

ANY OLD DAY IS GOOD

King Edward Born in November but Celebrates When He Pleases

London, June 30.—King Edward's birthday was officially celebrated today. The king's real birthday is on November 9th, but as everybody is away from London at that time of the year, scattered at the shooting lodges in Scotland, at country houses in England, or else on the Continent, another date is always selected by him for the celebration of his birthday during the London season. Today's celebration, however, was limited to the British Isles. In all other parts of the empire the day is celebrated on the actual anniversary.

The genuine affection with which the British people regard their sovereign was evidenced as always in the keeping of a general holiday and the suspension of business. The towns throughout the kingdom were gaily decorated and the shipping at the various ports made a liberal display of bunting. The day was observed at all the home military and naval stations with parades and salutes.

The chief feature of the London celebration was the ceremony of "trooping the colors" on the Horse Guards parade. Thousands of persons lined the Whitehall route and cheered his Majesty as the royal procession passed on its way from Buckingham Palace to the scene of the ceremony. Stands covered with crimson cloth were erected about the parade and were occupied by thousands of privileged spectators, including the new United States ambassador, Whitelaw Reid, his wife and daughter. The king was greeted with loud applause as he made his appearance with a brilliant escort that included many notables. The troops taking part in the ceremonies were the Grenadier Guards, Scots Guards, Irish Guards and the Life Guards. After an inspection of the troops and the presentation of the colors, the ceremonies ended with a review of all the troops on the ground.

Northfield Conference.

East Northfield, Mass., June 30.—The largest student conference ever held at Northfield was formally opened today, and will continue until July 9. Crowds of students from all the colleges have flocked to the little town, filling up the Northfield Seminary buildings and "Camp Northfield," and many others are occupying the hotels and boarding places. The conference programme this year is one of the most attractive ever arranged by Mr. Moody. Among the world-famous speakers to be heard are Dr. G. Campbell Morgan, of Westminster, London; Dr. C. R. Watson, of Egypt; Prebendary Webb-Peploe, of St. Paul's Cathedral; Professor R. A. Falconer, of Halifax; Professor James Denny, of Glasgow; Dr. R. M. Ziemer, of Arabia; Mrs. W. A. Montgomery, of Rochester; Dr. Johnstone Ross, of Cambridge; and Robert E. Speer and John Willis Baer, of New York City. The student conference will be followed as usual by the Young Women's Conference.

Goes to Mexican Central.

San Antonio, Texas, June 30.—The resignation of G. R. Hudson as president of the San Antonio and Arkansas Pass railroad became effective today. Mr. Hudson will leave within a day or two for the City of Mexico to take up his duties as vice president of the Mexican Central. In taking charge of the line of the Mexican Central Mr. Hudson will be ranking official in the Republic of Mexico, and will have full charge of the operating departments of the road.

Bankers to Fight New Law.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 30.—Private bankers of Indiana to a total of over 200 have organized for the purpose of fighting against the new law which required private banks to report periodically to the auditor of state on the condition of their business. The new law is to go into operation tomorrow, and the organization is preparing for an immediate test case with a view to carrying it to the United States Supreme Court.

A Million Immigrants.

Washington, D. C., June 30.—Figures compiled for the fiscal year ending today show that the past twelve months broke all records for foreign immigration in this country. The total number was enormous figure of over 1,000,000. The highest reached in any previous year was in 1903 when the number was 857,000.

SHIPS SOME FRUIT

California Sends Every Year More Products to the East

Lieutenant-Governor Alden Anderson, manager of the California Fruit Distributors, said in an interview with a Bee reporter today:

"Referring to an article published in a San Francisco paper yesterday, to the effect that the deciduous fruit shipments of California would be several hundred cars less than last year and that the aggregate shipment this year would not be over 5000 cars, I would say that the person giving this without being fully informed as to the facts.

"The shipment up to date is some 600 cars ahead of the shipment last year, and the total deciduous fruit shipments from the state this year will exceed those of last year by 2000 cars. The shipment of deciduous fruit from the state last year approximated 5700 cars. Thus the deciduous shipment this year will approximate 7600 cars.

"Erroneous statements going out to the trade in regard to the quantity of fruit that will be shipped has a tendency to injure the sale and distribution of fruit, because if reports are circulated that shipments will be light, buyers handling the fruit seek all other horticultural districts for their supplies, and when our products go forward, they have more serious competition than would otherwise be the case.

"Sacramento is the center of the shipment and forwarding of this product, and, on the whole, the prospects are for a very satisfactory season."

Alabama Lawyers Meet.

Montgomery, Ala., June 30.—The bench and bar of Alabama were well represented at the opening of the 28th annual meeting of the Alabama State Bar Association. At 10 o'clock this morning the meeting was called to order in the hall of the house of representatives of the state capitol by President Thomas R. Roulhac, of Birmingham. The annual address of the president and the reports of other officers and of committees occupied the early hours of the convention. The chief feature of the day was the annual address to the association, which was delivered by Hon. John W. Judd, of Tennessee, who took as his subject, "The Fourteenth Amendment—Its History and Evolution." Armistead Brown, of Lafayette, spoke of Alabama's new corporation law, and W. L. Chambers presented a paper on "The Ministry of the Lawyer." Committee reports and other business of a perfunctory character occupied the members during the remainder of the day. The meeting will conclude tomorrow with an outdoor meeting at Jackson's Lake.

Import Records Beaten.

New York, June 30.—The government fiscal year which ended today has been a record breaking one in regards the value of imports entering the port of New York. Although the complete figures have not yet been compiled, it is known that the imports for the last twelve months exceed by nearly \$50,000,000 the entries of last year.

It is regarded as significant of the general prosperity of the country that many of the most notable increases in imports at New York are in the direction of luxuries, such as diamonds, automobiles, fine laces and similar articles.

Two of the lines showing phenomenal increases this year are sugar and precious stones, which in the aggregate are greater by \$30,000,000 than were the same imports one year ago. The entries of cigars at this port during the fiscal year have been far greater than was the case one year ago. Passengers' baggage has yielded an unusually large revenue to the treasury as have liquors and wines. Textiles of every kind have been liberally imported, something like \$8,000,000 alone being invested in expensive St. Gall or Swiss embroideries. Many other imports have made gains with the result that the total imports at the local custom house for this fiscal year approximate \$49,000,000, as compared with \$39,900,498 the previous year. All things considered custom officials say the year has been the most prosperous so far as imports are concerned in the history of the port of New York.

Paris, June 30.—At a meeting of the council of ministers today the premier announced that negotiations with Germany regarding the Moroccan question were proceeding satisfactorily.

ALL SICK WOMEN

SHOULD READ MRS. FOX'S LETTER

In All Parts of the United States Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Has Effectuated Similar Cures.

Many wonderful cures of female ills are continually coming to light which have been brought about by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and



Mrs. Fannie D. Fox

through the advice of Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., which is given to sick women absolutely free of charge.

Mrs. Pinkham has for many years made a study of the ills of her sex; she has consulted with and advised thousands of suffering women, who to-day owe not only their health but even life to her helpful advice.

Mrs. Fannie D. Fox, of 7 Chestnut Street, Bradford, Pa., writes:

"I suffered for a long time with womb trouble, and finally was told by my physician that I had a tumor on the womb. I did not want to submit to an operation, so wrote you for advice. I received your letter and did as you told me, and to-day I am completely cured. My doctor says the tumor has disappeared, and I am once more a well woman. I believe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best medicine in the world for women."

The testimonials which we are constantly publishing from grateful women establish beyond a doubt the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to conquer female diseases.

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. She asks nothing in return for her advice. It is absolutely free, and to thousands of women has proved to be more precious than gold.

STATE NEWS

A race meet will be held at Albany July 7th.

The Lebanon baseball team defeated the Jefferson team by a score of 17 to 5 Sunday.

A fine crushed rock road is being built from Lebanon to Sweet Home which will greatly help the travel in that part of the country.

The Klamath Falls census shows that town has nearly doubled in population in the past two years. The total population is now 1120.

William Murphy, of Harrisburg, was drowned Friday while working on the Spaulding log drive near the bridge at that place. He was 50 years of age.

The general merchandise store of A. T. McCully & Son, of Halsey, was burglarized Sunday night and a dozen watches were stolen from the show case.

The Good Roads Convention held at The Dalles this week was a highly successful affair. Hon. John Craft, of Mobile, Ala., was one of the principal speakers.

Harold Williams, aged 8 years, was drowned in the Willamette river at his home in Canemah, Clackamas county. The river was dragged and the body recovered.

The boys who were confined in the Roseburg jail for stealing a watch got away Wednesday morning, but were recaptured at Drain and will be tried at Roseburg.

C. W. Loughery and Edward Brooks of Astoria who are exterminating sea lions near Tillamook head, report good success and that a large number have been killed.

Roseburg held a good roads convention this week, and though while not largely attended, the meeting was an interesting and enthusiastic one. An all-day session was held. The principal speakers were Hon. Chas. G. Canfield, Cleveland, O.; Col. T. P. Rixey, of Missouri, and Hon. Martin Dodge, director of the office of public road inquiries, U. S. government, Washington, D. C.



If the stomach becomes weak the effect is soon noticed in the liver and kidneys. It is therefore very important to keep the stomach strong and healthy. The Bitters does this without fail, also cures Nausea, Cramps, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Female Disorders or Malarial Fever.

X-RAYS

Fourth of July! Well I guess so.

A thing of beauty is a joy forever, and sometimes a jaw.

Now let's make China New Year look like a pop-corn party.

"Man being reasonable." See Byron for the rest of the quotation.

There is no use sending your card to the Ozar; this is his busy day.

Say, will you ever forget the corn-fed girls with the editorial association?

There were eight weddings in Albany yesterday—and that is not so slow.

This was Heney's day to do the roasting.

If hell is paved with good intentions, some people have a large credit for asphalt.

Goodbye to the June brides, but then the July brand, if captured in Salem, will be just as sweet.

Breeze Gibson blew in from Portland a couple of days ago, and blew out for the green hills of Polk today.

Those Iowa people have discovered that our "George" can be "sassy," too, when he takes the notion.

President Morton, of the Equitable is reducing all the salaries of the officers of the company—except his own.

That editorial association from Lincoln, Illinois, just stabbed one of The Journal force with the most deadly weapon on earth—two witching eyes—color don't count.

A WAY OPEN.

Many a Salem Reader Knows It Well.

There is a way open to convince the greatest skeptic. Scores of Salem people have made it possible. The public statement of their experience is proof, the like of which has never been produced in Salem before. Read this case of it given by a citizen:

Geo. T. Hall, carpenter, living at 95 State Street, Salem, Oregon, says: "Off and on for more than five years I suffered from my back and kidneys. There was a dull, heavy aching through the loins which was always annoying, and became very severe if I bent over or tried to lift anything. There was also an irregularity of the passages of the kidney secretions which caused much distress at night. Upon the recommendation of a friend I went to a drug store and got Doan's Kidney Pills. I used them according to directions and to my surprise was much relieved on the second day, and in a short time I was completely cured. Since then I have always recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, and will continue to do so at every opportunity."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

To Boss the Canal.

Washington, June 30.—John F. Stevens, first vice-president of the Rock Island, and the man who built the mountain section of the Great Northern, has been appointed engineer of the Panama canal, to succeed Wallace.

Torture of a Preacher.

The story of the torture of Rev. O. D. Moore, pastor of the Baptist church, of Harpersville, N. Y., will interest you. He says: "I suffered agonies, because of a persistent cough, resulting from grip. I had to sleep sitting up in bed. I tried many remedies, without relief, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds, which entirely cured my cough, and saved me from consumption." A grand cure for diseased conditions of Throat and Lungs. At J. C. Perry's Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Riksdag Assembles.

Stockholm, June 30.—In accordance with the call of King Oscar the Riksdag assembled today in extraordinary session, to consider matters relating to the withdrawal of Norway from the dual alliance with Sweden.

Fleet in France.

Cherbourg, France, June 30.—The fleet which is to convey the remains of John Paul Jones to America arrived this morning. The batteries on land saluted and the vessels returned the salute.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Druggist*

THUGS ROUGH WORK

A. L. Patton Beaten and Robbed by Gang of Portland Toughs

Surely disaster marked for her own the little party of seven that started from Marion to locate land near Prineville. Of the seven, two, Mrs. R. F. Myers and Mrs. William Jones, are dead, owing to the accidental turning on of the gas in their bed room, and yesterday A. L. Patton was beaten by thugs, and robbed of about \$700. His shoulder was dislocated, and he was otherwise badly beaten and bruised. He tells the story as follows:

"In company with three other people I had just returned from a trip to the Twelve-Mile House. I left the automobile in Madison street and started for the International Hotel at 73 North Third street, and was walking rapidly along the street. I saw two men approaching me, and a short distance back of them two other men were coming.

"As the first two men came near to me I started to turn out for them, but they separated, and I was obliged to go between them. It was dark, and I could not see what they looked like. Just as they passed me the other two men came up to me, but just at that moment I received a violent blow on the back of my head with a sandbag. It felt as if the sack might have been filled with shot.

"I did not hear the men talk, but I felt them going through my trousers' pockets. The \$700 was in a leather pocketbook in my hip pocket. I must have been unconscious for only a few minutes, for as I tried to get to my feet, I saw the men fleeing down the street. I was still dazed, and did not really know what I was doing.

"I tried to call for help, but could not make anyone hear.

"They did not get my watch or \$120 which was in an upper vest pocket. I do not see how they overlooked that. I had a handkerchief crowded into the pocket over the money."

Oregon Suburban Auto Co.

Automobile car leaves Willamette Hotel for Independence, week days, at 7 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Returning leaves Independence at 8:30 and 5 p. m. Sundays leaves Salem at 8 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Leaves Independence at 9:30 a. m. and 5 p. m. Connects at Independence with motor for Moonmouth, Dallas and all points on the West Side. Special for evening parties.

6-17-tf M. P. BALDWIN, Mgr.

SALEM GOING TO SHOOT

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ing to the realization that it does not make any difference whether any place else is going to celebrate or not," he declared, "it looks to me that a city of 15,000 people did not have to depend upon every little outlying district, separately, for a crowd upon an occasion of this sort. Salem is big enough and patriotic enough to hold a celebration notwithstanding the action of the surrounding villages in that respect."

Before the matter of a celebration was brought up, some routine business was transacted. A resolution was passed thanking the Citizens' Light & Traction Company, for so kindly furnishing cars for the use of the National Editorial Association while in Salem.

A resolution was also passed inviting the German-American citizens of Salem to participate in the exercises at the Lewis and Clark fair on German day.

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The makers' guarantee, and one with every garment. We are exclusive agents here.

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SOMETHING SUBSTANTIAL
JULY 4TH

The use of which is a good thing celebration of the day. Depend on inferior and unsatisfactory kinds—get the Salem Flouring flour, and you will always have wholesome, nutritious bread, dainty and delicious cakes and pastries.

SALEM FLOURING MILLS



Anniversary promises to be a warm one as the Fourth of July is, so declare your independence of midsummer heat and wilted lines having it laundered at a place where they will give you high grade laundry work with the exquisite color and stic finish that is the stamp of Steam Laundry always gives you. Your work early, we want to celebrate ourselves.

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