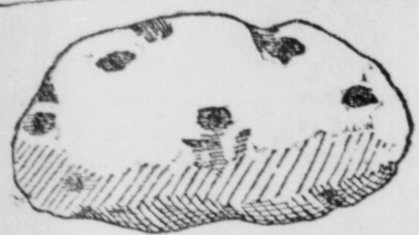


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Terms will be made to suit purchasers. If not sold by private sale before Tuesday, August 31st, it will then be offered at auction at 11 o'clock, p.m. For further particulars apply to E. CROSBY, Ry. Station Agent, Cape Traverse. 168-61

A Statement Which Seems to do Justice to the Interesting Occasion.

The statement in the Liberal press that Mr. Laurier only accepted a knighthood at the urgent request of the Queen does not quite do justice to the situation. The facts are that Mr. Laurier met the Queen while she was going around to see personally that the jubilee decorations were all right for the procession. Her keen eye at once detected that the Canadian premier was out keeping with his surroundings. He had no decoration. She demanded the reason and was told that, like Sir Richard Cartwright, Sir Oliver Mowat, Sir Henri Joli de Loebinierre and other democratic liberals, Mr. Laurier was averse to the conferring of knighthood on Canadians. There is a strain of Elizabethan nature in the Queen, and with a remark that she would soon change that, she summoned the lieutenant of the tower. Mr. Laurier was seized and hurried to that prison of sad memories, which so many men notable in England's annals have entered, never to quit its portals in life. The "Traitor's Gate" was opened; the headman was at his post, with his axe specially sharpened for work on a thin man's neck. Mr. Laurier was given his choice; the block or a G. C. M. G. He hesitated, and it seemed to annoy the now really angry sovereign. The headman grinned; he would, he thought, yet have an opportunity in the jubilee year to show that his office was not a sinecure survival of a past age. But a change came over Mr. Laurier's face. He was thinking of home, of Mr. Blair and his other colleagues struggling to jam the Drummond county deal through parliament, of Mr. Greenshields waiting and wondering if that \$900,000 profit would ever fall into his pocket, of the villainous tory members with their nefarious schemes for preferring the public interest to the private gain of political speculators. He weakened, and who could blame him. He would yield; he would not leave his dear colleagues to their divisions just when they were expecting to make something. He would take a knighthood; he would take Scotch, Bass, anything. But the Queen had taken another idea; one knighthood would not do her. She would have a regular jubilee of it; she would confer honors on four Canadian Liberal ministers or the headman would blunt his new-edged hatchet. The cable was called into operation, and the ministers at Ottawa hastily held council. They, too, hated knighthoods, but they loved and needed Laurier. Lots were cast, and Sir Richard Cartwright, Sir Oliver Mowat and Mr. Davies were found to be the victims. They sacrificed their principles for their friend. Their decision was wired to London. Mr. Laurier received the accolade there and then. He was decorated, like the other institutions. He is now a G. C. M. G., and will never be free from the affliction. It will be engraved on his tomb. But who can blame him? Life is dear, and the splendid self-sacrifice of his colleagues, Cartwright, Mowat and Davies, will be an example of love among politicians that exceed a brother's for future generations of Canadians to read about and wonder at. And if anybody does not believe this story he is a scoffer and will not believe that liberals hate titles, and may now believe that the queen makes special requests to wandering gits to accept honors which other men, honored of all the world, toil for for years, in the hurly burly of public life, in the high service of the empire, and among the dangers and death of the battlefield.

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The Story Why Mr. Bok Released All Claims to Royalty.

The Indianapolis Journal prints this interesting story concerning ex-President Harrison's forthcoming book: General Harrison has just completed the revision of his articles which have appeared in the Ladies' Home Journal, making extended notes and additions to them. There is a little story in connection with both articles and publication. When the arrangement for the articles was made with General Harrison by Edward W. Bok, editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, the General was paid for them, with the understanding that when they were put into book form the magazine was to share the royalties accruing therefrom. Mr. Bok, however, of his own accord, generously released General Harrison from paying him any royalty, for the reason, as he states, that by the publication of the articles by General Harrison the subscription list of his magazine was enlarged many thousands. The profits to the Ladies' Home Journal were more than the publishers of the magazine anticipated and in view of this Mr. Bok asks nothing further. General Harrison placed the disposition of his book in Mr. Bok's hands. The best offer came to the editor from the Scribner's, and to them Mr. Bok gave the book for his distinguished contributor. General Harrison's revision of the book has just been completed, and the volume will appear in the autumn.

PERSONAL

Mr. C. C. Carlton, of Souris, is in town. The Pope is reported to be in excellent health. Mr. J. Fraser, of the Finance Department, Ottawa, is here on official business. Sir Louis Davies and Lady Davies will leave England for home on the 26th inst. Miss Ollie Golding, of Sewell street, left yesterday for P. E. I. to visit friends.—St. John Telegraph. Mr. Ebenezer Beckford and Miss Ethel Beckford, of Lynn, Mass., are visiting Charlottetown. Dr. Miles Martin, of Boston, is visiting relatives and friends in this province. He was in the city yesterday. Mr. Roland Mellish, of Halifax, is in the city in the interests of the British North American Book and Tract Society. Rev. Dr. Gordon, of Halifax, ex-Moderator of the General Assembly, arrived here by the steamer Princess last evening. Mr. Claude Holman, C. E., came home last Tuesday evening for a short visit. Mr. Holman is a graduate in civil engineering, from McGill, and is located in Providence, R. I.—Summerside Farmer. Rev. Martin Monaghan, D. D., who has been prosecuting his theological studies in Rome during the past three years, has returned home. On his way from the Eternal City Dr. Monaghan visited the leading cities of Europe. At the Queen: Rev W A. Mason, New London; Thos Haram, Quebec; Wm Reid, St. Eleanor; Dr Miles Martin, Boston; James St C Moore, Eldon; S H Jones, St. John; F L Shaffner, Boston, Mass; Ebenezer Beckford, Miss Ethel Beckford, Lynn, Mass; W C Mayne and wife, Philadelphia; M G Anderson, Kinlock; Geo W Saunders, Halifax; C C Carlton, Souris; Roland Mellish, Halifax; J R Neilson, Brantford, Ont; B F Coombs, St. John, N. B. Hotel Davies: J. R. LeBlanc, Montreal; Samuel Prowse, Murray Harbor; A. R. Tait, Dorchester; T. J. Gallagher, do; J. E. Lefugey, S'ide; A. E. McKay, Truro; B. C. Cox, Souris; E. A. Rush, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baker, Boston; J. Fraser, Ottawa; J. A. Gray, Yarmouth, N. S.; S. T. Perry, Tignish; Jos. E. McDonald, Broad Cove, N. S.; J. W. Prunty and wife, Holyoke, Mass.; J. C. Ingles, Hamilton; James Robertson, Montreal; Wm McConnell, Toronto; W B Webster, Boston; E L Philips, St John; E J O'Brine, Louisville K Y; Mrs F S Bin, Boston; H E Gillis, St John; J P Walker, S Side; R T Taylor, Moncton; J O McLellan, Mr and Mrs W C Jordan, and Mrs McKie, Boston.

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Notice.—All persons owing for poll tax had better attend to the same, as after the 15th day of August executions will be issued.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 4.—Thomas Leader, an extensive farmer six miles west of Portage la Prairie, has already cut thirty acres of barley, which has produced a good yield, and is now ploughing the land. Mr. Leader states that he will thresh the crop this week. This is the first crop to be cut in the province for 1897.

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BOATS AND OTHER ITEMS

FROM BOSTON.—The Halifax will be due this evening.

FROM HALIFAX.—The steamer Fastnet will be due at half-past seven this evening.

SONS OF SCOTLAND will meet in Mr. A. A. McLean's office at 8.30 this evening. A full attendance is requested.

S. O. E.—Regular meeting of Lodge Eton Red Rose degree tonight at 8 o'clock. Every member will please attend.

PUTTING IN PEWS.—Mark Wright & Co have secured the contract for placing pews in the new Methodist Church now being built at Cherry Valley.

PAID HIS FINE.—This afternoon Alexander McNeill paid one of the fines imposed upon him for violating the Sunday Observance Law.

FOR DRILL.—No. 1 Co., 4th Regt. C. A., meet for drill to-night, and to make final arrangements for a series of Company shooting matches for badges.

I. O. O. F.—The degree team will meet for practice at the lodge room tonight at 8 o'clock sharp. A full attendance is particularly requested.

SPLENDID WEATHER for the outings at Emerald and Alberton. Both gatherings are well attended. A goodly number of the members of the Benevolent Irish Society left Charlottetown on the special this forenoon, accompanied by the League of the Cross Band.

RACES POSTPONED.—Owing to the 2.30 class not having filled and to the continuation of rainy weather and consequent lateness of the haying season, it has been decided to postpone the midsummer races on the Summerside Trotting Park, advertised for the 10th inst., until further notice.—Summerside Farmer.

RACES AT CYMBRIA.—The races at Cymbria Park, Rustico, on Saturday next, promise to be most successful. There will be three races, viz., a free-for-all, a 2.45 class and a green race. Good purses will be hung out. If a sufficient number of entries are received it is proposed to have a bicycle race in connection.

MUST KEEP THE SABBATH.—In fineing Alex. McNeill today for violating the Sunday Observance Law, His Honor the Stipendiary Magistrate spoke of the prevalence of this offence, and expressed his intention of rigidly enforcing the law with respect to this matter. He said that in every case where a conviction was obtained the full penalty of the law would be imposed.

BOAT RACE.—The sail boat race, previously announced, took place today. There were five starters, as follows: Weeks' Abegweit, Moore's Alma, Taylor's Pathfinder and Report, and Judson's Rangelight. The course was from Connolly's wharf up East River to the Asylum buoy, then outside the harbor to the bell buoy returning by way of the buoy at North Point. The Rangelight finished first, Report second and Pathfinder third.

A GREAT YIELD.—Mr. Herbert Leard, of Sea Cow Head, was exhibiting a stalk of clover here on Saturday which he had picked from among many in a twelve-acre field on the farm. The stalk measured 5 feet 2 inches in length. The field is a new meadow, there being wheat in the ground last year. Three acres of the field have already been cut from which 19 loads of hay have been saved, and he expects to have 70 off the whole field.

A FOOLISH PROCEEDING.—A New York despatch says: Samuel Wolfe, a confectioner in Jersey City, said to several boys this afternoon that he would give a plate of ice cream to the one of them who would hold his arm in an ice cream freezer the longest. Several entered into the competition among them Willie Lockwood, who, although suffering frightful pain, kept his arm in the freezer for four minutes. When he withdrew it, it was frozen stiff and he was taken to a hospital where it was said that amputation would be necessary.

FATALLY BURNED.—The Truro News says a most distressing accident happened at Maitland, Hants Co., on Monday last, by which Mrs. James Campbell lost her life. Mrs Campbell was preparing tea, and in stooping over the fire, her apron caught, and before her husband, who is growing very infirm, could reach her, the flames had enveloped her body. Losing her presence of mind, she ran from room to room, and when at last her husband succeeded in grasping her, and tearing off the charred remnants of her clothing, she was past all help. Mrs Campbell was 86 years old, and leaves behind a husband, nearing 88.

POLICE COURT.—This forenoon Alexander McNeill, Richmond Street, was convicted of two separate infractions of the Sunday Observance Law, and fined in the sum of \$25 and \$3.36 costs or two months' imprisonment for each. The summons against Thomas Clarke was dismissed.

Donald McPherson, of West Royalty, was fined \$5 and costs or 30 days imprisonment for disorderly driving about the streets on the 30th July.

John Thompson, for being drunk and incapable, was fined \$2 or 10 days.

John McAleer, for using abusive language towards Mrs. Desmond, was fined \$2 and costs or ten days' imprisonment.

ODDFELLOWSHIP.—Mr. John A. Craig, of Yarmouth, N. S., Grand Representative of the Encampment to the Sovereign Grand Lodge, paid an official visit to Port la Joie Encampment last evening, and gave the brethren an excellent idea of the work done at the last session of the Grand Lodge. After the meeting, the Chief Patriarch of Port la Joie, Mr. A. D. McLeod, entertained Mr. Craig and the members of the camp at Carter's restaurant. Mr. Craig left this morning to pay an official visit to Eureka Encampment, Eureka, N. S. It may be interesting to know that already this season Mr. Craig has, in his official capacity, travelled upwards of three thousand miles.

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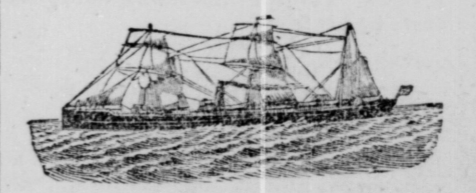
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Train leaves Charlottetown, at 8.15 a. m., local, Tignish at 6 a. m., local, and Cape Traverse at 7.55, a. m., local stopping at all intermediate stations. Return tickets from Charlottetown, 75c; from Tignish, 95c, and from Cape Traverse, 60c; intermediate stations at proportional rates. For train arrangements, prize list, and full particulars, see programmes and advertisements in newspapers later A. MCNEILL, JOHN S. MACDONNAD Rec. Secy. President. 168-d 246 & w

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