

## IN MERRY OLD ENGLAND

NEWS BY MAIL ABOUT JOHN BULL AND HIS PEOPLE.

Occurrences in the Land That  
mercial World.  
Reigns Supreme in the Com-

Eleven hundred excursionists were fog-bound all night on the journey from London to Yarmouth. Mrs. S. H. Cohen of Broadway, Westminster, received a telegram from the King congratulating her on having reached her 100th birthday.

At a sale of hackneys and harness horses at Wrexham recently 500 guineas was paid for a fifteen hands harness horse. The buyer was an American show exhibitor.

A man formerly in the employ of the Salvation Army has been arrested in connection with an outbreak of fire at the Salvation Army shed in Lorenzo street, King's Cross.

Although about 500 bathers were in Queensmere Pond, Wimbledon Common, when Walter Roffey, aged 26, of Haldon road, Wandsworth, was drowned, not one of them witnessed the fatality.

Miss Catharine Evangelina Booth-Clibborn, granddaughter of General Booth, will be married to the Rev. James Strachan, M.A., minister of the Presbyterian Church, Belgrave square, on September 22.

While Messrs. Pezzach and Waller were bream and pollach angling from a boat off Penzance a shark took one of their baits and was captured after an exciting struggle. It measured 4 feet in length.

The Japanese Government has purchased a number of pure bred Minorca and Andalusian fowls from Captain Allen of Sawbridgeworth, and they have been despatched by the steamship Iyo Maru.

A Gorleston youth named Cullen, who a few days ago rescued a little girl from drowning in the river, has been presented with a silver watch by the band boys of the Port of Hull Sailors' Orphan Home.

The Willesden police have issued a warning against counterfeit half-crowns and florins which are being largely circulated in the district. The spurious coins are excellent imitations of the genuine ones.

A ball played by Mr. C. E. Shefford, on the Romford golf links, struck and dislodged a rook perched on an elm tree a hundred yards away. The bird died from its injuries.

Potomaine poisoning caused by eating ice cream was the cause of death of George Ball, a Notting-ham school-boy.

No fewer than 109 different specimens of wild flowers were shown by a Halberton child at the local flower show. Another child had 107 kinds.

Kneeling on the floor a married woman named Mileham was found dead at Yarmouth, with her head in a zinc washing bath containing two or three gallons of water.

Addington Palace, near Croydon, a Georgian structure which was formerly one of the homes of the Archbishop of Canterbury, and practically the whole Addington Village is for sale.

Some Saxon painting on an old Saxon wall and part of a Norman piscina have been discovered during repairs at Stoke D'Abernon Church, Surrey, while the sexton has unearthed the top of a censer of 1,000 A.D. in the churchyard.

### BABY'S GREAT DANGER DURING HOT WEATHER.

More children die during the hot weather than at any other time of the year. Diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera infantum, and stomach troubles come without warning, and when a medicine is not at hand to give prompt relief, the delay may prove fatal to the child. Baby's Own Tablets should be kept in every home where there are children during the hot weather months. An occasional dose of the Tablets will prevent deadly summer complaints, or cure them if they come unexpectedly. Mrs. O. Moreau, St. Tite, Que., says: "My baby suffered from a severe attack of cholera infantum, but after giving him Baby's Own Tablets the trouble disappeared, and he regained health splendidly." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.



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### AN ELECTRIC CLOCK.

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If allowed to roam over your house those few innocent-looking house flies may cause a real tragedy any day, as they are known to be the principal agents for the spread of those deadly diseases, typhoid fever, diphtheria and smallpox. No other fly killer compares with Wilson's Fly Pads.

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Do It Now.—Disorders of the digestive apparatus should be dealt with at once before complications arise that may be difficult to cope with.

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### HE GOT THE JOB.

A hardware store advertised for an errand-boy. As it happened, the boss was talking to a customer when a boy came in. Thinking he wanted to buy something he excused himself, and going over to the boy asked him what he could do for him.

The boy told him that he came in answer to his advertisement and asked for the job.

Well, of course, the boss got mad by being disturbed while he was talking to a customer. He said to the boy:

"You go outside and walk on. If I call you back, why, I will hire you; if I don't, why, you just keep right on walking."

The boy did as he was told, but on going out he picked up a shovel that was standing near the door, put it on his back, and started down the street.

Before he had gone ten yards the old man was after him, yelling, "Come back! Come back!"

The boy came back, took off his coat, and asked where he wanted him to work, downstairs or upstairs, or where.

The man took one good look at him and said: "I guess you're the sort of boy I want. Never mind putting your coat on. Start right in."

Tommy—"Father, a man is a bachelor until he gets married, isn't he?" Father—"Yes, my son." Tommy—"And what does he call himself afterwards?" Father—"I wouldn't like to tell you, my son."



### WOMAN! EVER UNREASONABLE.

Mrs. Peck—John, I thought the agent said this machine couldn't be beat, and there are those snippy little cashes going by us as if we were standing still.—Life.

A sailor was once asked by a messmate not quite so well up in matters social as himself to explain to him the third figure of a quadrille. "You first of all have ahead," said he, "and pass your adversary's yardarms; then in a jiffy regain your berth on the other tack in the same kind of order; slip along sharp, and take your station with your partner in line; back and fill, and then fall on your heel and bring up with your craft. She then manoeuvres ahead off alongside you; then make sail in company with her until nearly astern of the other line; make a stern board; cast her off to shift for herself; regain your place out of the squadron as best you can, and let go your anchor."

If your children are troubled with worms, give them Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator; safe, sure and effectual. Try it, and mark the improvement in your child.

The minister had just been giving the class a lesson on the Prodigal Son. At the finish, to test what attention had been paid to his preaching, he asked: "Who was sorry that the Prodigal had returned?" The most forward youngster in the class breathless answered, "The fatted calf!"

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"Well," queried the landlord of the village inn, as the stranger was settling his bill, "what do you think of our place as a summer resort?"

"I'd hate to tell you," answered the stranger, as he picked up his grip. "Even what I think of it as a last resort would not look well in print."

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### SAME THING.

"Did she refuse him?" "Practically; she said she would not marry him till he arrived at years of discretion."

After making a most careful study of the matter, U. S. Government scientists state definitely that the common house fly is the principal means of distributing typhoid fever, diphtheria and smallpox. Wilson's Fly Pads kill the flies and the disease germs, too.

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### BALLOTRY.

Should it come to a vote, every married man would cast his ballot to suppress the fashion magazines.

Through indiscretion in eating green fruit in summer many children become subject to cholera morbus caused by irritating acids that act violently on the lining of the intestines. Pains and dangerous purgings ensue and the delicate system of the child suffers under the drain. In such cases the safest and surest medicine is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It will check the inflammation and save the child's life.

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