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NO DOUBT AS TO VALOUR OF BRITONS

(Exclusive to the Guardian.) LONDON, Sept. 4.—Daily News Special from Paris, (By Franklin Tate) Whatever may be the result of the main battle there is not a doubt of the dash and bravery of British troops who succeeded in taking ten guns from the Germans at Compiègne. An eyewitness of the fighting assures me the British soldiers were in action from 4 o'clock in the morning, Tuesday, and they lost heavily but finally drove back the Germans, inflicting on them a loss far in excess of what they had themselves suffered. An assistant surgeon whom they left at La Fere on the same day in charge of a convoy of wounded, tells me the Germans were then still beyond La Fere in bad condition on a plain dominated by the Allies who had possession of the hills. They had not gained a foot in five days fighting. The Doctor further told me that the water jackets of German machine guns soon get boiling hot. As for the English artillery he added it is tip top; so is their organization for the wounded. The English Tommies regularly got their meals, etc., and just fancy every man has his little box of French phrases and words he is most likely to need referring to his own special department. The Doctor told me that only ten per cent of abdominal rifle wounds are dangerous.

FINANCIAL DISTRICT MEETING

The financial meeting of the Charlottetown district of the Methodist Church was held at Pownal, Thursday 3rd, Sept. 3. Present—Ministers—Revs: J. L. Dawson, B. A., E. S. Weeks, B. D. E. Styles, J. Jewett, B. A., H. Miller, H. Brown, E. Bell, E. Westmoreland, F. W. Sawdon, G. Orman, F. Littlejohns. Laymen:—Col. F. S. Moore, H. Smith, W. Long, F. H. Beer, A. Erchault, F. Jenkins, D. Ross, C. Boyer. The assessments of the various connexional funds were voted to remain the same as last year. The meetings to be held in the various churches in the district during the ensuing year on behalf of the Missionary and educational Societies were left for local arrangement. A very interesting and enthusiastic discussion took place on the measures to be taken on behalf of the work of temperance and moral reform; many ministers and laymen expressed the urgent need for immediate action being taken to propagate the knowledge of the baneful evils of intemperance. A committee of five was appointed to organize a temperance campaign throughout the district. The circuit estimates for the year were discussed and passed. Several circuits expect to increase their receipts this year over last, by the following amounts:—Montague \$60, Souris \$31, Mount Stewart, \$45, Murray Harbor, \$25, whilst the Pownal circuit expects to attain independence. A most searching and profitable discussion took place upon the work of Gospels. All expressed the need for a fuller consecration of both pastors and people in order that a deepening of the spiritual life of the church may result. Votes of sympathy were extended to Col. F. S. Moore over his sad bereavement, and also to Mrs. Campbell in her painful sickness, and were unanimously passed by standing vote. The Rev. F. W. Sawdon was welcomed into the district from the Newfoundland Conference and responded in a few appropriate words. The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p. m. A public service was held in the church in the evening when the Rev. E. A. Westmoreland preached a most thoughtful and helpful sermon from 1 Cor. 1.23, on the place and power of the Cross. Referring to modern reforms advocated by teachers today, he said in effect, "although all kinds of reforms are advocated today,—Parliamentary reform, Sociological reform, etc.—all such like reforming end in the sad word 'failure'. There is no genuine effective reform but that which emanates from the Cross. It is significant to note that Paul, amidst the squalor and evil of Rome, receiving the reforms needed, preached the reform but 'Christ Crucified'. The Cross always stands for change, always for regeneration. The red blood stain of the Cross is stamped indelibly all through our hymn book. The Cross stands for three things. 1. For the pardon and forgiveness of sins; but not only that, but, 2. For the removal of the sense of guilt; 3. The Cross is the germinal point of a new life, where new life is infused into the soul and results in an entirely new relation to God and man." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered at the close of tea service.

TOURISTS RETURN FROM ENGLAND By the late express last night there arrived in Charlottetown Professor and Mrs. Barlow, who had been spending some time in England. Seven days ago they left Preston, Lancashire, on the "Calgarian," arriving at Rimouski, Que., at half-past four o'clock on Thursday afternoon. When the declaration of war was made they were in Seaforth, on the other side of the river from Liverpool, and had some difficulty in getting back home owing to the fact that the Government had taken charge of all the trains. It was almost impossible for them to move with any degree of comfort. For the next week Professor and Mrs. Barlow remained at home in the former's native town, Preston. This being a garrisoned town they saw a good deal of the troops going to the front, and as they resided in the neighbourhood of the main line of the railway they could hear the soldiers passing through night and day. Professor Barlow informed a Guardian reporter, in regard to censorship of news in England, that so strict is the secrecy observed of the movements of the troops, that wounded men were brought back from the front before the public had realized that they had been engaged in battle. Even the railway officials and trainmen are kept in the dark until the last possible moment as to the destination of trains. The engine driver does not know whether he is going until the train is a quarter of a mile away from the station, when he is given his sealed orders. In regard to despatches, Professor Barlow said: "No news can be entirely relied on unless it is official, and official news is invariably three weeks old." A more detailed and interesting account of the Professor's trip will be given in another issue. On the previous night Mr. J. A. McLaren and his daughter, Miss Helen McLaren, Mr. Walter Leitch and Miss Pansy Irving, of Vernon River, also came home from the Old Country, having made the passage on the Allan Line "Scandinavian."

Mr. McLaren and Miss McLaren left Charlottetown on June 22nd, arriving in Glasgow, Scotland, on July 4th. They first visited many of the principal points in Scotland, going as far north as Aberdeen. During their visit the King and Queen were making a tour of the country, and the Islanders had the privilege of witnessing the many patriotic demonstrations in honour of Their Majesties. Mr. McLaren and his daughter reached London on the Friday previous to the declaration of war. They intended going to the Continent, but were advised to stay in England. When in London Mr. McLaren stopped at a hotel opposite the German Consulate, and witnessed the scenes of excitement attending the rush of reservists and others besieging the office in order to make arrangements to leave for home. Mr. McLaren states that the harvest in the Old Country is abundant and that the merchants are co-operating in the endeavor to allay the fears of the public in regard to "war" prices, and to individual wills to lay in stores of supply they refuse to sell large quantities of provisions.

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THE GARFIELD RACES

The races at Garfield on 29th August were a grand success. The matched race was closely contested and was a fight from start to finish. Oakley Oakes, owned by Mr. W. P. Brown, winning out in three straight heats. In the three minute class Britania owned by John Buchanan, Arion, owned by McIntyre, and Brazilian Boy, owned by Mr. Bruce took part. This race was hotly contested with Arion and Brazilian Boy first and second, money divided; Britania, third.

PLANT LINE

AUTUMN EXCURSIONS In Effect September 11th. Charlottetown to Boston and return \$13.00. Tickets good for return within 30 days from date of issue. The new twin screw steamer "Evangeline" sails from Charlottetown for Boston every Friday at noon. For folders and full information apply to JAS. CARRAGHER, Agent, Charlottetown, P. E. I. 5489-9-5

PERSONALS

Miss Nellie Higgins, Charlottetown, left yesterday morning for Boston. Miss Daisy Cowan of Mount Stewart is visiting friends in the city. Capt. Wm. McDonald, of Souris, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Hazel Bremner left yesterday on return to Fitchburg, Mass., after a visit to her home in this city. Rev. G. C. Taylor, City, has returned from a visit to Montreal and other Canadian cities.

Mr. James E. Newson, of the Massachusetts Fox Ranching Co., arrived in the city last evening.

Mrs. Cook, of Summerside, sales agent for ladies' apparel, is in Charlottetown staying at the Russ Hotel.

Mrs. Allen McDonald, Oyster Bed Bridge, paid a flying visit to Winsloe yesterday.

Messrs W. H. Prowse and W. L. Jordan, of the Bonanza Fox Ranching Company, are in the city on business.

Mr. Frank Montgomery, Summerside, who has been in the city transacting business with the Canadian Fox Exchange, left yesterday on return.

Miss Barr and niece, Miss Ruth Coombs, left yesterday on return to Boston, after visiting friends in Charlottetown.

Misses Lucy and Jean Blanchard and Louise Murphy, city, left yesterday morning for St. John to take in the Exhibition.

Mr. Allan J. McDonald, St. Peters, Manager of the Dundas Silver Black Fox Company, was in the city yesterday.

Several American parties are now in Charlottetown investigating the Fox industry of Prince Edward Island with a view to investing.

Mr. Campbell, the popular agent of the Dominion Express Company of Charlottetown, intends spending a week's vacation at Rocky Point.

Mr. Marshal Paquet, Souris, has returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peters, Rustico.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wayne of Hunter River, have returned home after a very pleasant trip to Winsloe the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carter.

Mr. Roderick Steele, Scotchfort, who has been in Charlottetown on military duty for the past few days has returned home.—S.

Rev. Clarence A. Young, Ph. D., pastor of the Roxbury Presbyterian Church, Boston, is at present visiting in Charlottetown.

Rev. and Mrs. Bell are visiting at Pownal and Mr. Bell has kindly consented to preach in Pownal Church next Sunday evening. Rev. E. S. Weeks will preach at Millview the same evening at 7.

Mr. George Green has resumed his duties as principal of the Mount Stewart graded school with Miss Walsh of Somerville as assistant. The ratepayers of the district are to be congratulated on again securing the services of such competent and painstaking teachers.—S.

Mrs. William J. Paquet, Souris, and her two little children who have been spending six weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peters Rustico, have returned home. They were accompanied by her little sister Edna Peters who will remain with her sister.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—What might have been a very serious accident occurred at Scotchfort Thursday, when Mr. Alexander McLean who was repairing his barn fell from the upper stage, it having given away. He fell to the ground taking four staves with him, a distance of about twenty feet, and was rendered unconscious for some hours.

Rev. A. M. Gordon, son of Rev. Dr. Gordon, of Kingston, Principal of Queen's University, has been appointed one of the chaplains to accompany the Canadian expeditionary force to Europe. Rev. Mr. Gordon is a nephew of Mr. David MacLennan, Mrs. McPherson and Miss MacLellan of Charlottetown, and has preached here on a number of occasions. He is at present assistant to Rev. Dr. Herridge, of Ottawa.

BULGARIA'S NEUTRALITY (Special to the Guardian) PARIS, September 4.—A despatch from Athens says the Bulgarian Minister to Greece has assured the government that Bulgaria has decided to maintain strictest neutrality until the end of the war.

AUSTRIAN STEAMER SUNK LONDON, September 4.—A British cruiser sent the Austrian steamer Bathvi to the bottom of the Bay of Biscay. "She was ordered to heave to, then the crew of twenty-six were taken off, and the ship sunk. Prisoners included German staff officers.

GERMAN AEROPLANE WRECKED (Special to the Guardian) WARWICK, England, September 4.—A British submarine brought in a German airman and his machine who were found floating sixty miles off the coast. After rescuing the man the submarine sunk the aeroplane.

MORE ASSISTANCE WANTED. LONDON, Sept. 4.—In addition to the first expedition Australia has arranged to send to England more Infantry and Light Horse. Field Marshal Kitchener expresses thanks through the press for the numerous offers so as to be enabled to provide adequately for the wives and children of the expeditionary forces.

P. E. I. BRANCH OF RED CROSS SOCIETY All parcels should contain a list of the contents, and the name and address of the sender. Money donations will be gratefully received by Mr. Percy Pope, Treasurer of the P. E. I. Branch of the Red Cross Society. Vice-President for P. E. I. President Mr. Justice Hazard; Sec'y., S. R. Jenkins, Esq., M. D. Sir Louis Davies K. C. M. G., &c., Vice-President, Frank Hearty, Esq. Hon. Treasurer, Percy Pope Esq. The Treasurer desires to make the following further acknowledgements: J. A. S. Bayer.....\$ 2.00

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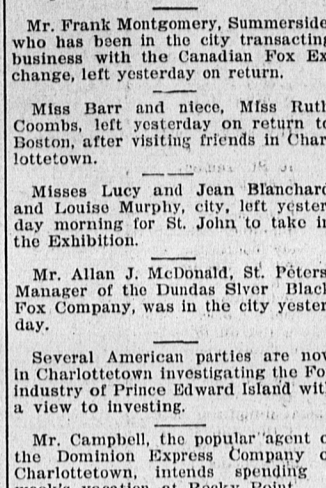
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