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THE METHODIST MISSION SCHOOL

Sitting in St. John—Addresses Delivered by Prominent Speakers.

St. JOHN, July 31.—(Special)—The Methodist School of Missions opened here this evening with a very fair attendance. It promises to be an unqualified success. Addresses were given on Bible Study by Prof. Reddell of Alberta session and on The Opportunity in China by Dr. Stephenson of Toronto.

YELLOW FEVER SUSPECTS SHOT

MERIDIAN, MISSOURI, July 31.—(Special)—Five Italians in detention camp for yellow fever suspects attempted to escape today and were fired on by the guards. Two were killed and the other three seriously wounded. The yellow fever situation is more reassuring as the measures taken to prevent the spread of the disease seem to be successful.

WELL!

Two friends were walking along the street together. Suddenly one of them turned to the other. "Have you ever noticed," he asked, "how dependent we are upon the word 'well'?" "Why, no. How do you mean?" "Well—now don't you see I used it then. You can't help using it. It's impossible. I'll bet you can't say good-night to me without saying it. I'll bet you a dinner."

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HALIFAX DATES OF CRUISER SQUADRON.

Programme of the Visit to Canada of the Fleet of Six Ships.

His Majesty's naval envoy Rear-Admiral Prince Louis of Battenberg, has promulgated the following programme for the visit of the second cruiser squadron of the Atlantic fleet to American and Canadian ports. The squadron will leave Gibraltar on August 1st and visit the undermentioned places:

Arrive Place Days in Port.
Aug. 10—Quebec .. 23
Sept. 4—St. John's Nfld. .. 7
Sept. 12—Sydney .. 2
Sept. 15—Charlottetown .. 3
Sept. 19—Halifax .. 5
Oct. 2—Annapolis, Md. .. 9
Oct. 9—New York .. 11
Oct. 23—Bermuda .. 23
Nov. 25—Gibraltar .. 23

CONVICT TRIED TO HANG HIMSELF

MONCTON, July 31.—(Special)—The convict Biggs, sent to Dorchester from Fredericton a few weeks ago for assault on a young girl, attempted suicide in the Penitentiary last night and was found by the guards this morning in half dead condition. He had taken his suspenders and shoe-strings and tied them to a clothespole, making a noose of the other end then with it on his neck, jumped from a chair. This rude gallows gave way but he was nearly choked.

WEATHER TODAY.

TORONTO Aug. 1.—(Special)—Fresh easterly to north easterly winds, unsettled, cool and showery.

43RD MAY NOT VISIT BOSTON.

OTTAWA, July 28.—The proposed trip of the 43rd regiment to Boston is doubtful. Latest advices indicate the Boston authorities have suggested a method to overcome the state law against foreign troops carrying arms, which is in the nature of an indignity upon Canadians, and unless this proposal is modified the trip will be called off.

HON. EDWARD BLAKE.

QUEBEC, July 28.—Hon. Edward Blake, M. P., arrived here this morning on board the Dominion line steamer Canada from England. He looks in good health and is in excellent spirits. He said he intended leaving directly for Metis to spend a holiday before visiting Toronto.

Summer Goods!
Hammocks,
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EARL GREY OPENS SYDNEY CARNIVAL

Three thousand Present—Addresses Presented—His Excellency Welcomes French Warships—After Movements of the Vice-regal Party.

SYDNEY, July 31.—(Special)—Three thousand people were present when Earl Grey opened the Sydney Carnival this afternoon. His Lordship in replying to the addresses of welcome presented by Mayor Fullerton congratulated the country on the magnificent mineral development which gave exceptional advantages in the

BRITAIN'S OFFER WAS REFUSED

BASEL, Switzerland, July 31.—(Special).—By an overwhelming majority the majority of the Zionist Congress today decided not to accept Britain's offer of a large tract of land in East Africa for the formation of a Jewish colony. The Congress resolved that the only place for founding the Jewish colony must be in Palestine.

YACHT RACES AT SOURIS

There was a large attendance at the Yacht Races in Souris yesterday, over one hundred having gone from the city alone to enjoy the sport. The pretty village was in holiday attire and despite the threatening weather the day remained fine. There was an excellent sailing breeze for the races which freshened up considerably during the forenoon.

OVERFLOW LOCAL NEWS

"Citizen" must send his name in confidence to ensure consideration. C. W. WHITE, of the Marine Department, Ottawa, came to the city last night on business of the department. J. HERBERT LOGAN, formerly organist in Zion Church, and now in Halifax, came to the city last night and is the guest of W. E. and Mrs. Bentley.

JUDGE J. G. FORBES, O. L. MILLBERGER, F. JONES, J. M. ROBERTSON with cook and guide, St. John, came to the city last night and registered at the Victoria. They go to Morson's Pond, Dundas, today on a holiday fishing trip.

CHARLES DRINKWATER, of the C. P. R., is expected to arrive in the city this afternoon. Supt. Downie's private car was taken to Moncton Saturday for Mr. Drinkwater and party, who have been on P. E. Island—St. John Sun 31st.

WANT BETTER FOOD.

KINGSTON, July 27.—Penitentiary prisoners at noon yesterday showed their dissatisfaction over food supplied them and raised a big commotion, shouting, hooting and banging their knives and forks and plates about the tables to emphasize their feelings. The people of Kingston were startled by the rumpus, and thought a riot was in progress.

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NEW RUSSIAN PARLIAMENT

Elections Fixed for October and First Meeting in November Next.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 31.—(Special)—The election for members for the proposed National Assembly will be held on October fourteenth and the first meeting of the Assembly will be on November fourteenth in St. Petersburg. The Emperor has the right to prorogue or dissolve the Assembly, or to determine the length of the session.

BRITISH CRUISER SQUADRON'S VISIT

MONTREAL, July 29.—A special cable to the Montreal Star from London, says: It is understood that the King is taking the keenest interest in the approaching Canadian visit of H. M. S. Drake and Cruiser Squadron under command of his favorite nephew, Prince Louis of Battenberg. Naval men speak in the highest terms of his exceptional seamanship and his personal charm, which have been displayed at each step in the upward progress of his chosen profession. His Majesty keenly appreciates the fact that the British nation is realizing what he and the late Queen always realized, viz: The ability and devotion of the Prince.

The Prince's squadron is the swiftest in the world's fleets. The latest record of H. M. S. Drake with full stores aboard is twenty-four knots per hour. The squadron includes the following first class cruisers: Drake (flagship) 14,100 tons, Capt. John R. Jellicoe. Berwick, 9,800 tons, Capt. Charles H. Dare. Cornwall, 9,800 tons. Cumberland, 9,800 tons. Essex, 9,800 tons, Capt. Richard B. Farquhar. Bedford (probably 9,800 tons, Capt. Frederick C. D. Sturdee.

WOOL SEIZED.

BOSTON, July 28.—Officials of the United States treasury department have seized 25 bales of wool which were brought to this port on the str. St. Croix of the Eastern Steamship Co., which came from St. John and Eastport, Me. The wool was consigned to a Boston firm, which, however, declared that it knew nothing of the consignment. The ground of the seizure was that the requirements of the customs laws had not been fulfilled.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 31.—(Special)—
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P. R. A. ANNUAL PRIZE MEETING

The Annual Prize Meeting of the P. E. Island Provincial Rifle Association will be held at Kensington Range commencing Tuesday August 12th at 8.30 o'clock a. m. The meeting will extend to three days. The prize list will be large, the same number of matches as last year and tyros will be more generously treated. Competitors are requested to send in their entries to the Secretary at least one day previous to the matches. Prize lists may be had on application to the Secretary.
F. DOGHERTY, Lt. Col., R. L. President.
A. A. BARTLETT, Capt., Secretary Treasurer.
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FIFE IS COMING TO CANADA.

He Has Accepted the Invitation to Be Present at the Canada's Cup Races.

TORONTO, July 27.—Mr. Frederic Nicholls, owner of Temeraire, the Canadian champion, has called to William Fife, of Fairlie Scotland, the famous designer, asking him to be present at the Canada's cup races at Charlotte. Mr. Fife has accepted. He will sail on Sunday on the Lucania. As designer of the Temeraire he will be of immense benefit to the challenger. Incidentally the trip will be of great benefit to Mr. Fife, for he will see, at first hand, the conditions for which he has to design boats for. Mr. Fife designed Seelama, Canada, and Temeraire for Lake Ontario. He will be able to do better work in the future craft, from the experience he will gain. Mr. Fife is of course best known as the designer of the first and third Shamrocks for Sir. Thomas Lipton.

GEN. BOOTH HOME FROM AUSTRALIA

LONDON, July 30.—General Booth, of Salvation Army, returned to England today from his trip to Australia. He is in excellent health. General Booth tomorrow will start on a 2,000 mile motor tour. General Booth was enthusiastic over the success of his five months' tour in the Antipodes and expressed himself as profoundly impressed with the possibilities of Australia's future. Australia's vital need, he said, was more population, and he was prepared to promote his schemes of emigration on a greater scale than ever before. Two thousand acres of land in Western Australia were given to him to do with as he pleased.

ACADIA COLLEGE NEW ENGLISH PROFESSOR.

WOLVILLE, July 28.—The board of governors of Acadia University at a meeting last Friday filled the vacant chair of English by the appointment of Professor Roland P. Gray of the University of Rochester. The appointment is regarded as an excellent one. Professor Gray is a young man in the middle thirties, having a splendid preparation in English, and ten years' experience as a teacher in that department. He was graduated from Columbia University in 1898, having specialized in English under Professor Brayden Mathers, Professor George E. Woodberry and the late Dr. Thos. Price. Since graduation he has had the advantage of a special course in English at Yale, at Harvard and at Oxford. He has also travelled extensively in Europe. His teaching experience includes one year as instructor in the University of Nebraska, and nine years as instructor and later for several years as assistant professor in the English department. He comes highly recommended by the Rochester authorities and a number of other eminent educationists as a cultured and refined gentleman, a broadly educated scholar in his special department, an experienced and successful teacher, and a man of the highest Christian character. He has done original work in several directions, especially in the department of old English. He has recently prepared for publication a translation of the Beowulf, edited with introduction and notes. Simultaneously with the offer of the position at Acadia another position was offered to Professor Gray by the University of Nebraska. His preferences, however, for the first and for work in a college of the type of Acadia determined him to accept Acadia's proposal. He will begin his work with the opening of the new college year.



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NEWFOUNDLAND NAVAL RESERVE

Admiralty Reconsiders its Decision and will Enlist 126 Men.

ST. JOHN'S, N.F., July 31.—(Special)—The British Admiralty has reconsidered its decision to cease recruiting for the Newfoundland naval reserve and has decided to enlist 126 reservists annually, detailing three warships, either those on the fishery patrol or cruisers, or sent especially from England to embark them for six months sea training in the Caribbean every winter.

SAY CANADA WILL NEVER CONSENT

MONTREAL, July 30.—A special London cable says: The Liverpool Daily Post publishes a cablegram received from Jellifoe, the Liberal candidate for Walton division, who was a passenger on the Victorian. Mr. Jellicoe says that during the journey he had opportunities of ascertaining from members of the C. M. A. the views they formed during their sojourn in England in regard to Mr. Chamberlain's fiscal proposals. They are agreed that Canada never will consent to Canadian agricultural interests getting a preference while Great Britain makes payment for Canadian grain exports in manufactures that must compete with Canadian products.

A preference, they say, must go all round.—They perceive that the preferential treatment of Canadian foodstuffs in Great Britain would render the British market dear and only benefit one-fourth of the population of Canada who need the benefit least. Their unanimous opinion is that Canada will never surrender her fiscal independence nor her power of negotiating trade arrangements or commercial treaties with foreign countries, nor become a unit in a commercial confederacy. The imperial side of the scheme is distrusted and will be opposed if it entails sharing Britain's military and naval burdens.

SUNK IN COLLISION.

HAVANA, July 28.—The coasting steamer Nuova Mortera of the Herrera line was sunk last night in a collision with the British steamer Pocklington off Nuevitas. Captain Whyte of the Pocklington reports all on board the Nuova Mortera were saved. The Mortera is a total loss.

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