

his wife now desired to waive examination, and said that Judge Zane, who would legally represent her, would be present in a few moments.

Judge Howat was sent for and he and Judge Zane arrived about the same time.

"I understand," remarked the assistant district attorney, "that Mrs. Reilly desires to waive examination. Your honor will therefore, I suppose, now fix the bond."

The Commissioner—I suppose they waive the reading of the complaint?

Judge Zane answered in the affirmative.

The commissioner said the original bond was \$300.

Judge Howat said he was willing for it to remain at that; but in the case of Dr. Mabry, when that defendant was arraigned later he would probably want to ask for a larger amount.

Commissioner Pratt informed Mr. Reilly that the same sureties—Attorney Dickson and Sam Kenyon—would be acceptable to him.

The parties left the court together, and at a subsequent period of the day the bond was renewed.

Dr. Mabry's counsel in the unpleasant matter are Judge Goodwin (of the law firm of Goodwin and Van Pelt), that gentleman being a member of the rev. gentleman's congregation, and one of the most active workers in the church, and Zane & Zane.

Shortly before noon Judge Howat, accompanied by Judges Goodwin and Zane and the rev. defendant, went before the commissioner, when the assistant district attorney stated that the same proceeding as in the case of Mrs. Reilly would be had in this: Dr. Mabry desired to formally plead not guilty and waive examination. Counsel asked that the defendant's bonds be increased from \$500 to \$750 and the court so ordered, directing that the bondsmen attend before him at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Dr. Mabry appeared altogether unconcerned and did not say anything when the matter was mentioned in court.

Mrs. Reilly has been up to this time a member of the congregation of the First Methodist church, over which the reverend defendant presides.

LONDON IN SPRING.

LONDON, May 11.—(Special London cable-letter copyrighted by the Associated Press.) The beautiful healthy spring weather which Londoners have revelled in for some time past continues to the delight of everybody. This huge metropolis as a result is crowded and the gayest possible season is in full swing. The fashionable tradesmen are in their glory and smiling faces everywhere bear testimony to the rush of business, rippling of society and fluttering of fashion, which are making the average West End shop keepers breathe sighs of satisfaction.

Seldom has London been graced by the presence in town of so many members of the royal family. Royal personages, male and female, young and old, are to be seen in carriages and even on foot, at every turn in the fashionable thoroughfares. For instance, London has not yet done talking of the fact that a few days ago the

Prince of Wales and his brother, the Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha (Duke of Edinburgh followed by the Duke of York, the heir presumptive and his cousin, Prince Alfred, of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, who is said to have been selected to marry little Queen Wilhelmina of Holland when the proper time arrives, were seen strolling arm in arm through Pall Mall as calmly and contentedly as any everyday subject of her majesty. Then again some of the royal family are to be found nightly at the theaters, a fact which tends to increase the power of the attractions presented, for the visits of royalty to places of amusement are duly chronicled by the press and naturally the general public wants to see what royalty has enjoyed.

Of social enjoyments there is such a long list that even the society papers only find space for the most prominent. Among the latter is the grand dinner given on Thursday last by Mr. and Mrs. Naylor Leyland, in honor of the Prince of Wales, Mr. Naylor Leyland, who recently resigned his seat in the House of Commons, where he represented Colchester, married Miss Jennie Chamberlin, the famous beauty, daughter of H. S. Chamberlin, of Cleveland, Ohio. The partiality of the Prince of Wales for the society of Miss Chamberlin was much commented on by the society sheets. Among those present at Mr. and Mrs. Naylor Leyland's dinner were the Austrian ambassador, Count Deym de Stritz, Prince Edward of Saxe-Weimar, the Marquis and Marchioness of Ormond, the Earl and Countess of Dudley, the Earl of Roslyn, and a number of equally important personages.

Mrs. Naylor Leyland's sister, Josephine, it will be recalled, was married on April 30 last to J. Scarisbrick, Esq., of Lancashire. The bride was given away by Mr. Naylor Leyland.

Of course the queen's drawing room on Wednesday was the great event of the season. The weather was delightful, a cool breeze was blowing and the result was the most brilliant royal display seen for a long time past.

The Americans presented to Queen Victoria at the drawing room, were the widow of the late Senator Hearst, of California, who was presented in the diplomatic circle, and Misses Grace and Bertha Potter; Miss Roby, of New York, and Mrs. Walter Winans, who were presented in the general circle. Among those present were the United States ambassador, the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, Mrs. Bayard, Miss Bayard, and Lieutenant Commander W. S. Cowles, the United States naval attaché.

The premier, Lord Rosebery, is evidently in very poor health. When he was seen bidding farewell to the queen of Holland at the railroad station previous to their departure for home, he looked ten years older than he did six months ago. His face was haggard and he leaned upon a stick. His breakdown on Wednesday night while making a speech at the reception of the National Liberal club, has revived the worst rumors which have been in circulation concerning his health. Lord Rosebery, who looked pale and fatigued, evidently had a lapse of memory which caused him to lose the thread of his argument and he gazed about

in a dazed manner while turning to his friends for relief. Under the prompting of the latter, he succeeded in terminating his discourse; but it was only by a great effort that he did so, after having been strongly urged to continue. It is true that the premier had previously done a heavy day's work. He was at the foreign office in the morning and had attended the drawingroom in the afternoon. Finally he was present at an official dinner the evening of the same day before going to the reception of the National Liberal club. But the significant feature of his condition was his utter forgetfulness of what he was saying and intended to say and this cannot be accounted for by his fatigue alone.

The queen's visit to London was brief as usual as she returned to Windsor castle on Thursday, the day following the day of the drawingroom. On Tuesday, May 21, she will remove the court to Balmoral, where she will remain for a month. The princess of Wales on behalf of her majesty, will hold the remaining two drawingrooms soon.

The princess is greatly changed and now looks quite an old woman. It is noticed that the duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha is attending very many public functions, and that he seems specially anxious to win popular favor. This is in view of the continued growling of the radicals and others over the pension which he receives from the British taxpayers, in spite of the fact that he is a reigning prince of Germany. But the efforts of the duke to win popularity are far from being successful and in spite of his presence at public functions, he is most unpopular. Under the heading of "Arrogance of Royalty," a person signing "Playgoer" has written to a newspaper saying that the audience at the Criterion theater on Wednesday was kept waiting for an hour because some of the royalties were dining late.

The letter continued: "It turned out to be the pretty German princesslet of Coburg who takes ten thousand pounds annually from our taxpayers."

London has taken to early hours. The parks are crowded during the early morning and deserted before noon. In Hyde Park simplicity in dress is the characters of the riders of both sexes who frequent Rotten Row, a contrast to the former startling styles which prevailed. The women are mostly wearing simple white straw sailor hats and plain overcoats over the plainest riding habits. Strange to say the pleasure of Battersea Park now shares with aristocratic Hyde Park in fashionable favor and many well known people are to be seen daily enjoying bicycle rides in that park, which not so long ago was looked upon as being a resort only fitted for the class of people compelled by economy to reside on the Surrey side of the Thames. But if Battersea is not a fashionable locality, Battersea park at least is rapidly working its way into popularity.

There were numbers of dinners on Wednesday last devoted to literature and the press. The Prince of Wales presided at the dinner of the Printers Orphan asylum and the Duke of York was chairman at the Royal Literary Fund dinner, while the conservative leader in the House of Commons, the Rt. Hon. A. F. Balfour, paid high