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ARRANGING LAST TRIBUTES

Plans for the Pageant When the Queen's Body is Moved to Its Final Resting Place.

THE FLORAL OFFERINGS

All Contributions Have a Place No Matter Where They Come. Elaborate Preparations for the London Procession—Windows at a Premium.

London, Jan. 30.—The demand for seats along the route of the funeral is unprecedented. Ordinary window seats are selling for \$10 each. Since two or three days ago the prices have risen very rapidly. One tenant in St. James street obtained fifty pounds for a window on the top floor. Store windows have been let for 150 pounds and 20 pounds. But the storekeepers mostly prefer to let single seats at ten pounds and fifteen pounds each. Stores and hotels in Piccadilly, commanding a view of the incline from there to St. James palace, are getting immense prices. Many seats totaling twenty-five pounds and thirty pounds. The King of Greece, the Duke of Sparta and the Grand Duke of Baden reached Victoria station at 5 o'clock. They were received by Prince Charles of Denmark and members of the King's household. The visitors proceeded to Marlborough house.

The Spanish battleship Pelayo, Spain's representative at the funeral, is commanded by Captain Diaz Moreno, who was commander of the Christiana Columbus, lost in the battle of Santiago.

The United States military attaché here, Major Edward B. Cassatt, will ride in the procession with the headquarters staff.

On Jan. 30.—The service at Windsor Saturday will be conducted by the archbishop of Canterbury, the bishop of Winchester and the dean of Windsor. The archbishop of York and the bishop of Oxford will be present.

The internment Monday will be conducted by the dean of Winchester and the dean of Windsor.

Services at St. George's Chapel. Windsor, Jan. 30.—The service in St. George's chapel will begin at 10 o'clock. The body is expected to arrive at Windsor at 1:30 p. m. The route to the chapel, which occupies half an hour, will be lined by troops, two deep, the Eton volunteers participating with the guards.

The ordinary services used for the burial of the dead with special music. The choir will sing from the altar steps, whence, also, the latter king of arms will announce the decease of the sovereign and all her rights and dignities.

An accommodation has been reserved on the left of the coffin for the princesses. The King and other crowned heads will stand at the head.

Enormous crowds are expected. People are willingly paying twenty pounds for a window from which to view the procession.

Masses of flowers made up in crosses and crowns from rare blossoms that are the gifts of royal personages down to humble posies sent in by children, several thousands of flower pieces, including flowers from the members of the aristocracy, numerous crosses, country towns, cities, societies, regiments, inmates of workhouses, and even the smallest nosegays, are laid out for public view, side by side with the designs of the great florists. Some of the flowers are fading, but every express brings fresh additions.

A small crowd gathered this afternoon to view the wreaths sent up from Osborne and placed around the ancient cloister adjoining St. George's chapel. Windsor castle was deserted, save for these sightseers. The standard floated at half mast on top of the great tower, rooks cawed mournfully around the ivy-covered buttresses and from the chapel came the clang of carpenters' hammers. Carriage loads of timber were constantly arriving, with which stands are being built about the chapel to accommodate those who will view the service Saturday.

In the town black and purple drapery is beginning to cover the antiquated houses.

Arranging the Military Details. The heavy work of arranging the elaborate military details of the London procession will prevent the official programme being issued before this (Thursday) evening. Some idea of the extent of the labor involved will be gained from the fact that a firm of caterers has been instructed by the war office to provide breakfast and dinner for 25,000 men, including the staff of the military and naval escort will precede the coffin, that after the escort will come the headquarters staff of the army, the military attachés and various military bands, and that the funeral will be followed by King Edward, Emperor William and King Charles of Portugal, the royal mourners; representatives of foreign states, mourning carriages with the princesses and then the remainder of the military escort. All the troops will march with reversed arms.

Princess Beatrice took her children to the Chapelle Ardente yesterday for a final look at the coffin.

It is understood that Emperor William will leave England Tuesday, travelling direct to see King George Frederick.

Prince Henry of Prussia will go with the squadron under his command to Dutch waters for the wedding of the Queen of Holland.

It is rumored that there will be a levee and drawing room within a month or six weeks.

The procession in London, as indicated by the war office orders, issued

SENATE PASSES GRADY BILL

A Vote of 26 to 15 in Favor of the Repeal of the Libel Law of 1897.

POSITION OF MR. FLINN

Has Been Mentioned by Newspapers Quite Frequently. Yet Was Not in Favor of the Grady Measure—Other Bills Passed in the Senate—Proceedings of the House.

Harrisburg, Jan. 30.—Senator Grady's bill, repealing the law of 1897 relating to libel and its punishments, was passed by the senate today by a vote of 26 to 15, after considerable debate. When the bill came up in the regular order on the calendar, Mr. Grady asked that it go over for the time being. He gave no reason. Later on, he interrupted the second reading of bills and called up his measure. Mr. Grady gave what he called a history of the libel law. He said that under the constitution the law was quite liberal. Injuries were done under the old law and many suits were brought, but the public knew very little how such things were settled. The press of the state was not unanimous for the Act of 1897, believing that the old law was a better one for the newspapers and the public. The present act, Mr. Grady said, was inadequate for the reason that few, if any, persons have been criminally or civilly convicted for violation of the law.

Senator Flinn then read Representative Cooper's statement, in which he said he was opposed to the repealing of the law, because it would make operative laws passed a generation ago, and characterized Mr. Cooper's position as ridiculous. Senator Sprout, of Delaware, opposed the repeal of the law until something better is offered.

Senator Focht, Union, who is a newspaper proprietor, as is also Mr. Sprout, said that he was heartily in favor of the repeal bill. He maintained that the existing law was "an antiquated relic" in Philadelphia's household, and blackening their characters, was a disgrace. He also thought the present law inadequate because no man can recover until he can prove damage done.

Senator Flinn questioned if any man in the senate had been more freely mentioned in the newspapers than himself, yet he was opposed to the measure before the senate.

After some further discussion, the bill passed by a vote of 26 to 15. The vote was: Democratic, Boyd, Bulke, Cummings, Drury, Emery, Fisher, Focht, Grady, Grandbank, Haines, Hardenberg, Heidelberg, Muehlbroner, Neely, Quail, Scott, Sisson, Snyder, Stiles, Stober, Vane, Vaughan, Washburn, Williams and Woods.

NO ARRANGEMENTS FOR PRESS

SISTER OF CHARITY IS ILL-TREATED

Imprisoned as a Lunatic, Is Declared Sane by Probate Judge.

WILL DECIDE FATE OF SUBSIDY BILL

Important Conference of Democrats, Populists and Silver Republicans.

ANIMALS ROASTED IN BOSTOCK'S "ZOO"

SEVENTY-FIVE OR MORE SPECIMENS PERISH IN THE FLAMES—THE LOSS \$400,000.

SENATOR DRURY FILES ANSWER

Denies That He Received \$1,500, and Affirms That He Is Eligible in Every Respect for Office.

ITALIANS ESCAPE

DEATHS OF A DAY

BOERS REACH CAPE COLONY

General De Wet and a Strong Force of Men Said to Have Arrived.

KING EDWARD'S MESSAGE

The New Ruler Sends a Significant Dispatch to Lord Kitchener—An Eye Witness to the Execution of the Peace Envoy Appears.

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LETTER TO FATHER PHILLIPS.

President Mitchell, of the Mine Workers, Hopes for Better Times.

KNOW ENCOUNTERS DE WET.

Gen. Smith-Dorrien Disperses Burglers in Transvaal.

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