

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

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DR COOK'S EARLY CAREER.

One searches the memory, searches history in vain for a parallel to the situation which at this moment provides the topic at a million dinner-tables, puzzles the brains of the civilized world. Compared with it the Tichborne case was a vulgar police-court affair, the "Man in the Iron Mask" interesting but really unimportant. Cagliostro and Saint Germain obvious, the Juarez question insipid.

The details we at present possess regarding Cook's earlier life are by no means exhaustive, but everything we know is in his favor and indicates a personality strong, resourceful, of tremendous perseverance and energy. His father was a German, a Dr Koch who emigrated to the United States when a young man and practised in a rural district in the State of New York. He changed his name to "Cook," doing what many thousands of others have done when they found that an Anglo-Saxon name was an advantage in America.

It seems fairly certain that Dr Koch was a Jew—a member of the well-known family of Frankfort-on-Main. This information was given to the Jewish world newspaper, and we understand that it came from a quite trustworthy source. Dr Koch or Cook, died when his son, the explorer was six years old, leaving a tiny farm for the support of a widow and four children. Obviously they must have had a very hard time. At length they moved to Brooklyn, part of the great city of New York.

Here young Cook's fortunes were at their lowest ebb. He had to earn money, and sold vegetables in the market. In what little spare time he had read. He saved all that he could, and with his savings started a milk business. He himself delivered the milk to the customers, beginning work at one o'clock in the morning and working until seven.

Then at nine o'clock he went to Columbia University, attending classes until four in the afternoon, when he read until night time. Think of the life! The tiresome journeys from Brooklyn to the university and back alone took a considerable slice out of each day, and yet the boy was up an hour after midnight in order to obtain money for his education. Only on Saturdays and Sundays, when there was no classes, did he get an opportunity for proper sleep.

This life went on for six years, and then the young man received his physician's diploma. This was in 1891, immediately afterwards Dr Cook succeeded in obtaining an appointment as surgeon with the Peary Expedition to North Greenland, being chosen out of the entire Columbia graduating class. When he returned to America he practised as a physician in Brooklyn for six years, and then when he heard a rumor that a surgeon was wanted on the Belgian Antarctic Expedition he cabled to the promoters, offering himself as a volunteer. His offer was accepted by cable, and he joined the expedition at Rio de Janeiro. Ever since then he seems to have been engaged on one hazardous exploit after another.—Montreal Herald.

CHURCH SERVICES

Changes to be made in Church services must not be later than Friday at noon.

METHODIST.

First Methodist.—Pastor Rev. H. E. Thomas. Public Worship at eleven and seven. Sunday School at two thirty. Bible Study meets at close.

Grace Church.—Rev. Wm Harrison pastor. Prayer meeting at ten a. m. 11 and 7. Prayer meeting at 10 a. m. strangers welcome and provided with comfortable seats.

BAPTIST.

Baptist.—Rev G. R. White pastor. Services will be conducted by Rev. H. R. Erb at eleven and seven. Sunday School class at 2.30 p. m. Visitors always welcome and provided with comfortable seats.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN.

Rev. J. F. Floyd, minister. Preaching at eleven a. m. and seven p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class at two thirty p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at eight p. m. All seats free. College students and all others cordially invited to all services. Minister's residence, 104 Prince Street.

ANGLICAN.

St. Paul's.—Holy Communion at 8.30 a. m. Morning prayer at 11 a. m. Evening prayer at 7 p. m. St. Peter's Cathedral.—Rev. Canon Simpson. Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Matins at 10.15 and evensong at 7 p. m. Rev. Mr Quinn of St. Clement's Church, Phil. will officiate in the morning and preach at the evening service.

PRESBYTERIAN.

St. James.—Rev T. F. Fullerton at eleven and seven. Strangers welcome and provided with good seats. Sunday School and Bible classes at 2.30.

Zion.—Rev. George E. Ross Pastor. Morning prayer meeting at ten a. m. Public worship at eleven a. m., Rev. Geo. E. Ross, at eleven and seven. Sunday School and Bible Class at two thirty. Young Peoples Society Monday evening at 8 o'clock, and weekly prayer meeting Wednesday at eight p. m. Students and strangers are cordially invited to all services.

ST. DUNSTAN'S CATHEDRAL.

First Mass at 7.30, Children's Mass at 8.30, Catechism immediately after Mass. High Mass at 10.30. Vespers and Benediction at 7 p. m.

SALVATION ARMY.

Sunday Service at 7, 11, 3, and 3.30 p. m. Week nights Services.—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at eight p. m.

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The Little Princess will be presented by the Colonial Stock Company at the Opera House, this afternoon. The play will prove equally delightful to old and young, having a strong story and plenty of comedy. Two valuable prizes will be given away. The Brixton Burglary the Colonial Stock Company's farce comedy success, will be the evening offering. Much interest is already shown in the farewell play "The Woman in the Case" which will be presented Monday night.

A SAD SUICIDE.

OTTAWA, Sept. 24.—E. B. Hamilton, a man of good appearance about 30 years old, suicided on the grave of his young wife in Beechwood cemetery.

HORSE NOTE.

E. A. Large, Station Master P.E.I. Ry, North Wiltshire, is the owner of a very promising Commodore Ledyard colt, 3 years old. This colt, Black Tom, took 2nd prize at Charlottetown Exhibition in 1907 as a year old. His dam was sired by Parkside, grand dam, Lucy G., the dam of C. P. R. (2.12), Great Grand Dam, Nelly Ready. The dam of Sadie Pilot (2.30.1) Tom O'Shanter (2.34). He is a perfectly black gelding and no doubt will be heard tell of on the race track as a prize winner in the near future.

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New Advertisements



Miss Flora Donaldson, Queen of Scottish song, will hold a concert in Hampton hall, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 29th, Rose Valley Hall, Thursday, Sept. 30. 9-25dripd.

St Catherine's Burying Ground

The meeting for cleaning up and carrying out improvements will be held at the cemetery on the afternoon of Thursday the 30th Sept. List of Plot-holders will be read. Subscription list examined. A full attendance. 9-dslipd. ALEX C. SHAW

THE CHARLOTTETOWN School of Music

Will be re-opened Monday, Sept 27th, in the Kindergarten Hall, under the direction of Miss Alice Harrison.

Arrangements for lessons, terms, &c, may be made with Miss Harrison at the studio. Sept 25dts6i.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Halifax Ladies' college will be held in College, Friday, Oct. 1st at 3 p. m. ROBT LAING, President 9-25d 3i.



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