

Calendar for June, 1909.

Moon's Phases. Full Moon 3d. 9.1. 25m a. m. Last Quarter 10.1. 10h. 43m. p. m. New Moon 17.1. 7h. 23m. a. m. First Quarter 25.1. 2h. 43m. p. m.

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The Wrinkled Front of War

The man in the street in Canada has commenced to do a lot of thinking since the press conference in London began. The overseas people were not much impressed by the original war scare, largely for the reason that British newspapers denounced it as a scare, and a consequenceless resort to questionable political tactics.

Since the press conference has commenced it is drawing on Canadians that the men on whom the safety of the Empire depends have deliberately called together press delegates from all over the Empire to frankly inform them of the European situation, as the most effective manner of acquainting the people of the Empire with the serious prospect of trouble.

And nothing could be more alarming than the openly expressed sentiments of such men as Lord Rosebery, Mr. Haldane, Mr. Balfour, Sir Edward Grey and others, who have told the press delegates in so many words that the days of battles are returning; that little England is once more face to face with the necessity of defending her liberties, and that she is preparing to do so to the uttermost man and the last shilling.

There is such a thing as being alarmed too easily, and such a thing as being too difficult to alarm. One may be a harmless weakness, but the other is fatal defect. When the leading statesmen of Great Britain, irrespective of party, permit themselves to talk as plainly for publication as Lord Rosebery and others have done, it seems to be high time for croakers of "war scare" to be silent, and allow the people of the Empire to realize and prepare to face the situation.

There is no doubt that Germany is arming with feverish haste on the sea, and securing allies on land. No one is threatening Germany, therefore these measures are not for further protection. In any case she has no need of a navy for her defence against her continental neighbors. When Germany descended on France in 1870 and conquered that country, she had not a warship worthy of the name, while France was the second naval power in Europe. Germany could afford to ignore her navy because she could reach France by land. The same was the case when Germany attacked Austria in 1866; and the same would be the case if she desired to attack Russia. There is only one nation in Europe that Germany need a navy to attack, and that nation is Great Britain. Therefore

Aching Joints

In the fingers, toes, arms, and other parts of the body, are joints that are inflamed and swollen by rheumatism—that acid condition of the blood which affects the muscles also.

Sufferers dread to move, especially after sitting or lying long, and their condition is commonly worse in wet weather.

"I suffered dreadfully from rheumatism but have been completely cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, for which I am deeply grateful." Miss Francis Burns, Prescott, Ont.

"I had an attack of the grip which left me weak and helpless and suffering from rheumatism. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and this medicine has entirely cured me. I have no hesitation in saying as my life M. J. McMoran, Toronto, Ont.

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It is as plain as a pikestaff that the immense and costly preparations by Germany aim at the conquest of Great Britain. The question may be asked, what object would she have? Like all modern wars it is a pure matter of business. Germany has a population of 60,000,000 and she is becoming a commercial rival of Great Britain in the production of manufactures of nearly every description. But she has no outlet for her national energy, and a very restricted market for her manufactures. She has no colonies worthy of the name, to relieve the congestion of population. Every other country except Britain, and every colony of Great Britain, has a protective tariff against her.

What a grand business coup it would be if she could seize the supremacy of the seas, rob Great Britain of her overseas possessions, and reduce and supplant her great rival in the naval and commercial supremacy of the world. It is a prize worth trying for. The Germans are a cool, calculating, warlike people. They prepare for war stealthily and scientifically, until all their resources are ready. Then they strike their unsuspecting victim suddenly and savagely. In six weeks they conquered Austria, in 1866. Four years later they pounced on France, and in eight weeks the armies of the Rhine were captured. There seems little doubt that they are preparing with equal ruthlessness and deliberation to crush Great Britain. Possibly the legacy of the Kaiser has to do with this, but it is a fact that what savage resentment the German nation turned upon their emperor and closed his mouth so abruptly that he has hardly been heard of since.

Notwithstanding the alarm in Britain, Germany's preparations continue with unabated vigor, and Lord Roberts knows what he is talking about when he says that there will be a crisis in the affairs of the Empire within twenty months. When once the people of the whole Empire are thoroughly seized of the danger, it is extremely unlikely that we will sit back and calmly watch the completion of preparations for our overthrow. Public opinion will support and insist upon the Imperial Government demanding of Germany her intentions. Then Germany will either have to humiliate herself and stop her war preparations, or else Great Britain will have to take prompt and energetic means of stopping them. That is the prospective crisis of the next twenty months. The statement of Great Britain are now engaged in taking the rest of the Empire openly and frankly into their confidence, with a view to insuring the necessary preparedness that the Empire may not be caught napping, as were Austria and France. The opinion prevails that Germany's plans will not be completed for at least three or four years. Before that time has elapsed the British Empire will be ready to demand her intentions, and the more quickly and completely Britain can oppose an overwhelming naval force to thwart Germany's aspirations, the more hope there will be of a backward and a complete assurance of peace. There never was a clearer case in which immediate and complete preparations for war was more likely to avert it, or where unpreparedness for war was more certain to precipitate it.—Ottawa Citizen.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

(Montreal Gazette.)

Some newspaper which did not stop to think before relieving itself of the burden of what it thought was its prophecy, started a report that Sir Wilfrid Laurier would retire before the close of the present Parliament and turn the leadership of the Government and of the Liberal party over to a new man; and some other papers, also without stopping to think, are giving the story currency if not countenance. It is possible, though it does not seem likely, that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, if he felt himself free, might prefer

DON'T WAIT IF YOU ONLY KNOW HOW SCOTT'S EMULSION would build you up, increase your weight, strengthen your weak throat and lungs and put you in condition for next winter, you would begin taking it now.

Vacation Trips.

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I cannot call her bold nor bad, This quite bewitching maid, Nor can I love her less, because 'Twas I received the kiss.

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