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an Adventure

nance and adventure in one day than raffled, nost of his fellow-men in other otheres of activity do in a year. Sir Philip Gibbs, the famous journalist and novelist, tells some interesting stories of life behind the scenes in newspaper-land in "Adventures in Journalism" (Heine-

Exposing an Explorer.

It was Sir Philip who was responhave discovered the North Pole, was been raffled for many hundreds of when about fifteen candidates are an imposter. The author was sent to dollars."-Tit Bits. Copenhagen to chronicle the return of the supposed hero, and after many ad- Next Year's ventures Sir Philip succeeded in inter-

He was so struck by Cook's peculiar conduct that his suspicions were explorer, which when published in his drawn up. paper aroused a storm throughout the civilized world. Later events showed Gibbs was right.

Sir Philip tells an amusing story of a banquet to Dr. Cook which he brush," he writes, "and had no evenwaiter. He was a taller man than I,

In this attire he proceeded to the Tivoli Palace, where the banquet was held. Being late, he had to ascend the great marble steps alone.

"I pulled myself together, hitched up my waiter's trousers, and advanced up the marble stairs. Suddenly I was aware of a fantastic happening. I found myself receiving a salute from a guard of honour. Swords flashed from their scabbards, and my fevered vision was conscious of a double line of figures in the scarlet coats and buckskin breeches of the English Life Guards.

"'This,' I said to myself, 'is what

But it wasn't the Life Guards. It was the chorus of the Tivoli Music Hall which was providing the Guard of Honour, and they were tall and

The King's Accident.

kept his seat, at the third time the ion bands. animal slipped in the mud and rolled over His Majesty.

They put him in a motor-car. He was in great pain. One of the King's A.D.C.'s rushed up to Sir Philip, and said: "Tell the men not to cheer," for many of the sections had not seen the accident. It was impossible for Sir Philip to give the order, and as the car moved down the road, fresh cheers broke forth. The King tried to

spective papers. They were inform- promptness. ed of the rumours, and one evening they recognized a detective in the

The pair decided to have a game with the man, so wrote a message: 'Are you looking for Dr. Crippen? If so, beware!" which a boy delivered to the detective. The detective hurried out of the hotel, doubtless uneasy won't be believed. how anybody in Bournemouth could pair shadowed the detective, who, to right. this day, must have wondered what

was their fell purpose. Sir Philip has been a war corresrelate some of his experiences that bad results. he went on some lecturing tours in America. The first audience he faced |was in the Carnegie Hall, and find- sented. ing that all Society had arrived in One of the greatest mistakes of the \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.80, \$1.50, \$1.10 evening dress to litsen to him, he was well-informed is to imagine that almost overcome with nervousness others know nothing. He managed to get through his speech, and then made to retire.

difficult than the way on," he writes. "I had come through one little door, but there were six of them exactly mind probably has no mind to make Clary's. he same. At the conclusion of my up. ech I bowed, walked rapidly to one f the doors, and found it would not budge! I returned again and bowed C.C. Promenade Dance, Prince's to the audience before trying another Rink, 8.30. Gen's 20c. Ladies' door. No, by Heaven, it wouldn't 10c. Hear some of the

On another occasion, much flustered, Sir Philip was called upon suddenly to make a speech at a theatre at the street of adventure," for the which an original letter from Mr. newspaperman encounters more ro- Lloyd George to America was to be

by the time I had finished my three minutes' speech it was a bit of wet, mushy pulp. When I left the stage, a white-faced man in the wings, who had been making frantic signs to me, pension. informed me coldly that I had utterly sible for revealing to the world the destroyed Mr. Lloyd George's letter to ed again, and each week an entrance fact that Dr. Cook, who claimed to the American nation, which had just examination is held at Scotland Yard

## Stadium Programme

One of the chief attractions of next aroused. Several times Cook contra- year's British Empire Exhibition at dicted himself. The journalist went | Wembley will be the events staged in away and, knowing his fate rested on the gigantic Empire Stadium. An his judgment, wrote an attack on the elaborate programme is now being

> The Stadium season will open April 12th with the England vs. Scotland Rugby Match, and a fortnight the Cup-Final will be played off.

On or about Empire Day, a great attended. "I had travelled across military tottoo, with massed army Europe with a razor and a tooth- bands, will be staged. The general scheme is to draw bandsmen from all ing clothes. For a shilling translat- the line regiments and to form them ed into Danish money, I borrowed into one huge band numbering with the dress suit of an obliging young pipes and drums about a thousand strong. This will be reinforced by a mounted band recruited on the same lines from the Cavalry Regiments. The combined band will be the largest ever seen in the British Empire. For six weeks during July and August a Pageant of Empire will be shown daily, illustrating the growth of the Empire from the earliest times. Cayalry and Artillery will both take part, and the 1,000 Boy Scouts who are

> In September, after the Pageant is over, there will probably be a second edition of the Military Tattoo.

A series of six massed concerts, with a choir numbering 10,000 voices, will take place at intervals during the course of the Exhibition. Dr. Charles Heries, who conducted the Peace Celebration in Hyde Park, is to conduct. At least once a week firework displays will be given in the Stadium by Messrs. James Pain & Son. Apart from the usual firework effects, appropriate set pieces will be arranged for special occasions.

The King's accident in France ear- outside the Stadium, a gigantic bandly in the war was due to the cheering stand with seating accomodation for of the troops, who were being review- 10,000 people is now in course of ered by His Majesty. The horse reared ection. These concerts will be given three times, and although the King daily by the best British and Domin-

> Splendid selections of Plain him into the intricacies of the dis-Work at the Presentation Contrict and the thousand and one points vent Ladies' Association Sale on in the locality that are deserving of Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. mention or call for special supervis-13th and 14th .- nov10,31

#### Insulin

We learn that this world famous discovery has for some months past raise his hand to the salute, but had been available for the relief of sufnot the strength. His Majesty was ferers in Newfoundland. Arrangelater taken away in an ambulance like ments were made with the Connaught on ordinary casualty, and no soldiers | Laboratory at Toronto by the General in the town of Bethune knew that it Hospital authorities for a supply of was the King of Great Britain who the preparation and several cases have been treated. Some have been cured, ed if you take home a Box of At the time of the hunt for Crip- others improved, while in other cases Sally Ann's to-day, to-morrow or pen, the rumour arose that the mur- but little improvement has been no- the day after. Only 60c. a Pound derer was in Bournemouth. The ticed. From the nature of the preptown happened to be celebrating a aration it is necessary that this treatflying meeting, and fancy balls, etc., ment generally speaking can only be were being held. Sir Philip and a administered at such an institution as well-known "crime sleuth" were al- the Hospital, and in availing of the ready at Bournemouth, as they were means to deal with diabetes cases the reporting the meeting for their re- authorities acted with commendable land loading fish from the Monroe Ex-

### Wisps of Wisdom

The only way to bear troubles is convert them into blessings. Don't complain. Don't explain. The first won't be understood, the second

It requires more intelligence to see know of his mission. For a time the when you're wrong than when you're The fault lies not in failure, but in

aiming too low Self-pity is a waste of time, and has pondent in many lands, and it was to never been known to produce any but

No one should give advice unasked -it is seldom taken and invariably re-

We prize most that which has cost

A successful man is one who knows what he wants and gets it. We were put into the world to live our lives, not merely to kill time. The man who can't make up his

TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT.—C. open! Again I returned and bowed, Dance Hits,-nov14,11

#### and made another shot for a swing The Policeman at School Teaching Constables the Tricks of the

hands," Sir Philip writes, "I kept portant work of training the constabscrewing up a bit of paper which had le has become much more difficult. something new, he really remains a student until the day he takes his

> Recruiting for the force has open chosen from the fifty or sixty appli-

Taking the Oath. The examiners test the intelligence of the would-be constable, whose physical condition must be of a very high standard. He must possess a well-proportioned body and have a face that will look pleasing under a helmet, so that his appearance on the streets will not call for comook-out for anything in the way of

If the applicant passes the preliminary examination, he receives in due course a note instructing him to present himself at the Candidates' Section House, when he is allotted ac-

Having settled down in quarters he begins a rigorous, three weeks' course of intensive training, embodying infantry drill, gymnastic exercises, and lectures on various

Special methods are employed to ncrease his power of observation. He is also taught how to put facts on paper so that his reports are a

At the expiration of this training providing the embryo constable has made satisfactory progress, he is holding an Imperial Jamboree during paraded before the Chief Constable, minutely scrutinized, questioned, and the first week in August, will lend

finally passed. The master tailor now takes him in hand, with the result that after a few days he is provided with a uniform. Once again he attends the officer, and this time he emerges with the full powers of a constable, for he has been "sworn in," having taken the oath to perform his duties faithfully and obey the orders and commands of his superior officers.

He is now taken on the strength of the force, posted to one of the divisions, and allotted to a station, where he spends the first fortnight getting the hang of things and attending the m the Exhibition Grounds, though local court to improve his earlier training on giving evidence, and also to familiarize himself with court

> Later, the inspector places him with one of the sergeants for a few days, or under the wing of an experienced constable, who initiates

We now have the constable in a fit condition to undertake the onerous duties of a beat. His work calls for much tact, patience, and exposure to all types of danger. It is his job to keep his eyes open, and the average citizen would be greatly surprised if he were aware how much the policeman knows about him.

The Family will be very pleas-Box at McMurdo's .- nov14,11

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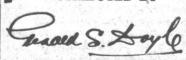
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