

PRESBYTERIAN GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT HALIFAX

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HALIFAX, June 2—The Presbyterian general assembly got under way this morning with the guiding hand of the moderator, Rev. President John Forrest, D. D., keeping the ecclesiastical ship steady and in smooth waters. Dr. Forrest has always been a regular attendant at synods and presbyteries. He knows the rules and he is firm. He is good-natured and bright, not too devoted to red tape or ceremonial and does not hesitate to enliven the proceedings with remarks of his own.

The five great matters that engaged the attention of the assembly today were the statistical report, the report of the committees on Sunday school publications, augmentation and the colleges. In the evening, some missions was the great topic.

There are twelve ministers who seek admission to the church from other communions. Their names were sent to a special committee to look

into their qualifications. It is rare that all pass the ordeal. The committee dealing with this subject, which sits in two sections, one for ministers who study admission and the other for students, is one of those whose inquiries are more or less feared. They are below Ministers—Dr. Ramsay (convener), Rev. D. Bennett, Dr. Ballantyne, Rev. D. C. MacGregor, Rev. H. Currie, Elders—George Rutherford, Hamilton Cassels, James Rogers.

The committee to consider the cases of ten students who wish to have certain scholastic difficulties removed which prevent their receiving license as ministers are:

Ministers—Dr. Abraham, Whitty (convener), Rev. James Binnie, Rev. G. L. Johnson, Rev. D. D. McLeod, Rev. G. A. Woodside, Rev. R. G. MacBeth.

Elders—John Lowder, Ed. Brown, Hon. B. Rogers, Dr. I. Thornburn.

The report on the individual colleges was interesting, especially to the friends of each. The most enthusiastic was manifested when the statement was made regarding Westmin-

ster, at Vancouver, the progress of which seems to have been remarkable. About \$150,000 has already been raised for the colleges by the citizens of Vancouver. New professors are being engaged and a boom apparently is on as respects this institution.

In moving the recommendations on the statistical report, urging greater regularity and thoroughness, Rev. Dr. Somerville, the treasurer, sharply rapped some of the presbyteries. They neglect, he said, to furnish ample statistics to show the condition of their work but yet they go to the committees for large grants to help them. They must show what they are doing to help themselves before they need expect help, he remarked.

John Lowden, of Toronto, presented the Sunday school publication report. Amid applause, he said that we have now the finest lesson helps and papers in the world. There are eleven periodicals in circulation of over a quarter of a million copies. A new Sabbath school monthly, a year book and several booklets have been published. The cash balance is \$17,504.

BOTHA CABINET IS DOING WELL

Special to The Guardian.
JOHANNESBURG, June 3—A despatch states that the judicial and administrative, and especially the high railway appointments, made so far by Premier Botha's government have been thoroughly efficient and markedly non-racial.

A scheme for the complete administrative separation of the self-governing from the Crown Colonies in the Colonial Office will be completed by the spring of 1911.

C.P.R. WILL MAKE GREAT CHANGES

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BOSTON, June 3—The terminal for the C. P. R. has fought for years is now assured by the absorption of the Dominion Atlantic S. S. and Railway Co.

The C. P. R. will signalize its victory by sweeping changes all along the acquired system.

The present steamers and the Boston and Yarmouth will be replaced by new express liners of the trans-

Atlantic type.

The steamships now in the service will be sent to the Great Lakes or the Pacific Coast.

Digby will be the principal ocean terminal of the ocean lines.

The erection of two or more of the famous Canadian Pacific Hotels at Digby and Halifax is assured.

The entire railway system of the Dominion Atlantic will be overhauled and modernized up to the Canadian-Pacific standards.

METHUEN FAVORS FORCED SERVICE

Special to The Guardian.
CAPETOWN, June 3—Lord Methuen's article in connection with General Astor's forthcoming work upon the defence of South Africa is exciting great interest.

Lord Methuen emphatically urges compulsory service, observing that the youth of South Africa are expert shots and horsemen and need only training and discipline.

PROVINCIALIST IS HONORED CHURCH MEMBERS TOTAL 32,966,884

In 1881 E. F. Baker left Prince Edward Island to make his fortune in the dominion of Uncle Sam. Edd, as he is commonly called, learned the carpenter trade with Mr. Schurman, who is now residing in Summerside. A few days before he left home he intended to locate in New York City, where his uncle had a place for him to work at his trade. But instead of going to New York as he had intended he bought his ticket for South Dakota and emigrated there with Griffith Rogers, who moved there with his family at that time. Edd had resided at or near the above mentioned place until twelve years ago, when he obtained a position from E.A. Brown, which sent him to Garrettsville, South Dakota, to run an elevator and buy grain. This work he has continued ever since.

On the 17th of April, of the present year, the town of Garrettsville had an election in which Edd was elected Mayor, which office he holds for two years. He was elected on the prohibition ticket, although the town seat for rum. He hopes, as three new Albatrosses are to be elected in one year's time, to get in a majority of a temperance council.

The following item taken from the Garrettsville News will show some of the bad features of the recent city election in that E. F. Baker, who was elected Mayor, will no longer act as a member of the school board. Mr. Baker had been one of the best and most level-headed members of the board and will be greatly missed in that position.

E. F. Baker is a son of Jesse Baker, who resides in Lot 10. Edd was home three years ago, after an absence of twenty-two years.

RETIREMENT OF "B. P." ISLANDER RETURNS AFTER 43 YEARS

LONDON, June 2—Although he has not reached the age limit—he is only 53—Lieut.-General Sir R. S. S. Baden-Powell is retiring from the army, after thirty-four years useful and often conspicuous service, in order to devote himself entirely to the Boys Scouts' movement.

The hero of Mafeking joined the 13th Hussars in 1876, and served in India, Afghanistan, and South Africa. In the Zulu campaign serving as intelligence officer, his enterprises gained him the distinction of being made a baronet. The Mafeking Relief Expedition of 1896 took him to South Africa, and during that campaign he commanded a Colonial force, and was chief of Sir Frederick Carrington's staff.

Mafeking, of course, brought him into the limelight more than ever. In the days preceding the siege, when "B. P." first took charge of this outpost of Empire, no one dreamt that his name was soon to ring round the world as the hero of one of the most memorable sieges in modern history, and he linked with the place itself in one of the thrilling episodes of public imagination that marked the turning of fate's tide in a disastrous campaign.

Since that day and night of retort and rejection "B. P." has gone about his work as unostentatiously as ever. After organizing the South African Constabulary and serving, from 1903 onward, as Inspector-General of Cavalry with promotion to Lieutenant-General in 1907, in succession to Lord Dundonald, he was allotted the command of the Northumbrian Territorial Division.

But in recent years this Sherlock Holmes of the army, Britain's chief scout, has devoted himself zealously to the noblest of all the modern generation, and after lecturing to Boys' Brigades on Red Indian route traffic signs, Mafeking mole-work, the art of smiling in anger, agony, courage, coolness and citizenship, he founded the Boy Scouts. To the work of licking this popular movement into a great business-like organization for citizen and military service "B. P." now intends to devote his whole time; though no doubt he will still keep his kit carefully packed, in his customary readiness to start for any part of the world at half an hour's notice.

A STOVE PLANT COMING OVER

Special to The Guardian.
WINDSOR, June 3—The Michigan Stove Co., one of the largest concerns of the kind in the world, is planning to establish a big plant on the Canadian side of the river.

PUBLIC WORKS SECRETARY DEAD

Special to The Guardian.
OTTAWA, June 3—Napoleon Tessier, Secretary of the Department of Public Works, died today of typhoid fever.

MOUNT ETNA IS THREATENING

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ROME, June 3—A renewal of the eruption of Mount Etna is feared.

KING'S BIRTHDAY QUIETLY KEPT

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LONDON, June 3—King George's birthday was kept very quietly and there were no official celebrations. Messages of congratulation reached His Majesty from the rulers of many foreign states and all parts of the British Dominion.

NIGHT TRAINS BETWEEN HALIFAX AND SYDNEY

ST. JOHN, June 2—Starting from Halifax, June 6, and from Sydney, June 7, the night train service on the Intercolonial Railway will be resumed between these points. This will be good news to the regular patrons of the road and to the traveling public generally. The night service proved highly successful last season and was a great convenience to the people. It will be possible now for travelers to leave Cape Breton points via Truro by leaving on No. 26 at 12.40 or by the night express departing at 23.30. From a tourist point of view, the last is preferable as the journey through beautiful Cape Breton will be by daylight.

WILL ASK TENDERS ON FOUR CRUISERS FOR CANADA'S NAVY

OTTAWA, June 2—Preparations are being made to call for tenders for the construction of four cruisers of the Bristol class for the Canadian navy. It is expected that the principal British firms which build war craft for the British Government will tender.

Tenders will be called for the construction of these vessels in Canada and in Britain to ascertain the margin of difference between the construction of craft on the two sides of the Atlantic. They would have been called for before this but Canadian desires to build on the plans prepared and used by the Admiralty, and permission to use them is at length with certain formalities.

MEMBERS OF COMMISSION

OTTAWA, June 3—Following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Royal Commission on Industrial Training and Technical Education: James Robertson, Montreal, Chairman; Hon. John Armstrong, North Sydney; Dr. J. E. Wetherford, Dominion Veterinary Director-General; and Dr. C. F. Fagan, chief medical health officer of British Columbia, agreed that pasteurized milk was the only safe milk for cities. Professor Rutherford went so far as to suggest that calves should be brought up on pasteurized milk.

ANNUAL MEETING OF PHOENIX CRICKET CLUB

An interesting meeting of the Phoenix Cricket Club assembled in the Y. M. C. A. parlors last evening determined to get their affairs in shape and their players in readiness to cope with the British team from the H. M. S. Cornwall expected to arrive here shortly from Halifax.

The outlook this season is a cheerful one and cricket bids fair to boom as matches will also be arranged with teams from their old rivals at Stellarton and Westville.

This being the annual meeting of the Club the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Patron—Mr. Justice Hodgson;
 Hon. Pres.—His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Rogers;
 President—Dr. J. T. Jenkins;
 Captain and V. P.—John McQuillan;
 Sec. Treas.—W. A. Scott,
 Field Secy.—Mark McInnis;
 Asst. Field Secy.—Arthur Tomlins, James Robinson;
 Executive Committee—Officers of the Club, Ernest Rice, W. H. Tidmarsh, O. McEachern, C. G. Tomlins, Ernest S. Iler.

Complete arrangements have been made to have the grounds put in shape and all old players of the game will be earnestly requested to swell the membership of the Club.

WHAT THE GERMAN EMPEROR RECEIVES

BERLIN, June 3—The Civil List of the Emperor as King of Russia is to be increased to \$5,000,000.

The restoration or repairs required upon His Majesty's numerous castles are responsible for the royal need. It is expected that the Commission will enter upon its labors early in the month of July. The Minister of Labor states that it will begin by making a tour of the Dominion from the Atlantic to the Pacific, visiting all the important industrial centres and ascertaining by personal enquiry and investigation, as well as by the hearing of evidence, the needs of employers and workmen alike as respects industrial training and technical education.

Having completed this part of its work, the Commission will then visit the United States, the United Kingdom, Germany, France and any other countries that may seem necessary, with a view to ascertaining the best methods by which similar needs are being met, and the work of technical education furthered in other lands. It is expected that at the end of the year will be required for this work.

Professor Robertson, Chairman of the Commission is at present in England, but has been informed of his appointment by cable, and has announced that he will return to Canada and be ready to enter upon his duties early in the month of July. All of the Commissioners will be obliged to give their individual time and attention to the work of the Commission.

AVIATOR'S GREAT SUCCESS

DOVER, June 3—Hon. Charles Rolls a captain in the Army Motor Reserve, driving a Wright Biplane, vindicated Anglo-Saxon Aeronautics by crossing the English Channel twice, last evening, without alighting. He made the round trip between Dover and Calais in ninety minutes.

While two Frenchmen, Louis Bleriot and Count de Lesseps have crossed the channel in an aeroplane, it remains for an Englishman in an American machine to perform the double feat. The distance across between the two points named is 21 miles, so that his over-water flight of 42 miles without a stop establishes a new record.

Captain Rolls left Dover at 6.30 o'clock. The atmospheric conditions were excellent. He lost no time in manoeuvring after describing a circle, headed towards the French coast. In anticipation of the flight torpedo boats steamed at full speed across the channel. The pace of the aeroplane was swift.

Captain Rolls sent his machine to a height of 300 feet, and at that altitude he skimmed through the air like a great bird. The motor worked perfectly. The crowd who watched the start coincidentally awaited the return and it was not long before the speck which those who had telegraphically seen disappear on the French coast, growing larger with every minute.

When finally the aviator became visible to the naked eye cheer after cheer arose from the enthusiastic spectators, and as he gracefully soared toward the landing place made famous by Bleriot, he was given an ovation. He alighted at eight o'clock, at almost the same spot as Bleriot, showing little signs of strain after his magnificent flight.

REVISION OF BOOK OF PSALMS

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 2—At the closing session of the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church held here, the revised edition book of psalms was adopted after a spirited discussion. Resolutions were adopted condemning "the grave evils of over-capitalization and combination, whereby the cost of the necessities of life become greater for both laborers and consumers."

In the report of the committee on ways and means the Rev. J. J. Porter reported the United Presbyterian church had given two and a half times as much money toward the support of foreign missions as any other denomination.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE ARRIVES IN THE CITY

ST. JOHN, May 2—Fred A. Hines, imperial potentate of the order of the Mystic Shrine, arrived in the city on the Boston express last night and is registered at the Royal Hotel. Today he will be a guest of Luxor Temple in the morning there will be a trip which will leave Lunenburg at 9.30 o'clock. Special cars connecting with the boat will leave the foot of King street at 9.15 sharp. It is planned to carry out a grand programme of sports at Lunenburg. The return to Lunenburg will be made at 7.30 and at city will be a grand reception will be held in Keith's assembly rooms, followed by a reception in Mr. Hines' honor.

Imperial Potentate Hines registered at the Los Angeles (Cal.) He has been on pilgrimage visiting the nobles of the Mystic Shrine in the States and Canada. He arrived last night from Lunenburg, where the local temple held a grand clam-bake in his honor. On Saturday night he will leave for Montreal, where he will be entertained by Karnak Temple.

WOULD LEAVE MONTREAL IN DARKNESS

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MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DANDRUFF

MOB WRECKED NEWSPAPER OFFICE.
REID'S, S. D., June 1—A mob today broke into the office of the Black Hills Daily Register newspaper in the city, and with sledge hammers destroyed three presses and a linotype machine. The attack is attributed to labor troubles.

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CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 3—(Special.)—
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F. J. HOLMAN & CO IMPROVE STORE

The firm of F. J. Holman & Co., city, have been making extensive improvements in the interior of their grocery store on the corner of Kent and Great George Streets.

The whole floor space has been increased by the removal of a stairway at the east side of the shop and the counter and shelving have been moved back six feet, making a splendid addition to the size of the store, which will be greatly appreciated by the busy day customers and assist the staff materially in giving prompt attention to those in waiting.

In this change new shelving was built at each end of the east counter, thus increasing shelf room for the accommodation of Holman & Co's large stock on display.

A new office has been built in the rear of the store in the north-west corner, which is separated from the main store by a glass and frame partition with a sliding door.

The lighting has also been improved and electric wiring and light fixtures have been renewed throughout, new drop cap lamps being added wherever necessary.

The interior has been renovated and painted and presents a tasteful and attractive appearance.

On the exterior two splendid new awnings have been placed over the two large show windows.

Holman & Co. have taken in a new stock of all grocery supplies, their rapidly increasing business demanding a large, fresh stock always on hand.

The fittings in the store are up-to-date and include a splendid silent salesman, two long counters and a specially good fancy biscuit case which occupies a place at the rear of the store. This case, which is of the Walter make of Sydney, stands about five and a half feet high and about five feet broad and has twenty compartments for the display of biscuits under glass, where dust or dirt cannot enter, while the goods are ever before the purchaser's eye.

Messrs. Holman & Co. have gained the confidence of the public since taking over this stand, and that their business will continue in the future along the progressive lines set down by the proprietor is undoubted.

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