

ENGLISH SOCIETY.

THE Princess May is at Osborne, being soothed and comforted by Queen Victoria. The Queen is said to be all kindness and sympathy, and to give up a large part of each day to the young girl, who naturally is forced to appear cheerful in the august presence and who is thereby benefitted.

Bab tells a story of the first meeting of Brough, the comedian, and Lady Wilde. Oscar introduced them, mumuring in his sweet, velvety voice, "Mother, I want to have the pleasure of introducing Mr. Brough to you." A deep, supulchral voice announced, "I am glad to meet you, Mr. Brough," and the comedian was so surprised and startled that he almost fell over.

The tercentenary of Trinity College, Dublin, in next July, will be an event of great importance, as the whole English-speaking literary world feels a deep interest in this celebration. Distinguished men in letters, sciences and arts have been invited. Delegations from Yale and Harvard will attend. Mr. Gladstone, Lord Dufferin, J. A. Froude, E. Renan, L. Alma-Tadema, James Bryce, Lord Randolph Churchill, Henry Irving and other well-known men on the other side of the water have declared their intention of being present.

A marriage has been announced between Captain Herbert S. Barlow, Seaforth Highlanders, and Margaret, daughter of Mr. George Montgomery, J. P., of Killee, and Careysville, county Cork.

In St. Paul's Church, Knightsbridge, on Wednesday, February 17, was solemnized the marriage of Lord Alington with Evelyn Henrietta, daughter of the late Mr. Blundell Leigh and of Mrs. Blundell Leigh, of Pont street. The six bridesmaids were the Hon. Lilah Cavendish, daughter of Lord and Lady Chesham; Miss Diana Sturt, daughter of the Hon. Humphrey and Lady Feodore Sturt; Miss Eugenie Ward, cousin of the bride, daughter of the Hon. Mrs. Dudley Ward; Miss Marjorie Nevill, daughter of Lord and Lady George Nevill; Miss Olive Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham Graham; and Miss Esme Drummond, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Lawrence Drummond. Their quaint and picturesque costumes were made in the Empire style, and were composed of ivory white satin, with a gathered frill round the edge of the skirt, pale blue crepe de Chine sashes round the short waist, and puffed sleeves, edged with wide point de Venise to match the yokes. Their large cream felt hats of the same period were bent about the brim in most becoming fashion, with plumes of blue and white feathers arranged high on one side, trimmed with bluesatin rosettes. Old-fashioned reticules of cream satin lined with blue were slung on the arm, and they wore cream silk mittens, blue silk openwork stockings, and bronze sandal shoes with blue rosettes. Fastened in front of their frocks were beautiful little chatelaine watches of blue enamel, with the initials "E. A." in gold, and they carried bouquets of orchids in brown and yellow.

RETAIL GROCERS PRICES
CURRENT.

Quotations are per pound, or for such quantities as are usually ordered by families. Goods in larger quantities are obtainable at lower prices:

Apples, evaporated.....	12 1/2
" sun dried.....	10
Apricots, evaporated.....	16
Asparagus, tin.....	40
Barley Pearl.....	10
Bacon, breakfast.....	18
" spiced roll.....	16
Beef, corned, tin.....	35
Bloaters.....	12 1/2
Blacklead, best.....	3 for 25
" French Polish.....	25
Bricks, bath.....	12 1/2
Butter, creamery.....	35c or 3 for 1 00
" dairy.....	25
" fresh Island.....	50
Catsup, tomato.....	25 to 40
" mushroom, pt.....	40
" walnut, pt.....	40
Capers.....	25
Candles, Belmont.....	25
" Ozokerit.....	50
Caviar.....	50
Celery, salt.....	25
Chocolate, Eagle.....	50
Cocoa, Fry.....	50
" Epps.....	50
" Van Houton's.....	1 50
Chutney.....	25 to 1 50
Cheese, Canadian.....	20
" Roquefort.....	1 00
" Swiss.....	50
" English Stilton.....	50
" Limburg.....	50
" Brick Cream.....	50
" Mellors Cream, pots.....	1 25
" Parmasam.....	1 00
" Pineapple.....	50
" Edom.....	50
Clams.....	3 for 50
Cocoanut.....	50
Coffee, Costa Rica, green.....	25
" Java.....	40
" Mocha.....	50
" ground.....	40
Cream Tartar.....	50
Currants, Patras.....	12 1/2
" Vostizi.....	16
Corn, Ontario.....	3 for 50
Devilled meat.....	40
Eggs, fresh.....	50
" packed.....	25
Extracts, flavoring, 2 oz.....	25 to 35
Farina.....	10 lb. sack 1 25
Figs.....	per lb 25
" 10 lbs.....	2 00
Fish, cod, Pacific.....	12 1/2
" " Eastern.....	16
" " black.....	12 1/2
" mackerel bloater.....	35
" tins.....	1 00
Flour, Hungarian.....	6 75
" Snowflake.....	6 50
" Enderby.....	6 25
Fruits, assorted table, 3-lb. tins.....	40
" " 2-lb. tins.....	25
" pie, gallon.....	75
" in Brandy.....	1 50
" crystalized.....	25 to 75
Gelatine, Nelson's.....	25
Hams.....	20
Hops.....	40
Honey, gallon.....	1 75
" " 1 lb. comb, in jars.....	1 00
" 2 lbs.....	75
Jams, assorted C & B.....	3 for 1 00
Knife Polish.....	25
Lard, pure, 10 lbs.....	1 75
" 5 lbs.....	1 00
Lentils.....	16
Lemons, Sicily.....	50
" California.....	35
Lobster, Clover Leaf.....	35
Marmalade, pots.....	35
Maccaroni.....	25
Milk, Reindeer, tins.....	25
" Eagle, tins.....	35
" Highland Cream.....	25

Mince meat, jars.....	1 50
" condensed.....	25
Mustard, Colman's, 1 lb.....	35
" " 1 lb.....	65
Mushrooms.....	35
Nuts, assorted.....	25
Oil, Coal, tin.....	1 85
" case.....	3 50
Olives, qt bottle.....	75
" pt bottle.....	50
" 1/2 pt bottle.....	25
Oysters, fresh, tin.....	75
" Blue Point, 2-lb. tins.....	35
" 1-lb. tins.....	25
Onions.....	4
Pate de foie gras.....	1 25 to 1 75
Peel, mixed.....	40
Pearline.....	25
Pepper, ground.....	50
" whole.....	35
Pickles, C & B, qt.....	65
" pt.....	35
Potatoes.....	1 25
Prunes.....	12 1/2
Plum pudding.....	75
Raisins, Dehesa.....	50
" layers.....	25
" Valencias off stalk.....	12 1/2
" layers.....	16
" Sultanas.....	20
Rice, Japan.....	8
" Sandwich Island.....	10
" China.....	5
Sauce, Lea & Perrins, large.....	65
" small.....	35
" Yorkshire Relish.....	25
Spices, tins.....	25
Sugar, granulated, Vancouver, 14lbs.....	1 00
" " San Frisco, 13 ".....	1 00
" " Hong Kong, 15 ".....	1 00
" cube, San Francisco, 10 lbs.....	1 00
" Vancouver, 12 lbs.....	1 00
" Extra C.....	15 lbs 1 00
Syrup, 1-gal. tin.....	1 00
" 2-lb tin.....	25
" Maple, gal.....	1 50
Tapioca.....	10
Tongue, Lunch, 2.....	75
" 1.....	50
" Ox 3.....	1 00
Tea, S & B.....	50 to 75
" Japanese.....	25 to 75
Tobacco, T & B.....	75
Vinegar, English Malt.....	1 00
" White Wine.....	1 00

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