

EMPIRE DAY
SCHOOL EXERCISESPatriotic Addresses Delivered and
Cheers for King Heartily
Given.

ESSAY PRIZES PRESENTED

Many Presentations Were Made in the
Schools of London by the
Daughters of the
Empire.

The Empire Day celebration held at the Simcoe street school yesterday afternoon was one of the best attended and most successful that has ever taken place there.

The pupils entered most heartily into the spirit of the day, and the time morning was spent by singing patriotic songs in the class rooms and listening to patriotic addresses by the teachers. In the afternoon, when the boys and girls returned, each one carried a Union Jack.

The entire school assembled under the leadership of Mrs. J. H. Purdom and Principal Wallis gave a brief but most effective and instructive address on the late King Edward the Seventh, in which he pointed out the very great loyalty the King always showed to his mother, Queen Victoria. He urged all to show the same loyalty to their parents, stating that loyalty, of this kind is the beginning of the truest citizenship.

Cheers for the King.
Principal Wallis then called for three cheers for King George V., which were given enthusiastically. Rev. R. S. W. Howard, of Christ Church, gave a stirring address on the meaning of Empire Day and the growth of the British Empire.

This was followed by the singing of "O Canada" by the entire school, after which the prizes offered by the Woman's Canadian Club for the best essays were presented by Mrs. Bapty, Mrs. Miller and Miss Fowler. The prize books were presented to Clarence Donaldson, of grade 8, Lily Payne, of grade 7, and Cecil Carrothers, of grade 7.

A very pleasing feature of the afternoon was the presentation to Mrs. Bapty, Mrs. Miller and Miss Fowler, of beautiful bouquets, by Misses Irene Cox and Alma Sholdice, of Principal Wallis' room.

Rev. Walter Moffat, of Chalmers Presbyterian Church, next gave a patriotic address on Empire Day, which was greatly enjoyed. Eight boys of grade 5 rendered the "Song of Canada" in a very audible manner, and the afternoon's programme was closed by all singing "God Save the King."

Grand Avenue School.

At Grand avenue school in South London the afternoon celebration was very largely attended by both pupils and their parents. Principal Parkinson presided, and gave a brief opening address, after which "Rule, Britannia," was sung by the school. The prize essay on "King Edward the Seventh" was read by its author, Alex. McDonald, and the prize book offered by the Woman's Canadian Club was presented to him by Mrs. Jared Vining, who was accompanied by Mrs. L. H. Scandrett and Mrs. Samuel Lee. A vocal solo "My Own Canadian Home," sung by Norman Grant, was enthusiastically received. Rev. H. A. Graham, of Wellington Street Methodist Church, gave a patriotic address, and afterwards presented the prize offered by Mrs. Beck for the best essay on the "Made-in-London" exhibition, to Alex. McDonald. The singing of "O Canada" and "God Save the King" by the classes concluded the programme.

Princess Avenue School.

The Empire Day celebration at Princess avenue school was attended by Messrs. Donald McLean, Cairncross, (Dr.) Meek, McKellar and Zeigler as representatives of the Woman's Canadian Club.

The prizes for the best essay on the life of King Edward were won by Frank Curran and Charles Vining in grade VII and VIII. Mrs. McLean making the presentation.

Miss Eusebia Benson wrote a splendid essay on the "Made-in-London" exhibition and was presented with the prize awarded her by Mr. J. Cottam who gave an interesting address to the scholars.

Mr. R. M. McEltheran, chairman of the trustees board also spoke.

Patriotic choruses were given by the scholars. The choruses were: "O Canada," "Rule Britannia," "The Maple Leaf Forever" and "God Save the King." Misses E. Darn, Helen Doelle and Cedric Cheesman gave recitations and Willie Orr, a solo.

Colborne Street School.
The Empire Day celebration at the Colborne street school was quietly observed, but was equally as patriotic in its nature as other schools.

All day the work taken up in the various rooms was specially related to the British Empire.

In the afternoon the scholars assembled in the principal's room when representatives of the Woman's Canadian Club presented the prizes in grade VII to Llewellyn Purdom by Mrs. J. Stevely and in grade VIII, to Jean Purdom by Mrs. Chas. White. These prizes were for the best essays on the life of King Edward.

The room was suitably decorated

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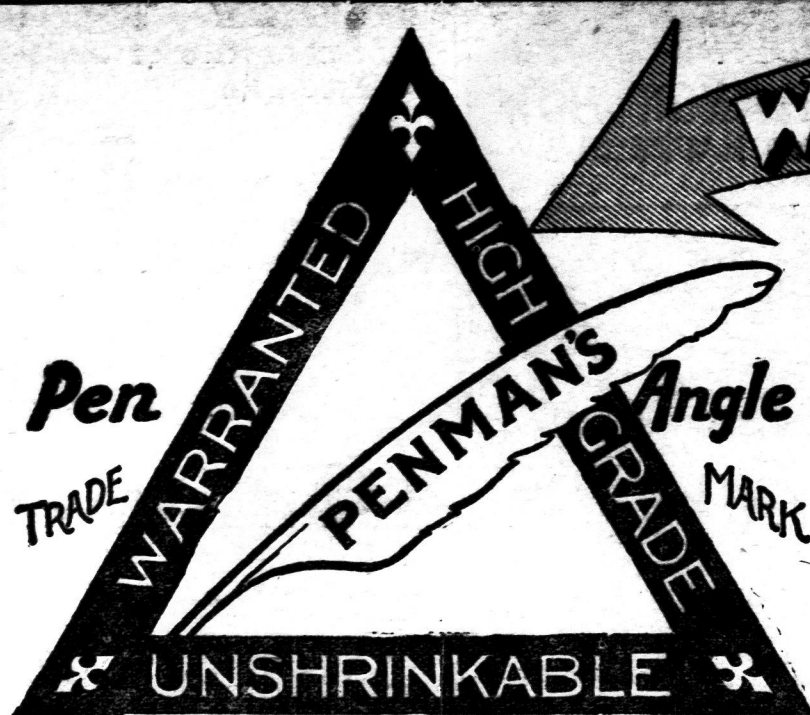
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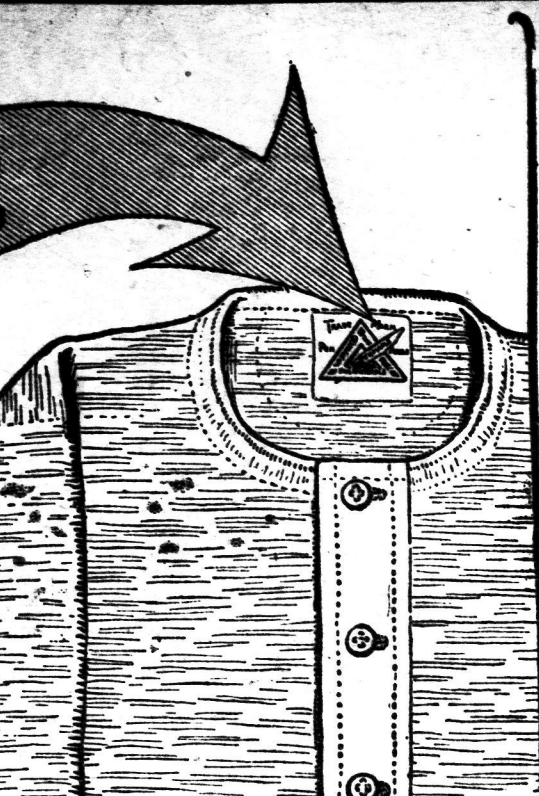
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ALL IRELAND LOVED
KING EDWARD VII.

The Irish Leader, John Redmond,
Breaks Silence Regarding
Dead Sovereign.

London, May 23. — John Redmond, leader of the Irish Parliamentary party, has broken his silence regarding the death of King Edward, which has been so adversely criticized.

Addressing a meeting in Cork City, he explored the check that would be placed on political movements by the King's death. That event, he said, must be regarded by Irishmen in two respects, personal and constitutional. He thought everybody in Ireland was sorry that King Edward was dead, from a personal aspect, adding:

"He never showed any hostility to Ireland, an unusual thing in a British sovereign, and the general feeling in Ireland was that he was a frank, manly and friendly sovereign."

From a constitutional aspect, however, the Irish could not be guilty of hypocrisy by pretending to regret his death as affecting them in the same way as it did the English. On this point, he said:

"The King of England is a constitutional sovereign. The King of Ireland is not. The moment we get a free constitution for Ireland and the King of Ireland becomes the head thereof, the Irish will be the firmest and most loyal supporters of the free constitution. Until then we must confine ourselves to expressions of personal sorrow for the death of a kindly, friendly man."

Mr. Redmond's mention of a King of Ireland drew shouts from some of his hearers: "You are King."

MARK TWAIN'S
HOTEL LUMBAGO

Reminiscence of the Humorist's Visit
to Old London.

London, May 23.—In the summer of 1900, on his return from his lecture tour around the world, Mark Twain stayed in London for a few weeks. He put up at a well-known hotel frequented by Americans in the Piccadilly district, and it was not long before the humorist acquired what he described as "London private hotel lumbago." An autograph manuscript has just been unearthed in which he expressed his impressions of London private hotels in the following characteristic strain:

"My lumbago is not the ordinary kind. It is what is called private hotel lumbago. One gets it from the beds; they are unnecessarily firm."

"Their main interest is geological. They are old Silurian and Devonian, upon old red sandstone and still contain the print of prehistoric man."

"The English private hotel was once the best in the world, and is still the quietest, but its other merits are in decay. It is lingering along upon its bygone honorable reputation. It has more affectations than sincerities now."

"Many elderly English people still cling to an inherited habit of aristocratic development, and rich Americans frequent it through ignorance and superstition. They find in its austere solemnity and Sabbath repose a delicate charm, which makes up for its high charges and moral inconveniences. Pretenders who cannot afford to live in — street affect the lumbago, because it conveys the impression that they live at —."

A NEW FIELD
FOR INSURANCE

Risks in Connection With Aviation
Added to the List.

London, May 23. — To the many risks covered by English insurance companies must now be added those in connection with the possibility of issuing special aerial policies, in the firm belief that many people will be using aeroplanes and airships as a means of travel in the near future. At present the proper medium for the issue of an aeronaut's policy is Lloyd's, where risks of all kinds are undertaken. Such a policy has been issued at 15 per cent per annum.

One large company has sent out the following footnote with its renewal notices:

"The directors are not prepared to cover accidents of aeronautics, and renewal of this policy will only be granted subject to the exclusion of such risks from the insurance."

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THEIR THIRD DUEL

Two French Counts Pepper Each
Other—Each Receives a Bullet.

Paris, May 23.—Count Isamille de Lesseps and Count Just de Poligny fought their third duel today and this time each received a "bullet" wound. Lesseps fell shot through the leg and was taken to a hospital. The wound is not fatal.

De Lesseps is a son of Count Ferdinand de Lesseps and an officer of a cavalry regiment. Some weeks ago he quarrelled with de Poligny and blows were exchanged.

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HETTIE GREEN'S LUCK
HAS CHANGED

For First Time New York's Richest
Woman Loses Lawsuit.

New York, May 23. — "Jurymen have always been good to me. I have never lost a case," remarked Hetty Green today, as she smilingly expressed her satisfaction with the jury selected to try the suit of a safe deposit company against her for \$500.

However true at the time she made it, the statement did not hold good long, for the woman frequently referred to as the richest woman in the world, had the experience of losing a case at the hands of that jury. After a brief trial the jury brought in a verdict against Mrs. Green for the full amount claimed by a safe deposit company. The sum was \$500, with \$19 interest, a total of \$519.

The company securities then recover for five years' storage of books and records of the estate of her father, Edward Mott Robinson. Mrs. Green, who disclaimed responsibility for the debt, was attired entirely in black, even to the old-fashioned veil which did duty as a head-covering.

U. S. LUMBER TRUST
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Has Its Agents in Every State, County
and City in the Country.

Washington, May 23.—For some time the officials have been looking carefully into charges that the so-called trust controlled the price of lumber, and an agent has been at work gathering information for the use of the department.

Every state, county and city, it is said, has its lumber organization, which the officials declare they believe set the price of the article as well as to restrict the sale to particular individuals. The so-called combination officials, it is said, is one of the most formidable with which the department has had to deal.

The point is made that the inquiry under way is in line with the policy of the department of justice to investigate and prosecute combinations, alleged to be in restraint of trade, that enter into the high cost of living, without waiting for the decision of the supreme court in the Standard Oil and the American Tobacco cases.

That such would be the attitude of the government was announced by Attorney-General Wickersham, just after the request made by the supreme court for the re-argument of those cases.

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TURNED GREY IN PRISON.

Dover, N. M., May 23. — Rather than pay a judgment rendered against him for \$1,500, Alfred W. Jones has remained in the Stafford County jail for 11 years. He is there with 11 years' growth of beard dangling from his chin like a silver brush. He declares he will die there. The eccentric man has refused to take the poor debtor's oath, even if he were allowed to do so, because he says that would be tantamount to acknowledging his guilt.

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