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## THE TIMES

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## PERIL OF YELLOW FEVER.

THE OUTSTANDING FEATURES OF A NEW BOOK  
BY SIR ROBERT W. BOYCE.

In his "Mosquito or Man," published two years ago, Sir Robert W. Boyce gave a succinct account in simple, untechnical language of the various mosquito-borne diseases. In a new volume just issued he presents the problem of one of these diseases, yellow fever, and indicates the means of its prevention. Though written primarily as a manual for young medical men taking up work in the Tropics, the exposition is so lucid and the illustrations so accurate and so layman need hold aloof. Be it remembered that tropical medicine owes an incalculable debt to the insight of two distinguished laymen, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain and Sir Alfred Jones. Sir Robert's credentials for the task are the highest; not only is he a man of first-rate scientific calibre, but he has also an unmatched experience of the disease at close quarters in New Orleans, in British Honduras and Central America, in the West Indies and British Guiana, and finally in West Africa during the outbreak in 1910. What is the main thesis of the book? It is this: that the deadly reputation of West Africa, which in the past has made it the white man's grave, has at last been traced with scientific precision to its cause; that that cause is yellow fever, and that we have in our hands weapons for its annihilation, if we will use them.

More than half a century ago Beaupre came to the conclusion that the house-haunting mosquito, *Stegomyia Gampoi*, as domestic in its habits as the cat or dog, abated the liability of its human host by conveying to him yellow fever. In 1851 Fielding Havana found that the bite of an infected *Stegomyia* produced a mild type of yellow fever in susceptible persons, and employed this method of conferring immunity from a severe attack.

## THE SELF-SACRIFICING LABOURS

of the late American Commission, several of whom submitted to experimental infection, either by the bite of the *Stegomyia* or by the inoculation of blood from a yellow-fever patient, finally put the whole question on a scientific footing. They showed that after infection an incubation period of some six days elapsed before the appearance of definite symptoms; that during the first three days of illness the patient's blood contained the virus and was able to infect a *Stegomyia*; and that after an incubation period of twelve days this *Stegomyia* could convey the disease afresh to a susceptible subject. This cycle of events is clear to demonstration. From a study of the history and geographical distribution of yellow fever, Sir Robert concludes that in all probability the primary endemic focus of the disease was in Central America, South America and the West In-

dies. Comparison of his map of the distribution of the carrier mosquito is instructive, as showing the actual and potential areas of the disease. From this initial focus the disease spread to the Gulf and east coast ports of North America there, however, the disease has remained in a state of unstable equilibrium, with a restricted endemic persistence, for lack of the conditions of climate and mosquito that we learned its maintenance. In the most part, in its true home, Sir Robert, however, advances evidence to suggest that in the West Indies as a whole the progress of hygiene, in spite of the prevalence of yellow fever, has converted yellow fever from an endemic into an imported disease. Of like type also have been such outbreaks as have occurred in Europe, where the winter climate precludes its permanent residence.

(To be continued.)

## And the Cat Came Back.

Quite a sensational occurrence took place on the pier prior to the departure of the s.s. "Cartago," on Wednesday evening, a policeman, lawyer and several gentlemen were seen to board the ship and consult with the Purser who referred them to the Captain. The representative of the law then presented a paper from the Judge asking permission to take from the steamer a passenger who was suffering from a "Bad memory". The necessary permission was promptly given by the skipper and Mr. Marcus M. Garvey, jr., ex-editor of the "Nation" was escorted ashore, bag and baggage from the first class saloon, a ticket for which was the owner of the gentleman it appears had made up his mind to be present at the Coronation Festivities in our Island. He was entirely overlooking the trifling fact that he must pay in purchasing a first class ticket, to say nothing of the presumably heavy pocket book on his person, obliged to his creditors to whom he neglected to send his P. P. card.

The claims against the man as far as we can gather are as follows: proprietor of the "Nation" press for hire of his printing outfit, \$280; compositor (3), \$65; writer, \$61.35; McCreath, \$142; and Josephine, \$30; making a total of \$485.55. The three latter assist d the ex-Editor in the upkeep of the paper, labouring night and day in setting types, etc., several merchants also bills against the man for merchandise tax on credit.

Garvey it will be remembered opened a subscription list for the coming celebration of the 22 d just and I collected quite a decent sum from the citizens, both British and Foreign, these amounts we suppose have been handed over to the Coronation Committee.

In a previous issue of this paper we referred to the matter of the collection of taxes on the pier, and predicted that it would end in a huge "Blasphemy" for which we were ready to lay down the coin of our "Nation". Our remarks at the time had no other intention but to call attention to the fact that the initial proceedings for so important an event lacked stability and proper representations.

Since writing the above we learn that although he was closely watched by policemen on the dock Garvey evaded them and left on the "Cartago" Friday night.

## Squirrels Notes.

When that zamboni with the audacious pseudonym of "Gambolero" would beguile Teacher Hyton, he felt that the *Dea* was inferior to the *Spook*. When Teacher Hyton did cough "*Gambolero*" he proved that the *Dea* is inferior to the *Spook*. General Wolfe would rather be the author of "Gambolero" than the victor at Quebec. His sword waved mightily. He took Quebec at the sacrifice of his life; but on his own confession, he yielded superiority to Gray. Completely was he vanquished by the sublime and trenchant lines of the impenetrable author indelibly writing his name in the annals of fame but not in blood.

The best of herality, the pomp of power And all that beareth all to itself is lost.

Await alike the inevitable hour— The paths of glory lead but to the grave.

We are told in Stiel's "Wits to Court" earnestly the more exorbitant lies. I would cover authorship of "Arpeggio" whose lines I give below.

I played a chord arpeggio  
Upon my lute—and lo,  
Three tones that blend in one!  
The strings were mine!  
A little phrase of diction,  
From words of diction,  
Two phrases blended with a  
The pieces of music!

Those words his lips were to frame,  
But one word was "I"  
I would not forget that I could name  
This ought to be!

## THOUGHTS ON THE EYE.

Little by little, the eye will quickly sink in the environments and soon the mind will become associated with those that obtain from the quiet and disgregate to the pleasant and beautiful.

But, oh! I think see these things merely surging around and around one whose thoughts are concentrated in heavenly things: one who delights to look only in the sunshine of God's own loveliness; yet one who will not, despite the now distressing conditions and harrowing scenes of earth, since from these we get the lessons of contrast, so necessary to develop our minds for the hope for and the appreciation of heavenly things for which we now qualify. God our Father ever help us to copy as how we live the example of our dearer Brother Jesus Christ, and daily measure up to Him, Unto Him be the glory for ever and ever!

## Shipping News.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

By s.s. "Pacifier" from Manchester on 10th inst.; Mr. and Mrs. Overbrook, Mr. and Mrs. E. Eubank, Mrs. Kissick, Jr., and Eustace Martin and 39 sacks mail.

Sailed on 12th inst., on s.s. "Cartago" for New Orleans via Barroco: R. G. Spaw, Miss Gladys Shaw, Miss Julia Tereshenko, Luis Matamoros, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Jackson and 8 sacks mail.

Left on 12th inst., on s.s. "Cartago" for Colon: S. G. Schermerhorn, H. G. Prescott, Antonio Valdez, Naam Fernandez, Arturo Pantoja, Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Espinal, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roberts, Pedro Pons, Carlos H. Quevedo, W. H. Berg, Mrs. W. H. Berg and wife, J. B. A. G. Haal, Mrs. E. Bourry, Gar G. de la Guardia, M. A. Quares, G. G. de la Guardia and a deck passenger.

By "Elle Auguste Wilhelm" on 12th June, from New York: Luis Gonzalez, Ricardo Morales, Ernesto Gonzalez, Pedro Pantoja, Leonora Morales, Luis Valdez, Carlos H. Quevedo, Antonio Lopez, Juan Jaquez, Juan Stevenson, Rebecca Brekford, Paul Abscher, Henry Maschino, Mrs. Edna Lewis and her children. From Colon: J. B. Haal, Mrs. Juanes, Paula, Mr. and Mrs. Rafael Cavanna and two children, Albert Campbell, from Bonas: Alexander Haldia, Charles L. Smith, Sam Uribe, from Santiago de Cuba: Santiago Barrera, Alberto Galas, and 67 deck passengers.

By the s.s. "Limon" that arrived from Boston on the 16th inst. Messrs. Charles E. Stous, Henry E. Watts, James Toley, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fernandez, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fairbairn,

By the Transatlantic Line of steamers "Gambolero" on 17th from Bordaux: Mr. Jorge Huidal, Jospe Barroco, Wardell Barroco, Fern Parro G-Lombia, Arribal Vidmarco, Luis Carlos Torres, Mosto Garcia, Blanco, Pedro Garcia, Blanco Fern Colon: F. Goldrick, Mr. and Mrs. Corneille, Miss Garcelle, William Balbala and Mrs. Maud Galda.

## Obituary.

It is with profound regret we record the death of Mr. W. G. Chapman Mortimer which occurred on Thursday night last. The deceased only arrived here from Glasgow fifteen days prior to his death. On his arrival here he got an appointment as manager of Westphalia Farm and although he was only a few days on the farm he gained many admirers who were won in their praise as to his efficiency and gentleness. His remains were brought down in a box car on Friday morning and about three quarters of an hour after a special train conveyed the body and a good many guests to Camp One where Archdeacon Robinson committed it to its last resting place. A wife and four children remain to mourn the loss of their dear loved one. We tender our sincere condolence to the bereaved family.

## Current Items.

Mr. Mallis's coach was attached to the passenger train yesterday and in it was Mr. Hitchcock, who after spending a few days in Limon left for San José.

A special train left the yard at 11:30 a.m. yesterday, conveying to San José the sister of President Riera in Limon who arrived early yesterday morning in the "Limon" from Boston.

Owing to a typographical error in a paragraph relative to donation by the United Fruit Company to Coronation Fund it read \$300, it should have been \$30, as this was really the amount the generous Company gave.

## The Official Gazette

Under date of the 15th inst, a decree of expulsion from the Republic of "Dangerosos Forajidos" was signed by President Jimenez, Carlos Jimenez (Secretary of State), Manuel Castro Quesada (Minister of Foreign

Affairs), E. J. Alvarado (Minister of Commerce), Nicolas Oramuno (Minister of War) and Enrique Jimenez (Minister of Public Work).

Charles Ferguson after being notified by the Governor of the decree of expulsion remained here for three days and allowed two steamers to depart without him, on Friday evening he was arrested by the police and conducted on board the "Cartago" for Port Barrios, where he will join his companion in crime, J. Washington Sterling.

## Forgers Held on Steamer.

Liverpool—Eltra Soschie and Spiro Alexi, Bulgarians, who are wanted in America on a charge of forgery and grand larceny, were arrested upon the arrival of the *Lebanti*, on board which they were passengers from New York. The men were detained in the Bow Street Court for extradition. Soschie had in his possession a large amount of money in gold.

## Fighting in Morocco.

Mellilla—Spain is evading her influence in Morocco and has despatched two columns of troops from this port to occupy Malaga. Rival with the object of assuring communications between San Loran and An Zo. A Spanish garrison on the roadstead off Baza was fired upon on Wednesday by Baza from the beach. The garrison replied, inflicting heavy losses among the rebels.

## Coronation Stamps.

London—With the coronation now exactly one month distant, active work was commenced on the printing of the issue of George V. postage stamps, in order that they be on sale throughout the United Kingdom on June 22. One million stamps will be printed hourly from now on, requiring 2,000 teams of paper and one ton of gum a day, and 200 workmen are employed on the job. It is estimated that 10,000,000 stamps will be necessary to supply the demand at the 25,000 post-offices in England and Wales, Scotland and India.

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Mr. Marcus M. Garvey, former President of the above Committee then resigned his position when a Comitee of 14 was nominated with Mr. P. Noel as President, G. McGregor, Hon. President, while the Treasurer and Secretary, Messrs. M. L. Cox and Jno. H. Levy were unanimously re-elected.

The former programme was also amended and will appear in the next issue.

The Secretary was requested to communicate to all the Friendly Societies, acquainting them of the new conditions and ask their co-operation. Committee will meet on Wednesday and Saturday evenings of this week at the State Office of the Mosaic Templars of America in front of Plaza de Toro.

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