

THEIR MAJESTIES REACH LONDON

King George and Queen Mary Arrive Home After Memorable and Historic Journey to India

LONDON, Feb. 5.—King George and Queen Mary returned to England today from the most memorable journey ever undertaken by a King and Queen of Great Britain and Ireland.

After breakfasting on board the Medina with Queen Mother Alexandra, the Prince of Wales and the other royal children, their Majesties landed and were saluted by the guns of the forts around Portsmouth.

A large assemblage of nobles was waiting at Victoria station when the train pulled in soon after midday.

Premier Asquith, with other members of the cabinet, were the first to greet the King and Queen.

When the greetings were over a procession of five royal carriages was formed. The King and Queen with the Prince of Wales and Princess Mary occupied the first carriage.

Religious services of thanksgiving for the safe return of the King and Queen from the first visit ever paid by a reigning sovereign to India.

An interesting incident happened in Victoria street. As the King's carriage passed the American embassy.

The enthusiasm of the crowds reached its climax at Buckingham Palace. After Their Majesties had entered the thousands of people who had assembled around the railings sang successively "God Save the King," "Auld Lang Syne," "Home, Sweet Home," and "He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

Their Majesties responded to this demonstration by appearing on the balcony of the first floor, where they were greeted with salute after salute of cheering.

PORTSMOUTH, Eng., Feb. 5.—King George and Queen Mary left Portsmouth on November 11 on the steamship Medina bound for India.

She was conveyed by the cruisers Cochrane, Argyll, Defiance and Natal, which, in command of Sir Colin Keppel, accompanied their Majesties to the East.

MANY PAY TRIBUTE Ceremonies at Burial of Late Rev. H. G. Flenness-Cleiton Are Witnessed by Crowds Who Honored Him

VANCOUVER, Feb. 5.—With ceremonies solemn, impressive and beautiful conducted both by the church which he served so long and by the Masonic order of which he was an esteemed member, the body of Rev. H. G. Flenness-Cleiton, pioneer rector of St. James church, was today laid away in Mountain View cemetery.

All the services held over the body were well attended. Even the six o'clock requiem, the first service of the day, was attended by fifty persons, and as the hour advanced and each successive ceremony was performed the crowd grew until at 11 o'clock when solemn requiem was celebrated, the auditorium

of St. James was crowded to the doors—even the aisles and the back of the church were filled with friends of the deceased, who gathered to honor his memory.

SENDS CONGRATULATIONS

Cable Message to King George Transmitted by Duke of Connaught on Behalf of Canada

OTTAWA, Feb. 5.—The following cable was sent to King George today by the Duke of Connaught: "The government and people of Canada humbly desire to offer their heartfelt congratulations upon your Majesties' homecoming, and they rejoice in believing that the series of stately and splendid pageants which have marked your Majesties' progress through India testify that the spirit of affection and loyalty which animates the people of Canada is shared in equal measure by our fellow subjects in these far-off lands, from which through the blessing of God your Majesties have safely returned."

SAANICH COUNCIL AND SCHOOL ESTIMATES

Comment on Balance of Teachers' Salaries—Annual Estimate of Estimated—Many Items of Business

The second statutory meeting of the Saanich municipal council was held on Saturday last, the seven and all questions presented for consideration.

The school board estimates were then taken up, every member of the council expressing an opinion as to the feasibility of the estimates.

Mr. Stevens also drew attention to the farming out of licenses and to the wasteful and unbusinesslike methods pursued in the whaling trade.

Mr. Shepherd dwelt upon the scandalous traffic in licenses. Dr. Thompson of Yukon spoke of the poaching in Hecate straits.

Mr. Hazen, after the usual compliments to the members who had opened the subject, said that the protection within the three-mile limit had been inadequate.

Mr. Hazen declined to take the protection service out of the naval service department. The minister was the same in any event, he observed, and there were reasons of department convenience.

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Another gentleman wrote asking for a survey of certain road lines. Mr. Pitt explained that his anxiety had birth in the fact that he had built his barn and chicken houses on the said road.

A complaint from residents in Parkdale re the impassibility of their roads was replied to by notification that the council had never taken them over, therefore had no jurisdiction.

Councillor Gale explained the object of a large petition asking for the widening of the central Saanich road. It was referred to road superintendent for estimate.

Constable Little handed in his report for the month. The plaguesy questions he been receiving his attention with Dr. H. R. Nelson, the medical officer. A letter was read from Mr. Altman recommending the drafting of a clause for the health bylaw stopping the importation of swill into the municipality.

It was moved by Councillor Quick, seconded by Councillor Dunn, and carried, that no tax be levied on improvements. Councillor Gale voted in accordance with the vote of his ward on the plaguesy in the negative.

The council adjourned at 8:30 p. m.

FISHERY EVILS TO BE REMOVED

Minister Hazen Responds Promptly to Representations of British Columbia Members as to Need of Reforms

OTTAWA, Feb. 5.—This afternoon Mr. Clements moved for the papers, correspondence and reports between Captain Newcombe and the Marine and Fisheries department regarding the patrol and protection service for the fisheries on the Pacific coast.

He pointed out the importance of the Pacific coast fisheries, which last year amounted to ten million dollars for the whole of Canada.

He advocated the building of three up-to-date steamers, able to steam for 15 to 18 knots, and equipped with wireless telegraph.

Mr. Stevens urged the construction of three vessels of the same type as the poachers, about 100 tons and 15 knots speed.

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SEVERE WEATHER

Germany Suffering Under One of Worst Cold Waves on Record—Navigation Impeded

BERLIN, Feb. 5.—The great cold wave continues and is most severe in the north-west. Holstein reports a temperature of 24 below zero.

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President Sun Yat Sen, Republican Ministers and Yuan's Representative Hold Conference at Nanking

NANKING, Feb. 5.—Wu Ting Fang, the republican minister of justice; Tang Shao Yi, the representative of Premier Yuan, and Wang Chung Wei, the republican foreign minister, had a long conference with President Sun Yat Sen on the final terms as suggested by the Manchus.

It is believed they decided upon some modifications, namely that the emperor shall retain his title during his lifetime, but that it shall not be hereditary; that he shall have no political authority and that he shall be permitted to reside in the palace at Peking with an annual pension of four million taels.

Dual Government WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—A dual government for China is forecasted in the peace negotiations now proceeding in Peking and Nanking, according to state department advices.

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