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NATIONAL GOOD MANNERS IS DEMOCRACY.

The fact that this country is to be well and creditably represented at the Coronation ceremonies of King Edward, has provoked the absurd criticism in some quarters that this country is playing flunkey to royalty, and losing its Americanism and native democratic spirit.

Anglomaniacs which has prevailed in greater and less degree among a few people in this country for years, cannot in any way be associated with the present wish of the government to be represented at the King of England's Coronation ceremonies.

Anglomaniacs, the attempt to copy English manners or customs, must place those so attempting as conclusive evidence of the truth of the Darwinian theory, but this local characteristic does not in any way imply that all American people are in the same class.

Because the chief executives of this country declare for a representation of this country at the Coronation ceremonies soon to take place in England, denotes no decay in this country's national democracy.

The British Empire is very closely allied to the American nation in many ways; in speech, civilization, commerce, and by blood.

English monarchical form of government is a preference of the English people, as is the American people's choice of a republican form of government.

Not to accept an invitation to the English festival, because England is a monarchy, and this country is a republic, would be an exhibit of boorishness, and do discredit to this great nation, if acted upon.

This government has acted naturally and justly in both accepting England's invitation, and in proposing sending high representatives to the English court, who will most creditably prove this country's unshaken nationality of democracy and good manners.

And this is what the people of the United States want, and it in no way will injure the social fabric of this country's democracy, because the American people are suitably represented at the Coronation of King Edward.

LEADS THE WORLD IN GOLD HOLDINGS.

From time to time the United States treasury makes a report of its gold holdings, which are of interest to the financial world.

The amount of gold reported last week is the largest sum ever held by this government, the amount being \$545,199,875.

It was but a short time ago that France had the largest gold holdings of the world, but this last report of the United States treasury, shows this country to be in the lead.

The gold holdings of the great European national treasuries are as follows: French, \$478,183,000; Russian, \$329,887,000; Austro-Hungarian, \$285,071,000; Bank of England, \$173,632,000.

A point of interest in this table of comparisons is that England, whose commercial interests and business operations exceed all nations of the world, except this country's, should hold less than one-third of the amount of gold than this country does.

It would seem that while the United States kept piling up gold, that England has permitted credit money, in the way of bills, to replace its gold.

GREAT OCEAN DEPTHS.

Explorations of mountain heights, and the establishment of their measurements, is not less sensational, than the attempts at locating the great ocean depths.

Recently some new ocean measurements have been made, and what is now

said to be the greatest ocean depth is near Porto Rico.

The following on ocean depths is full of interest.

Some surprising ocean depths around Porto Rico have been discovered by officers of the dispatch boat Dolphin who are engaged in making soundings.

These seem to confirm the theory held by hydrographers that the Atlantic ocean in the vicinity of Porto Rico and Bermuda is of the greatest known depth, except that in some few places in the Pacific. Reports under date of January 30 received at the Navy Department from the Dolphin state that the record of 4,561 fathoms obtained by the Blake in 1882 has been surpassed by one made about 70 miles westward of the position of the greatest previously discovered depth in the North Atlantic.

The Dolphin found bottom, at 4,663 fathoms (over five miles) of wire had been run out. This is said to be the deepest spot so far found in the Atlantic.

As compared with depths ascertained in other parts of the world, the soundings indicate that the next deepest places found in the Atlantic are in the Caribbean sea south of the Great Cayman, where the ocean's bottom was touched at a depth of 3,348 fathoms.

The deepest known spot in the South Atlantic ocean is a place of 4,030 fathoms lying 11 miles south of the equator off the Brazilian coast. The most depressed portion of the crust of the earth so far recorded is in the North Pacific ocean and was discovered by Lieut. C. M. H. H. Hedges in the Nerio, who measured a depth of 3,269 fathoms. This depression is nearly equaled in depth by an area lying a short distance east of the Kermadec Islands in the South Pacific ocean where the British ship Penguin ran out 3,142 fathoms of line in 1895.

The deepest place in the Indian ocean, according to United States surveys, is where about 3,293 fathoms have been found. In the Antarctic regions the greatest soundings taken show 1,993 fathoms, and in the Arctic ocean a depth of 2,630 fathoms has been reported.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer one Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address:

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Inquest Begins.

New York, Feb. 4.—Coroner Goldenkranz today began the inquest in the Park Avenue tunnel disaster.

Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup for Teething Babies. Price, 10 cts. Cures Wind-Colic, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Griping Pains, Stomach, Fever, Cholera Infantum. Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup promotes the digestion and soothes the baby.

No Force Bill.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The "rumpacker bill" is a good as dead. At a caucus of the Republican members of the House today, which was largely attended, Speaker Henderson, Cannon of Illinois, and other Republican leaders threw cold water on the proposition to interfere with Southern elections or reduce Congressional representation in the South.

Saved Her Child's Life.

"In three weeks our chubby little boy was changed by Pneumonia almost to a skeleton," writes Mrs. W. Watkins, of Pleasant City, O. "A terrible cough set in, that, in spite of a good doctor's treatment for several weeks, grew worse every day. We then used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was soon sound and well. We are sure this grand medicine saved his life." Millions know it's the only sure cure for Coughs, Colds and Lung Diseases. C. D. Bradham guarantees satisfaction, 60c, \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Big Factory Burned.

Fall River, Mass., February 4.—The factory of the Haywood Fabric Co. was burned today. It is a heavy loss and many are thrown out of employment.

The greatest danger from cold and its grippe is their resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. It will cure a cold or an attack of grippe in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by F. S. Duffy & Co.

Fatal Explosion.

Pottstown, Pa., Feb. 4.—By the explosion in a bakery at Boyertown, five miles from here, four persons were killed and a number injured. One was injured so badly that he cannot live.

Millions Put To Work.

The wonderful activity of the new century is shown by an enormous demand for the world's best workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. For Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, or any trouble of the Stomach, Liver or Kidneys they're unrivaled. Only 25c, at C. D. Bradham's drug store.

Shaw Scars the Clerks.

Washington, Feb. 4.—The department clerks are in a state of panic over the activity of Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, who works from 8:30 to 4 o'clock, and fear that this will be his regular regime.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure Digests what you eat.

This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. By its use many thousands of dyspeptics have been cured after everything else failed. It prevents formation of gas on the stomach, relieving all distress after eating. Disting unnecessary. Pleasant to take. It can't help but do you good.

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Patrick Trial Postponed.

New York, Feb. 4.—The Patrick trial was postponed this morning owing to the illness of one of the jurors.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best and most famous compound in the world to conquer aches and kill pains. Cures Cuts, heals Burns and Bruises, subdues Inflammation, masters Piles. Millions of Boxes sold yearly. Works wonders in Bolls, Ulcers, Felons, Skin Eruptions. It cures or no pay. 25c. at C. D. Bradham's drug store.

FRILLS OF FASHION.

The Victorian sleeve is bell shaped at the elbow and finished with a full gathered undersleeve of lace or net.

The spring dress skirts will continue to fit the figure very closely about the hips and flare like a bellflower from the knees down.

The fullness of the latest winter skirts is carried well to the back beneath underfolded plaits, and they are narrowed at the top and are datter at the sides.

Both French and American milliners are making great use of draperies of velvet in two colors or two distinct shades of one color on their most fashionable models.

Long, handsome evening cloaks of cloth in delicate pastel shades, with broad collars of fur appliqued with lace, are noticed at every fashionable evening gathering.

Pale golden green, blue and all the lovely shades of pink are to rule very largely among the Easter and early summer colors both in dress, millinery and the silk embroideries which are to be so remarkably fashionable as a decoration.

All the winter muffs of fur and velvet are large, and those of velvet are made in many quaint styles. Some for very dressy occasions are generously trimmed with cream colored lace and sable tails, the velvet usually matching the gown in color.—New York Post.

Sandwich Islands.

The Sandwich Islands resemble Ireland in their freedom from snakes. One species only is known, and that is not common.

Nut Ornaments.

The small black soap nuts, or kernels of Sapiindus saponaria, take a fine polish and are threaded as necklaces, rosaries, bracelets and other ornaments. The Gaudond nuts of Australia are frequently strung as necklaces and bracelets and also mounted as scarf-pins.

Rheumatism Cured in 24 Hours.

T. J. Blackmore, of Haller & Blackmore, Pittsburgh, Pa., says: "A short time since I procured a bottle of Mystic Cure. It got me out of the house in 24 hours. I took to my bed with Rheumatism nine months ago and the Mystic Cure is the only medicine that did me any good. I had five of the best physicians in the city, but I received very little relief from them. I know the Mystic Cure to be what it is represented and take pleasure in recommending it to other poor sufferers." Sold by T. A. Henry, Druggist, New Bern.

Supply of Steel Short.

New York, Feb. 3.—The supply of steel billets in this country is very short and some anxiety is being expressed by interests in the United States Steel Corporation over the situation.

Salvation Oil the Best Liniment.

Price, 15 cts; large bottle 25 cts. Great relief on earth for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Soreness, Sprains, Backache, Stiffness, Cuts, Bruises, Wounds, Swellings, Burns and Frost-bites. Salvation Oil kills all pain.

RALEIGH.

Dedication of Dormitory of Soldiers Home.

Mail to Move Up Cases Supreme Court Docket. Caldwell County Shooting Case. Another Newspaper. River Appropriations Certain.

RALEIGH, Feb. 4.—In the Supreme court today a motion was made to advance all the tax cases now on the docket, those including the sewing machine cases, etc.

Randolph co. today called on the State for \$1063, and Ashe for the great sum of \$2664, to keep their public schools open 4 months. The figures from Ashe are simply astounding to the officials.

The local event of today here was the dedication of the dormitory at the Soldiers Home. The exercises began at noon, in the presence of the State officers, the Confederate veterans, the Daughters of the Confederacy and many citizens. The day was fine and everything well carried out. Governor Aycock who was introduced by Dr. B. F. Dixon, of the trustees, made the speech of presentation, and Julian S. Carr, the commander of the Confederate veterans in this State, accepted the building on behalf of the board of trustees, of which he is a member. He was introduced by A. B. Stronach, chairman of the executive committee of the home. Music was furnished by the orchestra of the institution for the blind, which was led by the principal. Lunch was served to the inmates of the home and also to the Daughters of the Confederacy by D. H. Hill Chapter. The dormitory is greatly admired. It is beautifully furnished and really looks like a model boarding school for girls, so extremely neat and attractive is it in all its details.

H. S. Ward of Plymouth, was today appointed one of the board of managers of the Plymouth colored normal school. Clayton is to have a paper, the News. It is also to have two tobacco warehouses.

Much interest is expressed here by lawyers in regard to the shooting and killing of H. L. Sherrill, an attorney of Lenoir, Caldwell county, by Fred Dade at Old Fort.

Congressman Poy says the bill for the improvement of the Cape Fear river to Fayetteville will pass.

A Legacy of the Grip.

Is often a run-down system. Weakness, nervousness, loss of appetite, energy and ambition, with disordered liver and kidneys often follow an attack of this wretched disease. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the splendid tonic, blood purifier and regulator of Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. Thousands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system, and restore to health and good spirits after an attack of Grip. If suffering, try them. Only 50c. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by C. D. B. Adham.

Test of Oil as Navy Fuel.

WASHINGTON, February 3.—The Navy Department is about to experiment with Texas oil. An estimate of \$30,000 is to be sent to Congress, and if it is appropriated it will be tested to ascertain whether it can be used as fuel for the navy.

Wide Sweep of Storm.

Washington, Feb. 4.—A blizzard has been prevailing in part of the Middle Atlantic States, the Lower Lake region and New England.

The temperature has fallen from 10° to 30° in that section. Maximum wind velocities were reached at Block Island, off the Rhode Island coast, where the storm blew 64 miles an hour, 60 miles at New York city and 56 miles at Buffalo.

The bodies of several sailors were washed ashore near Bellport, L. I. The Schopp, a full rigged ship, the large tug John E. Barwind and E. S. Atwood, and other craft were wrecked in that vicinity.

Shad For N. C. Rivers.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Congressman Charles R. Thomas has received a letter from the U. S. Fish Commission, which states that liberal plants of shad will be made in Neuse, Trent, and Cape Fear Rivers.

Ask For an American Cable.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Secretary Root has sent to Congress resolutions by the American Chamber of Commerce at Manila urging Congress to provide for a Pacific cable, the cable to be of American manufacture and to be laid by ships flying the American flag.

When you want a physic that is mild and gentle, easy to take and pleasant in effect use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free. Every box guaranteed. For sale by F. S. Duffy & Co.

The claim of other cough medicines to be as good as Chamberlain's are effectually set at rest in the following testimonial of Mr. C. D. Glass, an employee of Bartlett & Dennis Co., Gardner, Me. He says: "I had kept adding to a cold and cough in the winter of 1897, trying every cough medicine I heard of without permanent help, until one day I was in the drug store of Mr. Houshian and he advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and offered to pay back my money if I was not cured. My lungs and bronchial tubes were very sore at this time, but I was completely cured by this remedy, and have since always turned to it when I got a cold, and soon had relief. I also recommended it to my friends and an old lady to say it is the best of all cough medicines." For sale by F. S. Duffy & Co.

Blizzard in Central New York.

OSKANA, N. Y., Feb. 3.—A fierce blizzard is raging in Central New York. The thermometer is below zero. Snow is four feet deep and rail road traffic is blocked.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—It was said at the White House today that Grover Cleveland will be among the distinguished guests to be invited to attend the dinner which President Roosevelt will give in honor of Prince Henry of Germany, February 24.

WRECK ON SEABOARD.

At Neuse River Near Raleigh. Cars Down Embankment. Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, February 4.—The Seaboard Air Line freight train ran into the draw at Neuse river, six miles north of here, and seventeen cars are in the river, or down the embankment.

The passenger train south bound, is blocked there. No one injured in the wreck.

IMMENSE LOSS.

DAMAGE BY FIRE at Waterbury, Conn., is Fully \$3,000,000. Four Acres Are in Ruins.

WATERBURY, Conn., Feb. 3.—For 15 hours—from 5.30 p. m. Sunday until 9.30 a. m. today—the heart of this city was a furnace.

As the smoke of the ruins is dying away with the gale it is estimated that between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000 damage has been done. With the wind roaring at 60 miles an hour all the principal fire departments of the State were powerless for a long time to cope with the destroying wall of flame.

With all this great property loss there has been, strange to say, no loss of life, and but few accidents have been recorded.

All the buildings in the business section bounded on the north by Exchange Place, on the west by Bank street, on the south by Grand street and on the east by South Main street, embracing four acres of the center of the city, are in ruins.

While the Short Hand of the clock travels twice around the dial Perry Davis' Painkiller will cure a cold; will ease the tightness across the chest and hence will banish the fear of pneumonia. "Just a little cold" does not become a misery that clings until roses bloom if you have recourse to this never failing b-b-p. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'.

A HASTY MARRIAGE.

And the Bride Was Not the One the Weaver Sought.

Oliver Cromwell was so great a man that he dwarfed his surroundings, and it is singular how little the majority of people knew about the family and family life of this "the most typical Englishman of all time." He had three daughters, the youngest of whom was Frances. Her attractions must have been considerable. The young woman had several love affairs, but certainly the one that had a most amusing termination was her flirtation with her father's chaplain, Jerry White.

One day the protector surprised Jerry on his knees in the very act of kissing the lady's hand. Cromwell coldly demanded the meaning of the scene, and Jerry, with a pretty wit, exclaimed that he had long been courting "that young gentleman, my lady's woman," although without success. He was now therefore humbly praying her ladyship to intercede for him.

Cromwell turned at once to the waiting woman and requested to be informed why she refused the honor his friend, Mr. White, would do her. The young woman, fully equal to the occasion, replied magnanimously that if Mr. White intended her that honor she would not be so churlish as to deny him. "Call Godwin," returned Cromwell, and the pair were married straightway.

Realization of Age.

Two attorneys who had slipped past the meridian of life without hardly observing the fact were talking about ages while eating a deliberate luncheon in the Lawyers' club a couple of days ago when one of them told a story which embodies the experience of more than one man.

"It really came to me with a little shock," he said. "I took a sleeper at Buffalo for New York, and there were only half a dozen men aboard when I retired for the night. In the morning while in the toilet room brushing my hair I saw in the mirror the reflection of the back of an old gentleman I did not remember seeing before. He appeared much older than any man I had noticed on the car the night before, and I made up my mind that he had come aboard after I had gone to bed.

"I watched the reflection while arranging my hair and then turned, intending to speak to the old gentleman. You can imagine my surprise when I found that I had been looking at the reflection of my own back."—New York Herald.

Musical Sounds and Noise.

It is a curious fact that musical sounds fly farther and are heard at a greater distance than those which are more loud and noisy. If we go on the outside of a town during a gale, at the distance of a mile we hear the musical instruments, but the din of the multitude, which is so overpowering in the place, can scarcely be heard, the noise dying on the spot. To those who are conversant with the power of musical instruments the following observations will be understood: The violins made at Cremona about the year 1000 are superior in tone to any of a later date, age seeming to dispossess them of their noisy qualities and leaving nothing but the pure tone. If a modern violin is played by the side of one of those instruments, it will appear much the louder of the two, but on receding a hundred paces when compared with the Cremona it will scarcely be heard.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA
Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Peppermint, Drops and Soothing Syrup. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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Gentlemen—Being entirely cured of deafness, thanks to your treatment, I will now give you a full history of my case, to be used at your discretion. I will now give you my hearing in this ear entirely.
About five years ago my right ear began to ring, and this kept on getting worse, until I lost my hearing in this ear entirely.
I underwent a treatment for catarrh, for three months, without any success, consulted a number of physicians, among others, the most eminent ear specialist of this city, who told me that their case, but the hearing in the affected ear would be lost forever.
I then saw your advertisement accidentally in a New York paper, and ordered your treatment. After I had used it only a few days according to your directions, the noises ceased, and today, after five weeks, my hearing in the diseased ear has been entirely restored. I thank you heartily and beg to remain
Very truly yours,
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A property lying near the Ozark, with nowhere as good a showing and very little development, sold last week to a New York syndicate for \$200,000. The Ozark will pay dividends and be worth par inside of six months. This is the best investment for the money that has ever been offered to the investing public.

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