

WHO BIDS?

Austrian Royal Plate, it is Reported, is to be Placed on Sale.

Vienna, June 22.—(A. P. by Mail)—What is probably the rarest and most valuable collection of silver plate in Europe, the famous silver treasure of the Cumberland family, is reported to be coming into the market. It was kept in the Cumberland family villa at Penzance, just outside Vienna, until the death of the old King of Hanover in 1878. Afterwards it was removed to the Cumberland county seat at Grumden in Selknamerug.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THE THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

CADETS GYMNASIUMS ADDED TO IMPERIAL SHOW TONIGHT

Everybody should attend the Imperial tonight (8:30) to see the Woodstock Cadets in their great gymnastic exhibition. The Cadets are enroute home from Camp Sussex. Also Tom Meighan picture, Louise Loring, soprano, and our own movies of the Governor General's visit.

LOCAL NEWS

TUESDAY. Don't forget Dance tonight Rockwood Park Pavilion. Good music. 22048-7-18

Custom Tailoring Sale

Men! Here's a rousing sale of custom made suits at \$38 and \$46. Naturally the summer weights and tweeds carry the greatest reductions. \$38 we are offering splendid blue and grey worsted specially selected and well worth \$55. A. E. Henderson, 51 Charlotte street.

UNHAPPY, SHE TRIES SUICIDE

Montreal Woman, 24 Years Old, in Critical Condition After Taking Poison.

Montreal, July 17.—Because her life had not held one hour of happiness since childhood, Mrs. Edith Paul, twenty-four, of Mylor street, took a large dose of Chloride of mercury yesterday when alone in her handsome flat, and her condition at the hospital is considered critical.

N. Y. Tribune on the Pulp Wood Question

Says Canadian Embargo Would Be Serious Blow to Reciprocity and Free Commercial Intercourse.

New York, July 17.—(Canadian Press).—Pointing out that Canada exports nearly 1,000,000 tons of free-bald pulpwood to the U. S. in 1922, approximately half the amount used in this country, the Tribune today editorially declares the withdrawal of this supply would be a serious blow to U. S. paper manufacturers and asserts the state department would be "justified" in making a gesture of reciprocity to slow in laying the embargo the House of Commons has authorized.

"KISS OF WAVES" IS CHIC BATHING COSTUME

Modistes Also Have Produced "Preliminary Shower" and "Sly Trembling Water."

Paris, July 17.—Paris modistes this year are naming their bathing costumes a beribboned extravagance, a corduroy blue solemnly listed as the "Kiss of the Waves." Another is known as "Trembling Water," still another as the "Preliminary Shower." There is even the "Storm Queen," but that merely is poetic license, for all the costumes are supplied with a pocket and in each pocket a powder puff and powder.

MARRIAGES

NELSON-STANTON.—At the Cathedral by Rev. Mr. McCarthy, on July 17, 1923, Nelson N. Gunn to May Florence Stanton, both of this city.

DEATHS

BURNS.—At her parents' residence, South Bay, on July 16, 1923, Olive Leotta, wife of Mark Burns, and daughter of George and Cecilia McDonald, leaving her husband, four children, her parents, two brothers and two sisters.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Isaac H. Smith and family wish to convey many thanks to the Longhouse Union and friends for their kindness in their recent bereavement and for many beautiful floral offerings received.

UMPIRES STRIKE

Half of International League Force Quits.

Discharge of One of Number Brings This Action—There's Controversy Over Reason for Lay-off of Phyle.

(Canadian Press) Rochester, N. Y., July 17.—Half of the umpires in the International League are on the free list as a result of a sympathetic strike just before the Baltimore-Rochester game yesterday, which was precipitated by the discharge of W. J. Phyle. Whether the strike will spread to the other five diamond teams of the league remains to be seen when players take their places for today's games.

RAIN GOT TO FOREST FIRES

Reports to Department at Fredericton—Trial of Several Men in Connection With Outbreaks.

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HERE ON VACATION.

There are twelve million automobiles owned in the United States; an average of 200,000 are being manufactured every month; the number of cars owned in New York State alone is greater than the total population of the British Empire, and greater than the total in all the rest of the world, exclusive of the continent of North America.

MAD DOG DESTROYED.

About noon today a handsome Boston bulldog, the property of Mrs. Catharine Fitzpatrick, went mad and caused some little excitement in the vicinity of Chipman Hill, where Mrs. Fitzpatrick lives.

CANADIAN PLAYERS FOR THE SCREEN

Canada is the birthplace of the motion picture. It has also been the cradle of some of the most promising young film players now appearing on the screen. Besides the Pickfords, Canada has many names in film celebrities. Among them are Mabel Preston, a U. S. French-Canadian girl who is remarkable work in the new Goldwyn picture, "Real Light," Miss Preston graduated from comedy into the more serious world of acting.

WILL PLAY CRICKET.

A cricket match between the St. John Cricket Club and a team from the R. M. S. P. Chignecto will be played tomorrow evening on the Rockwood Park playgrounds beginning at seven o'clock. Another match also is scheduled for Thursday evening.

THE GYROS ELECT HONORARY MEMBER.

At the Gyro Club luncheon at the LaTour Hotel today plans were completed for a gala day to be held by the club on next Tuesday at Belyea's Point. Miss Canada, who today was elected an honorary member of the club, will be invited to be present. The regular luncheon will not be held next week.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tennant have taken a party to their camp at the South Branch of the Ormocook, leaving this morning on the early train. They will remain until Saturday, when they will motor home, the husbands leading golfing parties to the party home. Those who left today enroute for the week's pleasure are: Mr. and Mrs. Tennant, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leslie Peters, Mrs. Howard P. Robinson, Mrs. H. O. Clarke and Nigel Tennant.

Miss Dorna Wells of Boston is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ward Thorne, Lester street, enroute to Sackville where she will visit other friends and relatives.

Mrs. George Moore and little son, Master Jack Moore, who have been visiting in Gagetown, at the home of Mr. Moore's parents, returned on Monday on the noon train.

Mrs. Edward Hurley of Fredericton has gone to Montreal, N. B., for the National Convention of the Ladies Auxiliary of the A. O. H.

Mrs. W. A. Henderson and Miss Margaret Henderson, have gone to Sergeant's School, New Hampshire, for a few weeks.

Miss Dorothy Cox, daughter of Dr. Philip Cox of Fredericton, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Bertram Smith and Major Smith, at their summer home at Ingleside. Mrs. Smith will entertain for her niece, who will spend several days at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Bertram Smith, and the vicar of the cathedral.

Mrs. Jessie Fraser, who resides at Fair Vale, was in the city yesterday and was greeted with a warm welcome by her friends.

Mrs. Harold Brook of Rothesay is entertaining this afternoon at the tea table, Irving Wilhelms, former manager of the Philadelphia Nationals, and Chief Bender, of the Orioles, who happened to be at the game, were thrown into the breach.

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E. Rene Richard, a member of the Board of the Provincial Bank, Sackville, is in the city on business.

Rupert M. Rive of Moncton was a visitor to the city today.

J. C. Chesley, agent of the Marine and Fisheries Department, left last night for Pictou where he will attend the High School graduation.

Mrs. Warren C. Winslow of Moncton, is visiting her son, E. W. Winslow, and Mrs. Winslow, 219 Prince street.

Among the passengers arriving in Quebec on Saturday night on the Quebec and Montreal service were Mrs. H. S. Northrup, of St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Melanson of Sackville are spending a summer vacation along the St. John River.

Mrs. Elvie McKenzie, who is teller of the Provincial Bank, Sackville, returned after a visit in this city yesterday.

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MEMORIAL UNVEILED AT PICTOU IN HONOR OF THE HECTOR SETTLERS

Pictou, July 17.—British, American and French warships are here and discharging their duties in connection with the opening of the Hector celebration of the landing of the Scotch settlers from the Hector 150 years ago.

This morning Lord Byng and Lady Byng and the vice-regal party arrived from the Canadian National Railway train. Governor Coak and gubernatorial party from Massachusetts also arrived by special train.

Among prominent visitors are a party of newspaper men from the west enroute to Ottawa.

The following address was delivered by Col. Thomas Cantley, president of St. Andrew's Society of New Glasgow, at the unveiling of the "Hector" monument at 2:30 p. m. this afternoon. The monument was erected by the society and given to the town of Pictou, which was represented on this occasion by Hon. E. M. Macdonald, M. P., acting minister of national defence.

"St. Andrew's Society of New Glasgow, in the town of Pictou this memorial, erected as the inscription thereon states, in proud commemoration of the gallant heroes, passengers on the ship Hector, who landed on this shore on September 15th, seventeen hundred and seventy-three."

"Every great people of whom history has left a record has given to our greatest Nova Scotia has said: 'That a wise people fosters national pride and love of country by perpetual reference to the sacrifices and glories of the past.'"

"Like thought prompted Saint Andrew's Society to provide and here erect at the nearest suitable point adjacent to the actual landing place of Hector immigrants, an enduring monument as a perpetual witness for and a silent reminder for all time, of those who, greatly daring, patiently suffering and heroically achieving, I wrested from the wooded hills and heavily timbered straths of this county of Pictou, homesteads with houses differing in their far off Scotland. But the farms, houses and homes there were their own and all men knew they owned no overlord."

"While but comparatively few of this great company here assembled can claim direct descent from the Hector heroes, whose forefathers came from Old Scotland in other ships, in the following years, today join with the Hector descendants, their friends and our friends, their longed for guests and ours, in commemorating the landing on these shores 150 years ago of the Pictou pioneers, a people whose worth, high ideals and hardy won achievements in this new land added fresh lustre to the armorial bearings and the escutcheon of these Scotland."

Herold Company "A great, awe, an heroic company, were they, as witness their independence, courage, resourcefulness and patient endurance; a people fearing God and honoring their King; men who wrought here, who ate their bread in the sweat of their brow, and women who ate not the bread of idleness, but the bread of honest labor won from the forest a home; who, despite a hard climate, literally by the labor of their hands, changed the face of nature and left to their children a heritage of more than material things and beside the intervals of this country; a people, these, who took thought of more than material things and so laid broad and deep in this land of their adoption, the foundations of civil liberty, religious liberty, and the principles of good government; men who despite the hardness of their early situation, striving to win one established school, maintained religious ordinances and soon founded academies and projected colleges to the end that their sons should be men worthy of their nativity, and Pictou, the land of their birth, should be honored among the nations."

"This monument, reared in honor of those gallant Scottish Pictou pioneers, founders of your town, we now give Sir, into Pictou's perpetual care and keeping in the which fall not, and so you keep faith with those whose worth and worth it justly commemorates."

Chairman's Words. John H. Sinclair, chairman of the monument committee, who presided at the unveiling, said that the significance of the Hector monument was that it was a Scottish emigrant ship to reach the Nova Scotia shores and was followed by a long line of other ships, bearing the precious seed that took root and did so much toward the upbuilding of Canada.

This monument, he said, was paid for by private subscriptions. The designer was John Wilson, himself a son of the soil, who had won a reputation as a sculptor in the neighboring republic of the United States. He was pleased to have him at the celebration. The speaker said that Mr. Floyd, Mayor of Pictou, gave very valuable assistance to the committee.

His Excellency the Governor-General and Lady Byng were welcomed. "Cradle of Presbyterianism." "The first item on the programme," the speaker said, "is the invocation. Pictou has long been regarded as the cradle of Presbyterianism in Canada. I suppose there is no spot in Canada where the blue flag of the covenant and the burning bush and the shorter catechism are held in greater reverence than right here in Pictou. It would therefore seem to be a fitting thing that we should open this ceremony by calling on the Rev. Christopher Munro, D. D., moderator of the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of the Maritimes, to invoke the Divine blessing on our proceedings this afternoon."

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