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**Editorial Notes and Clippings**

**SHOULD BE NO DELAY IN AMBULANCE CALLS.**

David Graham, the man who was injured while at work on the wharf yesterday, it is said, had to wait half an hour for the arrival of the ambulance after it had been telephoned for. This should not be. The ambulance should be kept in some part of the city where it can be got out immediately. Often times it is a race between life and death for the hospital, and for this reason the larger cities have installed the most powerful automobile ambulances, equipped with self starters and always ready that not a single second may be lost in bringing the patient to the hospital.

While this city is not in a position to provide automobile ambulances, it might improve the present service were the ambulance to be placed at a more central point. Either at the fire station or city hall.

**ALD. MORRISSEY AND THE "MAYOR'S NEST."**

According to a contemporary, Alderman Morrissey at the last meeting of the Council found a "Mayor's Nest." If that was the case and he did not report the find to the Council, perhaps that explains the weak-kneed action of calling for the police. If the Mayor lost his "nest" he certainly did not make any mention of the fact and certainly did not accuse Alderman Morrissey in open council, although

he did say that the Alderman was trying to get his scap, and the Council were willing and ready to get after him, but on oath we will say that he did not complain of losing his "nest."

Perhaps his "nest" meant his hat, and in that event he might have lost it, for, to use a vulgar phrase, a good many of the city fathers were "talking through their hats," and maybe the Mayor's headgear got mixed in the shuffle, or perhaps he lent it to Alderman Montgomery and forgot the fact and attributed the loss of his "nest" to Alderman Morrissey.

When interviewed on the subject, Alderman Morrissey denied absolutely having seen the "nest," and is undecided as to whether or not he ought to make the Mayor and publisher of the newspaper explain the grounds for the assertion. He is sure, however, that no ties of fraternalism would block his arrest were the Mayor to lay an information against him for the purloining of the "Mayor's Nest."

**Demonstration Against I. W. W. Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 15.**—Thirty thousand men, women and children marched through the streets each carrying an American flag as a demonstration against the Industrial Workers of the World. The sidewalks were lined ten deep with cheering spectators and every building along the line of march was decorated.

**KITCHENER WISHED TO HAVE HIS LEG BROKEN AGAIN**

London, Oct. 16.—The London correspondent of the Manchester Guardian states that the visit to England of Lord Kitchener, who has returned to resume his duties as agent and consul general in Egypt, was for his leg, which since an accident in India has interfered with his comfort.

Lord Kitchener had thought of having the limb broken again and reset. He consulted a surgeon in London and one in Liverpool and they advised him that it was quite impossible to have the leg broken again, for conditions had set in which make such an operation far more serious than it would have been formerly and less likely of success.



LORD KITCHENER.

serious obstacle in the way of marriages, the town council has applied under the housing act for a loan of £2,100, so that eleven more cottages could be erected immediately.

Alfred Smythe White, a hop grower, was at Malling, Kent, recently fined £10 and costs for neglecting to provide a wholesome supply of water to his hop pickers housed at Parsonage farm, Yalding. They were found getting dirty water from ditches 150 yards distant.

There has taken place at Godalming, Surrey, the tenth wedding anniversary in one family. Mr. and Mrs. Harfield Edgington, the parents of the bride, were married at Godalming Parish church, whilst ten of their children, five sons and five daughters, have also been married there.

Nine stacks and many agricultural implements were destroyed by fire at a farm at Braceborough, Lincolnshire, though the fire brigade worked for ten hours. At two farms at Woodford, near Wilmslow, Cheshire, several stacks of hay and corn were also destroyed by fire.

Copper has been discovered in the Island of Burray, Orkney, the property of the Marquis of Zetland. Samples which have been tested have given generally satisfactory returns. Steps are now being taken to ascertain whether copper exists in a paying quantity.

Dr. Angus Macfarlane, Roman Catholic bishop of Dunkeld, died at Dundee on Tuesday after a week's illness. Dr. Macfarlane acted as secretary to Archbishop Eyre in Glasgow, and was made bishop in 1901.

Henry Moore, a miner from Shotts, visited Dundee and went to live in Browning's temperance hotel, Crichton street. About 3 o'clock in the morning he stepped out of his bedroom window and fell into the street from a height of thirty feet. Singularly enough, Moore escaped without injury.

It is alleged by the Northumberland miners' executive in a circular to the lodges that workmen are being compelled to sign certificates not to claim the minimum wage or leave their employment.

A faculty of journalism has been included in the curriculum of Cork University, and a degree will be granted to students on the completion of a three years' course. The Irish language is made compulsory for both matriculation and degree examinations.

While on a holiday at Portrush, the Rev. William Nicholas, president of the Methodist College, Belfast, and twice president of the Irish Methodist Conference, died suddenly on Tuesday. He was a senior of the old Royal University and a distinguished theologian.

**NEWS NOTES OF INTEREST BY MAIL FROM THE OLD COUNTRY**

At Glasgow a well dressed man named Robert Golder, 35 years of age, residing in Paisley, was charged with having obtained 2s 6d from an Italian shop keeper in Glasgow by pretending that he was an inspector under the national insurance act. He called on shop keepers and asked to see their insurance cards, and on being told that they were not insured, he said that they must pay a £10 fine. When they said that they had not the money he got 2s 6d from one shop keeper, and tried to get 2s and 2s 6d from others by saying that he would arrange the matter for them. He was sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment.

having a free ride at the back of a vehicle caused the death of Alice Smith, aged 11, at Selby, recently. A motor engine was drawing two furniture vans, and when near Thorne Willoughby a party of girls rushed in between the vans to get a ride, but the Smith girl slipped and fell under the wheels of a van and was instantly killed.

In the Council school at Tollesbury, Essex, a centre of yachting and oyster culture, has been started a system of teaching sea cookery, elementary navigation and swimming.

Elizabeth Webber, a cook at Albert Hall Mansions, Kensington, died as the result of burns. A spark from the fire ignited her apron, which the kitchen maid tore off, but the flames seized the cook's clothing.

As the Rochester barge Hip Hip was off Woolwich early Thursday morning, the wife of the skipper gave birth to triplets, two boys and a girl. The latter, however, died within half an hour.

City of London battalions of the National Reserve will, after attending service on Sunday at six churches, march to the Mansion House and will be presented by the Lord Mayor with a color. This had been given by Mrs. G. E. Philcox, wife of Mr. G. E. Philcox, of Messrs. J. Williamson & Co., of the Stock Exchange.

Arthur Cooper, of Moss Side, confessed to the Manchester stipendiary that he stole several bicycles in order to obtain money to indulge in his favorite pursuit—billiards. He was bound over on agreeing to go to a farm training colony.

The scarcity of small houses at reasonable rents at Bridgeport, Dorset, having proved a

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