

## EVENTS OF THE WEEK AS SEEN BY CARTOONIST LOU, SKUCE.



A Great Achievement.



May For House Cleaning.



Beware the Greek Bearing Gifts.



Closing Dominion House.



Y. M. C. A. Building Fund.



Fielding Gets Another Gift From Private Sources.



Painters Out on Strike.

## Y.M.C. WORKERS HEAR RETURNS IN SILENCE.

Bishop of Toronto Moves Resolution of Sympathy With Royal Family — Campaign Now on Home Stretch.

Official total Friday noon: \$561,157.70  
Citizens' committee: 3,500.00  
Business men's committee: 11,574.00  
Young men's committee: 5,754.20  
Grand total: \$896,287.90

## BUSINESS MEN'S COMMITTEE.

Thomas Allen 8 750  
Thomas Bradshaw 1500  
R. W. Eaton 1044  
E. D. Fraser 550  
John Godfrey 671  
S. Henderson 132  
E. L. McLean 389  
F. G. Merrick 2490  
R. Southam 3780  
G. H. Wood 3780  
Total: \$11,976

## YOUNG MEN'S COMMITTEE.

C. H. Ashley 889.50  
R. J. Blaney 564.55  
F. L. Fraser 146.00  
John B. Gould 250.00  
F. P. Grand 249.50  
J. Lawson 378.50  
A. G. Macdonald 1296.35  
W. McDevlin 131.00  
Harry P. Pearce 200.00  
F. Bullie 378.50  
W. H. Schooner 576.00  
W. H. Scott 250.00  
W. L. S. S. 288.50  
W. A. Winter 297.50  
Total: \$9754.20

## The King's Death.

"We have received the mournful intelligence of the death of His Gracious Majesty, King Edward VII., with profound regret. In his death the British Empire loses a sovereign whose regal qualities were to an unusual degree blended with such personal characteristics as to awaken and retain the affection of his subjects. Canadians were loyal to him as their King and full of sincere regard for him as a man. No jewel in his crown shone with brighter lustre than did his amiable character. His sagacity, tact and patience have been the wonder of the civilized world, and in his loss we are the sharers of a world-wide sorrow.

"His Majesty's messages to international conferences of our associations were evidences of his deep interest in our cause and were sources of great encouragement."

Before any business whatever was proceeded with at the Y.M.C.A. luncheon yesterday the foregoing resolution was read to the gathering by Bishop Sweeney and seconded by J. A. Macdonald.

## Irreparable Loss.

In moving the resolution, his lordship said that the success of the Y.M.C.A. campaign would serve as an example to others to move forward in the religion of Jesus Christ.

The meeting, he said, was held under the shadow of a great and irreparable loss. Four hundred millions—

one-third of the entire human race—were mourning the loss of their King and sovereign and plunged into a deep and real grief. While the empire was suffering this grief there were other kings, emperors, courts and peoples connected with the royal family of England, as well as the great American people who were connected by blood, that were sympathetically plunged into the same grief.

"Since Jan. 21, 1901, no such calamity had befallen the empire, or should we say the whole world, as the death of our sovereign lord King Edward. When we call him King we think of all the gifts wherewith Almighty God endowed him. He didn't come to the throne absolutely as a novice, but was well fitted and prepared for the great position which had come to him. He used his tact, skill and finesse in the best possible sense. He was able to bring together all the restless political conditions of Europe and to smooth and settle by the great art of peacemaking what no other living man could possibly accomplish. He will go down to posterity as Edward VII., the peacemaker of his day and generation, and he leaves us a lesson in the last words of his noble and useful life. 'Well, it is all over, but I think I have done my duty.'"

"Without words of emphasis or argument I second the resolution that has been submitted by his lordship," said J. A. Macdonald with much feeling.

Reports of Captains. The gathering stood while the resolution was being read, and the reports of the team captains were received in silence.

The total amount reported yesterday was \$561,157.70, which practically represents the work of Friday afternoon, as the unsettled state of business on Saturday morning rendered effective canvassing impossible.

As it is the Young Men's Committee maintained the creditable showing which has characterized their work all week.

There will be no luncheon on Monday, and the reports will all be made at supper in the evening.

Several pulpits will be occupied to-day to again present the cause of the Y.M.C.A. to the church-going people.

Thomas Flaherty, president of the West End Y.M.C.A., will speak in the morning at High Park Avenue Methodist Church.

S. W. W. international secretary, will speak in the evening at Parkdale Methodist Church.

G. A. Warburton, general secretary of the Central Y.M.C.A., will speak in the morning at Walmer Road Baptist Church.

STEAMER NORMANDY SANK ON MAIDEN TRIP

Was Bound for the Great Lakes to Go into the Grain Carrying Trade.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., May 7.—The SS. Normandy sank twenty miles south of St. John's early to-day. All of the crew reached the shore safely in the steamer's boats. The Normandy while proceeding along the Newfoundland coast struck on Great Island, near Bay Bulls, in a dense fog, at midnight and sank within an hour.

The Normandy was bound from London to Toronto on her maiden trip to take up a charter for grain carrying between the shipping points on Lake Superior and the distributing points on Lake Erie and Lake Ontario. The cargo consisted of pig-iron.

She carried about 50 passengers, including 31 women, all of whom were saved with difficulty.



King George as a Baby.



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"I THINK I HAVE DONE MY DUTY."

In nothing was the character of the great king, sleeping his last sleep, who now lies in state within Buckingham Palace, more fully disclosed than in his last recorded utterance, "WELL, IT IS ALL OVER, BUT I THINK I HAVE DONE MY DUTY."

Simple, modest, manly words that will live in British history and touch the hearts of millions yet unborn, as they have already touched the hearts of the millions who rendered him loyal allegiance. How many of Britain's illustrious dead have died with that one word duty on their lips—never a one died without having it graven on the tablet of his memory. So long as the taleman of duty nerves the soul and steels the heart of patriot Britons will the country endure. Our late revered King died literally at his post, only ceasing from his labors when within the shadow of the last dread conqueror.

There is no truer tribute to departed worth than the spontaneous, sincere and general grief. Over King Edward to-day an empire mourns—the world laments his loss. For he who has been a real peacemaker lays every nation under bonds of sympathy. It is not now as it was in days of yore. The achievements of science have annihilated distance and drawn peoples of varying race and tongue together. Nothing happens that does not instantaneously circle the globe. And when the man who has passed was a goodly king, wise in statesmanship, animated by high ideals, faithful in work, kindly and courteous with a dignity that enriched the courtesy, even to those who knew but his name and his deeds, he seemed a friend as indeed Edward the Seventh was friend to all mankind.

FUNERAL ON O.J.C. DAY.

The date set for the royal funeral, May 21, happens to be the opening day of the Ontario Jockey Club's Spring Meeting. Secretary Fraser was unable to say yesterday whether the plans of the club would be altered thereby until the directors meet early next week.

## MOURNED BY THE TEARS OF A WORLD

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wise, tactful and kindly ruler. King Edward VII. had qualities which made his fine influence be felt in many international affairs, and this influence was always found on the side of peace and justice.

Secretary of the Navy Meyer said: "The sudden death of the King causes a great shock to the world. His diplomatic influence as ruler of a great empire has always been in the interest of peace and progress."

Secretary of War Dickenson said: "The death of King Edward will evoke the deepest regret in America, whose people, since he came here as crown prince, have always cherished for him the most cordial good-will and admiration. The uniform friendly attitude maintained by him toward the United States has always given assurance of amity between the people and the people over whom he ruled with such moderation and wisdom."

Representative David J. Foster of Vermont, chairman of the house committee on foreign affairs, said: "In the death of King Edward VII. the United States has lost a good friend and humanity has lost the greatest peace-maker among the world's sovereigns."

Prince Tokugawa, president of the house of peers of Japan, who is on a visit to this country, said: "The death of his majesty is a great loss to the world. To me the news comes as a shock. I had looked forward to meeting him during my forthcoming visit to England. It is a great disappointment and sorrow to me."

Baron Uchida, the Japanese ambassador to the United States, said that King Edward "was the foremost friend of the world's peace. It is a great loss to England, the United States and Japan, but to the whole world."

"The wisest and shrewdest statesman diplomatist I have ever known," was the judgment of the foreign affairs committee, as follows: "Resolved, that the house of representatives of the United States of America has learned with profound sorrow of the death of His Majesty King Edward VII., and sympathizes with his people in the loss of a wise and upright ruler, whose great purpose was the cultivation of friendly relations with all nations and the preservation of peace."

"That the president be requested to communicate this expression of the sentiment of the house to the government of Great Britain."

"That as a further mark of respect to the memory of King Edward VII., the house do now adjourn."

President Taft called at the British embassy to-day and remained in conversation with Ambassador Bryce fifteen minutes.

The entire diplomatic corps was represented in the callers at the embassy during the day.

President Taft late to-day received the following cablegram from Queen Alexandra:

"I am deeply touched by your telegram, and I ask you to convey my heartfelt thanks to the people and the government of the United States for their sympathy in my irreparable loss and sorrow."

(Signed) Alexandra.

New York Exchanges Close Out of Respect

NEW YORK, May 7.—The passing of King Edward brought gloom to-day to Wall-street, where his conservative influences in international statecraft and in the field of finance were most highly regarded. The effects of the King's death it was generally believed in banking circles could not be measured for some time.

The governor of the stock exchange decided to-day to close the exchange for the day at 11 o'clock out of respect for the memory of the King.

The cotton exchange also voted to close to-day in respect to King Edward's memory.

"A Working Monarch of Infinite Tact"

MADRID, May 7.—All of the Spanish papers to-day devote much space to the death of King Edward, extolling especially his influence in favor of peace.

The Liberal says: "The man who was considered frivolous as a prince, was a working monarch of infinite tact, who devoted himself body and soul to his mission as chief of state."



Late King Edward and His Two Sons, the Late Duke of Clarence and King George.

The Spanish court will go into mourning for one month. King Alfonso and Queen Victoria telegraphed their condolences to Dowager Queen Alexandra and King George.

"Personification of Peace," Says Tokio

TOKIO, May 7.—The death of King Edward has cast a gloom over the nation, in which profound sympathy is felt for the British court and empire. Japan, as Great Britain's ally, feels the loss most keenly. The hall of Prince Asaka, planned for this evening, has been postponed, and all public functions have been suspended. It is confidently believed that the demise of the British monarch will not affect the alliance of the two countries.

The press is unanimous in its expressions of grief and in declaring that the death of King Edward is a severe loss, not only to Great Britain, but to the cause of peace and humanity throughout the world. To-morrow's papers will be black-bordered and will devote columns to eulogizing King Edward, and his success in advancing the cause of international peace.

The Kokum, generally a government organ, designates the late King as the personification of peace. The Asahi is at a loss to know how the world will recover that of which it has been deprived by Edward's death. The Hochi, in a special edition containing a column printed in English, expresses the hope that the spirit of peace encouraged by the late monarch may long remain the guide for international policies. The Jiji calls King Edward the "great benefactor of peace and humanity," and other

papers make similar comments. It is stated that the emperor and empress are deeply grieved.

King of Portugal to Attend the Funeral

LISBON, May 7.—King Edward's death has caused profound emotion in this country. King Manuel will go to London to attend the funeral of King Edward. The day of which will be observed throughout Portugal as one of mourning.

Sweden Mourns For Britain's Ruler

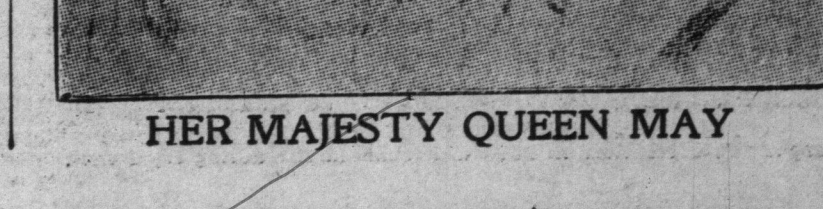
CHRISTIANIA, May 7.—King Haakon and Queen Maud left to-day for London to attend the funeral of King Edward. The whole city is in mourning. The theatres are closed.

Belgian King Will Come to the Funeral

BRUSSELS, May 7.—King Albert announces that he will attend the funeral of King Edward. The monarch's condolences had been conveyed to the British legation by the grand marshal of the court.

Princess Beatrice Hastens to London

BIARRITZ, May 7.—Flags on the hotels and in the streets are at half mast. Princess Beatrice of Battenburg, being advised by telegraph of her brother's death, has left for London.



HER MAJESTY QUEEN MAY

## OTTAWA CABINET DISCUSS THE SITUATION

Formal Ceremonies in Connection With the Accession of King George — Representatives to Attend the Funeral.

OTTAWA, May 7.—(Special).—The formal ceremonies in connection with the accession to the throne of Prince George, so far as Canada is directly concerned, were carried out here this afternoon.

At 10.30 o'clock this morning Sir Wilfrid Laurier called upon Earl Grey at Government House, and after a conference lasting three-quarters of an hour proceeded to his offices on Parliament Hill.

A cabinet council had been called for 11 o'clock and the following ministers awaited the premier: Sir Frederick Borden, Hon. W. P. Flaveling, Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Hon. Mackenzie King, Hon. Charles Murphy, Hon. William Tupper, Hon. George P. Graham, Hon. Wm. Paterson and Hon. Frank Oliver. The three ministers absent were: Hon. A. B. Aylesworth and Hon. Sydney Fisher, who are on their way to Europe, and Hon. L. P. Brodeur, who is ill in New York.

Mr. Wilfrid met his ministers at noon and the question of Canada's representatives at the funeral of King Edward, as well as other relative matters, were discussed. While no decision will be definitely made until the funeral arrangements are known, it is likely that Mr. Aylesworth and Mr. Fisher will be the official Canadian representatives at the obsequies.

At 1 o'clock Earl Grey arrived at Parliament Hill from Rideau Hall to await the official cable regarding the proclamation of the new King.

At 1.15 Earl Grey requested the presence of Sir Wilfrid in his audience chamber, and, after a brief interview, Sir Wilfrid dismissed the cabinet council.

"R. J." IS PESSIMISTIC

Sees No Immediate Hope of Settlement With the City.

Manager Fleming of the Street Railway intimates on Saturday that he is becoming discouraged while waiting for the city to declare whether or not it will accept the car lines offered by the railway, and that unless something is done soon it will be too late to complete the laying of the 26 miles of new track this year.

"We do not know whether or not we are on the verge of another step to the city council, and altogether it looks as if things are going to stay as they are," he said.

Mr. Fleming admits that the people "are being crowded like a fish in a tin in the cars," and says he fears conditions will be worse next winter.

German Navy Will Mourn King Edward

WIESBADEN, Prussia, May 7.—Emperor William to-day issued an order that officers of the German navy were mourning for eight days, and that the flags of their vessels be half-masted on the day of King Edward's funeral. German ships in English waters or in the company of British vessels are instructed to conform with the British observances, and to fire salutes at noon on the day of the funeral.

PHILADELPHIA EXCHANGE ALSO.

Philadelphia, May 7.—The Philadelphia Stock Exchange closed at 11 a.m. to-day out of respect to the memory of King Edward.

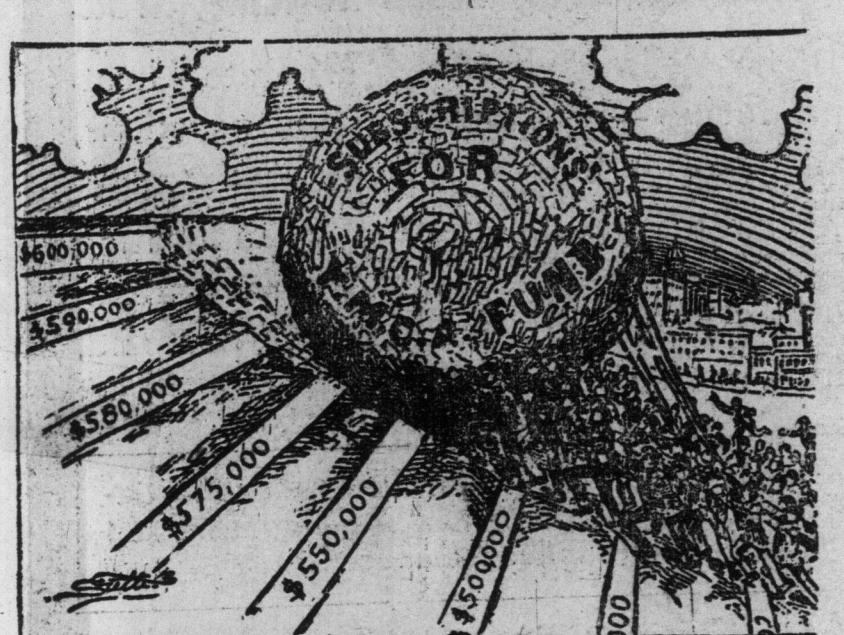
NEW ORLEANS COTTON EXCHANGE CLOSES.

NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—Business was suspended on the local cotton exchange to-day owing to the death of King Edward. Messages of sympathy were sent to the members of the Liverpool Cotton Exchange.

NEW YORK CANADIAN CLUB SYMPATHY.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The following cablegram of condolence was to-day sent to the Dowager Queen Alexandra by the members of the Canadian Club of New York: "The members of the Canadian Club of New York send to your majesty their most profound sympathy in your bereavement. Our hearts are full of sorrow over the death of the beloved King."

## NEARING THE GOAL



A long push, a strong push and a push altogether.