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SAD ACCIDENTS MAR DOMINION DAY

In St. John—Father Loses his Life in Trying to Save his Child—Both Sink in Sight of Friend in the Boat—Another Drowned while Endeavoring to Swim.

St. John, July 2—(Special)—Dominion Day which was enthusiastically celebrated here was marred by two accidents.

A tragic event occurred on the river at Carter's Point. E. Lawson Smith with his seven year old son and his brother-in-law was yachting when the little boy slipped over the stern of the boat.

The father leaped to his rescue and was able to reach the child.

Mr. Smith had grasped a rope as he jumped but it caught in the boat and was

jerked out of his hand. Before the yacht could be brought about Mr. Smith with child in his arms had disappeared and did not again rise to the surface.

Search parties at once went to work and both bodies have been recovered.

Mr. Smith was thirty-nine and leaves a widow and three year old girl. He was quite well known here.

At Lower Coverdale Edward Kelly, aged seventeen, while trying to swim across a creek was drowned.

A SUMMERSIDE HORSEMAN HURT

Thrown from His Sulkey at Moosepath on Saturday—His Shoulder was Broken.

St. John, July 2—(Special)—Samuel Rochford, the horse trainer from Summerside, while speeding on Moosepath Park Saturday, was thrown from his sulkey and his shoulder was badly broken.

He will be unable to drive again for a long time.

U. S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAD

WASHINGTON, July 2.—(Special)—John Hay, Secretary of State for the United States died at his home at Newbury on Saturday.

W. M. S. CONVENTION.

The ninth annual convention of the W. M. S. of the Summerside District was held in Methodist Church, Margate on Tuesday, June 27th. Owing to the unfavorable state of the weather there was a small attendance.

Morning session opened at 10.30 with devotional exercises led by Mrs. Lowther Kensington, after which District Organizer Mrs. L. Trueman, Scarsletown, took the chair. Mrs. T. Hodgson, Summerside was appointed secretary. Miss Robertson returned missionary from Japan was introduced to the convention by Mrs. Trueman, which was suitably acknowledged.

Minutes of last convention were read and full called after which reports from the different Auxiliaries were taken up. Meeting adjourned at 12 o'clock.

2.30—Reading of reports was resumed all of which were of a very encouraging nature. A paper prepared by Mrs. Pepper and read by Mrs. Strong was listened to with pleasure, followed by some discussion. Miss Robertson made a strong appeal for the Mission Band Paper, Palm Branch. A paper written by Miss Stewart, Sackville, on Personal Responsibility was also read.

Miss Robertson then gave a very interesting map-talk on Japan.

Mrs. J. Inman gave an interesting talk on the starting and growth of the W. M. S.

Mrs. J. Fife gave the address of welcome responded to by Mrs. Trueman. Afternoon session closed with a consecration service led by Mrs. McNully.

A public meeting was held in the evening. Rev. H. S. Young, pastor presided. After devotional exercises the chairman introduced Miss Robertson, the speaker of the evening, in a few well chosen words. Miss Robertson who is a pleasing speaker carried her audience with her as she told the story of her work in Japan, and all who had the pleasure of listening to her thrilling story, will be filled with more zeal for the salvation of precious souls.

Too much cannot be said of the kindness and hospitality of the good people of Margate who did all in their power to make everything pleasant for the visitors.

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ARTHUR NEWBURY HONORED BY KING

Among the list of honors bestowed on the King's birthday is the following: To be Companion of the Imperial Service Order, Arthur Newbury, Clerk of the Executive Council of P. E. I.

A NORWEGIAN STEAMER ASHORE

HALIFAX, July 2—(Special)—The Norwegian steamer Salerno, which went ashore Saturday morning at the entrance to Halifax harbor is fast on the rocks and hope of getting her off has been abandoned.

The Salerno is ashore at the same place as the Allan liner Grecian was and the same pilot William Fleming, who was dismissed at that time, and has since been reinstated, was in charge.

Thick fog prevailed.

WOMEN'S COUNCIL.

After devotional exercises Friday morning Miss Mabel Peters read the report of the Committee on Political Equality. This report was most encouraging in many respects; the committee had very materially aided a sister society in the U. S. A. by their support and in consequence helped in frustrating a disadvantageous law from going into effect. Next the report of the Committee on the Protection of Women and Children was presented. Much excellent work is being done in all the provinces towards the improvement of the laws on that important subject. In Ontario the Children's Aid Society has done magnificent work towards rescuing children from drunken and criminal parents. The report on Peace and Arbitration followed. All were in favor of peace but many considered that perhaps in many cases war was necessary.

The next business treated of was the reports of Federation Associations, Mrs. Fitz Randolph reported for Fredericton. That being a new council little had been accomplished as yet. The chief work had been in having Government House restored. Also they had supported St. John in their petition re an institution for feeble minded women. Miss Mellish reported for the King's Daughters. East Point was reported for by Mrs. Carmichael. Miss Anderson also reported for Charlottetown that City Council had been so courteous as to put the Council Chamber at the disposal of the L. C. U. once a month for their meetings. She said that their council found that the work of the standing committees was really the most important work of the council. They also have been working for a maintenance fund to support a Sanitarium. The Lady Minto cottage hospitals had also been greatly helped by them. The council had also persuaded the societies affiliated with them to allow a few minutes to the President of their L. C. W. to present council work to them. Halifax was presented by Dr. E. Ritchie. The most important point she considered was having taken charge of the exhibit of women's work at the Provincial Exhibitions. Factory inspection was also successfully treated. Mrs. Boomer, representative from London, said that the recognition of the Council, by the public men was most gratifying. Also it is now a recognized fact that 10 minutes will be given in the meeting of the affiliated societies to Council work. Mrs. Ahern said that the Council had been materially aiding in the building of a sanitarium for consumptives also in the general prevention of tuberculosis. The full printed reports of all the Federation Association may be had at the Information Bureau.

On Friday afternoon reports on the care of age and infirm poor, Defective Children and Immigration were received and discussed at considerable length.

In the evening the Conference of the work of the Historical Societies was taken up. Lieut. Gov. McKinnon presided.

The papers by Miss Fitz Gibbons and Banj. Sulte President of the Royal Society, Ottawa of more than ordinary interest regrettably did not arrive in time to be read at the meeting.

Drs. Anderson, Mellish, Morrison and Miss Allen, Bowmanville, Mrs. Fitz Randolph, Fredericton, briefly addressed the meeting.

Mrs. Randolph more especially made a plea for restoration of Government House at Fredericton.

Will McKee, who is attending Camp gave a most enjoyable piano solo.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 29—(Special)—
July Corn 55 1/2 Sept Corn 54 1/2
Wheat 92 1/2 Wheat 88 1/2
Pork 112 1/2 Pork 110 00

EASTERN KING'S ASSOCIATION

Of Teachers Came to a Close on Friday—Interesting Papers and Officers Elected for the Year.

The Friday morning session of the Eastern Teachers' Association opened at 10 o'clock. After Roll Call some questions which were not answered at the last session were taken up and an interesting discussion resulted.

A paper Co-Relations of Nature Studies to other subjects by Miss Maud Hayes followed. She showed how Nature Studies might be made a part of our geography and history and how it could be united with the study of English composition by supplying children with subjects that are familiar and congenial to them.

One more paper by Bertha Webster was heard. It dealt with the merits of keeping a school up to a proper standard.

Reports of the various committees were received as follows:—

The following officers were elected for ensuing year:—

Pres.—J. L. Kennedy.

Vice Pres.—W. Vernon Crockett.

Rec. Sec.—Annie McLeod.

Sec. Treas.—J. G. McCormac.

Ex. Committee—Ada Underhay, Adie Fraser, Mary Walsh, Leah Hunter, C. J. McLean.

Votes of thanks to all those who contributed to the success of the convention and also to the people of Souris for their kindness were tendered, after which the session closed.

DOMINION DAY WELL OBSERVED

Charlottetown was practically deserted on Dominion Day, Saturday. The trains in the morning and on the previous evening were crowded. Rocky Point and Victoria Park was thronged with people. The City of London had many excursionists to Crapaud and every possible mode of conveyance was in use to take citizens from the scenes of their labors.

The day was a beautiful one, an ideal Dominion Day, and one that was unmarred by accident such as often characterizes a day of pleasure trips.

The Labor Union Picnic at North Wiltshire was largely attended. The Fourth Regiment Band was in attendance and the day passed off very enjoyably reflecting great credit on the Union.

Ten-pairs were held at Georgetown and Fort Augustus on Saturday. Both were largely attended.

In the second of the league baseball games at the Park the Abegweits defeated the Victorias by a score of 11 to 11. The game was a very interesting one and was watched by many spectators.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, June 3—(Special)—South westerly winds showery.

THE TEMPERATURE. Saturday brought summerlike weather which continued yesterday.

MUTINEERS HAVE NOT BEEN HEARD OF

Since Sailing from Odessa Several Days Ago—Report of Surrender of Kniaz Potemkine is Incorrect—Mutineers on Other Ships Ask Forgiveness.

ODESSA, July 2—(Special)—The crew of the Georgi Pobiedonosts today sent forty men ashore as hostages and have asked the Emperor's forgiveness for having mutinied, pleading that they did not injure the ship.

This was the second warship which mutinied.

The Kniaz Potemkine has not been heard of since she sailed from here some days ago.

The report that she had surrendered to Admiral Kruger was not correct.

EUROPEAN POWERS HAVE DRAWN SWORDS

STOCKHOLM, July 2.—(Special)—The government has issued a proclamation to become effective immediately declaring Stockholm, Karlskrona, Gothenburg and Farosund to be war ports and excluding

all foreign warships from these ports. Troops of both Norway and Sweden are being hurriedly mobilized and a formal declaration of war will probably be made immediately.

THE GUARDIAN LOCAL NEWS

Offices in New Prowse Block Charlottetown.

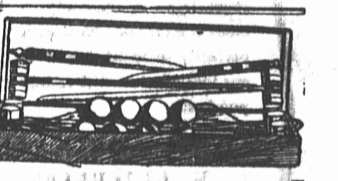
REPRESENTATIVES ARE SELECTED

OYSTER BAY, July 2—(Special)—President Roosevelt yesterday gave out following announcement: The Russian and Japanese governments have appointed plenipotentiaries to meet in Washington as soon as possible after the first of August.

The Russian plenipotentiary is Ambassador Muraviev, formerly Minister of Justice and now Ambassador at Rome and Ambassador Rosen.

The Japanese are Baron Komura, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Minister Takahira.

They will be entrusted with full power to conclude peace. Negotiations for an armistice are now going on.



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DOMINION DAY SPORTS HELD AT SUMMERSIDE

Summerside, July 1—(Special)—Canada's greatest national holiday was royally celebrated on Saturday. The day was ushered in bright and fair. Immense crowds of people from the country came to town to spend a well earned holiday, to take in the races and other sports that were held here. A considerable number of people from Summerside left in the morning train on a fishing excursion to the country and otherwise to enjoy themselves. During the forenoon the yacht races under the auspices of the Summerside Yacht Club were pulled off in excellent order. There was a fair sailing breeze. The contest excited a great deal of interest among many people who watched its progress from the shore.

In A class the Zephyr of Souris recaptured the Dominion Day Defender second. In B class Horton Pickett's boat the Irma won.

The lobster boat race did not fill. The baseball resulted in a victory for the H's over Richmond by 9 to 23.

There was an immense attendance at the races over 1500 being present. It was a great day's sport, the best I ever saw on the island, said an old horseman.

The following is the summary:—

FREE FOR ALL.

Ada Mac (2.18), b m, Parkside (2.22)

Daniel Steele, Summerside 1 3 1

Pickett (2.20) b g, Ajalon, John Steele, Summerside 2 3 2

Kaiser G. (2.22), b g, George Essary (P. S. Brown), Charlottetown 3 2 3

Time 2.27, 2.24, 2.24.

3.30 CLASS.

Lady Mac, b m, Aldorf, P. S. Brown Charlottetown 5 5 5

Lady Daintyle, g m, Almont Wilkes, H. C. Mills, St. Eleanor's 4 4 4

Cock-O'-The North, b g, Parkside, D. Steele, Summerside 2 2 1



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AFTER THE HONEYMOON.

Mrs. Justwed—It's all very well for you to go to your club to break the monotony and all that sort of thing—but where do I come in?

Mr. Justwed—You get your share in getting rid of me for a while.

Old Home Week and Carnival, Charlottetown, July 24 to 31. Write A. Irwin, Sec.