

## EDWARD DYING.

### England's King Rapidly Sinking.

## OPERATION SUCCESSFUL.

### Coronation Ceremonies Abandoned. Almost Panic in England.

### Cabinet Summoned.

Special to Journal.

LONDON, June 24.—King Edward, the Seventh is dying, the operation was performed at noon, the King sinking rapidly afterwards.

The attack of the King is perityphitis, which is an inflammation of the tissues of the abdomen.

The operation, while extremely difficult, was successfully performed.

All coronations attending the coronation have been abandoned.

The news regarding the operation and King Edward's condition has created almost a panic in England.

The Cabinet has been hastily summoned for consultation.

## STILL LIVING.

### King Edward's Condition Precarious.

### No Material Changes for Improvement. Regent to be Appointed Next Monday. Public Matters Demand Official Attention.

Special to Journal.

LONDON, June 25.—King Edward, as per the afternoon reports, was resting, barely conscious, and has been told to prepare for the worst.

It is thought a second operation will be necessary.

At 8 p. m. the King's condition was not materially changed, although he there were signs of improvement. He was free from pain and his strength was maintained.

It is the talk in official circles, that the Prince of Wales will be appointed Regent, next Monday.

Much official matter demands attention, which will likely hasten the appointment of a Regent.

### KING EDWARD IMPROVES.

### The King Able to Greet His Family. Crisis Not Yet Passed. Complications Feared. Quiet Celebration in London.

Special to Journal.

LONDON, June 26.—The early bulletins today gave encouraging reports of the King's condition.

His pulse and temperature were normal, and he had passed a better night, with some refreshing sleep.

The King's constitutional condition and his wound were in satisfactory condition.

Later in the day, the King was able to receive members of the Royal Family, and to have telegrams opened before him.

But with these favorable improvements, the crisis has not passed and complications are feared.

London had a subdued kind of celebration today.

### COVE.

June 26.

Preaches are ripening and Mr Lane says they have a fine flavor this year. Miss Myrtle Civilla is spending this week with friends here.

Prof. Benson Lane of the Tarboro Graded School is here on a visit.

Messrs W E Jones and Walter Glover visited New Bern Wednesday.

Mr L F Taylor spent Monday in Beaufort enjoying the sea breeze.

Messrs John Charlton and Gordon Avery, two popular young men of New Bern were among the Sunday visitors here.

The death of Mrs Eliza Heath occurred at her home near here last Friday. She leaves a husband an infant and a host of friends to mourn her untimely demise.

Death stole a bright jewel when it took from Mr John Bradburn and wife their little 10 month old babe last Friday. Our sympathy is with the family.

HENRY.

JACOB'S Raleigh Eye Whiskey is the best. Middle street.

## BACK FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

### Stephen Hurst Returns From a 3 Years Campaign in the Far Off Islands.

Stephen Hurst who has had a three years campaign in the Philippines arrived at his home here Monday and appears well and hearty. He left the islands in March and arrived in San Francisco about a month later. Mr Hurst tells his experiences in an interesting manner and whenever he appears on the street he talks to crowds of his friends who enjoy his accounts hugely.

He was a member of Co. K, 8d Infantry, and while he saw plenty of desultory and ambush fighting he had but few engagements in active battle. The Philippines, he says, are like Indians, fighting from behind trees or rocks; rarely ever in the open field. They are armed with Mauser rifles which are said to be the best gun made. They are poor marksmen or there would be more American soldiers dead in the islands than there are today. They are like Indian warriors in another respect, they are treacherous and utter strangers to the ethics and principles of warfare; hence the difficulty the American soldiers have had in meeting the enemy in the open field.

The Filipinos being a mixture of several races, part of the natural characteristics of each nationality of which their blood is a part. They are a composite photograph of the native savage, Japanese, Chinese and Spanish. The natives of the interior is savage and cannibal, but they are controlled largely by the more civilized Filipinos, but none are honorable in their military or political transactions.

Their manner of living is extremely simple and something that the Europeans and Americans cannot understand. The natives will eat any kind of animal, and not make any particular fuss as to how it met its death. If the animal died a natural death of a lingering nature it was just as acceptable to them as if the animal was killed and a rat or kangaroo is just as delicious to them as a juicy sirloin or porter house steak is to the average American palate. Vegetables and grain however, are their principle diet, rice being a prime favorite. They have a drink which is made from the juice of fruits and grains, and after has the effect that absinthe has—a peculiar dulling influence on the senses.

He thinks that the better class of Filipinos are friendly to the United States but there are many under the influence of leaders who incite rebellion. The Filipinos in their most favorable aspect are an undesirable people to have any transactions with.

The other New Bern boys who have been in the Philippines will be at home soon as it is understood that they have left the islands.

## CHURCHMEN.

The Rev. Willard Martin Rice, stated clerk of the presbytery of Philadelphia and one of the oldest Presbyterian ministers of that city, has just celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday anniversary.

The Rev. Joseph Lofthouse of York, in the unorganized district of Kewatin, Canada, has been elected bishop of the Anglican diocese of Kewatin, which has an area of 758,000 square miles.

Canon Knox-Little of Worcester, England, has been re-elected chairman of the Worcester Rifle club. Among the vice presidents elected are the dean and three canons of the Worcester chapter.

## VACATIONS.

Upon you rests the responsibility of getting your full allotment of brightness from your vacation. A vacation without a Kodak is a vacation wasted. Kodaks—there's none but Eastman's—cost from \$1. to \$15. every one good, add this to cost of films makes a total of from \$2. to \$17. which will be repaid by the nice pictures brought home as reminders of a pleasant outing. Come in and let us show these Kodaks—any child can take pictures with them. See our windows this week.

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## PINFEATHERS.

Darkened nests will do much to prevent the egg eating habit.

After dressing dip the fowls in hot and then cold water to make them plump.

The scraps from the table soaked in sweet milk until soft make a good feed for young turkeys, especially during the summer.

Dry picked poultry sells for a little more per pound than that which has been scalded on account of its superior flavor and more attractive appearance.

Short legged fowls fatten quickly. Long legs are hard to fatten. Those which are first hatched fatten quickly in a brood. It is a safe rule to sell as soon as the fowl is in good marketable condition.

WHEAT, either fresh or sour, better milked or skimmed, mixed with bread or in any other form, is excellent for all kinds of fowls. In many cases it will pay better to give the waste milk to fowls rather than to the pigs.

## CASTORIA.

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

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## RALEIGH.

### Report of Negro Murder in Wake County.

### Rains Ended Drought Farm Laborers Seared. Only 58 Convicts in the Penitentiary. State Library is Being Repaired.

RALEIGH, June 25.—The attendance at the annual meeting of the State liquor dealers' association, in session here, is very small. Last evening the "board of control," or executive committee was in session. The general public expected that there would be a large attendance.

All this State's exhibits at the Charleston exposition are back in the museum and part are being unpacked. There will be a very extensive rearrangement of the exhibits and of course an enlargement. There are a large number of new cases. Agricultural products will be admirably and most effectively shown.

The fine rains yesterday and last night have entirely ended the drought in this State. They came at the very best time. Crops are clean and were ready for the greatest benefit. The crop report for the State issued yesterday, was the most satisfactory in several weeks, and that next Tuesday will no doubt be even more gratifying.

News reached the sheriff today of a possible homicide in this county near Newse, where a large force of negroes are building a branch line from the Seaboard Air-Line to a cotton mill. A negro named Kirby was shot in the back of the head by another named Moore. The latter asserts that the shooting was accidental, but contrary statements are made. A deputy sheriff was sent to arrest Moore.

Many sportsmen arrived here today to take part in the inter-state shoot at clay pigeons.

The State library is being refitted and is closed for several days.

There are now only 58 convicts in the penitentiary proper, all the others being at work outside. Never before was there such a demand for convict labor.

Farmers in this section say labor, by which they mean negro labor, is very scarce and that it is daily growing scarcer. Negro farm laborers are leaving for the North without the least notice. Had it been a wet year, the crops would have been largely over run with grass, but it is such a dry season that very little labor is required to keep them clean.

There are fewer registered whiskey distilleries in operation now in both the districts in this State than in the past four years. The high price of corn is the chief cause, and the next is the fact that the revenue officers have watched these distilleries with unusual closeness. A great many of this class of distilleries admit frauds, and when they are cornered that they cannot convict them they shut down. It is said by revenue officers that there is not a registered distillery which had not defrauded the government. It is merely a question of being able to detect the fraud.

### A Clever Thief.

This is how the presence of mind and audacity of a Chicago thief saved him from being locked up. A policeman who recognized him and knew he was "wanted" but him under arrest, with the words, "You are wanted at headquarters." "Yes, I know," replied the thief quickly. "I was arrested last night and was bailed out this morning. You are too slow." "It does look that way," said the crestfallen policeman as he told the thief he could go, of which permission the thief lost no time in availing himself. Later, to his chagrin, the policeman found that the thief had not been previously arrested.

## VANCEBORO.

June 25.—Mr and Mrs A. M. Williams, Dr B J Smith and Mr J A Purser left today for Greenville to attend a Masonic meeting.

Miss Sadie Brown returned home last week from Baltimore where she has been attending college.

Miss Cora Dinkins left Monday to visit in Maryland and from there she will go to New York.

Dr L C Covington and Mr S J Lane went to New Bern yesterday.

Mr J B Harvey spent Wednesday in New Bern.

Mr J L Parrott and Miss Fannie Cherry of Kingston, are visiting in Vanceboro.

Mr J W Timberlake, representing the Fidelity Insurance Co., spent today in Vanceboro.

Our Children's Day exercises will be observed Sunday night, June 29.

Miss Parkenson who has been on a visit to her sister Mrs J F Edwards, returned to her home at Greenville, Sunday.

Miss Helen Smith spent Saturday and Sunday in Butters.

Miss Emily Olive spent last week visiting at Cool Springs, N. C.

Mr T L Smith left Monday for Kingston, and returned Tuesday night.

Miss Mamie Adams and Lela Williams spent Saturday and Sunday at Dobbs, visiting Misses Etta and Nora Lancaster.

Thousands suffer and hundreds die every year in this country from some form of Bowel Complaint. The best remedy for these diseases in children or adults is Dr. SETH ARNOLD'S BAL-BAL. Warranted to give satisfaction by T. A. Henny.

## OLYMPIA.

### The Railroad Bond Issue Not Popular.

June 25.—We have had several good rains in the past week, which have done the crops much good, people are most through hilling corn and seem to be up with their work in general this season.

Some of our farmers report cotton blossoms the 19th past, quite early for this section.

There are several of our people anticipating a nice water melon this inst., melons are good through this section this year, but there is a small crop in acreage.

We are much pleased at the yield of Irish potatoes this season and at the good prices at which they sold.

Miss Ida Wayne has just returned from visiting friends at Chocowinity.

A goodly number of our people attended the children's day at Galilee Sunday afternoon.

Miss Myrtle Dickerson, of Reelboro, has been visiting friends in Olympia for the past week.

The railroad question is the general topic of the day now, but we find but few that favor it under the present outlook, we people would like a railroad through the county but we don't want to have our county bonded for fifty thousand dollars and then be at least two years before we could have a ride on the road, we would have too much tax for little pay, besides it would be a tax that would be on us for years to come, and many would never see a free day any more for railroad tax, it seems to me that Pamlico county has had experience enough with railroad debts to keep her fingers out of the fire now, as she has never had profit enough out of what she has paid to haul a barrel of potatoes around the world twice.

Now if the Company only asks fifty thousand dollars stock of Pamlico. There are plenty of men that will take individual stock to consume the amount asked. Now why not let the men who want a railroad take the bonds and not bond other people who do not want a railroad. Some men are foolish enough to talk as if the railroad will haul money in the County and pour it out at every station. Now they don't stop to think that they haven't a son or daughter that can take the responsibilities of a railroad office to get one cent of the money. Now I hope the people who vote for or against the road, will not have treated the matter with light thought, and I trust they will do their own thinking and not let some capitalist think for them.

Be ye wise older heads and don't bring your sons under a bond that will wear out two or three generations to come, let your remaining days be free from a railroad debt and let your sons be free too, and repeat, let those who want a railroad, bear its burden, and not burden the liberty loving people of Pamlico county, with a few men's wants.

I trust as you go to your voting boxes the 28th, you will cast your votes to keep the County of Pamlico free from the bond.

### Cooke and Daniels Nominated.

Special to Journal.

ROCKY MOUNT, N. C. June 26.—Charles M. Cooke was nominated for Judge here today by one vote, over Jacob Battle. C. C. Daniels was nominated for solicitor, defeating Harry Stabbs.

## TRENTON.

### Dedication of the Christian Church. Sudden Death.

June 25.—Mrs. D G. Geddie and children have gone up in Duplin and Sampson counties to make extended visits.

Your correspondent had the pleasure of taking a day off in the country with our preacher this week. The crops were looking fine, and the rain last night will make them look better. Glad to see the rain as it did every thing good.

The Christian Church will be dedicated the second Sunday in July, by Rev. W. G. Johnson, of Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Windley returned from Swansboro last week where they had been visiting.

Mr. A. H. Cable, of the firm W. M. Cable and Son, our photographers, went to Swansboro last week to do some work.

There was a Sunday School picnic at Maple Grove church last Saturday. There was a nice crowd, fine dinner and cool drinks were plentiful. All enjoyed it splendidly.

We are sorry to publish the death of Mr Isaac Brock, an old and wealthy citizen of Jones county, which occurred Monday night. It was about time to retire and he told his wife he would go out on the piazza to cool, he went out, took a seat and fell to the floor dead. Supposedly it is without him, yet how unspeakably sad it would be to him if he was back again into the sorrows of this world. May the Lord, who never makes a mistake blind up broken hearts, and may the comforting spirit be with the bereaved ones until they meet where parting is unknown.

Zion Masonic Lodge met at its Hall in Trenton June 21. The following officers for the ensuing year were installed by Past Master, Dr J C Mattocks: W E Hammond, W M; D O Mallerd, S W; J D Heath, J W; W C Kinsey, Treas. T W Focus, Sec'y.

## 38 Members of Congress Send Letters of Endorsement To the Inventor of the Great Catarrh Remedy, Pe-ru-na.

### Congressman Goodwyn of Alabama.

Writes: "I have now used one bottle of Peru-na and am a well man today."—A. T. Goodwyn, Robinson Springs, Ala.

### U. S. Senator Roush from North Dakota.

W. N. Roush, Larimore, N. D., says: "I have used Peru-na as a tonic. It has greatly helped me in strength, vigor and appetite."—W. N. Roush.

### Congressman Linney from North Carolina.

Writes: "My secretary had as bad a case of catarrh as I ever saw, and since he has taken one bottle of Peru-na he seems like a different man."—Romulus Z. Linney, Taylorsville, N. C.

### Congressman Ogden from Louisiana.

Writes: "I can conscientiously recommend your Peru-na."—H. W. Ogden, Benton, La.

### Congressman Smith from Illinois.

Writes from Murphysboro, Ill.: "I have taken one bottle of Peru-na for my catarrh and I feel very much benefited."—Geo. W. Smith.

### Congressman Meekison from Ohio.

Says: "I have used several bottles of Peru-na and feel greatly benefited thereby from my catarrh of the head."—David Meekison, Napoleon, O.

### Congressman Crowley from Illinois.

Writes from Robinson, Ill.: "Mrs. Crowley has taken a number of bottles of Peru-na on account of nervous troubles. It has proven a strong tonic and lasting cure."—Jos. B. Crowley.

### Congressman Thompson of Kentucky.

Writes: "Besides being one of the very best tonics Peru-na is a good, substantial catarrh remedy."—Phil. B. Thompson.

### Congressman Howard from Alabama.

Writes from Fort Payne, Ala.: "I have taken Peru-na for la grippe, and I take pleasure in recommending Peru-na as an excellent remedy."—M. W. Howard.

### Congressman Cummings from New York.

Writes: "Peru-na is good for catarrh. I have tried it and know it."—Amos W. Cummings, New York City.

### Senator Thurston of Nebraska.

Writes from Omaha, Neb.: "Peru-na entirely relieved me of a very irritating cough."—J. M. Thurston.

### Congressman Worthington from Nevada.

Writes: "I have taken one bottle of Peru-na and it has benefited me immensely."—H. G. Worthington.

### Congressman Bankhead from Alabama.

Writes: "Your Peru-na is one of the best medicines I ever tried."—J. H. Bankhead, Fayette, Ala.

### Congressman Powers from Vermont.

Writes from Morrisville, Vt.: "I can recommend Peru-na as an excellent family remedy."—H. Henry Powers.

### Senator Sullivan from Mississippi.

Writes from Oxford, Miss.: "I take pleasure in recommending your great tonic and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits."—S. S. Yoder, Lima, O.

### Congressman Snover of Michigan.

Writes from Port Austin, Mich.: "I take Peru-na as a very efficient and speedy remedy for a persistent and annoying cough."—H. G. Snover.

### U. S. Senator Call of Florida.

Writes: "The Peru-na has been recommended by Gen. Wheeler and other reliable persons, and has been used by some members of my family, and I concur in the statements of Gen. Wheeler."—William Call, Jacksonville, Fla.

### Senator McEnery of Louisiana.

Writes: "Peru-na is an excellent tonic. I have used it sufficiently to say that I believe it to be all that you claim for it."—S. D. McEnery, New Orleans, La.

### Congressman Brownlow of Tennessee.

Writes: "I have taken three bottles of Peru-na and I feel satisfied that I am now almost, if not permanently, cured of catarrh of the stomach."—W. F. Brownlow, Jonesboro, Tenn.

### Congressman Brewster of Florida.

Writes from Tampa, Florida: "I can indorse Peru-na as a first-rate tonic and a very effective cure for catarrh."—S. M. Sparkman.

### Congressman Mahon of Pennsylvania.

Writes from Chambersburg, Pa.: "I take Peru-na as a substantial tonic."—Thad. M. Mahon.

### Congressman Sparkman of Florida.

Writes from Tampa, Florida: "I can indorse Peru-na as a first-rate tonic and a very effective cure for catarrh."—S. M. Sparkman.

### U. S. Senator Gear of Iowa.

Writes from Burlington, Ia.: "Peru-na I can commend to all as a very good tonic."—John H. Gear.

### Congressman Culbertson of Texas.

Writes: "I can recommend Peru-na as one of the very best of tonics."—D. B. Culbertson, Jefferson, Tex.

### Congressman Livingston from Georgia.

Writes: "I take pleasure in joining with General Wheeler, Congressman Brewster and others in recommending Peru-na as an excellent tonic and a catarrh cure."—L. L. Livingston, Kings, Ga.

### Congressman Clark of Missouri.

Says: "I can recommend your Peru-na as a good, substantial tonic and one of the best remedies for catarrh trouble."—John B. Clark.

### Congressman Pelham of Virginia.

Writes from Bancroft, Va.: "My sister-in-law has been using Peru-na for about one week for catarrh of the throat and is manifestly improved."—C. Pelham.

### Congressman Burnett of Alabama.

Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend Peru-na as a good, substantial tonic, and a very good catarrh remedy."—John L. Burnett, Gadsden, Ala.

### Congressman Botkin of Kansas.

Writes from Holton, Kas.: "Peru-na has given me almost complete relief from catarrh of the stomach and constipation."—J. D. Botkin.

### Congressman White of North Carolina.

Writes from Tarboro, N. C.: "I find Peru-na to be an excellent remedy for the grip and catarrh. I have used it in my family."—G. H. White.

### Congressman Wilber of New York.

David F. Wilber, of Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "I am fully convinced that Peru-na is all you claim for it after the use of a few bottles."—David F. Wilber.

### Congressman Dungan of Ohio.

Writes from Jackson, O.: "I recommend Peru-na to anyone in need of an invigorating tonic."—Irvine Dungan.

### Congressman Barham from California.

Writes from Santa Rosa, Cal.: "At the solicitation of a friend I used your Peru-na, and can cheerfully recommend it."—J. A. Barham.

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### Senator Mallory of Florida.

Writes from Pensacola, Fla.: "I have used your excellent remedy, Peru-na, and have recommended it both as a tonic and a safe catarrh remedy."—Stephen R. Mallory.

### Senator Butler of South Carolina.

M. C. Butler, ex-Governor of South Carolina, writes: "I can recommend Peru-na for dyspepsia and stomach trouble."—M. C. Butler, Edgefield, S. C.

### Congressman Brookshire of Indiana.

Says: "From what my friends say Peru-na is a good tonic and a safe catarrh cure."—E. V. Brookshire, Crawfordsville, Ind.

### Congressman Deviner of West Virginia.

Writes from Wheeling, W. Va.: "I join with my colleagues in the House of Representatives in recommending your excellent remedy."—B. B. Deviner.

### Congressman Broderick of Kansas.

Writes from Holton, Kas.: "I have taken two bottles of Peru-na and find it to be an excellent remedy for colds and throat trouble."—Case Broderick.

### Congressman Yoder of Ohio.

Writes: "I only used Peru-na for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits."—S. S. Yoder, Lima, O.

## RALEIGH.