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CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 1903.

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Canada's Grand Old Man Entering His Hundredth Year, But Soon to Leave Fredericton to Take Up Duties in the Senate at Ottawa.



HON. DAVID WARK, CANADA'S "GRAND OLD MAN." By courtesy St. John Telegraph.

SHAMROCK III DISMASTED LIPTON'S NARROW ESCAPE

Collier Drowned—Accident Causes a Month's Delay—Sultan of Morocco Will Lead His Army Foreigners Warned to Leave—Irish National Convention Calls for Home Rule—The Land Bill

AFFAIRS OF MOROCCO.

LONDON, April 17.—(Special).—The Sultan Morocco has decided to personally lead the expedition against the Pretender.

Weymouth, April 17.—(Special)—Shamrock III was dismasted in her trial spin to-day.

The mast carried several of the crew and all the gear and canvas overboard. One man was drowned and several persons, including Sir Thomas Lipton, who was knocked down the hatchway, were bruised, none seriously.

SIR THOMAS' NARROW ESCAPE. The man drowned was Collier, brother-in-law of Capt Wringe. He had been on all three Shamrocks. The hull was not damaged. Sir Thomas had a narrow escape. The accident will

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cause a month's delay.

REDMOND AND HOME RULE. DUBLIN, April 17.—(Special).—The National Convention today reconvened.

John Redmond introduced a strong Home Rule resolution declaring that the Irish nation would never be satisfied until they shall have obtained a full measure of self-Government.

DAVITT AND WM. O'BRIEN.

Michael Davitt briefly seconded the resolution which was carried by acclamation.

WM. O'Brien explained the various suggested amendments in the Land Bill.

THE ARMOR CHILD ABOUT CURED.

CHICAGO, April 17.—(Special).—Dr. Lorenz removed the plaster from Lalita Armour, whom he operated on for hip disease, and the child ran across the floor. It is believed the cure will be a complete success.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Table with columns for stock types (e.g., Union Pacific, Steel Common) and prices.

WARTS REMOVED WITHOUT PAIN.

Putman's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor never fails to remove Warts Corns or Bunions without pain in 24 hours. Refuse a substitute for "Putman's"; it's the best.

Fredericton, April 17, 1903. Dear Mr. Milligan. I received your letter of 25th ultimo and agree to your request I send you by this mail a photograph. I do not like to write anything about myself to appear in print but as a good deal has been written about me on account of my age containing minor inaccuracies and you proposing something correct I send you a few dates and facts which you can rely on and you can delete from them anything that would suit your purpose. I remain dear Sir, Yours respectfully David Wark.

FAC SIMILE OF SENATOR WARK'S LETTER TO THE TELEGRAPH. By courtesy St. John Telegraph.

Church Services.

METHODIST. Prince Street—Prayer and Praise Service at 10. Rev. G. M. Young at 11 and 7. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. Strangers welcome. Attentive ushers.

Grace Church.—Prayer Meeting at 10 a. m. Rev. G. P. Raymond at 11 and Rev. J. W. McConnell at 7. Sunday School at 2.15. Strangers always welcome and provided with comfortable seats.

PREBYTERIAN. St. James.—Prayer meeting at 10. Rev. T. F. Fullerton at 11 and 7. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30.

Zion.—Prayer meeting at 10. Rev. D. B. McLeod at 11 and 7. Sunday School at 2.30.

BAPTIST. Rev. J. W. McConnell at 11 and Rev. G. P. Raymond at 7. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. All welcome Visitors provided with seats by courteous ushers.

CHURCH OF CHRIST. Services at 11 a. m. and 3.45 p. m.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Rev. R. W. Stevenson at 11 and 7. Sunday School at 2.30. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Seats free and unappropriated.

ST. DUNSTON'S CATHEDRAL. First Mass at 7.30, second Mass at 9 and High Mass at 10.30. Vespers and Benediction at 7 p. m. Catechism at 2 p. m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND. St. Paul's—Rev. Leo T. W. Williams, Rector. Morning Service, at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. Evening Service with Holy Communion at 7 p. m. All seats free and unappropriated.

St. Peter's.—Rev. Jas. Simpson, M. A. Priest Incumbent; Rev. T. H. Hunt, D. D. Asst. Priest. Holy Communion (plate) and 8 a. m. Holy Communion (choral) and 8.15 a. m. "Mains" (plain) p. m. Choral Evensong and sermon 7 p. m. Holy Communion every week day at 7.45 a. m. Church and All Saints Chapel open every day from sunrise to sunset for private devotions.

SALVATION ARMY. Sunday Services at 7.11.3 and at 7.30 p. m. Week night: Service—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8.

The Guardian had a pleasant visit yesterday from James McKenna, Travelling passenger agent of the C. P. R. Mr. McKenna has been accompanying the recent large English emigration parties who arrived at Halifax from the City of Montreal. He describes the immigrants as an excellent class of people, some of them possessing considerable money. Mr. McKenna leaves on return to the mainland on Monday.

GOVERNORSHIP OF ONTARIO

Senator Scott May Succeed Sir Oliver Mowat

OTTAWA, April 17.—(Special).—The name of Hon. R. W. Scott is mentioned in connection with the Letut. Governorship of Ontario. Senator Scott, it is understood would accept, the position.

SIR OLIVER GROWING WEAKER. Toronto, April 17.—(Special).—Sir Oliver Mowat's condition shows no change. He is gradually growing weaker, and cannot last long.

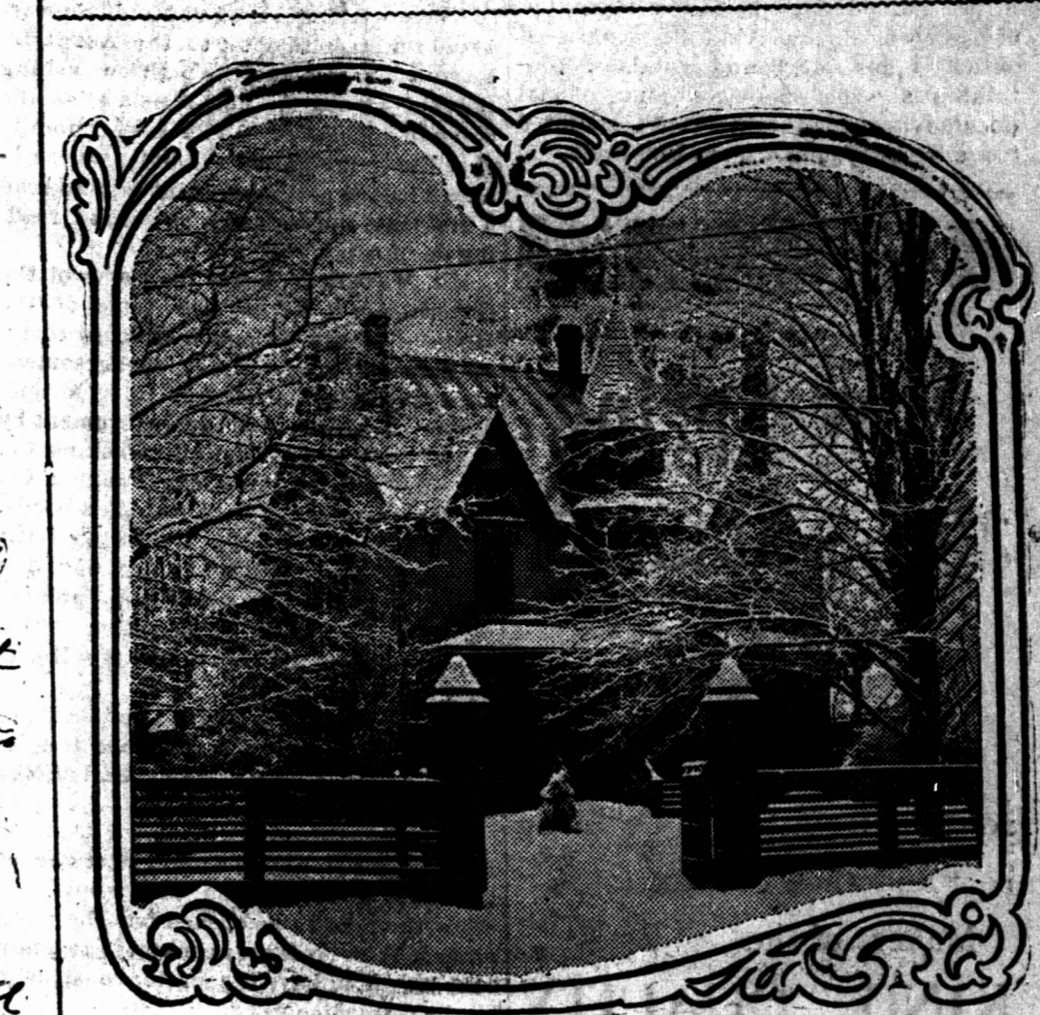
VERY SERIOUS FIRE IN ST. JOHN. ST. JOHN, April 17.—(Special).—Fire broke out this morning in the Elder Dempster warehouse at Sand-Point and destroyed the warehouse, a large quantity of export freight, also the Donaldson Line warehouse, sections of the Canadian Pacific elevator chute, portions of the cattle pens, a number of Canadian Pacific cars and did considerable damage to the wharves themselves and to the Dominion Government immigration building.

OCEAN STEAMERS NARROWLY ESCAPED. The steamers Tunisian, Lake Manitoba and Saxonia narrowly escaped destruction. The loss is heavy. Fortunately the winter-port business is about over for the season.

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DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS CURE HEADACHE.

Notes From the Journal of an Active Life—New Brunswick's Venerable Lawmaker Hale and Hearty at the Close of a Century of Years.



THE RESIDENCE OF SENATOR WARK IN FREDERICTON. By courtesy St. John Telegraph.

SENATOR WARK, OLDEST LEGISLATOR LIVING IN THE BRITISH EMPIRE

A Sketch of the Oldest Law Maker at Present Alive in Canada—A Senator who is Respected by Both Liberals and Conservatives Alike—Now Well on to the 100th Year and Still in all His Vigor.

There is no more picturesque figure in the political life of Canada, than the Hon. David Wark, who occupies the unique position of being the oldest legislator in the British Empire. It is not alone the extreme age which the venerable senator has attained, however, which makes his life story interesting to the people of Canada and particularly to the people of New Brunswick, among whom the well spent life has been lived.

Senator Wark is a native of Ireland, who has lived from boyhood days in the province of New Brunswick, and there is perhaps no better figure known to the people of the province than this venerable legislator who, with a mind ripened by the experience of almost a century, retains to the end a vigor of intellect and power of expression with which few men of half his years are gifted.

This being Senator Wark's jubilee year, a movement has been instituted in the senate by the senators of both political parties to convey by some special mark of respect the honor and esteem in which the venerable New Brunswick senator is held by his colleagues in the red chamber at Ottawa.

The St. John Telegraph feeling that more than special interest centred around Senator Wark at this time, wrote that venerable gentleman for a brief sketch of his life. Senator Wark has courteously responded that this acquiescence to the Telegraph's request is not due to any desire to figure in the public eye, but rather from a wish that the facts of his life would be correctly stated on account of so many mistakes having occurred in previous publications.

Senator Wark's letter reads as follows: "Dear Mr. Milligan:—I received your letter of the 25th ultimo and agreeably to your request I send you by this mail a photograph."

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"I remain, dear Sir, Yours very sincerely, 'DAVID WARK'." "I was born," writes Senator Wark, "on the 19th February, 1804, in the County of Donegal, Ireland, five miles from the City of Londonderry. In my fifth year, I was sent to the parish school. The teacher taught reading, writing and a little arithmetic but nothing more. A few families who could afford it had employed a better scholar at their own cost, and in my eighth year I was sent to this school, where I commenced my education in English grammar with which the teacher was well acquainted. Unfortunately, however, he did not have the gift of teaching, for I remember that when we came to the conjugation of verbs we skipped them, yet he expected that when we were called to parse a sentence that we could tell the mood or tense of a verb of them."

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