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DEATHS

LARGE.—At Hunter River after a long illness. William Large, aged 56 years. Funeral Wednesday at 2 o'clock, to Hunter River Cemetery.

RATTRAY.—At Union Road, Sept. 29, 1913, Alexander L. Rattray, aged 79. Funeral tomorrow, Wednesday, at two p. m.

SMITH.—At Millview on Sept. 30th at the home of his father, Willard W. Smith, eldest son of Wm. C. and Elanck Smith, aged 10 years. Funeral tomorrow (Wednesday) at 2 o'clock to Pownal Cemetery.

POLICE HAVE CLUE TO THE IDENTITY OF AUTO BANDITS

MONTREAL, Sept. 29.—The police announced today they had strong clues as to the identity of the four masked bandits who held up and robbed the automobile party on Queen Mary road Friday morning, and that arrests would likely be made today. Detective Laberge is among those working on the case, and he is of the opinion that the men who held up the car had planned the robbery early the evening before when the car first left the Regal Hotel.

The police believe that the robbers were in the Regal Hotel when the motor party was formed, and knew the route the party would take, and then followed and laid in wait on the lonely stretch of road until their prey arrived in sight of dawn.

No effort will be spared to run down the bandits, as the robbery was one of the boldest, in the opinion of the police, that has been perpetrated in this section for a long time. The bandits did not stop at robbing the party of money and jewellery, but stole the car as well, and left their victims, which included two women, stranded miles away from the nearest town.

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DIARY OF EVENTS.

TODAY.
City Magistrate's Court, 9, a.m.
Special Service in St. James Church, 8, p. m.
Clark-Urban Company give performance in Opera House, 8.30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 1, 1913

DR. FULLERTON'S MISSION.

In drawing attention of Church members to the necessity of a forward movement in Church work, the Rev. Dr. Fullerton deserves the hearty support and active sympathy of every right-thinking man and woman in the community. Of recent years we have become too formal, too materialistic in our Church connection, with the result that the Church is losing its hold on the rising generation. The Rev. S. A. Martin, an Islander doing great work among the young people in the Northwest, states that on re-visiting the scenes of his youth, he was surprised and grieved to find so many of the old people gone, removed by death mostly, and so few taking their places in the sanctuary. Ministers in the Island have the same story to tell. It is with the utmost difficulty, many of them complain, that they can get workers, where formerly children grew up and, as a matter of course, took their places in carrying on the organization of the church in its various departments. If money be required, it is usually forthcoming, but personal service is the one thing lacking, and it is the great essential in Christian work.

People seem to have forgotten what Ruskin used to drive home with sledge-hammer force whenever he had the opportunity, that in life there is no true potency but that of help; nor true ambition but ambition to save. The man or woman who has not striven to make the world a little better for having lived in it does not know the joy of life. Most of us are too apt to become passive Christians, willing to be Christianized or preached at, but entirely lacking that which Ruskin says is the only source of power and influence in the world, the dominating spirit which never rests from helping a lame dog over a stile—nor is satisfied until someone choosing the roadway has been restored to the narrow path.

POPULATION SURPRISES.

Mr. L. G. Chiozza-Money, the well-known statistician, contributes a valuable article to the London Daily News and Leader, submitting data on the white population of the world to set the average man thinking.

He first deals with the population of Europe, giving the following approximate estimate of what the population will be at the end of the current year:

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| United Kingdom..... | 45,600,000 |
| France..... | 39,800,000 |
| German Empire..... | 67,000,000 |
| Russia..... | 140,000,000 |
| Austria..... | 29,200,000 |
| Hungary..... | 21,400,000 |
| Italy..... | 35,200,000 |
| Spain..... | 19,800,000 |
| Belgium..... | 7,600,000 |
| Holland..... | 6,200,000 |
| Sweden..... | 5,600,000 |
| Norway..... | 2,800,000 |
| Denmark..... | 2,800,000 |
| Switzerland..... | 3,900,000 |
| Portugal..... | 5,400,000 |
| Balkan Peninsula..... | 24,000,000 |
| Total..... | 456,000,000 |

According to the writer, and few will be found to disagree with him, the two most extraordinary things in this list are (1) the fact that Germany will soon have twice as many people as France, whereas at the time of the Franco-German War the populations of the two countries almost equalled one another, and (2) the great predominance of Russia in point of numbers. Every lover of France, and every well-wisher of the world at large, must deplore the stagnation of the French population. In Britain and Germany the birth-rate is falling rapidly, and Britain, unlike Germany, loses population through an artificially stimulated emigration.

Russia has in Europe alone almost as many people as the United Kingdom, France, and Germany put together. Outside Europe, the Russian Empire has about 35,000,000 subjects, making a total of about 175,000,000, and she is growing at the rate of about 3,500,000 a year, after allowing for emigration. Who shall say what part will come to be played in the world by this mighty people in the time to come? Russia is the dark horse of civilization. Her natural resources are as magnificent as the varied gifts of her people, and as undeveloped, and she is growing more rapidly than any other

or great nation. The estimated population for America is as follows:

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| United States of America..... | 97,000,000 |
| Canada..... | 7,500,000 |
| Newfoundland..... | 200,000 |
| Mexico..... | 16,000,000 |
| Argentina..... | 6,800,000 |
| Brazil..... | 18,000,000 |
| Chile..... | 3,500,000 |
| Peru..... | 3,800,000 |
| Bolivia..... | 2,000,000 |
| Uruguay..... | 1,200,000 |
| Nicaragua..... | 500,000 |
| Costa Rica..... | 300,000 |
| Guatemala..... | 1,900,000 |
| British Guiana and Honduras..... | 300,000 |
| British W. Indies..... | 1,700,000 |
| Colombia..... | 4,000,000 |
| Panama..... | 400,000 |
| Ecuador..... | 1,200,000 |
| Ecuador..... | 700,000 |
| All America..... | 167,000,000 |

In referring to this part of his subject Mr. Chiozza-Money comments as follows:

"In spite of European emigration to North and South America, the entire American Continent has as yet scarcely more than one-third as many people as Europe. The balance will doubtless be redressed, but not in the lifetime of the present generation. The United States will soon have 100 millions of people, and between natural increase and immigration she is growing at the rate of nearly two millions a year, or about one-half the rate of growth of the Russian Empire.

"Canada, in spite of her great efforts, has as yet scarcely more people than live in Greater London, but NOTHING IS MORE CERTAIN THAN THAT SHE WILL COME TO HOUSE A MIGHTY POPULATION WITHIN HER WIDE BORDERS. The same is true of Argentina, of Brazil, and of Mexico, to say nothing of the other nations of Latin America. The period of constant ebullition in South America is passing, and those who imagine it peculiar to South America should reread the history of Europe."

Few of us would have dreamed that the supposedly moribund Empire of Russia—which went down like a pack of cards before Japan a few years ago—was increasing in population twice as rapidly as the young and vigorous republic of the United States of America. At Montreal the other day Lord Northcliffe was inclined to minimize the danger of a decreasing birth-rate in France and increased emigration from the United Kingdom, claiming that if France were getting fewer she was getting better children; and similarly if England had lost 4,000,000 people by emigration in two generations, she was keeping the skilled artisan and control of the money market at home.

Mr. Chiozza-Money is not so optimistic; the farthest he will go is to admit that it does not necessarily follow from the facts he sets forth that the centre of gravity of white civilization will move from Europe to America, but "there is a possibility of this momentous change taking place." Then Canada will be the hub of the Universe.

NOTES.

Two dramas are claiming attention just now: that in the Opera House and that of the Prodigal and Wayward.

"Cousin, may I come over there?" "Asked John Bull's daring daughter." "Sure," said Jack, "but leave your bricks and bombs across the water."

"Ulster will fight, and Ulster will be right," said Lord Randolph Churchill (father of the Hon. Winston Churchill, now First Lord of the Admiralty) so long ago as 1885 when the Home Rule Bill was first before the country. It seems his words are to come true any time before June next.

A contemporary recently protested against every unidentified man, or man in trouble, throughout the Maritime Provinces, being dubbed an Islander. It seems the practice is growing, for hardly a day passes but our telegraphic service brings us something not altogether complimentary about an alleged Islander abroad, including the New England States.

President Wilson, who has a large collection of "freak" gifts, has just added to it a "Gospel stick," an elaborately carved staff bearing his monogram and several scriptural texts. It was presented to him by the Rev. C. C. Penwick, a negro clergyman of Chalybeate Springs, Virginia, who was formerly Bishop in Liberia. The stick is of dogwood, and the donor assured the President he had carved it entirely himself, although he is seventy-two years old.

The proprietors and managers of cafes in St. Louis have been ordered to display no pictures or statues in the nude, and the consequence is that the objects which fall under this ban have been carefully clothed, in miscellaneous garments, to the delight and amusement of customers. In one well-known restaurant a

fine statue of Venus has been adorned with diaphanous trowsers, while another mythical lady's representation has been garbed in a slashed skirt. In one cafe, where the proprietor boasted a really handsome group depicting Pan piping to a bevy of woodland nymphs, Pan has been forced to don a specially made pair of overalls and the ladies have been dressed in pyjamas.

VALUE OF CONCERNED ACTION IN FUR BREEDING.

Sir,—Permit me to offer a few words suggested by your editorial reference in Tuesday's paper to the proposed Fox Breeders' Association and Registered Herd Book.

The organization should be immediately consummated, and its membership widely extended, because it affords the machinery whereby the intelligence, business and scientific acumen of the representative men of the Island can be brought to bear at short notice and with authoritative effect upon any subject connected with the well-being and prosperity of the Fox Breeding and Fur Farming Industry. In this way, a healthy consensus of opinion will be created and stimulated, which cannot fail to result in beneficial and progressive measures being instituted, thus fostering and developing this new industry on a logical and up-to-date modern basis; thereby securing to yourselves and for yourselves the best possible results and the largest possible rewards, as the legitimate fruits of your labors. Such associations and combinations of capital and labor, men engaged in a common industry or trade, have operated successfully and with encouraging results elsewhere, and in these days of rapid transit and world-wide competition, it is assuredly worth your while to consider whether the co-operative principle of social economics cannot be applied with advantage for the conservation and sound upbuilding of this new and destined to be great industry. Co-operation may take and has taken a great variety of forms, and is elastic enough to adapt itself with modifications to a great variety of conditions and circumstances.

All I predicted in this proposed Fox Breeders' Association may be a comparatively new one for you, but, it is one worthy of your most serious consideration. I believe the principle is a sound one, so sound as to be almost axiomatic. In these days of strenuous competition, all the resources of experience, combinations, capital, art and science are being vigorously applied to establish standards of production and conserve the best interests of all industries and trades concerned.

The Fox Breeders and Fur Farmers of the Island cannot afford to remain blind and deaf to the trend of the progressive spirit animating our 20th century civilization. You cannot afford to drop behind in the march of modern progress and development, which you inevitably will do, unless you co-operate heartily for your mutual protection and strive to the utmost of your ability to obtain the full benefit of your natural advantages, and adopt approved and systematic methods for conducting this industry.

It is all very well to pride yourselves upon having a natural monopoly and a prolific production, but, unless the public continues to look with favor on, and has confidence in, the quality of your production, then and then alone can you hope to establish a permanent and profitable industry, otherwise, all your efforts will have been largely in vain, and you have been merely sowing the wind. I have no hesitation in saying, and saying advisedly, that the Fox Breeding Industry on the Island is at its most critical juncture. No more important question could engage your attention at the present time, and no more urgent question confronts the entire people of the Island today. Upon the proper, judicious and effective solution of this question depends the whole future of the Island, as the head centre for Fur Farming in North Eastern America.

You must awaken from your lethargy and abandon your somewhat easy-going mode of working. You must perfect your social efficiency, and learn to co-operate loyally. All that is needed is that you take up this movement in earnest and support it with your practical action. If you button up your pockets and expend your energy in mere idle talk, and expect someone else to do this work for you, then you may be sure that the opportunity will pass by and that your competitors will outstrip you in the race, and usurp the position which by right should be yours. It will be through lack of common foresight, public spirit and enterprise, if you do not occupy the foremost position and realize the handsome rewards which are yours.

I have written this for publication in a rather intimate and personal manner, somewhat foreign to my usual style, but, only because of my abiding interest in the good name and future welfare of Prince Edward Island.

If I could see and talk with each one of your readers personally, Mr. Editor, they would instantly understand my purpose and overlook my earnest and strenuous words.

I am, sir, etc.,
J. CALDER GORDON.
Boston, Mass., Sept. 25, 1913.

TODAY IN DOMINION HISTORY

In Kings county, New Brunswick, 120 years ago today, death claimed the woman who had the distinction of being the first bride to be married in the city of St. John, N. B. She was Mrs. Hannah Stockton, a native of New York State, and the wife of Lieut. Andrew Stockton, a Loyalist who had found asylum in Nova Scotia. At the time of her death, Oct. 1, 1793, Mrs. Stockton was only in her twenty-sixth year; yet she had been a wife for over nine years.

October 1 is the birthday of Duncan Cameron Fraser, Nova Scotia lawyer, legislator and Lieutenant-Governor, at New Glasgow, N. S., 1845; and of John Bonsall Porter, famous Canadian mining engineer, 1861.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

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THE HUMAN PROCESSION

Congratulations to: Cardinal Logue, orimate of the Catholic Church in Ireland, 73 years old today.

David R. Francis, ex-governor of Missouri and secretary of the interior under President Cleveland, 63 years old today.

Mrs. Annie Besant, the theosophical leader, 66 years old today.

Dr. Frederick D. Leete, bishop of the M. E. Church, 47 years old today.

Michael De Young, proprietor of the San Francisco Chronicle, 75 years old today.

J. C. S. Blackburn, former United States senator from Kentucky, 73 years old today.

Francis M. Cockrell, former United States senator from Missouri and one of the few surviving generals of the Confederate army, 79 years old today.

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

The engagement is announced of Mary Louise, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pope, of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, and grand-daughter of the late Hon. James C. Pope, to Mr. Martin Farrer Cochrane, of Ottawa, son of the late Walter Cochrane, of Fairfield, Edinburgh, and Kershope, Cumberland, England. The wedding will take place quietly on Tuesday, October 28th, in Charlottetown.

Mr. John C. Gordon, who sends the Guardian the rousing letter on fox organization writes in explanation: After several months of conversation and persuasion on the part of Mr. M. A. Bowly, the Dominion Government Immigration Agent for the New England States, stationed at Boston, Mass., supplemented by the efforts of some of the most representative Prince Edward Island born-men residing in Boston and neighborhood, not omitting the earnest efforts of our brother Mr. McCready, the Publicity Agent, I finally consented to make a visit to the Island and investigate the "Fairy Stories" that were being told me concerning the fox industry. "I arrived on the Island in a thoroughly sceptical and suspicious frame of mind, but prepared to do impartial justice to the industry if the facts should warrant. Doubtless, some of my work since returning here has come to your attention, viz.—Christian Science Monitor, Brookline Chronicle, the New York Times, etc., with still more to follow. "I have a personal and abiding interest in all that pertains to the welfare and prosperity of the Maritime Provinces of Canada, owing to the fact that although born in Scotland, my first ancestor on American soil landed in Nova Scotia in 1621, Sir John Gordon of Park, and who assisted in christening and founding the first English-speaking settlement in Nova Scotia. This, in connection with my personal labor in behalf of Canadian interests in general, should be sufficient excuse for my asking you to publish the enclosed."

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