was born June 3rd, 1865. On July 6, 1893, he was married to Princess Victoria Mary Augusta Louisa Olga Pauline Claudine Agnes, daughter of H. R. H. Princess Mary of Cambridge and H. R. H., the Duke of Teck. Her majesty was born in 1867 and, as Princess of Wales, was Lady Grand President of the League of Mercy; held the orders of Victoria and Albert and the Crown of India and the degree of Mus Doc, Wales.

His Majesty entered the royal navy in 1877, became a midshipman in 1880, lieutenant in 1885, naval A. D. C. to the Queen, 1887, commander in 1891, captain in 1893, rear admiral in 1900, vice admiral 1903, general in the army, 1902, Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, 1905, Bencher of Lincoln's Inn, 1892; Treasurer, 1904; Grand President of the League of Mercy; trustee of the British Museum; col-in-chief Royal Marines; col. Royal Fusiliers, Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Cameron Highlanders, King's Royal Rifle Corps, 1st Skinner's Horse, Loyal Suffold Hussars, I. Y., 3rd Middlesex Art. Vol. and Isle of Wight Volunteers; Master of the Trinity House; a member of the Royal Commission on Food Supply in War-Time, 1903.

Their Majesties have six children, four boys—the eldest, the Duke of Cornwall, who will now become Prince of Wales, being H. R. H. Prince Edward Albert Christian George Andrew Patrick David, born June 23, 1894. The other children of the royal family are H. R. H. Prince Albert Frederick Arthur George, born December 14, 1895; H. R. H. Prince Henry William Frederick Albert, born March 31, 1900; H. R. H. Prince George Edward Alexander Edmund, born December 20, 1902; H. R. H. Prince John Charles Francis, born July 12, 1905, and H. R. H. Princess Victoria Alexandra Alice Mary, born April 25, 1897.

Popular With All

It was during their majesties' tour of the British empire in 1901 that they became acquainted not only with thousands of their loyal subjects, but with the length and breadth of their dominions. Their lovable personalities made them popular everywhere, and from one end of the empire to the other today the nation's grief will be moderated by the knowledge that the late king has left his people a ruler in whom they have faith and confidence, whom they love, and in whom they believe. Her majesty's winsome face, her gracious manner, her quick smile and her splendid womanhood won the hearts of all the people, and it will be with warm hearts that the British people will bow before another Queen bearing the beloved name of Victoria.

Canada, of all the dominions beyond the seas, is honored in having entertained the new king so soon before his accession. As the central figure at the splendid pageant at Quebec in July, 1908, his majesty won the admiration not only of his loyal Canadians, but of the representatives and citizens of a score more countries as well. The people of Quebec and those others who helped line the great ramparts will never forget the scene presented on that bright afternoon of July, when the then new and famous cruiser battleship, H.M.S. Indomitable, steamed into the harbor below the Citadel, with the Royal Standard fluttering over her. Then there was the dramatic scene as his majesty landed and set foot once more on Canadian soil, while the great guns on the ramparts cracked their salute and a hundred massed bands played "God Save the King."

Those who saw his majesty on that occasion recal ithat he was a fine figure in his uniform, but that he appeared to be nervous under the strain of waiting for the impressive ceremony to begin.

It was in welcoming his majesty at that time that Sir Wilfrid Laurier referred to the late king in words which expressed the sentiments of the Canadian people towards him. Sir Wilfrid said in part: "We rejoice to welcome your Royal Highness, the representative of our beloved sovereign, whose never-failing interest in all that pertains to the welfare of this country has had no small share in stimulating those feelings of devoted attachment towards His Majesty's person and government, which animates His Majesty's subjects from one end of the Dominion to the other."

Visit to Victoria

Victoria saw the present king in October, 1901, when, as Duke of Cornwall and York, accompanied by the Duchess, he visited this city on his tour of the British Empire. It was half-past eight on the morning of October 1st that the great crowd which had gathered on Beacon Hill were able to make out the white sides of the royal yacht, the Empress of India, which was placed at the disposal of the royal party by the C.P.R.—ploughing the blue waters towards this port. Beside her steamed her flag-draped convoys, the cruisers Amphion and Phaeton, the sloop of war Condor, the destroyer Virago, and the Canadian cruiser Quadra.

On approaching the entrance to the harbor, the cruisers forged ahead, dropped anchor and dressed ship, the bluejackets manning the yards. As the great ship, with the Royal Standard flying at her main, drew near outer wharf, puffs of smoke shot from the men-o'-war, and the salute shook the old town to its foundations. Back from the shore batteries at Work Point came the answer, while from the waterfront rose the cheering of a multitude of people.

Their majesties landed at eleven o'clock, his majesty wearing his admiral's uniform, and were received by the lieutenant-governor, Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, who was presented by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The governor then presented the Bishop of Columbia, the Roman Catholic Bishop of Vancouver, the Right Rev. E. Cridge, Bishop of the Reformed Episcopal church, the Hon. Edgar Dewdney, the Hon. E. G. Prior, the Hon. W. J. Macdonald, the Hon. William Templeman, Mr. Justice Burbidge, Justices Walkem, Drake, Irving and Martin, and the members of the executive council, excepting the prime minister, who was absent, owing to the disaster at Extension the day previous.

The guard of honor, 120 men of the Royal Horse Artillery, on their way home from China, was drawn up on the wharf a short distance from the landing place, together with an escort of sixty-eight men of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

Following the arrival, their majesties were received by the governor and Mayor Hayward at the parliament buildings. Addresses were presented by the mayor and by the Presbyterian Synod and residents of the State of Washington of British birth. In replying, he who is now the king said:

"It gives us the utmost pleasure to visit this capital of your great province. Our only regret is that time does not permit us to see more of its wonderful natural resources, its picturesque scenery and to have further experiences of its beautiful climate. Our earnest wish is that under the Divine blessing the people of British Columbia may continue to advance in all that tends to ennoble and brighten life."

Brilliant entertainments, bals, receptions, and general merry-making marked the visit to Victoria of their majesties. It was one of the historic occasions in the history of this old city. During that period both royal visitors won their way into the hearts of the people of this island, among citizens of all nationalities and the recollection of their gracious presence will not be forgotten soon.

The 2nd of October came all too soon, farewells were said, and in the evening of the second day the royal party again boarded the Empress of India. They dined on board, and retired, and in the early hours of the morning of October 3rd, the great ship broke away from her moorings and steamed off for Vancouver. The homeward voyage had begun.

HIS LATE MAJESTY, KING EDWARD,
The present sovereign, King George, and the Heir Apparent, the Duke of Cornwall.

THE GEORGES

The first George—George Lewis—son of Ernest Augustus, elector of Hanover, was the nearest Protestant heir to the crown. He was born May 28, 1660 and died June 11, 1727.

George II succeeded him. This George—styled George Augustus—was born Oct. 30, 1683 and died Oct. 25, 1760.

He was succeeded by George III (George William Frederick) son of Frederick Lewis, Prince of Wales and grandson of George II. He was born June 4, 1738 and died Jan. 29, 1820.

George IV succeeded this George, was George Augustus Frederick, eldest son of George III. He was born June 4, 1738 and died June 26, 1830.

Then came William IV, who was George III's third son. He died in 1837 and was succeeded by Queen Victoria, who was succeeded by Edward VII. And now comes the fifth George since the Conquest.

FOUR PROSPECTORS UNDOUBTEDLY LOST

Search for McArdle Party on West Coast Results in Recovery of Only One Body—Staked Claims Discovered

That all the Maurice McArdle party, consisting of Mr. McArdle, his son a Mr. Bond, and Austin Luckovitch, which left Friendly Cove, West Coast Vancouver Island, for Bajo Point in canoes on the 31st of March, is lost, has been as definitely established by the provincial police as the circumstances permit.

The evidence secured proves as conclusively as possible without the recovery of the bodies that all have perished. The remains of one has been found by the searchers who have been out ever since the alarm was raised.

A report from Constable E. McLeod, who is conducting the investigation, which was received yesterday, says that a party of Indians discovered a body on the beach on the outside coast of Nootka Island, about seven miles from Friendly Cove. Rev. A. Stern, who organized the expedition, believes that the remains are those of Mr. McArdle, sr., because a pair of spectacles were found in the pocket of a Cardigan coat.

At Bajo Point, 55 miles out of Friendly Cove, was found notices on posts as follows: 1. Harry Paterson and Maurice McArdle. 2. Thomas Couvin and Maurice Ardle. 3. J. J. Griffin and Maurice Maurice. 4. Harry Paterson and Maurice McArdle. These claims, which were supposed to mark deposits of coal and petroleum, were dated April 1st.

In a statement, Rev. Mr. Stern furnished Constable McLeod, he said: "On March 28th, McArdle's party came over from Estevan Point to Friendly Cove and stayed with me until the morning of the 31st, when they left for Bajo Point. Hence the notices dated April 1st are correct. I am certain that the party was lost en route to Estevan Point to catch the boat of the 13th to Victoria."

The final piece of mute testimony of the fatality is reported through the constable by A. Luckovitch. He states that he found a part of a canoe on Sunday Rock, about three miles northwest of Boulder Point, which he identifies as his own and that used by McArdle and party. He also picked up a bundle of blankets, one heavy miner's shoe, a slipper, which property he believes belonged to Mr. McArdle, sr., and also a pair of trousers and underwear which he declares were owned by his son who was one of the missing prospectors.

Constable McLeod reports that the search has not been abandoned.

Would Prevent Strikes.

COPENHAGEN, May 4.—A bill aiming at the prevention of strikes has been introduced by the Swedish government into the Riksdag, and it commands special attention because of the huge conflict between employer and employed last year. On that occasion 200,000 workers were arrayed against the Employers' Federation. The bill comprises:—(1.) A law respecting collective contracts; (2.) the appointment of an arbitration court to judge differences which may arise from such contracts; (3.) a law regulating labor contracts in the services and departments necessary to the public, that is to say railways, street lighting, etc., and (4.) the penalties to be enforced on strikes of a character calculated to imperil public safety.

Montreal Firemen Injured

MONTREAL, May 6.—As the result of an explosion at a small fire on Sanguinet street tonight, sub-chief Dubois was badly injured, having his thigh crushed, and a number of the firemen were also injured. It is thought that Dubois is so badly injured that he will have to retire from active service.

Immigrants at Calgary

CALGARY, May 6.—Over one hundred immigrants have applied for accommodation at the immigration hall here during the last few days. Thirty who came in yesterday were mostly settlers from the British Isles, Norway and Sweden. One Norwegian brought his wife and ten children.

of official intimation of His Majesty's demise, through His Excellency the Governor-General, this morning, an extra of the British Columbia Gazette will formally convey the direful tidings to British Columbians. The public offices will be officially closed today, and the prescribed period of mourning for the monarch (sixty days) will be duly observedo. The arrangements of the provincial government in connection with His Majesty's death, and the funeral, will be identical with those on the occasion of the demise of her late Majesty, Queen Victoria. Today the parliament buildings will be draped in purple and black.

The Victoria theatre, the Grand and Pantages theatres closed their doors out of respect to the late King's memory.

The military and naval authorities are awaiting instructions, minute guns will be fired, 101 guns, when the funeral of His late Majesty is held. Meanwhile all engagements have been cancelled and mourning will be ordered. Yesterday when the news of His Majesty's death was received by Col. Peters, O. C., 11th military district, at Work Point the Royal Standard was half-masted on the garrison flagpole.

Memorial Services.

Memorial services will be conducted in all local churches. At the time of going to press, while the pastors in every instance had decided to evince their respect and that of their several congregations for the memory of the late King Edward VII, few had made definite arrangements.

The Lord Bishop of Columbia requested that the following statement should be made:

"The official funeral service for the late king will be announced in due course and no alteration will be made in the psalms or lessons on Sunday, being the Sunday after the Ascension. "God Save the King" will be sung at all the services and the Dead March in Saul will be played at the conclusion of the morning service. The alteration in the state prayers will be "Our most Gracious Sovereign lord, King George and Our Gracious Queen Victoria, the dowager queen Alexandra, Edward, Duke of Cornwall and all the royal family."

All the others declared that not until today would it be possible to say just what form the services would take.

Bishop McDonald, after referring to the great loss the Empire had sustained, stated that the clergy officiating at St. Andrew's (R. C.) Cathedral would have occasion to make some appropriate remarks in the course of Sunday's addresses.

Revs. Dr. Campbell, W. Leslie Clay and Hermon Carson, of the First and St. Andrew's Presbyterian and the First Congregational churches were out of the city. Their representatives said that preparations were already in progress for impressive memorial services.

At the Metropolitan Methodist church the ladies' of the congregation draped the pulpit and altar in crape shortly after the news of the king's death was received. Prof. Hetherington, of Columbia University, will deliver appropriate sermons tomorrow morning and evening.

HIS LATE MAJESTY, KING EDWARD
From a portrait made of him during his tour of Canada at the age of nineteen.

VICTORIA MOURNS THE KING'S DEMISE

The news of the demise of His Majesty the King, was received with deep grief by Victorians yesterday.

The accounts of His Majesty's illness had been somewhat discounted and though all feared his condition to be serious none dreamt that death was near. When an extra edition of the Colonist conveyed the news to the public, its gravity was reflected in the faces of the people. Flags were at once halfmasted, and many of the store windows were draped in black and purple, the royal colors of mourning.

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Tinsmiths Strike

HAMILTON, Ont., May 6—The tinsmiths of this city walked out this morning after being refused an increase in wages of five cents per hour. They have been receiving 30 cents, and want 35. One hundred smiths and 100 helpers are affected.

South African Gold Find.

CAPE TOWN, May 5.—News comes from Bulawayo of an important discovery of gold in a new district of Rhodesia, namely, Marandelles, thirty miles south east of Salisbury and about the same distance from the railway. Assays of the samples taken into Salisbury have shown good values. Some specimens, probably only very exceptional ones, have ranged as high as forty ounces to the ton. It is stated that the neighborhood is particularly well suited for successful working, and is one of the most accessible and realthy in Rhodesia. Representatives of some of the most accessible companies in Bulawayo have visited the scene of the discovery, which has attracted a considerable number of prospectors.

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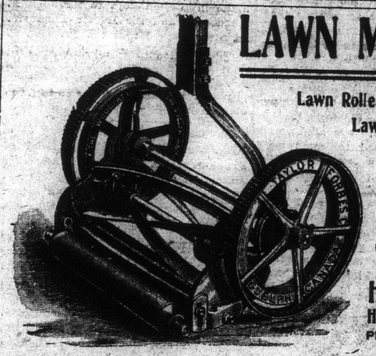

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