

SPECTACULAR CONCLUSION!

Lord Mayor's Banquet Winds Up the King's Birthday Festivities in London.

Salisbury's Speech—Angry Feelings Aroused in Germany by Chamberlain's Edinburgh Harangue—The Sultan in a Fury Over State Matters—Serious Situation Looming Up in the Orient—Croker Will Live in England.

London, Nov. 9.—The lord mayor's banquet at the Guildhall tonight was a spectacular close of the day's festivities. The historic building was the scene of a brilliant pageant, in which ancient and modern scenes were strangely mingled. A gathering of 2,000 of the most influential citizens of London, including the heads of the various government departments, gave an opportunity for a loyal demonstration of which the government was not slow to take advantage.

The presence of Lord Salisbury afforded an excellent excuse for reiterating the attitude of the government toward the South African controversy. The response of the great audience in the banquet hall might be described as satisfactorily loyal, but could hardly be called enthusiastic.

RECEPTION IN THE LIBRARY. The banquet was preceded by the customary reception in the Guildhall library, where Sir Joseph Bland, in his quaint official robes, welcomed the ministers and the various officials. Unlike last year's reception, when the lord mayor was conspicuous by his absence, and the war office was merely represented by one of the under secretaries.

SALISBURY'S SPEECH. The feature of the evening was Lord Salisbury's speech in response to the toast to "His Majesty's Ministers." Referring to the progress of the war in South Africa, the premier said:

"It is pleasant to record that the peace of the world has been so little disturbed by the events of the last two years. Half a century ago we would not have found such a peaceful and pacific attitude on the part of all the great powers. It is a sign of the increasing international amity and understanding also that the clouds of war have not gathered over the Mediterranean sea so lightly passed away. Fifty years ago this would not have been so."

Touching upon South African developments in another part of his speech, Lord Salisbury said: "I strongly deprecate the spirit of pessimism so frequently heard in the utterances of some of our public men as to the war in which we are engaged. Unlike the wars of former years, no longer does the capture of the enemy's capital and the dissipation of his field force constitute a conclusive victory. We are now confronted by a system of guerrilla war, which must be slowly and effectively stamped out. We are progressing, slowly, perhaps, but surely."

DIDN'T AROUSE ENTHUSIASM. "I cannot take the public wholly into the confidence of the government. It would be most imprudent publicly to state all we are doing weekly and monthly at the front. I am, however, philosophically declare that whatever delays are encountered, these are due neither to a lack of earnestness and ability of our generals in the field, nor to the neglect to comply with all of their demands on the part of the home government."

"We have been subject to much vague and indefinite criticism; but our bitterest opponents have not been able to point out any tangible defect, any definite cause of complaint. I deeply regret the ravages of the war in the colonies to which we are anxious to accord the fullest practical measure of assistance. Now we are being harassed by neighbors in South Africa whose conduct for years has been a menace to the stability of that section of our empire. Now we are being harassed by removing this menace and we are determined to do so effectively that it will never require doing again."

This declaration was received with cordial but by no means enthusiastic applause.

THE PROCESSION. Today's procession is markedly in contrast with last week's. It is a burlesque carnival, with a motley cavalcade and incongruous reproductions in tinseled of the spars of the day. The disturbance of business interests caused by this grotesque and shabby function is minimized.

EXTERNAL REMEDIES Can't Cure Cancer

It Is a Disease of Germ Origin and Must Be Reached Through the Blood.

The most advanced scientists and specialists in the medical profession, now consider cancer to be caused by germs or parasites in the blood, which operate in certain tissues of the body most favorable for their development. Thus the breast, lip, nose, stomach, bowels and liver are favorable seats for this disease. It is not reasonable to expect a permanent cure for cancer can be obtained by the use of external remedies alone, such as ointments and plasters. They never touch the origin of the trouble.

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THE COMING CORONATION. Preparations for the coronation are advancing rapidly. It is probable that there will be the most representative assemblage of the reigning houses of Europe known for a generation. The German Emperor will be present, and the Emperor of Austria, the King of Italy, Belgium, Sweden, Portugal and Denmark have accepted invitations, according to current reports. The czar has been urged to resist England in June, but he is not likely to join in the coronation festivities. The royal guests will arrive in London a fortnight before the coronation, and several hotels will be reserved for them, since they cannot be accommodated in palaces.

SEE-SAW ILLUSTRATED. Canon Gore's appointment as Bishop of Worcester has been an illustration of see-saw in Lord Salisbury's ecclesiastical policy, having appointed a Cambridge angelical as Bishop of Durham, he now provides high churchmen with an offset to the promotion of one whom ultra-Protestants de-

scribe as sacerdotalist. Canon Gore is properly known as a "high broad," for at Balliol he fell under the influence of T. H. Green, the one original thinker Oxford has produced in the present generation, and while he remained a Puseyite, he assimilated hegelianism with high church principles. He has been a great intellectual force in Westminster Abbey, and a consistent Liberal in politics, interesting thousands of churchmen in social functions. Lord Salisbury's only appointed a political opponent, but a sharp, outspoken critic of the government's policy of concentration camps in South Africa.

ANTI-CHAMBERLAIN INDIGNATION. Germany rang with anti-Chamberlain indignation meetings all this week, and such meetings continue to be held. They have been confined hitherto to students and "Veterans" societies, but a conference of the Thuringian Pastors' Societies has just decided to invite the Protestant clergymen throughout Germany to make a common protest against the utterances of the British colonial secretary at Edinburgh, Oct. 25, when he referred to the "inferior" and "savage" man troops during the Franco-Prussian war in 1870-71. Students' meetings were held this week at Berlin, Leipzig, Juebingen, Jena and other universities. The Leipzig meeting was held in response to a call sent out by the rector of the university. The Jena students voted to petition the imperial chancellor, Count Von Buelow, to instruct the German ambassador at London to demand satisfaction for the insult.

The students of Breslau University have issued a call, couched in highly indignant terms, for a meeting to take place Nov. 12. All the meetings were addressed by speakers who used violent language and all the published calls are hotly worded.

The Leipzig Veterans' League has declined to issue a call for a meeting to become excited over Mr. Chamberlain, "since he is known to be the commonest kind of a liar."

BEING OVERDONE. The newspapers are beginning to warn the people from different standpoints, however, that the matter is being overdone, some of them claiming that Mr. Chamberlain is too far beneath German contempt for anything which he may say, to be looked upon as an insult to the soldiers of Germany. Others point to the fact that the excitement will result in a further estrangement of the relations between Germany and Great Britain. The Vorwaerts considers the protest movement to be ridiculous, and says the intensity of the language used is comical.

The Vossische Zeitung regrets that many of the speeches delivered at the recent violent attacks upon Great Britain, and refers to the tendency which the danger of a resurrection of the eastern question has of drawing Great Britain, Russia and France together, and the consequent necessity of Italy casting her fortunes with Great Britain and France, thus leading Germany in a state of "splendid isolation."

IMPRUDENT. The paper asks if it is prudent, under such circumstances, to follow a course calculated to produce a further estrangement of the relations between Germany and Great Britain, and calls attention to the fact that Mr. Chamberlain's remarks included the troops of France, Russia and other nations, adds that the French and Russians shrug their shoulders regarding Mr. Chamberlain as a hatter, and says they do not think of crusading against Great Britain, with grand orations, as the arch-enemy of the policy of grand alliance. Such a crusade, according to the Vossische Zeitung, cannot be conducted merely with warm hearts, cool heads being needed, and Germany is a mistake to defend ourselves by exaggerated demonstrations.

CROKER WILL MAKE ENGLAND HIS HOME. It is learned from Vantage that Mr. Croker will spend New Year's at Moat House, and preparations are being made for his return. No one in Vantage doubts that Mr. Croker is going to pass the remainder of his life there. Mr. Croker thoroughly enjoys himself in England. A new wave has opened to him here, and he does not, and would not be admitted to the exclusive circle of the gentry, he is welcome among those who indulge in racing. He has important interests in America, which cannot be ignored at present, but when he has those in shape to dispense with personal attention he will be his permanent and final home. While the trades people at Vantage and vicinity speak favorably of Croker as a "gentleman," "brings grist to their mill," some prejudice has been raised against him by the circulation in that neighborhood, and in other parts of Berkshire, of a sheet from New York called the Vigilant, giving an account of Mr. Croker's trial on a charge of murder, in which the jury disagreed, and the country people were much astonished when they read the case, and when they heard it from those who had read it, and there has since been a prejudice against him among them, while some argue that the event in question is responsible for his choice of a residence abroad. Mr. Croker has taken considerable interest in local politics.

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DO THE DOOR KNOES SPREAD SKIN DISEASE?

Trouble Among Postoffice Clerks in Washington Traced to Verdigris on Door Handles.

[Washington Times.] A peculiar skin disease has made its appearance among the clerks and employees of the postoffice department, and there are quite a number who are afflicted with the very disagreeable eczema-like disfigurement, which, since the last few weeks, has given them considerable annoyance and physical pain.

The disease was first observed on the hands of a messenger, whose duty it is to carry letters, dispatches and books from office to office. He paid little attention to it, thinking it would disappear in due time. Instead, the disease spread, and now there are quite a number of employees and clerks who are doctoring their hands and faces, blotting their noses and covering their faces with the most repulsive and disagreeable disfigurement, and an investigation was made to explain the disease and to trace it to its source, with a view to stop its further progress.

Considerable alarm is felt, especially among the women clerks, who are obliged to use the ink or pencils contained in their pockets. They took measures for the protection of their hands, but without avail. The disease continued to spread among the clerks.

A doctor was finally called into requisition, who carefully analyzed ink, pencils, blotting paper and copying presses for poisonous components. He gave assurances that the disease did not emanate from those sources, as the majority of them were covered with a thick layer of verdigris, which is one of the most violent and strongest poisons known to materia medica.

The whole mystery was cleared up with this discovery, and orders were instantly given to those who have charge of the cleaning of the office to polish and scour and clean these brass doorknobs every day. It is hoped that this measure will restore the original purity of skin to the fair hands and faces of the afflicted clerks and employees of the postoffice department.

MYSTERY ABOUT MR. ROSENBERG. Had Nearly \$4,000 Concealed on His Person—Didn't Want Police to Wire to His Home.

Windsor, Nov. 10.—Chief Wills and Sergt. Jackson were two greatly surprised officials yesterday morning, when they slightly delayed and then brought in by Officer Lister. They found in his pockets money in gold and bills amounting in all to \$3,975.75. He told the officers that he had hidden the money from the sale of his clothing business in Vienna, Ill., but it was decided to hold him until the authorities in that town had been communicated with.

The prisoner gave the name of Jacob Rosenberg, and says that he left to him the Vienna branch months ago to purchase goods in Chicago. While on the train he claims to have lost his reason, and that he remembers nothing until arriving in Detroit. He crossed over to Windsor and since lived at 24 Windsor avenue.

He has the appearance of a person who is slightly demented, and did not answer the questions of the police in a very lucid manner. When Chief Wills announced his intention of communicating with his family in Vienna, Rosenberg turned pale and begged him not to do so. He said that it would injure his business if any telegram was sent, and told the chief that he would leave at once for home if set at liberty. He appeared to be laboring under the fear of assassination and was willing to do anything to avoid it.

Chief Wills says that in August he received a circular from some place in the State of Illinois asking him to apprehend a man named Rosenberg who was wanted there for demanding the hands of some unknown enemy and a considerable sum of money. The circular stated that the man wanted had purchased the goods on credit and had afterwards sold them to another party for cash and departed with the proceeds. He has communicated with the authorities at Vienna and will hold Rosenberg until he receives a reply.

Some of the Jewish residents of Windsor say that the relatives of Rosenberg have been advertising for him in the Jewish Gazette for the last two months. The advertisement states that Rosenberg left his home, without telling his relatives where he intended going.

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THE WEATHER TODAY—Fair and milder, showers.

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44-inch Cheviot, pure wool, in shades of browns, blues, roses, reds, castors and green. Very special value at, per yard 50c. 48-inch Cheviot, self colors, double weave, good weight, in shades of rose, blues, castor and brown. See this for splendid value at, per yard 65c. 46-inch Cheviot, herringbone weave, pure wool, self colors of rose, cardinal, bright navy, light and dark brown, and myrtle, most beautiful goods 75c. 50-inch Cheviot, very heavy twill, suitable for ladies' skirts and very stylish; in self colors of pearl gray, cardinal, bright navy and light brown. Very special value at, per yard 85c. 50-inch Cheviot, heavy weight, elegant goods for winter suits; in self colors of rose, browns, cardinal, myrtle, mid-gray, bright navy, petunia, lawn and castor. See this for fashionable goods at a very low price, only 1.00. SPECIAL—Pale Blue Lustre, asked for by many, is now here. Also a variety of other shades. Selling at low price of 75c.

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SMALLMAN & INGRAM 149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET. WEST ZORRA'S PRIDE How Big "Bob" McIntosh Bluffed the Natives of Dutton. [Woodstock Times.] "Bob" McIntosh, the muscular captain of the renowned West Zorra tug-of-war team, deserved to be crowned king of tug-of-war pullers. Mr. McIntosh, who is as good-natured as he is big and hearty, recently agreed to pull against three men at the Dutton fall fair, he to wear a belt and the captain of the opposing team of three to have on a belt also. Well, the event was advertised far and wide, and there was a big crowd at the Dutton fair when Mr. McIntosh got there. But, lo and behold, the president and directors of the agricultural society, for as soon as they saw Zorra's pride, the three men who had agreed to pull against him threw up the sponge and refused to act. Mr. McIntosh took it good-naturedly, as usual, and patiently challenged any three men in the county to come on and pull against him. As stated before there was a big crowd present, and it was a pretty good representation of the brawn and muscle of the townships, but they couldn't get three men to pull against Bob McIntosh, of West Zorra. They pleaded and extricated in vain. Several came up and viewed Mr. McIntosh's physique, at close quarters, and felt his muscles; then they shook their heads and decided to leave it to others. There was no tug-of-war in Dutton that day. Mr. McIntosh has just received a letter from the president of the Dutton Agricultural Society, expressing regret that the tug-of-war didn't come off, and congratulating Bob on his bloodless victory over his whole county.

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