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## GENERAL NEWS.

### NEWS FROM ENGLAND.

#### THE ROYAL VISIT TO CANADA.

The new cruiser "Indomitable" is to take the Prince of Wales to Canada for the Quebec celebrations, with an escort of four Atlantic Fleet battleships—the "Exmouth," "Duncan," "Albemarle," and probably the "Russell."

#### THE GERMAN MUNICIPAL VISIT.

The Lord Mayor of London entertained the south German Burgomasters to luncheon at the Mansion House on Friday. The German Ambassador occupied a place at the Lord Mayor's right hand, and among the guests was the Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Lord Fitzmaurice. In proposing the health of the German Emperor the Lord Mayor eulogised his peaceful policy and described him as a loyal and true friend of England. The Ober Burgomaster of Munich, replying to the toast, said that Germany was an admiring spectator of England's progress in the world, and referred to German artists such as Händel and Holbein who had been heartily welcomed in England. The Burgomaster of Frankfurt drank to London's municipal institutions, and said that the City of London was as overpowering as its welcome had been. Lord Fitzmaurice rose to propose the health of the Lord Mayor, and gave expression to the gratification afforded the Foreign Office by the visit of the German municipal authorities, which was looked upon as an aid to the establishment of good relations between England and Germany. The Lord Mayor stated in reply that nothing could serve to strengthen the cause of peace between the two countries more than the exercise of that common-sense which distinguished them both.

On Friday afternoon the party visited the General Post Office, and in the evening attended a performance at the Alhambra.

#### NEW NORWEGIAN AMBASSADOR.

The new Norwegian Ambassador in London to succeed Dr. Nansen has been appointed in the person of Mr. Irgens, the present Secretary of Legation at the Embassy.

#### LIBERAL SUCCESS IN SCOTLAND.

The Stirling Burghs by-election on Friday resulted in the return of the Liberal candidate, Mr. A. Ponsby. This constituency was formerly represented by the late Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman.

#### THE GERMAN HOSPITAL IN LONDON.

Speaking at the annual banquet of the German Hospital on Friday, the Lord Mayor of London said that the German Emperor's life object was the maintenance of peace. If all rulers were to follow his example the peace of the world would suffer no disturbance.

#### COMMON SENSE IN COURT.

Upon Dr. Debenham, of East India Dock-road, who was summoned for driving a motor-car at twenty-seven miles an hour, explaining that he had been called to a patient who was very ill, the magistrate at Greenwich declined to fine him.

#### INDIA.

##### STRIKING SPEECH BY LORD CURZON.

Lord Curzon, speaking at the annual dinner of the Central Asian Society, held on Wednesday night at the Imperial Restaurant, Regent-street, remarked that India was the political pivot of Asia, round about which were collected other nations touching her territory and involving her future. Persia was a country falling to pieces in the hands of a fumbling dynasty and a miserable Government, but which never failed to attract the Asiatic student. Sincerely did he hope that in spite of recent evidences to the contrary, they would be able to render assistance to the independence and integrity of the country.

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As to Afghanistan, whether the Ameer signified his concurrence with the Anglo-Russian Agreement or not, the country would remain the same problem as now. Again, no one could look without sympathy and admiration on the work which Russia was doing in her Asiatic dominions. She was doing in the North of Asia what Great Britain was doing in the South. He believed the day was gone by for speaking with any unfriendliness of Russia in Asia, so long as her influences were not used to infringe upon British borders or threaten British interests. The future of China was the biggest of all Eastern problems, and if all the other countries were eliminated it would still be enough for solution.

Supporters of the present Government were never tired of telling them that they were now in the backwaters of Imperialism, and there were many evidences that this was correct. There had been retrocessions in Thibet, Persia, and elsewhere. One thing certain was that the problem of Asia would be with England to the end of things. The future of Russia had not been altered by recent events, and vigilance was still required. The Afghanistan question, in his opinion, had not been advanced a single inch by recent arrangements. Over the future of India hung a dark pall, a curtain which those who had lived there dare not lift. They must do nothing to retard their great mission in India, and keep an eye on China and watch whether, after the apathy of years, she was going to assume her position in the world. A wide field of labour lay before the Society (cheers).

#### THE INDIAN RISING.—OFFICERS KILLED.

The following telegram has been received at the India Office:

Gen. Willcocks reports the following casualties in the fighting at Unra Killi on 20th May—

Killed.—Lieut. G. H. Soole, 21st Cavalry, and Lieut. G. F. Archibald, 82nd Punjabis, attached to 57th Rifles.

Slightly wounded.—Lieut. G. E. Bruce, 53rd Sikhs.

The death from cholera of Lieut. L. S. Wells, Queen's Own Corps of Guides, is also reported.

Another telegram, dated May 20, received at the India Office, states:—"Gen. Willcocks reports that No. 9,546 Pte. John White, Seaforth Highlanders, has been accidentally killed."

#### ALLEGED EMBEZZLER TO BE EXTRADITED.

A Nuremberg banker, named Moritz Dünkelsbühler, staying at a London hotel, was arrested on Friday on the platform of one of the Underground railway stations on a warrant issued in accordance with the extradition treaty between Germany and Great Britain. The charge was embezzlement and fraud. Dünkelsbühler denied his guilt, but the offered bail was not accepted and he remains in custody pending the receipt of instructions from Germany.

#### AMERICAN NEWS.

##### AMERICAN TREATIES.

The Senate has ratified the treaty with Great Britain for the conveyance of prisoners to either country across the territory of the other, and authorising wrecking and salvaging companies of either country to assist distressed vessels on the great lakes or boundary waters.

The Senate has ratified the treaty with Japan protecting trade marks in China and Corea.

An arbitration treaty with Denmark was ratified by the Senate on Thursday.

##### DEATH FROM HYDROPHOBIA.

According to a dispatch from New York, Mr. W. H. Marsh, a Brooklyn manufacturer, visited the New York Pasteur Institute on Monday for treatment for hydrophobia. He was informed that he had waited too long and was doomed to die in a few days.

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