

BALFOUR ON TARIFF REFORM

He Has the Unionists Pledged to His Support in this Respect. Britain's Industrial Standing.

LONDON, Sept 23.—(Special.)—Hon. A. J. Balfour, the Conservative leader, definitely threw down the tariff reform gauntlet in a great speech at Birmingham.

The Budget, he said, with a dangerous tendency toward aliphod communism, has realized the most important issue for many years, and the nation now had to decide whether it would enter upward, hopeful, forward movement of tariff reform, or take first through in nowise the last step on downward track which leads to a bottomless confusion of socialistic legislation.

THE 1909 EXHIBITION A SPLENDID SUCCESS

The Management are Being Congratulated—The Attendance Was Greater than Each of the Preceding Days and the Races Were the Best Yet.

A grand afternoon sport was the unanimous verdict of all who attended the exhibition races yesterday. The day was fine and the atmosphere pleasantly tempered, the crowd good natured, keen for enjoyment.

2.50 CLASS, TROT, (STAKE) PURSE \$150.00. FIRST HEAT. There were eight starters in this race and they got away on the fourth score.

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FORTY PERISH IN HURRICANE

At New Orleans Recently. The Actual Count Not Yet Available. A Million Dollar Property Loss.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept 23.—(Special.)—The list of known dead who perished in the Terrebonne Parish swelled to more than forty, and it is believed that a score more be added to the number.

reaching millions of dollars, came in with the gradual restoration of communication. Relief parties in Terrebonne parish are continuing the work today.

ANOTHER STEAMER DESTROYED BY FIRE

SAULT STE MARIE, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The steamer Montague, which, while on her way from Duluth to Oswego, struck a submerged crib and had to be beached, caught fire and was destroyed.

STORMS DAMAGE PROVENCE, FRANCE

PARIS, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Southern France, especially Provence, has been visited by heavy storms, accompanied by earthquakes.

SECOND AERONAUTIC CONGRESS IN PROGRESS

NANCY, France, Sept. 22.—The Second International Aeronautic Congress opened here Saturday. The various problems raised by the recent great advance in aerial navigation will be discussed, especially the necessity of elaborating national and international legislation, defining the rules of the air and the question of frontiers.

2.50 CLASS, TROT AND PACE. PURSE \$300.00. FIRST HEAT.

There were four starters. Ozen D. Queen Marie, Meadowville and The Governess. The Governess drew the pole. It took six scores to get the horses away and it was a great race and excitement was kept at fever heat to the finish.

2.40 FACE, (STAKE) Purse \$200.00. NOTES.

Between heats Brazilian 2.19 showed to good advantage. Few, if any, ever saw a horse 20 years old do a quarter in 34 seconds and he appeared ready for the whole four quarters at the same clip.

RELIGIOUS RIOTS IN CASTRO, SPAIN

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TOM LONGBOAT GETS INTO SHAPE

TORONTO, Sept. 23.—(Special)—Tom Longboat, and his manager Sol Minz, are taking in the fall fairs. He is giving exhibition runs and reaping a rich harvest.

TORRENTIAL RAINS DESTROY HOMES

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept 23.—(Special)—Torrential rains have caused a loss of 100 lives and the destruction of five hundred homes at Hons, a town of Northern Syria.

POINTS TO GERMAN NAVAL ACTIVITY

PORTLAND, Or., Sept. 22.—Lord Northcliffe, editor of the London Times, passed through Portland Sunday. In an interview regarding the peace of Europe, he says:

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The full entry list started and Pretoria drew the pole. It took only one score to get away. At the 1/4 mile Hilda S. led, with Baby Boy at her wheel. Pretoria, Lena Wood, and Longboat, were several lengths in the rear.

NEW 12-CENT STAMP

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The 12-cent stamp just ordered prepared for the postoffice department was last issued in 1870. The announcement that it will bear George Washington's portrait was based on the assumption that the last 12-cent stamp bore that likeness.

BISHOPS EXPLAINED THE PLFNARY COUNCIL

QUEBEC, Sept. 22.—The events of yesterday in the Ancient Capital were a religious procession, with a priest at its head was about to enter the church when it was attacked by an armed mob.

ASIATIC PRISONERS TRY FOR LIBERTY

OSHI, ASIATIC RUSSIA, Sept 23.—(Special.)—A group of nineteen prisoners attempted to escape from the local jail last evening.

PRESENTATION TO F. J. McMILLAN

Last night a number of the friends of F. J. McMillan, lately of the Royal Bank of Canada, in this City assembled in the Bank to bid farewell to Mr. McMillan who leaves Saturday morning for Edmonton.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED, a general servant. Must be a good plain cook. No washing or ironing. Apply to Mrs McDonald, 126 Rochford St. 9-24461.

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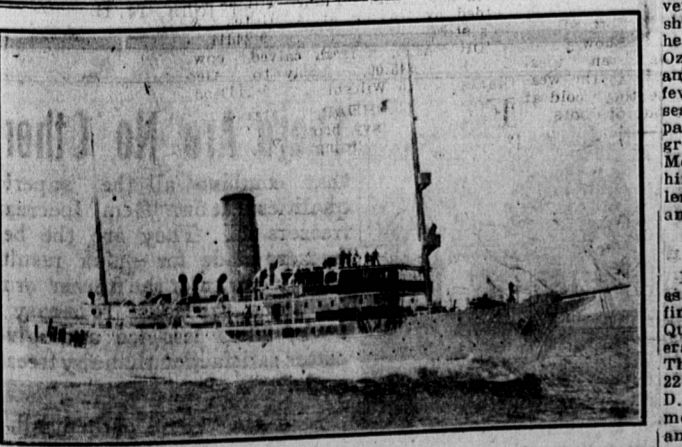
CHICAGO, Sept 23.—(Special.)—Sept Wheat 99 1/2, Dec Wheat 105, Sept Corn 60, Dec Corn 66, Dec Pork Nil.

ODDFELLOWS GRAND LODGE AT SEATTLE

SEATTLE, Wn., Sept. 22.—The Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Oddfellows of the U. S. and Canada opened today with 25,000 members from every State in the Union present.

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The O. G. S. Earl Grey. She arrived in port yesterday after an ocean voyage extending over 23 days and marked by most exciting incidents.

218 CLASS, TROT AND PACE. PURSE \$300.00. THIRD AND LAST HEAT.

It took ten scores to get the horses away. Ozen D. led from start to finish with Meadowville at his wheel. Queen Marie acted bad, making several breaks but finished third. The Governess, fourth. Time 2:24. This heat gave Ozen D. first money. Meadowville second money. Queen Marie, third money and The Governess fourth money.

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The best heat of the day. Horses away on first score. During the first half Baby Boy and Hilda S. took their turn at the pole. Then Lena Wood showed up and paced the bunch to the stretch. Pretoria laid low and did not appear to exert himself until the home stretch, when he passed all his rivals and came home a length ahead. Lena Wood second. Baby Boy third and Hilda S. fourth. Time 2:29. Pretoria won first money. Baby Boy, second money. Hilda S. third money and Lena Wood fourth money.

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