

KING IS CROWNED

PLACED AT LAST ON THE HEAD OF THE RULER.

EDWARD BEARS UP GRANDLY

After Coronation Experiences but Little Fatigue—Attends Religious Services with the Queen—A Grand Gala Time.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—The king was crowned at 12 o'clock on Saturday. The news of the crowning was announced by an official outside the abbey. It was repeated by signal through London and was received with cheers, which spread throughout the stands and crowds far up the street, as the bells pealed joyfully. The queen was crowned at 12:56 p. m.

Yesterday (Sunday) the festivities were continued in London. There were considerable crowds almost all day long in the vicinity of Buckingham palace and along the route of yesterday's procession viewing the decorations and watching the flow of notable personages to and from the various thanksgiving services.

In the evening the Canadian arch, which is an exceptional novelty for Sunday, was brilliantly illuminated and was a great center of attraction and served to bring an immense concourse of people into the neighborhood. In spite of the welcome announcement made last night that King Edward had borne the fatigues of coronation day well, today's bulletin concerning his health was awaited with a certain degree of anxiety. Perhaps this is the reason that his majesty's physicians issued the bulletin at the rather unusually early hour of 9:30 o'clock. Because of the early hour very few people were about when it was posted at the gates of the palace. The bulletin is as follows:

"His majesty bore the strain of the coronation ceremony perfectly well and experienced but little fatigue. The king had a good night and his condition is in every way satisfactory. No further bulletin will be issued.

(Signed) TREVES LAKING.

After the posting of the bulletin there was still some doubt as to whether his majesty would drive out, but the small crowd that remained at Buckingham palace hopeful to see the sovereign, was rewarded by the appearance of the king and queen. They were accompanied by Princess Victoria, Prince Charles of Denmark, Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia and the crown prince of Denmark and were attended by a large following of the royal household.

The procession drove along the Mall and St. James palace without receiving any notable demonstration from the people. Tickets to the chapel royal had been sparingly granted. The choir boys who took part in the service in the chapel were clad in quaint gowns of crimson and gold lace. The service was very simple, special prayers for the occasion, however, were read.

An almost identical service to the one held at the chapel royal of St. James was conducted at Marlborough house chapel and attended by the prince of Wales and his family and other royal personages.

The most interesting of all the services was held at St. Paul's. This was essentially a people's service in gratitude and thankfulness that the sovereign had been restored to his health and it presented a striking contrast to the sad service of supplication held there in June, on the day the coronation should have taken place.

Convict Woman of Killing.

STURGIS, S. D., Aug. 11.—The case of Mame Hill, charged with murder, came up in the circuit court. Mame Hill shot Kitty King in this city on the morning of March 20. State's Attorney J. F. McClung and M. McMahon appeared on behalf of the state and Wesley Stuart and Thomas Harvey on behalf of the defendant. The trial continued all day and went to the jury late at night. After being out about twenty minutes the jury brought in a verdict of manslaughter in the second degree. Judge Rice has set the date of sentence for Wednesday, August 13.

Oregon is Fire Swept.

OREGON CITY, Ore., Aug. 11.—One thousand acres of timber and farm and are on fire twenty-five miles from this city. Great damage is being done to lumber and grain.

Fire in Big Bank Building.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Fire was discovered at 2:30 o'clock this morning in the Bank of New York building, 48 Wall street. It is seven stories. The bank is situated on the first and second floors. The sixth and seventh floors were in flames. Three negroes working as help in the building, who were asleep on the top floor, were rescued by the department. The fire was discovered on the third floor in the office of J. M. Chandler.

SENATOR M'MILLAN NO MORE.

Michigan Legislator Dies at Summer Home at Manchester, Mass.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—A dispatch was received here yesterday announcing the death of Senator James McMillan of Michigan, at an early hour this morning, at his summer home at Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass. Death was the result of heart failure, following congestion, after an illness of a very few hours.

The news came as a great shock to his friends here, as when the senator left Washington shortly after the adjournment of congress he appeared to be in good health and looked forward with much satisfaction to a quiet and restful summer. For some years Senator McMillan has made his summer home at Manchester-by-the-Sea, having erected a very fine cottage at that place.

While no information on that point has been received here, the expectation is that his remains will be taken to Detroit, Mich., and be deposited in the family vault at Elmwood cemetery. The body of his son, Captain John H. McMillan, who served in the Spanish war and who died several months ago, rests there.

DESTITUTE HAYTIENS APPEAL.

Inhabitants of Petit Goave in Great Distress.

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, Aug. 11.—The people of Petit Goave to the west of here are in great distress and have asked for assistance.

It was reported from Port Au Prince August 6, that further government reinforcements had started for Petit Goave to aid the government forces beaten there by the revolutionists.

A battle between 400 Foucharists, supported by a regular regiment, and the forces under General Chicoye, the Finistist commander, was fought at Petit Goave August 8. The town was almost completely destroyed by fire.

Two Moro Parties Located.

MANILA, Aug. 11.—General Sumner, commanding the American forces on the island of Mindanao, has sent a dispatch to General Chaffee, saying there are two Moro parties at Bocolo, Mindanao, one peaceful and one hostile. Captain John J. Pershing of the Fifteenth cavalry, who is in command of the American forces at Lake Lanao, Mindanao, has expressed his doubt of the success of the efforts being made by the Americans to placate the hostile Moros. The situation in Mindanao is not regarded as serious.

Cholera continues to decrease in Manila and a majority of the provinces, and the prediction that the disease would be worst in August has not been fulfilled.

Volcano Begins to Growl.

MANAGUA, Nic., Aug. 11.—The Santiago, one of the Masaya volcanoes in Nicaragua, has been emitting vapors accompanied by groaning sounds for the last twenty days. The commissioners and the governor of the department of Masaya in which the volcano is located, report that in their opinion there is danger of an eruption occurring shortly.

San Fernando de Masaya is situated at the foot of the volcano of Masaya. It has a population of 22,000, nine-tenths of whom are natives. The volcano is about 3,000 feet high.

Money in Making Wagons.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The census bureau has issued a report of the manufacture of carriages and wagons for the census year ending May 31, 1900. The report shows a capital of \$118,187,338 invested in this industry in the 7,632 establishments reporting for the United States. The value of the products is returned at \$121,537,375.

Robbers Torture Victim.

PORT OF SPAIN, Island of Trinidad, B. W. I., Aug. 11.—News has reached here from Venezuela that, after three days of very severe fighting in the streets of Barcelona, in the state of Bermudez, the revolutionists under the command of General Penaloza captured the town from the government forces. The government lost sixty men and General Ruperto Bravo.

Farmer Strikes Oil.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 11.—A special from Mass City, Mich., says: While digging for water on his homestead near her John Pearson uncovered a vein of oil which gushed out in large volume. Already the petroleum has covered several acres some inches deep and a lake is being rapidly formed, no apparatus being at hand to stop the flow.

Day of Thanksgiving.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Today will be celebrated throughout the nation as a day of thanksgiving for the king's recovery.

Shot to Kill.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Aug. 11.—During a quarrel at the Woman's home today Harry S. Weston shot Bertha T. Brown, wife of R. N. Brown, and then shot himself. Both are in the hospital and cannot recover.

BIG WHEAT FARM

SYNDICATE, LED BY NEBRASKAN, WILL ESTABLISH IT.

BUY FORTY THOUSAND ACRES

The Syndicate Will Introduce Steam Plows and Other Modern Machinery, as Well as Own Its Own Elevators, to Do the Work.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 9.—A syndicate of Americans, led by T. B. Hoard of Nebraska, a wealthy cattleman, will establish the first bonanza wheat farm in Canada between Craik and Davidson, on the Prince Albert branch of the Canadian Pacific. Forty thousand acres of land have been purchased at an outlay of \$200,000 and another \$100,000 has been set aside by the syndicate for improvements. None of the methods which made the great wheat farms of North Dakota famous have yet been applied in Canada and wheat-raising has been confined entirely to small areas and to the work of small farmers.

The syndicate includes F. J. Waddell of Aurora, Neb., another wealthy cattleman, and capitalists from Iowa and Illinois. One whole township is to be converted into a monster wheat field and the greater portion of the township adjoining is to become a portion of the syndicate's interests.

Mr. Hoard and his associates will introduce steamplows and other modern farm machinery.

The syndicate will own its own elevators, two of which are to be built this fall at Garvin, in the center of the new farm. It will also operate nine elevators at adjacent points.

NEELY WANTS THE MONEY.

Asks that Currency Found in His Possession Be Returned.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—C. W. Neely, who was convicted of Cuban postal frauds and afterwards granted amnesty by the Cuban legislature, has applied to the attorney general to be reimbursed for the money found in his possession at the time of his arrest, amounting to \$6,234.

This money was sent to Cuba as an exhibit at the trial of Neely, and was returned by the military government to the War department. Secretary Root wrote a letter to the postmaster general informing him that the money had been returned and was held, to be disposed of at the latter's direction.

The postmaster general has not accepted the money and it still remains in the possession of Secretary Root. The War department is holding it until an adjustment is made and a balance struck between the Cuban government and the late military government regarding financial affairs.

The officials have not yet determined what action they will take after this balance is struck.

HELPING NEEDY FILIPINOS.

Poverty Stricken, Hundreds of Thousands Are Being Fed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 9.—Major B. K. West, of the commissary department, writing from Manila to General Weston, chief commissary, has the following to say concerning the feeding of natives in the Philippines: "I was in hopes that the closing up of the campaign in Batangas and Laguna would end the feeding of the natives, but such is not the case, although the camps have been broken up. The natives were left in a destitute condition, had been unable to plant new crops, all the old crops had been destroyed in the military operations and so the work has to go on.

"General Bell was in the city and I asked him about the number of natives in Batangas he was feeding approximately 250,000 people. In Laguna he could not give the exact number, but I judge that there must be about half as many."

Joe's Boy Gets a Job.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—Official announcement was made today that Austen Chamberlain, son of the colonial secretary, has been appointed postmaster general, vice the Marquis of Londonderry, resigned.

Twenty Miles by Auto.

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 9.—The twenty-mile motor paced race at the Coliseum between Elkes and Freeman resulted in a victory for the former, who covered the distance in 31:27 3/5.

Funston Confined to Room.

DENVER, Aug. 9.—Brigadier General Frederick Funston, commander of the Department of the Colorado, is confined to his home by illness, having undergone an operation for fistula. His condition is not at all alarming and his friends expect he will recover quickly. The general's illness does not result from the attack of appendicitis, for which an operation was successfully performed at Kansas City before he came to Colorado.

CUBA TO INCREASE DUTIES.

Senate Orders Executive to Raise Import Revenue.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The state department is advised by Minister Squiers that the Cuban senate has authorized the executive to increase imports duties to the following maximums:

Shoes and boots, from 10 to 17 per cent; coal, 25 cents per thousand kilos; pine lumber, 40 per cent; stearine beef in cans, fresh beef, fresh mutton, salt beef, jerked beef, hams, herring, coffee, cider, beer, 50 per cent; hats, 60 per cent; butter, liquors, wine, 70 per cent; poultry, fresh pork, salt pork, bacon, lard, cheese, condensed milk, wheat flour, codfish, rice, alimentary preserves, eggs, beans and peas, onions, potatoes, olive oil, 100 per cent; common soap, 150 per cent; corn, 333 per cent.

SOUP IS THEIR ONLY FOOD.

Condition of the Peasant Inhabitants of Eastern Galicia.

VIENNA, Aug. 8.—After a special investigation of the labor trouble in eastern Galicia, the Neue Freie Presse draws a gloomy picture of the miserable conditions which led to the existing strike.

The average mortality from famine for several years past, according to the Neue Freie Presse, aggregated 50,000.

Laborers' wages range from 8 to 16 cents a day and women earn from 4 to 8 cents a day. The peasants rarely taste bread and exist chiefly on a soup, the principal ingredients of which are water and herbs.

MET DEATH IN A CYCLONE.

Sixteen Men Know to Have Been Killed by Gas Explosion.

TRINIDAD, Colo., Aug. 8.—Sixteen men are known to be dead and some others are reported missing as the result of an explosion of gas in one of the mines of the Union Coal & Coke company at Bowen, six miles from Trinidad, at 7 o'clock tonight. The work of rescuing the bodies was begun at once, and four had been taken out at 10 o'clock. No names are obtainable at this time.

The mine employs about sixty men. They are all Americans and Irish. Most of the dead are said to be married. Only meager details have been received here.

Union Pacific Buys Abroad.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—It is learned from reliable sources today that the Union Pacific has placed a big order for steel rails with a firm in Germany. Part of this order is for the Southern Pacific, though delivery is to be made to the Union Pacific at Omaha and such other points westward as it may later instruct. The order is for 1,000 tons. Premiums for early delivery were quoted ranging from 3/4 to 1 per cent. A prominent man connected with the steel industry said: "It is not surprising to hear of the Union Pacific's order. Domestic mills cannot deliver before the third quarter next year. They are stacked up with orders for millions of dollars in steel. Iron orders will have to go abroad before long."

Groesbeck Makes Reply.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 8.—Colonel Groesbeck of the judge advocate general's department has written to the adjutant general a reply to the request for an explanation of an interview published on his arrival at San Francisco in which he commented on court-martials in the Philippines. Adjutant General Corbin, to whom the reply was addressed, will return to Washington in a few days.

He Won Women's Hearts.

SIOUX CITY, Aug. 8.—E. S. Porter, an alleged real estate man from Des Moines, with many aliases, who is under arrest here as a fugitive from South Dakota, where he is said to have swindled numerous women in the sale of patterns, seems to be a winner of the hearts of women as well. His grip contains letters of a very loving nature from women in Omaha, Harwarden, Denison, Brainard, Minn., and other places.

Today Mrs. Sarah Carr of York, Neb., arrived to meet Porter and upon learning of his arrest, confronted him at the police station and severely reproached him between sobs.

Becomes a Chicago Lawyer.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 8.—President Roosevelt will receive the honorary degree of LL. D. from the University of Chicago during his visit to Chicago.

Oyster Men in a Combine.

MOBILE, Ala., Aug. 8.—The various oyster canning and packing companies in Mississippi, Louisiana and Alabama will combine under one head with a capital of \$2,000,000. The movement has been on foot three years and is now practically assured. It will control all the business of the three states along the fish and canning lines. Headquarters probably will be in New Orleans. Ten companies are in the combine.

THE KING THANKS

ISSUES ADDRESS TO PEOPLE ON EVE OF CORONATION.

GRATITUDE FOR HIS RECOVERY

He Believes that Prayers to Divine Providence Have Been Answered—Proclamation Conceived and Written by the King Himself.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The following message from King Edward to his people was made public last night:

To My People: On the eve of coronation, an event which I look upon as one of the most solemn and important of my life, I am anxious to express to my people at home and in the colonies and in India my heartfelt appreciation of the deep sympathy they have manifested toward me during a time in my life of such imminent danger. The postponement of the coronation ceremony, owing to my illness, has caused, I fear, much inconvenience and trouble to all who intended to celebrate it. But their disappointment has been borne by them with admirable patience and temper.

The prayers of my people for my recovery were heard, and I now offer up my deepest gratitude to divine Providence for having preserved my life and given me strength to fulfill the important duties which devolve upon me as sovereign of this great empire.

(Signed) "EDWARD R. and I.

"Buckingham Palace, Aug. 8, 1902."

King Edward's proclamation is a personal and spontaneous expression of his majesty's feelings. It was conceived and written by himself in an autograph letter to the home secretary, C. T. Ritchie. In addressing this communication to the home secretary, the king is following the traditions observed by the late Queen Victoria when she addressed personal messages to the nation.

King Edward did not drive out yesterday. A large crowd had gathered outside Buckingham palace in expectation of their majesties taking a drive, and the king, who was lurching in one of the front rooms of the building, came to the window in full view of the people, who cheered him enthusiastically. The king bowed his acknowledgements.

It had been expected that his majesty would visit Westminster abbey yesterday, but he did not do so. He was busily engaged with his secretary, Lord Knollys.

Some regalia for the coronation was removed from Buckingham palace and at St. James palaces to Westminster abbey, where minor rehearsals of the coronation ceremony was held.

The prince of Wales and the duke of Connaught paid visits of inspection to the abbey.

An official bulletin issued says: "King Edward bore the journey to London yesterday without the least fatigue. His majesty had a good night and is in excellent health. The wound is practically healed."

A bulletin will be issued on Sunday next.

Sunday's bulletin will be the last, and it will be issued only with the object of placing on record how the king bore the coronation ceremonies.

FLOWER'S AT KRUGER'S FEET.

Pathetic Incident Occurs at Pro-Boer Exhibition at The Hague.

THE HAGUE, Aug. 8.—Former President Kruger of the Transvaal Republic, accompanied by a number of Boer leaders, visited the pro-Boer exhibition this morning. He seated himself opposite the portraits of the Dutch and French combatants who fell during the war and as he sat there young girls strewed flowers at his feet.

Replying to a speech made by the president of the exhibition, Mr. Kruger paid a tribute to the "brave men who sacrificed their lives in a disinterested struggle for justice."

He thanked artists of all nations for their unselfish aid in contributing to the exhibition.

Soo Road Reaches Bismarck.

BISMARCK, N. D., Aug. 8.—The Soo railroad crossed the Northern Pacific tracks southeast of this city last night and reached Bismarck tonight.

Downing Goes it Alone.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 8.—Robert Downing, the actor, today obtained a divorce from his wife, who is known on the stage as Eugenie Blair.

Ask Roosevelt to Pardon.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 8.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, in an interview with a representative of the Associated Press today, said with reference to the decision of Judge Goff in the habeas corpus proceedings against the miners in West Virginia: "The only thing to do now is to make an appeal to President Roosevelt for the pardon of the men in jail and this will probably be done at once."

SET ASIDE SALE OF LANDS.

Collusion Reported Among Bidders for Omaha Indian Realty.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—S. G. Ruby, an inspector of the Department of the Interior, who was sent to O'Neill, Neb., for the purpose of investigating charges made in relation to the sale of certain isolated tracts of land in the Omaha Indian reservation that were sold at the O'Neill land office on May 4 has submitted his report to the secretary of the interior. Mr. Ruby finds that a combination was formed between prospective bidders and that a fund was raised to pay certain other prospective bidders to refrain from bidding upon the lands. Mr. Ruby endorses the recommendation of the register and receiver of the O'Neill land office that the sale be set aside, in view of the collusion, which on the face of the returns is apparent. Acting Secretary Ryan of the interior department, after a review of the inspector's report, immediately ordered that a public hearing be granted those persons who were unable to bid at the sale and directed that the register and receiver should hold an open court for the purpose of inquiring into the matter and that said register and receiver should be empowered to set a time and place for such public hearing and that persons interested in the sale should have the right to be represented by attorney.

REQUISITION NOT HONORED.

Men Who Violated State Game Law Cannot Be Brought Back.

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 11.—Chief Game Warden Simpkins returned from Jefferson City, Mo., minus the two Kansas City men who were wanted at Red Cloud for hunting in Nebraska without a license. Governor Dockery refused to honor a requisition, saying that the offense was merely a misdemeanor and he did not want to have his men hauled about over the country for such a crime.

C. T. Hazleton and R. W. Stoner are the men wanted. Their three dogs and ammunition were confiscated at Red Cloud and sold. The fine for a non-resident hunting in Nebraska is \$100 or sixty days in jail. The men had killed over sixty prairie chickens out of season and it is believed a total of \$500 could have been piled up against them. Another effort will be made to bring them back. Mr. Simpkins offers a reward of \$50 to any one who will arrest the two men on Nebraska territory.

Nebraska Prohibitionists Nominated.

LINCOLN, Aug. 11.—The prohibitionists of Nebraska have placed in nomination the following ticket: For governor, S. T. Davies, Otoe county; lieutenant governor, Isaiah Lightner, Platte county; secretary of state, D. D. Norton, Adams county; treasurer, W. H. Maddock, Richardson county; auditor, John Dale, Douglas county; attorney general, W. Bert Clark, Saunders county; land commissioner, J. M. Dilworth, Johnson county; superintendent of public instruction, A. E. Howard, University Place.

Old Folks' Romance.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Aug. 11.—Mrs. Mary G. Ferguson of this city, aged 70, was married to Lyman Whitcomb of Iowa, aged 72. A touch of romance is lent to the marriage by the report that it was brought about by correspondence through a matrimonial agency. The present is the bride's third matrimonial venture. The newly married pair will make their home in this city.

New Factory for Kearney.

KEARNEY, Neb., Aug. 11.—It is proposed to turn the old cotton mill here into a strawboard factory. E. B. Shaw of Richmond, Va., has broached the plan to several of Kearney's business men and they are in favor of the idea. Over \$150,000 would be involved in the deal and a number of men would be employed the year round.

Burned to Death.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Aug. 11.—Nine hours after he was injured John Schroder, a laundry proprietor, died from terrible burns on the face, head and body. Schroder exploded a gasoline tank while pumping air into it.

Judge Ely is Dead.

FREMONT, Neb., Aug. 11.—Judge W. H. Ely, aged 81, and for forty-five years a resident of Nebraska, is dead. The deceased had been in good health until the death of his wife a year ago. Since then he had failed rapidly.

Will Rebuild Elevator.

BLOOMFIELD, Neb., Aug. 11.—The farmers have decided to rebuild the elevator, which was recently burned here, and for that purpose have raised over \$2,000. The insurance was \$500. A reward of \$1,000 has been offered for the apprehension of the party starting the fire, and diligent investigation will be made. A number of hogs were stolen from yards of the farmers' association night before the fire.

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