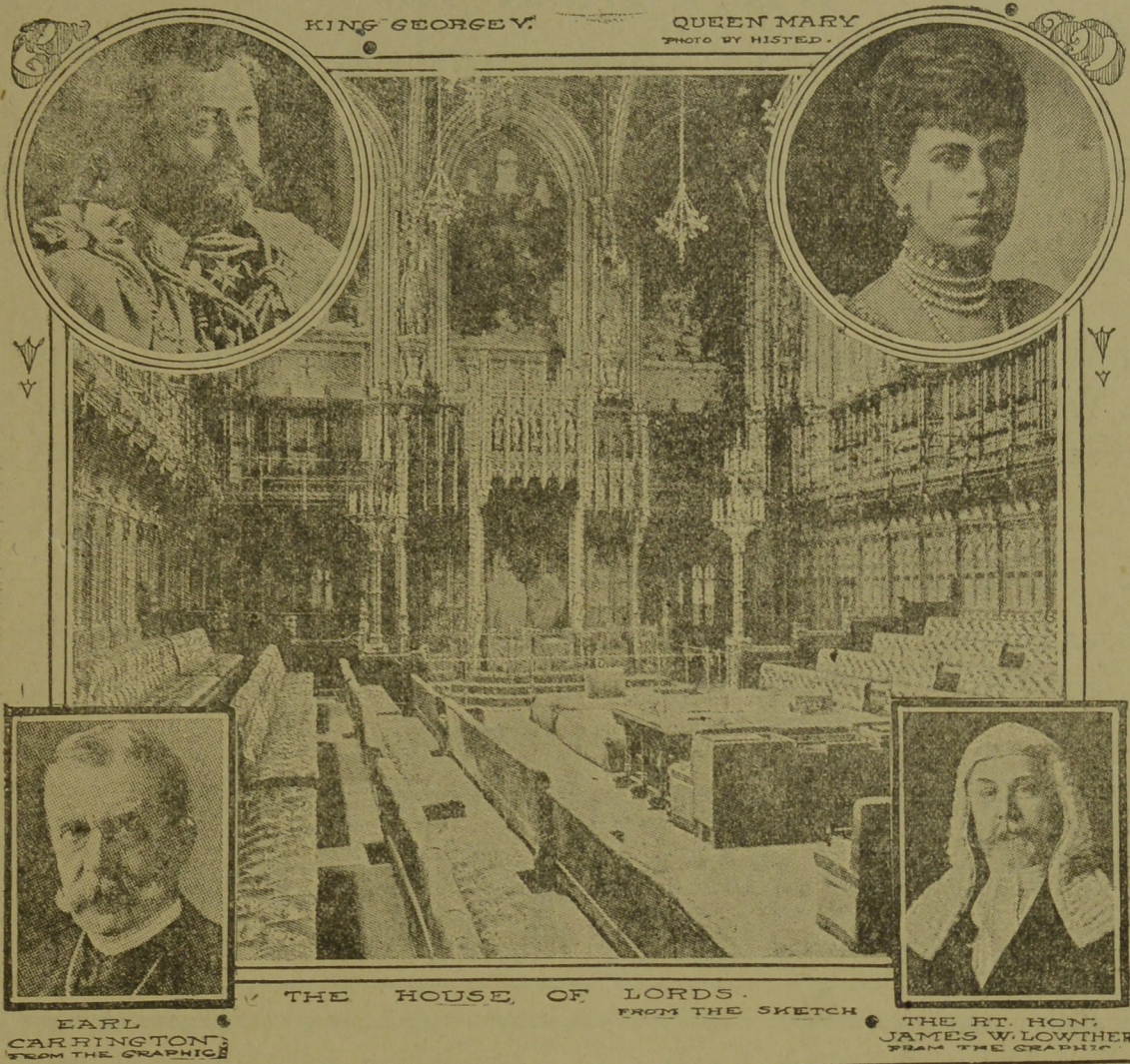


BRITISH PARLIAMENT OPENS TODAY



DECORATED GRAVE OF CHARLES DICKENS

London, Feb. 9.—The grave of Charles Dickens, in Westminster Abbey, was lavishly decorated with flowers Saturday in commemoration of the one hundred and second birthday anniversary of the great novelist. Many pilgrims visited the tomb and the numerous Dickens societies throughout the United Kingdom held exercises in celebration of the day.

Trenton, N.J., Feb. 9.—The week beginning today has been fixed as the time for the electrocution in the State Prison here of Antonio Fiore, the Newark murderer. Fiore was found guilty April 24 last of having influenced his sister-in-law, Mrs. Madalene Ciccone, to administer rat poison to her husband. Tried for murder, she admitted having given the poison but blamed Fiore. At Fiore's trial she swore he ordered her to kill her husband. Her sentence to death was then commuted to life imprisonment.

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Only the other day Mr. Marsh, of 101 Delorimier Ave., Montreal, called upon the Zam-Buk Company and told them that for over twenty-five years he had been a martyr to eczema. His hands were at one time so covered with sores that he had to sleep in gloves. Four years ago Zam-Buk was introduced to him, and in a few months it cured him. To-day—over three years after his cure of a disease he had for twenty-five years—he is still cured, and has had no trace of any return of the eczema!

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OPTICAL TELEGRAPH

This Serves as a Telephone For Deaf People

An optical telegraph intended to fill the place of the telephone for talking with a deaf person has been invented by a deaf and dumb married couple. It consists essentially of a keyboard, as in a typewriter, through whose keys single electric currents pass. In each circuit is included an incandescent lamp with a flat surface, bearing a letter of the alphabet or a Roman numeral. Pressing any key causes the corresponding lamp to glow. Thus words and sentences are spelled out and numbers are formed.

The keyboard can be operated as fast as that of an ordinary typewriter, so that with practice communication becomes very smooth and rapid. Each station, of course, must contain both a sender and a receiver, and these may be in different rooms or in houses a long distance apart.

The instrument can be conveniently used for conversation between a deaf person and a normal person who is ignorant of the finger language. The silence with which the device is operated is a very important point in its favor. This feature might make it especially useful where quiet or secrecy in transmitting information is desirable, as in sending war news or secret instructions in business houses. —"Literary Digest."

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PRIMITIVE ACCOUNTS

Knots In a String Were Probably the Earliest Records

The carpenter who kept his accounts on a plank and receipted them with a plane, was hardly equal in ingenuity to the Aztecs, who managed with string. The numbers were indicated by knots. A single knot was ten, two single knots 20, and so on. The hundreds were indicated by double knots. The color of the string indicated what the numbers referred to. Soldiers were red, gold yellow, silver, white and corn green. This method is still in use on the sierras of the Argentine, where the herdsmen keep tale of their charges in a similar way. Several strands depend from one, the first of these strands being reserved for bulls, the next for cows, the milch and dry being differentiated, the next for sheep and so on.

Knots were probably among the first methods of man to record figures—the knot or the mark on a bit of stick. And in the hop gardens the tallyman (generally the local schoolmaster) goes around with the tally and its mark, and the most civilized of us still tie a knot in the handkerchief when we are asked "to be sure and remember."

DEMOCRAT EXPECTED TO WIN IOWA ELECTION

Davenport, Ia., Feb. 9.—Much interest is manifested in the special election to be held in the Second Congressional District of Iowa tomorrow to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Representative I. S. Pepper. It is generally predicted that Henry Vollmar, the Democratic nominee, will win by a large majority. W. E. Hayes of Clinton, was selected as the Republican nominee, but he declined to accept the nomination. His withdrawal left Charles P. Hanley of Muscatine, the nominee of the Progressive party, the only candidate to oppose Mr. Vollmar. As the district has been heavily Democratic in the elections of the past few years it is predicted that Mr. Vollmar will be elected by a large majority.

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