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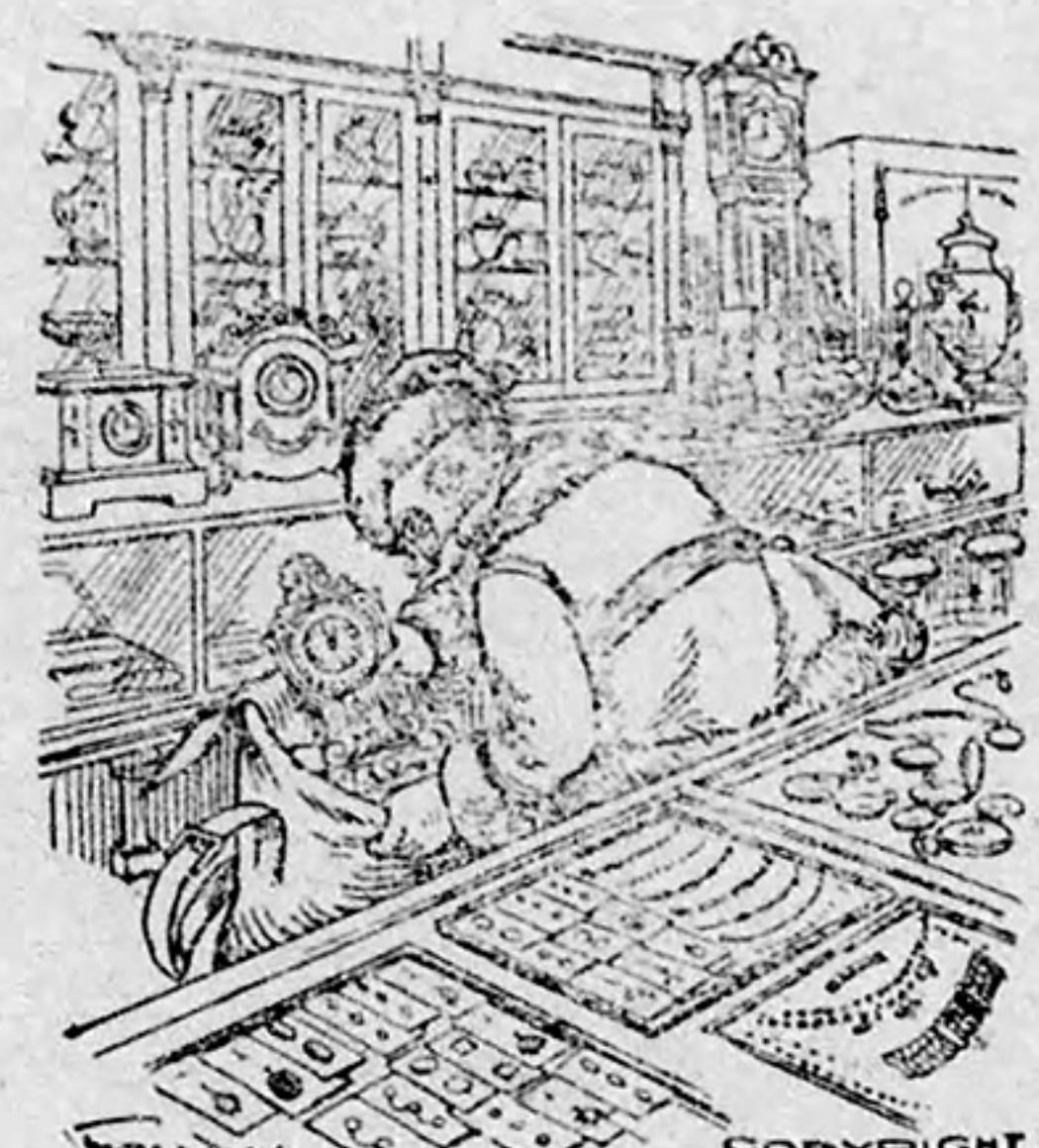
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EDWARD VII

Now Reigns Over England—The Queen Passes Peacefully

Away.

Cowes, Isle of Wright, Jan. 23.—Queen Victoria is dead and Edward VII. reigns. The greatest event in the memory of this generation, the most stupendous change in existing conditions that could possibly be imagined has taken place quietly, almost gently, upon the anniversary of the Queen's father, the Duke of Kent. The end of this career never equalled by any woman in the world's history came in a simply furnished room in Osborne House. This most respected of women lying now dead lies in a great four-posted bed and made a stricken atom whose aged face and figure were a cruel mockery of the fair girl who in 1842 began to rule over England. Around her were gathered almost every descendant of her line. Well within view of her dying eyes there hung a portrait of the Prince Consort. It was he who designed the room and every part of the castle. In scarcely audible words the white-haired Bishop of Winchester prayed beside her as he had often prayed with his sovereign for he was Chaplain at Windsor. With bowed heads the imperious ruler of the German Empire and the man who is now King of England, the woman who has succeeded to the title of "Queen", the Prince and Princess and those of less than royal designation, listened to the Bishop's ceaseless prayer.

Six o'clock passed and the Bishop continued his intercession. One of the younger children asked a question in a shrill, child-like treble and was immediately silenced. The women of this royal family sobbed faintly and the men shuffled uneasily.

At exactly half-past six, Sir James Reid held up his hand and the people then knew that England had lost her Queen. The Bishop pronounced the benediction.

The Queen passed away quite peacefully. She suffered no pain. Those who were now mourning went to their rooms. A few minutes later the inevitable element of materialism stepped into this pathetic chapter of international history, for the Court dames went busily to work ordering their mourning from London. The wheels of the world were jarred when the announcement came, but in this palace at Osborne everything pursued the usual course. Down in the kitchen they were cooking a large dinner for an assembly the like of which has seldom been known in England, and dinner preparations proceeded just as if nothing had happened.

The body of the Queen was embalmed and will probably be taken to Windsor on Saturday. The coffin arrived last evening from London. The Prince of Wales was very much affected when the doctors at last informed him that his mother had breathed her last. Emperor William himself was deeply affected, but did his best to minister comfort to his sorrow-stricken uncle, whose new dignity he was the first to acknowledge.

From all parts of the world there are still pouring into Cowes messages of condolence. They come from crowned heads, millionaires, tradesmen and paupers and are variously addressed to the Prince of Wales and King of England.

Emperor William's arrangements are not settled. His coach will arrive here today (Wednesday), but it is believed that he will not depart until after the funeral.

Several other royal personages are likely to be present at the funeral. The record of the last days of the reign of Victoria is not easy to tell. The correspondent of the Associated Press was the only correspondent admitted to Osborne House and his interview with Sir Arthur John Bigge, Private Secretary to the late Queen, was the only official statement that had been given out. For several weeks the Queen had been failing. On Monday week she summoned Lord Roberts and asked him some very searching questions regarding the war in South Africa. On Tuesday she went for a drive, but was visibly affected. On Wednesday she suffered a paralytic stroke, accompanied by intense physical weakness. It was her first illness in all her 81 years and she would not admit it. Then her condition grew so serious that against her wishes the family was summoned. When they arrived her reason had practically succumbed to the paralysis and weakness. The events of the last few days described in the bulletins are too fresh to need repetition. At the lodge gates watchers waited nervously. Suddenly, along the drive from the house, came a horseman who cried: "The Queen is dead!" as he dashed through the crowds. Then down the hillside rushed a myriad of messengers passing the fateful bulletin from one to another. Soon the surrounding country knew that a King ruled over Great Britain.

AT THE HAGUE.

THE HAGUE, Jan. 22.—The Dutch press printed the news of the death of Queen Victoria with mourning borders. The court will go into mourning, but it is probable there will be no chance in the arrangements for the marriage of Queen Wilhelmina.

ASKED FOR FEDERAL TROOPS.

Muskogee, Ind., Jan. 22.—United States Marshal Bennett has requested that Federal troops be sent to his assistance in an endeavor to suppress the warring Greeks. The white people are arming for self-protection. The Greeks are led by "Crazy Snake," from whom the band takes its name.

DEFEATED.

Reno, Nev., Jan. 22.—A special to the Gazette from Carson announces the defeat of the lottery bill today.

BAILEY ELECTED.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 22.—The two Houses in separate session today elected J. W. Bailey, of Gainesville, United States Senator to succeed Horace Chilton.

LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS.

Olympia, Wash., Jan. 22.—Both branches of the legislature today passed resolutions on the death of Queen Victoria and adjourned out of respect to her memory.

ADJOURNS IN OREGON.

Salem, Jan. 22.—The Oregon Legislature adjourned this afternoon on account of the death of Queen Victoria.

BY DIRECT VOTE.

St. Paul, Jan. 22.—By a vote of 113 to 1, the House of Representatives today adopted a joint memorial to Congress urging the adoption of a Constitutional amendment for the election of United States Senators by a direct vote of the people.

KEARNS ELECTED.

Salt Lake, Jan. 22.—The Republican Senatorial caucus tonight nominated the Hon. Thomas Kearns for United States Senator.

SHARKEY AND MAHER.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 22.—Tom Sharkey and Peter Maher were today matched to meet in a twenty-round contest before the Louisville Athletic Club during the month of February.

THREE ARE DEAD.

Vancouver, Jan. 22.—An explosion occurred at Selby Farm, ten miles north of this city, this morning, resulting in the death of three people, Mrs. Celeste Walker, wife of Wm. I. Walker, aged 61, and Eli Walker, their son aged 14 years, and a daughter, Mrs. Anna Bradley, aged 22. The father and son had been engaged in clearing trees and placed thirteen sticks of gunpowder in the oven of an iron stove. The powder exploded.

Tien Tsin, Jan. 22.—It is reported in German circles that unless the peace negotiations are satisfactorily concluded next month an expedition will be organized to bring Emperor Kwang Su and Prince Tuan to Pekin.

PATAGONIA NEWS.

Mr. Locke, our genial station agent, has had a tussle with la grippe, but is now about well again, to the pleasure of many friends. At the present writing Mrs. Cadby is wrestling with an attack of the same complaint.

Workmen are engaged preparing roadbed for a side track to run from the depot west on the south side of the main track. This is necessitated by the largely increased amount of shipping from and to this point.

There is but one thing needed to make the people of this town entirely happy, and that is some more dogs. I counted nineteen in one bunch yesterday and the caucus had not yet been called to order. The average citizen is poor if he owns less than six of these mongrel brutes.

Summer-like weather has characterized our climate for the week past and there has been a great deal of travel through this town which is on the direct route to several important points: the Cameron ranch, the World's Fair mine, Washington, Dusquesne, Harshaw, Hardshell, the Happy Jack, Bradford and others of less importance.

A number of traveling men were discussing the rumor of a proposed railroad to penetrate the numerous adjacent rich mining camps, and a canvass of the numerous available routes made it apparent that if a road is ever built Patagonia will be the starting point. It is not improbable that a survey will be made the coming spring or summer.

Mr. Stevens has just returned from Harshaw, whither he went to oversee the monthly pay day. Mr. R. R. Richardson has been in Nogales, and is now in Tucson. Mr. Lloyd and wife have sold their household goods and will, in the near future, leave here. I am informed that he intends engaging in the cattle business.

Pat Slavin, a well known character for many years here was found dead in his cabin at Harshaw last Sunday. He was surrounded with every evidence of abject poverty, there being little or no food found in the hut and not enough bedding to keep a person warm. Yet in his clothes was found \$800 in bills of large denomination and a record of other money which has not yet been found up to last accounts. He was formerly in the cattle business with Colin Cameron, but sold out years ago. He was buried the first of this week, the funeral being well attended.

MOHAVE SHOOTING AFFAIR.

Bleeding and almost in a dying condition, Oliver Johnson rode a horse twenty-eight miles from Steve Mott's ranch in Mohave County, to Wm. Magee's ranch and from that point was taken in a buckboard seventy-five miles to Kingman, where he received surgical attention which probably saved his life. Advices received from Kingman state that Johnson's wounds were the result of a conflict with Steve Mott, his employer, with whom he had quarreled frequently over money matters. Trouble had been brewing for some time and at last Johnson challenged his employer to a fist combat as the most practical solution of their difficulty. Mott did not respond spontaneously, but as Johnson was in the act of mounting his horse to leave the ranch a few hot words were exchanged and Mott raised a shotgun to his shoulder and emptied the contents of both barrels into Johnson's body and face. Deputy Sheriff Templeton is looking for Mott, who may have another story to tell in case he is located.

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PRESS MEETING

Ex-Governor McCord Elected President and Hon. E. S. Perkins, of Apache, Secretary.

A LARGE AND ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OF JOURNALISTS NOW VISITING THE LEGISLATURE WILL COME TO TUCSON.

Special to the Star:

Phoenix, Jan. 22.—The adjourned meeting of the Arizona Press Association met today at 10 a. m. After the regular business, resolutions of respect and condolence on the death of Secretary A. P. Shewman were offered and adopted. The election of officers resulted in ex-Governor McCord being elected President, and E. S. Perkins, Legislative Councilman-elect, of Apache County, Secretary. Committees were appointed to look after different matters of interest to the press, after which the members of the Association visited both branches of the Legislature in a body, where they were received most cordially and enthusiastically. It was hard to determine whether the Legislature or the Press Association were the more pleased with the visit. One thing is certain, the press representatives are mighty well pleased with the reception of both branches of the Legislature, as one of them said today: "They show the press a great deal of courtesy, brains and determination, which will assay about \$100 to the ton, and that is good, for there is lots of it."

It is generally admitted that the Twenty-first is about the most level-headed Legislature that has ever been convened in Arizona, and they all appreciate the valuable work of the press of the Territory and will do nothing to cripple or in any way injure the prosperity of this ceaseless worker in the interests of the Territory.

The Association took an adjournment subject to the call of the President, which will be made during the session of the Legislature, with a view of visiting Tucson and the University and inspecting that institution, whose fame has spread throughout the Territory.

The representatives of the press desire to see if things are as they are reported. You Tucson folks can look out for the press and the Legislature joining hands and coming down upon you in full force during the next few weeks.

The Legislature is entering upon its duties in a calm and conservative way, which bodes well for our law-making body.

RESPECT TO THE QUEEN.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The House today adopted a resolution expressing profound regret and sympathy with the English people owing to the death of Queen Victoria. The President was requested to express this sentiment to Great Britain and as a further mark of respect the House adjourned.

IN THE SENATE.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The announcement of the death of Queen Victoria today conveyed unofficially to the Senate was recognized by that body in the adoption of an appropriate resolution which was ordered to be engrossed and forwarded to the Prime Minister of Great Britain.

During the sitting of the Senate in open session the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation bill was reported so far as the Committee amendments were concerned. It is now subject to amendment by individual Senators. Little other business of importance was transacted.

FLAGS AT HALF MAST.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Four days of anxiety had in a large measure prepared official Washington for the news which was flashed across the cable this afternoon of the death of the Queen of England. So it happened that all things that could be done in anticipation of the end had been disposed of and all was in readiness for the execution of the formalities which are indispensable to such events. While the Cabinet was in session during the noon hour the President and his advisers were in receipt from time to time of all the news which came from Osborne House, so when the end came later in the afternoon it found appropriate messages of condolence and even orders ready for execution looking to the half-masting of the flags over the Executive departments and carrying out of the usual formalities. The half-masting of the national ensign was an unusual tribute to the memory of the deceased sovereign. It is said this had been done rarely on occasions of the funeral of some great world's ruler, but never before in the case of the death of a monarch.

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ADJOURNED IN CALIFORNIA.

Sacramento, Jan. 22.—Both branches of the Legislature adjourned today out of respect to the memory of the late Queen of England.

SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS

Tucson, Ariz., January 14, 1901. The Board meets at 10 a. m., pursuant to recess of January 12, 1901. All members and the Clerk being present.

The proceedings of the Board of January 12th are now read and upon motion all members voting aye are ordered approved.