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FINAL CEREMONIES.

King Edward's Reign is Now Completely Inaugurated.

ROYAL PROCESSION IN LONDON

His Majesty, With Members of His Family, Attend Divine Service in St. Paul's Cathedral—Returns Thanks For His Recovery—Their Majesties Cordially Greeted by London Crowds.

London, Oct. 27.—The last ceremonies connected with the inauguration of the reign of King Edward VII. occurred yesterday, when the King, accompanied by Queen Alexandra, the Prince of Wales and almost all the members of the royal family drove to St. Paul's Cathedral and offered up thanks for the recovery of his health.

The weather was rainy, and small crowds marked the royal progress through the metropolis. At Temple Bar the Lord Mayor of London and the corporation met the King and escorted him to the cathedral, where in the nave were gathered several thousand persons, including Premier Balfour, leading members of the nobility, almost all the members of the Cabinet and the Foreign Ambassadors to Great Britain.

The Honorable Artillery Company formed an imposing line, but before the service was over several of the artillerymen had fainted as a result of long standing.

The choir, the chapter and the Bishop of London, the Right Rev. Arthur Tappin, escorted the King and the Queen to the throne under Reredos.

There was a full choral service of thanksgiving, followed by a sermon from the Bishop of London, who laid special stress upon the fact that this was the second time in His Majesty's life that he had entered St. Paul's to give thanks for his recovery from a dangerous illness. At the conclusion of the sermon the Te Deum was sung.

The royal party then returned to Buckingham Palace, being greeted wherever the crowds were large enough to raise a cheer. In spite of the rain, King Edward ordered that the carriages be kept open, and Queen Alexandra bowed and smiled from behind a small umbrella. King Edward was dressed in the uniform of a field marshal, and wore the decoration of the Order of the Garter.

The event was marked by two untoward incidents on Saturday.

A fanatical clergyman was arrested for having a quantity of gunpowder in his possession, with which he intended to make a demonstration against the erection of spectators' stands around St. George's Church, Southwark.

The second incident was the breaking out of a fire in the dome of the Guildhall just after the royal party left the building, which, several firemen declare had been smouldering while the King was at lunch.

An interesting feature of the royal progress on Saturday was the King's reply to the address of the London County Council in Trafalgar square. The Boer generals occupying prominent seats in the centre of the County Council stand, immediately facing the King. His Majesty's reply was clearly audible to all in the vicinity. He said:

It gives much pleasure both to myself and the Queen to receive in person the loyal and dutiful address of the centre of municipal authority on the occasion of our progress through the capital of the Empire, and to receive the greetings of our people on our coronation. Your confidence that my favor will be extended to every measure calculated to ameliorate the conditions of my subjects is well founded and of the numerous important questions which come under your consideration none appeal more strongly to my interest and sympathy than those directly touching on the welfare of the poorer classes of this and other great cities. I thank you for your good wishes for myself and my house. I cordially share your aspiration that it may be granted me by the same divine providence which preserved my life from imminent danger to reign over my firmly established and peaceful Empire, and in the loyal hearts of my contented and prosperous people.

The King's reply to the address in the Guildhall was much on the same lines as his speech at Trafalgar square.

After luncheon the common crier called for a toast to His Majesty the King, and Mrs. Albini, stationed in one of the galleries, sang the national anthem, in which the whole company joined.

PRESIDENT MITCHELL WORRIED.

9,000 Miners Refuse to Go Back to Work—More May Follow.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Oct. 27.—The situation in the Hazleton, Panther Creek and Mahanoy City districts of the anthracite field is so critical that another large strike is not improbable unless the operators recede from their position. In the Hazleton district nine thousand men refuse to return to work. Near Mahanoy City eight hundred went on strike Saturday and nine hundred threaten to strike on Monday, while in the Panther Creek Valley the locals are yet to determine whether they shall ask the Executive Board to order a strike of the six thousand men of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company.

President Mitchell is endeavoring to smooth things over, and the district officers to have the operators recede from the position they have taken, but the breach only grows wider, and the ill-feeling increases. An effort to have the Cranberry local pass upon the question of going to work resulted in a unanimous vote to stay on strike.

President Mitchell is worried about the situation through the region, and considers it so serious that he will not talk about it, which is one of his traits. It would be a big feather in his cap if, when he appears before the commission at Washington on Monday, he could say that all the strikers were back at work and that there was no friction. The fact that men would not agree to treat non-union men properly is not readily understood by the public. Their objection is not to the non-union men and their treatment of them, but to signing an agreement with the operators. They want no such agreement until they know what the commission grants. They also assert that the operators, against whose actions they protest, are the men who did not sign the arbitration proposition, and that it is not known where they stand.

Yesterday afternoon President Mitchell was presented with a gold badge and gold watch from the Polish, Lithuanian and Slavish members of the United Mine Workers. The presentation took place at President Mitchell's headquarters, and a large crowd listened to the speeches of presentation and acceptance.

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Whisper Caused a Riot.

Dublin, Oct. 27.—An extraordinary scene occurred in a Dublin church during the service yesterday. The preacher had made a severe remark on proselytism, when a woman leaned over the back of the pew in front of her and whispered audibly in the ear of another woman: "There's a tip for you." The woman spoken to turned and struck the speaker across the face. The congregation was instantly in an uproar, and in the panic several persons were knocked down and trodden on.

Two Schooners Reported Lost.

St. John's, Nfld., Oct. 27.—Two more schooners were reported yesterday to have been lost on the north coast. The crews of these vessels, however, are said to have been saved.

The Labrador mail boat, which is here, reports much distress among the fisher folk on the Labrador coast as the result of a recent gale and the destruction of fishery outfits.

House Breakers Sentenced.

London, Oct. 27.—Wesley Perry, James Langley and Manville Newman, who pleaded guilty to breaking into the residence of Mr. T. L. Belcher and stealing several valuables, were sentenced Saturday morning, Langley and Perry were each sentenced to two years in Kingston Penitentiary, and Newman was given six months in the Central Prison.

Serum For Whooping Cough.

London, Oct. 27.—A young Brussels physician named Leveaux says he has discovered the serum of whooping cough, which is injected under the skin in the abdominal region. From the experiments which he has conducted hitherto the injection appears to be quite harmless.

Wireless on Trains.

Rome, Oct. 27.—It has been decided to establish wireless telegraphy apparatus at all stations and on all passenger trains on Italian railroads. King Victor Emmanuel of his own initiative has appointed William Marconi a chevalier of the Order of Industrial Merit.

Car to See the Pope.

London, Oct. 27.—According to the Copenhagen correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, the Czar of Russia, after visiting Italy, will probably to Constantinople. While in Italy the Czar will have an interview with the Pope.

Twenty-Five Indictments Brought in.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 27.—The grand jury late Saturday afternoon returned twenty-five indictments in the local grave robbery scandal. Five doctors have been indicted. All the ghouls now under arrest are indicted.

Soldiers Still on Guard at Dunkirk.

Dunkirk, France, Oct. 27.—Soldiers are still camped in the streets here, although work has been resumed at the docks.

A Good Talker.

Clara—Is Mrs. Fitter a good conversationalist?
Dorothy—Yes, indeed. She makes you think of lots of good things to say, but talks so much that you don't get a chance to say them.

Compromise.

"Why should religion and science quarrel?"
"Why, indeed?"
"Why not say that man is descended from the monkey Eve made of Adam and let it go at that?"

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