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London Clothed in Its Gala Dress

THOUSANDS ADMIRE THE JUBILEE DECORATIONS

Floodlit City

OVER HALF A MILLION POUNDS FOR SEATING ACCOMMODATION

London, the hub of the Empire, is being decorated on an unprecedented scale for the Jubilee and the city's gala dress is being admired by thousands of visitors.

Over half a million pounds is being spent by the public on seats from which to view the various processions and every effort will be made to present pageants worthy of such a great occasion.

Two boys will occupy the place of honour at the Jubilee Thanksgiving Service in St. Paul's Cathedral.

Two Fortunate Boys

[BY WIRELESS.]

Rugby, April 26.

Ten days before the Silver Jubilee, Londoners and thousands of visitors to the capital are displaying keen interest in all the preparations for the celebrations, which are clearly to be conducted on an unprecedented scale.

The streets are assuming their jubilee dress and the decorations already erected have stood successfully the wet and cheerless weather conditions of the last few days.

Every morning now sees rehearsals of various processions and every night of the flood-lighting plant which will provide a blaze of illumination for notable buildings not only in London but in every town and many villages throughout the country. The plant is undergoing exhaustive tests.

The Royal Route

On May 6 hundreds of thousands of spectators will stand in the streets, every window along the routes will be packed while special seating accommodation has been provided for 75,000 of the most fortunate.

The series of brief processions into which the Royal Family and Imperial representatives are being divided will maintain interest for those who will willingly wait several hours.

It has now been arranged that escorts of Life Guards and Horse Guards will be supplemented by contingents from other cavalry regiments. This decision was taken in part because tremendous public opinion—over half a million pounds is being paid for seats—requires that people should be given a really striking pageant.

St. Paul's Service

The place of honour at the Jubilee thanksgiving service in Saint Paul's Cathedral is being given to two "well-known boys" who will represent the 100,000 members of the National Association of Boys' Clubs.

Jubilee Trust

A total of £300,000 for King George's Jubilee trust has already been received in contributions sent direct to the headquarters of the trust at St. James's Palace and to the Lord Mayor of London's Fund at the Mansion House. This sum does not include money from collections outside London, a number of which have received large donations.

The Prince of Wales is devoting many hours every day to the organization of the Fund and signs acknowledgments of all gifts, however small. They vary from a penny to thousands of pounds.—British Official Wireless Service.

The Pope

MILLION MASSES FOR PEACE

Celebrations at Lourdes

100,000 Pilgrims

POPE'S BLESSING TO BE BROADCAST

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Lourdes, April 25.

Amid scenes of great solemnity and splendour the celebration began this afternoon of 140 continuous masses extending over three days and nights for the peace of the world.

In addition to the Papal Legate and Secretary of State, Cardinal Pacelli, 60 archbishops and bishops have arrived while three other cardinals are expected.

The celebration which is being conducted in the presence of 100,000 pilgrims will conclude on Sunday afternoon when the Pope will broadcast his benediction from the Vatican.

It is estimated that simultaneously with the masses at Lourdes over a million masses for world peace are being said in other parts of the globe.

THE INDIAN SILVER MARKET

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Bombay, April 26.

Fresh business on the silver market has been unofficially suspended owing to the fear of a crisis following the sharp rise in prices. Brokers to-day are confining themselves to squaring up old accounts.

SECRET OF FRENCH WAR MUTINY

54 Divisions Began March on Paris

MARSHAL PETAIN'S STORY

[" STANDARD " CORRESPONDENT].

London, April 17.

(By air mail.)

One of the desperately guarded secrets of the Great War is out.

For 18 years the French High Command have kept silent about the great mutiny which broke out in 1917, paralysing the French armies and imposing on British troops practically the whole burden of the war on the Western front.

From time to time stories of the mutiny have been told; but hitherto nothing has emerged in the way of official declaration.

To-day (says a Reuter Paris message published by the "Evening Standard") the extent of the French mutiny has leaked out as

Marshal Petain

a result of a statement by Marshal Petain to the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences.

Marshal Petain's statement is described as a "bombshell."

He demanded that the public should be excluded from the meeting while he made it.

Journalists hurried to the Academy, but they were not allowed to attend the meeting.

From what has leaked out, however, it appears that 54 divisions at the Front and behind the lines mutinied and began to march on Paris.

The Causes

Marshal Petain told his hearers of the causes which led to the mutinies.

He related how the morale of brave men was sapped by the shortage of food, due to mismanagement or misappropriation behind the lines, and of attacks which were manifestly hopeless but which had to be carried out because some "brass-hat" far in the rear had ordered them.

To recover a trench which had no tactical value a lieutenant and 100 men were ordered to go "over the top" in broad daylight against machine-guns. They were all killed.

Criticised Commanders

Another party of men were sent out, and they, too, were all killed.

Attacks were staged without adequate artillery preparation, and consequently failed.

After thus criticising the commanders who preceded him, Marshal Petain told of the measures he took when the Government appointed him to restore order.

The men were properly fed and were made at last to believe that their lives were regarded as having some value by the men who gave the orders.

CROYDON GOLD ROBBERY

Three Men on Trial

One Acquitted

TAXI DRIVER WHO COULD NOT REMEMBER

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

London, April 25.

The trial opened at the Croydon Quarter Sessions to-day of three men charged with stealing gold valued at £21,000 from the Croydon Aerodrome on the night of March 5-6.

The accused are:

Cecil Swanland (47) an artist, of no fixed abode;

Silvio Mazzarda (38) a commission agent of Vine Street, Clerkenwell Road, E.C.

John O'Brien (74) a dealer of no fixed abode.

The chief witness was George Manson a taxi driver of Leyton Mansions, Hornsey Rise who drove four men from North London to the vicinity of Croydon Aerodrome early in the morning of March 6. He now said that he could not remember whether he had previously stated that O'Brien was one of the four men.

The Recorder told the jury that as the taxi driver's evidence was the only evidence against O'Brien it would not be safe to convict.

The jury after brief consideration found O'Brien not guilty and he was discharged.

The hearing was then adjourned.

*It will be recalled that during the police court hearing it was stated that the gold had vanished between 4.15 a.m. and 5 a.m. during the aerodrome official's temporary absence on duty.

"This is Gold"

The prosecution linked up the time with a midnight order given to a taxi man in North London to drive four men to the neighbourhood of the aerodrome in South London. The fares descended returning 20 minutes later—now 5.5 a.m.—in a car carrying three boxes.

It was alleged that they said: "This is gold."

The taxi man then drove to an address in North London where Swanland lived. The boxes were deposited at the house. The contents had been emptied before the police started their search on March 7.

A peculiar key, said to have been found in Swanland's jacket fitted the aerodrome strong room door.

DR. HINSLEY

Welcomed to His New See

[BY WIRELESS.]

Rugby, April 26.

Dr Hinsley, who will be enthroned as Archbishop in Westminster Cathedral in succession to the late Cardinal Bourne, was welcomed by a large crowd of Roman Catholics when he reached London from Rome last night.

To-day at a private ceremony the Archbishop-elect is taking formal possession of his see.—British Official Wireless Service.

Miss Jean Batten

AUSTRALIA-ENGLAND FLIGHT

Miss Batten Trying for New Records

THE LAST LAP

[BY WIRELESS.]

Rugby, April 26.

Miss Jean Batten, on her return flight to England from Australia left Rome air port early this morning and hopes to cover the 900 miles to Croydon by this evening in order to beat her own record of 15 days for the outward journey.

If she succeeds she will be the first woman to make the double flight alone, hold the record for the solo flight by a woman from England to Australia, and hold a similar record for the Australia-England flight.—British Official Wireless Service.

*It will be recalled that Miss Batten flew solo from Lympne to Port Darwin, Australia in May of last year.

French Aerial Police for the Frontier

TO CHECK INCURSIONS BY GERMAN AIRCRAFT

Many Recent Instances

PLANES REPORTED TO HAVE FLOWN OVER FORTIFIED WORKS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Paris, April 25.

The Air Ministry announces that the Government has taken local measures which are judged to be necessary for the aerial policing of forbidden zones on the North Eastern frontier.

The Government states that this decision is due to the increasingly frequent violation of forbidden territory by foreign aircraft.

It is reported that last week-end a German aeroplane crossed the frontier in the direction of Thionville and circled above the Apach aerial station and then flew over the new fortifications in the Cattentom region. Another plane coming apparently from Saarbrucken is alleged to have flown over fortified works at Waldwiese.

Such incidents have been reported frequently lately.

RATES OF EXCHANGE

The following rates of exchange were notified by the Nairobi banks yesterday:—

London on Paris: 73.1/4.

London on New York: 4.83 1/4.

Bombay T.T. on London: 1/6 3/32.

Mr. Auguste Oddenino, famous restaurateur, of the Imperial Hotel, Regent-street, left estate of the gross value of £353, with net personalty £138.

THE CAFE ROYAL

[" STANDARD " CORRESPONDENT].

London, April 17.

(By Air Mail).

The Cafe Royal in Regent Street is shortly to be turned into a public limited company with a share capital of £400,000. The directors will be Mr. George Harvey and Mr. Bracewell Smith, M.P. by whom the Cafe Royal was purchased four and a half year ago.

BRITAIN'S RETURNING PROSPERITY

Big Companies Increase Their Profits

STRIKING EVIDENCE

[BY WIRELESS.]

Rugby, April 26.

Trading and financial statements by a number of leading British industrial companies issued this week supply a striking piece of evidence of the returning prosperity and contribute to the buoyant tone of the stock markets.

The companies touch various branches of industrial activity and include such leading concerns as Rolls Royce Limited, of motor car and aero engine fame, Spillers Limited, the big milling firm, Marks and Spencer Limited, multiple shop and general store business, Tate and Lyle, the sugar refining undertaking and the British Oxygen Company which has benefited from the improvement in the heavy engineering industries.

All these show largely increased trading activities and profits.—British Official Wireless Service.

ROYAL AIR FORCE FLIGHT

Expected in Nairobi To-morrow

The Royal Air Force South and East African Cruise of 1935, consisting of four Vickers "Victoria" troop-carriers of No. 216 Squadron (Heliopolis, Cairo), is expected to arrive at Nairobi from Juba, via Tororo, at about 4-0 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. The aircraft will remain at Nairobi until Tuesday, thereafter departing for Dodoma, via Moshi, en route for the Cape.

The personnel of the flight is as follows:—Wing Commander C. W. Mackey (Officer Commanding the Cruise and C.O. of No. 216 Squadron), Squadron-Leader S. L. Quine, M.C., Flight-Lieut. E. A. Hodgson, Flying-Officer A. A. Saw, Flying-Officer M. C. Moore, Pilot-Officer R. M. Bradley, Pilot-Officer O. N. de W. Boult, Sergeant R. D. Higham, Sergeant J. N. H. Luxton, two Corporals and eleven other ranks (Aircraftsmen).

On its return journey, the Flight is scheduled to reach Nairobi on Thursday, June 6.

OMARI RECAPTURED

Notorious Gaol-Breaker Wounded

With reference to the report in the "E.A. Standard" on Tuesday, the Police state that an unconfirmed report has now been received that the native Omari bin Masua, wanted for murder and escape from custody in Tanganyika, and for resisting arrest in Mombasa, who recently escaped from prison in Kismayu, Italian Somaliland, has been rearrested at Kismayu. It is stated that he was seriously wounded and is now in Hospital.

THE I.F.S.

Governor General's 6d. a Day Expenses

[" STANDARD " CORRESPONDENT.]

London, April 16.

(By Air Mail).

The Irish Free State Auditor General reports that the expenses of Mr. Donal Buckley, the Governor General of the Irish Free State amounted last year to £9.1.8—about sixpence a day. Mr. Buckley hands back to the Treasury £8,000 out of his £10,000 salary. From the rest he has allowances.

Train Notice

In connection with the sailing of the s.s. "Durham Castle" from Kilindini Harbour on May 1, the mail train from Nairobi on Tuesday, April 30, will be divided and run in two portions. The first portion will leave at 4-15 p.m. and run to Mombasa only, the second portion will leave Nairobi at 5 p.m. and run to Kilindini Harbour direct, conveying passengers for overseas.

THE MONEY MARKET

[BY WIRELESS.]

Rugby, April 26.

Sterling on New York: 4.81½.

Paris 73.

Stock Markets

Stock markets continue cheerful. British Funds are very firm with War Loan at 106 5/8, ex-dividends. Home industrials and home rails are active and strong.

Gold

Gold is quoted to-day at 144 9½d.—British Official Wireless Service.

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The right is reserved to revise or reject any advertisement which may have been accepted, but which is deemed to be objectionable either in subject matter or phraseology or for any other cause.

All the above Advertisements are strictly payable in Advance, and no exception will be made to this rule.

TO LET

The charge for advertisements in these columns is Sh. 1/- for Six Words, and 50 cents for every additional three words. Repeats half price.

ESTATE of nearly 9,000 acres, good house partly furnished with guest huts. Excellent cattle proposition. First class big game shooting including Lion, Rhino, Buffalo and most of all other game. Fishing, Healthy district. Voucher No. 1159, "Standard," Nairobi.

FULLY furnished 8 roomed house, garage, tennis court etc. one mile town, nice district, low rental, P.O. Box 469, Nairobi.

FULLY Furnished Stone House, on Hill (including Refrigerator and Tennis Court) near town moderate rental. Apply Voucher No. 1174, "Standard," Nairobi.

THE Hill, five roomed modern stone house, inside sanitation etc. Apply Bone, Woodlands Road, or Box 698, Nairobi.

THREE new offices. Apply Office No. 5, Mackinnon's Building.

WEATHER board house, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, garden, moderate rent to good tenant, Sclaters Road, bus stop. Apply Voucher No. 1167, "Standard," Nairobi.

SITUATIONS VACANT

The charge for advertisements in these columns is Sh. 1/- for Six Words, and 50 cents for every additional three words. Repeats half price.

CLUB Secretary and Housekeeper. The Rift Valley Sports Club are requiring the services of a resident Secretary and a Housekeeper. Preference will be given to a married couple, but applications will be considered for either post individually. Applications with copies of testimonials should be addressed to: The President, R. V. S. Club, Box 2, Nakuru.

CHILDRENS Nurse, German or Swede, two children. State age, salary, good references necessary. Apply Voucher No. 1175, "Standard," Nairobi.

WANTED by leading up-country garage, foreman mechanic capable of taking full charge of workshop. State experience, salary required, and when available to Voucher No. 1165, "Standard," Nairobi.

MISCELLANEOUS

The charge for advertisements in these columns is Sh. 1/- for Six Words, and 50 cents for every additional three words. Repeats half price.

DEAFNESS! Whether partial or total, no matter if complicated with head noises or other troubles. Cured absolutely. Success Guaranteed. For full particulars apply, "Sri" Works, 11 Beadon Street, Calcutta (India).

SILVER Jubilee Holiday. May 4, 5, 6. Spend the week-end at Nyeri. The Outspan, Gala Dinner the White Rhino, Jubilee Dance, Zeigler's Band.

TO LET or FOR SALE

The charge for advertisements in these columns is 1s. for six words and 50 cents for every additional three words. Repeats half price.

LIMURU-KYAMBU. Attractive Small-Holdings (Freehold) developed and virgin; 50 acres upwards. Ruaraka; fully-equipped Dairy Farm for Sale (another To Let); Good road and river. Also modern Town houses For Sale and To Let. A. L. Smithson, Estate and Financial Agent, Sadler Street. 'Phone 2289.

ON Railway Hill, overlooking Aerodrome. Modern Stone House. Immediate occupation Terms arranged. Apply Hewitt c/o Hamilton, Harrison and Mathews, Nairobi.

How to Judge: Judge not according to the appearance, but judge righteous judgment.—John 7: 24.

FOR SALE

The charge for advertisements in these columns is Sh. 1/- for Six Words, and 50 cents for every additional three words. Repeats half price.

AT "Madame Alys" Government Road, Great Slaughter Sale for 10 days only. All goods at greatly reduced prices. Inspection invited.

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AS good as Whisky can be and at a price in keeping with the times. "Club Reserve" Gold Label Whisky from all stores at Shs. 11/50 per bottle.

A SPLENDID building plot. Railway Hill, overlooking Plains. Apply Hewitt c/o Hamilton, Harrison and Mathews, Nairobi.

BALL Room Powder, Shs. 1/25 per pound. Shs. 7/50 per 7-lb. tin. Standard Stationery Stores.

BOXBODY Rugby-Durant, excellent engine, £30. Owner sailing. Apply Voucher No. 1171, "Standard," Nairobi.

LOG Cross-cut Saw (New), suitable for the Rapid cross-cutting of Poles or Logs into any length, will take logs up to 48" diameter. Further particulars to Mau Saw Mills, Thomsons Falls.

MARGOT, Hardinge Street, will hold a special Clearance Sale. Commencing Monday April 29th and continuing during May, present stocks of Ladies Dresses Suits, Coats, Hats, etc. will be offered at attractive prices to clear. New goods arriving early mails.

MORRIS Isis Saloon, perfect condition, low figure. Morris Minor Box Body, economical and reliable, international one ton truck, good order, cheap. Excellent selection of cars always on hand at Gibbs Auto Transport Ltd., Sixth Avenue.

PULL-U-Out Tackle. Be prepared for the rainy season. This tackle packs up neatly under the seat of your car. No. 1 for ordinary cars at Shs. 60/- and No. 2 for heavy lorries at Shs. 90/-, nett. The Anglo Baltic Timber Co., Ltd., Nairobi.

SISALKRAFT. Tough waterproof paper reinforced with Sisal. Much cheaper than the cheapest canvas. There is a use for Sisalkraft on every farm. Obtainable in 3', 4' and 7' wide rolls. May we send you a sample and full particulars. The Anglo-Baltic Timber Co., Ltd., Nairobi.

SECOND rate, or so-called cheap foodstuffs, and good health don't go together. Take no risks; shop at "Duncans". Special just now, an entirely new selection of Biscuits and Confectionery.

THE New University Encyclopedia and World Atlas; an entirely New Library of reference in one Volume. 9/50; postage 1/35. Standard Stationery Stores, P.O. Box 380, Nairobi.

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The charge for advertisements in these columns is 1s. for six words and 50 cents for every additional three words. Repeats half price.

DEVON Hotel, Salisbury Road, modern bedrooms equipped H. and C. water. Private suites available, large comfortable lounges. Excellent cuisine under personal supervision proprietress. Terms on application.

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FAIRVIEW Hotel, Vacant now, Suite comprising sitting room, double bedroom and bath room (Annexe). Also from 1st May 2 nicely furnished single rooms Main Building. Phone 2225.

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The charge for advertisements in these columns is 1s. for six words and 50 cents for every additional three words. Repeats half price.

FOUND. The happiest homes are those in possession of a Lissen Skyscraper All-World, All-Wave 4 Receiver. Get yours in time for the Jubilee Celebrations. Receiver complete with no extras, Shs. 320/-. Write for booklet to:—East Africa Wireless Company, Nairobi.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

The charge for advertisements in these columns is Sh. 1/- for Six Words, and 50 cents for every additional three words. Repeats half price.

ADVERTISER married, desires opportunity to acquire knowledge of local coffee farming conditions, with salary, considerable experience coffee, citrus, in other countries, c/o P.O. Box 1011, Nairobi.

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Albert House, Government Road, Nairobi, (opp. National Bank of India)
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The Transferees intend to carry on the said business on Plot No. [illegible] Station Road, Kisumu aforesaid under their own name and do not intend to assume any of the liabilities incurred in the said business of the Transferors.

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TERRIBLE ORDEALS

Man Wedged in a Tree Trunk

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
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(By Air Mail.)

Two people in this country have had terrible and uncommon ordeals. A man living near Gloucester was imprisoned for 45 hours in the trunk of a hollow tree into which he had fallen while climbing. He was held fast as in a vice. After suffering agony, he at last made himself heard and was rescued, exhausted and famished, with a set of block-hoisting tackle.

The man is William Bowkett, of Overton, near Saul. At first no one heard his calls, as the tree is in an isolated port of a meadow, but in the evening of the first day of his imprisonment a boy who had been picking violets near, reported that he had been scared by noises in the tree. It was thought that the boy had heard an owl.

In the afternoon of the third day Mr. George Webb, of Highley Farm, Minsterworth, heard groans coming from the tree and then a voice say "I am in the tree and can't get out." Mr. Webb climbed the tree and saw Bockett, who was so firmly wedged that nothing could be done to help him. Mr. Webb got the assistance of two salmon fishermen, Mr. Mark Mayo and Mr. William Parker, who fetched a set of block-hoisting tackle. This was attached to Bowkett, whose clothes were torn from him as he was hoisted out.

Fell from Train

A 79 year-old man, after falling from a train in Penge Tunnel and lying unconscious for 14 hours, recovered sufficiently to move. He got up, but was knocked down by a train. This theory was advanced at Camberwell yesterday on Benjamin Freeman Newton, an incorporated accountant, of Avenue Road, Anerley. A verdict that he inadvertently fell from a carriage was returned. Dr. E. R. Longstaff, a police surgeon, said he thought that Newton must have fallen from a train about 11 a.m. on Wednesday and remained in the six-foot way unconscious until about 1 a.m. the next day. It was stated that Newton insisted on attending his office in Holborn two or three times a week, against the advice of his doctor.

At the annual general meeting of Ahmadiyya Association held at the Ahmadiyya Mosque, the office-bearers for the year ending April 30, 1936 were elected as follows:—President, S. M. U. Shah; Vice-President, Seth Osman Yakub; General Secretary, A. H. Malik; Propaganda Secretary, Sheikh Ghulam Farid; Financial Secretary, A. S. Bhatti; Librarian, Maulvi A. A. Malik; Auditor, A. A. Chaudhery

PRESERVATION OF FAUNA IN THE EMPIRE

Importance of African Convention

SOCIETY'S MEETING

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT].
London, April 16.
(By Air Mail.)

The Society for the Preservation of the Fauna of the Empire held a General Meeting at the Zoological Society's Office, Regents Park, on Monday, April 15. Sir Peter Chalmers Mitchell took the chair.

The Chairman apologised for the fact that the President of the Society, the Earl of Onslow, was unable to be present, and he very much regretted the reason which, he said, was owing to the illness of his wife.

"To deliver an address," went on Sir Peter, "is the last thing in the world I like doing, but I would like to say that the Society is slowly but steadily prospering. We have signed on 15 new members to-day, which is not bad, although I should have preferred it to have been 1500.

"Since we last met I think the most important event that has happened has been the gratification by the British Government of the African Convention. The British Government has had to consult with a very large number of Governments in Africa and other parts of the world. The Society ought, however, to be very pleased with this. In itself it is a very great thing; it is the first and most important stage in preserving the fauna of the Empire, and it has happened in time to safeguard the greater part of it. Also, it has given us reason to expect similar Conventions which will embrace all the different parts of the world. An All-Indian Conference has just been held, to see how far India can follow the African Convention. We hope that the All-India Conference has persuaded the Indian Princes and local Legislatures to concur with the general terms of the African Convention, and we have every reason to hope that the Indian Conference is a direct step towards a Conference dealing with a very large part of Asia.

Locust Problem

"There is one other point that I would like to mention. As soon as you begin to try and find legislation or active measures of any kind to control nature, you are always up against some serious problem. One of the greatest troubles for some time has been the locust. A new method of dealing with locusts by aeroplanes has been adopted, and a powder containing arsenic has been used very largely, and very effectively so far as the locust is concerned, but unfortunately it not only kills the locust but kills a large number of animals, in which we are rather more interested than in the locust.

"I am glad to say, however, that there is now some hope of getting a preparation which, while it will be destructive to the locust, will do no damage to birds, animals and other creatures. I think I am right in saying that the Research Department of Imperial Chemical Industries Limited is doing its best to find such a preparation."

Executive's Report

The Report of the Executive Committee to the meeting ran as follows:—

"Our last General Meeting was held at the end of January and comparatively little that will prove of interest to members has since occurred.

"The All-India Conference for the Preservation of Wild Life duly met at Delhi on January 28 and the Agenda and Resolutions are now to hand and are being published in the next issue of our Journal. They are of great importance and if brought into force by appropriate Legislation or Executive Order much improvement will ensue. It should, however, be clearly understood that as regards British India everything now depends on action by the Governments of the various Provinces and it is yet too early to say how the provincial governments will view the resolutions and to what extent they will act upon them. The same, of course, applies to the Indian States, many of whom sent representatives to the Conference.

Permanent Sanctuaries?

"The question of the possibility of establishing permanent Sanctuaries for wild life does not appear to have been discussed at all, the reason probably being that the subject was not specifically included in the Agenda. By implication, however, it must have been mentioned for the Conference was requested to consider the extent to which India can accede to the African Convention of 1933. In the Resolutions, however, the only article particularly referred to it was No. 9 of the 1933 Convention—this applies to control of the export of trophies across boundaries. In addition, however, it was recommended that an All-India Convention should be drafted, much therefore hinges on the scope of that draft. The situation which develops will be watched with great interest.

Animal Films

"It is pleasing to be able to report that the arrangements with the Chief Film Censor in regard to advice on so-called animal or Jungle Films are working quite well. We have also established relations with the Film Institute in regard to educational films. The question of the promotion of this class of film is one of great difficulty, principally due to the paucity of the supply of projectors. Until this obstacle is overcome it is not easy to see how films designed for educational purposes can be made to cover the cost of production. Progress in this direction is thus, for some time, likely to be slow."

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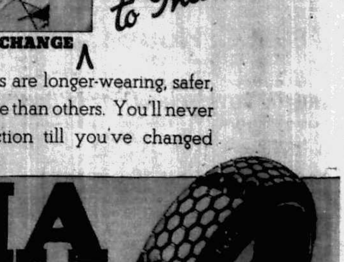

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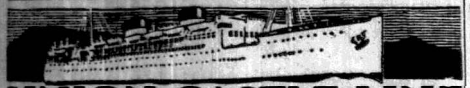

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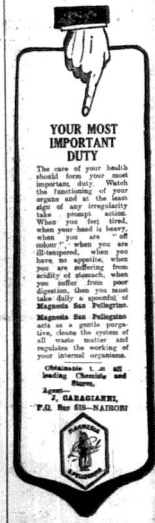

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INDIAN OBJECTIONS TO CLOSER UNION

Afraid of Social and Economic Effect

TANGANYIKA CHANGES

In moving the resolution opposing the European demand for unification of administration in the British East African territories at the third session of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry in Nairobi over the week-end, Mr. U. K. Ora outlined the grounds on which the Indian community based its opposition to the Closer Union proposals.

From the jury outset, he said, the Indians had been strongly opposed to any such unification. He personally had never been convinced of the truth of the statement that it would be better for Tanganyika to unite with Kenya than for it to be returned to Germany. To state that if Tanganyika was united with Kenya it would not be handed over to Germany was to live in a fools' paradise. Jubaland was an integral part of British East Africa, yet it was given to Italy; Ruanda and Urundi were integral parts of Tanganyika, and they were given to Belgium.

Assuming that Tanganyika would remain an integral part of the British Empire, however, he contended that it would be better from the Indian viewpoint for it to remain as it was and not bound by union to Kenya. The weightiest argument in support of this was the absence of racial discrimination in Tanganyika's economic organisation. There was, unfortunately, discrimination between Asians and Europeans in the administrative services of the Territory, but in the trading, mining and land acquisition rights of the Territory no discrimination had as yet been imported.

Racialism in Kenya

"On the other hand Kenya is bedden with the cancer of race," he said, "and wherever we turn we see, in the utterances of political leaders and in the reports of economic commissions, hatred of the Asiatic race and suggestions for excluding the Asians from economic opportunities. The union of Tanganyika with Kenya means the dislodging of existing economic arrangements, the reservation of the good things of the country for British trade and commerce, and the compulsory restriction of the Asian race to petty trade and subsistence economic activities.

"We are fighting against all these in Kenya, but we cannot permit the hands thus made to be extended to Tanganyika and Uganda. There is nowhere a guarantee in the British Empire that Indian economic interests will be scrupulously safeguarded except under the terms of the Mandate, and therefore, while we are averse to the Mandate being disturbed, we are equally strongly opposed to Tanganyika being linked up with any other part of the Empire so long as guarantees exist there safeguarding our race from economic persecution."

He found it impossible to agree with the European claim that Closer Union would result in economies in administrative expenditure, and would produce quicker administrative and economic decisions. The increase of population and the development of economic interests have resulted all over the world in decentralisation," he stated. "The conditions in East Africa at present, after the necessary postal and Customs unions and with a little more co-ordination of the railways, should be ideal."

Unification with Kenya would result in the multiplication of subordinate and irresponsible officialdom, while the centres of responsibility and initiative would be shifted to a highly disadvantageous distance from Kampala and Dar es Salaam. Kenya would benefit by Closer Union, but the position of business and other communities in Tanganyika and Uganda would be disastrous.

The Central-Federal Administration, he concluded, would be out of touch with Dar es Salaam and Kampala, and this would spell disaster to all other interests—Imperial, British, Indian and African.

TO-DAY'S CAUSE LIST

Before the Registrar in Chambers at 9.15 a.m.

For Taxation.

C.C.—The Pioneer General Assurance Society Limited vs. Rajabali Kassam Suleman Virjee.

For fixing a hearing date at 9.30 a.m.

C.C.—Hemraj Bhurmal and Bros., vs. Jiwan Devji.

KING'S PRIZE JUBILEE HANDICAP

"The Old Pretender" Scores

Mr. Maurice Rosenston advises the following results:—

King's Prize Jubilee Compensation Handicap: 1¼ miles

Mr. J. De Rothschild's Gr.C. THE OLD PRETENDER, Bolingbroke—Basilisk, 7-3 (A. Richardson) ... 1
Lord Hirst's Gr.C. IRONGREY, Duncan Gray—Elmfield, 8-5 (G. Nicoll) ... 2
Mr. B. Warner's Ch.G. FREE FARE, Werwolf—Bachelor's Fare, 6-13 (H. Wragg) ... 3
Winner trained by F. Pratt.
Also ran: Primero (S. Donoghue), Chacun (F. Fox), Hands Off (H. Foster), Nisona (Gordon Richards), Lincrusta (E. Smith), Abbots Ferry (J. Sirrett), Philean (——).

Great Surrey Handicap: 5 furlongs

Mr. G. W. Hand's B.C. MARCHTON, Warden of the Marches—Field Day, 9-1 (F. Herbert) 1
Mr. F. Hartigan's B.F. TEPRAPOD, Poinsonen—Tetrachord, 7-13 (Gordon Richards) 2
Mrs. R. D. Shafto's B.G. HENICON, Diomedes—Irenia, 7-0 (E. Smith) ... 3
Winner trained by Sasby.
Also ran: Strathcarron (R. Jones), Satyr (S. Donoghue), Volenius (F. Lane), Morfair (H. Perryman), Yugo (T. Weston), Shell of Gold (——), Loeding (A. Richardson), Burning Sands (C. Spares), Inhibon (F. Holmes), Dunsford (——), Christmas Cheer (D. Smith).

JOHANNESBURG STOCK EXCHANGE

Following are prices of selected stocks quoted on the Johannesburg Stock Exchange on April 23, the quotations being in South African currency:—

African and European	41/6
Cons. Dia. Ord. 10/-	4/-
Cons. Dia. 7% 10/-	8/-
Daggafontein Mines	191/3
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Luipaardsvlei	16/2
Modder East	70/-
New Kleinfontein	33/-
Nigels	33/6
Pretoria P. Cement	108/9
Randfontein Estate	56/3
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S. A. Lands	22/6
Springs	200/-
Sub-Nigel	282/6
Transvaal G.M. Estate	19/3
West Rand Cons.	36/-
Wit Nigel 10/-	14/9
Johannesburg Mun. 5%	£120
Do. S. A. (Local 8th)	
do. 3½% 1948/58	£108
do. 5% 1940/50	£111

AN ARCTIC FLIGHT

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Two Soviet airmen have flown 8,750 miles from Moscow to Cape Schmidt, in the Arctic.

KIAMBU CHAPLAINCY

Low Sunday, April 28.—10.30 a.m. All Saints', Limuru, Matins and Holy Communion; 3 p.m. St. Cuthbert's, Limuru, Evensong.

KENYA ARTS & CRAFTS SOCIETY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the adjourned Annual General Meeting of the Kenya Arts and Crafts Society will be held at Government House, Nairobi at 6-15 p.m. on THURSDAY, May 2nd, 1935.

M. F. HILL, Hon. Secretary.

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will be open to the public in their new offices, room Nos. 19-29 on the ground floor of the LAW COURTS AND GOVERNMENT OFFICES.

Business will be transacted as usual in the old premises on Saturday, April 27th.

NAIROBI DISTRICT COUNCIL

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Section from Messrs. Kent and Turner's Farm to Major Symes Thompson's Farm on the Kambui Road, will be closed to all traffic from April 29th, 1935, until further notice.

R. BRUCE SMITH,
Road Engineer,
Nairobi District Council.

Municipal Council of Nairobi.

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Tenders are invited for the supply and delivery of murrum for road surfacing to Machakos Road between the Infectious Diseases Hospital and the entrance to the Railway Concrete Works.

Full details and specification may be obtained at the office of the Municipal Engineer.

Tenders on the prescribed form in sealed envelopes marked, "TENDER—MACHAKOS ROAD" and addressed to the Chairman of the Municipal Tender Board, must be forwarded so as to reach the Municipal Offices not later than 12 o'clock noon on Monday, the 13th May, 1935.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Dated this 26th day of April, 1935.

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TO-DAY'S TRAINS.

The following trains are due to leave Nairobi to-day:—
Nil.

The following trains are due to arrive at Nairobi to-day:—
9.20 a.m. from Mombasa.
8.30 p.m. from Nanyuki.

SUNDAY.

The following trains are due to leave Nairobi to-day.—
4.15 p.m. for Mombasa.
7.30 p.m. for Nakuru.

The following trains are due to arrive at Nairobi to-day:—
6.17 a.m. from Kisumu and Nakuru.

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The East African Standard

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1935.

Hats in the Lift

The increasing number of lifts in the public and business buildings of Nairobi has created a new problem. Development is, of course, all in the direction of progress and modernisation. It cannot be stopped or even retarded. The days have gone when the hard-bitten but still handsome, sunburned settler tied his horse to the verandah post and climbed into the bar to buy his pint of lunch. Nor is it possible any longer to take a plough or a harrow or any of those complicated instruments associated with primary production into the roomy railway carriage and give it one seat while the settler and his dog lounge on the other. Nairobi is going all modern, its pioneer days are over and though some people still cling to pink shirts and baggy trousers (in some cases, particularly the ladies, the trousers too obviously cling to them) as the regulation dress for the genuine Empire Builder in the open spaces, times, fashions and manners are changing. It is a sad reflection because we were all very happy before and it was very nice and elevating to put on white ties and black sox for the "pictures" in the old days before social usage became too standardised. But here is the problem. Should a man take his hat off in a lift or should he keep it on? Is a lift a house for the purposes of good manners or is it not? And were Nairobi in due course to discard the benighted African for the daintier and much more attractive lift ladies, should a courteous man lift his hat to the lady in the lift? What would she think of him if he did? More to the point, what would his wife think if he had one? These are among the complications which are making life in the new Africa so terribly difficult. It is all very well for the few brave souls who never wear a hat at all and who despise the actinic rays. But we all know what happens to them, if it has not happened already. This is a problem which has to be solved satisfactorily by the ordinary man. Well, they have a way in Australia. A big bank there has just asked its customers to keep their hats on in the lifts. Many a man raises his hat instinctively even if he is just passing a bank. It is his humble tribute to the sanctity of the precincts and to the deity who reigns inside. And few Kenya settlers would be prepared with hats on to beard a Bank Manager in his den. Not only would the act appear outrageous; it would probably answer at once the overdraft question. The Australian Banks, however, have a reason. They are not thinking of the feelings of their customers. They are not worrying about the timid man from the backblocks who visits a bank as he might a museum and who, in doing so thinks the right attitude is to talk in hushed whispers and remove not only his hat but his shoes as well. They were only thinking of the problem of accommodation. In London, the male population are more casual. It is computed that only one man in fifty takes off his hat when he enters a lift. A lift girl said that three kinds of men did so. The first is the youth, just from school, who has not forgotten his mother's advice to be polite. The second is the old gentleman who was born about the time of the Mutiny and still associates the Victorian era with antimacassars and courtesy. He is the kind who asks a woman if he may be allowed to smoke and is slightly discomposed when she asks him for a match. The third type? Well, of course, he is the bright young man who takes his hat off so that he may follow it up by asking the lift lady if she is doing anything special that evening. The fact of the matter is that the sophisticated and *blase* young woman who earns her living saying "Third floor — negligee; second floor — bath soap" and "Basement—remnants" does not care a cheese straw whether the man takes his hat off or keeps it on. The materialistic view of the managers of the large stores is that they prefer a man to keep his hat on because he takes up less room than if he puts it under his arm and sticks his elbow out awkwardly into the ribs of the peevish woman customer who has been in the shop all day looking for a hat of her own. Another point—but why pursue it further—is should a man lift his hat to the lady assistant when he is buying a present for his wife? The whole problem is not easy. It just boils down to this: If you have nice wavy hair and your profile is at its best without a double terai or a Stetson, then by all means take your hat off. But if you are going bald and look just a little indecent and disappointing with it off, keep your hat on. It all depends on what the lift lady looks like. She will be able to size you up whether you keep your head in your hat or your hand in your pocket. Women are like that.

New Directors

Messrs. Mitchell Cotts and Co. (E.A.) Ltd. have increased their board of directors by the appointment of Messrs. Harold W. Gill B.Sc., F.I.C., and R. E. Anderson. The former was until recently manager of the firm's Kakamega branch.

Music in the Park

In the City Park on Sunday, April 28, the band of the K.A.R. under the direction of Bandmaster A. S. Holness, will play the following programme, weather permitting: March, "Lorraine" (Ganne); Selection, "Copelia" (Delibes); Intermezzo "Penelope's Garden" (Ancliffe); Valse, "Septembre" (Godin); Selection "Golden Moth" (Novello); Entracte "Cocheco" (Reeves).

Burglary on the Hill

At about 3 a.m. on Thursday, the house of Mr. W. N. Low in Belfield Road, was entered by means of breaking one of the windows on the front verandah. Property consisting of a filing cabinet, a typewriter, calculating machine and clothing was stolen. All the property with the exception of certain articles of clothing has been recovered, having been abandoned by the thief or thieves. The case is under investigation.

The Weather

The following note on the weather has been received from the British East African Meteorological Service:—"The high pressure system has intensified still further southward and gradients have steepened. It is probable that the southerly component of the winds will increase and if so this should bring a general increase of rain conditions during the next few days. Rain fell yesterday at Kabete, Kisumu and Mombasa, and Dar-es-Salaam, Zanzibar and Mbeya in the eastern part of the Territory; at most stations north-west of the Lake, and at Kigoma. The present conditions of light scattered rains appear likely to continue to-day with the probability of a tendency to increase in the south and westward areas of Tanganyika. Upper winds are from east to east-south-east over the greater part of Tanganyika, south-east at 2,000 feet veering to east-north-east at 5,000 feet on the coast and east-north-easterly over the Kenya Highlands."

NOVELIST WHO WROTE AS HE TALKED

An Analysis of George Meredith and His Work

NAIROBI LECTURE

In the McMillan Library on Thursday evening a lecture on George Meredith was given by Mr. T. H. Benson. Mr. J. H. Maxwell presided.

Mr. Benson gave a sketch of the life of Meredith and made a more detailed study of one of his best known novels, "The Egoist."

He described Meredith's birth "in prosaic surroundings" at Portsmouth in 1828, his education at local schools and later in Germany, and his being articled to a solicitor in London. He launched into journalism, married unsuitably in 1849 and, to keep the duns from the door began "The Shaving of Shagpat," a story based on Oriental imagery after the style of his beloved "Arabian Nights." His wife went off with an artist after one son had been born, and Meredith took his son to live with him in London.

He had no regular income from his books and resorted to journalism—leader-writing for the "Ipswich Journal".

Rejected "East Lynne"

"He complained bitterly" said Mr. Benson, "as every true literary creative artist has done, of the Egyptian bondage of journalism." His income from journalism enabled him to move to a fitting abode, and later, when acting as publisher's reader to Messrs. Chapman and Hall, he rejected, among other books, "East Lynne," but encouraged Thomas Hardy and George Gissing.

Mr. Benson quoted a story which had a bearing on Meredith's style. After some fine, open talk, a friend once said to Meredith "D——you, George, why don't you write as you talk?"

"In the light of 'The Egoist'" said Mr. Benson, "Meredith may be said to have followed this advice and to have put his own talk into the mouths of every one of his characters."

"He was invited, about this time" the lecturer went on, "to live in Chelsea with Rossetti and Swinburne, but he found the weird Bohemian conduct of Rossetti distasteful and seldom went to the house. His love of good breeding and perfection of conduct was too strong. He had no sympathy with the poet and decadent of the dust-heap. He stood for all that was fresh and clean-minded and sternly denounced any clammy sloppy sentimentality in matters of art."

Many Friends

Mr. Benson described Meredith's second marriage, this time a success, and related how he made many friends, including Robert Louis Stevenson and Henley. "His many friends were his great joy" the lecturer said, "and he seemed almost to live for the purpose of granting his friendship."

Describing his books, Mr. Benson remarked of Meredith: "He had now abandoned any idea of pleasing a large public; henceforth he would write in his own way without listening to the voice of disapproving critics."

There was some mild appreciation of "Diana of the Crossways" published in 1884, but "he overestimated the intelligence of the reading public which was small and badly fed even then."

"He was truly a very rare type of Englishman" said Mr. Benson, "for he was above all things a conversationalist, and in the art of conversation he can scarcely be said to excel. He loved open air, good living and good laughing and above all, he wrote what was in him according to his own lights and so produced the greatest intellectual feasts in English literature of the 19th century."

Mr. Benson concluded his lecture by reading extracts from "The Egoist" of which he quoted the following contemporary description, "innumerable variations upon one central theme, that of the fatuity of pontifical egoism, mercilessly exposed by the searchlight of the comic spirit."

A vote of thanks to the lecturer was moved by the chairman.

Anti-Malarial Measures

At an emergency meeting of the Nairobi Municipal Council, held yesterday afternoon, it was decided (with three dissentient votes) to sanction the additional expenditure of £350 on urgent anti-malarial works. The meeting had been specially called to consider a memorandum from the Medical Officer of Health, in which it was pointed out that malaria was assuming epidemic conditions within the Municipal area. A considerable amount of discussion arose in this connection, particular reference being made to the Nairobi swamp as being the source of some seventy per cent. of malarial infection within the town limits.

"ON THIS

APRIL 28

Sir Henry Dymoke, England, died April 28,

THE ... [right edge of column cut off] ... been a crown office ... that inaugurator of new ... Conqueror. Coronations ... Champion's busy day, for ... to trot along to Westmin... other parts of the city, ... defy anyone who challeng... macy of the King to mort... fortunately for the great... history, no one ever seems ... him on, although when G... crowned there were ... Jacobite accepting the cha... a picturesque affair. T... fully accoutred in his stee... his charger into Westmi... the beginning of the corona... and formally challenged to ... one who disputed the sov... Then he flung down ... Nothing doing, the sovere... him from a golden cup, ... wards became the Champio... after he had toasted his ... Dymoke family hold this o... of ownership of the manor ... and the interest in th... Dymoke is that he was th... King's Champions, officia... crowning of George IV, ... supported by the Duke o... and Lord Howard of Effing... feel inclined to look up th... you will find there was "... riot. Apart from the R... pion, one or two prize fight... called in to assist. The offi... was growing effete. W... happen to-day if anyone d... challenge is a query. It wo... be a job for Robert!

To-morrow's Wi... Programme

EMPIRE BROADCA... SERVICE

Part I

L.T.
7.45 p.m.—Big Ben. Week... letter and Sports Summar...
8.05 p.m.—"The Philosophe... Lady," by Easthope M... Aeolian Quartet: Mildre... (Soprano), Freda Town... tralto), Parry Jones (Te... Kenneth Ellis (Bass).
8.15 p.m.—Talk: "The E... Work."
8.45 p.m.—A Recital by ... Ranalow (Baritone) and M... (Violin). Max Rostal: Pa... minor (J. S. Bach, arr. ... Frederick Ranalow: The ... the Glass (Old French, ar... Stanford), Medje (Gounod)... Thee (Grieg). Max Rostal: ... tion et Rondo Capriccio... Saens). Frederick Ranalow ... Glass with Golden Win... Quilter), Three Elizabetha... Go to Bed Sweet Muse; Wh... is Love?; Whither Runneth ... Heart! (arr. F. Keel), T... the Fair (Old Irish, arr... Stanford), Heigho! the Morr... (Old Irish, arr. Charles Wo...
9.30 p.m.—A Scottish Religious ... relayed from Glasgow C... Order of Service: Psalm ... Vv. 1-5 (Tune, Kilmarnock); ... and the Lord's Prayer; ... Magnificat (Noble in B... Reading from Holy Scriptur... Apostles' Creed; Prayers ... cession; Hymn, All Hail, the ... of Jesus' Name (Rv. C.H... Address by the Rev. A... Davidson; Prayer; Hymn, T... thou Gavest, Lord, is End... C.H., 289); The Blessing. ... R. H. Clifford Smith.
10.15 p.m.—Weekly Newsletter.
10.30 p.m.—Pianoforte Recital.
10.45 p.m.—Close down.

Part II

11.00 p.m.—A Recital by E... Schumann (Soprano) and ... Lush (Pianoforte).
12.00 m.n.—Epilogue.
12.10 a.m.—Close down.

Nairobi Station

6.30—7.30.—Service relayed fro... Cathedral of the Highlands, N...
7.30—8.00.—Instrumental and Concert.
8.00.—Time Signal.—Local News.
8.10—9.00.—Light Orchestral and Concert.
9.00.—Quartet in C Minor (Br... played by Harry Compson, ... Towbin, David Dawson and Stern.
9.30.—Close down.

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London, April 16.
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Twenty-two British Warsh... will arrive in the Thames on M... 15 for a Jubilee week's visit ... the Port of London. They w... anchor at various places fr... Southend up to Battle Bridge P... opposite the Custom House... force will be invited to m... through the city.

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Persistent Optimism in Tanganyika

STRONG SPIRIT OF CO-OPERATION AND MUTUAL CONFIDENCE

Trade Lessons of 1934

INCREASING NATIVE DEMAND FOR MODERN IMPLEMENTS OF PRODUCTION

The significance of the trade year, 1934, in Tanganyika is emphasised in the following final extracts from the annual report. The first article on this important document was published on Thursday.

"Nothing would be more prejudicial to an official campaign for increased production and development than a feeling of disgust and opposition among the unofficial section towards the Government of the country," says the Comptroller of Customs who adds: "Its total absence is possibly the most favourable augury for the future economic welfare of the territory."

Features of 1934 trade included development expenditure on mining, industrial and agricultural and mining enterprises and, in the raise of the natives, an increased demand for ploughs, churns, separators, grain mills etc., all related to increased production of primary commodities which is the aim of the Tanganyika Government's present vigorous policy.

Importance of Mining Industry

The Report remarks that the high standard set in 1933 when mined output figures were doubled for eight commodities was raised in 1934 by the creation of new records in the export of sisal, coffee, sesame, gold and ghee representing 75 per cent of the total export trade of the territory. Drought and low prices reduced by nearly two-thirds the anticipated export of pyrethrum and a further decline in values discouraged the production of copra and hides. At the end of 1934 there were indications of a welcome upward movement in the prices of some of the secondary products such as copra and oil seeds, but on the whole the average level of prices during the year was lower than in 1933, the exceptions being gold and cotton.

The report includes notes on the main domestic products. These show that sisal exceeded the 1933 record by 4 per cent but was affected by low prices and as production of world production is being considered, future development is uncertain. Seven hundred and forty seven tons of sisal twine and cordage were exported from Tanga during the year mainly to England and South Africa. The 1933 coffee record was exceeded by 2,048 tons equal to 15.1 per cent which more than counteracted a slight decline in the average price. Bukoba production increased by 29 per cent and Tanga exports by 58 per cent. For the third year in succession, the cotton record has been raised, 1934 showing an increase of 11 per cent. With higher prices, the increase in the total value exported was nearly 18 per cent. Planting activity will be intensified this year. Hides and skins were affected by lower prices but it was found that those prepared under European supervision reached a higher total value. Export of rice was well maintained, being only one half per cent less than the 1933 record, while values increased by 23 per cent. The groundnut estimate was reduced by weather and low prices from 20,000 tons to 8,000 tons, but higher prices at the end of the year will, it is hoped, offset the discouragement of 1934.

Encouraging Signs

Poor flowering of trees in the rush owing to weather conditions reduced the production of beeswax. Low prices and locusts seriously interfered with copra exports but a sharp rise in value at the end of the year encourages a better outlook for 1935. More copra is also being used in local industries. Seasonal drought and the general depression but were again better market values at the end of the year may stimulate sesamé growers. There was a satisfactory increase in grain products, particularly in exports of maize, and prices were generally higher. Propaganda, supervision and the use of proper implements resulted in sound ghee production.

The ivory export was the highest since 1927 due to the unfortunate necessity of destroying shamba raiders. The Comptroller of Customs, while appreciating the importance of increased ivory exports, nevertheless hopes that it will not need more than two years of this drastic form of education "to persuade on these intelligent animals the wisdom of remaining in the unfenced areas in which they are almost completely unmolested."

The Game Warden conservatively estimates Tanganyika's elephant population at 31,000.

On the subject of mining, the Comptroller of Customs remarks that intensive prospecting and developments in 1934 in widely separated areas produced results which may be conservatively described as extremely promising. "If present expectations should be even partly fulfilled, there is every reason to believe that Tanganyika may before long become one of the great gold-producing countries of the world." The increased importance of mining machinery and development materials during the second half of the year and the outlay of new capital on local transport, purchases, wages and salaries had an immediately beneficial effect on the trade and revenues of the territory. Production on the larger goldfields had not yet begun but the year's export of gold nevertheless raised the record established in 1933 by 15,837 ounces and £100,921 equivalent to increases of 41 per cent and 50 per cent respectively. This is too early to venture any positive prediction, but Government is alive to the possibilities of large-scale gold mining as perhaps the dominant factor in the future economics of the territory and is anxious to adopt the practicable means to encourage it.

Re-Exports

As compared with 1933 re-exports increased from £182,716 to £211,305 while other exports increased from £12,798 to £68,627 a figure which was affected by the Congo transit traffic system. There was a small improvement in the inward transit trade to the Congo which was returned to the Dar es Salaam route for the export of certain Congo produce.

Inter-Territorial Trade

A section of the report is devoted to the trade with Kenya and Uganda showing that imports to Tanganyika from the two adjoining territories for local consumption increased in value from £187,100 in 1933 to £231,341 in 1934. These increases included sugar, wheat flour, maize, tobacco, tea, bacon and hams, and other items. The corresponding values of Tanganyika produce estimated to have been consumed in Kenya and Uganda during 1934 were, for 1933, £153,055 and for 1934, £204,724. The main items were rice (£75,000), tobacco (£66,000), ghee (£22,000), copra (£10,500); also meat, onions, fish etc. There is a comparatively small balance in favour of Kenya and Uganda with an increasing volume of trade.

The situation of Mombasa combined with the organisation of commercial firms, finance etc., has considerably increased the *entrepot* trade of Kenya for Tanganyika imports and during the year more than one quarter of the Tanganyika imports of foreign goods passed through Kenya and Uganda, the total being over £600,000.

Imports through Dar es Salaam last year amounted to £1,408,151 and exports to £1,145,609, both increases. Tanga imports amounted to £460,564 and exports to £44,000. Exports through Mwanza included 9,000 ounces of raw gold. In respect of Bukoba the report remarks that the pessimistic forecast of a decline in the coffee production for 1934 was strikingly refuted by the production of a record crop of over 10,000 tons on increase of 29 per cent, compared with 1933.

In regard to customs revenue the report gives the figures for import duties for the year as

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ENQUIRY INTO FORT HALL TRAGEDY

Eleven Women Killed in Clay Pit

WITCHRAFT BLAMED

Efforts to Control Workings Resented by Natives

The fate which overtook 11 Native women in a clay pit near Fort Hall on February 2 last, following the collapse of a bank was revealed, in all its gruesome details, at the inquest held recently. The presiding Magistrate found that the deceased had met their death through accidental causes.

In addition to those killed, four women were injured.

According to an official report of the proceedings sent to the Secretariat, the accident occurred at ten o'clock on Saturday morning, February 2, in a clay pit situated in the gikinka of an old Native, Kabera, aged 80. The pit was being dug into a bank of clay and at the time of the disaster had a depth of about 25 feet. The excavation went into the bank for a distance of about six feet and was sufficiently high for a man to stand upright in it. There was roughly ten feet of earth between the roof of the pit and the top of the bank.

The Medical Officer and District Officer at Fort Hall went to the scene of the tragedy immediately on receiving the news on the Sunday, and were followed by a Government party from the Sub-Assistant Surgeon, dressers, a tribal policeman, first aid equipment and tools for digging. On arrival at the pit it was at once evident that the victims were beyond medical aid and that the disaster had occurred earlier than had been reported.

Roof Used to Fall in

In his evidence, Kabera stated that the pit had been worked for more years than he could remember.

The women who worked in it paid him seven cents a day and he also received presents of food from them. He had often noticed that portions of the roof fell in from time to time, but this used to happen during the rains when the women were not digging.

He had sent word to Chief Gichimu on four occasions between August and October of last year advising him of the dangerous condition of the pit and asking that the women be stopped from working there. He himself was powerless to prevent the women from going into the pit, he said. This could only be done by a recognised authority. In spite of the fact that he had realised the danger to the workers, however, he admitted that he had continued to receive cents and food from them up to the time of the disaster.

Four Rescued

Only three days before the accident, a daughter-in-law of Chief Gichimu was injured by a fall of earth in the pit. When the big accident occurred, Kwero was actually at the pit. He stated that although there were many women outside the pit at the time, all but one or two of them ran away. He and three other men dug out the only four women who were rescued alive.

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ROTARY CLUB

An Address on Uganda

Major D. A. Devas Jones was the speaker at Nairobi Rotary Club meeting yesterday, and gave an address on Uganda.

Major Devas Jones made reference to the great tropical beauty of the scenery, which he regarded as the finest in any part of tropical Africa. He urged people in Kenya, when visiting Uganda, to take some interest in work which was being undertaken there, in particular in the education of Africans to fulfil the various responsibilities of civil life. He referred to the high standard of African education in the Protectorate and said the country was developing a very fine body of African people capable of filling important posts such as those connected with medical and veterinary work in the country.

He felt that by the knowledge which such study would bring, a great deal of the misunderstanding which at present existed between Uganda and Kenya would tend to be removed.

Mr. T. A. Wood conveyed the thanks of the Rotary Club for the address.

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BIG ADDITION TO FUND YESTERDAY

NEARLY £30 MORE

The hands of the Jubilee Clock made a big spurt forward yesterday and indicated an addition to the Mayor's Fund of no less than Shs. 595/- in one day. The total of the Fund is now Shs. 9,038/-.

Practically the whole of the contributors mentioned in the list to-day are Indian merchants who have thus demonstrated their keen interest in the forthcoming celebrations and their anxiety to see that their community bears an adequate share of the cost in view of the large number of Indian children to be entertained.

One of the big oil companies has contributed Shs. 200/- to the Mayor's Fund.

The following is the latest list of subscriptions to the Supplementary Fund:—

Previously acknowledged	Shs. 2,612
Vacuum Oil Co., Nairobi	200
Maniadad and Rose Ltd.	50
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Rahim Jivraj and Co., Ltd.	20
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Sojbar Jehta	5
Lalji Visram and Co.	10
Punja Jivraj and Brothers	10
Anonymous	10
Anonymous	30
A. M. Jeevanjee and Co.	100
Total Supplementary Fund	Shs. 3,207

A LION HUNT

Exciting Time at Nanyuki

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
Nanyuki, April 24.

An exciting lion hunt took place the other evening at Lewa Swamp, some 40 miles North of Nanyuki, when two lionesses and two cubs were duly rounded up and destroyed by Mr. P. J. Mogelbracht, Kikuyu beaters directed by Mr. Wakimani, whose cattle this pride (including a fine lion which escaped) had been raiding, located cubs and lionesses in a patch of scrub and almost at once two lionesses charged and knocked down a beater. Fortunately the boy's blanket was wound round his waist so that a blow from the beast's paw did no harm. The lioness was on the point of burying her teeth in the man's thigh, when she was killed with a charge of shot from a 12 bore gun at close range.

Half brel Abatians unfortunately killed both young lion cubs, after which the second lioness was driven from cover.

Mr. Mogelbracht obtained a fine shot at fair range and broke her back—the rifle used being the .22 model, costing a guinea, generally used for shooting guinea-fowl, and firing the well known small lead bullet. Two more shots finished her off after she had done her best to get at and maul a second boy.

The lion, carrying a fine mane, is unfortunately still at large.

UNLAWFUL WOUNDING

Prisoner's Knife Attack on Askari

Charged with unlawfully wounding an askari in resisting arrest, Nyore, s/o Ogola, a Jaluo, was sentenced by Mr. R. F. Palethorpe in the Magistrate's Court to one month's hard labour.

It was stated that Nyore was found, without authority, on the premises of a European at Westlands. He ran away and wounded with a knife at the askari who overtook him, inflicting a deep cut on his left arm.

Nyore alleged that he had been assaulted by askaris.

The Duke of Beaufort, when opening a new rifle range for Gloucestershire Territorials, scored a bull from 900 yards. The Lord Mayor of Bristol fired seven rounds from 200 yards and missed the target each time.

FAMOUS SHIP GOES TO THE BREAKERS

After Many Years on the Cape Run

Having carried, thousands of passengers and cargo valued at many millions in sterling, between Union ports and Southampton during the past 30 years, the "Saxon" has been sold to ship-breakers for £28,000.

The "Saxon" a vessel of a little over 12,000 tons was one of the Union-Castle fleet of mail steamers, being one of the last of the ships to be built by the Old Union Line, before the amalgamation of that company with the Castle Line, early in the century.

For many years she was the favourite vessel on the Cape route—for no ship in the trade was her equal for speed or comfort. Her career in the mail service was terminated in 1931, constituting a record of nearly 31 years. Since 1931 she had been kept in reserve at Southampton in case of emergeneey.

HON. J. B. PANDYA

Guest of Cutch Gujerati Hindu Union

Following on his recent appointment as a member of the Kenya Executive Council, the Hon. J. B. Pandya M.L.C. was the guest of honour at an evening "at home" arranged by the Cutch Gujarati Hindu Union. The function was attended by a large and representative gathering which included a number of prominent members of the Indian community from outside centres.

Mr. Magabhai Patel, President of the Union, welcomed Mr. Pandya and presented him with a special address in which appreciation was expressed of Mr. Pandya's sterling services on behalf of the Indian community during the 15 years of his career as a public man. Other speakers were Messrs. D. D. Puri, U. K. Oza, S. G. Amin, Dr. Topiwala, Dr. Adalja and R. B. Patel, all of whom referred in highly appreciative terms to the excellent work done by Mr. Pandya.

In his reply Mr. Pandya thanked the Indian community for the exceptional honour done him, and stressed the need for co-operation and team work among public workers in all spheres.

THE AIR TRAGEDY NEAR MOSHI

Further Details of the Crash

STRUCK MOUNTAIN SIDE

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
Moshi, April 25.

It was with deep concern that Moshi heard last Saturday morning that the French two-seater world record plane had crashed in the district.

Later the sad news arrived that one pilot, M. Henri Finat had been killed outright and the other pilot, the Comte de Forges had sustained extended limb injuries.

The plane and the two occupants had rested at Moshi the previous night after a non-stop twelve hour flight from Madagascar.

The following morning at 6.30 they decided to take off for Khartoum en route for Paris. Although the clouds were very low when they started, it is believed the visibility became much worse and they decided to fly below the clouds with the result that the plane crashed.

Seen by Police Boy

The crash was observed by a native police boy who quickly informed Moshi from the nearest telephone.

Immediately the news came through Dr. Sanderson accompanied by Capt. Vernon of the Tanganyika Police started off. After some time they first discovered the wreckage some distance from Shira Mission.

In the meantime the crash had been reported to Dr. Davis of Sanya and Mr. and Mrs. Booker of Shira Mission who hastened to the spot to give succour. Dr. Davis found that the pilot, M. Finat had already succumbed to his injuries and the Comte de Forges had sustained a broken arm and leg.

Dr. Sanderson and Captain Vernon having arrived, the injured man and the deceased pilot were conveyed by car to Moshi, where the Comte de Forges' injuries were further attended to.

M. Finat was buried the next morning with full military honours. Monseigneur Rimé who happened to be in Moshi officiated at the graveside. The pall bearers were representatives of the Administration, Police, the Imperial and Wilson Airways Ltd., and the Shell Company. There were many floral tokens of sympathy from all the prominent local companies and local residents.

A Good Record

The late M. Finat had a wonderful flying record. He was a prominent air officer in the War. He was 49 years of age and leaves a widow and family.

The Comte de Forges is making as good progress to recovery as can be expected.

The ill-fated aeroplane held the world's record for speed in 1933 and the Alpine record flight in 1934. It had travelled from Paris to Madagascar and was on its way back to Paris.

NEW CAPITAL OF N. RHODESIA

King's Birthday Week Inauguration

Lusaka Celebrations

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS FROM THE UNION

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
London, April 16.
(By Air Mail.)

The capital of Northern Rhodesia stone the middle of the nineteenth century, when the great missionary Dr. Livingstone traversed the plains and mingled with the unclothed tribes of this country, has been the town of Livingstone, named after the missionary. Lusaka is now to be designated the capital.

This change will be inaugurated by a week of celebrations culminating with the official celebration of the King's birthday on June 3, when there will be a military parade and a garden party.

Lusaka has been adopted on account of its geographical advantages over the present capital, and during the past year Government House and the administrative offices have been in the course of construction. They will be complete in a few weeks, but the selection of the date for the inauguration has been largely influenced by the desire to make the inauguration of the capital coincide with the King's Jubilee.

The New Aerodrome

The celebrations will begin on May 27, when Lady Young, wife of the Governor, will formally open the new aerodrome at Lusaka, in the presence of many distinguished visitors, who will include Mr. Pirow Minister for Defence in the Union Government of South Africa, and Vice-Admiral Sir Edward R. G. R. Evans, Commanding the Naval Station at Simonstown.

Government House will be inaugurated on May 29, when there will be an official luncheon and a ball. Other items in the programme are the opening of the administrative offices and of a hospital for Europeans. The lighter side of the festivities will include a gymkhana, an air and motor carnival and football and hockey matches.

["B.A. Standard" Special Cable Service.]
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MID-WEEK FOOTBALL MATCHES

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
London, April 25.

The following are results of matches played last afternoon:

(Division III)

NORTHERN SECTION.

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PRESERVATION OF FAUNA IN THE EMPIRE

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THE NEW TAX

Creating Much Criticism in Britain

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
London, April 16.
(By Air Mail.)

The Chancellor's proposal to impose a duty on soya beans came as a surprise to the market. Soya beans, the oil of which is used in the manufacture of margarine, had previously been on the free list. The quantity imported last year was 177,194 tons and the value £1,005,477. The largest proportion of the soya beans shipped to Europe, however, goes to the Continental circuitors. These duties are, of course, only to apply to soya beans of foreign origin. They will be free under the preferential rates accorded to produce of the Empire, as section 5 of the Import Duties Act 1932 provides for Colonial Preference as follows:—

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(2) His Majesty may by Order in Council direct that this section shall apply to any territory in respect of which a mandate of the League of Nations is being exercised by the

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COPING STONE FALL

Seven People Killed and Injured in London

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
London, April 17.
(By Air Mail).

One person was killed and six were injured when the coping of a coping stone fell from the roofs of three houses at the Elephant and Castle the other day.

Pedestrians were partially buried or struck violent blows and thrown in the roadway under the debris, and ambulances and fire brigade were sent for. A cordon was thrown round a wide area owing to the dangerous condition of further collapse. A five ton lorry was wrecked.

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To Marseilles: Mr. C. Percy, Mr. and Mrs. C. de Villiers, Sister Hilde, Sister Joselyn Mary, Mr. W. E. Grosskill, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Hughes Onslow, Mr. C.E.C. Robertson.

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ENQUIRY INTO FORT HALL TRAGEDY

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Njuguna wa Chege, sub-headman in that locality and the first person in authority to reach the scene, received news of the disaster at 12-30 p.m. on the Friday and arrived at the pit with a party of helpers at 2 p.m. By that time the four women who survived had already been rescued and two other bodies had been recovered as well. By 5 p.m. they had recovered three more bodies.

Thereafter, it appears, the diggers became disheartened, and although they stayed on until 7 p.m., no more bodies were completely dug up. However, a further six bodies had been rendered visible by that time. No further work was done until the arrival of the Medical Officer and District Officer at 10-30 the following morning.

Chief's Evidence

Chief Gichimu wa Kilhorura said he first heard the news of the accident about an hour and a half after it occurred. He went to Gathugu Market to collect people to form a rescue party, which he subsequently sent to the pit. He denied that he had ever been told that the pit was dangerous, but admitted that his daughter-in-law had been hurt by a fall of earth in it three days prior to the tragedy. He had taken no action except to forbid his own womenfolk to go there without permission.

Women eye-witnesses of the tragedy also gave evidence. They all denied ever having heard that the pit was dangerous. According to the report of the District Commissioner at Fort Hall, Mr. D. O. Brumage, their impression appeared to be that the accident was due to witchcraft.

Proposed Safety Measures

Mr. Brumage added in his report that the subject of these clay pits was brought up at a baraza held by one of his predecessors at Fort Hall some seven years ago. It was then suggested that clay pits should be subject to some form of regulations to guard against the occurrence of such disasters as that which took place in February. The Natives, however, refused to agree to the present haphazard conditions being altered. Their sense of personal rights was played upon to such an extent by the "enlightened" younger generation that the offer to control the working conditions in the pits came to nothing.

The subject was again discussed at a meeting of the Local Native Council held on April 17 last, when it was hoped to frame rules to prevent the recurrence of such disasters. The outcome of the meeting has not yet been reported to the Secretariat.

The clay dug from the pits is used in the manufacture of cooking pots and other vessels.

PERSISTENT OPTIMISM IN TANGANYIKA

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£476,156. This is an increase of £72,000 over the preceding year and of £25,000 over 1931. The Customs Department also collects other revenues including sale of Government ivory, excise duties, sugar consumption tax, package tax, wharfage, cotton tax, sisal tax, and coffee tax. The total collections by the department in 1934 amounted to £549,763 against £458,515 in 1933. This showed a further reduction in the departmental cost of collection from 7.8 per cent. to 6.8 per cent. There was an increase, as already stated, of over £70,000 in the collection of import duties which is attributed mainly to the mining development in the new goldfields and to the prosperous season which was enjoyed by the lake province.

The Outlook

The prospects for 1935 are regarded as at least as favourable as the circumstances of 1934. Bazaar stocks are reported to be low, and the value of goods in Bond in warehouses at the end of 1934 was 30 per cent. less than in December 1933. Gold mining activities are likely to be intensified and the unofficial efforts to increase native production will be continued with unabated vigour. Local production has still further decreased the yield from import duty on salt, manufactured tobacco and ghee. There were slight increases in the importations of flour, sugar and cheap foreign soap in competition with the duty-free Kenya and Uganda products.

A table included in the report shows the comparative amounts of customs duty collected on direct imports in Kenya and Uganda and in Tanganyika, the balances of which are transferred to the respective treasuries in the countries to which the goods are ultimately consigned. For instance in 1930 the net balance which was credited to Tanganyika was £95,680. It stood at £99,260 in 1934 and represented 20.8 per cent. of the total import revenue.

A sum of £12,949 accrued to Tanganyika in respect of excise duty on cigarettes, sugar, manufactured tobacco, tea and beer.

A number of cases of smuggling took place on the Coast during the year. Fines imposed in these cases amounted to Shs. 3,276/- the value of goods seized was Shs. 953/- and the duty recovered Shs. 1,184/-. In addition the Report states that there were "many instances of attempted petty smuggling on the part of passengers during the clearance of their baggage."

Back to Normal

In a final chapter the Comptroller of Customs summarises the general position. He says it would almost seem that in Tanganyika the abnormal is becoming the normal. For a number of years in succession a regular cycle of seasons generally associated with a tropical country in a monsoon area has been broken by unexpected droughts and unseasonable rains. On the old scale of plantings prior to the intensive stimulation of native agricultural activity, the tale of the last years would have been a dismal one. As it is the continued increase in the output of the chief commodities represents only a part of the increased exertions of the native population. Given a series of normal years the result would be less a raising of existing records than the setting up of entirely new standards. The plantings for the 1935 season show that official efforts have in no way relaxed nor are there any indications of discouragement among native cultivators. It must be left to the weather conditions to decide whether 1935 is to be a year of achievement on a new level or a repetition of the relatively depressing experiences of the preceding years.

A Broader Basis

Continuing, the Comptroller points out that the volume of trade last year exceeded that of 1933 by £527,000. Imports increased by about £400,000 or 20 per cent. and exports by £100,000 or 4 per cent. The very large export surplus from 1933 was thus considerably reduced, but there remained a balance of over £500,000 to meet overseas commitments. The increase in imports is an encouraging sign and indicates a definite influx of capital. More important, however, than a mere increase is the nature of the articles. As in 1933, there was an expansion in the quantity and value of goods required for new industrial, agricultural and mining enterprises and for the repair or extension of existing ones. The Report considers that expenditure on "development" imports of this kind should properly be regarded as an investment of capital. In the case of native requirements, there was an increased interest in ploughs, churns, separators, grain mills and ox carts all tending to increase production of primary commodities. The increase in native spending power also fostered the desire for other exotic goods such as apparel, bicycles, and cigarettes.

A Good Augury

Finally the report declares that the export returns promise a broadening of the basis on which the economic future of the territory may be built. A record output of gold is only an earnest of what may be the early outcome of an intensive examination of gold mining products. The comparative failure of the groundnut crop, the calamitous effect of unseasonal rains on record cotton plantings in the eastern areas, the destrucion of native food crops by drought and locusts and the continuation of low prices for most of the indigenous products of the territory might well have nullified the promise of 1933. "On the contrary not only have "the gross volume and value of "exports been increased, but "there is evident everywhere a "feeling of persistent optimism "and above all a strengthening "of the spirit of co-operation "and mutual confidence which "has always marked the rela"tions between the administra"tion and the community in "Tanganyika. Nothing would be "more prejudicial to an official "campaign for increased pro"duction and development than "a feeling of distrust and oppo"sition among the unofficial sec"tions towards the Government "of the country. Its total absence "is possibly the most favourable "augury for the future economic "welfare of the Territory."

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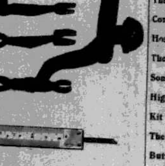

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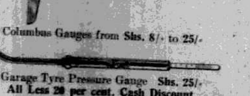

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Mining Area Roads

THE USE OF LOAN FUNDS

To The Editor, "E.A. Standard,"

Sir,—Mr. O'Shea's letter is satisfactory from one point of view in that he considers it would be madness to expend the sum of £50,000 on the 30 miles of road between Kisumu and Kakamega. I understand the sum suggested for the Lumbwa-Kericho road, 21 miles, is to be in the neighbourhood of £30,000.

It is difficult to follow the consistency of Mr. O'Shea for it is not so very long ago when, as an Unofficial Member of Legislative Council, he encouraged us all with his firm policy: "The Colony can stand no further taxation and I shall strongly oppose any further additional taxes," and now he openly declares he will support the Elected Members' decision to burden the taxpayers of Kenya with a further loan.

This change of policy on the part of Mr. O'Shea is certainly to be regretted and it is to be hoped that Mr. O'Shea has not lost entire interest in the farming community owing to him being now "deeply interested in the new industry."

I am not "getting at" Mr. O'Shea; on the contrary, I have a good deal of admiration for him. I consider him quite the best of our amateur politicians and there is little doubt the farming community lost a good friend when he retired from Legislative Council and transferred his electric energies to the new mining industry.

One cannot doubt that the mining and tea industries will certainly help the Colony. I know very little about South Africa. It is an undisputable fact that the gold mines made that country but I cannot believe the farming community there were penalised by the introduction of loans for the purpose of constructing super roads from the mines to rail-head.

I know something about Los Angeles, California, as I lived there and before the oil and film industries came into existence Los Angeles was a small farming town entirely dependent on the farming community and, to my personal knowledge, this community was not taxed for the purpose of "constructing and improving of roads "necessary to the development" of these two huge industries. Wonderful roads have been built for miles around Los Angeles and the money required for their construction was not obtained from taxing the farming community but from the Oil and Film Industries who, desiring such roads, were quite willing to foot the bill.

It is perfectly right and sane that the roads serving the tea and mining industries should be good ones—in fact up to the standard of the present P.W.D. Trunk Roads—and they should be constructed accordingly, the money for such construction coming out of the usual yearly road estimates.

If the tea and mining industries, together with Government, do not consider a P.W.D. Trunk Road sufficiently good then instead of taxing the whole community Government should earmark a certain proportion of the revenue it is obtaining from Excise Duty on tea, royalties on gold produced and import duties it collects in mining machinery etc., brought into the Colony, and pay for the difference in cost. The wealthy tea and mining syndicates should also be asked to contribute if they desire luxury lines of communication.

In conclusion, I strongly maintain it is definitely wrong to create any further loans anyhow until there are concrete signs of an all-round improvement in the Colony, and the Elected Members will be breaking faith with their Constituents if they do not strongly oppose this loan.

Yours etc.,
W. S. BELFIELD.

Kedowa,
April 23, 1935.

ALCOHOL AND THE MOTORIST

To the Editor, "E.A. Standard,"

Sir,—The number of accidents said to be due to intoxication is no guide to the number of accidents actually arising from the effects of drink. The reason is that the subtle effects of alcohol on the brain which may imperil safety on the road, occur before intoxication in the popular sense, becomes evident. This fact, however, does not tell us either that inebriated drivers are a chief source of accidents in Kenya or that teetotallers are the proved paragons of our roads.

Experimentally alcohol, even in small amount, lowers the mental qualities required by a driver; while tea, coffee, and (best of all) strychnine, produce an opposite effect. Yet the situation is still not so simple as Mr. Joseph Mortimer may think it. A bottle of beer does not necessarily turn a skilled, experienced, and courteous driver into a road hog; buckets of tea will not turn a road hog into a cautious and considerate driver; but "a dose of strychnine before every safari" might be the most logical slogan for a "dry" Municipality.

It is easier to agree theoretically that no driver should drink than to see how a dictatorship a la Mortimini could cause the unquestionable personal and social charms of alcohol in moderation to lose their attractions for drivers. I imagine the average owner-driver would rather resign the wheel but would the situation be improved by employment of certified teetotallers as chauffeurs? I venture the opinion that the motor accident problem here cannot be solved along such lines. The immediate need seems to be for more practical measures; for wider and better roads and streets; for greater consideration of driver for driver; for stern elimination of the speed fiend; and, incidentally, for abolition of the road-obscuring and disease-laden dust which disgraces Nairobi and her environs.

Yours etc.,
H. L. GORDON.

Nairobi,
April 24, 1935.

UNION IN EAST AFRICA—UGANDA'S "ISOLATION"

To the Editor "E.A. Standard,"

Sir,—Your issue of the 19th instant made interesting "holiday" reading for one Uganda resident on the question of the Uganda Chamber of Commerce and the Associated Chambers of Commerce. I have, since that issue, been bombarded with questions and would like to summarise my views on the matter in an attempt to explain to Kenya and members of Chambers of Commerce here just what this resolution by the Uganda Chamber of Commerce is worth.

It will be noted that twenty votes were recorded against rejoining—many of these by proxy and all Indian votes; for the motion, the Uganda Chamber of Commerce were able to record but eight sorry votes!

Your correspondent reports that the Indian vote was supplemented by proxies and that the Hon'ble Member of Legislative Council, Mr. C. L. Dalal, explained to the meeting how the Indian Community objected to rejoining the Associated Chambers on "political" grounds, though he apparently has no objection to defeating a motion by the political move of a solid opposition.

If the Uganda Chamber of Commerce has any voice at all, why did not its Chairman arrange, either by proxies or attendance, to defeat this block vote against the motion? There was not one representative from any of the three big Banks or the three Oil Companies, and other members simply did not attend because they know only too well that the "Uganda" Chamber of Commerce has little to recommend it beyond its name, and that in itself is a misnomer. It really represents a section of Kampala and has only very recently presented some semblance of a united front by the patching up of local vendetta.

It is, therefore, the greatest of pities that people of Kenya quite naturally look upon this resolution as an indication of Uganda's attitude towards Closer Union, for after all to join the Associated Chambers would be a first sound step.

But Kenya need not worry; there is, and always has been a feeling in the right quarters of Uganda that perhaps the Uganda Chamber is wise in its decision not to expose its weakness by attempting to enter into a higher realm. It is really to the Eastern Provinces Chamber of Commerce that we must look for sounder views. As an indication of the value of advice proffered by the Uganda Chamber of Commerce the recent rejection by the Government of their recommendation is an indication.

No! Kenya need not worry, there is something far more important than the Uganda Chamber of Commerce to which Kenya may look with confidence. The Uganda Chamber of Commerce may prefer to be isolated, but Uganda does not.

Yours etc.,
"UGANDA RESIDENT."

Kampala,
April 24, 1935.

PROFITS FROM CONDEMNED CATTLE

To the Editor, "E.A. Standard,"

Sir,—It was recently reported that somewhere in the neighbourhood of 20 per cent of all cattle slaughtered in Nairobi were condemned on account of measles. I wonder how many citizens of Nairobi realise the manner in which these carcases are disposed of, and where the loss falls?

The loss of course falls on the producer. The butcher, who will have made the farmer responsible for 'condemns,' takes the hide. The remainder of the carcase is supposed to go through the destructor, the fat being extracted as a preliminary. The Nairobi Municipality sell the suet for cooking purposes while the fertilizer, obtained from the destructor plant, is sold to the highest bidder.

The account for a 500 lbs. fat bullock stands roughly as follows:

Hide to Butcher	Shs.	8/-
Fertilizer to Municipality		5/-
Suet to Municipality		6/-
The Lemon to Farmer		Nil

Of course the only one interested of the represented who has been put to any expense in the production of the bullock, is the farmer. His expenses might be summarised thus:

	Shs.
Interest on Capital and rent of land say	20/-
Cost of production (herds, inoculations dippings)	30/-
Rail Freight (average)	10/-
Total Shs.	60/-

No stock-breeder is satisfied with a procedure in which a Municipality has such vast powers and on which the only person financially concerned, is an unrepresented party.

The following is taken from the Sydney Bulletin, January 30, 1935.

"In Victoria last year . . . at "the Science Congress, Dr. Boyd "Penfold of the Baker Research "Institute and Dr. Clunies Ross of "Sydney's McMaster Institute, "laughed at the notion of beef "measles being a danger to a "public that cooks its butcher's "meat, but meantime the Govern-"ment weakly yielding to the "scare-mongers had forbidden the "Metropolitan Board to sell sewage "farm cattle . . . . The Victorian "Metropolitan Board decline to "boil down any more of its cattle; "it pronounces them fit for human "consumption and threatens to "defy the Government and permit "the meat to be sold to the "butchers."

The instructive item about the above is the action taken by a Municipality when they, as owners of the cattle, are faced with a loss; a strange contrast to the decisions of the Nairobi City Fathers, where the Municipality profits to the extent of keeping a 'White Elephant' destructor plant fully employed and, in addition, several 'cushy' jobs are found for some very deserving people, for which the Municipal Councillors can obtain all the credit while the foolish farmer has the pleasure of finding the salaries, with a trifle extra to ease the Nairobi ratepayer.

Yours etc.,
J. L. COTTER.

Rumuruti,
April 23, 1935.

RIVALS IN HUMOUR

Mr. Hore-Belisha and Mr. L. S. Amery

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT].
London, April 19.
(By Air Mail).

Telegrams (which did not bear the stamp of authenticity) were read from Mr. Hore-Belisha, Minister of Transport, and "Golden Miller" at the annual dinner of the London Devonian Association in London.

The message from Mr. Hore-Belisha read:—"Landed in at Devonport police station. Please cancel my seat at your banquet. Detained here for exceeding speed limit, so must beacon tent with bubble and squeak. — Hore-Belisha."

"Golden Miller's" telegram ran:—"Sorry to disappoint to-day as well as yesterday, but fear your junket course even more than Aintree.—Golden Miller."

Mr. L. S. Amery, M.P., told his fellow Devonians "in confidence" that "Sir John Simon's voice has now recovered from the strain of listening to Herr Hitler.

"By direct secret wire from Moscow I learn at this moment Mr. Stalin's favourite hymn is 'The voice that breathed o'er Eden.'

"Mr. Churchill, whose absence we deplore, has just received a postcard from Sir Samuel Hoare with the words 'Put not your trust in Princes.' "

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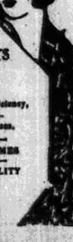

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INTER-CLUB COMPETITION

Kiambu Golf Club are staging a ladies open tournament on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 21, 22 and 23, under the auspices of the Kenya Golf Union.

A bogey competition over eighteen holes on handicap, will be played on Friday afternoon, commencing at 2.15, while on the Saturday morning, starting at 9.30 a.m., there will be a medal competition over 18 holes on handicap. This competition will continue in the afternoon for those unable to play in the morning, and if time permits a nine hole tombstone competition will be held for which post entries will be accepted.

On Sunday morning there is an inter-club competition. Each club will nominate two pairs and fourballs will be played against bogey for a challenge cup presented by Craig's Sports House. This competition will be on a scratch basis. Replicas will be given to the winning couple presented by the Kiambu Sports Club.

In the afternoon there will be a foursome stroke competition over eighteen holes, on 8/8ths combined handicap prizes for which will be presented to the winners and runners-up.

Competitors in all cases will play off L.G.U. handicaps, and where they are not affiliated to the L.G.U., off their lowest handicap in the Colony. A prize for the best scratch score in the medal competition on Saturday has been presented by Mrs. Belcher.

Entries for the meeting close with the Secretary, Kiambu Club, on June 18. Billetting will be arranged for all up-country competitors.

MR. A. W. CARR NOT TO LEAD NOTTS

New Committee Confirm Joint Captaincy

The first meeting of the new Nottinghamshire County Cricket Club Committee, held at Trent Bridge, passed the following resolution unanimously:—

That this Committee confirms all the actions and decisions of the late Committee, including the appointment of Messrs. S. D Rhodes and G. F. Heane as joint-captains for 1935.

That Mr. A. W. Carr's past services to the club be recognised and that consideration of the form of so doing be deferred until the return to England of the President of the Club, Sir John Cahn.

Mr. Douglas McCraith was appointed Chairman and Dr. R. G Hogarth Vice-Chairman of the Committee for 1935.

OFFICIAL VANDALISM

[" STANDARD " CORRESPONDENT].

London (By air mail.)

An effort being made to demolish a number of fine Tudor and Georgian houses in slum clearance schemes in Norwich, is meeting with great opposition, and public support is being invited to prevent this.

SOYA BEAN: ONE OF NATURE'S BEST GIFTS

(Continued from page 7).

Government of the United Kingdom as if that territory were a territory under His Majesty's protection.

Farmers Displeased

Mr. Frank Fehr, of the Incorporated Oil Seed Association, commenting on the new duty said: "It is difficult to understand the reason for the new duty. There is no home production and there are no Empire supply sources which need protection. The duty will have the effect of decreasing imports. It seems quite unnecessary; Soya beans form a large item in cattle-feed and farmers will not be pleased. Efforts are being made to produce the beans in India and in East Africa and it may be the intention to provide ahead for protection of this Empire produce. The bulk of Imports come at present from Manchukuo."

Mr. Arthur Holgate who is associated with the firm of Messrs Holgate, corn millers and cattle food manufacturers of Liverpool, also commenting on the duty said: "The only possible reason I can see for the introduction of such a tax is for revenue purposes. Soya beans form the basis of one of the most important cattle foods extensively used to-day. It is bound to increase the price of cattle food and it will hit the farmer because the price of milk is fixed and he cannot pass on the increased cost. Soya beans are imported in very large quantities and are crushed. One of the products of this process is an edible oil and the other, soya cake, is extremely valuable. There is no home grown substitute for soya beans, and to tax a raw material of this kind strikes one as being very stupid. I think the British farmer will strongly resent this tax, which unnecessarily increases the cost of production. The Government say they are anxious to help the farmer but this tax is bound to injure them."

He added that yesterday it had been impossible to buy Soya beans at anything but prohibitive prices and while puzzled at the extraordinary firmness of the market he never associated it with the Budget, the last thing he expected being a tax on such an important raw material.

£3,000,000 Annually

Britain's imports of soya beans are about £3,000,000 worth annually. For the three months ended March this year the total imported was 566,464 tons. Within the last year, however, they have been cultivated in Britain following experiments conducted over about twenty years. The soya bean, which is a native of Manchuria, is at present imported chiefly from Japan, Manchuria, the United States and Russia. It is valuable not only for food, but for various manufacturing purposes. It contains 18 per cent. of oil, and from it are made sauces, milk, cheese, margarine, paints, varnish, celluloid, printing ink and lubricating oil. Some of the manufacturing processes for which the bean is useful are the making of knobs for electric irons, steering wheels, and the knobs of gear levers.

In November Mr. Ormsby-Gore stated in the House of Commons that further experimental work was necessary before the crop generally could be regarded as to be safely recommended to English farmers.

Hull importers were at a loss to account for the soya bean tax, as the bean does not directly compete with any Empire product. It comes as a blow to Hull importers, especially as they have just been making unsuccessful efforts to get the existing duty on linseed reduced. Of 177,000 tons of soya beans imported last year, Hull took about 72,000 tons.

A National Farmers' Union official, when interviewed, said that imported soya beans are a considerable item in the farmer's expenditure on fodder for cattle. On the face of it it was rather deplorable that, at this time when prices for cattle are so low, the cost of production should be increased. As far as he knew, he said the growing of soya beans in this country was still purely experimental.

TWO DAYS RACE MEETING AT NAKURU

On June 1 and 3

THE ENTRIES

The following are the entries for the two days fixture at Nakuru on June 1 and 3:—

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Novice Plate: (Round the course): Sympathy; Heir Apparent; Prudence; Castle Pudding; Carbonari; April Shower.

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Second Division Handicap: (Six furlongs).—Trafalgar; Willy Vivien; Suncourt; Cowboy; Bandboy; Arclight; King's Company; Persian Pilgrim.

June Handicap: (1¼ miles).—Dagonet; Calpurnia; Etiquette; Nile Water; Cock o' the North; Gang Warily; Brocade; My Sweet; King Stork; Sylvan.

SECOND DAY

Crewe Road Cup: (1 mile 3 furlongs).—Heir Apparent; Trafalgar; Cavaleade; Cowboy; Bandboy; Gang Warily.

Jubilee Handicap: (Seven furlongs).—Prince Charming; Valewood; Willy Vivien; Cats Cellar; Summer; Merry March; Neptunia; Arclight; King's Company; Persian Pilgrim.

Third Division Handicap: (Seven furlongs).—Sweet Maid; Sympathy; Etiquette; Nile Water; Cock o' the North; Gang Warily; Brocade; My Sweet; Sylvan.

Hurdle Terms Race: (About 2¼ miles).—Child's Play; Prudence; Valewood; Suncourt; Hist; King Stork; Beethen.

Fourth Division Handicap: (Five furlongs). — Dagonet; Calpurnia; Thistlegate; Aurora; Blue Arch; Carbonari.

Progeny Terms Race: (Six furlongs).—Sugarcane; Chambermaid; Waterway; Masherry.

T.Y.O. Handicap: (One mile).—Proud Nymph; Buccaneer; Bracelet; Agate; Troy; Masquerade; Belinda; Saturnia; Cairngorm; Blue Rock.

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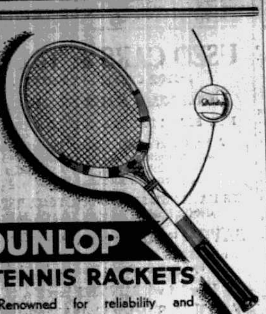
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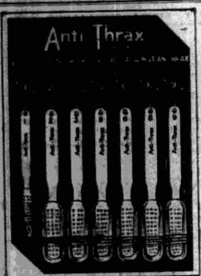

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A RUN GIVEN NOW. 1/3 A PLACE.
DURBAN JULY HANDICAP, run July 6th, 1¼ miles:—8 Taproot; 10 Stray Melody, Sun Tor, Fulfilled; 12 Eccentric, Gavelkind, Monsieur Jean; 16/1 to 66/1 others. 1/3 A PLACE.
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HANDICAP TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Entries for Muthaiga Event

TOTAL STEADILY INCREASING

Entries for the annual handicap tennis tournament under the auspices of the Muthaiga Golf Club are coming in steadily. At noon yesterday the totals in the various sections were: Mixed Doubles—14: Men's Doubles—17: Men's Singles—25: Ladies' Doubles—4: Ladies Singles—5.

The closing date for entries is Monday, April 29, at 4.30 p.m. These should be sent in to either Messrs. May and Co., or Craig's Sports House, both of Government Road.

Below is the actual entry list to date:

Mixed Doubles

Seagrim and Miss Tannahill.
Trenn and Miss McGowan.
Kealy and Miss McNamara.
Chalmers and Miss Keeling.
Fjasted and Mrs. Harcombe.
Ramsey and Miss A. Gregory.
G. Ramsey and Miss C. Buckley.
J. H. Finch and Miss Gamble.
J. England and Mrs. Collington.
Tinsley and Mrs. Morrell.
Fletcher and Miss Bracegirdle.
W. H. May and Miss Ginns.
Mr. and Mrs. Rinaldi.
Smith and Miss Watkins.

Men's Doubles

Haller and Block.
Seagrim and Kealy.
I. Davies and P. de V. Allen.
Skedge and Lyons.
G. J. Robbins and A. L. Basford.
G. Lagerberg and S. Lagerberg.
Harcombe and Fjasted.
D. Ramsey and C. Kroyer.
G. Ramsey and A. Noon.
Seex and M. Bell.
R. D. England and J. England.
Chalmers and Speight.
Brader and Tinsley.
Schlichkrill and Baron Weddleberg.
Sandall and Smith.
H. W. May and W. A. R. Wight.
A. E. Vernon and another.

Men's Singles

J. Wheeler, J. Block, A. Haller, D. Seagrim, D. Powrie, J. H. Finch, C. Harvey, F. W. Smith, G. J. Robbins, N. Fjasted, A. Tooley, E. B. Seex, D. Ramsey, G. N. Ramsey, C. Kroyer, R. E. W. Sandall, M. Bell, A. Noon, J. England, F. W. E. Gray, Schlichkrill, H. W. May, A. E. Vernon, A. J. Masters, R. Rinaldi.

Ladies' Doubles

Mrs. Collington and Mrs. Vernon.
Miss McNamara and Miss McGowan.
Miss Tannahill and Miss Gamble
Mrs. Morrell and Mrs. Porter.

Ladies' Singles

Miss F. E. Macnamara, Mrs. F. Lyons, Miss B. Tannahill, Miss Guthrie, Miss B. Watkins.

MOLO HUNT POINT TO POINT RACES

Postponed Until September 28

Owing to there being so many race and gymkhana meetings during the month of June, and the Nairobi races and show at the beginning of July, the Molo Hunt have decided to postpone their point to point fixture until September 28.

The following are the meets for May:

5th.—Mr. A. Woolman's, at 8-30 a.m.

12th.—The Kennels, at 8-30 a.m.

19th.—Mr. D. Furse's, at 8-30 a.m.

26th.—Mr. E. H. Tillett's, at 8-30 a.m.

NAIROBI'S BASEBALL TEAM

The following side will represent Nairobi in the baseball match against Parklands tomorrow morning:

1st Base—L. Sinton; 2nd Base—E. C. Young; 3rd Base—G. Krauss; Short Stop—F. Seade; Left Field—S. Noble; Centre-Field—A. T. Wise; Right Field—T. L. Peet; Catcher—G. M. Smith;; Pitcher—T. Ebblewhite.

GOLF NEWS AND NOTES

Reflection on Easter Tournament

A Wonderful Finish Up

And a Great Evening's Singing

IMPROVEMENTS TO KIAMBU COURSE

(Niblick)

Another Easter tournament has now become history, and I think it was the most exciting and best of them all. It has been fully reported in your columns already so that as far as the golf is concerned these are just a few random notes.

I thought that the Railway team was the weakest that they had put in for some years, but yet they scored more points than any previous Railway side; every man fought hard and I really think that, apart from Mombasa, they were the heroes of the Tournament. Mombasa with their keen captain, Mr. R. S. Campbell, did wonders. They were on their toes against Nairobi and beat them by three matches to one—Sunday was their disastrous day as, had they only won their match against the Railway or Muthaiga, they would have led by one point, but the Railway put up a tremendous fight and try as they would, Mombasa were just beaten. All, as usual, hinged on the last match on Monday, and Nairobi just pulled out that little bit extra as they always do against Muthaiga to tie for first place with them.

There was some wonderful golf shown throughout the tournament. I should say the most consistent golfer of the whole tournament was Mr. Holden. Until the last day he bore the brunt of the attack and although they were defeated by Mombasa and Kiambu, our Nairobi first pair played some wonderful games. It would take too long to describe the individual matches when all played well. Congratulations to the Nairobi skipper and his partner, who were the only pair to go through the Tournament without suffering defeat.

Eldoret and Brackenhurst tied in the Junior Division and it was good to see our old friends from the Plateau again. I have always thought that the institution of a Junior Division was a mistake, but there is a lot to be said on the other side. Brackenhurst, Ruiru and Eldoret certainly added to the happiness of the tournament, and they all looked to me to be thoroughly enjoying themselves and were as keen as mustard. The more clubs the merrier it is and when all is said and done it is the spirit of the tournament that matters. It gives everyone the one opportunity of the year to meet one's friends from all over Kenya, swap "lies and lubrications." That's it!

The Social Side

From the social side of the tournament it was a greater success than ever. Mr. Trevor Cole, despite the loss of one of his band, gave us a wonderful show on Saturday night and everybody thoroughly enjoyed the sundowner dance. It was a great effort for the Club, and I am sure all our members are very grateful to him. I hope that this is the forerunner of some more club dances, and that Mr. Trevor Cole will give us more opportunities of hearing his band and dancing to it.

The Sportsmen's Service

On Sunday morning in connection with the Easter tournament, the Rev. J. F. G. Orr conducted a Sportmen's Service at St. Andrew's Kirk at 8 o'clock. There was an excellent congregation which included many of our visiting golfers and I think the Padre was very pleased with the success of this inauguration. I should think when the occasion comes round for another Easter tournament that another special service should be held similar to the one we had on Sunday. The service was short and simple, and a most able and appropriate address was given by the Padre. I am sure we all felt better for it.

The lunch was given by the Nairobi Golf Club to visiting teams and about a hundred sat down on Sunday. The President, Mr. W. N. Mackenzie, presided and welcomed and toasted our visitors in the approved manner. Several of the visiting captains responded, and a few stories were told. The thanks of all our members and guests are due to our Lady Captain and our ladies' committee for arranging for the light refreshments at the dance, and decorations at lunch and for the dance, and the hard work they put in to give our visitors a pleasant time.

Monday's Sing Song

I think as far as I was concerned, the most enjoyable part of the Easter Tournament was its culmination on Monday evening, when we all stayed for the concert. Miss Sheila Figgis was at the piano and as usual charmed us with music and her songs. I have never heard Mrs. Mulligan sing better, she gave us some of those old-fashioned Irish ballads which were wonderful. Mrs. Remi Martin added to our enjoyment with what I would call the sweet grace of her singing. I am not a Scot, but I would be inclined to agree that "Annie Laurie" is the most beautiful love song in the world. I have heard it sung many many times by many great artistes, but I have never heard it more beautifully sung than it was by Mrs. Logan on Monday evening. Her interpretation of four old Scottish ballads was really wonderful, and I think, even a surprise to many of those hardened Northerners who were at the concert. On the humorous side we had Mr. England, Mr. Graves and Mr. Logan and their efforts were eminently appreciated. Mr. Figgis who was in better voice than ever, sang for us two old favourites. It was the best finish up to any Easter tournament that I have ever known, and I should think that many of those who were present like the writer went away with a lingering and fragrant memory of those old love songs of Scotland.

The President and the Nairobi Skipper, together with the committee are to be congratulated on running a most successful function. Mr. Wood, our House Manager, ran everything without a hitch, and lunch was served every day of the tournament. The course played much better than I expected, and the browns were well nigh perfect. The weather was propitious; in fact, the whole of the week-end was ideal for golf.

The Kiambu Course

On Thursday last, I visited Kiambu. I had not played on the course for some months; it was then what I called a mess of top-dressing and loose impediments, but to-day the Kiambu fairways are the finest in Kenya. I was thunderstruck at the great improvement made, and I congratulate all those concerned in the great improvement of the course. It was a revelation to me, and I thoroughly enjoyed my game. Nairobi ladies are playing the Kiambu Ladies on May 8 at Kiambu, and they have a treat in store for them.

WYATT'S SPLENDID RECOVERY

To Captain M.C.C. Side at Lord's

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
London, April 25.

R. E. S Wyatt, captain of the M.C.C. cricket team which toured West Indies during the past few months, is making rapid progress from the injury to the jaw which he received in the last match against the West Indies.

It is expected that he will be able to play in the opening match of the season at Lord's, where he has consented to captain the M.C.C. against Surrey.

ALTERATIONS IN DIVISIONS

The following alterations in Divisions are notified by the Jockey Club of Kenya:—

Valewood from the 2nd to the 1st Division.

Markover from the 2nd to the 1st Division.

Persian Pilgrim from the 3rd to 2nd Division.

Haggis from the 4th to the 3rd Division.

Aurora from the 3rd to the 4th Division.

Calpurnia from the 3rd to the 4th Division.

Thistlegate from the 3rd to the 4th Division.

Anthelia from the 4th to the 3rd Division.

RUGBY GYMKHANA AT MUTHAIGA

Official Start of Season

OFFICIALS AND LIST OF EVENTS

The official opening of the Rugby season will be marked this afternoon when the annual gymkhana takes place on the sports ground of the Muthaiga Golf Club. The gymkhana will start at 2-30 p.m.

There will be the usual events, and another successful fixture should follow. The officials are as follow:

Organiser: Captain J. Cleland; Judges: Dr. Cormack, Col. W. K. Tucker, Messrs. W. H. Ritchie, E. Barret, K. C. Stranan, D. Joffe; Starter: J. T. Stockdale; Announcer: P. A. Johnson; Competitors' Stewards: Captains of Clubs; Stewards: Messrs. W. Hope, C. Hirst, D. J. Sobey, F. R. Fear and R. A. Morrison; Hon. Treasurer: J. D. Ross-Munro; Hon. Secretary: G. Cummings.

The following are the events:

1. 110 Yards Race for backs (entry limited to 4 from each team).
2. 110 Yards Race for forwards (entry limited to 4 from each team).
3. Relay Race for backs (teams of 4).
4. Tug of War (Prelim. Heats) 8 men per team (Ordinary Pull).
5. Passing Race for backs (Prelim. heats) (teams of 4 men).
6. Tackling Race (Prelim. Heats) (Limited to 2 teams of 2 men from each club. Tackle dummies at 25 and 50 yards pick up ball and touch down at 75 yards).
7. Punting Rugby Ball (team of 3).
8. Swerving Race (Prelim. Heats) (teams of 4).
9. Relay Race for forwards (teams of 4).
10. Backs Passing Race—Final.
11. Tackling Race—Final.
12. Swerving Race—Final.
13. Tug of War—Final.
14. Seven-aside tournament.

All competitors will wear full rugger kit, and points will be awarded to teams as follows: Win 3 points; 2nd place, 2 points; 3rd place, 1 point.

Special points: Tug of War—First team 6 points; runners-up 3 points.

Backs Passing Race: 1st 4 points; 2nd 2 points.

FIRST OF THE SEASON'S CLASSICS

W. Nevett, according to a message received by Mr. Maurice Rosenston, will ride "Powerful Prince" in the 2,000 Guineas. Soleil du Midi has been scratched.

BILLIARDS MATCH

The finalists in the Hussain M. Janmohamed Billiard Cup competition will meet this evening at 6.45 p.m. The tie between Messrs. Charlie Fernandes and C. Sequeira is expected to be keenly contested. The public are cordially invited.

HASSANALI TENNIS CUP

A. B. Rego and F. T. Gomes meet this afternoon at 3.15 in the final of the Goan Institute tennis tournament for the Hassanali Cup.

SPORTS DIARY

Today:
Final of F. A. Cup.
To-morrow:
Molo Hunt Meet, at Mr. W. F. O. Trench's, 8-30 a.m.
May 4 and 5:
Hoey Cup, at Kitale G.C.
May 24:
Open Stroke Competition, Muthaiga G.C.
June 1, 2 and 3:
Herring Cup Tennis Tournament at Makuyu Club.
June 1 and 3:
Nakuru Race Club's Meeting.
June 1, 2 and 3:
Ronald Marshall Cup, Njoro C.C.
June 3:
Nairobi Railway Athletic Meeting
June 15:
Molo Hunt Point to Point Race Meeting.
June 15 and 16:
Prince of Wales, Bowl, Kiambu G.C.

1935 Jubilee Athletic Meeting MONDAY, 3rd June, 1935, at 2-15 p.m. on the RAILWAY SPORTS GROUND.
Full particulars regarding entries from the Honorary Secretary, P.O. Box 21, Nairobi. Messrs. May and Co. Ltd., Nairobi. Craig's Sports House, Ltd., Nairobi, and Dobbies Ltd., Nairobi. DON'T FORGET.

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The Malaria Menace to Nairobi

STATED TO BE ASSUMING EPIDEMIC PROPORTIONS

Emergency Measures

SEVENTY PER CENT. OF CASES TRACED TO THE SWAMP

The gravity of the malaria threat to Nairobi was emphasised by statements made by the Medical Officer of Health and by the discussion which took place at an emergency meeting of the Town Council on Friday.

The Medical Officer of Health stated that the incidence of malaria was assuming epidemic proportions and that in less than a month no fewer than 456 cases had been notified. That figure, however, was not regarded as representing by any means all the cases that had occurred.

The menace of the Swamp was again stressed since it was stated that its existence accounts for seventy per cent. of the malaria infection in the town.

In addition to emergency expenditure on immediate anti-malaria work, Government is being asked to take urgent measures to reduce the danger arising from the Swamp.

Representations to Government

At an emergency meeting of the Nairobi Municipal Council, held on Friday afternoon to consider a memorandum from the Municipal Medical Officer of Health regarding the incidence of malaria in the town, the following resolution, proposed by the Deputy Mayor and seconded by Councillor Wood, was passed with three dissentient votes:

That this meeting authorises the expenditure of £350 on further anti-malarial measures to enable the Medical Officer of Health to continue the extra services up to the end of May; that he utilises the services of his present staff to the fullest possible extent, without neglecting their ordinary duties; and that he reports again to the Council a month hence.

The memorandum from the M.O.H. stated, *inter alia*, that the incidence of malaria within the Municipality was assuming epidemic proportions and that existing climatic conditions favoured its continuance and, perhaps, increase. At a rough estimate, it was anticipated that these emergency conditions would prevail for the next four months and owing to the large area under the jurisdiction of the Council, containing thousands of anophele breeding places, actual and potential, the present staff was totally inadequate to cope with the situation. It was pointed out that the number of deaths as a result of the last epidemic (in 1926) was 130 and attention was drawn to the figures of malaria cases notified from April 1 to 25 inclusive this year, numbering 39 European, 232 Asian and 185 natives, a total of 456. It was a fact that the number notified did not represent the total of such cases. Particular attention was drawn to the number of cases (some seventy per cent) emanating from the swamp area and the hope was expressed that efforts would be made to deal with this serious menace to public health, as well as other bad areas such as the quarry sites, Mathari River, etc. A resume of drainage schemes and other anti-malarial works actually carried out was given and the factors that hindered continued efforts in this direction were touched upon, as well as the incidence of the cost of such works. In addition, it was proposed to issue pamphlets, printed in English, Urdu, etc. warning the public (European, Asian and African alike) of the position. Spraying liquid and sprayers were also on sale to natives at reduced rates, in order to induce location residents to minimise the risk of malarial infection.

The Debate

In opening the discussion, Councillor Durham criticised the M.O.H., stigmatised his memorandum as a "panic letter" and suggested that the recent tour undertaken by the Director of Medical Services had inspired the demand for an additional £1,100 for anti-malarial works. Despite the pamphlets drawing attention to the danger of malaria, no action had been taken until some 48 hours after the Director of Medical Services had made his tour. Councillor Durham asked why three European supervisors were required when most of the malaria was among natives. He instanced the disgusting state of the Nairobi River (to which he had drawn attention previously) and the flat contradiction of the M.O.H. of his (Councillor Durham's) statement that ten cases of typhoid among Europeans could be directly attributed to this cause.

Continuing, the speaker stated that a private citizen had approached Dr. Tilling recently regarding a definite cure for malaria said to have been discovered in Russia and had offered to import doses of this cure at his own expense, his only stipulation being that such should be used upon European patients. He had been informed by the Doctor that the matter was one for Government to deal with and did not concern the Municipal Officer of Health; also that the epidemic was subsiding. Despite that answer they were now faced, within a week, with a demand for £1,100 to combat an imminent epidemic of malaria. An inquiry was indicated and the Council were not to be "bulldozed" by statements of the work now being carried out by the M.O.H.'s Department. Councillor Durham proposed that a committee should be appointed to go into the matter and discover why no action had been taken previously.

Councillor Allen considered that the appointment of a committee would be a waste of time. He would like to hear the M.O.H.'s explanation as to why the money was needed, what he proposed to do, and the nature of his present staff. He proposed a resolution to the effect that the entire Medical staff should be devoted entirely to anti-malarial works, immediately. The District Commissioner also requested details as to staff, its employment

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LORD CLARENDON BEREAVED

Tragic Death of His Heir

Shooting Accident

STUMBLE CAUSES RIFLE TO DISCHARGE

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
Kimberley, April 27.

Lord Hyde, son of the Governor General, the Earl of Clarenden, died in Kimberley Hospital to-day as the result of a wound received from the accidental discharge of a rifle while he was out shooting springbok with a party which included Lord Clarendon.

The accident took place thirty miles from Kimberley.

A later message says that the Governor General's party were guests of De Beers. Lord Hyde was walking on the veldt when he stumbled. An explosion followed. Other members of the party rushed to the spot and found that a bullet had entered the abdomen, crossed close to the heart, and come out between the shoulders.

First aid was given and Lord Hyde was hurriedly taken to hospital but died immediately after admission.

*George Herbert Arthur Edward Hyde Villiers, Lord Hyde, was the elder son and heir of the Earl of Clarendon and was born on May 6, 1906. He married in 1932 the Hon. Marion Louise Glyn, daughter of Lord Wolverton and there is one son, born in 1933.

DUKE OF KENT

Appointed Knight of the Thistle

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
London, April 26.

His Majesty the King has appointed His Royal Highness the Duke of Kent to be a Knight of the Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle.

THE MONEY MARKET

[BY WIRELESS.]
Rugby, April 27.

Sterling on New York 4.81⅞.
Paris 72⅞.
Silver Spot 35¼. Forward 35⅛.

Gold

Gold is quoted to-day at 145/4d.—British Official Wireless Service.

Valuation Court

The Nairobi Municipal Council will to-morrow appoint a Valuation Court in accordance with the provisions of Section 10 of the Local Government (Rating) Ordinance, 1928. In this connection it is interesting to note that at a meeting of the Finance Committee on April 17 it was decided to instruct the Town Clerk to give notice of objection to the assessments contained in the new Valuation Roll in accordance with a schedule submitted at the meeting.

"CHRISTIANITY A DANGER TO UNITY"

Declaration by German Faith Movement

PASTORS ARRESTED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
Berlin, April 26.

Accused of entering into relations with the foreign Press and also with maintaining contact between the Protestant opposition and the Catholic Church, three more opposition pastors were to-day arrested in Berlin.

The arrests coincided with a huge mass meeting at the Sport Palast of the German Faith Movement which has as its battle cry, "There is only one Holy land—Germany." The movement now claims a million members.

The meeting was addressed by Professor Wilhelmhauer and Count Von Reventlow. The former declared that the German Faith Movement "is the expression of the German soul. We believe that God expressed Himself specially through our great leaders and we regard Christianity as a danger to the unity of the people."

BANK NOTES FOR SILVER IN MEXICO

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
Paris, April 27.

It is reported here from Mexico City that the Government has issued a "Decree" withdrawing silver coins from circulation. The metal is being placed in the Reserve Bank of Mexico.

The Decree prohibits the export of currency and provides for the issue of bank notes replacing silver and also new token coinage.

MALVERN HILLS

Part to be Preserved for Nation

[BY WIRELESS.]
Rugby, April 27.

The southern portion of the Malvern Hills, which Mr. Baldwin recently described as having "the most beautiful silhouette in Britain," is to be preserved from all danger of spoliation by the National Trust Scheme made possible by the generous attitude of local landowners and by contributions from the Pilgrims Trust Fund.

The Pilgrims Trust, the dual purpose of which is to "advance the well being of the people" and to assist in the preservation and restoration of "many things in England which are abundantly worth preserving" is commemorating the Silver Jubilee by contributions of £4,500 to the Malvern Hills Scheme and £2,500 towards restoring Little Dean's Yard, Westminster, to its original dignity, as well as by giving £5,000 to the King's Jubilee Trust.—British Official Wireless Service.

GOLD THEFT TRIAL

Only One Accused Now Remaining

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
London, April 26.

The second accused in the Croydon Aerodrome gold robbery case, Silvio Mazzarda, a commercial agent was acquitted of the charge of complicity in the crime, at the Croydon Quarter Sessions to-day.

The Recorder told the jury that there was no legal evidence against Mazzarda and it was the duty of the jury to say he was not guilty.

The jury accordingly did so and Mazzarda was discharged.

The further hearing of the case against the only remaining accused, Cecil Swanland, an artist, was adjourned until Monday.

TO BE BURNED AT STAKE

Narrow Escape of Two Girls

W. Indian Drama

RESCUED BY ARRIVAL OF POLICE BY AIR

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
Panama, April 27.

The last-minute arrival of the police saved two Indian girls from being burned alive at the stake on suspicion of being "possessed of a devil" in the Indian territory of Sanblas.

The girls, aged 18 and 13, were on the point of being set on fire when an aeroplane dramatically swooped down.

The police found that the girls had apparently set up a wooden god in their hut and had spent the night lying in hammocks singing. The remainder of the tribe held a meeting and decided that the girls must be burned.

Until recently burning was the tribal punishment for adultery but in some cases offenders were tortured by ants—by being buried to the neck in sand and ant trails being made towards them.

A ROAD FATALITY

Mrs. Mollison at the Inquest

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
London, April 26.

Mrs. Amy Mollison attended but did not give evidence at the inquest at Bridlington to-day on Harry Ramsay who was killed when riding as a passenger on the pillion of a motor cycle when the latter came into collision with a car driven by Mrs. Mollison. The motor cycle first collided with another car after which Mrs. Mollison was unable to avoid an impact.

A verdict of "Death by Misadventure" was returned, no blame being attributed to anyone.

MISS JEAN BATTEN

Fails to Break Her Own Record

[BY WIRELESS.]
Rugby, April 27.

Miss Jean Batten, the young New Zealand airwoman was prevented by the need for engine adjustments from completing her Australia-England journey yesterday, and thus breaking her own record for the route.

She left Marseiles this morning on the last stage to Croydon—British Official Wireless Service.

More Traffic Islands

Two more traffic control islands will make their appearance in Sixth Avenue shortly, if the Nairobi Municipal Council approves a scheme of its Town Planning Committee for the construction of such islands on the north-west and south-east sides of Sixth Avenue at its intersection with Sadler Street.

Indian Voters' Roll

In consequence of the receipt, by the Nairobi Municipal Council, of requests that consideration of the Indian Municipal Voters' Roll be postponed, the General Purposes Committee of the Council decided, at a recent meeting, to defer consideration of the matter until its July meeting.

NOT TO SHOOT DOWN GERMAN AIRCRAFT

France Explains a Recent Statement

DIPLOMATIC ACTION

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
Paris, April 26.

The interpretation made in some quarters that France will force down German aeroplanes flying over French fortifications following the announcement yesterday that the Government had taken local measures for the aerial policing of forbidden zones on the North Eastern frontier, is described by the Air Ministry as absurd.

An official stated to-day that Governments do not shoot down aeroplanes in peace time. The communique meant that the Government would take measures of local surveillance in the sense of identifying machines passing over the frontier and if necessary take legal or diplomatic action.

FRANCO—SOVIET PACT

Not Meant to be Used Aggressively

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
Paris, April 26.

The early initialling of the Franco-Soviet Pact is expected to follow new instructions sent from Moscow to-day to Mr. Potemkin, the Soviet Ambassador here.

M. Laval, the Foreign Minister, in a speech to-day declared that if the Pact were to be such as the French Communists recommended (namely an unlimited contract of mutual military assistance) it would land them in war and he would refuse to sign it.

The Pact as he envisaged it in the agreement with Moscow, aimed at preventing and not provoking war. It must form part of the necessary organisation for the collective security of Europe, but it must not be directed against any country.

Germany Pausing to Think

CONSIDERING EFFECTS OF RECENT POLICY

Danger of Isolation

RESTRAINED ATTITUDE TO BRITISH PREMIER'S CONDEMNATION

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
Berlin, April 26.

That Germany has paused to think is the impression in diplomatic circles following the restrained attitude adopted by the majority of the newspapers to Mr. Ramsay Macdonald's outspoken article in the "Newsletter" declaring that Germany had broken up the road to peace, had aroused the suspicions and fears of other nations and had asked them to accept a verbal pledge of Germany's pacific intentions which she herself would not accept from her neighbours.

AWAITING ORDERS

It is believed that the German newspapers are awaiting orders before committing themselves. The statesmanlike tone of the Press as well as of Government spokesmen indicates that Germany is no more desirous than other Powers of closing the door to negotiations.

Many of Herr Hitler's advisers see the importance of friendship with Britain and since Sir John Simon's visit, Germany has watched Russia cordially welcoming Mr. Anthony Eden, then the united front at Stresa and finally, her great friend, Poland, voting against her at Geneva. Now, she is pausing to consider the effect of her policy on her neighbours.

Car Accident

In Ngara Road, Nairobi, on Friday morning a native pedestrian was knocked down by a car driven by Miss R. K. Sharp of the Health Office. The native had made a sudden attempt to cross the road in front of the car. He was later taken to Hospital suffering from cuts and shock.

RATES OF EXCHANGE

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Miscellaneous Prepaid Advertisements such as Wanteds, To Lets, For Sales, and Situations Vacant and Wanted, [illegible] for six words and 60 cents for every additional three words. Repeats half price.

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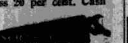
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ENTERTAINMENTS

The Week's Pictures

London Films

The Players In "King Lear"

THE DIARY

[illegible] 29, 30, May 1: "A Bedtime Story," (Maurice Chevalier, Helen Twelvetrees, Baby Leroy), Empire Theatre. Matinee, Tuesday afternoon, 5.15 p.m.

[illegible] 29, 30, May 1: "Dick Turpin," (Victor McLaglen, Jane Carr, Frank Vosper), Capitol Theatre. Matinee, Wednesday, 5.15 p.m.

[illegible] 29, 30, May 1: "Forgotten Women," (Marion Schilling, Rex Bell, Beryl Mercer), Princess Theatre. Matinee, Wednesday, 5.15 p.m.

April 29, 30, May 1: "Winner Take All," (James Cagney, Marion Nixon), Theatre Royal.

May 2, 3, 4: Shakespearean Festival. Production of "King Lear." Empire Theatre.

May 2, 3, 4: "A Southern Maid," (Lupino Lane, Harry Welchman, Nancy Brown). Capitol Theatre. Matinee, Saturday, 3.15 p.m.

May 2, 3, 4: "Lord Camber's Ladies," (Gerald Du Maurier, Gertrude Lawrence), Princess Theatre. Matinee, Saturday, 3.15 p.m.

May 2, 3, 4: "Three Rogues," (Victor McLaglen, Fay Wray, Lew Cody) Theatre Royal. Matinee, Saturday, 3.15 p.m.

May 9 and May 11: Repeat performance of the Revue, "Laughter, Song and Dance," with a special matinee for children on Saturday afternoon at 3.15 p.m., Empire Theatre.

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Chevalier in a New Role

MAURICE Chevalier again, and in a most attractive and [illegible] role which brings out the [illegible] side of the famous French [illegible]. The human side of Chevalier was delightfully shown in a [illegible] called "The Big Pond." and "A Bed-time Story" should bring crowds to the Empire. Victor McLaglen is another renowned artist of the screen, and his Dick Turpin is a fine study, while the picture itself will show at the Capitol, England at her best and freshest, and that is saying much. The element of pathos is in the picture "Forgotten Women" at Princess Theatre. Among the many who adopt the screen as a profession are a few brilliant stars and many lesser lights. It is these lesser lights who are shown in "Forgotten Women." A sporting romance, "Winner Take All" will fill the bill at the Theatre Royal for the first part of the week.

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A Southern Maid

SOME notable names appear in the production and presentation of this picture which will be shown at the Capitol Theatre on Thursday. Dion Calthrop and Harry Graham are the authors, the music is by Harold Fraser-Simson, and the cast includes Lupino Lane, Harry Welchman and Nancy Brown. It all sounds very attractive. General du Maurier and Gertrude Lawrence come back to the Princess with their individual fine performances in "Lord Camber's Ladies" and a new film "The Three Rogues", in which Victor McLaglen, Fay Wray, Lew Cody and Eddie Gribbon form a good cast, should provide plenty of thrills and excitement at the Theatre Royal.

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"L.S.D."

IN response to many requests, Mrs. Mervyn Cowie is giving repeat performances of "£.S.D." at the Empire Theatre on the Thursday and Saturday in Jubilee week, May 9 and 11. A special matinee performance will be given for children on the Saturday afternoon.

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George Arliss

King Lear

MOST of the players acting in the production of "King Lear" at the Empire Theatre, Nairobi, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week are well known to local audiences. Mr. A. G. Higgins is one of the oldest members of the Railway Players Company and this popular actor really needs no introduction. He appeared in their first production six years ago as the attempted suicide in "Outward Bound." After this he took a spell at stage management, followed by a brilliant performance as the nervous student in "Rope." Then came his greatest study, Lewis Dodd, in "The Constant Nymph." This was followed by consistently fine performances in "Juno and the Paycock," "Musical Chairs," "Hamlet," and "Richard of Bordeaux." His recent amusing study of the blase Prince William of Greck, in "The Queen's Husband" will be remembered by everyone.

King Lear's three daughters, with the Earl of Kent. Regan, Gwladys, Lady Delamere; Cordelia, Barbara Harrison; Kent, H. F. Hawes; and Goneril, Kathleen Robinson.

Photo: H. K. Binks.

Now comes the peak of his theatrical career, for the role of Lear is by general consent acknowledged to be the greatest acting part in the world's drama.

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MISS Kathleen L. Robinson first appeared with the Railway Players as the Queen in "Hamlet" and in the present production has been entrusted with the part of one of Shakespeare's most terrifying creatures — Goneril, eldest daughter to Lear. This talented member of the company, in addition to having had vast acting experience, has in turn been successful as a dramatist, producer, critic and stage designer.

Love's Young Dream is realised by Charles Farrell and Janet Gaynor in their latest Fox romance, "Merely Mary Ann." 1PD

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GWLADYS, Lady Delamere's first appearance with these Players was as Mary Bohun in "Richard of Bordeaux." She is now playing the cruel Regan, Lear's second daughter. She has had considerable stage experience and studied originally under the famous Jean De Reszke in Paris.

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MR. H. F. Hawes also made his debut with the Railway Players in "Richard of Bordeaux" and is now giving a fine study of the part of the Earl of Kent. His theatrical career has been long and varied and his long experience is proving a great asset to the Railway Players' present production.

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MISS Barbara Harrison, who has been entrusted with the part of the gentle Cordelia, youngest daughter to Lear, is making her first appearance as a Railway Player, but she, also, needs no introduction to Nairobi theatre-goers.

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THE Earl of Gloucester and his two sons, Edmund and Edgar, are being played by Mr. W. G. Frost, Mr. R. M. Woodford and Mr. Paul Corfe, respectively, all of whom have been entrusted with principal parts in various productions under the Railway Players' banner, and they undertook complicated work in that amazing local spectacle, The Pageant of East Africa.

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HUMPHREY Slade finds in the part of the Jester a perfect medium for the interpretation of his delicately poised artistry. He made his first appearance in Nairobi with the Railway Players in "The Constant Nymph" and has frequently proved himself a very capable actor in a great variety of types, but never before has he found a character to suit him so well.

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MR. D. J. Wright and Mr. J. Buchanan are cast for the parts of the Duke of Albany and the Duke of Cornwall respectively, husbands to the two elder daughters of Lear. They, too, have had considerable experience in the Railway Players' productions.

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MR. F. C. Brookes is very happy in his characterization of Oswald the foppish swaggering coward, steward to Goneril and a fitting toady to his evil mistress.

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THERE are many small parts and silent actors who, although in the past have been seen in leading characters, their enthusiasm for the play has led them to accept these less showy parts as an earnest of their desire to help crown the present undertaking with success.

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AMONGST these enthusiasts is no less a star than Mr. J. A. Mallett, who by his magnificent interpretation of "Hamlet" in the first of these East African Shakespeare Birthday Anniversary Celebrations, contributed largely in helping to establish these productions as an annual event in East Africa.

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ENTHUSIASM is the key note of all concerned in the production of "King Lear."

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THE cinema industry has made several proud and loyal efforts to celebrate His Majesty's Jubilee. There have been several brilliant and conscientious productions setting forth the eventful story of the reign of King George and Queen Mary, and due credit must be given to Paramount, to Pathe, and last but not least to Val Gielgud, Holt Marvell, and Marjorie Deans whose "Royal Cavalcade" may be seen at the Regal, and is a striking example of the Jubilee record. To deal with the tremendous events crowded into the last 25 years of English history is a formidable task. To-day makes the first occasion possible when, by means of the cinema and its marvellous scientific efficiency, we have, for the benefit of future historians, a complete record in moving pictures of no less a period than a quarter of a century, "Royal Cavalcade" is a full panorama a regal experience, admirably conceived, magnificently executed. It merges the pageantry of kings with the human story of the people. Though its range is enormous, its beams seem to penetrate everywhere, over a comprehensive and surprising series of spectacles. It is a singular combination of the impressionistic and the realistic. It renders due homage to the lives of our King and Queen, and is a tribute also to the mighty Empire over which they reign. It is too much to hope that even such a picture will demolish our national inferiority complex, but it enables even the most modest among us to realise what an amount of courage industry and strength have been expended by the British people in the last 25 years.

Constance Cummings and Paul Kelly in "Broadway Thru a Keyhole"

Two New Pictures

AT the Plaza this week there is an attractive double feature programme. There is a rapid fire picture, "Car 99" and this makes a contrast of what many will regard as an artistic adaptation of Charles Morgan's best seller "The Fountain." The former is mechanical romance, a melodrama of the automobile. It shows the highly specialised methods of the American police force. We see expert raiders being rounded up even though they carry on their exploits under the familiar masterly organisation. These gangsters run about in a car fitted with radio and gadgets that enable them to produce a smoke barrage. The number of the car can be changed on the press of a button. Thrilling and breath-depriving, it allows no time to question its plausibility. Capably acted at breakneck speed, well-directed and with much popular appeal, Ann Sheridan and Sir Guy Standing head a clever cast.

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"THE Fountain" has the advantage of three artistic, thoughtful and sensitive performances contributed by Ann Harding, Brian Aherne and Paul Lukas. It is something of an achievement to have made a screen story of this novel. So delicate, subtle and fragrant a work called for perhaps even more sensitiveness and imagination than the director has been able to secure. The niceties and exactness of the psychology of the original work scarcely lend themselves to the rapid, broad and flamboyant methods of moving pictures. But despite this serious handicap, the picture proves tensely and exquisitely appealing, and it owes not a little of its success to the beautifully restrained acting of Aherne and the fine study contributed by Ann Harding.

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A Gripping Story

WE are given a further opportunity in "The Sacred Flame" at the Capital of judging the work of Josephine Hutchison. In this picture the lady must be accorded our unqualified approval. Colin Clive, with his odd mixture of ugliness and good looks, plays opposite to her and is given almost the greatest chance he has yet had on the screen. His performance must be reckoned as top class. The picture, taking it on the whole, is a model of distinction and competence. The dialogue, founded on that of Somerset Maugham, is economical, easy, natural and tellingly expressive. The story grips from the beginning.

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THE second Capital picture is "Racing Luck." Mary Astor stars in this and we see a totally different class of picture, but one that is very good of its kind. It is a picture with motor racing thrills, and proves a continuous sweep of excitements. It is rather an extravagant story concerning itself with speed tracks, but to many it will prove an acceptable entertainment.

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A Philok Vance thriller is generally worth while, and the latest of the series "The Casino Murder Case" which can be seen at the Empire, piles mystery upon mystery. It is a whole-hogging affair with a surprise in every second. Not a bad entertainment of its kind, but it takes all the suavity and charm of Paul Lukas to lift it out of the rut.

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The East African Standard

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1935.

A MOMBASA PROBLEM

Representation in Local Government

Some weeks ago the General Purposes Committee of the Municipal Board of Mombasa considered the question of whether, in future, the representation of the European Community should be by election or nomination. It appears, though the exact reasons and examples are not very clear, that for some time a section of the European community in Mombasa have felt that there are objections to the system of informal elections which, to-day, precede nomination of these members by the Governor. The main argument which has been advanced is that the election system deprives Mombasa of the services of a number of leading public and business men who either have no wish to submit their claims to the test of the franchise in open competition with others or who, by reason of their peculiar position as managers or senior members of the staff of large concerns with overseas headquarters, believe that their employers would hesitate to encourage them to take part in public elections. There are seven unofficial European members of the Board at present. The Local Government (Municipalities) Ordinance provides for their nomination by the Governor. The law also contains a provision whereby, on request, the principle of nomination may be abandoned in favour of election. Mombasa at the moment is following a middle course. Nominations for vacancies are invited and if there are more names than vacancies an informal poll is held after which the names of the successful candidates are submitted to the Governor for his formal approval of their "nomination." It has been suggested by a number of the present members and by sections of the community that this procedure, no doubt being neither flesh nor fowl but largely very indifferent red herring, is both irregular and satisfactory. Accordingly a majority of the European Members have decided to submit the question to the registered voters by means of a referendum which will take place between May 1 and 4 inclusive. At the same time a petition has been addressed to the Governor by a number of Mombasa residents, both "prominent" and obscure, urging the cause of nomination. Mombasa people would do well, before casting their votes on a matter of considerable importance to the future, to consider the findings of the Local Government Commission of 1927. The same arguments for and against election were placed before the Commission by witnesses but having weighed the evidence the Commission said in its Report: "We are, however, of the opinion "that the municipal constitution to "be adopted for Mombasa should "provide for the inclusion from the "outset of some elected members in "the new municipal body. It is "most important that at this stage "in its municipal history the "inhabitants of Mombasa should "be stimulated to take an active "interest in the municipal affairs "of the town, and we think the "best way to secure this result is "to give them the opportunity of "taking part themselves in the "choice of some, at least, of the "members who are to serve on "such a body. It would be difficult to ensure such interest if "the management of municipal "affairs were entrusted to a body "consisting entirely of nominated "members. The inclusion of "elected members will also help "to make clear the representative "character of the new municipal "body, and to give it an authority "which a body consisting entirely "of nominated members might "not possess." Recognising, however, that Mombasa might require the services of men of capacity and training accustomed to take long views and that in some cases these men might only be available as nominated members, the Report suggested a combination of elected and nominated members and made it quite clear that in their view the European community should be called upon to take the heaviest share in the responsibility for municipal government. The Report has stated the position with creditable simplicity and nothing has occurred to alter the principle or to detract from the importance of stimulating interest in municipal affairs by affording the public the right of choice of at least a proportion of their representatives. The present controversy presents a remarkable example of the diversity of view between Mombasa and the up-country districts. It is not conceivable that any responsible community in the Highlands would consider for a moment entrusting the representation of their interests to a group of people empowered to suggest to the Governor names for nomination. Nor does it seem at all necessary why Mombasa should adopt a retrograde step in its political development. After all, the fundamental principle of "no taxation without representation" still holds in Kenya, undermined though it may be by the continued existence of a Government which is in the broad sense "unconstitutional" and Mombasa will perform a disservice to itself and to the Colony as a whole if for reasons so vague and unimportant it goes back on the whole question of public representation. The public are entitled to a measure of control over those who conduct public affairs and no public men possessed of the right spirit have any grounds for seeking to represent other people's interests unless they are also prepared to submit their names and claims for popular consideration and support. They cannot be properly representative if they have no responsibility to the public they serve, nor should the Governor of the Colony be invited to decide their suitability or the period of their uninterrupted service without the guidance of public opinion. If some of the people of Mombasa feel that the principle of election leads to the appointment of men whose subsequent record of service does not warrant their claim to representative status, then the remedy is in the hands of the people themselves. It does not lie in abandoning the right of choice but in ensuring that the choice itself is sound. Men who seek the honour of public service should not expect to be able to do so by securing the protection of official approval and by standing in safety behind the Governor. These are not the men who will stimulate public interest in municipal or any other questions. The people of Mombasa will do well this week to reject the proposal to abandon their rights as citizens and they will also be justified in holding in suspicion those who have made it.

Mr. G. P. Willoughby

Mr. G. P. Willoughby M.Sc., the Chief Telegraph Engineer for Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika has been made a full member of the Institution of Electrical Engineers.

K.D.F. Jubilee Parade

As the K.D.F. Jubilee Parade rehearsal at the K.A.R. Parade ground on Tuesday actually commences at 7 a.m. all those taking part should be there before that hour and should endeavour to reach the ground by 6-30 a.m.

St. George's Dinner

The annual dinner under the auspices of the Nairobi Branch of the Royal Society of St. George will be held in the New Stanley Hotel on Friday of this week. The event was postponed from St. George's Day in order that it might fit into the Jubilee celebrations.

Collision

On Friday morning in Sixth Avenue, a collision occurred involving a motor lorry owned by Major Steele of Ngong and a car belonging to Mr. A. Legat of Limuru. Both vehicles were being driven by natives. It appears that as Mr. Legat's car was about to pass the lorry, the latter turned right, into the link road leading from Sixth Avenue to Kirk Road, and struck the car. No persons were injured.

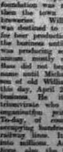
Education Tax

Persons liable for Education Tax are reminded that Tuesday April 30 is the last day for the payment of this tax without penalty and anyone who has not paid will automatically become liable for double the amount of the tax after that date. The attention of all tax-payers is invited to the notices in this issue concerning the removal of the Revenue Office to the Law Courts and Government Offices and the hour at which that office will close on April 30.

"ON THIS DAY"

APRIL 29th.

Death of Michael Thos. Bass, April 29, 1884.



About one hundred and sixty years ago a carrier of nearly sixty years of age decided to do something for himself in the line of goods he had been carting for other people. His name was William Bass, and not only did he display business acumen in his choice of marketable commodities, but he also chose its place of manufacture with equal foresight. William Bass settled on the banks of the river Trent to make beer. William Bass was not the first man to discover that the waters of Burton on Trent were eminently suited to produce a malt liquor which would engender the complaint of Oliver Twist. Hundreds of years previously the genie in the waters had been recognised, and taken advantage of, by the monks who held land in the district. Its reputation prior to Bass's foundation was not forgotten, for even then the town supported many small breweries. William Bass, however, was destined to place the seal upon it for beer production. His son carried on the business until twenty years later it was producing some 2,000 barrels per annum, mostly consumed locally. But Bass did not begin to become a public name until Michael Thos. Bass,—grandson of old William Bass,—who died on this day, April 29, 1884, came into the business. He it was who formed the triumvirate who have since headed the organisation with their patronymics. To-day, of course, it is a vast place occupying hundred of acres and miles of railway lines. Its barrel output runs into millions. As duty runs into millions, also, the Chancellor of the Exchequer might well regard the genie in the waters in the nature of a fairy godmother.

THIS QUEER WORLD

A CENTENARY — HEROINE'S MEMOR[IAL] — FAMOUS PIGEON — SEVERE GOVERN[OR] — SINGER'S ROMANCE — ROYAL ENGI[NE] DRIVERS — ANTARCTIC COAL

This year is the centenary of the occasion of the admission of women as spectators in the House of Commons. In August, 1835, a committee recommended that a portion of the Strangers' Gallery, not exceeding a quarter, to hold 24 ladies, be set apart for their accommodation. This was approved of, and thenceforward women visitors to the House of Commons to the number of 24 could listen to debates partitioned off from the rest of the public gallery and screened in front by open trellis work. The first franchise bill for women in England was not, of course, passed until 1918, and it was not until 1928 that the Baldwin Government extended the franchise bill for women by reducing the age limit to 21, thus wiping out the last discrimination between male and female. To-day the register in Great Britain contains a majority of women voters.

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There was recently erected in the Thursday Island cemetery a beautiful memorial over the grave of Mauara Lifu, an heroic native woman of Darnley Island, Torres Strait. The memorial, of ground coral and shells, was made by the natives of Darnley Island and was erected to perpetuate the memory of Mauara, who 35 years ago made a remarkable swim which, before or since, has not been equalled by another woman. Mauara was on one of the 73 pearling luggers which were wrecked during a terrific cyclone off Cape Melville (North Queensland) in March, 1899. Seven white men and 295 natives were drowned in the disaster, and two of the white men who escaped were saved by Mauara.

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She was a young woman of fine physique, and she saved the two men by swimming with them, supported on her back, through the raging seas to the mainland over two miles away. The swim took nearly seven hours, and she collapsed on reaching the beach. It was a remarkable feat, and for it the Royal Humane Society awarded her its gold medal, the first native woman in Australia to receive this award.

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Australia's first Governor, Captain Phillip, though humane enough at times, was capable of severe disciplinary measures. In 1789, when the stores of the settlement were looted (an offence which under present-day crime values would have brought at most a few months in gaol) he ordered the principal culprit to be hanged. The other miscreants were imprisoned on bread and water on a little island in Sydney Harbour, to which they appropriately affixed the name of "Pinch Gut." Although the island was afterwards fortified and renamed Fort Denison, the old name has stuck. Incidentally, the Pinch Gut of to-day is encumbered by three old cannon, which are mounted inside the tower. They cannot be taken out for lack of large enough exit. How they were put in is a mystery.

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What is perhaps the most novel war memorial in the world is a tablet built into the side of Fort de Vaux (Verdun) in hon[our of the] last carrier-pigeon sent [from] the besieged fortress. [It] was released on June 4, 1[916, bear]ing the following me[ssage from] Major Raynal: "We are [still hold]ing out, but we are me[eting] dangerous gas and smo[ke]. It is urgent to relieve u[s]. [Th]is is my last pigeon." The [pigeon] got through and was awarded the Legion of [Honour and] the Croix de Guerre. [It lived] as a pensioner at [...] headquarters till its dea[th].

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The remarkably fine [...] an 80-year-old patient [in] the women's ward of t[he] Charing Cross Hospital [...] the inmates and nurses [...] investigation the aged [...] was discovered to b[e] Amy Sherwin, advertis[ed] wide many years ago a[s the "Tas]manian Nightingale." [At one] time she had accumulat[ed ...] but, like a lot of stage [...] allowed it all to slip [through her] fingers, until she was [in] penury. She is now [in a] small Essex cottage.

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The Sherwins were known as "the mad [...]" The way in which Am[y was] discovered was must [...] is not widely known. [...] had a voice above the [...] used as a girl to patro[l] outside her Tasmanian [...] ing lustily. Her burn[ing ...] and hope were that [a] passing musician woul[d ...] and be struck by the [beauty] of her voice. This act[ually occur]red, and eventually M[iss Sher]win went on to big [...] singer.

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King Boris of Bulga[ria re]cently drove a blazing [...] for two miles, is not a[lone in] Royalty in his knowledg[e of] driving. His father, [...] and, used to be repute[d an] expert of Royal en[gine drivers] with King Alfonso of S[pain] second. The late Kin[g of] the Belgians had also [...] knowledge and experie[nce ...] line. Most of the men [of the] English Royal Family [...] the joys of the footpla[te ...] ally, but none have driv[en ...] so often as the late K[ing]. In his younger days, [...] of Wales, he was a clo[se ...] the second Duke of [...] who owned a private [...] on his Scottish estat[e ...] Prince and the Duke us[ed ...]ly to act together as [...] driver. Nothing would [...]ed the Prince better i[...] than to have had a lin[e ...] of his own. The Peer[age ...] land has three ver[y ...] drivers—the Duke of [...] the Duke of Sutherla[nd ...] Marquis of Bute.

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Admiral Byrd's disc[overy of coal] seams in Antarctica i[s ...] but not novel. Long a[go ...] tish Shackleton-Maws[on expedi]tion found such deposit[s ...] continent together wi[th ...] precious metal, provi[ng ...] tarctica once was [...] treed.

To-day's Wireless Program[me]

EMPIRE BROADCASTING SERVICE

Part I.

L.T.

7.45 p.m.—Big Ben. The News. Dairy Produce Notes, supplied by the Intelligence Branch of the Imperial Economic Committee.

8.00 p.m.—Troise and his Mandoliers, with Don Carlos (Tenor). Paso doble, Granada (Billi). Waltz, Dolores (Waldteufel). A Street in Old Seville (Arden and Towers). Parade of the Sunbeams (Quentin Maclean). Muntevergene (Canzona Napolitana) (Cinquegrana). Ballet Egyptien, No. 2 (Luigini). You are my Heart's Delight (Lehar). Malaga, Shawl Dance (Jalowicz, arr. Ranieri). Melodia, I Love you no Longer (Tosti). Preludio (La Traviata, Act 3) (Verdi, arr. Cowlrick).

8.30 p.m.—Talk: "Music and the Ordinary Listener." Sir Walford Davies.

8.50 p.m.—The Leslie Bridgewater Harp Quintet Three Pieces (Gossec, arr. Bridgewater). Booklet's Song (Amadei). Gracious Waltz (Norman O'Neill). Intermezzo (Carmen) (Bizet). The Wooing Hour (Zamecnic) Tarantella (Reynolds).

9.15 p.m.—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.

9.30 p.m.—Speeches on the occasion of the Royal Empire Society Luncheon to the South African touring team." The Chairman, the Right Hon. the Earl of Athlone, K.G., will propose the health of the guests, and H. F. Wade, Captain of the South African cricket team, will respond. Relayed from the Hotel Victoria, London.

9.50 p.m.—An Excerpt from Wagner's Opera, Lohengrin. Relayed from Covent Garden on the Opening Night of the Season.

11.20 p.m.—Close down.

Part II

11.35 p.m.—The B.B.C. O[...]tion E). Conducted [...] Bridge. Beatrice Ha[rrison ...] cello).

12.45 a.m.—The News.

1.00 a.m.—Dance Music.

1.15 a.m.—Close down.

Nairobi Stat[ion]

1.15—1.45.—Lunch Time [...]

7.00—Time Signal.—Sel[...]

7.15.—British Official W[ireless] Local News, Weather [...] Notice and Market Re[ports]

7.40—8.00.—"Merchant [...] Suite (Rosse) played [by Bar]birolli's Chamber Or[chestra]

8.00—9.00.—Variety Con[cert]

9.00—Time Signal.—Extr[a] news.

9.05—9.30.—Piano and V[...]

9.30—10.00.—Light Orche[stral] Concert.

10.00.—Close down.

STANDARD D[IARY]

Thursday, May 2:
McMillan Memorial lecture by Dr. H. [...] on "Early Reco[...] Kenya, part IV."

May 6:
25th anniversary, K[ing's Acces]sion—public holid[ay].

Thursday, May 9:
McMillan Memorial lecture by Mr. H[...] on "Sharks."

AIR SERVICES TO W. AFRICA

Formation of a New Company

London-Lagos

THROUGH CONNECTION VIA KHARTOUM

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
London, April 26

It is announced that Imperial Airways and the Elder Dempster Shipping Company have arranged for the formation of a joint company known as Elders Colonial Airways for the purpose of operating air services to West Africa.

Imperial Airways have arranged shortly to inaugurate a service from Khartoum to Nigeria which will provide through connection from London to Lagos via Khartoum.

HOSPITAL SCHEME

Town Council Query to Government

On April 5 last, the "East African Standard" published an article setting out the Government proposals in connexion with the Group Hospital Scheme. In the first instance the proposals contemplate the provision of hospital Scheme. In the first instance the proposals contemplate the provision of hospital accommodation—in the vicinity of the Medical Laboratories—for Natives and Asians.

Reference to this article was made at a recent meeting of the Works and Public Health Committees of the Nairobi Municipal Council by the chairman, Councillor J. Mortimer. He proposed the following resolution, which was carried:

That the attention of Government be directed to the proposals submitted to the Nairobi Municipal Council last year in regard to hospital accommodation and service, when the urgency for the provision of the entire group of hospitals was stressed. Also that the Council should be informed why the European Hospital was omitted from the scheme as outlined in the "East African Standard" of April 5.

In the meantime the Town Clerk was instructed to communicate immediately with the Commissioner for Local Government with the object of ascertaining Government's views on the proposals, submitted by the Council in the early part of last year, for the provision of hospital accommodation.

NGONG ROAD

Government's Reply to a Request

Government is not prepared to contribute this year towards the cost of reconstructing to a macadam specification that portion of Ngong Road from Gordon Road to Dagoretti Corner, nor will the Commissioner for Local Government undertake to pledge Government to contribute towards the cost next year.

These facts were mentioned by the Town Clerk at a recent meeting of the Works and Public Health Committees of the Nairobi Municipal Council, following an interview he had had with the Commissioner for Local Government.

False Alarms

Persons giving false alarms of fire will be liable to a fine of £20 in future, if a proposed amendment to the Nairobi Fire Brigade By-Laws is adopted by the Nairobi Municipal Council at its monthly meeting to-morrow afternoon. The amendment reads: "Any person knowingly giving or causing to be given a false alarm of fire to the Nairobi Fire Brigade or to any officer thereof, whether by means of a street fire alarm, statement, message or otherwise, shall be deemed to be guilty of an offence punishable on summary conviction for such offence and be liable for every such offence to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds."

POMP AND PAGEANTRY OF THE JUBILEE

Magnificent Royal Procession

THE KING'S ORDERS

Beauty of Historic Buildings Seen by Night

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
London, April 26.

By the King's express command cavalry wearing full dress uniforms will be included in the Royal procession to St. Paul's Cathedral on Jubilee Day.

Last night the final programme was submitted by the Lord Great Chamberlain for the King's approval.

It is understood that His Majesty was so impressed with the spontaneous desire of his people to participate in the celebrations that he has decided that the pomp and pageantry associated traditionally with Royal processions cannot be omitted. It has therefore been arranged that numerous cavalry squadrons will ride ahead of the Sovereign's Escort of Life Guards which is escorting Their Majesties, including the 2nd Dragoon Guards (Queen's Bays), the 3/6th Dragoon Guards (Carabineers), the 5th Inniskilling Dragoon Guards, the 3rd King's Own Hussars, the 4th Queen's Own Hussars, the 9th Queen's Royal Lancers and the Royal Horse Artillery.

A Royal Salute

The Artillery will fire a Royal Salute from Hyde Park and the guns at the Tower will answer.

By the King's wish places will be reserved near the Victoria Memorial for large parties of children including Boy Scouts, Girl Guides, orphanages and schools.

[BY WIRELESS.]
Rugby, April 27.

Every new detail regarding the Royal Jubilee procession to St. Paul's Cathedral on May 6 is eagerly read and the general impression is heightened that the event will be the most picturesque and striking of its kind that London has seen for several years. Many full dress uniforms unfamiliar to the younger generation acquainted only with the Royal Household Cavalry and service kit of other units will be worn by the Dragoons, Hussars, Lancers and other branches of the cavalry, as well as by the Royal Horse Artillery.

Over 1,600 officers and men of the Royal Navy and the Royal Marines will come to London to take a share in the pageantry.

Floodlit Cathedrals

Admiring crowds last night saw St. Paul's Cathedral and Westminster Abbey brilliantly illuminated by floodlight installations. More than 50 buildings of special interest in London alone are being floodlit by the authorities.

On Jubilee Day the street decorations will in large part consist of masses of growing flowers and Regent Street, which is expending ten thousand pounds on its decorations, will have on each side an unbroken line of flowering plants.

A Tattoo of massed drums and pipers of the Royal Brigade of Guards will be held on the Horse Guards Parade on Jubilee night and on five other evenings during May.—British Official Wireless Service.

KITALE FARMERS

Rather Worried About the Weather

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
Kitale, April 25.

The Easter holidays in Kitale were taken very quietly, most farmers being busy with maize planting. The Elgon Club staged a half day American tennis tournament on the afternoon of Easter Sunday.

The extraordinary lateness of the real rains is causing a certain amount of worry to farmers. After the good rains in February, there is no real anxiety, but planting has been made difficult and many maize growers will be wondering whether it will pay them better to disc harrow out maize, which has not come up too well and replant or not. Cut worm has been active in some parts to add to their troubles.

The coffee is not in any danger, but the dry spell may be too much for some of the crop, for coffee up here has flowered several times this year.

The hornets are buzzing, to quote Sir P. Cunliffe-Lister, in the local paper over the T.N.D.C.'s action in ordering a German lorry, and over the figures quoted in support of their action.

MONARCHY TO BE RESTORED?

Question for Greek People to Decide

At a Later Date

EFFECT OF STATEMENT BY THE VICE PREMIER

Ex-King George

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
London, April 26.

Ex-King George of Greece arrived in London this evening. In an interview with Reuter in regard to a Paris report that a meeting of Greeks in Paris had invited him to return to the Greek throne, he said he knew nothing about the matter.

No Immediate Question

Athens, April 26.

There is no question at present of recalling the ex-King to the throne, but perhaps later the Greek people if any considerable section wishes it, will be asked to say "yes" or "no" to the question as to whether they want the restoration of the Monarchy.

This seems to be the plain effect of a statement made after consultation with the Premier by the Vice Premier, General Kondylis who suppressed the recent revolt. He said that the Monarchist question was one for the people to decide. They would be allowed freely to express their wishes after the National Assembly met and the nation became calm.

Obituary:

MR. H. MUSK

Agricultural Officer in Tanganyika

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
Dar es Salaam, (by mail).

The "Tanganyika Standard" announces with regret the death of Mr. H. Musk, District Agricultural Officer, which took place at Dar es Salaam in the early hours of Saturday morning April 20.

A keen and experienced worker, and a willing helper in social causes, Mr. Musk came to Tanganyika Territory in 1927, and was stationed at Singida, Rufiji, Dar es Salaam, and latterly Kilwa. He was in charge of agricultural work in the Kilwa District, with supervision of the eastern part of Rufiji, including the Delta area.

Well-known to those with whom he worked as an able botanist, Mr. Musk was responsible for the reorganisation of the grounds of Government House, Dar es Salaam, and for their new lay-out. He also took a large part in the initiation of the Jardine Bowl competition in May and June, 1934.

MUNICIPAL OFFICES

Town Hall or City Hall?

No name has yet been decided on for the new municipal offices in City Square.

However, the Nairobi Municipal Council will to-morrow afternoon consider a recommendation from its Works and Public Health Committees that the building be named either the "Town Hall" or the "City Hall."

His Excellency the Acting Governor, the Hon. A. de V. Wade, has been invited to perform the opening ceremony on Thursday, May 9.

The Works and Public Health Committees have recommended to the Nairobi Municipal Council that in the preparation of the road programme for 1935 provision be made for stone pitching of all the roadside drains in the municipal area to be carried out.

SHS. 9,521

JUBILEE FUND ENTERS THE LAST STAGE

FURTHER GENEROUS DONATIONS

The Jubilee Fund is expected to enter upon its last week to-day.

The response last week was so gratifying that there is now less than Fifty Pounds required to reach the original aim of Ten Thousand Shillings.

It is not improbable that the actual expenditure, which was very roughly estimated at the beginning, will be greater than the £500 stated, and the Mayor still hopes that public generosity during the last stages of the Appeal will be such that the Committee will have no financial worries during Jubilee Week.

The amount registered on the Clock on Saturday was Shs. 9,521 and here is the latest list of donations to the Mayor's Supplementary Fund.

Already acknowledged	Shs. 3,207
Anon.	20
Anon.	38
Dr. R. Ribeiro	25
Anon	200
Anon	200
Total Supplementary Fund	Shs. 3,690

The two cheques for Ten Pounds each represent generous donations from two Oil Companies locally represented. The cheques were received after banking hours on Thursday, otherwise they would have been acknowledged in the ordinary course in the "East African Standard" on Saturday.

IRISH SWEEPSTAKES AS USUAL

No Derby Counterfoils in the Fire

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

[FROM A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT]
Dublin, April 27.

In response to world-wide enquiries about the possible effect of the destruction of the Plaza, Dublin on future Irish Sweepstakes, Mr. Joseph McGrath, Managing Director of the Hospitals Trust Ltd. to-day issued the following statement:

"The chief use of the Plaza was to provide accommodation for the spectacular side of the Irish Sweepstakes during each prize drawing. At other times it was mainly used as a storehouse for stationery and office equipment. Prior to the fire only a routine staff was engaged there in routine work.

"No counterfoils for the next sweepstake were on the premises when the fire occurred; consequently every subscriber's interests are fully safeguarded. All the counterfoils are stored in a massive fireproof strongroom at the headquarters, Earlsfort Terrace in an entirely different part of the city.

"Within a few hours of the discovery of the fire, arrangements were completed for holding the Derby Sweepstake draw in the Mansion House, Dublin where the first three prize drawings were held. This is the only change in our programme, and the Derby draw will commence on June 3 as originally announced.

"All members of the staff are working and no unemployment has been caused by the destruction of the Plaza as several temporary premises were immediately taken.

"Work was commenced on the erection of a new building in Exchequer Street covering 8,500 square feet to accommodate a thousand clerks. One hundred men working continuous shifts day and night will complete this in three weeks."

UNLAWFUL WOUNDING

European Fined for Offence Against Native

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT].
Kitale, April 24.

Zachariar de Beer, who was acquitted on the charges of murder and manslaughter in the case of the boy Wei, was fined 350/- in the Magistrate's Court for wounding the other boy Mwini.

It will be remembered he admitted to firing in the direction of Mwini intending to frighten him and the native was hit in the leg by the bullet.

MR. BERNARD SHAW'S NEW PLAY

Completed Whilst at Mombasa

"THE MILLIONAIRESS"

Famous Writer's Views on the European Situation

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT].
Dar es Salaam (By mail.)

Where lesser beings are more elusive, finding Mr. George Bernard Shaw on a big liner is a fairly easy matter. For there is something magnetic about the Shavian aura, and every steward is a direction post.

It was so when I boarded the "Llangibby Castle" on Friday morning intent upon renewing with Mr. Shaw an acquaintance begun in Cape Town.

There, leaning over a railing, was the tall, spare arrow-straight figure which has been familiarised to the whole world.

Wearing, most untropically, a cloth cap and a woollen cardigan, not to mention a vivid green shirt and tie, his jutting Captain Kettlesque beard (once, like that hero's, a fiery red, but now a subdued silver) flying in the breeze, Mr. Shaw was contemplating with an air of cynical amusement the exertions of native labourers in the hold.

One wondered if he was considering a thesis on the Black Man in Search of Something or Other.

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NANYUKI FISHING

Effect of the Recent Heavy Rains

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT].
Nanyuki, April 25.

Following heavy rain in the Mt. Kenya forests, rivers have run higher than they have been doing for some considerable time, the Liki in particular now being in excellent order with that pleasant peaty colour so reminiscent of a highland burn.

Fishermen consider that the drought and consequent low water must have allowed the fresh water snails, crabs and other feed to increase lately as fish seen, took little or no notice of any lure that the most skilled angler could put before them. Half an hour's sport by one rod on Easter Monday accounted for half a dozen excellent fish scaling about ½ lb. or more each and all splendid fighters.

Roads after recent showers, though rough in parts, are already dry and easily passable for motorists while the country is looking pleasantly green once more with stockowners' dams and other watering places for cattle already full to overflowing.

NAIROBI'S PLANS FOR JUBILEE

An Attractive Programme

Shopping Week

CHANCE FOR EVERYONE TO WIN PRIZES

Nairobi will be en fete during the week of celebrations commemorating the Silver Jubilee of the accession to the throne of His Majesty the King. An attractive variety of events has been planned and all serious interests will perforce have to give way to the gala spirit, which, even at this early date, is beginning to make its presence felt.

As in other parts of the British Empire local traders have this year decided to hold the Empire Shopping Week—usually staged near Empire Day—in conjunction with the Jubilee festivities, which will commence on May 6 and be continued until May 11. In consequence of this arrangement shopkeepers in Nairobi will do all in their power to make their premises attractive and endeavour to stimulate shopping activities.

In Nairobi and elsewhere shopping weeks have become an institution, the annual advent of which is eagerly awaited by traders and the general public alike. This year the local Shopping Week will be an unusually ambitious undertaking, and no stone is being left unturned to ensure its success. It will fit admirably into the general scheme of the Jubilee celebrations, and both events should benefit considerably by their collusion.

The Programme

The Nairobi Traders' Association are controlling things from the commercial point of view, and have already made rapid headway with the preliminary work. They have issued a comprehensive programme which sets out fully the details of the Jubilee Week arrangements, and which is a tribute to the enterprise of local tradesmen in general and the Jubilee Shopping Week Committee in particular. This committee is composed of Messrs. H. J. May (chairman), Chaturbhai, F. J. Ford, A. L. Gladwell, J. R. Stephens and D. Newmark (general secretary).

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A Health Survey

The Medical Officer of Health in Nairobi has been requested by the Native Affairs Committee of the Nairobi Municipal Council to carry out, with the Municipal Engineer, a general survey of Pumwani and the surrounding area in order to locate, if possible, the breeding places of flies and mosquitoes, with which pests the native location is infested. He has also been asked to submit a report with recommendations as to what steps should be taken to eliminate the nuisance.

GERMANY TO BUILD 12 SUBMARINES

Another Breach of the Treaty?

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Representations by the British Government

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
London, April 27.

News has reached London that Germany is laying down a certain number of small submarines.

It is understood that 12 vessels of 250 tons each are being laid down but it is not yet known if any further programme has been planned.

This information has been received since Sir John Simon's talks in Berlin when the subject was not raised.

It is understood that the British Government is communicating with the Embassy in Berlin in this connection and will consider the effect of the news on the forthcoming naval talks between British and German experts which have been tentatively arranged for the second week in May.

The Treaty of Versailles prohibits German submarines.

A Berlin Statement

Berlin, April 27.

While it is learnt that Germany has intimated her intention to lay down twelve submarines official circles here strongly deny that the building has already begun. An official of the Reichswehr Ministry declared: "Reports to that effect are only surmises on which we do not wish to comment. No submarines are being built, nor is anything of that kind contemplated at present because all naval questions will shortly be discussed at a conference in London."

THIS YEAR'S NAVAL VISITS

The Kenya Government has received intimation from the Commander-in-Chief, East Indies Station, of the following Naval visits to take place this year:—

H.M.S. "Norfolk" (flying the Flag of the Commander-in-Chief) will arrive at Mombasa on Saturday, July 27, leaving on Saturday, August 17.

H.M.S. "Emerald" will arrive at Mombasa on Monday, June 17 leaving on Monday, July 1.

INTER-DEPARTMENTAL SOCCER LEAGUE

The annual general meeting in connection with the Railway Inter Department soccer league will be held at the Railway Club this evening at 6.15 p.m.

TRADE OF KENYA AND UGANDA

Statistics for Last Year

Slight Decrease in Exports

HEAVY FALL IN MAIZE AND COFFEE

The value of Kenya's domestic exports dropped last year to £1,909,871 from £2,246,069, the figure for the previous year. Uganda, on the other hand, jumped from £3,464,610 in 1933 to £3,773,766 last year. Last year the total for the two territories was £5,683,637. In 1933 it was £5,711,669.

Under the head of domestic exports the chief commodity items last year were as follows, the 1933 figures being given in parentheses:

Kenya: Cotton 11,748 centals (19,660); sisal and tow 24,016 tons (19,850); maize 439,938 cwts. (1,131,548); hides 100,651 cwts. (91,735); coffee 186,759 cwts. (258,972); wattle (bark and extract) 308,309 cwts. (244,840); tea 22,141 cwts. (17,462); sugar £57,000 approximately (£66,735); tobacco and cigarettes nil (£273); gold bullion £69,000 approximately (£63,100).

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COMPREHENSIVE RATE

Matter to be Discussed Further

Recently the Finance Committee of the Nairobi Municipal Council met to consider a memorandum prepared by the Town Clerk on the proposal to abolish specific charges for conservancy, refuse removal and sewerage, and to include the cost of these services in the rate or rates to be imposed. The proposal was based on the contention that these were public health services, and, as such, their cost should be borne by the community at large.

The proposal evoked a considerable amount of discussion. Most of the councillors present expressed themselves in favour of the principle, but there was a great divergence of opinion as to whether it would be more equitable to include the cost in the amount required to be levied by means of a site value rate, or by means of an improvements value rate.

The Committee were generally agreed that the charge was one which should devolve upon the occupier and not the owner. It was pointed out that this would necessitate amendments being made to the Local Government (Rating) Ordinance.

Eventually it was decided to hold a further meeting to discuss the matter on a date to be fixed by the chairman, Councillor T. A. Wood.

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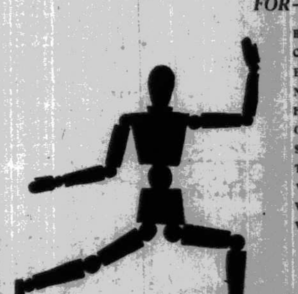

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THE MALARIA MENACE TO NAIROBI

(Continued from page 1).

what more was needed, and where.

M.O.H. Explains

On a point of explanation Dr. Tilling stated that the offer of the Rising cure had been referred to the proper quarters, as it was not the function of the Council to deal with the treatment of malaria, but its prevention. Anti-malarial measures had been carried out continually and his department was in daily contact with the Government Entomological Department in this connection. Cases of the disease had increased and were now breeding in places where previously they had not been found and his present staff of six others, sufficient in non-epidemic periods, was now inadequate. The anti-malarial work was divided into three sections consisting of (a) that dealing with main and subsidiary streams and dieling; (b) keeping existing canals in fair repair; (c) spraying. During the last four months the quantity of oil sprayed exceeded that used in the previous equivalent period by ten times. The proposal was to divide the Municipal area into four geographical sections and have a gang of six dealing with each area (five sprayers and one carrier). The 18 additional natives asked for would enable the entire area to be sprayed weekly, whereas the entire present staff could only cope with the swamp and quarry areas once weekly.

Potential Danger

In reply to Councillor Blowers the M.O.H. stated that malaria sufferers not under treatment were a potential source of danger. It would be soon from the reports of notifications that cases from outside the Municipality were classified where and how possible.

Councillor Smithson considered that dirty plots and shambas were a potential danger. The complaints in regard to those were of long standing. Carelessness was at the root of most of the trouble and he considered that efforts to educate the public, by means of propaganda, should be made.

The M.O.H. said that the only way to deal with the swamp area was by oiling. It was not possible to clean the Irrigation channels, although the irrigation water washed away most of the oil that was put down there.

The Swamp

Mr. Blowers then moved his resolution regarding the swamp (the text of which is published below) and urged that the Council should take action to force the owners of the Nairobi swamp area to force the closing of the channel, which was the sole danger, in the interest of the public welfare.

At this juncture Councillor Dr. Adalja stated that the important fact was that the swamp was the cause of 70 per cent. of the infection in Nairobi and owing to Government's prior agreement with the owners of this area the "responsibility appeared to rest not upon the City Fathers, but upon the City Grandfathers." This agreement, said Dr. Adalja, prevented the Council from dealing with the area properly and so long as Government refused to co-operate with them, it was a waste of time to issue pamphlets warning the public of the danger of malaria. He had no fault to find with the M.O.H. and considered that the figures given (three of cases notified) did not by any means give a complete indication of the gravity of the position. He considered that the advice of the M.O.H. should be taken and that a definite demand should be made that Government meet the cost of the necessary work. Government were directly responsible for the state of affairs and were standing in the Council's way in the latter's endeavours to rectify the position.

The Town Clerk suggested that the meeting should authorise the additional expenditure for a period of one month and in answer to Councillor Durham as to the amount suggested stated that oil and spraying, but wages, was the biggest item and accounted for some £800 of the estimate of £1,100 for four months.

Anti-Malarial Staff

In reply to the District Commissioner, the M.O.H. stated that his staff (European) consisted of four Sanitary Inspectors, one Meat and Food Inspector and one Overseer for the anti-malarial and other work. Six natives were employed in the oiling gang (and also had other duties to perform) and another fifteen natives loaned by the Municipal Engineer attended to the major anti-malarial works. There was no Sanitary Inspector employed in the field on this latter work.

Regarding a suggestion that the taking of one Sanitary Inspector off routine work for field work would not constitute risking trouble from other causes the M.O.H. stated that it might be possible to detail one Sanitary Inspector for whole-time duty and another for half-time duty in the field for a period of two months.

The Town Clerk pointed out that of the suggested £350 expenditure until the end of May, a mere £50 would be saved if the services of the entire health staff were utilised. Oil and petrol, costing £187, was by far the biggest item and in the meantime the employment of the whole staff would dislocate essential services. On a point of explanation, Dr. Tilling stated that sparsoil oiling only in the quarry area had taken place because mosquitoes did not breed in that area all the time and oiling was, therefore, reserved to when the reports of the Entomological Department indicated that it was needed.

After further discussion, during which it was suggested by Councillor Blowers that if the work was necessary, it should be carried out in its entirety and not piecemeal, and Councillor Durham signified his willingness to withdraw his motion provided that they got the assurance that Government would contribute half of the necessary expenses (i.e., £175), the resolution given above was passed.

Letter to Government

Further discussion concerning the sending of a letter to Government regarding the swamp area took place and the Town Clerk read a draft of this.

Councillor Blowers considered that the letter was a good one, but not sufficiently emphatic. There were "too many flowers round the frame", he suggested. Councillor Smithson agreed with Mr. Blowers, but Councillor Wood considered that they could not go at the matter "like a bull at a gate."

The Town Clerk read the draft letter addressed to the Commissioner for Local Government in which it was pointed out that the swamp had for many years been a menace to public health and that the most effective method of remedying the matter was to prevent the abstraction of water from the Nairobi River, for irrigation. Alternative suggestions were also put forward and it was pointed out that the phrasing of the permit, regarding the quantity of water that the permit holders were entitled to draw, was ambiguous and should be clarified. The fullest support of Government was requested in order that the persons unsatisfactory conditions might be remedied.

It was decided by seven votes to four (on the proposal of Councillor Durham, seconded by the Deputy Mayor) that this letter be forwarded immediately to Government and that the following resolution proposed by Councillor Blowers and seconded by Councillor Smithson be added thereto:—

"That this Council demands in the public health interest that the Government exercise its powers as owners of the water rights, to close the present entrance of the irrigation channel at Ainsworth Bridge, it being understood that Mayor Grogan's water rights entitle him to draw water from the Nairobi River on his own land, and not through Crown rights."

The reading of a letter from Councillor Tyson, who was unable to be present, regarding the swamp area, and suggested methods for dealing with the matter, and the recommendation that the surveying of all aircraft arriving at Nairobi should be carried out, concluded the business of the meeting.

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London, April 27.

And so the last kick of the season will decide the question of relegation from the First Division, and promotion from the Second. Tottenham Hotspur, despite a very fine win over Liverpool, are doomed, and with them go either Leicester City or Middlesbro. The latter performed a wonderful performance when they beat Aston Villa on their own ground by three clear goals. Birmingham are safe, as are also Leeds United. The former drew at Huddersfield, but the latter beat Preston at Deepdale. Three away teams won in the senior division.

Bolton Wanderers look like getting the promotion which at one time seemed a certainty for them. This afternoon they overcame one of their biggest obstacles—West Ham. The London side still have a lead of one point, however, but they have played a game more. Blackpool are out of the fight, unless the other clubs lose their remaining matches, and Blackpool win their one remaining fixture, in which case goal average might give it to them. But these are hypothetical happenings, almost, so that they can be considered as out of the race, which now rests between the Wanderers and the London team. At the other end of the table Notts County and Oldham Athletic are bound for Division III, Oldham won to-day, but Bradford City also gained two points which took down "clear" of the other two clubs.

Another London club will move into higher circles next season, and that is Charlton Athletic, while from the northern section Doncaster Rovers go up.

A Strange Coincidence

It is strange that three London combinations should top three of the four leagues. Arsenal have won the First Division title, Brentford the Second Division, and Charlton the southern section of the Third. London's football stock is going up. Brentford have never been in the top circle before, but that they were out for promotion was made apparent earlier in the season when they set to increase the accommodation at Griffin Park.

The season in Scotland closed officially this afternoon, when most of the clubs played their final game of the season. Falkirk go down, and with them St. Mirren.

The following are the results:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Division I

Aston Villa	0	Middlesbro ...	3
Chelsea ...	4	Manchester C.	2
Derby Co. ...	1	Blackburn R.	1
Huddersfield	2	Birmingham	2
Leicester City	3	Arsenal ...	5
Preston N.E.	0	Leeds U. ...	2
Sunderland	4	Portsmouth	1
Tottenham ...	5	Liverpool ...	1
Wol'ton W. ...	1	Stoke ...	1

Division II

Barnsley ...	3	Brentford ...	3
Bolton Wan.	3	West Ham	1
Bradford City	3	Hull City	2
Burnley ...	1	Norwich City	0
Manchester U.	2	Bradford ...	0
Notts Co. ...	1	Bury ...	2
Oldham ...	3	Newcastle Un.	2
Port Vale ...	1	Fulham ...	1
Sheffield Un.	2	Notts Forest	1
Southampton	2	Blackpool ...	0
Swansea ...	3	Plymouth ...	0

Division III

SOUTHERN SECTION

Aldershot	3	Newport Co.	2
Brighton & H.	2	Bristol City	0
Bristol R. ...	1	Clapton Or.	0
Cardiff City	5	Exeter City	0
Charlton Ath.	2	Gillingham ...	0
Crystal Pal.	3	Reading ...	1
Q.P. Rangers	3	Northampton	1
Southend Un.	1	Coventry C.	1
Swindon ...	2	Watford ...	1
Torquay Un.	1	Bournemouth	2

NORTHERN SECTION.

Chester ...	0	Lincoln City	1
Crewe Alex.	0	Rotherham ...	0
Darlington	*	Barrow ...	1
Doncaster R.	4	Wrexham ...	1
Gateshead	1	Chesterfield	4
Hartley's U.	0	Halifax ...	3
N. Brighton	4	Rochdale ...	0
Southport	4	Tranmere R.	0
Stockport Co.	0	Walsall ...	3
York City ...	7	Carlisle Un.	0

*No play.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

(Division I)

Airdrie ...	2	Ayr Un. ...	2
Celtic ...	2	St. Mirren	1
Dunfermline	1	Motherwell	0
Hamilton Ac.	2	Rangers ...	1
Hibernians ...	2	Dundee ...	1
Kilmarnock	2	Albion R. ...	1
Partick This.	2	Falkirk ...	1
Queen's Park	1	Aberdeen ...	1
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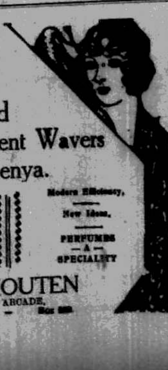

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NAIROBI'S PLANS FOR JUBILEE

(Continued from page 7).

Certain shops in Nairobi will have gift prizes displayed in their windows. These gifts will have numbers attached to them, and purchasers of programmes with numbers which correspond with those on the gifts will be entitled to claim the gifts from the shops displaying them. The gifts, however, will only be handed to the holders of lucky numbers on Monday, May 15.

Garden Party

Two material alterations have been made in the original programme for the Jubilee celebrations. The garden party to be given by His Excellency the Acting Governor, the Hon. A. de V. Wade, O.B.E., in Government House grounds, will take place at 4.15 p.m. on Tuesday, May 7, and not at 3.30 p.m. as previously stated. The new Law Courts in City Square will be formally opened by Mr. Wade at 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday, May 8—half an hour earlier than originally arranged. For the rest the programme of celebrations is as published in the *East African Standard* a few weeks ago.

In addition to the official programme of events, there will be attractive selections of films at the several picture houses, and special Jubilee dances have been arranged by some of the hotels. The Jockey Club of Kenya are also promoting a dance. The Railway Players and guest artists will give a presentation of Shakespeare's "King Lear," and there will be a repeat performance of the second edition of "L.S.D.," the delightful musical revue recently staged in Nairobi.

Boxing Tournament

The Kenya Amateur Boxing Association have organised a boxing tournament to be staged in the Market Hall at 9 p.m. on Friday, May 10. The following weights will be represented in the different bouts: Heavyweights, light-heavyweights, middleweights, welterweights, lightweights and featherweights. As every effort has been made to get well-matched opponents in the various bouts, some excellent boxing should be witnessed.

Many people will find their way to the Salisbury Swimming Baths during the celebrations. Other places of interest will be the Coryndon Memorial Museum, on Ainsworth Hill, which will remain open until 10 p.m. during Shopping Week, when special exhibits will be on view; the McMillan Memorial Library, situated just off Sixth Avenue; the Arboretum, which is located behind the Government Hospital, adjoining Government House grounds; and City Park.

During Jubilee Week Messrs. Kenya Bus Services Ltd., will run special services on certain of their routes.

Generous cash discount offers and special Jubilee sales are advertised by a number of firms, and shoppers will have the time of their lives selecting bargains from the sale counters.

The Shopping Week programme, which is being sold at 50 cents, has been well supported by local tradesmen in the matter of advertisements, and its 76 pages provide ample testimony of the thoroughness with which the commercial community are organising for the festivities.

Lady Hewart, the New Zealand wife of the Lord Chief Justice, when opening the New Zealand apple season at the Government Offices in the Strand, explained that she had told her husband that a genuine New Zealand "Cox" apple should rattle when shaken. "To my dismay," she added, "he went round greengrocers' shops rattling apples."

MR. BERNARD SHAW'S NEW PLAY

(Continued from page 7.)

Still the Same

The last few years, which have brought him almost to his 80th birthday, have made no perceptible change in the appearance of the Peter Pan of playwrights. He is as upright, as active and as alert as ever and he has the same easy command of words.

Mr. Shaw was not in his most paradoxical mood that morning. Perhaps it was because he had not yet had breakfast. He delivered himself of a few Shavian shafts at the appearance of Dar es Salaam, by which, it seemed, he had not been impressed, and inquired what induced people to live there.

"God help them," said Mr. Shaw, when various vocations had been explained to him.

"But what can I talk about?" he asked—fully aware that there was nothing he was not prepared to talk about—when I intimated that the public of Tanganyika would like to hear some of the views which earn him such handsome royalties.

As He Sees Europe

Events in Europe were suggested as a suitable topic, and with these Mr. Shaw proceeded to deal rapidly and uncompromisingly, as we sat in deck chairs.

"It seems that Russia has been driven into an alliance with France," he began. "If that is so, it is part of the mischief that has been done by the absolutely senseless and stupid kicking against German re-armament.

"The way to have made that situation perfectly safe was to drop all this business about the Treaty of Versailles.

"Hitler has been perfectly right. According to reports he has said to the Council at Geneva, 'If you are going to go back to the Treaty of Versailles, we are out of the League of Nations'. That is very serious, because if—as Hitler knows perfectly well—the Powers are not going to war to carry out the Treaty—and of course they are not going to war—then they must drop it.

A Fatal Thing

"This saying, 'You can re-arm as much as you like, but we will quarrel about it' is a fatal thing. There is no question that we are all going to arm to the top of our bent. Unfortunately, France is kicking about it and now the whole fat is in the fire."

Mr. Shaw then referred to the reported attitude taken up by M. Litvinoff at the League Council meeting (he was reported to have attacked the increases in German arms).

"If that is so", he said, "it would be the first mistake that Russia has made. I have entirely to suspend my judgment until I know what Russia has said. As the news comes this morning, it simply means one of the old alliances—going back to the Russian-French alliance. That is quite a serious thing.

"But it is difficult to believe the reports, because it is not understood how Russia looks at these things. It is reported, for instance, that Litvinoff has done what the late Lord Curzon would have done—and that kind of thing.

"Foolish and Futile"

"Generally speaking, the only thing I have to say is that nothing could be more foolish and futile than to keep going back to the question of German rearmament and the Treaty when everyone knows they are going to do nothing, and everyone knows that Hitler is going to re-arm and Hitler himself knows it.

"Knowing that the Powers would not fight for the Treaty, Hitler has just snapped his fingers at it, and on that point I—and also Mr. Lloyd George, to some extent, said that every German must support Hitler, even if he were a Jew, or a Communist or a social revolutionary or even if he had been in a concentration camp or had been beaten up with rubber batons—if he were a German he was bound to support Hitler. The fact that Hitler got a 95 per cent. vote shows he was right on that point."

A New Play

Mr. Shaw having disposed of Europe, I asked him to say something about his work. On this score he was rather reticent.

"I finished at Mombasa the play I have been writing," he said. "It is called 'The Millionairess'. It is a play which I began on a previous voyage, but I was not satisfied with it and I decided to re-write it."

Mr. Shaw could not be induced to go into any detail about his latest production.

He has now enough plays for a new volume, he told me, and has begun the prefaces—the most important part.

"Because," he said with a smile, "my collected prefaces sell almost as well as the collected plays."

The English

What, he was asked, was his opinion of the present state of the English stage?

"Damn the English stage" said Mr. Shaw, briefly—and departed in search of breakfast.

Later in the morning, the distinguished visitor was taken ashore under Government House auspices (Government House had been in wireless communication with him) met the Governor, and was driven round Dar es Salaam.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw will break their voyage at Durban, where they will stay with friends for a few weeks before returning to England by mailboat.

PASSENGER LISTS

m.v. "Incomati" and "Isipingo"

Following is a list of passengers by the MV. "Incomati" which sailed on the 21st instant for Colombo, Madras, Calcutta and Rangoon:—

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The M.V. "Isipingo" which sailed on the 19th instant for Zanzibar, Beira, Lourenco Marques and Union Ports carried the following passengers:—Mr. and Mrs. Hendry, Miss D. Glencross, Mr. Vernon, Mr. MacGillivray, Mr. Nash, Mr. Martin, Miss Simpson, Mrs. and Miss Duncan, Mr. Maybard, Mr. Could, Miss Bush, Mr. and Mrs. English and child, Mrs. M. E. Mantell, Mr. L. E. Nelson, Mr. A. Bertrand, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Archer and 2 children, Mr. Metherell, Mrs. Sealy, Miss Graham, Mr. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Woosnam and family, Mrs. Stockman, Mrs. Sheringham, Mr. Kirkwood, Mrs. Bradshaw Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Miss Toulmin, Mrs. F. Hill and Miss D. M. Hill, Mr. F. F. Holden and Miss M. C. Holden, Mrs. McGeagh, Mrs. Doyle, and Mr. F. T. Holden.

KENYA AND UGANDA TRADE

(Continued from page 7).

Uganda: Cotton 1,142,568 centals (1,179,315); maize 55 cwts. (1,620); hides 16,036 cwts. (15,325); coffee 154,208 cwts. (100,444); tea 249 cwts. (260); sugar £240,000 approximately (£128,802); tobacco and cigarettes £39,000 approximately (£29,716); gold bullion £37,650 approximately (£6,352).

In 1934 re-exports amounted to £1,821,305 for Kenya and Uganda; while in 1933 the amount was £1,595,687.

Imports

Last year home consumption imports into Kenya and Uganda totalled £4,770,950, the figure for 1933 being £4,055,987. Japan is still second only to the United Kingdom as the principal source of supply for the two territories.

The values and percentages of home consumption imports last year in respect of the six leading suppliers were as follows:

	Value	Per Cent
United Kingdom	£1,877,303	39.3
Japan ...	812,902	17.0
India ...	304,516	6.4
United States ...	339,066	7.1
Holland ...	89,174	1.9
Germany ...	195,929	4.1

The corresponding figures for 1933 were as follows:

	Value	Per Cent
United Kingdom	£1,607,621	40.4
Japan ...	398,025	14.4
India ...	314,063	7.6
United States ...	220,464	5.3
Holland ...	163,235	4.0
Germany ...	151,975	3.7

The nett home consumption figures quoted do not include Government imports (1934, £283,605; 1933, £212,700), nor produce of Tanganyika Territory re-exported (1934, £597,023; 1933, £525,358).

January Exports

Kenya's domestic exports during January last totalled £240,364, as compared with £164,765 for the same month last year. The corresponding figures for Uganda were £135,745 and £82,727, the totals for the two territories being £376,109 and £247,492 respectively.

The principal commodity items during January, 1935 were as follows, the figures for January, 1934 being given in parentheses:

Kenya: Cotton 1,410 centals (2,880); sisal and tow 3,500 tons (2,298); maize 5,031 cwts. (18,949); wheat 2 cwts. (nil); coffee 41,618 cwts. (17,698); tea 2,756 cwts. (2,242); hides 9,177 cwts. (12,039); wattle (bark and extract) 22,163 cwts. (22,887).

Uganda: Cotton 20,698 centals (8,880); coffee 18,859 cwts. (16,314); tea 56 cwts. (nil); hides 758 cwts. (3,299).

TO-DAY'S CAUSE LIST

Before Mr. Justice Webb. In Chambers at 9-30 a.m.

C.C.—William Allan vs. Ibrahim Karimbux and another.

P. and A. Cause.—Re Bulushi binti Chashi, deceased.

Before Mr. Gamble Ag. Judge, in Chambers at 9-30 a.m.

C.C.—F. E. Doering vs. Kipkarren Estates Ltd. and another.

C.C.—Oscar Bedford Daly vs. Jaffer Dewji.

P. and A. Cause.—Re Sundar Singh s/o Jodh Singh deceased). (For Ruling).

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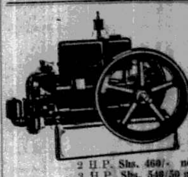

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The policy, aims, and needs of the Empire Industries Association were outlined recently by Mr. L. S. Amery, its president, in an interview with a representative of the London "Observer."

For twelve years he said, the policy had been the protection of British industry and agriculture in the home market and the creation of the widest possible Empire market. To-day there was more need than ever for pressing on the work; and an appeal was made to the business community for a greater measure of support for maintaining, and indeed expanding the efforts of the Association.

"When," Mr. Amery added, "Mr. Baldwin at the beginning of 1924 found himself compelled to go back on the tariff policy on which he had fought the previous election, a few of us felt that it was essential at all costs to keep the flag flying. That was how the Empire Industries Association came into being.

"When Mr. Neville Chamberlain and myself found ourselves in office once again that autumn, Sir Henry Page-Croft took over the conduct of the movement, and he has been its mainspring and driving force ever since, working with unflagging persistency and with the most unselfish devotion to promote the cause he believes in throughout these long and difficult years.

The Association's Policy

"The policy for which we have stood has always been the same, namely, the effective protection of British industry and agriculture in the home market, and the creation through effective mutual preference of the widest possible Empire market. We are glad to think that the beginnings, substantial beginnings, of that policy have been inaugurated since the National Government took office.

"We recognise with satisfaction the immense help given to industry and employment in this country by the present tariff, and the very real value of the results which are increasingly showing themselves of the Ottawa Agreements.

"Our work, however, is far from being completed. The very heavy increase in competitive foreign manufactures—an increase of more than 15 per cent. last year over the year before—shows that the tariff originally fixed when we still enjoyed the full advantage of going off the gold standard, is by no means adequate at this moment.

Protection for Agriculture

"A more effective agricultural policy is still required, and in this respect we are very glad to notice that Mr. Baldwin has stated that the Government now definitely regard tariffs rather than quotas as the most effective way of giving preference.

"Unfortunately the hands of the Government have been tied, both as regards domestic protection and as regards the development of the Ottawa policy, by the most regrettable and short-sighted agreements entered into with certain foreign countries, notably the Argentine. It is essential to educate public opinion to the importance of denouncing those agreements at the earliest possible moment, in order to make way for a more effective national and imperial policy for agriculture.

"In this connection the Empire Industries Association has always stood for the maximum of effective inter-Imperial preference, but not necessarily for inter-Imperial free trade. It has always freely admitted the right of the Dominions to protect their own industries, and claimed the corresponding right on the part of British agriculture to some measure of protection, even against the Empire.

An Important Task

"Thus you will see there is plenty of work still ahead in the fuller development of our policy. There is the no less important task of defending our policy against the attacks that will be made upon it by Free Traders and Socialists. All this means that our machinery must be kept effective.

"I know of no political organisation with which I have been connected which has achieved greater results with such limited campaign funds than the Empire Industries Association. In the whole twelve years of its existence it has never had at its disposal as large a sum as Cobden used to spend in a single year for the Anti-Corn Law League in the old Free Trade campaign.

"Nevertheless, we have provided speakers for considerably more than ten thousand meetings, and, above all, we have sent a continuous supply of carefully checked information to all interested, including a regular weekly news service to M.P.s and speakers, which has proved immensely effective in gradually bringing home our conclusions to those who are in the best position to bring them home to others.

"Some 350 members of Parliament now belong to our Parliamentary group, and it is no exaggeration to say that the organised activities of our group in the House of Commons were largely instrumental in bringing about the change-over from free trade to protection.

A Critical Period

"We feel that we have never received from the business world as a whole the measure of support that in their own interests and in that of the nation should have been given to us. Moreover, I doubt if the business community yet realise that what has been gained for them by our efforts is still in danger unless these efforts can be maintained and, indeed, expanded.

"The next twelve months are destined to be critical in the history of the whole movement."

To-Night's Films

Empire Theatre

Maurice Chevalier comes to the Empire this week in "A Bedtime Story". The picture is most attractive and something quite apart from the musical comedy films he is usually associated with. Here, in "A Bedtime Story" is an entirely new, but entirely delightful Chevalier—a chevalier who is still a debonair and carefree citizen of Paris, but who gives up the pursuit of the 20-year-old, feminine type of baby, for the amusement and delight of a real live baby of one year old, played by Baby Leroy. Helen Twelvetrees is cast as the youngster's nurse, with Edward Everett Horton and Adrenne playing other leading roles. There is also a romance, and the aftermath of an intrigue, but the real point in the picture is Chevalier's adoption of the baby. It will be highly amusing to see what he does with it.

Capitol Theatre

Dick Turpin, bold, bad, and the hero of many romantic and daring adventures is the hero of the picture which bears his name, to be seen at the Capitol Theatre to-night. The story is taken from Harrison Ainsworth's "Rookwood," and Victor McLaglen makes an ideal Turpin. Who has not read of Turpin and his famous hold-up of the coach carrying Luke Rookwood and Eleanor Mowbray. Turpin makes a spectacular escape, but even highwaymen are not proof against feminine charms, and he loses his heart to Eleanor. The picture is crammed with excitement, and there is a four-footed heroine, Black Bess, recruited from a well-known livery stable near Hyde Park, who proves herself as accomplished as she is handsome.

Charming scenes of the English country-side enhance a very entertaining British film. Jane Carr and Frank Vosper are important members of the cast.

Princes Theatre

A chapter taken right out of Hollywood will be depicted to-night in the American drama, "Forgotten Women", which is showing at the Princes Theatre. The film, a Monogram picture gives a glimpse into the lives of people who make motion pictures, and is also one of the first authentic demonstrations of the way in which sound pictures are actually made. The characters are extra girls who play minor parts at Hollywood, and strive to attain success, with more than often calamitous results. Plenty of scenic interest, a little romance, and more than a little drama are all in the make-up of "Forgotten Women", in which Marion Shilling, Rex Bell, and Beryl Mercer play the principal roles.

Theatre Royal

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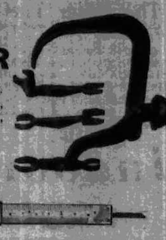

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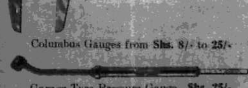

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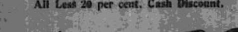

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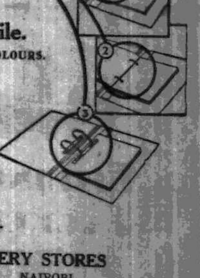

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Mr. F. Ellison's gr. c. WINDOLITE Winalot — Awning, 9.5 (D. McGuigan) 1
Mr. W. H. Thorpe's b.g. POLYAD Polyphontes — Scratch, 7.12 ... 2
Mr. R. Jarvis b.m. NIL NISI Nothing Venture—Shustroke, 8.3 ... (R. Jones) 3
Winner trained by Eley.
Also ran: Miss Richardson (W. Nevett), Paddington (J. Reeves), Jerry Hill (F. Herbert), Sister Sadie (W. Crisp), Desmondini (—).

Esher Cup. 1 Mile

Mrs. G. B. Miller's b.f. ANKARET Blandford—Sister Stella, 8.7 ... (G. Nicoll) 1
Mr. C. Winn's b.c. INFLATION Bulger—Cass D'Oro, 8.2 (F. Fox) 2
Mr. E. J. Meshrall's b.f. TECHNOCRACY Obliterate — Pottiphars Wife, 8.6 ... (F. Lane) 3
Winner trained by Fred Butters.
Also ran: Willemed (B. Dick), Tract (T. Sharpe), Leger Day (T. Weston), Good Deal (S. Donoghue), Eton Blue (E. Smith), Watch Dog (Gordon Richards), West Highland (J. Street), Mitonic (J. Dines), Pashley (P. Evans), The Jesuit (T. Leavey), Golden Scroll (M. Beary), Livery (T. Barber), Perseverance (A. Richardson), Arbitration (G. Spares), Parvet's (D. Smith).

Guildford Handicap. 1 Mile 5½ Furlongs

Capt. A. Head Wilson's br.c. JOHN JAMES Buchan—Tilly, 8.12 ... (M. Beary) 1
Mr. J. Hoyle's br.g. KYLES OF BUTE Bligar—Kylogue, 8.2 (J. Street) 2
Mr. B. Warner's br.f. SPRING MORNING Apelle—Sunrising, 9.7 ... (B. Wragg) 3
Winner trained by Michael Jarvis.
Also ran: Black Tulip (C. Smirke), Brush and Comb (R. Carslake), Breakwater (—), Gordon Richards, Son O Mint (—), Corrin Cottage (K. Gethin), Staffa (E. Smith), Tobbiscoff (J. Dunne), Jessine (T. Weston).

Twickenham Stakes 11 Miles

Lord Portman's gr.c. THE FOXY Son and Heir—Rock muslin, 8.1 (M. Beary) ... 1
Mr. W. H. Morgan's b.g. LITIGATION Litigator — Scratch, 8.6 ... 7.0 (H. Packham) 2
Mrs. C. B. Robinson's ch.c. gr.c. POTTIPHAR Pollaveno—Pelisse, 8.8 (Gordon Richards) ... 3
Ta. Col. E. B. Keeler's b.f. PRIZE LAW Foslaw — Treasure Toy, 7.9 (S. Donoghue) ... 4
"Dead Heat.
Winner trained by P. Beary.
Also ran: Red Horizon (—), Sun On (T. Leavey), Ringmaster (T. Weston), Roebuck (K. Ribertson); Gangster (S. Wragg), Palmoria (—), Muscovado (F. Fox), Double Di (—).

Athlone Handicap. 5 Furlongs

Mrs. P. B. Barlow's br.f. SUBROSA Sir Gaiety—Tuft, 8.1 (F. Fox) 1
Mr. T. Richard's ch.f. MISS ELEGANCE Golden Bowman — Brittany, 8.3 (J. Dines) ... 2
Mr. V. To Thompson's b.f. WHIM Whistle—Pleasure, 7.11 (Gordon Richards) ... 3
Winner trained by Walters.
Also ran: Greenore (R. Perryman), Satirie (—), Felton (H. Wragg), Early Closing (M. Beary), Sorento (G. Nicoll), Mortons (F. Lane), Inarus (B. Rock), Thermidor (A. Richardson), Indus, Bigge (—), Blue Valley.

North Yorkshire Handicap 1 Mile

Sir V. Sassoon's ch.f. SEALET RIVER Upsilonjet—Noneen Bloo, 7.7 (D. Smith) 1
Sir E. Hoyle's br.g. DOMUM Mitor—Daisy Ashford, 7.6 (W. Christie) ... 2
Lord Durham's gr.c. BARRED UMBER Sunswino—Barrettel, 9.2 (R. Jones) ... 3
Winner trained by H. Peacock.
Also ran: Yorkshireman (W. Nevett), Leque D'or (D. McGuigan), Dubrel (W. H. Carr), Autumn Tints (J. Dyson).

Merchants' Handicap 2 Furlongs

Sir A. Bailey's b.f. LADY MAY Keraso — Princess Alice, 7.13 (—) ... 1
Mr. E. Harvey's ch.g. SPONTANEEL Poly Stone—Ryl Patch 8.2 (—) ... 2
Mr. F. L. Marx's b.f. BEAUTIFUL BROWN Solidumeo —Brown Bess, 6.7 (—) ... 3
Winner trained by W. E. Pollen.
7/4 Lady May; 3/1 Sentinel; 12/1 Beautiful Brown.
Also ran: Zeal, Action, Clove Hitch, Acerta.

(Continued in next column.)

Most Thrilling Cup Final for Years

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY WIN A WONDERFUL GAME

Those Last Few Minutes

One of the greatest Cup finals seen for many many years took place at Wembley on Saturday afternoon when Sheffield Wednesday defeated West Bromwich Albion by four goals to two.

The last four or five minutes of the game saw Rimmer get the Wednesday's winning points amidst the greatest excitement on the part of the 93,000 crowd which included the Prince of Wales, and the South African cricketers.

Both goal keepers gave a moderate display. They made repeated mistakes. Apart from that one criticism the standard of play was very high all through.

Goal Keeping Errors

(Standard Correspondent and Reuter's)

London, April 27.

It is reckoned that London's population increased to-day by something like 200,000 people, to a great army of football enthusiasts who had come by road and rail mainly from the North and Midlands to see the Cup final at Wembley. Most of the visitors were beheaded in the colours of their team, and they made a gay and cheerful sight as they mingled with the many other thousands who were inspecting the decorations in regard to the Silver Jubilee.

All the prominent representatives of the British Empire, over on account of the Jubilee celebrations, were invited to attend the final, but His Majesty the King, following upon the advice of his medical advisers, was not present, but he was represented by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

The weather was dry and dull with a biting cold wind; it was the coldest Cup tie day which had been encountered for many years. The crowd was estimated as 93,000. Among those present were the South African cricketers, and Lord Portal. The teams took the field to the accompaniment of a tremendous roar, and prior to the start of the tie were introduced to the Prince of Wales, who shook hands with the players of both sides.

The Teams

The teams were:

West Bromwich Albion.—Pearson; Shaw and Trentham; Murphy, Richardson and Edwards; Glidden, Carter, Richardson (W. G.), Sandford and Boyes.

Sheffield Wednesday.—Brown; Nibloe and Catlin; Sharp, Millsip and Burrows; Hooper, Surtees, Palethorpe, Starling and Rimmer.

Wednesday started favourites although the Albion were considered the more experienced team with nine of the players in their ranks who had been members of the side which won the Cup in 1931. The northern club's captain won the toss.

A Sensational Opening

There was a sensational opening to the game when Wednesday scored within a couple of minutes of the commencement. Albion attacked and Brown saved finely from Richardson, and then a pretty combined movement on the part of Hooper and Surtees ended with the former centring to Palethorpe, who glanced between the two backs, steadied himself and crashed in a low shot which had the keeper beaten all the way.

It might have been thought that this reverse so early in the match would have depressed the Albion, but far from that being the case it seemed to inspire them to greater efforts. They fought back in great style. The nippy Wednesday forwards were proving troublesome while the speedy Rimmer on the wing was a thorne in the side of Murphy and Shaw. Glidden nearly scored, and then the Wednesday came back to the attack but Brown ran out to save finely from Richardson again. Albion went to the other end where Pearson thrilled the crowd with a wonderful save from Hooper. The keeper threw himself at the feet of the winger to stop a point-blank shot at short range.

The Equaliser

The game was twenty-one minutes old when the Albion got the equaliser. A fine movement started at midfield when Murphy pushed a long pass through to Carter, who, surprising the defence, sent the ball out to Boyes lying unmarked close in, and the winger sent in an unstoppable shot. Just before this Sterling had skimmed the bar from forty yards out.

The standard of play was very high. The Albion pressed hard, Boyes putting in some fine work on the wing, and Carter came near giving his side the lead following a fine individual effort. The midfielders were well on top during this period but their forwards were prevented from being really dangerous by the quick tackling of the Wednesday halves, who piled their wingers with fine sweeping passes. It was a keen duel with each team experiencing anxious moments in turn.

Pearson darted out on one occasion to clear a ball but only partially succeeded, and Shaw rushed in to clear with a mighty kick. Soon after the same keeper fisticuffed a ball right under the bar, but the referee disallowed the appeals for a goal. At the other end a shot from Boyes dashed across the Wednesday goalmouth with Brown beaten. Pearson was penalised for carrying but Sharp missed this kick. The same player shot wide when the Wednesday were awarded another free kick a yard or two outside the penalty area. A number of free kicks came the way of the Sheffield team, but they just could not take advantage of them.

Two Quick Goals

There was more excitement following the resumption. Glidden grazed the bar upright with a curving dropping shot which Brown just managed to touch away. Pearson at the other end was forced to punch clear a high dropping shot. It was exciting football, and the crowd were being kept on their toes.

Then came two quick goals the first by Rimmer who went in against the run of the play. Burrows created an opening and passed to Rimmer who sent in a glorious cross to Hooper. The last named, when Brown ran out limited, and then drove in a hard shot to score. Jubilant minutes from the restart.

Albion were not long in getting one too, however, as four minutes later Trentham, seeing Carter lying unmarked, sent out a fine pass, and the latter then passed it to Sandford, who trapped the ball and drove it in hard with his wind to make the score two all. Both were really fine goals the culmination of clever play.

A Lucky Escape

Excitement was now running high. Pearson had the ball kicked out of his hands by Palethorpe but Trentham dashed in and cleared. Then Richardson nearly scored with Brown lying flat on the ground. Both sides were under-going narrow escapes.

With five minutes left for play the tension was still level. But the game was by no means over, but few expected to witness the thrilling climax, and tragedy so far as the Albion was concerned. Hooper secured and sent over a beautiful centre, and Pearson rushed out but failed to gather it, and Rimmer gently headed the ball over him and into the net. No. 3 came again from Hooper, who, centred although appearing to be in an offside position, and Rimmer taking it up drove the ball hard home. Thirty seconds later the whistle went for full time and Wednesday had won the Cup by 4 goals to 2.

It was one of the most exciting finals seen for many years. It was packed with thrills from start to finish. The standard of play was very high; there was some good hard but skilfull tackling. Neither goal keeper was really sound.

RUGBY GYMKHANA AT MUTHAIGA

Railway Runners-Up to Ground Side

FOR THE CHALLENGE CUP

It was unfortunate that one or two of the Rugby clubs were not as strongly represented as they might have been at the gymkhana meeting on Saturday at Muthaiga Golf Club sports ground. As a consequence the struggle for the trophy presented by Captain Cleland to the club winning most points in the various events was not quite so open as would otherwise have been. It really devolved itself into a struggle between Muthaiga and Railway, with Old Cambrians battling along third. Muthaiga eventually won by 22 points, Railway being second with 18, and Old Cambrians third with 11.

The events were all keenly contested most of them being won by the smallest of margins. The tackling race, in which the competitors had to tackle two sacks placed about twentyfive yards apart, then jump over another sack lying on the ground, pick up a Rugby ball and run in grounding it on a line, proved very interesting. The players ran hard and tackled well but it was eventually decided to abandon the event. A. Wood, Non-Escripts, while coming off the sacks, had the misfortune to fall heavily on his shoulder and break his collar bone. There were one or two other injuries, but fortunately only of a minor nature.

The tug-of-war saw only three teams competing. Old Cambrians received a bye, and Railway easily accounted for Muthaiga. In the final the former Prince of Wales Schoolboys were no match for their heavier and stronger opponents.

It was quite an enjoyable afternoon's sport, although the attendance was on the small side. At the close of play Mrs. Cormack presented the cup to the winning club.

The Results

The following are the results:

110 Yards race for Backs: Heat Winners—Tooley (Railway); Brierley (Railway); Block (Muthaiga); Ellis (Muthaiga). Final—1, Brierley; 2, Ellis; 3, Block.

110 Yards race for Forwards: Heat Winners—Milstead (Muthaiga); Finch (Old Cambrians); Bell (Old Cambrians). Final—1, G. Finch; 2, Milstead; 3, B. Finch.

Relay Race For Backs: 1, Muthaiga (D. G. Strachan, J. Block, G. Gamble, and S. Ellis); 2, Railway.

Passing race for Backs: 1, Railway (Tooley, Block, Brierley and Williams); 2, Muthaiga.

Punting the Ball: 1, L. Sinton (Muthaiga); 2, J. Cowan (Muthaiga); 3, G. Finch (Old Cambrians).

Swerving Race: Heat Winners—G. Dorrell (Old Cambrians); Brierley (Railway); Block (Muthaiga); Ellis (Muthaiga). Final—1, J. Block; 2, Brierley; 3, Ellis.

Relay Race for Forwards: 1, Muthaiga (Cowan, Milstead, Ramsay and Blandford); 2, Old Cambrians.

Tug of War: Railway beat Muthaiga. Final—Railway beat Old Cambrians.

TO-DAY'S SOCCER MATCHES

Callies play Parklands Sports Club in a friendly game this afternoon at five o'clock on the Parklands grounds. Callies will field the following eleven:—

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Parklands.—N. Jolly; Folds and Chalmers; Wood, Shaw and Speight; Varley, Wilkins, Angus, Davidson and A. D. Chalmers (capt.).

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The following players are requested to turn out for an inter-Club match on the Commercials ground this afternoon at 5 p.m.

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Whites: Pitt; Bowe and Allen; Knapp, Hunt and Hopper; Greene, Brightland, Campbell, Veriaque and Jones. Reserves: Potter, Bates and Coulson.

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Jews to be Deprived of Citizenship

EFFECT OF A NEW LAW IN GERMANY

Not Allowed to Vote

QUALITIES THAT ARE ESSENTIAL FOR GERMANS TO BE CITIZENS

Under a new law which will come into force shortly Jews will not be allowed to be German citizens and they lose the right to vote.

In future all candidates for German citizenship must be of pure German stock, physically healthy, and of high character.

Flag Ban

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Berlin, April 27.

It is definitely foreshadowed under the citizenship law to be promulgated shortly that Jews and other non-Aryans will lose their German citizenship with the right to vote and will not be allowed to serve in the Army.

A later message says that Dr. Frick, Minister of the Interior, in the course of an interview said that under the new citizenship law all candidates for German citizenship must be of German race.

A Distinction

He referred to Herr Hitler's book, "Mein Kampf" in which the writer distinguished between German subjects and German citizens and said that every German born of German parents was a German subject and could become a German citizen, but that he must be healthy and of the finest character. Citizenship would be granted on the completion of military service.

Dr. Frick declared that the honour of citizenship could be acquired only by people serving the State and proving themselves worthy.

German citizens alone would be admitted to public offices, allowed to join the Army and vote. They would swear a solemn oath of allegiance to the Reich leader.

Unworthy persons and enemies of the State would be deprived of citizenship.

Not to Fly Flags

Berlin, later.

The Minister of the Interior has issued a Decree forbidding Jews to hoist the Reich flag and the swastika banner on the ground that the display of flags by Jews has repeatedly led to disturbances of law and order.

GERMAN ORDERS FOR SUBMARINES

Stated to Have Been Placed Already

VISITOR FROM BRITAIN

Said to Have Discussed Technical Questions

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Berlin, April 27.

While German official circles are very silent with regard to naval plans, it is learned from a diplomatic source that German naval officers are very keen to get latest information on post-war submarine construction and bombing machines.

There is an unconfirmed rumour that a leading designer from Britain visited Berlin recently and discussed technical questions with the German military authorities.

It is also stated that orders for the building of submarines have been given to the Schichau Yard, while submarine engines are being constructed at the Elbing Works.

RATES OF EXCHANGE

The following rates of exchange are notified by the Nairobi banks yesterday:—

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THREE DAYS' MASS FOR WORLD PEACE

Pope Sends Olive Tree to Lourdes

A STRONG SERMON

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Lourdes, April 28.

The solemn three days' mass for peace culminated in an imposing procession to the miraculous Grotto, headed by the Papal Legate, Cardinal Pacelli, with boys and girls carrying a vine, a wheatsheaf and an olive tree. The last-mentioned had been sent by the Pope as a symbol of peace.

Cardinal Pacelli in a closing sermon denounced those who rejected the idea of redemption. "Whether they disguise their rejection under some form of social revolution or whether they are inspired by a false conception of life, being possessed by superstition of race or blood, their philosophy rests on principles fundamentally opposed to the Christian faith, over which the Church refuses to bargain with them at any price."

EARTHQUAKE IN THE AZORES

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Ponta Delgada, April 27.

Strong earthquake shocks were felt here to-day.

Several deaths have occurred and there are many injured at Ribeirquente. Several houses have been demolished.

A FORETASTE OF THE JUBILEE

Thronged London Streets

Union's Message

GREETINGS CONVEYED BY GENERAL HERTZOG

General Hertzog

[BY WIRELESS.]

Rugby, April 29.

London had a foretaste during the week-end of the great crowds to be expected during the jubilee week. Hundreds of thousands of people in cars and on foot paraded through the streets to see the decorations and to watch the flood lighting rehearsals. So great was the crush that special police reinforcements were required to direct the traffic. It is estimated that London's jubilee visitors will exceed half a million, these including a great number from the British Dominions as well as many from the United States and Europe.

Empire Premiers

All the Dominion and other Premiers in London for the Jubilee will drive in the procession to St. Paul's Cathedral for next Monday's thanksgiving service.

The latest Dominion Premier to arrive is general Hertzog, who reached Southampton from Capetown this morning. In a brief statement he conveyed cordial greetings from the people of South Africa to those of Great Britain, ending with sincere congratulations on "the great and happy event which is shortly to be commemorated throughout the Commonwealth and which to them, no less than to you will constitute an occasion of deep-felt joy and gratitude."

Chain of Beacons

A chain of 750 beacons, to be lit on Jubilee night throughout the country, has been completed by the Boy Scouts. About 100,000 tons of timber, together with tar barrels and anything else guaranteed to blaze, has been used in the construction of these beacons.

Over 3,000 men, women and boys are taking part in relays in England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales in carrying jubilee messages of loyalty to the King.

THE MOUNT EVEREST EXPEDITION

Advance Party Leaves London

[BY WIRELESS.]

Rugby, April 29.

This week the advance party of six members of the expedition which will next year make a further attempt on Mount Everest will leave London to accustom themselves to the climate and conditions on the lower slopes of the mountain and establish main camps. It is anticipated the attempt to reach the summit will be made next March or April.—British Official Wireless Service.

Obituary:

WELL-KNOWN BRITISH COMPOSER

Sir Alexander Campbell Mackenzie

[" STANDARD " CORRESPONDENT].

London, April 28.

Sir Alexander Campbell Mackenzie, the veteran British composer died to-day.

*Sir Alexander Mackenzie is the fourth and oldest of the English composers and musicians of note who have passed on during the last sixteen months. He was born in Edinburgh in 1847 and his forbears on the paternal side were all musicians. At the age of ten the boy was sent to Germany to study music, with the violin as a special subject, at Sondershausen, near Weimar. He progressed so rapidly that in four years he was given a position in the Ducal Orchestra, and so learnt the manners and assimilated the music of a small German Court of the old style. Two years later, young Mackenzie returned to London, re-learned his native language, which he had almost forgotten, and then won a scholarship at the Royal Academy of Music, then situated in Hanover Square. Later, at the end of his student days, he went back to Edinburgh, and supported himself by teaching and playing the violin, doing a good deal of composition at the same time. Twelve or more years were spent in Edinburgh in this way, and then Sir Alexander came under the special notice of Herr August Manns, the then conductor of the famous Crystal Palace Orchestra. Through his influence, he went to Italy and devoted himself entirely to composition. Many of his works were performed at the English Provincial Music Festivals, and he also had considerable success as a composer of operas.

Once on the high road to fame, Sir Alexander never looked back.

Principal of R.A.M.

By 1888 his position was such that, on the Principalship of the R.A.M. becoming vacant through the death of Sir George Macfarren, he was appointed to the post, and from that time until 1924, the Institution flourished and grew under his able and genial direction. In 1911, the R.A.M., mainly through Sir Alexander's efforts, was removed from its cramped quarters at Hanover Square, to its present imposing home at York Gate.

Sir Alexander was a typical Scot and a very charming man. Much of his music reflects his nationality, notably "The Pibroch," an ode, "The Cottar's Saturday Night," a Scottish concerto for Piano and Orchestra which was played by Paderewski, "Tam O'Shanter," a Scottish Rhapsody, and the incidental music to "The Little Minister." He was a prolific composer and the list of his works occupies a column and a half in the "Dictionary of Modern Musicians."

Sir Alexander's death will be regretted by a host of R.A.M. students who worked under his direction. He was much beloved by students and musical colleagues alike.

MEXICAN CURRENCY

Official Action to Save Silver

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Mexico City, April 27.

The Government's action to safeguard the silver supply was announced to-day in the form of a Decree under which all silver coinage is withdrawn from circulation, all future transactions to be made against paper money with the addition of copper coinage for odd amounts up to fifty cents.

The Decree was made effective immediately.

The banks have been closed in order to prevent undue speculation and to give the country time to adjust itself to the new conditions.

R.A.F. CRUISE TRAGEDY

Pilot Killed at Tororo

Hit by Propeller

DELAYED ARRIVAL IN NAIROBI

The late arrival of the Royal Air Force 1935 Cruise at Nairobi (on their south-bound journey), which had caused considerable disappointment to the large crowd that gathered at the aerodrome to welcome the flight on Sunday afternoon, was accounted for by a fatal accident involving one of the pilots, Flying Officer Martin Cedric Moore, that occurred at Tororo on Sunday morning.

The four craft had landed and at Tororo were drawn up in line on the aerodrome, the engines still idling. Flying Officer Moore, who had left the cockpit of his machine after completing the landing, walked into the still revolving four-bladed airscrews driven by one of the engines and sustained fatal injuries. Death, it is understood, was practically instantaneous.

First Fatal Accident

This is believed to be the first fatal accident that has occured on these annual cruises. Last year, it will be recalled, the flight consisted of nine machines, five Fairey IIIF day-bombers accompanying the four Vickers "Victoria" troop-carriers, and on the return flight one of the Faireys was wrecked when landing in long grass at Lilongwe in Nyasaland, fortunately without injury to the crew.

The late Flying Officer Moore, who was gazetted on March 14, 1933 and was attached to No. 216 Squadron, was buried at Tororo on Sunday afternoon.

The flight arrived over Nairobi Aerodrome at 10-15 o'clock yesterday morning flying in formation and by 10-30 had landed and been drawn up in line at the eastern end of the aerodrome, where normal routine service work to engines and aircraft was commenced immediately after the "dismiss."

On arrival the flight was met by the aide-de-camp, Mr. I. T. L. Cory, who represented His Excellency the Acting Governor; Major F. E. Bagley, King's African Rifles; Major C. A. Hooper, President of the Aero Club of East Africa; and His Worship the Mayor of Nairobi, Mr. G. Gwinnett Bompas. There was also a considerable number of members of the general public present. In his welcome, His Worship expressed the regret felt by the town at the tragic happening that had delayed the flight.

Wing Commander C. W. Mackey (Officer Commanding the cruise and Commanding Officer of No. 216 Squadron) and Squadron Leader

(Continued on page 6).

LATE LORD HYDE

Father Breaks News to Widow

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Cape Town, April 28.

Lord Clarendon's younger son, the Hon. Nicholas Villiers arrived here by express train from Johannesburg this afternoon with the coffin containing the body of his brother, Lord Hyde. The coffin was taken to Government House in a motor hearse.

Lord Clarendon, after breaking the news to Lady Hyde, who is in a delicate state of health, stated that Lord Hyde while shooting on the De Beers estate near Kimberley yesterday, tripped over his rifle which accidentally discharged and inflicted a fatal wound.

Funeral Service

[" STANDARD " CORRESPONDENT].

Durban, April 29.

A funeral service for the late Lord Hyde will be held in St. George's Cathedral, Cape Town on Wednesday. The body will probably be sent to England for interment.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS DEBATE

In House of Commons on Thursday

DISCUSSION ON STRESA

Speeches by Premier and Sir John Simon

[BY WIRELESS.]

Rugby, April 29.

The House of Commons re-assembled to-day after the short Easter holiday.

Particular interest in this week's proceedings centres on the important foreign affairs debate to take place on Thursday, when the House for the first time will have the opportunity of discussing the results of the Stresa Conference and the special session of the League of Nations which followed it.

Sir John Simon will make a statement and the Prime Minister is expected also to take part in the debate.

German Rearmament

It seems almost certain that references will be made to German rearmament since apparently authoritative newspaper statements in regard to the extent to which this has proceeded and is proceeding have aroused very considerable concern. These statements have had particular reference to Germany's air strength.

During the week-end the news that the German Government have given orders for assembling the necessary parts for the construction of 12 small submarines of 250 tons each has caused surprise in London in view of the Anglo-German naval conversations which have been arranged to take place in the next two or three weeks. The information that these orders have been given is reported to have come from German official sources.—British Official Wireless Service.

Japanese Plan to Control Imports

INCREASED TARIFFS OR TOTAL PROHIBITION

Retaliatory Action

AGAINST COUNTRIES WHICH IMPOSE SEVERE RESTRICTIONS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Tokio, April 27.

A meeting of the official Trade Council consisting of experts from the Ministers of Finance, Foreign Affairs and Commerce to-day decided to apply a system of control over imports; also to introduce safeguarding measures against countries which impose severe restrictions on Japanese imports.

The latter will take the form of increased tariffs or restrictions on imports or even the total prohibition of imports.

Ministers were present at the meeting but notification of the Government's assent is necessary before the proposed measures can be effective.

THE "NEW DEAL"

Another Cabinet Discussion

[BY WIRELESS.]

Rugby, April 29.

Mr. Lloyd George visited Downing Street this morning and met members of the Cabinet Committee who are examining the scheme of proposals he has made for dealing with unemployment and kindred proposals.—British Official Wireless Service.

STOCK MARKETS

[BY WIRELESS.]

Rugby, April 29.

Sterling on New York 4.83 3/16.
Sterling on Paris 73 1/16.

Stock markets started the new account quietly. British Funds were inactive with War Loan at 106 3/8.

Gold

Gold was quoted today at 144 5½d., a decrease of 10½d.—British Official Wireless Press.

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WORKING man to share guest house, at Westlands, board can be arranged. Voucher No. 1168, "Standard," Nairobi.

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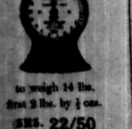

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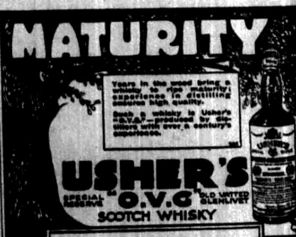

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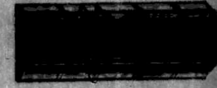

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ELECTRIC COOKERS

Demonstration at E. A. Power and Lighting Company

ON Thursday morning, a demonstration of the economical and practical use of electric cookers and geysers as compared with ordinary fuel ranges and hot water boilers, was given by the East African Power and Lighting Company Ltd. For the purpose of these demonstrations, which are to be given weekly, a most attractive little kitchen was designed by Messrs. H.E. Hounderson and Sons, and built on the Company's premises by Messrs. W. H. Lewis and Sons. White enamelled walls with green slatted ventilators and windows and dark green floor covering, suggested coolness, comfort and cleanliness, while a serviceable white cupboard dresser, Westinghouse refrigerator, and a 12 gallon G.E.C. geyser conveniently near on up to date sink and draining board, represented the labour-saving devices so dear to the modern housewife. A grey G.E.C. Magnet Cooker, medium size, completed a model electric kitchen neat, compact, and easily managed. The demonstration, which was quite informal was undertaken by Mrs. C. P. Watts. Questions were asked by the ladies present and simply and clearly answered.

How to Use the Cooker

As a good beginning, Mrs. Watts started on the assumption that all present understood the art of cooking, and she confined her remarks to the cooker, explaining each point, particularly in respect of the graduated or controlled heat essential to really good cooking and showing how the hot plate, the grill and the oven could be used to the most economical advantage. Between 10.30 a.m. and 12 noon, a very dainty and tempting dinner of five courses was served by Mrs. Watts and a native assistant who wore a proper cook's cap, and laid out for inspection on a white covered table. Certain things such as the stock for the soup, had been necessarily prepared beforehand. The demonstration proved quite clearly that an efficient varied menu, providing for four people, could be cooked with a minimum of trouble, on quite a small electric cooker, and served to the moment, at a very small cost and in a very short time.

Morning tea and cakes provided a pleasant interlude, and everything around the stove and its parts and the general utility of the well planned kitchen.

The Cost

The financial side, which after all is of paramount importance if Electric is to become electrically-minded, was dealt with by a member of the Company's staff who had all the details at his finger ends and was always ready to give information to anyone who wanted it. The Company is naturally anxious that this Nairobi consumer should realise just what financial advantages are offered by the new two-part cooking tariff, which is a flat rate charge for all electricity used throughout the home at 7½ cents per unit.

The electric geyser in the kitchen, although a very ornamental and costly affair compared with the usual galvanised boiler, can be hired for Shs. 4/50 a month with all maintenance free. It was explained in this connection that at a very small cost, the ordinary house hot water cylinder could be adapted for electrical heating by fixing the element and automatic cut out inside, with an external insulated jacket to keep the water hot—it was also suggested that these jackets might possibly be made locally. The cost of current for an electrically heated water cylinder for a family of three, including water for washing up purposes, would be, it was estimated Shs. 14/- per month, at a flat rate of 7½ cents per unit. Calculations with the financial details clearly set forth, were given to everyone present, and a very cordial invitation was extended to those who would care to enlist the services of Mrs. Watts and her native assistant, who would at any time give instruction in the management of electric cookers, either to the ladies themselves or their native cooks.

The demonstration was full of interest and novelty and very well arranged. Mrs. Watts has a pleasant way of imparting information, and it is certain that many will avail themselves of the Company's offer of further practical help and advice.

Points for Consideration

The points to be considered in regard to electric cookers are, the present charge for lighting, plus the wood for a fuel burning stove, as against the new tariff for lighting and cooking at 7½ cents per unit. It has already been said that electric geysers are charged on a separate basis. Anyway, whatever the "do's" and "don'ts", which by the way are embodied in a leaflet of instruction, and the pros and against, the fact remains that electric cookers are sold in Nairobi just as fast as the E. A. Power and Lighting Company obtains them from England.

A BLUFF THAT FAILED

Four girls, dressed and made up as men, tried to gain admission to the annual smoking concert held by the O.U.D.S., Oxford in their own private boxes. It has been a rule from time immemorial that no women should be allowed to be present at the concert. But for the watchfulness of one of the front-of-house staff, the undergraduates would have got in. The question of how they got tickets is being investigated.

Features for Women

ELECTRIC COOKING DEMONSTRATION KITCHEN

The photograph shows the electric demonstration kitchen opened last week by the E.A. Power and Lighting Company. Photo: H. K. Binks.

Personalia

Visitors from New York

MR. and Mrs. C. S. Palmer of New York City, who have been staying at the New Stanley Hotel, left Nairobi for the South last week. They are sailing for Genoa on the s.s. "Jagersfontein."

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Miss Rosemary Lister

MISS Rosemary Lister arrived last week from Maritzburg, Natal, where she has been staying with her people for the past three months and incidentally collecting the delectable impedimenta connected with weddings, such as trousseaux and wedding presents. Miss Lister, who for some time was associated with the editorial staff of the "East African Standard," is to be married quietly on Friday morning, May 3, to Mr. Percy Southorn, of Barclays Bank, Kitale. Mr. Southorn is expected to arrive in Nairobi on Thursday, and the marriage will take place in the Cathedral of the Highlands, at noon on Friday.

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On Safari

MR. and Mrs. J. Clarke who came over from India recently, have been staying at the New Stanley Hotel and expect to go on a safari to Lake Kivu before leaving East Africa. Mr. Clarke was associated with Mr. Frank Pearson and his brother Harry in an extensive East African Safari about two years ago, and it is possible that he may undertake with Mr. Pearson another tour through the Belgian Congo taking in the Ituri Forest towards the latter part of this year.

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Jubilee Dances

AMONG the social functions in connection with the Jubilee celebrations are three balls. The first is to be held for members and guests at the Nairobi Club on Friday May 3, the second is a grand Silver Jubilee Dinner Dance at Torr's Hotel on Monday May 8, and the third, also at Torr's Hotel, is to be given under the auspices of the Jockey Club of Kenya on Friday 11, as one of the concluding events of the Jubilee festivities in Nairobi.

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Lord Francis Scott

LORD Francis Scott will be staying on his farm at Njoro during the Jubilee celebrations and will attend the Jubilee functions at Nakuru.

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To Convalesce in Europe

MRS. W. C. Hunter of Muthaigs is going to Europe to recuperate after her serious illness. She is sailing on the s.s. "Jagersfontein" on Saturday May 11.

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Visitors from Elmenteita

CAPTAIN and Mrs. Lang of Elmenteita are paying a short visit to Nairobi during this week.

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Sailing for Europe

MRS. Stewart Smith daughter of the Governor of Kenya and Major Clinton Wells, the Private Secretary, and Mrs. Wells are sailing for Europe on Saturday May 11, on the s.s. "Jagersfontein".

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Expected Arrival from France

THE Mother of the Comte de Forges is a passenger on the next Imperial Airways 'plane from Europe. The Comte de Forges was seriously injured in the 'plane crash on Shira Ridge just over a week ago, and his mother is hurrying over from France in order to be with her son at Moshi.

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Mrs. David O'Brien

MUCH sympathy is extended to the family of Mr. Dermod O'Brien on the tragic death of Sir Arthur Steele Maitland says the "Irish Times". Mr. O'Brien's eldest son, Mr. David O'Brien, married Miss Margaret Steele Maitland five years ago. The young people were in Uganda, where Mr. David O'Brien was in the Veterinary Department of the Government. They are hastening back to London, and are at present on board ship.

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Mr. Forbes-Mangan

MR. and Mrs. G. J. F. Forbes-Mangan and their daughter are revisiting Barnstaple after an absence of 20 years states the "Devon and Exeter Gazette". Mr. Forbes-Mangan was on the staff of Moore, Teller, Berton and Baldon, solicitors, for some time, and then went to Kenya, where with three other friends he discovered gold in 1931. The Rosterman Gold Mines, Ltd., has since been formed with a share capital of £400,000. The ore on the Company's land is so rich that a yearly profit of £250,000 to £300,000 is estimated. Mr. Forbes-Mangan who is a director of the Company, in a Press interview, said that the finding of gold had given new life and hope to the East African colony. Mr. Forbes-Mangan has now retired to England, where his daughter is an undergraduate at Oxford.

18th CENTURY WOMEN

Something to be Said for the Modern Girl

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT].
London, April 16.
(By Air Mail).

THE modern girl, who "makes-up" first thing in the morning and continues to "make-up" until last thing at night, is not nearly so highly coloured as was her great-great grandmother. Nor does she overdo it to such a fatal extent. Mrs. Herbert Richardson, talking to the Royal Society of Arts in London on fashionable crazes in the eighteenth century, said that from 1745 to 1760 15 ladies of fashion were supposed to have died through painting their faces. Men had the craze also. During the great wars of the period, the pomposity frequently advertised "campaign boxes for officers, fitted with sandelbois, rouge, perfumed pomatum, powder-puffs, lip salve and ivory eyebrow combs".

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

JOSEPH MERADOU, the chef and partner in CHEZ GABY, has returned to Nairobi after a six months' absence in France on holiday. He will resume his old position at that popular restaurant to-day.

NOTICE

The Central Revenue Office in the Law Courts and Government Offices, will remain open on TUESDAY, April 30th until 6 p.m. for the receipt of taxes.

H. G. MILSTEAD,
Revenue Officer.

NOTICE.

The public are reminded that The Central Revenue Office and The Nairobi District Treasury have now removed to Offices Nos. 19-29 on the ground floor of the Law Courts and Government Offices.

TO-DAY'S TRAINS

The following trains are due to leave Nairobi to-day:—
4.15 p.m. for Mombasa and Magadi.
7.30 p.m. for Nakuru and Eldoret.

The following trains are due to arrive at Nairobi to-day:—
3.15 p.m. from Kampala, Jinja, Eldoret, Kitale and Nakuru.
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TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 1935

The Malaria Menace

The special meeting of the Nairobi Town Council held last week and reported in these columns yesterday has served to concentrate the attention of the public of Nairobi, and it may be hoped of a still wider area, on the threat which malaria is extending to the health of the Colony. Following the long period of drought, the irregular rains have created conditions ideal for the breeding of mosquitos. The case figures which were quoted during the Municipal meeting indicate the nature of the threat and wise people will not hesitate longer before taking sensible steps to protect themselves, their dependents and their employees. The majority of the cases come from the native villages in and around the Capital and it is believed that already the limited native hospital capacity in Nairobi is strained. The conditions in villages such as Pangani are all against the proper regulation and improvement of health conditions and they represent a constant menace to the rest of the town which cannot long be permitted to continue if Nairobi is to establish a sound claim to being a modern city where conditions are favourable to good health and normal life. It is many years since the problem of Pangani and similar African residential areas in and near the town was studied. The Carter Commission gave it careful attention and made practical recommendations for the concentrations of town Africans in a proper quarter. But valuable time is being allowed to pass without courageous steps being taken to effect improvement. So far as the "swamp" area is concerned, attention is drawn to-day to a letter from the owner of the Estate, Major E. S. Grogan, who requests Government to undertake a full enquiry into the true facts of the position. In view of the loose allegations which are made in regard to this matter, that is a reasonable request and if Government agrees it should lead to a fair and perhaps final solution of a difficulty which grows in complexity with the development of the town. So far as enquiries revealed yesterday, Government is reluctant to disclose any line of policy either in regard to that Estate or to the general question of a malaria menace. The public should not be allowed to suffer merely because the various authorities responsible for public health are unable to agree upon a common policy. A few weeks ago the Director of Medical Services issued a specially written pamphlet on control of malaria. His advice was simple and it can be easily and inexpensively followed. He suggested the general use of protective mosquito nets, mosquito boots and generous and regular spraying of houses and native servants' quarters. Malaria, in the main, is a personal question. It exists and must be combatted. Its control depends very largely on the extent to which the individual is prepared to exert himself in his own interests. In a town such as Nairobi it is difficult, except at great expense, to carry out a public campaign so thoroughly that breeding places can be entirely eliminated and every kind of residential area properly protected. A great deal can be done by the constituted authorities with the technical means at their disposal but a great deal more can be effected by the individual, particularly if the powers which are given to the public health officers are adequately applied. With the example of Ceylon now in front of them, the public throughout Kenya should need no urging to take immediate and proper steps to safeguard themselves from the consequences of a serious epidemic. The position is already alarming enough and the epidemic may spread very soon to the European community if a public conscience is not created and aroused to action.

Toc H

There will be a family night at Toc H this evening, starting at 6.30 p.m. All interested are invited to attend.

For Jubilee Fund

The Finance Committee of the Nairobi Municipal Council has decided that a sum of £47 standing to the credit of the "Nairobi Week" Committee at the Standard Bank of South Africa be transferred to the Mayor's Jubilee Celebration Fund.

Train Notice

In connection with the sailing of the s.s. "Durham Castle" from Kilindini Harbour tomorrow, the mail train from Nairobi to-day, will be divided and run in two portions. The first portion will leave at 4.15 p.m. and run to Mombasa only, the second portion will leave at 5 p.m. and run to Kilindini Harbour direct, conveying passengers for overseas.

To Hospital by Air

On Sunday morning, at seven o'clock, a Wilson Airways D. H. Dragon machine, piloted by Mr. M.C.P. Mostert, left Nairobi for Sotik, where it picked up Major Dunbar, who was seriously ill. By 11.30 a.m. the plane was back in Nairobi, having covered approximately 280 miles to Sotik and back. Major Dunbar is at present in the Maia Carberry Nursing Home.

St. George's Dinner

The Nairobi Branch of the Royal Society of St. George are holding their annual dinner in the New Stanley Hotel on Saturday, May 4. The function is timed for 7.30 for 8 p.m. and guests are asked to assemble in the lounge where seating plans will be exhibited close to the main entrance into the dining room.

Mr. F. Browning

Mr. F. Browning, Superintendent of the Line, Kenya and Uganda Railways and Harbours, will leave Nairobi by rail this afternoon for Mombasa, where he will embark on the "Durham Castle" to spend his long leave in Britain. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Browning and their young daughter. They will return to Kenya in December. During Mr. Browning's absence overseas Mr. R. E. Robins will act as Superintendent of the Line.

The Last Day

To-day is the final day for payment of the Education Tax without penalty. The Central Revenue Office, which now occupies Rooms 24 and 25 in the new Law Courts building in City Square, will remain open until six o'clock this afternoon for receipt of taxes. Persons who are liable for the tax, and who have not paid by the time the Revenue Office closes this evening, will automatically become liable for double the amount of the tax.

"King Lear"

It is announced that Mr. R. M. Woodford, who was cast for the part of Edmund, bastard son of Gloucester, in "King Lear", has been detained in hospital and will not be able to appear in the production at the Empire Theatre this week. The company has been able to enlist Mr. Brenon Thorp Humphreys, who has played Shakespearean roles, in London, and is well-known as the producer of the Mombasa Philistines.

Air Mail Delayed

The Southbound plane, carrying mail from Europe, India, etc., due to arrive in Nairobi last evening, is not now expected until this afternoon. The time of arrival will be notified on the mail board at the Post Office as soon as definite, information is available. Air Mails for South Africa and intermediate countries, and for Mombasa, Tanga, Zanzibar and Dar es Salaam will be closed at the G.P.O. Nairobi at the following times to-day: Letters, 7 p.m.; Parcels, 5 p.m.

Shopping Week Posters

Attractive posters for use in connection with the Empire Shopping Week, to be staged in Nairobi in conjunction with the Silver Jubilee Celebrations from May 6 to May 11, are obtainable by local business firms from the office of His Majesty's Trade Commissioner in the Memorial Hall building, Sixth Avenue, Nairobi. The posters are available in several designs, but as some of the supplies have already been exhausted, firms desirous of taking advantage of the offer should make their applications without delay. Displays of the posters may be seen at the office of His Majesty's Trade Commissioner or at the office of the Nairobi Traders' Association.

THE DUTY ON FOREIGN SOYA BEANS

Defended by Sir John Sandeman Allen

HELPING THE EMPIRE

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
London, April 18.
(By Air Mail).

Sir John Sandeman Allen (Cons. W. Derby) speaking in the debates on the Budget proposals in the House of Commons yesterday, had some interesting comments to make upon the soya bean tax. He said: "I now come to the question of soya beans. My Liverpool colleague the Member for Wavertree (Mr Cleary) yesterday had not, I think, quite grasped the position. So far as the crushing firms are concerned, they will simply have to increase their supplies from palm kernels and ground nuts, which are products of the Empire."

Mr. D. G. Logan (Labour, Scotland Divn. of Liverpool): As I had approached the President of the Board of Trade with regard to palm kernels, would the hon. Member explain the difference between soya beans and palm kernels in relation to the Merseyside trade

Sir J. Sandeman Allen: I think the whole story will be better explained later, but I have received communications from Liverpool business men on the subject as well as knowing a good deal about the matter myself and, as I say, palm kernels and ground nuts are products of the Empire, mainly shipped to Liverpool from West Africa and other British Colonies which depend for their existence on their trade with this country, instead of purchasing from Manchukuo and Japan, which purchase very little from us.

Trebled Imports

"When the soya beans were left on the free list it was believed that there would be no competition with their goods, but as a matter of fact competition has been extraordinarily keen recently, and the import of soya beans has trebled since 1919, whereas the imports of palm kernels has diminished in the same proportion, while ground nuts have remained stationary. During the last few years the European countries and America have put on tariffs and prohibitions, practically shutting out these products of our Colonies, and therefore it is satisfactory to feel that steps are being taken to rectify this matter.

"Incidentally, I wish to call attention to the fact that the advantage from crushing soya beans, owing to fall in price, has not gone to the consumer, because the entire production of the crushers was sold in 1934 at the same price as in 1933, although the average price of beans was 9 per cent. lower. As far as West African products are concerned, the average prices to-day are something like 40 per cent. below pre-war, which bears very heavily on the producer, who is almost entirely native. I therefore congratulate the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the steps he has taken. I am sure my colleague who spoke yesterday will not think I am picking him up in any way, but, as a matter of fact, I have received this information, which I would have handed to him beforehand if I had had the opportunity. I think the Committee is entitled to have this information, which fully justifies the action of the Chancellor in bringing forward this tax. It is a matter which appeals to us all, and it is clear that it will help and not hinder our own people."

Legislative Council

It is anticipated that the next session of the Kenya Legislative Council will open early in June. The appointment of a deputy to fill the vacancy caused by the departure for Britain of the Hon. R. W. Hemsted, O.B.E., representing African interests, will be gazetted at an early date. Mr. Hemsted leaves Nairobi by rail this afternoon on a holiday trip to Britain. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Hemsted.

Pangani

The question of the removal of Pangani Village was discussed at great length at a recent meeting of the Native Affairs Committee of the Nairobi Municipal Council, and certain steps to be taken to implement the recommendations of the Kenya Land Commission were approved. Arrangements were made for the Assessment Board to meet at the office of the District Commissioner at an early date.

"ON THIS DAY"

APRIL 30th.

Birth of Mary II, April 30, 1662.

The eminence of this Mary among the Queens of Great Britain is rather hidden beneath the title of her husband. In the association of William and Mary, as history heads this reign, William is apt to predominate. Mary II, however, reigned not only as a consort, but as the direct heir to the throne. Maybe that was where Mary was unfortunate, for she seems to have possessed a nature that would have been far more likely to discover happiness in mediocrity than it did in pomp and power. 'I am come to the crown,' she wrote, when James II had been driven out in favour of herself and William, "and so raised to the highest condition of human life, but I don't look upon it as such." The forced usurpation of her father's crown may not have been particularly palatable to her, but she seems to have accepted it with the resignation that she accepted most things, and anchored herself to her husband. That marriage, of course, had been a political affair when she was fifteen. It was not a particularly happy event at the time to Mary. She hailed it with tears. The news, indeed, would appear to have caused a lachrymatory cloud-burst. "The Duke, the Duchess, and Lady Anne," it is recorded "would sit and cry two and three hours together." Fifteen, of course, was but a school age, and Mary went to her wedding like a school-girl, which, incidentally, took place in her bedroom at nine o'clock at night! She seems, however, to have come to accept her husband with ingenuous loyalty and affection. But hers was definitely not a happy life. She died at the early age of thirty-two, and it was written that "God has been pleased to shorten her days as a reward for her sufferings." Which, once again, reminds us that a royal cradle does not always mean joy for the tiny occupant.

To-day's Wireless Programmes

EMPIRE BROADCASTING SERVICE

Part I

L.T.
7.45 p.m.—Big Ben. The News.
8.00 p.m.—The B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra. Leader, Montague Brearley. Conductor, Stanford Robinson.
9.00 p.m.—The New Georgian Trio. Three Pieces (Senaille, arr. Bridgewater), Minuet and Gigue (Lally, arr. Bridgewater), Clair de Lune (Moonlight) (Faure), Minuet (Boccherini), Cantoamoroso (Love Song) (Sammartini), Gigue (Zipoli).
9.30 p.m.—"Prelude to Summer." Half an hour of Verse and Music. A programme devised by Douglas Moodie.
10.00 p.m.—British Variety.
10.30 p.m.—The B.B.C. Orchestra (Section C), conducted by Julian Clifford. Rose Walters (Soprano).
11.15 p.m.—Close down.

Part II

11.30 p.m.—Talk: "Freedom."
11.50 p.m.—The Gershom Parkington Quintet. Winifred Bury (Soprano). Quintet: Tarantelle Napolitaine (Barthelemy), Christmas Carol for Children (Debussy), Philomela (Braham), in the Dew (Trad., arr. Dunhill), Riddle Song (Trad., arr. A. Duff), Elsie Marley (Trad., arr. Dunhill), Sweet Nightingale (Winifred Bury). Quintet: Rhapsodie Napolitaine (Tosti). Winifred Bury: Linden Lea (Vaughan Williams), Lake Isle of Innisfree (Muriel Herbert), Le Coucou (The Cuckoo) (P. J. O'Hara), I Know a Bank (Winifred Bury).
12.30 a.m.—The News.
12.45 a.m.—Dance Music.
1.15 a.m.—Close down.

Nairobi Station

1.15—1.45.—Lunch Time Programme.
4.00—5.00.—Demonstration Programme.
7.00—Time Signal.—Selections.
7.15.—British Official Wireless Press, Local News, Weather Report and Mail Notices.
7.30—8.30.—Concert of Gramophone Records kindly provided by the B.E.A. Music Stores, Nairobi.
8.30—9.00.—Debate between Sir Norman Angell and Sir Charles Petrie on "The League of Nations."
9.00—Time Signal.—Extracts from the news.
9.05—9.35.—Indian Programme kindly provided by Messrs. Shankar Dass and Sons, Nairobi.
9.35—10.00.—Light Orchestral and Vocal Concert.
10.00.—Close down.

STANDARD DIARY

Thursday, May 2:
McMillan Memorial Library—lecture by Dr. H. S. Boedeker on "Early Recollections of Kenya, part IV".

Monday, May 6:
25th anniversary, King's accession—public holiday.
Jubilee Celebrations begin.
11.30 a.m. Ceremonial Thanksgiving Service in Cathedral.

Tuesday, May 7:
Jubilee Celebrations continue.
4.15 p.m., Garden Party in Government House Grounds.

Wednesday, May 8:
Jubilee Celebrations continue.
10.30 a.m. New Law Courts in City Square formally opened by His Excellency the Acting Governor, the Hon. A. de V. Wade.

Thursday, May 9:
Jubilee Celebrations continue.
4.30 p.m. New Town Hall in City Square formally opened by H.E. the Acting Governor.
McMillan Memorial Library lecture by Mr. Hugh Copley on "Sharks".

Good Year for Railways and Harbours

REMAINDER OF DEPRESSION DEFICIT WIPED OUT

Reserve Account Opened

REVENUE SURPLUS OF £1,173,913 OVER WORKING EXPENDITURE

The annual report of the Kenya and Uganda Railways and Harbours just issued discloses a very satisfactory position.

On the combined services there was a balance of revenue over ordinary expenditure of £1,173,913. After meeting interest and sinking fund charges, etc., a sum of £317,946 was available to wipe out entirely the deficit fund which accumulated during the years of depression.

The Department was also able to start a Reserve Fund with an initial amount of £26,708.

There was a loss on the Port of £41,595, after allowing for the interest and sinking fund obligations.

Loss on the Port

The 1934 annual report of the General Manager of Railways on the administration of the Kenya and Uganda Railways and Harbours has been issued. The report discloses that the gross earnings were £2,685,877 and the gross expenditure £1,511,964. This leaves a balance of nett earnings of £1,173,913. The general Manager points out that on the total capital expenditure of £22,422,119 this gives a return of 5.24 per cent., while on the interest bearing proportion of the capital, namely, £13,983,000 the return is 8.40 per cent.

From the balance, interest and sinking fund charges were met on behalf of the Railway amounting to £614,008 and on behalf of the Harbours of £215,256. These amounts together total £829,259, leaving an actual surplus of £344,654 on the year's working.

Of this surplus £317,946 has been transferred to the credit of the Railway and Harbours Deficit Account and the balance, £26,708, to reserve.

The combined earnings for last year showed an increase over 1933 of £153,856, while ordinary working expenditure only increased by £5,298 and is £43,000 below the working expenditure of 1932.

The percentage of ordinary working expenditure to earnings in 1934 was 44 per cent. compared with 46.21 in 1933 and 55.13 in 1932.

Pre-Depression Comparison

Compared with 1929, the year immediately preceding the depression, the combined earnings of the railways and harbours show a decrease of £265,270, but on the other hand, the combined ordinary working expenditure is down by £548,120, which has resulted in the biggest surplus yet recorded.

An important figure is the operating ratio. For the combined services the percentage of ordinary working expenditure (i.e., including depreciation) to earnings last year was 58.31 per cent. In the preceding year it was 61.27 and in 1931 as high as 81.40.

The earnings in 1934 were £256,840 above the estimate while the working expenditure was £21,180 below the estimate.

The Burden of Interest

Interest and sinking fund charges on the transport loans represented last year 5.93 per cent. on the interest-bearing capital and a charge of 3.70 per cent. on the whole two and a half millions invested in the transport system. The total loan charges for 1934 represented 32.39 per cent. of the revenue.

The balances of the various Railway and Harbour funds at the end of the year were:—

Renewals Funds—£1,780,434.
Betterment Funds—£46,853.
Loan Funds—£280,103.
Miscellaneous Capital Credits—£87,689.
Total balances—£2,195,081.

Deficit Gone

The department wiped off its Deficit Account last year. This account was opened in 1930 to record the deficit resulting from the fall in revenue when the income was insufficient to meet the requirements of renewals. At one time the deficit stood at over half a million pounds and the adverse balance carried forward at the end of 1933 was £317,946. This has now been liquidated and a Reserve Account has been opened with £26,700 available from the profits of 1934.

Contributions to the Renewals Fund have been made at an average rate of 2½ per cent. of the capital value of the wasting assets of the Railway and it is also hoped that contributions to this fund on account of marine wasting assets will be resumed in 1936. These latter contributions were suspended temporarily in 1931 when there was sufficient money in reserve but the position is being reviewed again this year.

The K.U.R.

The second chapter of the report deals with the Railways separately. It is shown that the earnings last year were £2,227,285 compared with £2,088,162 in the preceding year. The ordinary working expenditure of the Railways was £994,287—only £4,200 less than 1933, and very considerably less than the working expenditure in the three preceding years. There was, therefore, a Railway surplus of receipts over ordinary working expenditure of £1,232,998 which is the largest surplus on record and compares with £772,944 in 1930. From this surplus, the sum of £336,047 has been contributed to the Railway Renewals Fund, while £614,000 has been utilised to meet the Railway's way has been able to transfer a own loan charges. After meeting all obligations, however, the Railway has been able to transfer a sum of £386,249 to the Combined Net Revenue Account of the Railways and Harbours Department.

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Obituary.

LORD GLADSTONE

Son of the Famous Statesman

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]
London, April 28.

The death occurred to-day of Lord Gladstone of Hawarden.

*Baron Gladstone, whose title was created in 1932, was the third son of the late Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone. He had just passed his 83rd birthday, having been born on April 2, 1852. Educated at Eton and King's College, London, he married, in 1890, the Hon. Maud Ernestine Rendel, C.B.E.

Lord Gladstone was prominently associated with business firms having dealings with the East and was in Calcutta from 1874-89. He acted for some time as private secretary to his famous father. He was a member of several commissions on finance and shipping prior to 1913. He was Lord Lieutenant of Flintshire and President of the Flintshire Territorial Association in 1915 and was President of British Legion, Scout and League of Nations county bodies, as well as being treasurer of the National Library of Wales and President of University College of North Wales.

The Weather

The British East African Meteorological Service in a note on the weather issued yesterday states that the high pressure south has now shifted eastward over the Indian Ocean and has been replaced by a low pressure. Pressure gradients are irregular and the rain conditions have weakened considerably; the chances of more general rains are slight but scattered showers may still occur especially West of the Lake and, in Central Tanganyika. Rain fell on Sunday north of the Lake as was anticipated and south of Lake Tanganyika. Entebbe 1.39, Jinja, 0.90, Soroti 0.39, Lira 0.34. Dar es Salaam recorded 0.11, Mombasa 0.09, Moshi 0.03.

NAIROBI DRESSING FOR THE JUBILEE

Beginning of Street Decorations

BUNTING AND FAIRY LIGHTS

Capital's Chief Buildings to be Floodlit

It is impossible to forget—even had one so desired—the approach of Jubilee week. It crops up in every conversation and evidences of its nearness are visible on every hand in Nairobi's streets. Even so early as yesterday, a full week before the celebrations begin, many of the streets and buildings in the town were beginning to assume a festive appearance.

The shop windows were the first to blossom forth. The Nairobi Traders' Association decided to fall in with Empire-wide practice and hold their annual shopping week at the Jubilee season. Not only does Empire shopping form a particularly apt way of celebrating the Jubilee but also the special window displays help to give the streets an appropriately decorative touch of colour, and the Association has done its work well.

The next notes in the week-long overture to the symphony of colour, which will open fortissimo on Jubilee Day, were struck by some of the bigger buildings, up and down whose facades flags were beginning to run in chromatic scales of brilliant hues.

Municipal Decorations

To continue the musical metaphor—and it is perhaps appropriate, for the decorations can best be described as "God Save The King" in colour the first notes of preparation for the principal theme could be discerned in the erection of the poles which will carry the Municipality's contribution—bunting and fairy lights—down both sides of Government Road and Sixth Avenue. The Municipality are prepared to use a thousand poles which, during the Jubilee week, will go to make the principal throughfares of the town avenues of brilliance, Government Road, Sixth Avenue, Hardinge Street, and Bazaar Road will all be specially decorated, with extra displays on all traffic islands.

A "Moonlight Sonata" will be counterfeited in City Square where, during Jubilee week, the new Law Courts and the Municipal Offices will be bathed in the soft yet revealing radiance of flood lights. Other high notes of colour should be the three Banks in Nairobi, the architectural beauties of which fine buildings are to form the basis for special decorative schemes. In order to secure uniformity, these decorations will all be carried out by the Municipality, the Banks concerned meeting expenses.

The Bonfire

Fuel is piling up before the District Commissioner's office in such a manner as to suggest that the bonfire—a feature of Monday's programme—will be worthy the occasion, and all round, preparations are advancing briskly. Jubilee Week will be one of Nairobi's most memorable occasions.

CROYDON AIR PORT

Large Extensions and Improvements

[BY WIRELESS.]
Rugby, April 29.

Owing to the rapid and steady increase in air traffic extensions improvements costing many thousands of pounds are to be undertaken at Croydon. Since Croydon was equipped as a main air port seven years ago, passenger and goods traffic there has increased 300 per cent., and air lines radiate to all parts of the Empire and Europe. —British Official Wireless Service.

Muthaiga By-Laws

His Worship the Mayor (Councillor G. Gwinnett Bompas), Councillor Cocker, and the Town Clerk (Mr. F. S. Eckersley) have been delegated by the General Purposes Committee of the Nairobi Municipal Council to go into the question of the Muthaiga by-laws and report back to the Committee.

Mayor's Allowance

At a recent meeting of the Finance Committee of the Nairobi Municipal Council, Councillor C. G. Durham asked leave to bring forward a proposal with regard to the Mayor's allowance, for which a sum of £100 only had been included in the estimates. It was decided to deal with the matter when the amended estimates were being further considered.

JUBILEE EXPENSES

ESTIMATES AMOUNT TO £575

THE MAYOR'S APPEAL

His Worship the Mayor of Nairobi (Councillor G. Gwinnett Bompas) informed the "East African Standard" yesterday that the Jubilee Fund has now almost reached the amount of the original appeal, namely £500.

He points out, however, that detailed Estimates now available show that the actual cost of the Celebrations in Nairobi will be considerably in excess of this sum.

As it was impossible in the early stages to prepare a very close estimate, he hopes that members of the Public who have not yet subscribed will send in their donations as soon as possible as the lists will be closed shortly.

Several people have asked how it is proposed to spend so considerable a sum as £500 on the entertainment of about Four Thousand Children and on the general programme.

Here are the details:—

Medallions	£60
Refreshments	£150
Transport of children	£35
Hire of Theatres	£35
Cost of Photographs of Their Majesties for presentation to schools ...	£30
Sports Prizes	£25
Torchlight Procession and bonfire ...	£30
Printing Programmes	£30
Miscellaneous printing	£5
Illuminations (fairy lamps, etc.) ...	£50
Prizes for decorated cars	£15
Native Celebrations	£75
Contingencies	£35
Approximate Estimate	£575

EPSTEIN STATUES TO BE SOLD

Not Austere Enough for Rhodesia

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT].
London, April 21.
By Air Mail).

Eighteen of Epstein's most famous statues are being offered for sale by the Government of Southern Rhodesia.

They are the sculptures which aroused the first "Epstein sensation," the seven-foot nude figures made for the British Medical Association building in the Strand in 1908.

The Government of Southern Rhodesia have bought this building, and do not want the statues.

"We are carrying out a scheme of alterations and decorations which will make our new building a worthy home for Rhodesia in London," said Mr. O'Keefe, the High Commissioner, to a "Sunday Express" representative.

Placed Too High

"It has been suggested to us that the Epstein statues are not quite in keeping with things as they will be.

"They are placed too high up on the building to be really seen and appreciated.

"And we think that they are not perhaps within the austerity usually appertaining to Government buildings."

NEW STAMPS

On Sale in East Africa To-morrow

To-day is the last day on which the present issue of postage stamps will be on sale in Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika. The new issue of pictorial stamps for common use in the three territories will be introduced to the public to-morrow, and will be obtainable at all post offices.

Stamps of the old issue may still be used after to-day for the prepayment of postage and other purposes. The 20 cent, 30 cent, 65 cent and Sh. 1/- denominations of the new pictorial issue will be withdrawn from sale at the close of business on May 5 and will only be re-introduced on January 1 of next year.

During the period of their withdrawal they will be replaced by the special series of Silver Jubilee stamps, which have been issued for use throughout the Colonial Empire.

The Municipal Council of Nairobi soon hopes to be in a position to produce its Bazaar Area Town Planning Scheme.

ORIGIN OF ARTIFICIAL SILK STOCKINGS

Death of One of the Inventors

THE EXPERIMENTS

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
London, April 16.
(By Air Mail).

A man who gave the women of the world artificial silk stockings is dead.

He is Mr. Charles Frederick Cross, F.R.S., who has died at Hove (Sussex), at the age of 79.

The late Lord Melchett once declared in a speech:

"If it had not been for two English chemists, young women would not have had the wonderful stockings they wear to-day."

One of the two chemists was Mr. Cross: the other, Mr. E. Bevan, died in 1922.

Mr. Cross had no idea of the boon to be conferred on women when he and his colleague invented the cellulose process for spinning artificial silk more than 40 years ago.

The Discovery

"When Bevan and I were experimenting," he once said, "there was no idea of making artificial silk stockings."

The discovery was made while the two men were experimenting with bits of wood. A solution was found, which was poured into a container with a hole in the bottom, and a cycle pump was used to pull it out through the hole like a thread of cotton.

A company was formed to develop the spinning of artificial silk. This was afterwards acquired and developed for the commercial market.

Home for Animals

At a recent meeting of the Town Planning Committee of the Nairobi Municipal Council it was reported that the Assistant Land Officer had forwarded an application from Ganga Ram for the grant of a piece of Crown Land in section one of Eastleigh for the purpose of establishing a home for lame animals. It was resolved to inform the Assistant Land Officer that the Municipal Council was opposed to the grant of the land for the purpose mentioned as the site suggested was too close to a number of dwelling houses for the keeping of animals to be permitted on it. He was requested to suggest to the applicant that possibly, with the consent of His Excellency the Acting Governor, he migh purchase a piece of municipal land in Eastleigh for the establishment of a home for animals.

JURY GO TO SEE SCAFFOLD

Gaol Governor who "Risked" it

A PRECEDENT

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
London, April 16.
(By air mail.)

After the execution of Percy Charles Anderson, the Brighton links murderer, at Wandsworth Prison, the inquest jury insisted on seeing the scaffold.

Prisoners were put back in their cells to clear part of the prison before the jurors went in.

A verdict of death by judicial execution was returned at the inquest on Anderson.

After they had been sworn in the foreman said to the coroner (Dr. Edwin Smith):

"The jury wish to view the body and to see the scaffold, to enable us to ask one of the witnesses present at the execution if this man did die on the scaffold.

"He might have fallen down and dislocated his neck, as far as we know."

Jury and Legal Right

The Coroner: Sir Bernard Spilsbury will give evidence on oath.

The Foreman: I respectfully suggest he was not there.

The Coroner: A special order of the Home Office would be necessary for you to see the scaffold.

The Foreman: In any ordinary inquest the instruments causing death—a revolver or a razor—are produced.

The Coroner: Juries are very often glad to be relieved of these details, but no one desires to obstruct your legal view as to what you think ought to be allowed.

The Coroner then asked the Governor (Capt. G. F. Clayton) if he were disposed to carry out the jury's wish.

The Governor: I think I can risk it as they feel so strongly about it. I shall have to report it.

Prison Cleared

It was a precedent, the Governor said.

The Foreman: I know several people in this district who have seen the scaffold.

The Governor then said it would be necessary to clear part of the prison, and put certain prisoners back in their cells.

After formal evidence had been given the jury were told that all was ready, and they went out to see the scaffold.

Captain Clayton said that the execution was carried out expeditiously and without hitch.

Sir Bernard Spilsbury said that death was instantaneous, and due to dislocation of the spine.

The jury then returned their verdict

Girl in Water Butt

Anderson, a twenty-one-year-old Brighton mechanic, was executed for the murder of Miss Constance Drew-Bear on Brighton golf links.

Miss Drew-Bear, who was also 21, was a restaurant cashier.

On November 25, her body was found in a water butt on the golf links.

There was a bullet wound in her skull and a scarf had been tied around her neck.

Sentence was passed upon Anderson by the Lord Chief Justice at Sussex Assizes on March 9.

Strenuous efforts, in which Mrs Van der Elst played a prominent part, were made to secure a reprieve, but in vain.

E.A. PRODUCE

Latest Cabled Market Reports

Messrs. Dalgety and Company Limited have received a cable from their head office in London dated April 26 in which the following quotations are given:—

Maize Flat White No. 2, 19/6 per qr.

Sisal No. 1 grade—to one port, £15.2.6 per ton.

Sisal No. 2 grade—to one port, £14.10 per ton.

Sisal W. B. Tow—to one port, £13. 15 per ton.

The sisal market is steady, but slow.

Butter New Zealand 1st grade, 75/- per cwt.

Butter Australian g.a.q. 69/- to 70/- per cwt.

The butter market is steady.

Plantation Copra, £12.10 per ton.

F. M. Sundried Copra, £11.17.6 per ton.

F. M. Copra, £11.7.6 per ton. Ground Nuts, £14.5 per ton.

THE MALARIA MENACE

Extra Staff for Mosquito Control

Oiling Measures

HOW PUBLIC CAN HELP IN THE WORK

In connection with the malaria epidemic now prevalent in Nairobi, the Medical Officer of Health, Dr. H. W. Tilling, has already initiated an intensive campaign for oiling streams, channels and pools of water which are considered to provide breeding places for mosquitoes.

For this purpose he is at the moment utilising all the available members of his own staff, as well as 15 natives loaned by the Municipal Engineer for anti-malarial work. In the course of the next few days, however, the gangs of oil-sprayers will be increased by the employment of additional natives on a temporary basis.

It is proposed that there should be three or four gangs, each comprising six native sprayers. If this is done it will mean the temporary engagement of from 12 to 16 new boys. Up to the present only six natives have been employed in the oiling gang. They also had other duties to perform.

While the activities of the oil-spraying gangs will be controlled, at the outset, by the staff of Municipal Sanitary Inspectors, it is probable that special overseers will have to be taken on for the work in the near future, as it is felt that the normal routine work of the Sanitary Inspectors should not be neglected. It is expected that approximately five overseers will be required.

No Government Statement

Interviewed by a representative of the *East African Standard* yesterday, both the Commissioner for Local Government (the Hon. W. M. Logan) and the Director of Medical Services (Dr. A. R. Paterson) declined to make any statement as to Government's intentions with regard to the Nairobi Swamp area. Or to indicate to what extent Government would be prepared to co-operate with the Municipal authorities in combating the epidemic.

Should Government decide that the Municipal Council is neglecting its duties as the local health authority, or that it is not sufficiently active in its efforts to combat the epidemic, it has the power, under an ordinance, to introduce special by-laws to meet the situation.

Government is responsible for half the cost of certain items appearing on the expenses sheet of the Nairobi Medical Officers of Health's Department. This applies, *inter alia*, to expenditure in respect of staff salaries, and, it is understood, on measures taken to combat an epidemic. In regard to the latter, Government first satisfies itself that there has been an epidemic and that the expenditure incurred was necessary.

It is emphasised that the general public can assist greatly in the efforts to stamp out malaria infection in Nairobi by keeping their properties free from possible breeding places for mosquitoes, and by reporting the existence of such places to the authorities. Pools of stagnant or slowly-moving water are a grave source of danger.

Much can also be done in the matter of seeing that native servants keep their quarters clean.

THE COMMON COLD

What a Frightful Thing It Is!

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT].
London, April 16.
(By Air Mail.)

A new—but not so simple—description of the common cold has just appeared in "The Lancet." It is as follows: "It is an endemic virus disease, accompanied by coryza, pharyngitis, tracheitis, and some bronchitis, and complicated after the first infection by the growth of various other parasitic organisms, such as pneumococcus, streptococcus, staphylococcus, micrococcus catarrhalis, and Pfeiffer's bacillus."

Passengers by Air

The following passengers were carried by East African Airways Ltd. last week:—Nairobi-Eldoret, Mr. Parr. Nairobi-Kakamega, Mr. Hockney, Nairobi-Kisumu, Mr. Siefken; Kisumu—Nairobi, Mr. Siefken, Eldoret-Nairobi, Mr. Temburg; Nairobi-Watende, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Mr. Dalton; Musoma-Nairobi, Dr. Parsons, Watende-Nairobi, Mr. Beilhosis; Nairobi-Njoro, Mr. Behania, Nairobi-Eldoret, Mr. Temburg, Nairobi-Kisumu, Dr. Parsons.

ENGLISH AS THE B.B.C. SPEAK IT

More Recommendations by Advisory Committee

INTERESTING PROBLEMS

The B.B.C. announce that the latest recommendations of its Advisory Committee on Spoken English are now published. Some of the examples are as follows:—

Almanack (Awlmanack), Ambivalent (Ambivaylent), Apposite (Appozit), Authoritative (Awthoritativ), Aviation (Ayviayshun), Bakelite (Baykelite), Bathos (Baythoss), Boor (Booer).

Boycott verb (Boycott), noun (Boycott), Breakdown (Breakdown), Bureaucracy (Bewrockrasy),

Charabanc (As in French), Civilisation (Civilizayshon), Connoisseur (Connisser) last syllable rhymes with 'fur', Cotoneaster (Cottoniaster), Crabbed adj. (Crabbid), verb (Crabd),

Debouch Geographical (Debowtch), Military (Debowtch),

Extol (Extoll),

Heinous (Haynus), Hosiery (Hozhery).

Ideology (Ideeollojy), Itinerary (Itinnerary).

Landscape (Lanskip), Longeron (Lonjeron), Lunatic (Loonatic),

Matriarch (Maytriark), Matricide (Maytricide), Matrix (Maytrix), Mosquito (Moskeeto),

Polygamy (Polliggamy), Poteen, Potheen (Potcheen), Prebendary (Prebbendary), Quinine (Kwineen), Rococo (Rococo), Salicylate (Salisilayt), Salicylic (Saljisillic), Scaramouch (Scarramowtch), Stern nautical (Sturn), Studdingsail (Stunsle), Superfluity (Sewperflooity), Superfluous (Sewperfloous), Symposium (Simpozium).

Tabard (Tabbard), Troche (Trosh), Venison (Vens'n), Vertigo (Vertiggo), Vicissitude (Vicissitewd),

Wednesday (Wensdy),

Xylophone (Zilophone).

Proper Names

Armada (Armayda),

Capuchin (Cappewtchin), Colombia (Colombia), Colombo (Colombo)

February (Febbroowry).

Hosier surname (Hozier), Huguenot (Hewguenott).

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Road, Church, etc.: Pall Mall (Pell Mell),

A Joke

Professor A. Lloyd James, Secretary of the Committee, discusses the recommendations in the "Radio Times" of April 19, and asks for opinions from readers. He says:—"The Committee owes Professor Wyld a debt of gratitude for enlivening these meeting by asking a riddle: What letter made Queen Elizabeth mind her p's and q's?" The answer, of course, is the Armada, which is

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CITY OF LONDON POLICE

Interesting Figures About Recruits

["STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]
London, April 16.
(By Air Mail).

Extraordinary figures relating to City of London Police recruits are contained in the annual report for 1934 of Sir Hugh Turnbull, Commissioner. It reveals that out of 846 applicants only 43 were accepted. Of the total number of applications 195 were not pressed. Of the 651 remaining applicants:

Five hundred and forty six were rejected as unsuitable owing to age, stature and physical reasons.

Forty nine were physically unfit.

Thirteen unfit for educational reasons, leaving.

Forty three of the original 846 accepted for employment.

During the year 45 men were injured on duty, compared with 34 the previous year. Persons arrested numbered 849, compared with 875 in 1933. There was not a single case coming under the classification of offences against the person. "Offences against property with violence" numbered 83, and it appears from details that the most prevalent form of robbery in the City is by concealment on the premises during business hours.

Convictions for drunkenness numbered 189, compared with 142 the previous year. The report shows that there were 188 alien residents in the City in 1934.

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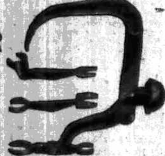

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ENGLISH AS THE B.B.C. SPEAK IT

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not only a good pun, but evidence that the pronunciation 'armayda' is respectably old. A canvas of modern historians, however, reveals that they, at any rate, favour the version "armayda" and it would be interesting to know the views readers of "The Radio Times" hold on this point. A similar case is the word Huguenot, which some pronounce as in French while others pronounce with the "t" audible. Here again the historians consulted favour the French version. The Committee, however, have provisionally decided on "hewguenott". They would be glad of opinions and information on both these words from interested readers.

"Marylebone" is a great puzzle. The modern version used by busmen and railwaymen appears to be "marlibon", which is regarded by all good Londoners as something to be really ashamed of. Some adopt the rather fussy version "marrilibon" but find it difficult to fit in the four syllables, and generally crash. The historic and unimpeachable version is "marribon", and the Committee has decided to recommend it.

"Televiewer"

The problem of finding a suitable name for the person who receives a broadcast television programme is one that has given the daily Press much exercise; the coining of new words does not strictly come under the jurisdiction of the Spoken English Committee, but in this case the Corporation has asked the Committee for its blessing upon the suggested word "televiewer", which, it is hoped, will rapidly learn to disguise its mongrel origin by shedding the prefix and showing itself to the world as "viewer." Some name has to be found, and "viewer" will serve for the present. It is not unlikely, however, that the man-in-the-street, with his customary genius for the "mot juste" will hit upon the word that will finally be accepted into the language. Here is a good chance for the Reading Listener or the Listening Reader to help us to decide what name shall be given to those who look as well as listen.

For Announcers

The Advisory Committee on Spoken English makes recommendations primarily for the benefit of announcers, to secure some measure of uniformity in the pronunciation of broadcast English and to provide announcers with some degree of protection against the criticism to which they are, from the nature of their work, peculiarly liable. It is not suggested that these pronunciations are the only "right" ones, and it is not suggested that any special degree of authority attaches to these recommendations.

The Committee, under the Chairmanship of Mr. George Bernard Shaw, consists of Professor Lascelles Abercrombie; Lady Cynthia Asquith; Lord David Cecil; Kenneth Clark; Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson; Professor George Gordon; Professor H. J. C. Grierson; Professor Daniel Jones; Professor A. Lloyd James; F. L. Lucas; P. H. B. Lyon; Rose Macaulay; Edward Marsh; Harold Orton; S. K. Ratcliffe; I. A. Richards; Logan Pearsall Smith; Professor H. K. C. Wyld; Mr. Kenneth Barnes; Rev. H. Costley-White; Dr. W. W. Greg, and Mr. W. B. Maxwell.

GOOD YEAR FOR RAILWAYS AND HARBOURS

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In 1933 the balance so transferred was only £262,818 and for the three preceding years there was an aggregate loss of approximately £473,000.

The percentage of ordinary expenditure to earnings, including depreciation, in respect of the Railway in 1934 was 44.64 per cent.

Railway earnings for 1934 exceeded those of 1933 by £139,123 (6.66 per cent.) and revealed an increase on 1932 of £388,624 (21.14 per cent.). The percentage increase in ordinary working expenditure was only 0.43 over 1933 and 31 per cent. less than 1930.

Operating Ratio

The operating ratio of the Railway, that is to say, the percentage ratio of ordinary working expenditure (excluding depreciation) to the earnings of the Railway, was 59.73 per cent which is noted by the General Manager as very satisfactory. This ratio is now 20 per cent. less than in 1930.

Passenger revenue totalling £163,067 in 1934 was an increase of 1.40 per cent. on the preceding year. Parcels, luggage and mails £38,659, increased by 8.62 per cent. Goods, representing revenue of £1,981,105, recorded an increase of 7.64 per cent. over the preceding year. Livestock, telegraph and miscellaneous revenue however, showed decreases totalling just over £5,000.

All main headings of revenue showed considerable increases compared with the estimates prepared for 1933, with the single exception of "Miscellaneous receipts" which were down on the estimates by 24.22 per cent.

The total railway earnings for the year were £240,285 above the figure estimated when the budget was prepared. This is equivalent to an increase on estimates of 12.09 per cent.

Public Traffic

The total freight ton miles moved (including steamship and road services) amounted to 322,952,662. There is a decrease of 27,000 ton-miles of public traffic on the 1933 figure and a decrease of 10,000,000 on 1929, which was the highest revenue earning year in the history of the Railway. This decrease in public traffic is entirely due to the abnormally low export tonnages of cotton seed and maize last year.

In spite of the considerable decrease in the tonnage of public traffic the earnings on goods were 7.64 per cent. above those of 1933, the explanation being that while there was a heavy fall in the ton-mileage of the lowest rated traffic there was a satisfactory increase in the higher rated traffic. The General Manager points out, however, that in this respect the year 1934 was unusual and therefore a comparison of average receipts per ton mile would not be truly representative of what the position would have been if crop movements had been normal.

Average Receipts and Costs

These average receipts per freight ton-mile in respect of the Railway, Lake Steamer and Road Motor Services, amounted to 13.918 cents in respect of public traffic and 12.145 cents for all traffic. The figures for 1933 were 11.813 cents and 10.438 cents respectively.

The total expenditure for the year was £28,756 below the estimate and a decrease of £11,641 is noted in locomotive running expenses due to the reduction in ton mileage, while an increase occurred in the engineering costs and maintenance of stock due to the fact that, owing to the improved financial position, full maintenance is now being carried out.

A statistical table which is always important is that which shows the freight ton-mile costs of the Railway. For 1934 this cost was 9.251 cents per freight ton-mile. This compares with 8.815 cents in the preceding year and with 10.674 cents in 1932.

Analysing the average costs, the General Manager shows that interest and sinking fund on loans represents not less than 2.992 cents per freight ton mile while working costs (inclusive of depreciation) amount to 6.259 cents. Working costs, (exclusive of depreciation) were in 1934 4.621 cents, compared with 4.381 cents in 1933.

All the increases shown in the table are the result of the decrease in ton mileage of public traffic to which reference has been made. Taking this fact into consideration, he considers the figures for 1934 are extremely satisfactory and an improvement on 1933. Losses on passenger or other services are not included. This explains why freight ton-mile receipts on public goods traffic (13.918 cents) must be considerably higher than the total freight ton-mile cost (9.251 cents) in order to provide the revenue to cover these losses.

The Port

The working results of the Harbours showed that earnings amounted to £332,755 compared with £338,022 in 1933 and ordinary working expenditure of £132,156 as against £131,091 in the preceding year. There was therefore a surplus of £200,599 in 1934 as compared with a surplus of £206,931 in 1933.

After making contributions to the Renewals Fund amounting to £30,376 the balance available from the Harbours Department was £170,223, being £6,360 less than the preceding year. As the loan charges in respect of the Harbour amount, however, to £215,257 there is a loss on the year 1934 of £41,595 which compares with a loss of £29,981 on the year 1933.

The percentage of ordinary working expenditure at the Port to earnings was 39.71 against 38.78 in 1933, a considerable decrease, however, on 1932 and 1931.

The earnings for the year were 1.56 below 1933 while ordinary working expenditure increased by .81 per cent. Earnings for last year were considerably above 1932, while expenditure was sunstantially lower. The loan charges increased by 4.67 over those which had to be met in 1933.

Including depreciation the ratio of total working expenditure to revenue was 48.84 per cent.

Library Trustee

Councillor Gwladys Lady Delamere has been nominated by the General Purposes Committee of the Nairobi Municipal Council to succeed the late Mr. R. F. Mayer on the Board of Trustees for the McMillan Memorial Library.

R.A.F. CRUISE TRAGEDY

(Continued from Page 1).

S. L. Quine, M.C., stayed at Government House until the flight depart for Dodoma this morning. In the course of a brief interview with a representative of the "East African Standard," yesterday, Wing Commander Mackey stated that the flight had, with the exception of the 18 hours delay in arriving at Nairobi, been carried out according to schedule and without incident.

The four machines, Vickers "Victoria," craft each powered with two Bristol "Pegasus" air-cooled radial engines (developing a total horse power of 1,160) are impressive looking machines painted silver and with the crest of the Squadron in red and gold on the nose of each fuselage.

Flight Continues

The flight resumed its south-bound itinerary early this morning and will return to Nairobi on June 6. The following is the remainder of the itinerary of the cruise and the personnel:—Nairobi-Moshi-Dodoma - M'beya, April 30; M'beya-Broken Hill, May 1; Broken Hill-Bulawayo, May 2; Bulawayo-Pretoria, May 3; remain at Pretoria until May 6 and then a flight to Johannesburg and back to Pretoria. Cruise of the Union visiting all principal towns and return, commencing from Pretoria, on May 21. Bulawayo will be reached the same day and thereafter the itinerary will be Bulawayo-Salisbury, May 24; Salisbury-Lusaka, May 27; remain Lusaka until June 3 when depart for Mbeya; M'beya - Dodoma - Moshi, June 4; Moshi-Arusha-Nairobi, June 6; staying in Nairobi until June 9 and thence to Entebbe, Juba, etc. en route for Cairo (Heliopolis).

The personnel of the flight is as follows:— Wing Commander C. W. Mackey (Officer Commanding the Cruise and C. O. of No. 216 Squadron), Squadron-Leader S. L. Quine, M.C., Flight-Lieut. E. A. Hodgson, Flying-Officer A. A. Saw, Pilot-Officer R. M. Bradley, Pilot-Officer O. N. de W. Boult, Sergeant E. D. Higham, Sergeant J. H. H. Luxton, two Corporals and eleven other ranks (Aircraftsmen).

The dance that had been arranged to take place at Torr's Hotel last night, by the Aero Club of East Africa to entertain the flight was cancelled.

Acting Governor's Message

Yesterday, His Excellency the Acting Governor addressed the following message to Wing Commander C. W. Mackey:—

"I should like, on behalf of the Colony and Protectorate of Kenya, and on my own behalf also, to send you an expression of the deep sympathy which we all feel for the relatives of Flying Officer M. C. Moore and yourself and all ranks of the Royal Air Force, South African Cruise."

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Malaria in Nairobi

MAJOR GROGAN ASKS FOR OFFICIAL INQUIRY

To the Editor, "E.A. Standard,"

Sir,—It appears from the debate in the Municipal Council on the Malaria menace that I am once again to be used as a screen for the confusion into which the Town Planning and Municipal Administration of the central valley of the Town has been allowed to drift.

An adequate resume of the incredible history of this matter would more than fill a Friday issue of the *East African Standard*.

The essential facts are:—

1. There is no swamp.
2. The surface drainage of the area was thrown into confusion when the Government built Swamp Road, omitted to bridge the river channel, dammed the river when in flood and so diverted the whole body of water into the Estate main drain. In consequence the surface of the area has been broken up and pitted.
3. The Town Engineer has prepared a perfectly good scheme showing the return of the river to its original course which would then enable the holes to be filled and the original surface to be restored.
4. The Estate has paid during the last three years in rates £6,178 which is about double the whole income of the Estate. This sum would have sufficed to do the essential part of the work whereas in fact not one penny of it has been dissipated in the construction of the innumerable concrete archipelagoes, the navigation channels through which must have been charted by someone whose usual mode of progression is by bath-chair.
5. The channel which some of the more venturesome members ask shall be closed serves at present as the main drain for a large portion of the Council's sullage and sewage. I have been persuaded to allow this foul process to continue by persistent promises that a real live scheme was maturing!
6. I have spent the last six years being successfully bandied to and fro between the whole Council; Committees of Council, individual technicians of Council, the Land Office, Governors, Acting Governors, Colonial Secretaries, Secretaries of State, Permanent under Secretaries of State, individual members of the Colonial Office; but so perfect has the machinery of Government now become that it is humanly impossible to get a decision anywhere.

I then tried the Law, but was informed (at great expense) that the Law too is perfect as it provides no remedy in law.

I do not intend tacitly to be used again as the alleged murderer of the innocents and I hereby request that H. E. the Acting Governor appoints an independent Board of Enquiry (with power to call for all relevant Government papers) to report on the situation.

The proceedings should be public so that the community may learn how our affairs are conducted. It might even result in a salutary change of personnel.

In any case a tabulation of the facts would be useful to Councillors and might protect me from this recurrent nuisance.

Yours etc.,
EWART S. GROGAN.

Nairobi,
April 29, 1935.

PROFIT FROM CONDEMNED CATTLE

To the Editor, "E.A. Standard,"

Sir,—A few words in reply to Mr. Cottar's letter in your issue of the 27th instant.

For the past eleven months I have personally seen every one of our Society's slaughtered stock examined at the Abattoir. Cattle are condemned for other reasons than measles—dropsy, jaundice etc.

The Society's condemns over the past six months have been under 10 per cent, and this percentage is largely accounted for, by in a *few* cases, as many as 50 per cent condemned from a few very dirty farms. We have Members sending in cattle with as low as 1 per cent condemns.

The public and the stock breeder should be very grateful that we have really efficient, conscientious Municipal Inspectors and if every one had my past eleven months experience no matter what the "Sydney Bulletin" of January 30 1935 said, we should all become vegetarians if Inspectors were done away with.

Again, Mr. Cottar is wrong in saying the Butcher gets the hide, at least he does not in the case of our Society.

As regards "cushy" jobs at the "White Elephant Destructor" the Town has to have the Destructor whether cattle are condemned or not. One European, one Indian and a number of Natives have these "cushy" jobs, and I should say are welcome to them—stink, dust etc.

One point—if there were no condemns for measles, there would be but little chance for the European to sell his steers. It is the very heavy percentage of condemns for measles, emaciation and dropsy amongst the native stock that gives the European Stock owner an opening in the market.

Yours etc.,
FRED RAPER.

Nairobi,
April 27, 1935.

THE MONETARY FACTOR IN DEPRESSION

To the Editor, "E.A. Standard,"

Sir,—A statement made by that great paper *The Times* must be taken seriously, but it is difficult to reconcile the arguments of its City Editor in the Weekly Edition of February 28, last with certain known facts. Writing under the heading of "Banking at Home and Abroad" he avers that the 10 London Clearing Banks alone have invested £594,338,000 in Government securities. Then goes on to state: "The Banks were also "accused of causing the slump "in prices by not producing "enough credit. This illusion "arose out of a misinterpretation "of the phrase 'that every loan "creates a deposit.' In fact the "banks lend less than 90 per "cent of their deposits and as "legal tender is the basis of credit "it follows that the sounder the "principles of issue the sounder "the credit structure."

If the banks do not create the money who then does?—Certainly not Governments. The legal tender of Great Britain is given in round figures as £400,000,000, in which is included some £58,000,000 in coins. Therefore it appears that the above banks have created just under £200,000,000 for the above investment alone. It should be remembered that the banks clearings amount to about £39,000,000,000 annually, also that by virture of the Bank Charter of 1844 the Bank of England controls the note issue. The Bank of England is not a Government institution as some people still think.

Here is another statement by the Chairman of the Westminster Bank: "Banks are strictly limited "in their lending operations by "the amount which depositors "think fit to leave with them." What support has this? The lending limitations of a bank are purely Arbitrary. For instance how was the Great War financed? It does not matter if the individual advanced the money, it was created for him by the banks. "Three Fingered Jack known to the London Police as "Bank's enemy No. 1" was given five years recently for doing a little creation on his own. It seems the articles on Banking finance etc. in the Encyclopaedia Britannica should be rewritten by *The Times'* City Editor and the Chairman of the Westminster Bank!

The national debt of Great Britain is £8,000,000,000. It will be said that this is due by the nation to her nationals. But where did it come from if the legal tender is only £400,000,000? The money therefore must have been created for them by the banks on their (the nationals') material wealth and they therefore owe it to the banks in other words their own wealth has been converted into a debt to the banks by the very simple process of ink and paper plus perhaps a clerk, but in these days a machine makes the entry quicker.

The amount of a nation's liabilities is always easily obtainable, but not so the nation's assets. When Great Britain's shipping during the war looked like going to the bottom of the sea, a half hearted attempt was made to value her assets, the figure worked out to something so colossal that it made the national debt appear a mere flea bite and legal tender not even the beginning of a sneeze!

All of us greatly admire the efficiency of our banks. However, the system they have evolved is not keeping pace with the mighty production of machinery—the unpaid slaves of humanity. That the continuous creation and destruction of money which is necessary is of course not disputed, but is that process as at present carried out conforming to a country's productive wealth? Should it not be regularized and systematically controlled so as to do away with the present haphazard method. One may expect if this was done there would be no question of inflation or deflation or the stupidity of saying "no tampering with the currency" when the money monopolists all over the world do so now almost daily seemingly with an eye to their own benefit such "tampering" is always politely referred to by the Press and general public as the "Sensitiveness of the Money Market." It is astounding the pathetic belief the average man has that so long as the Budget is balanced everything will automatically come right. A writer in *The National Review* so long ago as May 1927 wrote in an article entitled "The Approaching Debacle": "The worst feature of our present peril is the "appalling ignorance of those in "charge of our national finances" and in the same article he quotes Mr. Darling of the Midland Bank as having stated: "It is in the "interest of all parts of the Empire that the financial thraldrom "should be broken, and by co-"operation and by combining re-"sources it is within our power to "break it."

Does it not seem futile that our own leaders and Government should be wasting their time endeavouring to save the country £100,000 while they make no effort to tackle the main cause of our intolerable and dangerous situation the world over? Mr. Darling suggests a way, other experts also point a way which is beginning to shake the perch of the supporters of orthodox economics.

One can hardly pick up a paper these days without some reference to the monetary system and I will conclude this letter with an extract from the pen of that sound writer 'Candidus' who writes on "The Sense of Things" in the *Daily Sketch*. Writing on the subject of Foreign Exchange under the sub-heading of "But what determines the value of the £" he said (March 2, 1935): "I "have come to the conclusion "that the exchange rates stand "in no more real relation to the "credit of the country than the "ante-post prices of the Lincoln-"shire Handicap, and they are "in fact mere gambling prices, "but how monstrous that prices "fixed so should operate as a clog "on honest production and ex-"change of commodities."

Yours etc.,
A. H. W. SHELDRICK.

Mweiga,
April 23, 1935.

POISONED BAITS IN RABIES AREAS

To the Editor, "E.A. Standard,"

Sir,—The letter published in the *East African Standard* of the 26th instant from your correspondent A. E. Rosa of Kakamega will, I am sure, fill every dog lover with the utmost indignation.

I quite realize the necessity of strong measures to stamp out the rabies danger in infected areas, but such work should be assigned to people with humanitarian instincts and controlled by officers who realize that a complaint requires an answer.

Yours etc.,
I. A. M.

Nairobi,
April 27, 1935.

[Several deletions have been made from the foregoing letter, as the complaint is being investigated by the Department concerned.—Ed. E.A.S.]

Not Necessary?

The General Purposes Committee of the Nairobi Municipal Council recently rejected a proposal that the by-law dealing with general nuisances should be amended by the addition of the following: "Play any musical instrument or cause or permit to be played any gramophone or loud-speaking instrument to the annoyance of residents or passers-by." The Committee did not consider that such a by-law was necessary.

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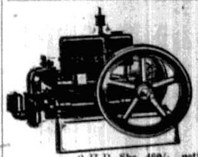
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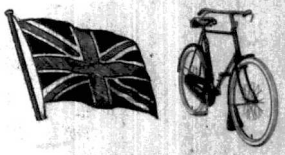

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Sixth Annual Event on June 3

SPECIAL RAILWAY CONCESSIONS

The sixth annual athletic meeting under the auspices of the Nairobi Railway Club will be held on June 3. First held in 1930 these annual fixtures have grown in popularity until to-day they are looked upon as the authentic championship meeting for East Africa. Each year a strong contingent comes from Tanganyika to compete in the open events. The neighbouring territory are expected to be strongly represented again at the June meeting, and it is hoped that there will be greater representation from other sports club throughout the Colony, and also from Uganda.

There are 32 events this year, 19 of which are open. The closing day for entries is noon on June 3. These should be sent in to the Hon. Secretary, Jubilee Athletic meeting, Box 21, Nairobi as soon as possible.

Since the inaugural meeting in June 1930 many changes have been effected in the way of accommodation for the public. A large covered stand capable of seating 250 people has been erected. All seats are numbered and can be booked at Messrs. May and Co., where a booking plan is available. Refreshments of all kinds will also be obtainable on the ground, where a special marquee is to be erected.

Parties by Train

This year a special concession will be available for parties coming from a distance. Clubs entering a team for the sports can secure rail tickets at single fare for the return journey on application by the team secretary to the Superintendent of the Line, Nairobi; District Traffic Superintendents at Kilindini Harbour, Nakuru and Kampala, and the Assistant District Traffic Superintendent at Kisumu.

To secure the concession the party must consist of eight persons, which may include team managers and supporters.

INTER-CLUB BADMINTON MATCH

Goan Institute to Meet Nairobi

A friendly Badminton match has been arranged by the Goan Institute with the Nairobi Badminton Club, to be played on the latter's Courts (Municipal Market), on Thursday, May 2, starting at 6 p.m. sharp. This is the second friendly encounter with the Nairobi Badminton Club and it is expected to be as keen as the first.

JUBILEE HANDICAP AT AUCKLAND PARK

The Barrier Positions

A message has been received by Mr. Rosenston giving the following positions at the starting post for the Jubilee Handicap of £600, one mile, to be run at the meeting of the Auckland Park Racing Club on Monday, May 6:

15.	Austrian	9	8
11.	Tints of Dawn	9	2
19.	Night Storm	8	13
17.	Sun Tor	8	5
10.	Lady May	8	4
13.	Clove Hitch	8	0
4.	Grain of Gold	7	12
5.	Sweepstake	7	12
1.	Scoop	7	10
3.	Ponell	7	9
2.	Pastoral	7	6
18.	Friar's Heel	7	4
7.	Show Off	7	3
6.	Millionairess	7	2
16.	Ukusina	7	1
12.	Adam	6	10
20.	Sand Snipe	6	10
9.	Birthrate	6	7
8.	Eye Witness	6	7
14.	Bathing Suit	6	7

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"Radomedes," states a message received by Mr. Maurice Rosenston, will be a non-starter for the 2,000 guineas.

Ringing Down the Curtain

FOOTBALL SEASON NEARING ITS CLOSE AT HOME

Spurs' Miserable Record

QUESTIONS STILL REMAINING TO BE SOLVED

The championships of the four divisions in England have been decided definitely, but there still remains the question of relegation and promotion so far as one club in the Second Division is concerned. Arsenal assured themselves of honours in the senior ranks some days ago and Sunderland the place of runners-up. Spurs go down, but it is still undecided as to who will go down with them. It rests between Leicester City and Middlesbro. This next Saturday Leicester make the journey to "Pompey", while Middlesbro are at home to Chelsea. The City, already a point in arrears, have the more formidable task. It is ten years since the City club were last in the Second Division, while Middlesbro gained their promotion in 1928-29, when they headed the table. Spurs have had only a brief spell out of the lower ranks being promoted with Stoke City some two years ago.

What a miserable record the White Hart Lane men have since the advent of the year. Their first victory was scored during the Easter holidays, when they beat Blackburn Rovers, and on Saturday they recorded their second win—not a bright piece of reading for a club with such famous traditions.

Chelsea's Recovery

But the team which has made the most amazing recovery has been Chelsea. Of the fourteen games played since the beginning of February they have won 6; drawn 4 and lost 4, quite a useful performance for a club which looked to be doomed to relegation before the turn of the year.

Brentford are champions of the Second Division, but whether Bolton Wanderers, West Ham or Blackpool will go up with them remains in doubt. If Blackpool win on Saturday, when they are at home to the Burnden Park men, and lose their game with Brentford, then Blackpool have a chance of going up, providing West Ham fail at home to Oldham. There seems little likelihood of the last named happening, however, while Bolton cannot face their two remaining matches with any degree of equanimity. They are at home to the Griffin Park club, but are called upon to visit Blackpool for their last fixture, so that the last kick of the season will decide an issue which has been in doubt for the past three or four months.

Oldham and Notts County go down. It will be the former's first experience of Third Division football, from whence Notts County moved up in 1930-31.

Promoted Clubs

Charlton Athletic and Doncaster Rovers take the places of Oldham and Notts County in the Second Division. The former with Arsenal, is the only team to top the century in goals for this season. No team in Scotland has accomplished the feat yet, although Rangers may do it in their one remaining game. They require four more.

Three clubs have had a hundred goals registered against them—Newport County, Carlisle United and Ayr United in Scotland. The last named have succeeded in avoiding the relegation which appeared almost certain a week or so ago. The relegated clubs are Falkirk and St. Mirren. Celtic are runners-up to Rangers and Hearts must rest content with third place.

The season in Scotland has been very interesting. Hearts came nearer than they have done for a good many years to bringing the championship to the East, but a few lapses soon after the New Year spoiled their chances. St. Johnstone and Hamilton Academicals have both had successful seasons, as have also Clyde. The Shawfielders looked like being in at the death, but just could not stick the pace.

The following are the tables up to date:

ENGLISH LEAGUE
Division I

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Arsenal	41	23	12	6	115	45	58
Sunderland	41	19	15	7	88	49	53
Manchester City	41	19	8	14	77	67	46
Sheffield Wed.	40	17	12	11	67	62	46
Liverpool	41	19	6	16	83	86	44
Grimsby	40	16	11	13	75	59	43
Derby Co.	41	17	9	15	80	66	43
W. Brom. Alb.	40	17	9	14	83	80	43
Everton	40	15	11	14	84	84	41
Preston N.E.	41	15	11	15	62	69	41
Aston Villa	41	14	13	14	74	83	41
Stoke City	41	17	6	18	69	70	40
Chelsea	41	16	8	17	71	80	40
Portsmouth	41	15	9	17	70	71	39
Huddersfield	41	14	10	17	76	69	38
Wolverhampton	41	15	8	18	88	89	38
Blackburn R.	41	13	11	17	61	78	37
Leeds Un.	41	12	12	17	71	89	36
Birmingham	41	13	10	18	61	78	36
Middlesbro.	41	10	13	18	68	88	33
Leicester City	41	12	8	21	60	85	32
Tottenham H.	41	10	10	21	51	89	30

Division II.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Brentford	40	25	9	6	90	45	59
West Ham	41	25	4	12	78	63	54
Bolton Wan.	40	25	3	12	95	46	53
Blackpool	41	21	10	10	78	56	52
Manchester Un.	41	22	4	15	74	55	48
Fulham	41	17	12	12	75	53	46
Newcastle Un.	41	21	4	16	87	68	46
Plymouth Arg.	41	19	8	14	75	62	46
Sheffield Un.	41	16	9	16	78	67	41
Burnley	41	16	9	16	63	71	41
Notts For.	41	16	8	17	74	70	40
Bury	41	18	4	19	58	72	40
Norwich City	41	14	10	17	69	59	38
Hull City	41	15	8	18	58	73	38
Bradford	41	11	15	15	54	62	37
Barnsley	41	12	12	17	57	81	36
Swansea	41	14	7	20	54	65	35
Southampton	41	11	12	18	45	71	34
Port Vale	41	11	11	19	54	73	33
Bradford City	41	12	8	21	50	66	32
Oldham Ath.	41	10	6	25	56	95	26
Notts Co.	41	9	7	25	45	92	25

Division III.
(Southern Section).

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Charlton Ath.	41	27	6	8	101	50	60
Reading	40	21	10	9	86	57	52
Luton	40	19	11	10	90	57	49
Coventry City	40	20	8	12	85	50	48
Crystal Pal.	41	19	10	12	84	61	48
Watford	41	18	9	14	73	49	45
Northampton	41	18	8	15	62	65	44
Bristol Rov.	41	17	9	15	72	76	43
Brighton & H.	41	17	8	16	68	59	42
Torquay Un.	41	18	6	17	81	72	42
Millwall	41	16	7	18	54	61	39
Q.P. Rangers	41	15	9	17	61	72	39
Exeter City	41	15	9	17	62	74	39
Clapton Or.	40	14	9	17	61	64	37
Bournemouth	41	15	7	19	54	69	37
Bristol City	41	14	9	18	48	68	37
Swindon	40	12	11	17	65	77	35
Cardiff City	41	13	9	19	62	78	35
Aldershot	40	13	9	18	48	66	35
Gillingham	40	11	11	18	62	72	33
Southend Un.	40	10	9	21	56	74	29
Newport Co.	41	10	5	26	53	110	25

Northern Section.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Doncaster R.	40	28	3	9	89	42	59
Chester	42	20	14	8	91	58	54
Tranmere R.	42	20	11	11	74	55	51
Halifax	40	23	5	12	74	67	51
Lincoln City	41	21	7	13	86	56	49
Darlington	40	19	9	12	77	58	47
Mansfield	40	19	8	13	75	60	46
Stockport Co.	40	21	3	16	84	66	45
Rotherham	41	19	7	15	86	72	45
Chesterfield	41	16	10	15	66	52	42
Wrexham	40	15	11	14	72	65	41
Hartlepools Un.	41	16	7	18	79	78	39
Crewe Alex.	41	14	11	16	76	82	39
York City	41	15	6	20	76	80	36
New Brighton	41	14	8	19	59	75	36
Barrow	41	13	9	19	58	85	35
Walsall	41	12	10	19	77	72	34
Gateshead	41	13	7	21	57	95	33
Accrington S.	41	11	10	20	61	89	32
Southport	41	10	12	19	55	82	32
Rochdale	41	10	11	20	51	71	31
Carlisle Un.	41	8	7	26	50	100	23

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
Division I

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Rangers	37	25	5	7	96	46	55
Celtic	38	24	4	10	92	45	52
Hearts	37	20	10	8	87	51	50
Hamilton Acads.	38	19	10	9	87	67	48
St. Johnstone	38	18	10	10	66	46	46
Aberdeen	38	17	10	11	68	54	44
Motherwell	38	15	10	13	83	64	40
Dundee	38	16	8	14	63	63	40
Kilmarnock	38	16	6	16	76	68	38
Clyde	38	14	10	14	71	69	38
Partick This.	38	15	6	17	61	68	36
Hibernian	37	14	8	15	58	70	36
Queen's Park	37	12	10	15	59	80	34
Airdrie	38	13	7	18	64	72	33
Dunfermline A.	38	15	5	20	56	96	33
Albion Rov.	38	10	9	19	62	77	29
Queen of S.	38	11	7	20	52	72	29
Ayr Un.	38	12	5	21	52	122	29
St. Mirren	38	11	5	22	49	70	27
Falkirk	36	9	6	23	58	82	24

TO-DAY'S RUGBY ENCOUNTER

Old Cambrians and Muthaiga meet in a friendly Rugby match on the latter's ground this afternoon at five o'clock when the teams will be as follow:

Muthaiga.—J. Suffield; A. Ker, F. Grant, J. Tooley and J. Block; S. Ellis and D. Strachan; W. Van-Dyke, J. Burgess, D. Milstead, G. Gamble, S. Balson, J. Sinton, C. Cowen and P. Whiteing. Reserves: A. Wise and H. M. Blancheford.

Old Cambrians.—E. Bigwood; J. Tate, H. Tate, E. Green and G. Dorrell; M. Bell and D. McDonald; G. Poppleton, G. Comninos, D. Lang, B. Finch, G. Finch, J. Edwards, F. Stephens and D. North Lewis.

Sporting Brevities

F.A. of Kenya's Request

The Football Association have asked the South African controlling body, if, when they are drawing up an itinerary for future tours, they would consider Kenya, and if so on what terms such could be arranged.

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General Sir Godfrey Rhodes has been re-elected chairman, and Captain R. C. M. Wood vice-chairman of the F.A. Council for the ensuing year.

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A fine of Shs. 40/- will be imposed on all clubs failing to fulfil any competition fixture unless at least 72 hours notice of inability has been given.

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It is intended that the Nairobi district league games should be concluded before the commencement of the knock-out competitions.

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Entries are now being called for the Nairobi District League—senior and junior divisions. The closing date remains to be fixed.

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The Jubilee Match

Football is to play its part in the Silver Jubilee celebrations. In response to a request from His Worship the Mayor of Nairobi a match is to be played on Saturday, May 11.

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As a prelude to this representative encounter it is hoped to arrange a "comedy" game, or one in which "Players in 1910 play Players in 1935."

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Why not a match between "Jockeys and Boxers"? Two fairly useful teams could be brought together for such a match.

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Eldoret Sports Club and Kisumu European Sports Club have been granted affiliation to the governing body in Kenya.

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Rugby Tour

Nondescripts Rugby Club are to make a tour of Nanyuki and Rumuruti during the coming week-end. They are to play Nanyuki on Saturday, May 4, and Rumuruti on the Sunday.

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Travelling expenses will be allowed. Any members of other clubs who would like to make the trip should communicate with Mr. N. B. Larby, c/o Prince of Wales School.

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Famous Trainer's Death

F. B. Darling, the famous trainer, has died at Newmarket. His skill as a trainer was based on his knowledge of veterinary surgery.

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In 1919 he won the Derby for Lord Glanely with Grand Parade. That was his big year, for he finished second in the winning trainers' list, with successes that represented a value of more than £30,000.

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His first important success was with Subterranean, with whom he won the Liverpool Spring Cup in 1912. He saddled five horses at that meeting and four of them won.

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At Ascot in 1919 he saddled the winners of six races. One was Grand Parade, while another was Dominion, who started a betted favourite for the Derby that year.

PARKLANDS SPORTS CLUB

To-night's Special General Meeting

A special general meeting of the Parklands Sports Club will be held in the clubhouse this evening at 8.30 p.m. to discuss the question of the alterations to the building and the installation of a second billiard table sanctioned at the annual meeting.

There are also one or two other important proposals to come up for discussion, and a full representation of members is requested

JUBILEE FOOTBALL GAME

Scots Team to Play at Highbury

The Scottish Football Association has selected the following team of Anglo-Scots to play England in the Jubilee Fund match at Highbury on May 8:—

Jackson (Chelsea); Nibloe (Sheffield Wednesday); Blair (Aston Villa); Hutchison (Chelsea); Salmond (Portsmouth), Thompson (Everton); Hill and Davidson (Arsenal); Maxwell (Preston North End), Mutch (Manchester United), Cook (Bolton Wanderers).

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W. Brom. Alb.	41	17	9	15	76	66	43
Everton	40	15	11	14	68	64	41
Preston N.E.	41	15	11	15	62	60	41
Aston Villa	41	14	13	14	74	63	41
Stoke City	41	17	6	18	60	70	40
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Huddersfield	41	14	10	17	76	66	38
Wolverhampton	41	15	8	18	80	89	38
Blackburn R.	41	13	11	17	61	76	37
Leeds Un.	41	12	13	17	71	69	36
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Middlesbro.	41	10	12	19	66	89	32
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Bolton Wan.	39	25	3	11	93	46	53
Blackpool	41	21	10	10	73	56	52
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Swansea	41	12	7	20	54	65	31
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Port Vale	41	11	11	19	54	73	33
Bradford City	41	12	6	21	50	66	30
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Reading	40	21	10	9	66	57	52
Luton	40	19	11	10	67	49	49
Coventry City	40	20	8	12	85	50	48
Crystal Pal.	41	19	10	12	77	57	48
Watford	41	19	9	14	73	49	48
Northampton	41	18	9	15	62	66	45
Bristol Rov.	41	17	11	13	66	56	45
Brighton & H.	41	17	8	16	68	59	42
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Aldershot	40	13	9	18	48	64	35
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Southend Un.	40	10	9	21	50	74	29
Newport Co.	41	10	5	26	63	110	25

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Doncaster R.	40	26	3	9	89	42	55
Chester	42	20	14	8	91	56	54
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Sporting Brevities

F.A. of Kenya's Request

The Football Association have asked the South African controlling body, if, when they are drawing up an itinerary for future tours, they would consider Kenya, and if so on what terms such could be arranged.

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General Sir Godfrey Rhodes has been re-elected chairman, and Captain R. C. M. Wood vice-chairman of the F.A. Council for the ensuing year.

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Division I

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Arsenal	41	23	12	6	115	45	58
Sunderland	41	19	15	7	88	49	53
Manchester City	41	19	8	14	77	67	46
Sheffield Wed.	40	17	12	11	67	62	46
Liverpool	41	19	6	16	83	86	44
Grimsby	40	16	11	13	75	59	43
Derby Co.	41	17	9	15	80	66	43
W. Brom. Alb.	40	17	9	14	83	80	43
Everton	40	15	11	14	84	84	41
Preston N.E.	41	15	11	15	62	69	41
Aston Villa	41	14	13	14	74	83	41
Stoke City	41	17	6	18	60	70	40
Chelsea	41	16	8	17	71	80	40
Portsmouth	41	15	9	17	70	71	39
Huddersfield	41	14	10	17	76	69	38
Wolverhampton	41	15	8	18	86	89	38
Blackburn R.	41	13	11	17	61	76	37
Leeds Un.	41	12	12	17	71	80	36
Birmingham	41	13	10	18	61	78	36
Middlesbro.	41	10	13	18	68	88	33
Leicester City	41	12	8	21	60	85	32
Tottenham H.	41	10	10	21	51	89	30

Division II.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Brentford	40	25	9	6	90	45	59
West Ham	41	25	4	12	78	63	54
Bolton Wan.	40	25	3	12	93	46	53
Blackpool	41	21	10	10	78	56	52
Manchester Un.	41	22	4	15	74	55	48
Fulham	41	17	12	12	75	63	46
Newcastle Un.	41	21	4	16	87	68	46
Plymouth Arg.	41	19	8	14	75	62	46
Sheffield Un.	41	16	9	16	76	67	41
Burnley	41	16	9	16	63	71	41
Notts For.	41	16	8	17	74	70	40
Bury	41	18	4	19	58	72	40
Norwich City	41	14	10	17	69	59	38
Hull City	41	15	8	18	58	73	38
Bradford	41	11	15	15	54	62	37
Barnsley	41	12	12	17	57	81	36
Swansea	41	14	7	20	54	65	35
Southampton	41	11	12	18	45	71	34
Port Vale	41	11	11	19	54	73	33
Bradford City	41	12	8	21	50	66	32
Oldham Ath.	41	10	6	25	56	93	26
Notts Co.	41	9	7	25	45	92	25

Division III.
(Southern Section).

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Charlton Ath.	41	27	6	8	101	50	60
Reading	40	21	10	9	86	57	52
Luton	40	19	11	10	90	57	49
Coventry City	40	20	8	12	85	50	48
Crystal Pal.	41	19	10	12	84	61	48
Watford	41	18	9	14	73	49	45
Northampton	41	18	8	15	62	65	44
Bristol Rov.	41	17	9	15	72	76	43
Brighton & H.	41	17	8	16	68	58	42
Torquay Un.	41	18	6	17	81	72	42
Millwall	41	16	7	18	54	61	39
Q.P. Rangers	41	15	9	17	61	72	39
Exeter City	41	15	9	17	62	74	39
Clapton Or.	40	14	9	17	61	64	37
Bournemouth	41	15	7	19	54	69	37
Bristol City	41	14	9	18	48	68	37
Swindon	40	12	11	17	65	77	35
Cardiff City	41	13	9	19	62	78	35
Aldershot	40	13	9	18	48	66	35
Gillingham	40	11	11	18	52	72	33
Southend Un.	40	10	9	21	59	74	29
Newport Co.	41	10	5	26	53	110	25

Northern Section.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Doncaster R.	40	28	3	9	89	42	59
Chester	42	20	14	8	91	58	54
Tranmere R.	42	20	11	11	74	55	51
Halifax	40	23	5	12	74	67	51
Lincoln City	41	21	7	13	86	58	49
Darlington	40	19	9	12	77	58	47
Mansfield	40	19	8	13	75	60	46
Stockport Co.	40	21	3	16	84	66	45
Rotherham	41	19	7	15	86	72	45
Chesterfield	41	16	10	15	66	52	42
Wrexham	40	15	11	14	72	65	41
Hartlepools Un.	41	16	7	18	79	78	39
Crewe Alex.	41	14	11	16	76	82	39
York City	41	15	6	20	76	80	36
New Brighton	41	14	8	19	59	75	36
Barrow	41	13	9	19	58	85	35
Walsall	41	12	10	19	77	72	34
Gateshead	41	13	7	21	57	95	33
Accrington S.	41	[illegible]	10	20	61	[illegible]	[illegible]
Southport	41	10	12	19	55	82	32
Rochdale	41	10	11	20	53	71	31
Carlisle Un.	41	8	7	26	50	100	23

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
Division I

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Rangers	37	25	5	7	[illegible]	46	55
Celtic	38	24	4	10	[illegible]	45	[illegible]
Hearts	37	20	10	8	87	[illegible]	50
Hamilton Acads.	38	19	10	9	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Johnstone	38	18	10	10	[illegible]	45	46
Aberdeen	38	17	[illegible]	11	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Motherwell	38	15	10	13	[illegible]	[illegible]	40
Dundee	38	16	8	14	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kilmarnock	38	16	6	16	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clyde	38	14	10	14	71	[illegible]	[illegible]
Partick Thes.	38	15	6	17	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hibernian	37	14	8	15	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Queen's Park	37	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Airdrie	38	13	7	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dunfermline A.	38	13	5	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Albion Rov.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Queen of S.	[illegible]	11	7	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ayr Un.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Mirren	[illegible]	11	5	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Falkirk	[illegible]	9	6	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

TO-DAY'S RUGBY ENCOUNTER

Old Cambrians and Muthaiga meet in a friendly Rugby match on the latter's ground this afternoon at five o'clock when the teams will be as follow:

Muthaiga.—J. Soffield; A. Ker, F. Grant, J. Tooley and J. Block; S. Ellis and D. Strachan; W. Van-Dyke, J. Burgess, D. Milstead, G. Gamble, S. Balson, J. Sinton, C. Cowen and P. Whiteing. Reserves: A. Wise and H. M. Blancheford.

Old Cambrians.—E. Bigwood; J. Tate, H. Tate, E. Green and G. Dorrell; M. Bell and D. McDonald; G. Poppleton, G. Comninos, D. Lang, B. Finch, G. Finch, J. Edwards, F. Stephens and D. North Lewis.

Sporting Brevities

F.A. of Kenya's Request

The Football Association have asked the South African controlling body, if, when they are drawing up an itinerary for future tours, they would consider Kenya, and if so on what terms such could be arranged.

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General Sir Godfrey Rhodes has been re-elected chairman, and Captain R. C. M. Wood vice-chairman of the F.A. Council for the ensuing year.

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A fine of Shs. 40/- will be imposed on all clubs failing to fulfil any competition fixture unless at least 72 hours notice of inability has been given.

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It is intended that the Nairobi district league games should be concluded before the commencement of the knock-out competitions.

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Entries are now being called for the Nairobi District League—senior and junior divisions. The closing date remains to be fixed.

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The Jubilee Match

Football is to play its part in the Silver Jubilee celebrations. In response to a request from His Worship the Mayor of Nairobi a match is to be played on Saturday, May 11.

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As a prelude to this representative encounter it is hoped to arrange a "comedy" game, or one in which "Players in 1910 play Players in 1935."

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Why not a match between "Jockeys and Boxers"? Two fairly useful teams could be brought together for such a match.

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Eldoret Sports Club and Kisumu European Sports Club have been granted affiliation to the governing body in Kenya.

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Rugby Tour

Nondescripts Rugby Club are to make a tour of Nanyuki and Rumuruti during the coming week-end. They are to play Nanyuki on Saturday, May 4, and Rumuruti on the Sunday.

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Travelling expenses will be allowed. Any members of other clubs who would like to make the trip should communicate with Mr. N. B. Larby, c/o Prince of Wales School.

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Famous Trainer's Death

F. B. Darling, the famous trainer, has died at Newmarket. His skill as a trainer was based on his knowledge of veterinary surgery.

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In 1919 he won the Derby for Lord Glanely with Grand Parade. That was his big year, for he finished second in the winning trainers' list, with successes that represented a value of more than £30,000.

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His first important success was with Subterranean, with whom he won the Liverpool Spring Cup in 1912. He saddled five horses at that meeting and four of them won.

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At Ascot in 1919 he saddled the winners of six races. One was Grand Parade, while another was Dominion, who started a betted favourite for the Derby that year.

PARKLANDS SPORTS CLUB

To-night's Special General Meeting

A special general meeting of the Parklands Sports Club will be held in the clubhouse this evening at 8.30 p.m. to discuss the question of the alterations to the building and the installation of a second billiard table sanctioned at the annual meeting.

There are also one or two other important proposals to come up for discussion, and a full representation of members is requested.

JUBILEE FOOTBALL GAME

Scots Team to Play at Highbury

The Scottish Football Association has selected the following team of Anglo-Scots to play England in the Jubilee Fund match at Highbury on May 8:—

Jackson (Chelsea); Nibloe (Sheffield Wednesday); Blair (Aston Villa); Hutchison (Chelsea); Salmond (Portsmouth), Thompson (Everton); Hill and Davidson (Arsenal); Maxwell (Preston North End), Mutch (Manchester United), Cook (Bolton Wanderers).

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VICTORIA CUP, seven furlongs, run May 4th[illegible] 4 Flamenco; 8 Dignitary, Boethius; 10 Makila, Shini[illegible] Tor, Precious Pearl, Pegasus; 12 Overcoat, Blackm[illegible] 14 Totaig, Bow and Arrow; 16 Unlikely, Bondsman; Badruddin, Thermidor. Market Prices Others.

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