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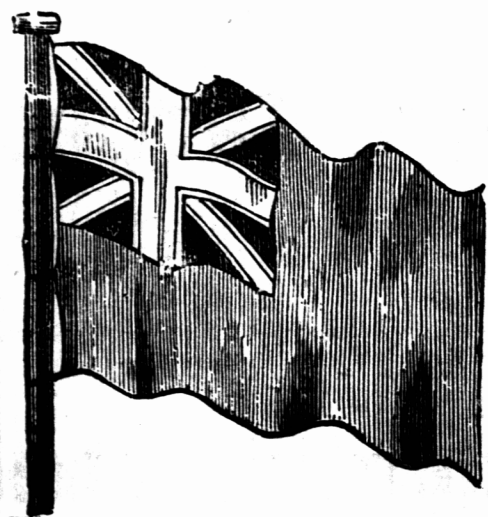
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THE MORNING GUARDIAN.

TUESDAY, MAY 23, 1899.



THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

As our despatches have told, the celebration of Her Majesty's eightieth birthday is this year more extensive than usual, and includes several matters of special interest to the royal person, extending over a week in time. Her Majesty has re-visited Kensington Palace, where she was born, where she passed her young days, and where she received, nearly sixty-two years ago the news of her accession to the throne. The rooms were put in the same order as they were in the days of her girlhood, preparatory to what must have been a memorable and pathetic visit. The solemn dedication of the Victoria and Albert Museum, together with the assembling of a larger number than usual of the members of the Royal Family and its descendants, are also distinguishing features of this year's anniversary.

Eighty memorable years have passed since our noble Queen first saw the light, and the anniversary must be to her year by year one of increasing retrospect. All aged persons live much in the past, even when busily occupied, as Her Majesty has always been without most important duties. Doubtless her thoughts have gone back many times to that morning when she was awakened from her sleep and met the Lord Chamberlain and the Archbishop of Canterbury in her night robe to receive the news that she was Queen. She has lived to see eighteen changes of ministry. How many great ones have fallen in the sixty-two years since 1837!

Of Her Majesty's Premiers only two survive, Lord Salisbury and Lord Rosebery. Melbourne, Peel, Russell Derby, Aberdeen, Palmerston, Beaconsfield and Gladstone have passed away. What an era of great events, and measures her reign has been! Wars in the four quarters of the world, rebellions in Canada and India, now long past; Chartism, repeal measures, reform bills, free trade, trades unionism, disestablishment, franchise extension, land reforms, colonial expansion. What revolutions in the religious, moral, intellectual and physical world have taken place in this one reign. The multiplied agencies of the press, missions, the temperance reform; the modern educational system; steamboats and railways, electric telegraphs, lights, telephones, and labor saving machinery; steel clad fleets and rapid-fire guns; an empire doubled in area and population;—such are a few of the agencies that have come in or attained their present development during the Queen's long reign.

Time and space will not permit even the mention of the great names of the

poets, historians, essayists, scientists, discoverers, that have made the reign as rich and great as that of Elizabeth. The thoughts of the Queen herself and of millions of her loyal subjects, must inevitably glance forward as well as backward at such a time as this. Will she live to see another birthday? Most heartily will we all pray that she may. But the Psalmist says: "The days of our years are three score years and ten; and if by reason of strength they be four score years, yet is their strength, labor and sorrow." It is in the nature of things that our hopes hang upon a slender thread and may "be soon cut off."

When the end comes—may it be delayed!—very pleasant and kindly will be the memories of her myriad subjects for the good Queen Empress who so graciously, so justly, so wisely and long has swayed the sceptre over the British Empire. Very enduring in the national councils, in the royal household and in all the homes of the land must be the influence of the great examples she has set as mother, wife and Queen. No sovereign of the ages past has left a richer legacy to a bereaved people than Victoria will leave to the subjects of her wide domain. But the end is not yet. And with mingled hopes and fears, a touch of sadness in their joy, with a tender solicitude perhaps never felt before, a loyal and devoted people will once more join in the National Anthem: God Save Our Gracious Queen!

APPOINTMENTS.

Without positive knowledge of the facts THE GUARDIAN has strong reason to believe that the following appointments have been made and will presently be announced officially:

Dr. P. A. McIntyre, ex-M. P. to be Lieutenant Governor of P. E. Island.

Hon. A. B. Warburton, County Court Judge for King's County to be Judge of the County Court of Queen's County.

Mr. Stanislaus Blanchard, Stipendiary Magistrate to be Judge of the County Court of Kings County.

These appointments and changes will not meet with universal approbation. In fact there will likely be some pretty lively kicking over what is thought to be "a deal" in judgments.

Tomorrow, the anniversary of the Queen's birthday, THE MORNING GUARDIAN will not be issued.

And immediately below the above deliverance The Patriot printed three letters, all abusing THE GUARDIAN or defending the Farquharson License Act, not one which is signed with the name of the writer.

The Patriot—

"So far not a single writer in THE GUARDIAN out on the tax bill has had the courage to state his case over his own name. This is courageous and thorough keeping with the unmasked hypocrisy and the spitefulness of those who do this sort of thing."

"A Presbyterian Elder," or somebody who claims to be such, writes to

the license organ to say that—

"It seems quite unfair, indeed, to accuse Premier Farquharson and his party of hypocrisy, and yielding to the wishes of the liquor party, when he has done more for temperance than any leader we have had on P. E. Island."

Benedict Arnold had lost a leg in the American army before he betrayed his country. We do not know that the respect of his countrymen for the rest of the traitor's body was much increased on that account.

LAST night's service in the Kindergarten Hall was of exceptional interest. Mr. Whiston spoke with great earnestness on the text "Look and Live." He compared the fiery serpents to the sins so numerous in our midst, especially the liquor traffic and in the most decisive terms and strongest most denouncing language he expressed his disapproval—his sorrow and disgust at the fact that Charlottetown has decided to license "Hell! Devil! Rum!!!" Whereas we now have upwards of 100 saloons, low, vile and unattractive, license will give us 40 or 50 gilded saloons, beautiful to the eye, and attractive to youth which will wreck the life and damn the soul of those who fall into them. He pointed to "The Lamb of God" and urged all to accept the offer to "look and live."

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