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MORNING DAILY CHARLOTTETOWN, CANADA, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1913. FIRST OF ALL.

S. S. CONVENTION CONCLUDED YESTERDAY

Reports from Various Departments Submitted and Adopted--Stirring Addresses--Characterized Closing Hours.

The twentieth convention of the P. E. I. Sunday School Association which commenced on Tuesday morning and was continued on Wednesday and yesterday was brought to conclusion last night, after three days of interesting, important and instructive proceedings.

After devotions, the morning session opened with a conference, led by Rev. Dr. McElfresh, on the subject, "What is an efficient school?"

Mr. A. J. Matheson, Superintendent of the Temperance Department, presented his report, which, he said, was incomplete through a number of district superintendents having failed to report.

On this report the Rev. W. D. Wilson dealt with the subject of "The need of Temperance Education."

Quoting David Livingstone, the great African explorer, as saying that God would bless that man or woman who would heal the broken, bruised heart of Africa.

The report was adopted. In connection with this report, the Rev. Robert Murray spoke on "The Home Department and the Family Altar," and in the course of his interesting and earnest remarks referred to the influence of the family altar on our childhood and deplored the small percentage of family worship that there was in the homes of their church members and adherents.

The Superintendent of this department, the Rev. Z. L. Fash, reported that there were 488 members enrolled in this department, and the districts were being worked by 42 visitors.

CONDENSED ADS TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

TO LET, FURNISHED ROOM, APPLY 79 Euston St. 2401-10-30M3. FOR SALE, NEWLY CALVED Guernsey cow. David Scott, Cornwall. 2362-10-28M2B119d. WANTED IMMEDIATELY--A COOK. Apply at once to Mrs. A. A. Bartlett, 175 Fitzroy St. 10-21-2428mtf. TO LET, WAREHOUSE ON THE wharf; also storage space. A. Pickard & Co., Coal Dealers, Charlottetown. 2428-10-31M1w. FARM FOR SALE--THE UNDER- signed offers for sale his splendid farm situated on the Loyalist Road containing 90 acres choice land with good dwelling house and out-buildings. Apply on premises to Percy J. Froud, or Henri Carter & Co., Auctioneers. 2354-10-28m3i. CHARLOTTETOWN BOWLING ALLEYS, Market Building Basement, Pool Room in connection, Clean Modern, Comfortable. Open from 10 a. m. till 11 p. m. Brush away dull care and have a game. 2162-10-17M1i.

MADERO WAS NOT HUERTA'S VICTIM

Says Mexican Missionary Who is in Touch with Conditions.

KANCAAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 30.--Defence of Provisional President Huerta's administration in Mexico and denial that the Mexican executive had a share in the murder of former President Madero and Vice-President Suarez, was made by Rev. John Howland, of Guadalajara, a missionary, in an address before the annual meeting of the American Board of Commissioners for foreign missions held in connection with the National Council of the Congregational Churches here to-day.

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HARSH WORDS FOR MADERO. "The widespread idea that General Huerta seized the Presidency," he said, "or that he came in through the door of assassination is entirely incorrect. His acceptance of the Provisional Presidency precluded his being a candidate in the present election and his Government was established and both officially and popularly accepted days before the death of President Madero. Huerta had nothing to gain by the death of Madero."

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BIRTH RATE OF ONTARIO. TORONTO, Oct. 30.--During the last fiscal year, Ontario's birth rate was only 32.4 per thousand, the lowest in ten years while the marriage rate increased. The death list decreased to the same extent but seven per cent was due to tuberculosis which should feed upon God's word for a short time daily and alone.

POSITIVE TEACHING. The concluding address in the morning was made by the Rev. George B. Cutten, Ph.D., president of Acadia University, who spoke on the positive element in teaching.

Half the bad that children learned, he said, was learned from the Sunday school teacher, and that was because of the fact that teaching in the past had rather been negative than positive. The old Testament teaching was largely negative; the New Testament teaching was largely positive.

The report having been adopted, the Rev. John Stirling followed with an address on "Our Daily Bread." "Man shall not live by bread alone but by every word that proceedeth from the mouth of God," was his opening remark. They recognized that there was a life that was nourished by the food that they ate, and if they thought a moment they would realize how much effort and time were given to preparing the food to nourish their bodies.

With benediction, by Dr. Cutten, the morning session adjourned at two o'clock in the afternoon. AFTERNOON SESSION. On the resumption at 2 o'clock, the opening hymn having been sung and the prayer said the president announced that the minutes would be read. The Rev. Mr. McVie accordingly read the minutes of the previous session which were unanimously adopted.

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THE BELISS CASE IN RUSSIA

Doctors Disagree and Tell Each Other So. Case Not Settled.

(Canadian Press.) KIEV, Oct. 30.--The testimony of doctors in the trial of Mendel Beliss today led to an acrimonious dispute between the Imperial Court surgeon, Dr. Pavloff, and Prof. Kosorotoff, who accused each other of lack of knowledge in medical jurisprudence. Much time was spent in discussing whether there were thirteen or fourteen wounds in the boy Yushinsky's left temple, number thirteen having apparently been of cabalistic significance. With a view to clearing up this point it was suggested that the preserved scalp be shown to the jury but it was decided not to do so, out of consideration for their nerves. The number of wounds therefore remained unestablished.

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P. E. ISLAND EDITOR IS INTERVIEWED

Mr. Hugh McInnis, Editor of Journal Tells St. John of P. E. Island Prospects

Mr. Hugh McInnis, editor of the Summerside Journal was in St. John over Sunday on his way home from a holiday trip pleasantly passed in Boston and other New England cities. A representative of The Standard who met Mr. McInnis at the Victoria last evening, found him in a reminiscent mood and most optimistic as to the future of his native province.

"The state elections were now on in full swing in Massachusetts," he said in reply to a question, "and the campaigning is of the hurricane order, the candidates addressing several meetings in the one evening and doing stunts that to a Canadian savor of the theatrical. There is an especially interesting contest going on for the governorship of Massachusetts, with the odds in favor of J. B. Walsh, who is now lieutenant governor, winning out. Governor Foss is offering for re-election, and as near as I can gauge public opinion he has little chance of going back. He seems to have made a mistake of paying too little attention to his political friends in the disposition of patronage and the awarding of public positions, an attitude which not infrequently relegates to the ranks of the also rans those who assume it. In the United States it is not considered good politics or good business to go outside one's own party in the distribution of public offices or patronage. Rightly or wrongly the impression is prevalent that in the ranks of whatever party may be in power there are men competent to fill any position in the gift of the government of the day, and it looks to me as if failure to live up to this standard of political ethics is to prove the undoing of the gentleman who now fills the position of governor of Massachusetts."

"The chief event in Boston during my stay" went on Mr. McInnis, "was the Catholic Congress, which attracted a great number of distinguished clergymen from all over the world, besides a goodly proportion of lay delegates. The Maritime Provinces were well represented among the delegates and the proceedings, which covered four days, were full of interest. The services in Holy Cross cathedral on Sunday attracted great congregations and were most impressive in their character. Hundreds of people failed to gain admission to the church of the morning service, so great was the crush. There was a small army of photographers outside the church before and after the service, including the moving picture men and the following night in one of the Boston theatres, I saw a reproduction of the morning procession at the cathedral. It may not be out of place to mention for the information of those who may be strangers to the fact that the Catholic Extension Society, under whose auspices the Congress was held, is headed by two Prince Edward Islanders, the president for the United States being very Rev. Dr. Kelley, and the president for Canada Very Rev. Dr. Burke, the (Continued on page two)

INTERESTING CASE UNDER LIQUOR ACT

LONDON, Ont., Oct. 30.--An interesting case was given today in the judgment of T. A. Loughrey, druggist, charged under the liquor act with selling alcohol. Loughrey claimed that alcohol does not come under the meaning of the act which provides that no liquor can be sold which will intoxicate the defence contending that the alcohol was sold as a drug not as a liquor. After quoting authorities and consulting a dictionary and an encyclopedia as to the exact meaning of alcohol, Magistrate Judd, in whose court the trial was held decided that Loughrey was guilty and fined him \$100 and costs.

BUSINESS MEN'S SUPPER YESTERDAY

One of the happiest inspirations in connection with the Sunday School Convention which was held in Charlottetown during the last three days was the business luncheon arranged for the business men of the city in order that they should have the opportunity of being addressed on some of the existing social problems of this country by some of the prominent social workers and speakers in attendance at the convention.

The luncheon was served in the basement of Zion Church, and was a decided success; over eighty, including some of the principal business and professional men of the city, being in attendance. An excellent meal (Continued on page eight)

PANIC ON COAST OF BAY OF FUNDY

Highest Tide Since Saxby Gale Swept Away Miles of Dyke--Highways Washed Out--Haylands Ruined.

(Special To The Guardian.) WINDSOR, N. S., Oct. 30.--Constitution has almost become a panic among the dike owners in this vicinity on account of the excessive high tides of last night and today. Not since the famous Saxby gale which swept away miles of dyke along the Avon river, between here and Grandpre. The Falmouth owners are also in despair. Reports from Matland tell the same dismal story of broken dykes and washed out highways. In some places valuable hay land is all flooded and ruined and highways rendered almost impassable. Not since the famous Saxby gale has the tide in the Avon or Bay of Fundy outlets rendered such damage to the country. It will be a problem for the owners to get all their valuable property restored.

HON. CHAS. DALTON MEXICAN PAPER TO BE KNIGHTED MAKES THREATS

(Canadian Press.) BOSTON, Oct. 30.--Charles Dalton, of the Canadian Parliament, is to be knighted by King George of England in recognition of his services in establishing the fox farming industry on Prince Edward Island. This word came yesterday and the friends Mr. Dalton made while he was here are showering him with congratulations. He was the guest of honor at a dinner at the Copley Plaza during his stay and told the details of his remarkable work in establishing the fox raising business on a sound footing.

LIBERAL WINS IN SOUTH BRUCE

(Canadian Press.) TORONTO, Oct. 30.--In South Bruce, Tuxar, Liberal has a majority of 125 over Cargill, conservative. (Special to The Guardian.) OTTAWA, Oct. 30.--The loss of South Bruce in the bye-election today is less of a disappointment than it would have been had the Liberal campaign been conducted on a basis of honest discussion of the political issues upon which it is claimed the Conservatives of Chateauguay and East Middlesex gave the government in support of the government candidate. That the Laurier emissaries were not campaigning on any such basis has been well known since the opening of the contest.

The Liberal organization confined its efforts to the creation of an impression among the German residents of the riding that the Borden naval proposals were in some way designed as a menace to the country of their origin. This campaign began early in the summer after the elevation of the late member, Donnelly, to the senate. In the effort to create racial prejudice among the German electors free use was made of garbled reports of utterances of Colonel Sam Hughes in British Columbia, in which he was quoted as having said that the German Empire must be taught a lesson. This was repudiated months ago but the repudiation was completely ignored in the campaign. Canard issued by the Liberal organization and sent directly to the German electors over the name of the Laurier candidate.

Conservative speakers who went to the riding did their best to remove the impression created by the untruth, but the misrepresentation had the benefit of a long start and was repeated by Liberal speakers and canvassers up to the time of polling. The result of the three bye-elections leaves relative numerical strength of the parties in the House unaltered, the Liberal gain in South Bruce being offset by the Conservative victory in Chateauguay.

SCORES PERISH IN FLOODS IN REPUBLIC OF SALVADOR.

(Canadian Press.) OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 30.--Tom Richardson, labor M. P. in the British Parliament for White Haven, and a member of the miners' federation for Great Britain, who is in Ottawa today, said of conditions in British Columbia, "I have no hesitation in saying that the miners of Nanaimo are working under conditions that the British, if let alone would not tolerate in English collieries for 24 hours."

RAILROADS LOSING THOUSANDS ANNUALLY

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.--The railroads are losing hundreds of thousands of dollars annually as the result of an alleged practice by New York merchants of shipping merchandise under a false freight rate classification in violation of the Interstate Commerce laws. This was asserted by the Federal authorities today, when, in the United States District Court, the firm of Henry A. Dix and Sons pleaded guilty of the practice and was fined \$500. The firm was accused of shipping dress forms, buttons and other articles under the classification of "dry goods," thereby saving at least ten cents a hundred pounds on freight. More than one hundred New York firms including many millinery merchants, are being investigated by the Federal authorities, and one concern, the American Thermos Ware Company is under indictment. Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

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