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ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME TO FEDERAL CAPITAL

Many Addresses Were Presented But Only One Read—The City Elaborately Decorated.

Montreal, Sept. 20.—Montrealers again were out in thousands this morning, and lined the streets from Lord Strathcona's residence on Dorchester street to the Canadian Pacific railway station. Windsor, to bid farewell to their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. Detachments of the Duke of Connaught's Hussars, 2nd Royal Canadian Regiment, 5th Royal Scots Highland Cadets and 65th regiment escorted the Royal party to the station.

The party left almost on schedule time (9 o'clock) for Ottawa.

Prior to boarding the train His Royal Highness personally shook hands with Lord Strathcona, Mayor Prefontaine and members of the reception committee, thanking them for the many courtesies extended to him and the Duchess.

Arrival at Ottawa.
(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Sept. 20.—The Royal party arrived in Ottawa a few minutes before noon today. Their reception was most enthusiastic. They arrived over the Canadian Atlantic and detained at Elgin street station, thus permitting of a long drive through the city to the parliament grounds, where the general welcome was extended.

The route was over a mile long, so thousands had an opportunity of seeing the Duke and Duchess. All trains coming to the city yesterday and this morning were packed with excursionists.

As the Royal train rolled into the station a Royal salute was fired by the Ottawa Field Battery, a short distance from the station. The Governor-General, who came from Montreal yesterday, went to the station half an hour before the arrival of the Duke. He was accompanied by an escort from the Royal Canadian Dragoons, who have been here for a week, and who will furnish the necessary escorts on other occasions.

The Governor-General arrived a salute of 19 guns was fired by the field battery. The Duke was welcomed at the station by the Governor-General, the militia band and a small contingent of the city, representing the citizens and the city council. The Royal party boarded their car coach and, accompanied by an escort from the Princess Louise Dragoon Guards, proceeded to Parliament Hill. There, on a pavilion erected for the occasion, the Royal party were welcomed by cabinet ministers and prominent citizens. A civic address of welcome was read by Mayor Morris, who was arrayed in a cocked hat, silk breeches and a crimson robe for the occasion. A score of addresses were presented to the Duke, but only the Ottawa address was read.

The Duke and Duchess, in parliament buildings, grounds, and city generally were very elaborate.

Over three thousand school children sang "God Save the King" when the Duke and Duchess arrived at Parliament square. The Mayor of Ottawa led the way to receive the party, followed by Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, and all the cabinet ministers, except Dr. Borden and Hon. I. J. Tarte, who were prevented from being present on account of injuries from an accident on the steamer Frontenac at Quebec.

The Duke, in replying to the address, referred to the expressions of loyalty which it contained, touched on the visit in which the King, his father, paid to Ottawa when he laid the corner stone of the parliament buildings in 1890, of the bringing about the confederation and the general progress made by Canada since that time. The mutual toleration shown by both races had helped materially to bring about these good results. At the same time in the history of the British Empire were the ties of union more closely knit together than at present.

Those who have been invested with honors will receive the same at Government House to-morrow.

Witnessed Lacrosse Match.
Ottawa, Sept. 20.—The match for the Ontario lacrosse cup was played this afternoon before the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. An immense throng was present and the match the clearest and most brilliant ever witnessed in Ottawa. There was not a single foul. The result was: Capitals, 3 goals; Cornwall, 2 goals.

Will Visit London.

BORNE TO THEIR LAST RESTING PLACE

PRESIDENT'S REMAINS INTERRED AT CANTON

Civil, Naval and Military Organizations Were Represented—Mrs. McKinley Did Not Attend Service.

Canton, Ohio, Sept. 19.—To-day the remains of President McKinley were laid in their last resting place. Before the body was removed from the residence a brief private service had been held in the darkened chamber. Dr. Manchester saying a prayer while the relatives gathered around and Mrs. McKinley listened from the half opened door of her adjoining room.

Tenderly the coffin was committed to the hearse, and the silence was broken as the order to march passed from officer to officer. The great procession now took up its mournful journey, passing under the sweep of giant arches, robed in black and their living ties of humanity which lined the streets, house tops, filling windows. The church bells were tolling, mingling their dismal tones with the cadence of the funeral dirge.

At either side of the hearse marched the guard of military and naval honor, the generals on the right led by General Miles and the admirals on the left, led by Admiral Farquhar. Then came the long line of carriages for the relatives and friends, and after the innumerable military and civic organizations that had assembled to pay this last honor to the fallen chief. In the line were division after division of Knights Templars, Knights of Pythias, Masons, Odd Fellows and representatives of benevolent orders; Chambers of Commerce, as well as delegates of citizens of cities and towns throughout the state and country.

At the church entrance were drawn up deep lines of soldiers with bayonets advanced, keeping a clear area for the advancing casket and the long train of mourners. The hearse halted while President Roosevelt and the members of the cabinet alighted. Again they grouped themselves at either side of the entrance and with uncovered heads awaited the passing casket. Then the flower covered casket was brought from the hearse and as it passed within the black draped entrance, the President and his cabinet followed within the edifice. The mourners, too, passed inside, but the stricken widow was not among them. She remained behind in the old home alone with her grief.

The scene within the church when the casket was carried in on the brawny shoulders of the soldiers and sailors was profoundly impressive.

It was after 3 o'clock when the silent and anxious throng outside the church saw the solemn pageant reappear through the church doors. The line of the funeral march from the church to the cemetery was about one and one half miles in length.

It was exactly four minutes after four when the funeral car bore the remains of the dead President through the gates way of his last resting place. Twenty minutes after that time, the brief services at the vault were over, the members of the family and the distinguished guests of the nation who had come so far to do him honor, had passed through the gates on their homeward way.

The King's Message.
London, Sept. 19.—Replying to Mrs. McKinley's acknowledgment of his telegram of sympathy, King Edward to-day telegraphed to United States Ambassador Choate:

"Please convey to Mrs. McKinley my best thanks for her kind message. The Queen and I feel most deeply for her in this hour of her great affliction, and pray that God may give her strength to bear her heavy cross. Our thoughts will to-day be especially with the American nation, when its distinguished President is laid to rest."

THE LATE BISHOP WHITPLE.
Funeral at Fairbairn To-day Will Be Largely Attended.

Fairbairn, Minn., Sept. 20.—A large number of clergy of the Protestant Episcopal church, with many laymen, will attend the funeral services over the remains of the Right Rev. Henry Whipple, Bishop of Minnesota, which will take place this afternoon. Bishop Tuttle, of Missouri, will be the chief officiating clergyman, assisted by Bishop Morrison, of Duluth, Bishop Edsall, of Minneapolis, Bishop Hare, of South Dakota, Bishop Mills Paugh, of Kansas, and Bishop Grafton, of Fon Du Lac.

MRS. MCKINLEY'S CONDITION
Is Better Than at Anytime Since She Returned to Canton.

Canton, Sept. 20.—Mrs. McKinley's condition is favorable this morning, more so than at any time since her return. Last night she had considerable rest. Mrs. McKinley went to the cemetery about noon and spent some little time at the vault in which the casket of the late President lies. She bore the trip bravely.

URGENT STRINGENT ACTION.
New York, Sept. 20.—The grand jury of King's county, now in session in Brooklyn, adopted a resolution to-day recommending that stringent action be taken at once to stamp out anarchy.

CABINET MEETING.

President Roosevelt and Ministers Have Returned to Washington.

Washington, Sept. 20.—The presidential train arrived at the Pennsylvania railroad station at 9.25 a.m. President Roosevelt immediately entered a carriage and was driven to the residence of Commander Cowles. All the members of the cabinet who went to Canton returned with him.

After a suspension of three days as a mark of respect for the death of President McKinley, the business of the government at Washington was resumed at 9 a.m. to-day.

At 11 o'clock all the members of the cabinet had arrived at the White House. Nearly all of them are quite sure to remain during Mr. Roosevelt's term, but it is probable that Secretary Long will retire to private life within the next few months.

SPENDING A QUIET DAY.
Many Visited Compiègne in Hope of Seeing the Czar, But Were Disappointed.

Compiègne, Sept. 20.—The Czar is spending to-day in comparative repose after a couple of very fatiguing days. He has spent the morning in his apartments without signifying what he intended to do until lunch time. Even President Loubet was kept in suspense.

The latter part of the morning was devoted to an exchange of visits with various personages.

The weather brightened in the afternoon and crowds of people invaded the Complexion from Paris and the neighboring towns in the hope of obtaining a glimpse of the Czar, but they were disappointed. The streets are still decorated and will be illuminated this evening.

STEAMER SINKS.
The Crew of Twenty-five Were Drowned at Sea.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 19.—A special to the Tribune from Sault Ste. Marie says: "The Steamer Nichola, which arrived here from Duluth to-day, brought the report that the steamer Hudson, founder of Eagle river last Monday, her crew of 25 men being drowned in the heavy sea. Capt. McLean's story clears up the mystery surrounding the sinking of a steamer with two stacks seen from the shore."

TWO MORE DEATHS.
Victims of Trolley Car Accident Die From Injuries.

St. Catharines, Sept. 20.—Mrs. McMillan and Miss Thomas, two victims of the trolley car collision on Wednesday afternoon, died of their injuries yesterday.

THANKSGIVING DAY.
(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—An order-in-council has been passed appointing Thursday, October 31st, a day of general Thanksgiving for the Dominion.

GIFTS FOR ROYAL VISITORS.
The Duke Received Gold Medal and the Duchess Diamonds and Pearls.

Montreal, Sept. 19.—As a sympathetic tribute to the memory of President McKinley, the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall refrained to-day from participation in public functions and limited their movements to a round of visits to religious, charitable and educational institutions.

During the day the Duke and Duchess were driven to Villa Marie convent. They were met again by Archbishop Bruchesi, who, with Sister St. Mary Caroline, the superior, showed them through the historic old building. In recreation hall a formal address of welcome was read by a pupil and there was a short musical programme.

The Duke and Duchess of York were accompanied on their several visits by a number of their suite and aside from the presentation of addresses everything was very informal. They mingled freely with those they met at different places. Premier Laurier assisted at the different informal receptions held during the day.

Aside from the cheering when the crowds caught sight of the Royal party there were no street demonstrations and the city was generally very quiet. Flags at half-mast for President McKinley were displayed all over the city and pictures of the dead President draped with purple or crepe adorned many windows.

STEEL WORKERS ARE RETURNING TO WORK

ADDITIONAL PLANTS TO START UP ON MONDAY

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 20.—With few exceptions work was resumed at least in a measure at the combine steel mills to-day, and if the disgruntled tin workers can be conciliated by next Monday all the plants will be in full operation.

Preparations were made to-day for starting on Monday of the Newcastle plant of the National Steel Co., employing 20,000 men, as well as the Wood Sheets plant at McKeesport, employing 1,000.

Among the tin workers the feeling against returning to work, unless the union shall have been recognized, is still strong, but influence is at work which it is hoped will induce the strikers to reconsider their heated determination before any rash move shall have been made.

The Amalgamated Journal, commenting upon the New York settlement, says: "The causes that led up to this unsatisfactory settlement were the overwhelming odds that the association had to battle against, the daily press, public opinion, the advice of prominent labor leaders, and the withdrawal of credit by merchants."

EXHIBITION NOTES.
Entries Close in a Few Days—Collection From Alberni—Repairs Necessary.

The regular weekly meeting of the general management committee of the B. C. Agricultural and Mining Association will be held as usual on Wednesday evening next.

The secretary wishes it understood that only a few more days remain in which entries can be received. In connection with the entries of horses it might be noted that geldings may be entered with like the word "geld" appears it should read "filly or gelding."

A communication has been received from Col. Hayes informing the promoters of the exhibition that the exhibition should be held at Alberni to-night, and will gather together a collection of minerals from all the mines in the district, which will be sent down on the next steamer.

Out at the exhibition grounds exhibitors are at work getting their stands in position, and other arrangements are being prosecuted with dispatch.

The secretary has taken the initiative, and engaged a man to remove the timber on the road to the exhibition grounds, and to drive in the nails which have been protruding divers lengths from the sidewalk. He grew weary waiting for the government to undertake this work.

The bridge over the ravine on the road also requires further repairing. The spaces between the tramcar ties should be boarded in or someone may fall through in the night. A guard railing should also be erected on the right side of the bridge going out. The fall would not be very far, but it would be eminently disagreeable, as the contents of the sloop are neither inviting nor exhilarating.

THE GRAIN CROPS.
Sent-Official Reports Regarding Conditions in European Russia.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 20.—The Journal of Commerce and Industry to-day semi-officially reports the following regarding the grain crops of European Russia:

The winter grain is quite satisfactory in the southwest, where there was sufficient rain in the summer. In the North Caucasus region and a portion of the western provinces it is about the average. It is not quite satisfactory in the southeast, that is beyond the Volga and near the Azof sea.

It is said to be very bad in Volga valley and the provinces adjoining, Russian Poland and many districts of the Baltic provinces. In the other provinces it is about an usual with local exceptions.

The summer grain is everywhere poorer than the winter grain. It is better in the southwest than elsewhere, the entire harvest there being above the average. It is unsatisfactory in the Don valley, but bad in the west and portions of the Baltic provinces.

STATUE OF KING ALFRED
Unveiled To-day by Lord Rosebery—Britain and America.

Winchester, England, Sept. 20.—In the presence of a vast concourse of Anglo-Saxon delegates and officials, Lord Rosebery to-day unveiled the great statue of King Alfred. During the course of his eulogy of the Saxon King, the former Premier said: "King Alfred wrought immortal work for us and our sister nation over the sea, which, in supreme moments of joy and sorrow, is irresistibly joined to us across the countries and across the sea."

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Boers Are Active Around the Scenes of Former Engagements—Fighting Reported South of Stormberg.

London, Sept. 21.—Mr. Kruger and Dr. Leyds are drawing up petitions to President Roosevelt and the Czar, asking them to intervene.

The fighting Boers are helping themselves in South Africa by celebrating the expiration of the period in which Lord Kitchener promised they must surrender by four notable successes.

The situation is singularly like the opening of the war two years ago, the names of the same places recurring in the dispatches. Uitsig, where Major Gough was entrapped, was the scene of a Boer ambush which drove back the Acton Homes, where the Boers yesterday reappeared, is eighteen miles south-west of Ladysmith, prominent in the early hostilities, and the Natal colonials are mustered for the defence of the Tugela as when Gen. Joubert invaded Natal in 1899. In Cape Colony fighting is again going on south of Stormberg.

The Times, while it has no misgivings as to the final issue, accuses the home officials of lack of organized, sustained efforts, of a disposition to postpone military operations for financial considerations, and of failure to grasp the moral and intellectual damage which the prolongation of the struggle inflicts on the Empire.

Other ministerial supporters aver that precious months which should have been spent in preparing for another campaign were wasted in electioneering, and that Lord Kitchener has not been supplied with the requisites for war. So soon as Lord Kitchener squeezes one part of the sponge the mobile Boers trickle away at the other parts. The vast war field is continually recruited from the rebel Dutch and Boer sympathizers. It is pointed out that it is convenient for the Boers to have in their hands numbers of British at a time when a harsher policy is advocated.

Appeal For Arbitration.
The Hague, Sept. 21.—Baron von Linden, the minister of foreign affairs, has forwarded to the legations and members of the council of the court of arbitration a copy of the Boer appeal for arbitration, with a notification that he intends to bring the appeal for consideration at the first meeting of the council. The date of the meeting is not fixed.

NEW RUSSIAN LOAN.
Negotiations With the Rothschilds Reported to Have Been Completed.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 18.—It is understood that negotiations have already been concluded with the Rothschilds for a large loan to be issued at about the end of the year. The Czar's visit to France is expected to facilitate the placing of the loan. The sum mentioned is a billion francs. It was understood soon after the last loan that it was merely a first instalment.

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