PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

On Tuesday the Sultan spent the day at the Bousten Palace. In the evening His Highness attended the banquet given in his honour by the High Commissioner and Lady Wingate.

It is understood that the Sultan will attend the races at Heliopolis on Saturday next.

As we have already announced, General Sir Edmund Allenby, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., will inspect the troops at Alexandria on Monday and Tuesday next. the public are invited to attend. Particulars as to time and place are given in another column.

General Boyle, G.O.C., Alexandria District has written to the Alexandria Municipality to inform them of the approaching visit of General Sir Edmund Allenby. The Delegation at its meeting of Tuesday afternoon discussed what should be done to give the victor of Palestine a reception. It was decided that the streets should be decorated all along the route of the procession and that a Garden Party should be given in his honour.

The Government Railways Administration has ordered all railway stations not to reserve special seats in the passenger trains for Mohamed Ali Hussein the degraded Prince of the Sultanic family.

Ahmed Midhat Yeghen Pasha, Governor of Alexandria and Dr. Alexander Granville, President of the Sanitary and Quarantine Board, returned to Alexandria from Cairo on Tuesday.

Captain Edward Yeates, who figured last year in the Red Cross case in Cairo writes:—

It has come to my knowledge since I left Cairo that reports of an exaggerated nature have been circulated in Egypt evidently with a view of "Suppressis veri, Suggestio Falsi," and calculated to injure my reputation. Evidently misled by a report handed into the War Office, the authorities proceeded against me and I was convicted of wearing the uniform of a *Territorial Medical Officer of New Zealand, a Force I never belonged to, nor did duty in and whose uniform I never wore in my life.* I was fined twenty five guineas costs. I appealed, and the appeal was dismissed with costs and the fine reduced to one shilling, the judge saying that I had done nothing dishonourable as an officer and a gentleman! Comment is needless.

We understand that Captain Yeates is at present acting as an Imperial Officer in connection with assessments for discharged soldiers' and sailors' pensions.

In consequent of the death of Kaimakam Ahmed Bey Ibrahim Zada, Officer Commanding Assiut Province Police, the following transfers and promotions have been approved by the Ministry of Interior:— Kaimakam Abdin Farid Bey, Commandant, Minieh Province Police to be Commandant, Assiut; Kaimakam Khalil Hafez Bey, Commandant Kenek to Minieh; Bimbashi Ahmed Effendi El Sonbour El Sherif, Commandant Galioubieh to Kenek; Bimbashi Abdel Hamid Effendi Khalifa, Commandant Fayoum to Galioubieh and Sagh Ali Effendi El Hakim, Mamour Benha to be Commandant Fayoum Police with the Local Rank of Bimbashi.

Kaimakam J.A. Clark Bey, Medical Corps, has been transferred to the Recruiting Department and Bimbashi R.U. Williams has been transferred from the 13th Sudanese to the Equatorial Battalion

Captain H. Chown, Army Veterinary Corps, has been taken on the strength of the Egyptian Army as a special service Officer and posted to the Sudan Veterinary Department.

Sagh. Youssef Effendi Saber and Sagh Mahmoud Effendi Zeki, Sudan Government, have been detailed for "Special Service."

The leave of Ahmed Ali Bey, Governor of Girgeh Province expires on November 30.

A Cairo correspondent, who intends going to London, writes to ask us for the address of the West End Hotel, which was taken over some months ago by Wild Bey, the former Manager of the Nungovich Hotels Company at Cairo. We understand, however, that the hotel has ceased to exist, as we have been informed by an Anglo-Egyptian lady who stayed there a few months ago that, like so many other London hotels, it has been taken over by the Government.

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THE CIGARETTE OF DISTINCTION

GENERAL ALLENBY AT ALEXANDRIA.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR VISIT.

The following are the arrangements for the forthcoming visit to Alexandria of General Sir Edmund Allenby, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., General Officer Commanding-in-Chief Egyptian Expeditionary Force:

MONDAY: 9 a.m. Arrival at Alexandria Station and reception by the Governor of Alexandria, the British Consul General, the Senior Naval Officer, the G.O.C. Alexandria District, and other leading officials and members of the British and Foreign Communities.

9.45 a.m. On leaving the station the following will be the route:—Rue de la Gare du Caire, Rue Cherif Pasha, Mahmed Ali Square, French Square, along the sea-front past the Italian Consulate, Rue Alexander le Grand, to Mazarita Station.

The 53rd Division will be drawn up along the seafront of the Eastern Harbour.

After inspection of the Division the Commander in Chief will return to Mohammed Ali Square and the Division will march past.

The return route of the G.O.C.-in-C will be Rue Cherif Pasha, Rue Rosette, to Ramleh.

TUESDAY'S INSPECTION OF THE TROOPS.

At 9.20 a.m. the General will leave Clairmont House.

9.30 a.m. He will arrive at Sidi Gaber on the main Ramleh Road. The 60th Division will be drawn up, the Artillery on the Race Course, the Infantry on the Ramleh Road and Polo Ground.

The Commander-in Chief will inspect the Division and then take up his position in a salutine base opposite the Grand Stand when the Division will march past. The General officer Commanding-in-Chief will return to Clairmont House by the main Ramleh Road.

EGYPT'S FOOD.

THE MEAT QUESTION.

The experiment of slaughtering unserviceable transport horses at Alexandria and selling their flesh has proved successful and has resulted in a considerable reduction in the prices of other qualities of meat. The experiment has so far been restricted to Alexandria, but it appears that there is an intention of the authorities to enable other parts of Egypt to enjoy a similar opportunity, and the decision that under the Sheifi Rite the eating of horse-flesh is permissible will help towards introducing horse-flesh in the leading towns and thus lighten the heavy demand on cattle, sheep and other animals.

The prices of meat in Cairo are still exorbitant. Mutton is being sold at P.T.24 per oke. Veal at P.T.18 and beef at P.T.16. Considering that large consignments of cattle and sheep are now continually arriving from the Sudan, and that horse-flesh will be shortly introduced in the leading towns, it becomes a question worth considering whether the Supplies Control Board should not revise the meat tariff and reduce the prices which are abnormally high. Perhaps it may also be found possible to introduce the experiment of horse slaughtering in Syria and Palestine where the mass of the Mohammedan population is also of the Sheifi Rite in which horse eating as stated above, is allowed.

MUTTON FOR EGYPT.

Reuter's Melbourne correspondent states that at the end of October in the House of Representatives, Mr. Watt, the Acting Premier, stated that in view of the glut of meat owing to the threatened drought, the Government had asked Mr. Hughes to endeavour to secure from the Shipping Controller more insulated space, and also to get mutton sent to Egypt.

COOKING BUTTER FROM INDIA.

A consignment of samn (cooking butter) has been received by some native merchants from India, and the stuff is being sold at the rate of P.T.25 per oke. This kind of butter is a little inferior to the baladi samn.

CHRISTMAS PARCELS FOR THE E.E.F.

Letters and parcels intended for the Egyptian Expeditionary Force and the Salonica Force by Christmas, should be posted, states the London G.P.O., so as to reach London well in advance of the final dates:—Egyptian Force, parcels, November 5; letters, November 12. Salonica Force, parcels, November 21; letters, November 28.

Christmas puddings should not be sent. Arrangements have been made for the supply of puddings to troops overseas in all the tres of war for the coming Christmas.

It is said that a letter addressed to an officer of the Indian Army in London with the name of his regiment—the "Pious Horse"—largely written thereon, was returned to the writer with this official addition—"No Public House of this name known."

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ARMY AFTER THE WAR.

ENCOURAGEMENT TO SIGN ON.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

(Delayed). The War Office announces that with a view to providing men for overseas garrisons and the necessary reserves at home soldiers may extend the periods of their service for two, three or four years, which will entitle them to bounties of £20, £40 and £50 respectively. Reuter.

AMERICAN NAVY.

JAPANESE HONOURS FOR U.S. GENERALS.

(From the American Agency.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.

Admiral Taylor, Chief of Naval Construction told the House of Representatives Committee on Naval affairs that by July 1920 the American Navy will have more than twice the number of ships before the outbreak of the war, exclusive of submarine chasers which the Navy expects to sell. Destroyers represent the bulk of the increase. There are now 100 in commission; 240 are to be added during the next eighteen months. The new dreadnought Idaho to be commissioned in about two months. The Tennessee and California are rapidly approaching completion and two additional battleships will be finished before the summer of 1920. 29 more submarines will be completed before the middle of 1920.

MR. MCADOO'S RESIGNATION

PRESIDENT'S EULOGY.

(From the American Agency.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.

President Wilson accepting Secretary McAdoo's resignation wrote: "The country has never had an abler or more successful yet prudent and more uniformly efficient Secretary of the Treasury." Mr. McAdoo has been Secretary of the Treasury for five years and eight months, since President Wilson's Cabinet was organised. When the war opened he also had charge of the railroads. He also conducted the operations of American vast Liberty Loans. He now declares that he must retire in order to increase his personal income and that he also needs a rest. Mr. McAdoo announced that the programme of railroad improvement includes an outlay of 909,000,000 dollars for this year and 1919. The equipment ordered approximates 1,415 locomotives, and 100,000 freight-cars.

THE CENSORSHIP.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

(11 p.m.) (Delayed). The censorship of foreign cablegrams will continue until peace is concluded. Reuter.

THE NEW PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, Nov. 26.

(12.5 a.m.) The King's proclamation provides for the new Parliament to meet on January 21, 1919. Reuter.

THE INFLUENZA GERM.

LIKE THAT OF BUBONIC PLAGUE.

A Salamanca physician, Dr. Maldonado, has after several weeks' research succeeded at the end of last month in isolating what he believes to be the specific microbe of the so-called Spanish influenza, which continues to spread through the world with devastating results.

Contrary to the usual belief, this germ is not the Pfeiffer bacillus, but one approximating in character to that of the bubonic plague. If this theory, which has been extensively examined by the epidemiological section of the National Institute of Hygiene, is confirmed, it would explain the extremely severe and, in many cases, rapidly fatal symptoms of the epidemic, The morphology and colouration of the cultures of the new bacillus are almost identical with that of the bubonic plague, but its difference is proved, according to Dr. Maldonado's theory, by its failure in pathogenic action on animals of known susceptibility to the bubonic germ.

Other authorities in Spain incline to the opinion that there are two epidemics—one the ordinary influenza and the other this far more severe disease which has the symptoms of septic pneumonia and frequently proves fatal in 12 hours.

It is now spread over the whole of Spain. The schools are closed and the authorities are issuing what advice they can with regard to sanitation and hygiene, but, if anything, the disease is on the increase.

INFLUENZA IN THE SCHOOLS.

The Ministry of the Interior, on the initiative of the Sanitary Department has ordered the headmasters of Provincial Schools to make weekly lists of the scholars absent through influenza. These lists are to be handed to the Sanitary Inspectors of the Provinces.

JEWISH SERVICES FOR SOLDIERS

A special Hanukuca diving service will be held by the Rev. L. Frankenthal, C.F. to Jewish officers and men, at the Great Synagogue Eliahou Hannabi, 3, Nebi Daniel Street, Alexandria, on Saturday next, 30 inst. at 4 p.m. After the service tea will be served, followed by a concert and musical evening arranged for by the Jewish community of Alexandria and the ladies of the Jewish Soldiers' Recreation Committee.

CAIRO AMUSEMENTS.

THE KUBBAH. — The Bandman Musical Comedy Company continue to score with old and new successes from their lengthy repertoire and "House Full" is the general rule. On Tuesday night, the great Gaiety Theatre success, "Our Miss Gibbs," was played. Miss Elsie Videan in the name-part was seen in one of her best roles. A clever duet with Mr. Wal E. Kirby and the song "When the Moon Comes Out" were heartily applauded. Mr. Reeves Hansford was full of vivacious humour as Timothy Gibbs—the Yorkshire cousin—and sang the popular "Tiddley-on-Parade" with much gusto. We are happy to state that this popular comedian has just come through a successful X-ray operation on his face that has eradicated a trouble of long standing. Many a night Mr. Hansford has played his parts in agony. Miss Ethel Hill acted with her customary grace, her number "Arms and the Man" being loudly encored. Mr. Bernard Ansell, Mr. Clayton Robbins and Mr. Frank Harrison were all good in their respective parts. Miss Alice May scored with a clever "Highland Fling" and Miss Isabel Gibbs was a perfect Duchess. The furnishing of Act 1 is by Messrs. Morums.

We are informed that Mr. Maurice E. Bandman will shortly present the company in the lodge success of Daly's, London,—"The Merry Widow," rehearsals being well advanced.

THE EMPIRE CINEMA. — The following is the programme from Thursday, November 28: "The Picturesque Andalusia," a splendid documentary film. "The British Patrolers and their Equipments," the second part of H.M. Government Film Propaganda, "Charley Chaplin," in "The Count," another comedy by the famous Charley. "The Fourth Speed," a splendid drama in 4 parts, interpreted by the best artists of the "Petitesanie" Films.

ALEXANDRIA AMUSEMENTS.

MAJESTIC PICTURE PALACE.—The management of this popular picture playhouse, announce another grand, all English week, commencing to-day (Thursday) when the famous "Ideal" Picture Play "My Old Dutch" a cinema version of Albert Chevalier's world renowned song will be shown for the first time in Egypt. This is generally admitted to be the premier British production of all time, with drama, pathos, and lightehearted mirth equally blended in its construction, and is one of the best stories that has been screened, featuring the famous singer Albert Chevalier in the character of "Joe Mondd" and the dainty lady of the screen, Florence Turner, who made her greatest hit, in the role of Sal, ("My Old Dutch") supported by a cast of well-known English artists. We might mention that this picture has been booked and re-booked at over 1,000 theatres, which is a record for any film, and has attracted crowded houses wherever presented. It is a story that will appeal to all classes, has delighted millions of cinema-goers on both sides of the Atlantic. Its success is assured. Charlie Chaplin in one of his latest successes is also included in the programme. Special music will be played by Monsieur B. Cajo and his famous orchestra. Intending-cinema-goers are advised to secure seats early, and to note the alteration in the hours of performance which now commence at 5.45 and 9.15 p.m.

ORPHEUM RECITAL. — The usual weekly organ recital will be given at the Military Wesleyan Church to-morrow, Friday, at 6.45 p.m. The organist for this occasion is Mr. Geo. F. Sonnond the vocalist Mr. Henry McLauchlan. The programme includes a Beethoven Chorale; the "Christe Eleison" from Sullivan's "Golden Legend"; Sibelius' Tone Poem "Finland a," and a "Marche de Triomphe" by the organist.

IN THE GOODS OF HERBERT SYDNEY MARTIN, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any debts, claims or demands upon or against the estate of Herbert Sydney Martin, formerly of the Anglo-Egyptian Bank, Alexandria, deceased, who died on the 27th day of July 1918, and of whose estate Charles Alfred Villing Martin has been appointed administrator by the High Court of Justice London, Probate Division, are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their debts, claims and demands to undersigned Bank, on or before the 13th day of December next; and Notice is hereby further given that at the expiration of such time the said administrator will proceed to administer the said estate and distribute the assets thereof having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice.

Dated this 13th day of November 1918.

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PORTS AND LIGHTS ADMINISTRATION.

NOTICE TO MARINERS No.6.

A dangerous wreck lies in 10 faths of water N 2 1/2 degree W (Mag.) 14 1/4 miles from Port-Said Lighthouse.

Lat. 31° 30 N Long 32° 17' 30 E.

A Green Conical Buoy marked Wreck has been laid on the wreck.

Alexandria, November 20, 1918.

H. R. ROBINSON,
63388-2. Director General.

NOTICE.

Any person having claims against the estate, of the following deceased officers; Major L.F. St. Davies, Machine Gun Corps, T/Lieut. R.W. Lamb, Machine Gun Corps, Lieut. E.F. Villers, Royal Artillery, T/2/Lieut. J.T.B. Bellamy, Royal Engineers, Capt. J.L. Rodgers, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, or any of them, should forward their claims, with proofs, to the President Committee of Adjustment, 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., E.E.F., on or before Thursday the 5th day of December 1918, after which date no claims will be considered.

A. K. FLETCHER,
Lieut-Colonel,
President, Committee of Adjustment,
3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., E.E.F.,
27-11-18 63391-1.

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ARRIVALS.

NOVEMBER 23.

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NOVEMBER 24.

S Austrian Brit. S/ Liverpool Barker & Co.

NOVEMBER 25.

S Norman Prince Brit. S/ London, Hull Graces & Co.

S Ancobra Brit. S/ Liverpool Barker & Co.

S/S City of Madras Brit. S/ London.

NOVEMBER 26.

S/S Tabine Brit. S/ Liverpool R.J. Moss & Co.

MARCHE DE MINET-EL-BASSAL.

27 NOVEMBRE 1918.

PRIX DES CEREALES.

Blés:		
Qualité Beheri	Cond. Saba P.T.	306–312
Qualité Saidi	,, ,,	[illegible]
Blés Hindi	,, ,,	316–322
Mawani	,, ,,	352–358
Fèves:—		
Qualité Saidi	,, ,,	245–250
Nabate	,, ,,	250–255
Lentilles	,, ,,	253–258
Lentilles concassées	,, ,,	268–283
Orges	,, ,,	171–175
Helba	,, ,,	302–308
Maïs	,, ,,	203–207

Cotons.— Arrivages du 27 Novembre 1918:— Balles 4577 contre meme jour de l'année precedente 5924.

Graines de coton.— Arrivages du 27 Novembre 1918, ardebs 20218; contre meme jour en 1918: 8177.

Oignons.— Arrivages du 27 Novembre 1918: — contre meme jour en 1918: —.

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NOTICE.— Those who have joined the International Correspondence Schools during the war are imperatively urged to communicate immediately with Mr. George Groom, Zeitoun. 50239 [illegible]

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WEATHER REPORT.

ALEXANDRIA.

From Observations taken at Kom-el-Nadura at 8 a.m. 27 November 1918.

Barometer reduced to 0°C., Sea-level 1[illegible]

and Mean Gravity [mm]		762 0 + 30 008
Wind	Direction	W.
	Velocity (in kms. p. hour	20
	Force (0-10)	4
State of sky		Clear
State of sea		Slight
Air temperature	Wet bulb thermometer	16.0
	Dry bulb	21 0
	Max for previous day	27.6
	Min. ,, night	16.4
Black bulb therm. at 2 p.m. yesterday		49.
Relative Humidity		49
Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 8 a.m. [mm]		0. 0
Evaporation	[mm]	4 1

Observer
H. SHEAIF

ARRIVAGES

27 NOVEMBRE 1918.

Documents de l'"Alexandria General Produce Association."

Chemins de Fer et Barques.

Cotons		S/B	4070 507
Graines de coton		Ard.	13036 7182
Blés Beheri		Sacs	1222 255
Blés Saidi		,,	—
Fèves Saidi		,,	156 —
Lentilles		,,	78 —
Maïs		,,	341 1130
Orges		,,	185 15
Oignons		,,	— —

Cotons.— Total des arrivages depuis le 1er September 1918 jusqu'a ce jour, cantars 2.133.761.

Graines de coton.— Total des arrivages depuis le 1er Septembre 1917 jusqu'a ce jour 1.031.178.

Contre meme jour en 1917:—

Cotons	S/B	5924
Graines de coton	Ard.	8177
Blés Beheri	Sacs	866
Blés Saidi	,,	1159
Fèves Saidi	,,	556
Lentilles	,,	201
Maïs	,,	214
Orges	,,	308
Oignons	,,	—

Coton.— Total des arrivages depuis le 1er Septembre 1917 jusqu'a ce jour, cantars 2.485.423.

Graines de coton.— Total des arrivages depuis le 1er Septembre 1917 jusqu'a ce jour, cantars 1.341.009.

ARRIVAGES.

Depuis le 1er Sept. au 29 Novembre 1918:—

	1918/19	1917/18
Le 23 Novembre	23,671	26,975
24 ,,	15,917	41,905
25 ,,	15,171	43,652
26 ,,	20,775	19,582
27 ,,	—	3,827
28 ,,	—	4,922
29 ,,	—	2,611
Arr. de la semaine	—	163,474
Total du 1er Septembre au 22 Nov. 1918	955,644	1,205,068
Total des arrivages au 29 Nov. 1918	—	1,348,542