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## This Date in History.

MAY 9.

Days Past—128 To Come—236

KING GEORGE V. Proclaimed 1910.  
SCHILLER died 1805, aged 46. German poet, of singular purity of character, who strove, in spite of bodily weakness and the powers of fortune, to attain the ideal in life and art.

CIRO PINISUTI born 1829. Italian composer of many popular songs, etc.

VERY HEAVY SNOW FALL St. John's, 1874.

ICE BLOCKADE in harbor, 1896. To business that we love we rise betime, and go to it with delight.—Shakespeare.

## Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor  
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FRIDAY, May 9th, 1913.

## Notes and Comments.

Judging from the comments of the New York Fishing Gazette on the proposed changes in the Tariff, particularly as regards fish, opinion seems to be much divided as to the effects. This difference of opinion exists on the effect the changes will make on the price of fish and the volume of trade. It prevails only among the distributors.

On the other hand, the producers are much disturbed and Mr. F. L. Davis, of Gloucester is reported to have declared that the proposed changes would be the death of Gloucester and the fishing ports. The dealers, however, consider Gloucester unduly alarmed and pessimistic as usual when free fish is mooted.

The Vital Statistics for December 31st, 1912, give the population for Newfoundland and Labrador at 246,487. According to this computation

for \$7,200, demanded interest and principle, which would have brought his claim up to \$42,000. Through a compromise the city confessed judgment yesterday, and Appleby dropped demands for interest. He was paid \$7,200. When the plaintiff brought the suit he was a young man, he is now eighty years old. Since the suit was filed it has seen many vicissitudes of fortune. Nearly all the lawyers connected with the case, most of the judges before whom it passed has died. Nevertheless he had twelve witnesses, all over seventy years old, who saw the mob wreck his house.

**OYSTER BAY, To-day.**  
Theodore Roosevelt would have the States and Great Britain agree to arbitrate any question which might arise between them, so he told the International Conference, who are arranging a Centenary Peace celebration among English speaking people. Addressing them, as their host at luncheon at his home at Sagamore Hill, although it was said he did not specifically mention the Panama Canal dispute, to the members of the foreign delegation, he unmistakably referred to that question as one which should be settled by arbitration, if a settlement could not be reached by negotiation. I am not myself one who readily makes promises, but once made I should think it should be kept.

**MONTREAL, To-day.**  
Some distinguished men will receive the honorary degree of Doctor of Law from McGill University in the course of the next few months. They will be conferred upon Viscount Halifax, Lord High Chancellor of England, Rt. Hon. B. L. Borden, Premier of Canada, and Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice to Canada. These degrees will be conferred at a special convocation to be held in September, on the occasion of the meeting of the American Bar Association.

**LONDON, To-day.**  
The Saloniki correspondent of the Times refers to the ominous appearance of the situation between Bulgaria and Greece. The armies of the two states are facing one another in Saloniki district, on a war footing. Elaborate defences have been constructed around Kavala. These include forty cannon pointing seaward to resist attack from the Greek fleet. It is reported that fighting has occurred at Portos, ten miles south of Drama Head. There is a possibility that the Bulgarians are ready to settle the difference with Greece and would be willing to forego the claim to Saloniki, if a port, which it not all the hinterland which the Greek Government regards as her irreducible minimum.

**NEW YORK, To-day.**  
The ancestral home of George Washington at Sulgrave, in England, which it was announced last night the British delegates to the Peace Conference, contemplate purchasing, may become the repository of relics of the Washington family, which collateral descendants of the first President have offered to the Daughters of the British Empire. Mrs. Elliot Langstaff, President of the Society, formally applied to Lord Weardale for permission to furnish and decorate the manor in event of its purchase in connection with the celebration of one hundred years of peace.

**REDS' SHIPS.**  
The Argyle left Baine Harbour at 8 p.m. yesterday inward.  
The Clyde left Lewisporte at 1.30 p.m. yesterday.  
The Dundee left Port Blandford this a.m.  
The Ethie left Clarendville at 5.40 a.m. to-day.  
The Home left Lewisporte yesterday bound north.  
The Invermore left Port aux Basques at 8.20 p.m. yesterday.  
The Meigle left Lark Harbour at 11.35 a.m. yesterday going north.  
The Duchess of Marlborough arrived at Lewisporte at 11.50 a.m. yesterday.

## Cable News.

**LONDON, To-day.**  
Although not officially confirmed, a report has gone forth of the coming visit of the British Postmaster General to Canada, connected with the subject of a state-owned cable to link up with the Pacific cable.

**CETTINE, To-day.**  
The new Montenegrin Cabinet under the Premiership of General Vukitch, was formed to-day, and negotiations with the commanding officers of the international fleet were immediately commenced for the evacuation of Scutari, which began yesterday to be completed by Sunday.

**WASHINGTON, To-day.**  
The Underwood Tariff Bill proclaimed by the Democratic party as an answer to its platform pledge to reduce downward, was passed last night by a vote of 281 to 118. Five Democrats voted against the Bill, two Republicans voting for it. Four Progressives supported the measure, fourteen opposed it, while one independent Progressive joined the majority.

**LONDON, To-day.**  
The Ambassadorial Conference sat for two hours yesterday, but reached no important decision. It is not expected the conference will reassemble before May 20th. Meantime proposals, defining the limits and status of the new Albania will be submitted to the European Government. The Peace Conference will assemble in London and presumably detachments of the international fleet will take possession of Scutari, pending a settlement.

**NEW YORK, To-day.**  
The longest living suit in the history of New York jurisprudence was brought fifty years ago against the City of New York by Appleby for damages done property at Eleventh Avenue, Forty-first street, by a mob during the Civil War. Appleby sued

## Sufferers From Piles!

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Friction on the hemorrhoid veins that are swollen, inflamed and gorged with blood, is what causes the terrible pain and stinging and smarting of piles. Zam-Buk applied at night will be found to give ease before morning. Thousands of persons have proved this. Why not be guided by the experience of others?

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Magistrate Sanford, of Weston, King's Co., N.S., says: "I suffered long from itching piles, but Zam-Buk has now cured me."

Mr. William Kenty, of Upper Nine Mile River, Hants Co., N.S., says: "I suffered terribly from piles, the pain at times being almost unbearable. I tried various ointments, but everything I tried failed to do me the slightest good. I was tired of trying various remedies, when I heard of Zam-Buk, and thought as a last resource I would give this balm a trial. After a very short time Zam-Buk effected a complete cure."

Zam-Buk is also a cure for skin injuries and diseases, eczema, ulcers, varicose veins, cuts, burns, bruises, chaps, cold sores, etc. 50c. box from all druggists and stores, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., St. John's, Nfld., for price. Refuse harmful imitations.

## Cable News.

**LONDON, To-day.**  
The Government has announced that no more opium will be sent from India to China this year. It is probable the opium traffic between India and China will never be renewed.

**MEXICO, To-day.**  
The Zapata forces were defeated in a fight which lasted many hours, yesterday, a few miles from North Cuernavaca. The official report of General Robles gives the rebel dead as ninety, while the federal losses numbered three wounded. The Government denies a report of a federal reverse at Sonora.

**LONDON, To-day.**  
The Times warns Government in very circumstantial details of rumors being spread with regard to oil contracts for the Navy. It adds allegations are being made of personal connections on the part of ministers and other prominent persons with would-be contractors.

**PARIS, To-day.**  
The American Chamber of Commerce of Paris has decided to-day to protest against the administrations of a section of the tariff Bill. Modifications will be requested in certain paragraphs, particularly those relating to the establishment of market values on consignments of foreign manufacturers and examinations of books by Government officials.

**CHICAGO, To-day.**  
White women who associated with Jack Johnson, negro heavyweight champion of the world, were used as sparring partners, according to the charges of the Government Attorneys at the trial. Jack Johnson is charged with violation of the Mann Law. Harry A. Parkins, Asst. District Attorney, declared the evidence would show that Johnson directed his fistic accomplishments against women. As a result of this treatment these girls, Parkins said, were frequently sent to hospitals with blackened eyes and bruised bodies.

## Cape Report.

**CAPE RACE, To-day.**  
Wind north, blowing strong, weather fine; the steamer August passed in yesterday evening, Manchester Port east at 6. City of Sydney in at 10.15; a three masted schooner, a two-top-mast schooner and schooner Teresa M. Gray in this a.m. Bar. 29.50, ther. 40.

## McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, May 9, 1913.

We have just opened an extensive lot of sundries, comprising Hair Brushes—military and ordinary—for ladies and gentlemen; Shaving Brushes, Soap and Tooth Brush Boxes (celluloid), Combs—bone, white celluloid and black, Fine Combs and Check Sponge Bags. The lot includes some novelties, and the various items are well worth seeing. We invite you to visit our Water Street store if you are in need of any of the above.

That special Ichthyo! and Boreale Skin Soap is something extra good for skin troubles, and will be found of value by those who have skins that are sensitive or liable to eruptions. Price 20c. a cake; box of 3 cakes, 50c.

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Bon Bon Dishes  
Compotes  
Water Jugs  
Rose Vases  
Sugar and Cream  
Salad Bowls  
Trifle Dishes  
Scent Bottles  
Knife Rests, etc.

**Souvenirs.**

Brooches  
Belt Pins  
Hat Pins  
Sealskin Novelties,  
etc.

**New Silverware!**

Oyster Forks  
Orange Spoons  
Individual Butter Knives  
Individual Salad Forks  
Pickle Forks  
Butter Knives  
Cold Meat Forks  
Gravy Ladles  
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# F. SMALLWOOD.

# All Tangled Up?

**Bilious? Headachy?  
Nervous? Sleepless?**

When one feels "off color" it's a good idea to look for the cause.

**There always is a cause—**  
And usually it is found in wrong living.

Tea and coffee drinking affect many unpleasantly, because the drug, caffeine, (from 1 1/4 to 3 grains to the cupful) is a poison, and causes heart disturbance, indigestion and many other ills.

Tea and coffee drinkers who are "out of tune" can get back to steady health and comfort by quitting the tea and coffee and using

# Instant Postum

This wholesome, pure food-drink provides a rich, table beverage of delicious flavour, and made from prime Northern wheat and the juice of Southern sugar-cane, it is nourishing and absolutely free from the drug, caffeine, or any other harmful ingredient.

Postum now comes in two forms. The original Postum requiring 15 to 20 minutes boiling—sold at 15 and 25c the package.

Instant Postum is a quickly soluble powder; all the insoluble parts having been removed. A level teaspoonful in a cup of hot water, with sugar and cream to taste, make a delightful cup "quick as a wink." 45 to 50 cup tins, 30c; 90 to 100 cup tins, 50c.

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