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EGMONT BAY EXHIBITION A GREAT SUCCESS

Unusually Large Crowd Present — Premier and Lieut-Governor Attend — Splendid Display of Local Products.

The Mont Carmel and Egmont Bay exhibition yesterday was a great success attended by one of the largest crowds ever present at this great annual fair. The weather was ideal and crowds came from Summerside, Charlottetown, Kinkora, Emerald, and practically everywhere, to say nothing of the great number attending from the country in and around Egmont Bay.

The official opening took place in the afternoon when Rev. Father F. X. Gallant presided and welcomed the visitors. His honor the Lieut.-Governor, Mr. F. R. Heartz, was next called on and in an excellent speech complimented the people upon the excellence of their exhibition and said that the prosperity of Prince Edward Island was nowhere more manifest than in this enterprising and prosperous section.

The honorable premier of the Province, Mr. J. D. Stewart, made a speech, remarking upon the excellence of the exhibits and congratulating the people upon the success of the show. Mr. Justice Arsenault was present and spoke in both French and English, congratulating the people in his characteristically eloquent style.

Mr. Nap. Lafortune, of Le Devoir, Montreal, made an excellent speech in French thanking the people for the opportunity of visiting the fair and congratulating the exhibitors, especially the ladies, upon the splendid displays. Mr. Lafortune then explained the object of his visit, which was, he said, just a preliminary tour of the province in anticipation of a pilgrimage with 300 Quebecers next August, which was being conducted by his paper. Mr. Lafortune was accompanied by Mr. J. P. Marion, district passenger agent of the C. N. R. at Montreal.

A visit to the Egmont Bay and Mont Carmel exhibition is like no other as there are displays exhibited that one sees nowhere else and it is an education in itself. One sees the products of the soil brought to the finished article in the real old fashioned way without the aid of the modern methods of manufacture. The exhibits of live stock, roots and vegetables, poultry, horses and especially the ladies' hand work were particularly interesting. In the exhibit of swine there was a pig with three tails.

12,000 Women And Children Are Rescued

HANKOW, Oct. 6. — Two rescue launches and several lighters have succeeded in bringing 12,000 women and children to this city from the neighboring city of Wu Chang where northern and southern Chinese troops are at death grips.

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Was Native of P. E. Island

(Canadian Press)

GLACE BAY, N. S. Oct. 6.—Dr. E. O. MacDonald, well known medical practitioner here, died at his residence in New Aberdeen today after a long illness. He was a native of P. E. I.

NOVA SCOTIA VESSEL STRUCK BY STEAMER

Nova Queen Forced to Anchor in Heavy Sea With Bow and Head Gear Smashed.

(Canadian Press)

NORTH TRURO, Mass., Oct. 6.—The three masted schooner Nova Queen, bound with a deck load of laths from Nova Scotia ports to New York City, was run down in the early morning darkness off Nantucket Shoals by an unidentified steamer, the coastguard station at Monamoul Light reported today. The bow and head gear of the schooner was smashed. All the damage occurred above the waterline, but the schooner was forced to anchor near Stone Horse lightship in a heavy sea to await the arrival of a coastguard cutter to take her in tow. Captain G. R. Merriam, of Parrsboro, N. S., is master of the schooner.

Word has been sent to New York to watch for the arrival of two steamers presumably enroute from Boston. One steamer was trying to pass the other in the narow channel at that point according to Capt. Merriam. He said that he was at the edge of the channel and that one of the steamers crowded over and struck his vessel, a wooden schooner, of 476 tons displacement. Both steamers continued without making known their identity or offering assistance, he said.

Anti-British Demonstration In Hankow

(Special to the Guardian)

SHANGHAI Oct. 6.— A message received here from Hankow says that during an anti-British meeting held there yesterday in protest against the bombardment of Wanhsien much anti-British literature was disseminated. British marines prevented the demonstrators from entering the British concession. The British gunboat Mantis and the steamer Kiawo, which has been converted into a British naval vessel, have left Wanho for Chungsi, where it is reported efforts are being made to intimidate Chinese employees of British residents.

Funds Subscribed In Canada go to French Treasury

(Special to the Guardian)

PARIS, Oct. 6. —Hon. Philippe Roy, Canadian Commissioner General in Paris, yesterday presented Premier Raymond Poincare with 1,198,226 franc in checks and bonds (at the present rate of exchange worth $34,140), this being the total amount of subscriptions received to date by the voluntary subscription committee of Montreal in its effort to assist the French government to bring about the stability of the franc.

Hanging Set For October 15.

(Special to the Guardian)

CHICAGO, Oct. 6. —Only nine days of life remain for Russell T. Scott, whose hanging for the shooting of a Chicago drug clerk in April, 1924, is set for October 15th. unless the unexpected, an ever present possibility in the legal struggle of the erstwhile Canadian financier with authorities demanding civil justice, occurs again. William Stewart, Scott's attorney now has a writ of error in the hands of Judge Marcus Kavanaugh of the Cook County Supreme Court which, if approved, will appeal to the Illinois Supreme Court for a retrial in Scott's behalf. Russel's brother Robert Scott, is now serving a life term in the state penitentiary.

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EX-CUSTOMS PROBE COUNSEL STATES CASE

Thought Inquiry Was Non-Partisan — No Reason Assigned by Ottawa for Dispensing With His Services, O'Connor Says.

OTTAWA. Oct. 6. —In a statement handed out this evening, W. F. O'Connor, K. C., formerly joint counsel with R. L. Calder, K. C., for the Royal Commission investigating the Customs Department, charges that his dismissal is based on political grounds. Mr. O'Connor's statement follows:

"During the customs enquiry at Halifax, I took the stand that in law all decisions of the Department of Customs releasing Canadian rum runners because they had been seized outside the three-mile limit were wrong, and I contended that any such vessel, with her cargo, was seizable and condemnable, although taken anywhere on the high seas. I so argued to the Chief Justice and subsequently to the Department that Canadian ships were floating islands of Canada, and that any infraction of Canadian law occurring on the deck of a Canadian ship, at sea, occurred, in law, upon the soil of Canada.

"I connected up this argument with certain sections of the Customs Act which would enable arrests, condemnation and convictions. The situation to which I referred had been wholly overlooked by all concerned with the parliamentary committee of last session. Chief Justice Lemieux was interested and impressed. He asked one to prepare fully to argue my contention along with other matters of law arising from the hearings before him at a later date to be fixed.

Lemieux's Suggestion

"Then we adjourned business until after the elections. On September 28, the Chief Justice wired me suggesting a written argument. On the same day, I wired him

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NOVEMBER 9TH IS DATE FOR BY-ELECTIONS

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 6. — Ministerial by-elections will be held in ten constituencies on November 9. Nomination day will be November 2. Writs were issued today.

The constituencies are :—Middlesex west, Waterloo North, in Ontario; Chateauguay-Huntingdon, Dorchester, Richelieu, St. James 'n Quebec; Gloucester, in New Brunswick; Brandon, in Manitoba; Regina, in Saskatchewan; Edmonton west, Alberta.

This leaves six vacancies to be contested by members of the cabinet. There is also a practical certainty of another by-election in Nova Scotia when a seat has been found for the prospective minister of defence, Col. J. L. Ralston. Writs for all of these will be issued shortly, it is expected as soon as the formalities have been complied with under the elections act.

NEW MODERATOR OF PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD

Rev. W. MacCullough Thomson Elected at Meeting of Maritime Synod in Grafton Street Church, Halifax — Splendid Progress of Church Reviewed

HALIFAX, Oct. 6. — The Rev. W. MacCulloch Thomson of Sydney was last night elected Moderator of the Maritime Synod of the Presbyterian Church in Canada at the opening meeting of the Synod held in the Grafton Street Church. The retiring Moderator Rev. Robert Johnston of New Glasgow was in the chair when the meeting opened and on the platform with him were Rev. Dr. A. J. MacGillivray, Moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, Rev. Dr. Kerr of Halifax and Rev. Frank Baird, of Picton, Clerk of Synod.

"It is simply marvellous the recovery which our church has made in the Maritime Provinces during the past year. The Presbyterian Church from ocean to ocean has made wonderful progress and I have no hesitation in saying that we in the Maritimes have kept step."

In these words Rev. Dr. Robert Johnston, retiring Moderator referred to the great progress which had been made during the past year and he declared that the completion of new churches now under construction and the building of new church homes now being planned would mark a still further era of progress in the reorganisation of the Presbyterian church in the Maritime Provinces.

Optimistic Forecast

In referring to Dr. Johnston's address, Rev. Dr. MacGillivray, later in the evening, said that it would only be a comparatively short time until normal conditions prevailed within the Presbyterian Church and he pointed to the success of the reorganisation as being evidenced by the receiving of 10,000 new members on profession of faith alone during the past year. In addition to this the Moderator of the General Assembly said that last year when the whole church was in turmoil the amount given by adherents and members were practically the same as given by the whole Presbyterian Church in Canada before the agitation for Church Union commenced.

There was a large number of delegates in attendance at the meeting of the Synod which will be in session here during the next three days. The Clerk of the Synod, Rev. Mr. Baird, last night estimated that when registration is complete there will be 60 ministers and 110 elders in attendance.

No business other than the election of the new Moderator was carried out last evening and the Synod will meet at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning to commence the regular detail work.

FOREIGN WORK OF Y. M. C. A. ASKING FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Mr. J. Ernest Trueman, "Y" Secretary from Japan, Gives Interesting Description of Work of the Association in the Far East.

One of the most enthusiastic and interesting meetings that have been held in the Charlottetown Y. M. C. A., was the Foreign Work Banquet held last evening, with Mr. J. Ernest Trueman, "Y" Secretary from Japan, present as the guest of honor.

Following a splendid supper served by the ladies of the Auxiliary, and a hearty sing-song led by Mr. George J. Tweedy, The chairman of the evening, Mr. W. M. Rowe, opened the program with some brief remarks of welcome.

The first speaker was Mr. W. E. Bentley, chairman of the religious work committee who spoke as follows:

Chemists inform us that elementary substances such as hydrogen and oxygen may remain side by side for an indefinite period without alteration or change in their natures, but that the heat of an electric spark will cause the atoms to coalesce and form new compounds differing entirely in their quality or character from that of the constituent elements.

This is true, they tell us, of all compounds each successive combination having characteristics at variance with those of the substances which combined to produce it.

Man, in a state of savagery, like the elements, lived an individual existence. As he advanced in successive stages of civilization, that individual existence became merged into social relationships which followed each other in increasing complexity, in what are known as the family, the tribe or clan, the petty kingdom, the nation, and the empire.

Each of these, as in the chemical changes, took place as a result of some inward Divine fire, giving birth to those higher relationships which have in their creation, adorned his spirit with qualities which we express in terms such as, care of offspring, affection, pride, loyalty, patriotism and service towards family, race and nation.

Every succeeding development and enlargement of his spirit and nature was accomplished only at some sacrifice: family ties by the sacrifice of individual license; tribal membership by an interference with family relationship and privilege; national life by the sacrifice of tribal independence, and membership in an empire, only by those national adjustments and forbearances which alone make empire possible. But for each of these seeming sacrifices, there was given the more than compensating advantages, larger strength, broader vision and opportunity, common privileges, greater security. Each step, successive advance was a gradu-ation from the old into the new.

Today, a new call to a higher stage in civilization has been sounded, the call to a new Zollverein, a state of world citizenship or brotherhood.

The call has come to "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature." Rapid communication, the newspaper, telegraph, radio, have brought the nations into proximity, and relations such as never before existed.

No more can we say of these: "Who is my neighbour,' 'What have I to do with thee, thou stranger, even thou mine enemy?' These, wherever they be, we must learn to love and to serve.

And so the age-long requisite to advancement, namely fire and heat, now demands its translated equivalent, divine passion, warmth of feeling, sympathy, sacrifice.

Only by the observance of these conditions can the new civilization be attained, the new stage of our development reached.

One is reminded of the Chief Captain's answer to St. Paul after the latter had proclaimed his Roman citizenship: "With a great sum obtained I this freedom."

There is no other way given among men than the way of sacrifice, and as all history, all nature, points this truth to us, let us learn the lesson of sacrifice. Give, if thou wouldst receive of the New Kingdom.

Give light to those who have not the light, if we want the larger and brighter and clearer light ourselves. Only in this way may our own salvation and world citizenship be attained.

It was to catch a vision of this brotherhood, this larger fellowship, this citizenship in a greater Kingdom that we proceeded to Moncton last week.

And the vision was ours. We caught it in the glance of the eye, the burning inward fire of that boy of nineteen, who had caught the glow in his visit to the World's Conference of Boys at Helsingfors in Finland in August last, who with unconscious eloquence described the meeting together, the fraternization, the friendships, of boys racially antipathetic, one of the other; but who, at that great conference of fellowship, lost sight of racial differences, creeds and colour in one never-to-be-extinguished light of a new discovery, passion,—call it what you will—the discovery that behind national differences, behind racial, credal, lingual, and all other differences and distinctions, fun-loving, generous, ambitious, daring, with like passions, desires, and aims; and that behind all outward differences they could meet

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MUCH SARCASM MARKS EVANGELIST'S HEARING

Main Issues of the Evangelist's Case Almost Obliterated by Tilt Between Witnesses and Defence Counsel.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Oct. 6.—Sizzling sarcasm that passed between witness and defence counsel today in the preliminary hearing of Aimee Semple McPherson, evangelist, and others on charges of criminal conspiracy almost obliterated the main issues of the case. Deputy District Attorney Joe Ryan who was in the witness box nearly the whole of yesterday, spent all of today in the same place.

W. E. Gilbert, chief of defense counsel, added to the heat of a warm fall day by punctuating his cross examination with caustic comment that did nothing but draw answering sparks from Ryan. Hammer and tongs the pair went at it, with the court spectators hanging on to every word.

"You can't put words into my mouth," the witness informed his interrogator.

"If I were on the bench you'd answer every question," Gilbert replied. "Well, you're not," and the dark haired little deputy grinned as Judge Blake admonished Gilbert to be more careful of his remarks.

Ryan's statement that he had surveyed an area four hundred square miles of desert country around Agua Prieta, Mexico, near which Mrs. McPherson declared was located the shack from which she escaped her abductors, was the subject of much cross-examination by Gilbert. Ryan insisted he had covered that much territory searching for footprints left by Mrs. McPherson.

He admitted most of the search was made from an automobile and that he had not walked around a great deal. He said it was possible to see a woman's foot print for fifteen feet on each side of the machine.

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'STIRRING TIMES IN OLD ACADIA'

Interesting Historical Lecture Delivered by Dr. Clarence Webster Under the Auspices of the S'Side I. O. D. E.

The people of Summerside who are interested in things of the mind had looked forward with much interest to Dr. Clarence Webster's lecture of the I. O. D. E. course and were not disappointed when on Tuesday last he gave his address in Epworth Hall on "Stirring Times in Old Acadia." Dr. Webster who since his retirement from medical and professional work has been devoting his whole time to the interests of education and the intensive study of the history of the Maritime Provinces has gathered a world-famous collection of **Canadiana**—old books, paintings maps, plans, and prints; and his address, centred around the history of the rise and fall of Louisburg, was copiously illustrated by slides copied from these interesting records. The past became a vivid reality as across the screen there flitted a procession of these picturesque and romantic portraits. Among them were French governors of Louisburg; Pepperell and Warren who captured it after the British in 1745; Boscawen and Amherst who recaptured it after the treaty of Aix-la-Chapelle; Monckton who served under Wolfe at the seige of Quebec; Saunders, commander-in-chief of the fleet at that time; James Murray governor of Canada when Captain Samuel Holland came in 1764. A group of beautiful paintings of Wolfe were shown and also views of his early home in Westerham Kent, which has recently been purchased by Mr. Learmont as a national shrine. Of special interest were portraits of persons intimately connected with the history of P. E. Island—Pichon, who has left a journal of his travels on the Island in 1752 undertaken by order of the governor of Louisburg; Lord Rollo, whose benevolent-looking countenance somewhat belies his reputation as the ruthless expeller of slides.

Acadians; Samuel Holland who surveyed the Island for George III and gave it English place-names; his friend, Captain Cook, the great navigator, who also fought at Louisburg; and William Frederick Desbarres who succeeded Governor Fanning. One notes that in these days it was the men who displayed gay attire—satin coats with many buttons, cascades of lace on neck and sleeves, curled and perfumed locks.

Dr. Webster pointed out the great power in the study of a country's history to mould its population, and especially its value to the young people, suggesting the use in schools of Canadian historical slides, prepared by the Department of the Interior. He regretted the lack of interest taken by the people of Canada in historic places, documents and pictures which has resulted in many valuable relics being removed to the United States. He praised the patriotic work of Dr. Doughty in the Archives at Ottawa which has produced unrivalled facility for historical research. Dr. Webster is a member of "Historic Sites and Monuments Board" which is now erecting tablets on places where events of National interest have occurred.

The chair was occupied by Mr. Neil Macleod, K. C. A well deserved vote of thanks was moved by Rev. A. A. Macleod, seconded by Mrs. McArthur, ex-regent of the I. O. D. E. and supported by Mr. T. D. Ramsay. Special thanks were expressed to the trustees of Epworth Hall and to Mr. Allan for his services in connection with the lantern; also to Mr. McInnis, western representative of the Guardian, for two fine songs, and to Mrs. Roy Silliphant his accompanist. The next lecture on this course is by Miss C. E. Holman, B. A., on "Cathedrals" in Epworth Hall, Oct. 12th, also with lanternket Building opens this morning at 10 a. m.

Explorer's Widow Dies in London

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, Oct. 6. — Lady Stanley, widow of the famous African Explorer, Sir Henry M. Stanley, died yesterday in London at the age of 71.

LORD BYNG ARRIVES AT SOUTHAMPTON

Thousands Line Docks to See Him—Mayor and Council Give Official Reception.

(Special to the Guardian)

SOUTHAMPTON, Oct. 6. — Lord Byng, arriving on the Empress of France, was given a great welcome at Southampton, thousands of people lining the docks to see him. The mayor and council of Southampton gave him an official reception.

Lord Byng, interviewed, refused to say anything about the constitutional issue in Canada except that it would be threshed out at the Imperial Conference. He was most emphatic about the loyalty of Canada. He said: "Immigrants must be prepared to forgo the comforts of England, artisans at present cannot be absorbed. Canada is extremely prosperous. I have enjoyed my five years, but now I must rest. Canada's greatest need is more men."

Dunning Will Not Be Opposed

(Canadian Press)

REGINA, Oct. 6. — Decision not to contest the seat in the coming by-election in opposition to Hon. C. A. Dunning, was reached by the Regina Conservative Association meeting here last night. The motion passed with but little discussion.

Degree Conferred on Lord Willingdon

MONTREAL, Oct., 6. — McGill University today conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws on Viscount Willingdon, Governor-General of Canada, and on three distinguished graduates of the university, F. G. Finlay, Archdeacon, F. G. Scott, of Quebec and Samuel J. Willis, of Vancouver, formerly of Prince Edward sland.

Miles is Winner

(Canadian Press)

SYDNEY, N. S. Oct. 6. — John C. Miles proved an easy winner in a ten-mile special event staged at the trotting park here this afternoon. James Hawboldt, of Westville, was second.

Miles' time was 57 minutes, 19 1-5 secs, fairly good considering the fact that a 20-knot southeast wind was sweeping the track throughout the race.

CANON TROOP CLOSES SERIES OF LECTURES

Spoke Last Night of the Rebirth of the Jewish Nation, and of the Part it is Prophesied to Fill in the History of the World

"I should rejoice to be a Jew," said Rev. Canon G. Osborne Troop last evening, lecturing in St. Paul's Parish Hall, as he endeavored to impress on the minds of his audience the high place which, according to prophecies in the Bible, the Hebrew nation is destined to fill in world history.

It was the Canon's closing lecture, and he spoke to a large and appreciative audience. At its close the chairman, Rev. H. D. Raymond expressed to the speaker his appreciation of the debt under which the Canon has placed the people of Charlottetown, for the intensely interesting and greatly informative series of lectures he has delivered for their benefit this week.

As in his other lectures delivered in this city, Canon Troop in dealing with last night's subject held his audience spell bound by the magic of his words. His mastery of the matters on which he spoke was only surpassed by his mastery of the English language, and it will likely be a long time before the Charlottetown public is again afforded the opportunity of hearing a speaker of the sincerity, eloquence and forcefulness of Canon Troop.

The lecture dealt last night with the new era in the Holy Land, with the rebirth of the Jewish nation since the Great War. He expressed his intense admiration of the Hebrews as individuals, and of their idealism as a nation. For their leaders of whatever religious belief, he expressed the greatest respect, for he said that almost without exception they stood for all that was noble and highest in life.

Canon Troop quoted passages from the Scriptures in substantiation of his belief that the history and final destiny of the chosen people had been fully prophesied in the Bible. He again expressed the opinion that the world will before long see another and greater world conflict than the last, and that in the midst of this destruction and death will occur the second coming of Christ.

The optimism with which the speaker viewed the regeneration of the Jews he justified with accounts of Palestine's rapid progress as a nation since the war. The population was being increased daily, he said, by the deflection into the Holy Land of the current of immigrants that heretofore flowed from Europe into the United States. Cities were springing up with mush room-like growth, and the speaker laid particular emphasis on the fact that one of the largest of these, a city of nearly a hundred thousand people, found it unnecessary to maintain a jail.

The Jews, he declared, had been brought up in a hard school. So inured were they to adversity that he believed it would now be well nigh impossible to quench their indomitable spirit.

During the evening a delightful vocal solo was rendered by Mrs. E. W. McKinnon, Miss Lillian Earle accompanying at the piano.

Canada's Delegation Sails on Saturday

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, Oct. 6. — Premier King and his associates in Canada's delegation to the Imperial Conference are completing their arrangements and will be ready to leave Ottawa Friday night sailing for London on the Megantic from Quebec on Saturday.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

**Rummage Sale in Market Building Thurs. Oct. 7 at 10 a. m. 1886-10-6-2i

*Warning: — Don't forget Big Show. Coming. "The Man Upstairs", Friday, Montague Saturday. 1902

**Regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of P. E. I. Orphanage Friday 3.30 p m. at the Cundall Home. 1900-10-7-2i.

**The Big Rummage Sale in Market Building opens this morning at 10 a. m. 1910