

POMP AND CEREMONY MARK MARRIAGE OF THE DUKE OF YORK

Second Son of the King and Queen of England Married at Noon Today to Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon.

OLD WESTMINSTER ABBEY WAS USED

For the Ceremony, and Great Crowds Gathered Near to Give the Prince and Bride Big Demonstration.

(By the Associated Press.) London, April 26.—Albert, Duke of York, was united in marriage with Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon in solemn old Westminster Abbey at noon today...

It was the second time in little more than a year that the King and Queen of England gave one of their children in wedlock to a person outside the realm of royalty.

The bridegroom, the second son of the empire as did Princess Mary's wedding, the romance which turned a simple Scotch girl into a royal princess...

Today's ceremony within the hallowed walls of a historic abbey which has witnessed the supreme joys and sorrows of the nation...

In all, nine Americans witnessed the ceremony. In addition to Ambassador and Mrs. Harvey those favored guests were seven of the American newspaper men...

LIBERAL SPENDING ON INCREASE IN COUNTRY

Treasury Report Indicates Upward Trend in General Business Over the Nation.

Washington, April 25.—An upward trend of general business, in the opinion of treasury officials, is shown definitely in detailed statistics on gross federal tax collections for March...

Proof of a more liberal spending the country over is shown, as the officials view the situation, in the increase in manufacturers' excise taxes...

Tobacco taxes afforded observers an even evidence, it was said, of greater use by most of the public of the current buying power...

Documentary stamp sales for the month were reported at \$3,540,000, almost \$400,000 greater than for March last year...

Babe's Homers Will Bounce on the Drum. New York, April 22.—Babe Ruth has taken on an added incentive for "bursting" home runs during May.

The agreement between Ruth and the lawyers was made today.

Services at St. John's Lutheran Church Sunday will begin at 10 o'clock.

DEMOCRATS WILL HELP PRESIDENT HARDING

In His Efforts to Put Across His International Court Plan For United States.

(By the Associated Press.) Jackson, Miss., April 26.—"I'm glad to see that President Harding has found a plank in the republican platform and that he is going to try to keep one pledge of his party, even if he disrupts it," said Senator Pat Harrison here today after reading the President's address...

"I took the President a long time to find a plank," he said, "and after reading the President's speech in which he declared that the United States would not enter the league of nations by the side door, the back or the cellar door, and that part of it in which he said the party must keep its pledge, I wonder who Mr. Hughes, Mr. Hoover and those thirty-one republicans who signed the appeal three years ago are thinking."

NEW DEVELOPMENT IN CASES AGAINST WORNES. Just West Turn the Case Will Not Take Not Indicated, However.

Washington, April 26.—Rumors of sensational developments in the case of Chas. W. Wornes and others, on trial here on charges of conspiracy to defraud the Federal government...

The discussions were in progress the Marshal's office reported that the subpoena for John Barton Payne had been served on him.

THE COTTON MARKET. Yesterday's Excited Advance Followed by Moderate Reactions Following the Early Trading.

New York, April 26.—Yesterday's excited advance was followed by moderate reactions in the cotton market during today's early trading.

Inletment Against Liquor Dealers. Chicago, April 26.—Federal indictments naming several men as well as the firm of Hoffman & Ulrich, liquor dealers...

New England Depends Upon Textile Work For Support. Providence, R. I., April 25.—New Englanders should be educated to the fact that their prosperity depends largely upon the textile industry...

With Our Advertisers. Spring and summer clothing at the Browns-Cannon Co. from \$30 to \$50.

A belief common in Japan is that to live long one should sleep with the head pointed due north.

County Commencement Program Made Public by Superintendent

The following is the full program as announced by Prof. Robertson: 10:15—Band concert in school auditorium. 10:30—Song: "Come Thou Almighty King."

Bundle Day For Concord to be Observed Tuesday

Mayor Womble Issues Proclamation Asking All Persons to Send Clothes for Near East Children to Mrs. Ernest Hicks, County Chairman of the Campaign.

Next Tuesday, May 1st, has been declared Near East Relief Bundle Day in Concord by proclamation of Mayor J. B. Womble...

President of Asbestos Corporation of Canada Says Striking Miners Are Making Serious Threats.

Montreal, Canada, April 26.—W. G. Ross, president of the Asbestos Corporation of Canada, today appealed to Attorney General Taschereau for protection, asserting that strikers in the company's pits at Thetford mines had attacked the offices last night...

AMERICAN GUNS ARE NOT TO BE ELEVATED At Present, According to Statement Made by Secretary of Navy Denby.

Washington, April 25.—The appropriation made by Congress at the last session for elevating the guns of the American fleet will not be used for that purpose, Secretary Denby announced today...

FLEEING COUPLE WILL TALK TO GRAND JURY. Benjamin Hill and Mrs. Lillian Hannaford Caught as They Left St. Joseph, Michigan.

St. Joseph, Mich., April 26.—Benjamin Hill, aged 28, and Mrs. Lillian Hannaford, aged 20, who were intercepted at Stevensville early today while fleeing from the House of David...

Russian Refugees to Land Here. Washington, April 26.—President Harding decided today to permit transportation to the United States of 500 Russian refugees who recently landed in the Philippines...

Find Parents of Youths Who Told Police They Were Broke Orphans. Johnson City, Tenn., April 26.—Two Huckleberry Pinnis, orphans, penniless, and out in the world alone, told their stories to the police here Tuesday night.

Man With Smallpox Has Car on Train Entirely to Himself. Spencer, April 25.—Smallpox has made its appearance at Yadin, three miles north of Spencer, the victim being a white man now quarantined in camp cars on a siding near the river.

Explosion in Power House Causes Loss. Salisbury, April 25.—A severe explosion at the sub-station of the Southern Power company, in the eastern section of the city, this afternoon threw burning oil over the interior of the station and caused several thousand dollars' damage.

CHARGE DRY AGENTS HAVE PRACTICED GRAFT

Such Charges Have Been Made and Are Now Being Investigated by D. H. Blair.

Washington, April 26.—An investigation into the many charges that graft is being practiced on or among Federal prohibition agents has begun by the Internal Revenue Bureau under which the prohibition law operates.

There was no statement indicating whether the present agents of the prohibition forces had been found guilty of graft, but the information which the Bureau has obtained indicated that it was said that many former agents had been able to obtain money through misrepresentation of their duties.

Century of "Home, Sweet Home." London, April 25.—One week from next Tuesday will mark the one hundredth anniversary of the first publication of the immortal song of "Home, Sweet Home."

FEAR MINERS WILL DESTROY PROPERTY. Montreal, Canada, April 26.—W. G. Ross, president of the Asbestos Corporation of Canada...

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IMMIGRATION PUBLIC MATTER OF IMPORTANCE

Judge Gary and Government Fail to Agree.

Washington, April 26.—(By State Library News Service.)—Judge Gary of Steel Corporation, wants more immigrants, because he needs more laborers. The United States Government, as presented by the administration, stands squarely against any throwing down of the immigration bars...

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