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## A Generous Action.

Each year, for some time past, Mr. K. R. Prowse has given a dance and supper to his domestics and men servants, paying all expenses and furnishing everything that might conduce to their pleasure. Last night the ball was held in the upper story of the spacious coach-house, situated just west of his palatial residence, LeMarchant Road. Over forty couples of happy young revellers attended and enjoyed themselves to their fullest bent. The place was beautifully decorated with evergreens, pictures and bunting, the German Standard occupying the centre of the walls, a compliment to Mr. Prowse as German Consul, which he must certainly have appreciated. Mr. E. Tilley furnished the music and Mr. E. Spurrell, tailor, acted as floor manager. Access could be had to neatly fitted up dressing rooms on the flat below, and tables laden with viands which would set light an epicure were set in a spacious room at the rear. The decorations were done by Mr. White, Mr. Prowse's coachman, and certainly were a tribute to his taste. Dancing was kept up till this morning and an excellent supper was enjoyed by all at midnight. When this had concluded speeches eulogistic of Mr. Prowse's generosity were made and the gentlemen present congratulated him to the echo. Through the courtesy of Mr. Prowse a Telegram reporter was present for a while and certainly has seen more pretentious places or less beautifully decorated on festive occasions and certainly not as well supplied with what goes to make up a happy party. Such kindness to employees must impel them to more faithful service and induce more respect for an employer, showing as it does that he can unburden for a while and take pleasure in affording pleasure to those dependent upon him.

## Good Teeth For All.

The badness of modern teeth and the strange unwillingness of three parents out of twenty to allow attention to be paid to their children, even when it costs them nothing, were emphasized at the annual conference of the British Dental Association opened at Cambridge, recently.

Mr. Lawson Dodd, of London, says that 70 per cent. of 30 per cent. of the children of England require dental attention and that women's teeth are worse than men's. His view is that every person should be entitled to demand, at any time of life, the "dentistry of necessity." There are 25,000 dentists qualified to serve under the Insurance Act. There are only 5,000 dentists. There ought to be far more.

The possibility, apparently not imminent, of the National Insurance scheme having money to spend on dentistry is to be anticipated. After a long discussion the idea of a public dental service was approved, and the board of the association was instructed to promote such a service in desirable towns and areas.—Daily Mail, Aug. 4.

"OLD FAVORITES" Afternoon Excursion to Bay Bulls on Wednesday, Sept. 3rd, the last half holiday. Tickets 70c. Train leaves station at 2 p.m. Returning at 11 p.m. Sports during the afternoon and dance at night. Tickets to be had from the members of the Club. JNO. DONNELLY, Chairman; H. PEDDIGREW, Secretary.—Aug 28, 11

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## Now Guarding the Great Seal.

The visit of the Lord Chancellor (Lord Haldane) to America, during the long vacation this year, is by way of being a precedent, for it is the first occasion of a Lord Chancellor paying an official visit abroad since the days of Cardinal Wolsey.

The Lord Chancellor is custodian of the Great Seal, and the post is no sinecure. He must take the Great Seal with him wherever he goes in Great Britain, but it is never allowed to leave the realm. Wolsey broke this rule by taking it to France, an infringement of the constitution which was amongst the causes which led to his downfall. Whilst in office, therefore, the Lord Chancellor cannot take a holiday abroad. During Lord Haldane's absence from the country it will be necessary to find temporary custodians for the object of his charge. When James II. fled from England he threw the Great Seal in the Thames, thinking that no important document could be signed without it. "One of our famous Lord Chancellors," Lord Brougham, had a somewhat curious experience when he took it to Scotland. He was one of a house party, and the ladies determined to play him a practical joke. They took the Seal from his room and hid it out of his reach. When he discovered it was missing he was beside himself with distress, for he believed it had been stolen. Soon, however, he realized the trick that had been served him. He joined in the laugh against himself and searched the house, eventually discovering it in a tea chest.

The woosack is also an early symbol of the Lord Chancellor's office. It is reminiscent of the days when wool was Britain's staple product, and consists of an ottoman couch stuffed with wool to represent the importance of this commodity. Whilst acting as Speaker of the House of Lords, the Lord Chancellor sits on the woosack.

## Your Duty.

Nothing to do with the Custom House, good friend. Its only reference just now is to yourself. Let us suppose that you are a man of family with sufficient of the world's goods to keep them in wait. Very well. You did not reach this satisfactory state of affairs without care and labour—few men do. Suppose you are awakened some night with shouts of alarm ringing in your ears. Too late then to talk of prudence; too late then to say: "If I had only, etc., etc." That "If" means too much to many forgetful people. Is it not always the duty of a self-sacrificing citizen?

duty of a self-respecting citizen to protect his home and thus provide for those within it. Is it any more than his duty to those depending on him to protect them as far as possible? Can you call your property your own when it is not insured? The answer to this argument, by the way, is—since with Force Johnson's agency, the most popular office in Newfoundland and the least expensive.

Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, August 28.—A dispatch to the Telegram Exchange says the claim made by the Northern General that Nanking had fallen, is untrue. Northern cavalry entered, but were blown up by a mine. Fighting continues.

## Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.

ATLANTA, Ga., To-day. Rev. Mr. Fry, Anglican Missionary, who set out last year to investigate the Steffenson story, regarding the discovery of a tribe of blonde Eskimos, was compelled to return to Herschell Island from Perry Sound, owing to a shortage of provisions.

LONDON, To-day. Strong pickets of strikers, belonging to the construction and electrical trades, endeavored to induce workmen to lay down tools at Buckingham Palace, Marlborough House, the Admiralty and Premier Asquith's official residence at Downing St. The strikers appear to be gaining ground. Many firms granted their demands. Most public museums and Government institutions are suffering from the absence of electricity. Candles were the sole means of illumination last night at the Colonial Office where elevators have been put out of commission.

PEKING, To-day. A crisis was reached here yesterday owing to the arrest of nine more members of the Chinese Parliament. Since the proclamation of martial law in the capital, arrests and summary executions have been of frequent occurrence, several victims being members of parliament. Many Deputies departed for the South in fear of their lives. The Assembly in Parliament of a Quorum has been prevented on numerous occasions, owing to rumors that the police intended to make further arrests. The Senate passed a motion delegating the speaker and deputy speaker to visit the Provisional President, Yuan Shi Kai, to ask him for an explanation of the arrests and also to inquire whether he still desired to govern China with a Parliament or not. At the same time, the Senate resolved not to sit again if the reply of Yuan Shi Kai proved unsatisfactory. The Lower House passed resolutions of similar tenor.

## South African Naval Policy Not Announced.

LONDON, August 19.—The general opinion in Capetown regards the present time as improprities for any declaration. As to South Africa's willingness to share in the empire naval defence, General Botha has to find a hundred thousand pounds for land defence, and the desire is to have a mobile striking force, the necessity for it being apparent in the recent Rand trouble, when the police, scattered all over the country, proved totally ineffective.

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