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KHARTOUM AND CIVILIZATION

The capture of Khartoum by General Kitchener is a victory in the interest of civilization. When England entered Egypt to abolish the slave trade the empire of the Khedive included all of the Soudan or upper Nile country as far south as Ismailia or Gondokoro. Dongola, Berber, Kordofan, the Equatorial Provinces, and Darfur were all controlled from Cairo. The government was not of the best, but it was organized by men like Baker, Gordon and Slatin and was better than barbarism. The old Egyptian conqueror of the Soudan had declared, "The nation that possesses the Nile must control the sources of the Nile," and in furthering this principle the whole region had been opened to trade, and there were steamers on the Nile above Khartoum.

After the Mahdi rebellion in 1883 General Gordon was sent to Khartoum, not to reassert Egyptian authority, but to proclaim the Mahdi Sultan of Kordofan and non-interference with the slave trade. This surrender of all that had been gained in the interest of civilization broke the spirit of the progressive tribes and encouraged the savage ones. Gordon was besieged in Khartoum and the English government, lashed by popular clamor, sent an army to rescue him.

After one of the most remarkable campaigns ever made by a British army, General Wolsley's command arrived in the vicinity of Khartoum a few days after Gordon had been murdered and the city surrendered to the rebels. Then, despite the victories of Stewart, Wilson, Buller, Wood, Graham and Beresford, that splendid fighting army marched down the Nile, and abandoned the whole of the Soudan. This was in 1885, and in five years the whole region had lapsed into barbarism. The deterioration was more rapid than the progress had been. Trade routes were abandoned, steamers, irrigating works, and cities destroyed, and the more progressive tribes subdued or massacred. In ten years the wild tribes were in complete control.

Then Slatin Pasha and General Kitchener began to preach a new crusade against the cowardly policy that had surrendered a great empire to barbarism. The hordes of the Mahdi had pressed the Anglo-Egyptian troops as far north as Wady Halfa and had cut off Suakin, on the Red sea, from the Nile. It was claimed that England owed it to Egypt and civilization to reclaim the country. Over a year ago the campaign was inaugurated, and on Saturday it culminated in the defeat of the Mahdi's army and the capture of Khartoum.

The Soudan might have been saved in 1884 had not Gordon been instructed to weaken his own cause by proclaiming a policy of surrender. It might have been saved in 1886 had not General Wolsley been ordered to retreat. Starting in to accomplish a great work for humanity in the abolition of the slave trade, England ended by surrendering all of the upper Nile country, not only to the slave trade, but to barbarism. She has at great sacrifice reclaimed what she lost through hesitation and timidity. She has learned that a great nation's obligations to civilization cannot be evaded or trifled with.

Americans will rejoice over the great victory of the English in Soudan, hoping that their own government will not make a mistake in the Philippines like that made by the British government in Egypt.—Inter Ocean.

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The Dalles, Oregon, August 30, 1898.
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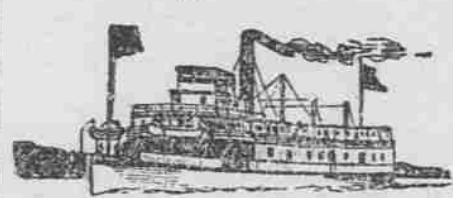
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