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THE TRANSVAAL STRUGGLE.

If England contemplated the extinction or even the impairment of the property and political rights of the Boers, the course her statesmen have pursued with respect to the Transvaal question would be open to censure. But such is not the case, says the Spokesman-Review. It is well understood that even if the Boer government should be wiped out by the pending conflict, the property rights of every Boer in the Transvaal will be respected, and the Boers will be permitted to share in the work of making laws and administering local government.

In fact, they will freely enjoy all the rights and privileges now possessed by Afrikaners in the neighboring British colonies. They will vote, hold office, and share in the law-making power. England, in brief, can confer the franchise on all the white men of the Transvaal. The Kruger government can not or will not do that. It stands for a monopoly in government. It has jealously withheld from English speaking residents political rights and opportunities freely enjoyed in Cape Colony and Natal by Dutch-speaking residents.

In such a conflict—where progress, enlightenment and fair-dealing for all are pitted against lack of progress, ignorance and injustice to a vast majority of the inhabitants of a country—Americans should not hesitate in the declaration of their sympathies. They ought to declare for British rule in South Africa. It is distressing, of course, that brave Boers should fall before English rifles, but it is just as distressing that brave Britons should fall before Boer marksmen. It should be remembered, too, that the Boers declared this war and fired the first volleys.

Roberts, the Democratic-polygamist congressman elect from Utah, says he will make a fight to take his seat. Undoubtedly he will. He knew at the time he was nominated that if elected there would be a movement to keep him out of the house. He was told of this during the canvass in which he was elected. His party, though, took the risk, believing that the Democrats would carry the election and thus let Roberts have the seat. The Democrats, polygamous and non-polygamous, were mistaken, however. The Republicans will be in control of the house, and though they will keep partisanship out of this contest, there is a strong chance that the Democratic party will lose the benefit of Roberts' presence and vote.

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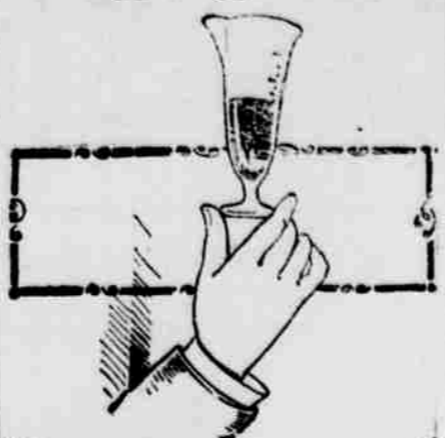
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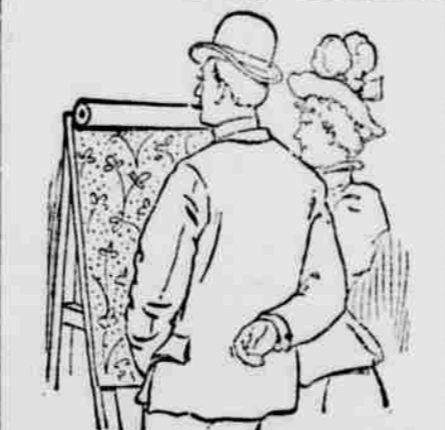
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