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At Charlottetown on the 11th instant, Mrs. Elison, daughter of Mr. A. A. McLean, aged 1 year 9 months.



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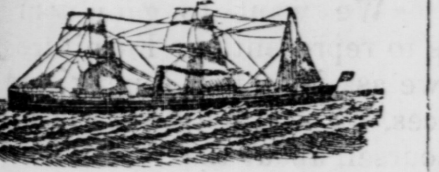
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The S. S. "COBAN," sailing from Montreal Saturday morning, Aug. 14th, will be at Ch'town, Tuesday morning Aug. 17th, and will sail for St. John's Nfld., carrying passengers, cattle and sheep on deck and produce under deck at lowest possible rates.

Grand Picnic

The A. O. H. Society of this city, will hold a grand picnic, on the beautiful grounds, near Hickey's Wharf, East River, on Monday, August 16th.

The steamer Southport will leave Prince Street Wharf at 9 o'clock, a.m. and at 2 o'clock p.m. on that day.

A well stocked refreshment saloon will be provided, also a tea table. The League of the Cross Band will be in attendance, and a good time is guaranteed to all who may attend.

Old Bottles Wanted!

Old Bottles wanted. Apply to JOHN P. JOY, Victoria Cafe, Great George Street—ang10tf

Y. P. S. C. E. FIRST ANNUAL CONVENTION.

Enjoyable Meeting at Montague. The first annual convention of the Y. P. S. C. E. opened in Montague on Tuesday, Aug. 10th, and closed on Aug. 11th.

The 150 registered attendants, and the pretty little village looked busy and beautiful with the numerous little badges on so many bright and happy young people as they tramped or drove from session to session of the convention.

The first session was somewhat delayed in opening on account of the lateness of the arrival of the boat; but enthusiasm ran high before the close and the general impression was one of perfect delight with the first session.

The Rev. Mr. Geggie has been a grand addition to this convention and his addresses have thrilled and encouraged the young people to go forth to grander work than ever.

Wednesday morning's sunrise prayer meeting was held at 6.30 to 7.30 in the Methodist Church and was well attended.

At 9 a.m., Miss Mary White, of this city, led the prayer service. The report of the Rev. Mr. McCurdy, General Superintendent, was an excellent one and showed the societies to have increased fifty per cent during the year.

The address by Rev. H. K. McLean, of Parrsboro, on "How does the C. E. Movement Cultivate Character," was an excellent one.

The address by Rev. W. J. Kirby, Vice President for Queen's—Rev. D. Sutherland.

Vice President for Prince—Rev. R. H. Stevenson.

Vice President for Kings—Rev. W. H. Warren.

Recording Secretary—Rev. T. A. Wightman.

Treasurer—J. J. Chappell.

General Superintendent—Rev. J. M. Fisher.

Superintendent of J. W. K.—Mrs. W. H. Spencer.

County Superintendents for King's County—Rev. W. H. Spencer, Mr. J. F. Norton.

Queen's County—Dr. J. H. Ayer, Rev. B. D. McLeod.

Prince County—A. Sterling McKay, D. S. Matthews.

Corresponding Secretary—Mr. W. C. Turner.

On the introduction of the new President, he gave the Convention the Motto Text for the year: "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus."

The Rev. Benjamin Chappell, M. A., Dean of the School of Theology Aoyama, Tokyo, Japan, was very interesting, as he replied to the many questions on various phases of the Japanese work which had been placed in the question box.

Last night's meeting will not soon be forgotten. The church was packed to its very utmost capacity and the attention was held to the end.

Votes of thanks to railway, steamboat, hosts and hostesses, churches and pastors, brought one of the best Conventions which we have ever attended to a close.

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The Annual Prize Meeting.

RODGSON MATCH. Sgt J M Crockett, No 4, 82nd, \$10, 58 Lt W A Johnstone, No 5, C A, \$9, 56 Lt W A McDuff, No 5, 82nd, \$8, 55

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

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SCOTTISH GATHERING

The Train arrangements in connection with the SCOTTISH GATHERING at Summerside on the 18th August, are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Leave, Arrive. Includes destinations like Charlottetown, North Wiltshire, Hunter River, Braalbane, Emerald, Freetown, Kensington, Cape Traverse, Tignish, Alberton, Bloomfield, O'Leary, Port Hill, Wellington, Miscouche.

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Return Tickets will be issued from all Stations East of Royalty Junction at one first-class fare on August 17th, good to return on 19th.

The train for Tignish leaves Summerside on return at 8.30 p. m., and the train for Charlottetown at 6.30 p. m. local.

J. S. McDONALD, President A. McNEILL, Secretary. aug11 eod dy wy

TENDERS

Tenders for the construction of a brick and stone church, to be erected at Mount Carmel, P. E. I. for Rev. P. P. Arsenault, will be received up to August 23rd 1897, at the Architect's office.

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