tone of the press of Paris in its references to the achievements of the British army in South Africa, and many of the newspapers are now complimentary as they were formerly abusive. Le Temps, for instance, pays the following tribute to Lord Kitchener, which, coming from such a source, is high praise, indeed—“Viscount Kitchener has done his work well, and he has accomplished even more in the just and honorable peace he has arranged than in the brilliant military skill with which he made it possible. The British have good reason, therefore, to be proud of this great general, for he is both able in diplomacy and brilliant in the field.”

BOER GOOD FEELING.
In a letter which was quoted recently in The London Chronicle, a British officer now in South Africa says that it is a common saying among the Boers that they and the British together could beat any other nation in the world. There seems, indeed, to be the best of feeling between the conquered and the conquerors, and the same officer says that after the surrender the Boers flocked to the officers' quarters asking for salt, which some of them had not tasted for two years. Indeed, he continues, they ate salt with their former adversaries in the eastern sense of the term, professing loyalty for the future and showing instant good-will by taking the British officers out stag-hunting with them, and this within a week of the termination of the war.

THE POOR OLD BANNER IN HOT WATER AGAIN.

The Woodstock Express, Independent, takes the following apt round out of our erratic and amusing contemporary:
Our esteemed contemporary, the Chatham Banner-News, rebukes the Rev. Dr. MacKay, of Woodstock, in this fashion, for his speech at the meeting of the Alliance:
“The annual address of the president, Rev. Dr. MacKay, of Woodstock, would have stirred up a more saintly assembly. The doctor, while a pronounced prohibitionist, is anything but temperate in his language and his address was just of that kind to stir up strife. So far as it applied to the Government it was not only abusive but libellous. It is true that he made a show of impartiality, hitting out viciously, right and left, in dealing out his compliments, but of course pleased nobody, as loud cries of angry dissent were heard throughout the audience. Both political parties, he said, are prostrate before the liquor traffic and shamefully corrupted before that power.” The doctor knows that this statement, while probably fitting the Opposition, is wholly untrue when applied to the Ross Government, who went as far as the constitution permitted in prohibition legislation.

Rev. Dr. MacKay may be trusted to look after himself; at any rate we are not sure that he wants any assistance from The Express. We do not refer to the matter at all for the purpose of defending Dr. MacKay, but because the last sentence quoted is too good to let pass—the Government went as far as the constitution permitted in prohibition legislation. That's about as funny a thing as we have seen outside the columns of the Sentinel-Review. And what adds to the humor of the situation is the fact that the Banner-News is doubtless terribly in earnest. Other Grit papers have frankly admitted that the Government went as far as the Liberal party—and they might have added the liquor interests—would allow; but the Banner-News has evidently discovered some new freak of the constitution, heretofore unknown. If the constitution would not permit Hon. G. W. Ross to keep his pledge, why did he not say so himself and save much trouble and bitter feeling? Nobody would expect him to do the impos-

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CANADIAN COMPETITION.
Ottawa Journal, Ind.
Official figures from Washington show that the foreign trade of the United States for the fiscal year ending June 30 last, decreased by \$25,992,441. The imports, or purchases, by the United States increased by \$79,739,143 over the preceding year, but the exports, the sales, decreased by \$105,731,584.

For the same fiscal year, the foreign trade of Canada increased by \$36,827,653. Exports and imports both were greater than in the previous year. The imports were more by \$21,566,202; the exports were \$18,466,048 more.
While some people in the United States are talking about depriving Great Britain of commercial supremacy, they might also figure on a little brush with Canada in due time, and not so far distant as history goes.

CORSET WAR IN ROUMANIA.
London Daily Graphic.
The outbreak which threatens Roumania has been caused by the Minister of Public Instruction forbidding girls in the higher and secondary schools to wear corsets, and, in case of refusal, directing the forcible removal of the offending article. The future mothers of Roumania, remembering that the ancient Romans, from whom they claim indirect descent, wore a kind of stays (does not Martial make fun of fat women, and does not Ovid tell us that a big waist kills love), and that the corset, with a short interval, has been worn ever since, are naturally up in arms against the arbitrary decree. It is a case of war to the hilt, and it is pretty safe to prophesy that the school girls will win.

HARD WORKED MINISTERS.
Moncton, N. B., Times.
Of the overworked members of the Laurier cabinet, five of them, sent over to see the coronation honors, still linger in England. These are the Premier himself, Postmaster-General Sir William Mulock, Finance Minister Fielding, the Minister of Militia, Sir Frederick Borden and Hon. Wm. Patterson. A continental tour is in prospect, and the ministers will not return to Canada until September. Of the other ministers, Mr. Tarte has been pleasuring about Canada and the United States. Mr. Blair has been dividing his time between inspection of the Intercolonial from recrosses of his private car, yachting trips, etc., and Mr. Sifton is preparing for a laborious trip to the Yukon.

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Among the guests at the hotel now are prominent people from Buffalo, Chicago, New York, and other American cities, as well as many Canadians. The Ontario Government, in conjunction with the Grand Trunk Railway system, is continuing the policy inaugurated last year of restocking the Muskoka lakes with parent bass. The first carload was deposited in lake Rosseau, June 20, and a finer lot of bass have seldom been seen. Last year 10,000 fish were transplanted into the Northern Lakes with much success. The fishing this year in the Muskoka Lakes is good, some excellent catches having been made, the bass weighing from two to four pounds, and picked from two to eight pounds.

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