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Kuala Lumpur, 25th April.

YESTERDAY (Tuesday) at 7 a. m., H. E. the Governor, accompanied by the Resident, Messrs. Venning, Spooner, and Severn, drove out to the P. W. D. Factory situated on the Brickfield Road, about two miles from the Residency. At present, the work of this factory is chiefly confined to timber sawing and brick making. The plant for the latter industry is of an excellent kind, and a lot of bricks of high quality are turned out daily. The main building is being fitted with a powerful engine (possessing a boiler weighing fifteen and a wheel weighing ten tons) to work the sawing benches, turning lathes, and other more elaborate machinery which has been ordered from Europe. Mr. Leech, the Engineer in charge, was presented to H. E. and conducted the party over the works.

From the Factory, the party drove to the Pauper Hospital and went through all, including the Lunatic and Leper wards, then to the Race Course and round to the New Gaol at Pudoh, which is occupied but is not yet finished. From Pudoh the party drove to High St., and inspected the Victoria Institution and the proposed site for the new Police Offices. It may be noted in passing that the Victoria Institution will probably be finished in two months time. At 4 p. m. H. E., accompanied by the whole party, drove down to the Fire Brigade Station and inspected the Brigade. A temporary building was saturated with oil and set on fire. A few lengths of hose were run out, and in a few minutes the conflagration was extinguished. At this stage of the proceedings a thunderstorm and heavy rain drove the spectators to shelter and put a stop to the exhibition.

Tea was supplied and H. E. and party enjoyed nearly an hour's rest in the Fire Brigade Station waiting for the rain to stop. At last, while it was still raining, H. E. and party drove to the Central Station for the ceremony to be performed by Lady Mitchell of naming an engine after herself. The selected engine already inscribed with

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The selected engine, already with its new name, was waiting at the platform with the Residency saloon attached. Lady Mitchell, Miss Sanders, and Mr. Watkins mounted the engine, while H. E. and the rest of the party entered the carriage. Three cheers were called and heartily given for Lady Mitchell and the train proceeded to the Residency Station. Some of the spectators said it was customary in ceremonies of this sort to break a bottle of champagne over the article which had received the name, and seemed to consider themselves aggrieved in that it was not done on this occasion. But most of us, as we drank success to the new engine in the liquor above mentioned, agreed it was well that such a wasteful custom was not observed on this occasion.—*Straits Times*.

London, April 23.—The police have arrested at Stratford an Italian Anarchist named Ferrara, who is the head centre of a widespread conspiracy in London for making bombs and placing outrages on the continent.

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