

DOCKYARDS IN BRITAIN.

Keyham Now Occupies First Position as Naval Stronghold.

The dockyard extension at Keyham marks a new development in the history of the western port which places it in the foremost rank of Great Britain's naval strongholds. The enlargement of the twin establishments at Devonport and Keyham, which is now officially known as the North Yard, has brought into existence two new large basins, three double docks and a single one. The work has been in hand exactly eleven years.

The history of Devonport, which, prior to 1829 was called Plymouth, goes back to the days of hemp and canvas. Keyham was founded as an outcome of the modern steam navy. It was to the foresight of Lord Cardigan that the prompt introduction of a new yard was due. This was in 1896, four years after the steam frigate Firebrand had marked a first stage in the revolution in the propulsion of warships. As at first planned, Keyham had two large basins and three docks, and it was mostly used as a repairing yard. It was also the training ground of our young engineer officers before the amalgamation scheme for the training and education of officers in 1902 swept away the different branches, and brought all the cadets together at Osborne for common training.

By the completion of the Keyham Extension Works, as the new undertaking was first called, the old and the new are welded into one. Devonport remains the name of the yard, but Keyham is the spirit of it—the spirit of machinery and engines, of vast complicated boxes of wood and brass, in which our seamen of the future will move as familiarly as his forefathers moved among spars and ropes.

SWETTENHAM'S SUCCESSOR.

Mr. Sydney Olivier Is Highly Popular With the Jamaicans.

Mr. Sydney Olivier, who succeeds Sir J. Alexander Swettenham as Governor of Jamaica, is highly popular with the Jamaicans, and enjoys their confidence in a marked degree. From 1890 to 1904 he was Colonial Secretary in Jamaica, and during the years of that period he was acting Governor of the colony. So greatly were his services esteemed that when, following the calamitous earthquake that destroyed Kingston recently, Sir Alexander Swettenham asked for permission to retire, there was a unanimous wish on the part of the press and the people that Mr. Olivier should receive the post. In the quarter of a century during which he has been associated with the Colonial Office Mr. Olivier has filled various positions connected with the West Indian colonies, and has undertaken several important missions, one of which was as secretary to the late Field Marshal Sir Henry Norman's Royal Commission on the West Indies. In 1890-91 he was acting Governor of the British Honduras, in 1895-96 the General of the Leeward Islands, and in 1898 was sent to Washington to assist in reciprocity negotiations on behalf of the West Indian colonies. Apart from his distinguished services as a colonial administrator, Mr. Olivier is a writer of graceful verse and prose. In 1881 he published a volume of "Poems and Parodies," but his work in prose has been confined to brilliant essays and magazine articles on Socialism, economics and art. He has been from the beginning one of the leading lights of the Fabian Society, and was its secretary from 1886 to 1890. He was one of the contributors, with Mr. George Bernard Shaw and others, to the famous Fabian essays, which represent, perhaps, the greatest effort of the society in the popularization of Socialism.

Girl Masquerades as Boy.

A remarkable story of a girl who was induced by her mother to masquerade as an errand boy in order to rob her employer was told at the Liverpool, Eng., Police Court recently. Emily Barnes, an intelligent girl of fifteen, said that after conversation with her mother she dressed up as a boy some months ago, and obtained work running errands. A few weeks ago, under the name of "Harold Barnes," she found employment in the shop of Mr. Jacobus. Noticing where the money was kept she hid one night in the cellar. In the early hours of the following morning, she broke open the till with an axe and stole £4, subsequently giving the money to her mother. Suspicion, however, fell upon the supposed boy, and she was charged at the Police Court without her real sex being discovered. It was only when remanded to the workhouse that she confessed to being a girl.

New Cruiser Launched.

The British armored cruiser, Invincible was launched last week from the Elswick shipyard, Newcastle. She is one of the trio of largest cruisers in the world, of which the first, the Indomitable, was launched March 16.

Under the admiralty order the greatest secrecy was observed, in order to prevent any details regarding the new warship leaking out.

Her dimensions are the same as those of the Indomitable, namely, she is 17,250 tons, is 580 feet long, exceeding the older armored cruisers by 50 feet; has turbine engines and is expected to attain the high speed of 25 knots an hour.

The armament of these three cruisers includes eight 12-inch guns, almost equalling the main battery of the Dreadnought.

King's Cane Collection.

King Edward is a diligent collector of walking sticks, matchboxes, caricatures, and model ships. His collection of canes numbers nearly 2,000, and most of these have remarkable associations. A stick highly prized by the King is one used by Queen Victoria in her closing years. It is made from a portion of the oak in which Charles I. concealed himself after his defeat by Cromwell at Worcester.

A CRIME THAT IS NOT PUNISHABLE.

How many people reading this article have gone into a drug store and asked for some well known and highly tried medicine and some unscrupulous druggist has said, "Yes I have that, but have you ever tried this remedy, it is just as good and costs less." Any druggist doing this has not the interest of his health at heart, but the interest of his pocket, as he can make more profit out of the cheap substitute.

For the protection and benefit of the public, we wish to say that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has been used in thousands of homes for the past sixty-two years and has been found to give prompt relief and cure in all cases of Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Colic, Stomach Cramps, Summer Complaint, Sea Sickness, Cholera, Infantum, Cholera Morbus and all Fluxes of the Bowels. When you buy Dr. Fowler's you are not experimenting with a new and untried remedy, but are getting one that has stood the test of time.

Miss Lettie Reid, Vivian, Ont., writes: "Last year I suffered untold agony from cramps in the stomach and did not know what to do until a friend suggested I should try Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and as I was glad to try anything I purchased a bottle.

"When I had taken four doses I found relief and since then I never fail to keep a bottle in the house."

A Clever Manager. The Groom (very wealthy)—Why did you ever marry an ordinary chap like me? The Bride—I haven't the slightest idea. Mamma managed the whole affair.

Amsterdam is the nearest European capital to London, being only 130 miles distant.

DON'T USE GREASY LINIMENTS.

A century ago they were popular. To-day people want something easy to apply, certain in results, and, above all, a clean liniment. When Nerviline is applied acids and pains disappear as the pores absorb its soothing, healing properties. Nerviline penetrates to the core of the pain, eases instantly, and leaves no oily, bad smelling memory behind. Good to take in, capital to rub on, and five times more powerful in destroying pain than any oily liniment. Don't fail to get a large 25c. bottle.

Treatment of Insane.

Toronto, Aug. 29.—Hon. Dr. W. Loughby, who, with Dr. Clark, superintendent of Toronto Asylum, and Dr. Ryan, superintendent of Kingston Asylum, visited a number of asylums in Europe with the object of reporting on the best methods of dealing with the insane, will make a report, which may have an important bearing on legislation to be introduced next session.

In Munich, Germany, they visited

a psychiatric clinic department, in one of the hospitals where mental diseases are treated at their inception. In the majority of cases it has been found unnecessary to send the patient to the asylum.

THE CAUSE OF HAY FEVER.

It is a microbe that floats in the air, gets into the throat and lungs, develops rapidly, excites inflammation, etc. The cause is as simple as a thistle in the finger. Extract the thistle, away goes the pain. Destroy the Hay Fever germ—you get well. That's why Catarrhazone acts so marvelously in Hay Fever. Its fragrant vapor you bring cure, but to the microbe death. Catarrhazone is as quick to act on these microscopic organisms as lightning. Prevents as well as cures, and is always successful. Druggists, 25c. and \$1.00, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

He Knew the Kind.

A small boy in Boston was rebuked by his father for swearing. "Who told you that I swore?" asked the bad little boy. "Oh, a little bird told me," said the father. The boy stood and looked out of the window, at some sparrows which were chattering. "I knew who told you," he said. "It was one of those damn sparrows."

Her Mind.

Hilton—My wife is a matter of fact woman. She only speaks her mind. Chilton—So does mine, but she changes her mind so often that it keeps her talking all the time.

Take care of the stomach and the health will take care of itself. If people only realized the soundness of that statement the majority might live to a good old age like Moses, "the eye undimmed, the natural force unabated." It is in the stomach that the blood is made. It is from the stomach that nourishment is dispensed to nerve and muscle. If the stomach is "weak" it can't do its whole work for each part of the body. If it is diseased the disease will taint the nourishment which is distributed, and so spread disease throughout the body. It was the realization of the importance of the stomach as the common source of disease which led Dr. Pierce to prepare his "Golden Medical Discovery." Diseases which originate in the stomach must be cured through the stomach. The soundness of this theory is proved every day by cures of diseased organs, heart, liver, lungs, blood, by the use of the "Discovery," which is solely and singly a medicine for the blood and organs of digestion and nutrition.

Not a secret or "patent medicine"

because ingredients are printed on label, contains no alcohol, is purely vegetable.

Some men's idea of popularity it to have a great, big funeral.

COMMONER AND KING

DESCRIPTION OF JOYS OF BEING HIS MAJESTY'S GUEST.

John Burns Tells of His Visit to Windsor Castle—First Labor Man to Dine and Sleep At Royal Residence—Early Morning Walks In the Grounds—The King a Genial Host.

The recent visit of John Burns to Windsor castle at the invitation of King Edward was unique, inasmuch as the president of the Local Government Board is probably the only labor representative who has been honored with an invitation to dine and sleep at the royal residence by the reigning sovereign of the country, says London Tit-Bits.

It must have been a curious experience for one who was obliged to commence the struggle for a livelihood at ten years of age to be saluted by sentries as the guest of the King and to be relieved of even his hand bag by a royal footman.

By Special Train.

Any one, however, who is invited to dine with Their Majesties is waited upon in practically the same manner as the King and Queen would be themselves. If a large party from London are asked to spend the night at Windsor castle, a special train is provided, and royal servants attend in order to wait upon the guests. In the case of Mr. Burns a special carriage was reserved for him, and a closed carriage, drawn by a pair of horses in charge of a postilion, met him at Windsor.

While of course the ordinary rules of royal etiquette are observed, there is always an absence of rigid formality when commoners dine with the King. His Majesty acts the part of guest quite at ease.

Throws Off Reserve.

During the after dinner smoke he throws off all reserve just as an ordinary individual. Their Majesties usually retire from the company about 10 or 11 o'clock, although that does not mean that the guests must do likewise. They may please themselves in exactly the same way as if they were at home. That their movements are in nowise restricted by any form of etiquette is shown by the fact that Mr. Burns the morning following his visit to Windsor castle was up at 6 and was looking round the grounds between 7 and 8.

A DUCHESS' MISSION.

New Society Recruit For the Church Army.

The Duchess of Marlborough has decided to add the influence of her social position and great wealth to the forces of the Church Army in the splendid work it does in London.

As marking the close to her recent

domestic troubles the Duchess intends to make active social work one of her chief objects in life. For a long



DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH.

time past she has aided rescue work from the outside. She is now to become a practical philanthropist.

About three weeks ago Prob. Carle visited the Duchess at Beaulieu, Nice, explained Mr. Colin F. Campbell, hon. sec. of the Church Army's social work the other day.

The Duchess has always taken great interest in our work since her marriage. "Many times her grace has opened sales of work for us, and garden and drawing-room parties have been held at Beaulieu."

Mr. Carle has visited the Duchess as the guest of the Duke since the unhappy domestic differences between the Duke and Duchess—indeed, only a few weeks ago.

It is expected that the Duchess will begin her new work as soon as she returns from the South of France, where she is staying with her mother and her two sons.

Captain and a Big Bear.

Capt. Stanley, the British Naval Attaché at St. Petersburg, while out bear shooting had a narrow escape from being killed.

He was in a forest near the village of Borokina, between St. Petersburg and Moscow, with a member of the British and a member of the Austrian Embassy, when a large bear suddenly emerged from behind a tree several feet away.

Capt. Stanley fired, wounding the bear in the breast, but the brute continued his rush, knocking the captain down. His gun flew out of his hands, and the bear bit first one leg and then the other. Instead of clawing him, however, the bear then departed hurriedly, and later the other hunters killed it. Capt. Stanley was carried home and had to take to his bed.

BE A STRONG MAN.

Increase your vitality and nerve energy, restore vim and force to your overworked body. Ferrozone will do this for you as it did for Mr. Walter Wood, of Beauport, N. B., who says, "I can say Ferrozone has given me a new lease of life. A year ago I suffered so from nervous exhaustion I was scarcely able to drag myself around. My appetite was gone, I had no color or ambition and felt used up. One box of Ferrozone started me back to health. I took a number of boxes and my health was completely restored. For men who are tired, pale, nervous and thin, nothing compares with Ferrozone. Fifty cents per box at all dealers."

Australia Refuses Canada.

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—At the request of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association the Government cabled the Australian Administration asking permission for goods in transit from Canada to Australia to be exempt from the new Australian tariff to enter at the old and lower rate of duties.

This request has been refused.

I'll stop your pain free. To show you first—before you spend a penny on what my Pink Pain Tablets can do for you—I will mail you free, a Trial Package of them—Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets, Neuralgia, Headache, Toothache, Period pains, etc., are due alone to blood congestion. Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets simply kill pain by coaxing away the unnatural blood pressure. That's all. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis.

Sold by All Dealers.

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Unchanged, Chicago Closed Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Aug. 29. Liverpool wheat futures closed today unchanged to 1/4 higher, and corn 1/4 lower yesterday.

At Chicago September wheat closed 1/2 lower, Sept. 1907, and Sept. 1908, 1/2 lower than yesterday.

Winnipeg Options.

Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day:

Wheat—Aug. 29c bid, Sept. 29c asked, Oct. 27c bid.

Oats—Aug. 22c bid, Oct. 21c bid, Dec. 20c bid.

Toronto Grain Markets.

Wheat, spring, bush 39 1/2 to 40 1/2

Wheat, fall, bush 39 1/2 to 40 1/2

Wheat, goose, bush 39 1/2 to 40 1/2

Wheat, red, 100 lb. 39 1/2 to 40 1/2

Peas, bush 39 1/2 to 40 1/2

Barley, bush 39 1/2 to 40 1/2

Oats, bush 39 1/2 to 40 1/2

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, creamery, boxes 22 1/2 to 23 1/2

Butter, dairy, lb. rolls 19 1/2 to 20 1/2

Butter, tubs 19 1/2 to 20 1/2

Eggs, new-laid, dozen 19 1/2 to 20 1/2

Cheese, large, lb 12 1/2 to 13 1/2

Cheese, small, lb 12 1/2 to 13 1/2

Honey, 10-lb. tin 12 1/2 to 13 1/2

Butter, steady, unchanged; receipts, 2,000 to 2,500.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 200; steady, 100 to 150.

Do, small colored, fine, 15c to 16c; do, white, 15c to 16c; do, good, 15c to 16c; do, common to fair, 10c to 12c; do, large colored, fine, 15c to 16c; do, white, 15c to 16c; do, common to good, 10c to 12c; do, small, 10c to 12c.

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CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables About Steady—United States Markets Are About Unchanged.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—London cables are steady at 13 1/2 to 14c. The drovers' weight, refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c per lb.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Aug. 29.—(Special).—About 300 head of butchers' stock, including 125 calves, 800 sheep and lambs and 300 fat hogs were offered for sale at the Royal and Albert to-day. The drovers' report that the cattle market is rotten, there being too many common stock for the requirements of the trade, and even the pretty good cattle being declining rates.

The highest price paid to-day was in the vicinity of 6c per lb. and from that down to 4c per lb. for heavy cattle, and 3c to 4c for light cattle.

2-year-old steers and heifers, brought from Athens, Ont., were sold here to-day at 12c to 14c per lb.

Mr. Andrew Burrows of Smith's Falls, who is going to ship them to American markets, which cows sold at 25c to 30c each, and 25c to 30c for calves.

Sheep sold at about 45c per lb., and the lambs at 6c to 6 1/2c per lb.

Fat hogs sold at from 25c to 27c.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Aug. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; active and steady, 25c to 26c.

Veals—Receipts, 100 head; active and steady, 25c to 26c.

Hogs—Receipts, 300 head; fairly active; pigs, 5c higher; others, steady; heavy, 25c to 26c; pigs, 27c to 28c; roughs, 25c to 26c; steady, 24c to 25c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 300 head; active, steady; steady; lambs, 5c higher; others, steady; heavy, 25c to 26c; light, 24c to 25c; wethers, 25c to 26c; ewes, 24c to 25c; sheep, mixed, 25c to 26c.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Beef—Receipts, 200; steady, 100 to 150.

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HAS SAVED THOUSANDS

LORD LISTER CELEBRATES HIS EIGHTIETH BIRTHDAY.

Grand Old Man of Surgery—Introduced the Antiseptic Treatment of Wounds—Vastly Reduced Mortality—Opened New Field of Remedial Treatment—Has Been Called Benefactor of Humanity.

Lord Lister, the famous surgeon, has just celebrated his eightieth birthday. He is still hale and hearty, and received with pleasure congratulations from all parts of the world. In the morning "the renovator of surgery," as he has been called, received a deputation chosen by the Committee of Scientists of the World, who informed him that it had been decided to publish his writings in book form.

The veteran's birthday was treated in Berlin almost as if it had been a German national event. One of the German papers, in an article, entitled "Benefactor of Humanity," states that the introduction of the antiseptic method "has brought mankind one of the greatest blessings of all time, and made the name of Lister immortal."

It is just forty years since he first announced to the world his discovery of the antiseptic method, which has made his name one of the most honored in medical circles all over the world. It would probably be impossible to find another man in the world to whose work so many people owe their lives. Before the treatment which he introduced, nearly 50 per cent. of surgical operations proved fatal owing to septic poisoning. What to-day



LORD LISTER.

would be considered a simple operation, was in those days always faced with the probability of a fatal termination. At the present day it is only in very rare cases that the wound caused by an operation is attacked by poisoning. This is almost entirely due to the antiseptic treatment which has made the most intricate and complicated operation possible. Pasteur had already thrown much light on the nature and history of the germs which caused gangrene and other poisonous diseases that so frequently followed an operation. Lord Lister took up the work where Pasteur had laid it down, and not only threw further light on the germs themselves but discovered the means by which they could be destroyed.

Lord Lister has had the gratification to see his principles universally adopted. Oxford, Cambridge, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Dublin, have honored him with their degrees; foreign societies innumerable have conferred distinctions. But the greatest honor in the eyes of his profession was that, having been made a baronet in 1883, he was raised to the peerage in 1897. For centuries the Church, the Army, the Navy, the Law had contributed largely to the Upper House; Literature had a representative in the main; but Art and Science were in the main neglected until Leighton and Sir William Thomson (Lord Kelvin) were made peers; and the noblest of all professions was overlooked until it was honored in the person of Joseph Lister—the first medical man as such to enter the House of Lords. In what spirit did these honors? Here are his words when the City of Edinburgh gave him its freedom:

"I regard this and all worldly distinctions as nothing in comparison with the hope that may have been the means of reducing in some degree the sum of human misery."

Noble words, worthy of a noble man. The King appointed Lord Lister Sergeant-surgeon-in-Ordinary soon after his accession.

Walter Scott as a Boy.

When Sir Walter Scott was only eighteen months old he was taken with a severe fever, which affected his right leg so that he was lame throughout his whole life. At the age of four a favorite aunt took him to Bath in hope that the waters there might lessen or if not entirely cure his lameness, but they did not give him any relief. He lived at Bath for several years, learning to read at a dame school, taking private lessons of an aunt and often attending the theatre with his uncle, Captain Robert Scott. It is told that one evening upon seeing the play "As You Like It" young Scott became so excited during the quarrel between Orlando and his brother that he screamed out at the top of his voice, "Ain't they brothers?"

Superstition In Calcutta.

The greatest superstition exists in Calcutta. Not long ago an Indian gentleman residing in Jaun Bazar street had a live goat flung down from his two storied house in accordance with the directions of a so-called magician, who was called in to cast out a devil with which a son was supposed to be possessed. The poor brute was first fed with a few bamboo leaves over which the wizard mumbled some mantras, and it was then pushed over the terrace. The animal was killed, and its flesh was distributed to the poor.

LONDON'S SAILOR RESERVE.

Prince of Wales Inspects Royal Naval Volunteers At Lambeth.

Over 700 strong, and in spick and span condition, the 10 companies forming the London division of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve assembled the other day at their drill hall in Commercial road, Lambeth, for inspection by the Prince of Wales.

A crowd of people awaited the arrival of the Prince, and hearty cheers were raised when his Royal Highness drove up in Naval guard of honor composed of officers and men from Nos. 1 and 2 companies, under Lieut. Wilkey.

Commander Guinness, introduced to the Prince, one by one, the officers under his command.

Having been inspected by the Prince the division went through man-



PRINCE OF WALES REVIEWING THE ROYAL NAVAL VOLUNTEERS.

ual and firing exercise, and then "fall in for drills" was piped.

Many of the drills were of a spectacular nature, and carried out with remarkable precision, dash, and unity. The dismembering of field guns and their equipment, and lifting them piece by piece through a "hole in the wall" was at once a good show item and a test of efficiency.

The Prince watched every movement with a professional eye, and asked many questions of the officers on points of detail. The drills completed, the "general assembly" was sounded, and as soon as all the companies had fallen in his Royal Highness addressed them a few congratulatory words.

The next order from the commanding officer was, "Prepare to stand by to give three cheers." Then: "Three cheers for his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales! Hip, hip, hurrah!" His Majesty obeyed heartily, and the crowd outside, hearing the sound, added a fourth cheer on its own account.

This was again repeated as the Prince's two-horse carriage moved off towards Westminster Bridge.

Gift to England.

The statue of William III. of Orange, which the German Emperor is about to present to King Edward, is a bronze figure nine feet in height. It will be shipped to England in June, when an exact duplicate will be erected on the terrace of the royal palace in Berlin.

According to Herr Heinrich Baucke