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WATER SUPPLY FROM SCARBORO

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was unsafe for Toronto to depend on one plant, stating that a second and auxiliary system was necessary. Therefore they recommended that a second intake crib be constructed off Scarborough Heights, nine miles east of the city.

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When a firm can establish itself in the hearts of the Canadian people within a short period of five years and do the enormous volume of business in diamonds exclusively that we enjoyed last year, and can see its trade jump in leaps and bounds year by year, there must be much in both the firm and its diamonds to depend on. Stop and consider what this fact means. It means a confidence enough for the most skeptical that our values must be exceptional to attract trade away from the oldest established houses? If we retained diamonds at ordinary prices it would take us 50 years to build up the trade we now enjoy, and this encourages us to offer even greater values.

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HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

DUKE VISITS HAMILTON AFTER 40 YEARS' LAPSE

Interesting Details of Former Occasion Recalled—Program of To-day's Loyal Celebration.

HAMILTON, Nov. 30. — (Special.)—On Oct. 1, 1869, 42 years ago, the Duke of Connaught, then Prince Arthur William Patrick Albert, paid his first visit to the City of Hamilton. Prince Arthur at that time was only a few months over 19 years of age, and the Ambitious City could then boast of a population of only 24,000 local subjects of the British Crown. Notwithstanding the small size of the city on that occasion, the third son of Queen Victoria was tendered a reception which was no less brilliant and enthusiastic than that which the Duke and Duchess will receive to-morrow.

Prince Arthur arrived in the city at 4 o'clock p.m., over the old Great Western Railway, from Bramford, where he had spent a day, and where the title of "Chief Karakondya," which, in English, meant "The Flying Sun," had been conferred upon him by the Mohawk Indians. The Prince was accompanied by Sir John Young, the governor-general of Canada, and party. At the railway station a salute was fired by the Hamilton Field battery as the royal train steamed into the city, and the Prince was received by the city council, board of trade, school teachers, members of the Prince Consort's Own Rifle Brigade, the Thirteenth Battalion, and several thousands of citizens. The presentation of the civic address, the party proceeded by a magnificent and brilliantly decorated carriage to "Arkleidun," the home of Edward Brown, which had been specially arranged for the occasion. The Prince and his party, and which had been temporarily vacated by Mr. Brown, was his family in favor of the royal party.

The principal function which marked the Prince's visit to the city was a magnificent ball, which was held in the evening at the Hotel Hamilton, which stood on what is now known as Victoria Park. The ball opened at 8 o'clock, and was presided by a display of fireworks and a torchlight procession to the palace.

Among the young ladies of the city with whom Prince Arthur danced that evening were: Miss McLaren, Miss Kidd, Miss Buchanan, Miss Gage, Miss Dewar, Miss Martin, Miss Kerr, Miss McKelvey, Miss Brown, Miss Brown, Miss Ferrie, Miss Laidlaw, Miss Carpenter, Miss Way, Miss Nichol, Miss Shepherd, Miss Brown, Miss Brown, Miss Magill. The music was furnished by the Thirteenth Regimental Band, of which George Robinson was band leader. The ball was a success, and the Prince and his party, who remained at the hotel, were entertained by the Thirteenth Regimental Band.

The committee in charge of the ball consisted of W. A. Robinson, James Watson, F. E. Ritchie, Capt. Caddy, H. Routh and D. McCullough. The ball was a success, and the Prince and his party, who remained at the hotel, were entertained by the Thirteenth Regimental Band.

Arrangements for the reception of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught to-morrow morning are complete, as far as the civic presentation is concerned. All the decorations have been placed on the streets, and the wind and cold have been entirely overcome. The Prince and his party, who remained at the hotel, were entertained by the Thirteenth Regimental Band.

While in Toronto, call on Authors & Cox, 181 Church-st., makers of Artillery. These, Deformity Appliances, Supporters, etc. Oldest and most reliable manufacturers in Canada.

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have under consideration the ultimate construction of a second reservoir in this vicinity as a reserve for the western section of the city. It should be noted, however, that for the higher districts, or say, all that section that has an elevation exceeding 100 feet above Lake Ontario, pumping will be necessary, whatever site be selected for a reservoir.

"The utility of having in reserve in the reservoir about two and a half days' supply to meet emergencies, due to accidents or to the necessity of laying on more pumps or repairs, must be recognized as an insurance of great value."

The experts stated that they had not yet had time to estimate the cost of the system. They also said that they had not worked out a scheme for the prevention of water waste in the city.

50 Cents a Week Buys an Organ.

The old firm of Heintzman & Co., Limited, are making a complete clearing of some forty or fifty organs, taken in exchange when selling their well-known instruments. These instruments are marked at from fifteen dollars to sixty-five dollars, easily one-half the original price. Every organ is guaranteed in good condition and may be bought on payments of fifty cents a week. They are to be seen at the firm's warehouses, 195-197 Yonge-st., Toronto. 345

Field Secretary Departs.

A farewell banquet was tendered Karl Lehman, international field secretary of the Christian Endeavor Society, in Western Congregational Church, Rev. H. J. MacPherson was in the chair, and presided over about 200 members. Speakers were: Rev. J. W. Pedler, Dr. Girard, Dr. W. F. Wilson, Rev. Randall, C. Phillips and Russell Hewitson.

His Royal Highness the Governor-General has appointed Col. V. A. S. Williams Honorary A.D.C.

Hon. J. K. and Mrs. Kerr have returned to Toronto from Ottawa.

Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Connaught has accepted a copy of "Canadian Days," the year book of quotations, the Canadian writers, which has been compiled by the members of the Toronto Women's Press Club. The copy was specially bound for Her Royal Highness in royal blue and gold.

Mrs. Frank Arnold leaves to-morrow for Ottawa.

Mrs. G. Sterling Ryerson, College-street, is giving a tea this afternoon.

Miss Clara Corson had the honor of being presented to His Royal Highness the Governor-General at the Yacht Club, the Hon. Highness having been the guest of her grandfather, Mr. Edward Browne, at Arkleidun House, Hamilton, on his previous visit to Canada. The Hon. Highness was accompanied by Mr. J. Enoch and Mrs. J. Enoch. The Hon. Highness was also presented by Mr. Jarvis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cecil Lee announce the engagement of their daughter, Violet Gooderham, to Mr. Harley Warner Larkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Larkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kleiser and Mr. Otto Kleiser are spending the winter at the Prince George.

Mrs. Phippen, St. Joseph-street, was one of those giving dinners before the R. C. Y. C. ball on Wednesday night, for her guest, Miss Aldous, Winnipeg, whom, with her other guests, she took on to the ball.

The Rev. Canon and Mrs. Davis, "The Rector," Sarnia, Ont., announced the engagement of their second daughter, Nora, to Mr. Homer C. Adams, New Westminster, B.C. The marriage will take place quietly the second week in December.

Col. Fotheringham gave a small luncheon yesterday in honor of Captain Worthington, Physician to His Royal Highness, who is a Canadian, and was an undergraduate of Trinity College, Captain Worthington accompanied His Royal Highness to South Africa when he went to open the first parliament. His Royal Highness was so pleased with him that he had him seconded, so as to bring him to Canada in his suite.

The annual meeting of the ladies' board of the Western Hospital will be held to-day at the Nurses' Home, 28 Roseberry-ave., at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. John Wright, St. Alban-st., is giving a tea this afternoon from 4:30 to 7 o'clock in honor of Mr. John Jennings Wright, Mrs. Walter Wright and Mrs. Alex. Cecil Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Austin have sent out cards of invitation to a dance at "Spadina" on Dec. 21, in honor of the debut of their daughter Kathleen.

Mr. William Dobell, who has been the guest of Lady Fitzpatrick in Ottawa, has returned to Quebec.

Mrs. Graham Thompson gave a small bridge party last night in honor of Mrs. A. Calderwood, who is in town from Barrie, staying with Mrs. Beatty.

Miss Jessie Lumsby, who spent some time in Ottawa, the guest of Mrs. Olive White, spent last week in New York attending the horse show, and returned in time for the R. C. Y. C. ball.

Mrs. Colway Cartwright, who had been visiting in Napahee, is now staying with Mr. Richard and Lady Cartwright in Ottawa. Dr. Cartwright expects to leave later to spend Christmas with his parents, and will be accompanied back to Vancouver by Mrs. Cartwright and their little daughter.

Mrs. Vincent Bromley (nee Walsh) of Barrie, Ont., has taken up her residence on corner of Mahon and 21st-st., North Vancouver.

The Aura Le Club is holding a small informal dance this evening at the clubhouse.

The annual conversation at Victoria College takes place this evening.

The annual dinner of the Misses' League Golf Club will be held at McConkey's on Friday, at 7 p.m.

Mr. Sheridan Residence Sold.

John Sheridan sold to William G. Thurston, John Giffin & Co., his residence on George-street, on 104 x 24 feet for \$5,000.

CANADIAN MOTHERHOOD PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

A meeting of the Canadian Motherhood Protective Association will be held in the evening at 8 o'clock, at the City of Toronto, 45 Yonge street, at 2:30 p.m. to-day. All interested in the welfare of the struggling mothers and helpless children are welcome.

NOTICE.

Board of Trade members are specially invited to visit the "Demonstration Car" of 1911, at 100 Ry. now on track 9 east end of the Union Station, Dec. 1, 2, 3 and 4. F. G. Morley, secretary.

Mining Institute.

A regular meeting and luncheon of the Toronto branch of the Canadian Mining Institute will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 2, at the Engineers' Club, 94 King street West.

Young Women's Christian Association.

Dr. J. H. Ellis, Member of Nova Scotia Legislative Assembly for Guysborough County.

"I beg to say that I have found 'Wilson's Invalids' Port' to be of very high quality and especially adapted for medicinal purposes."

Bank for Port McNicoll.

The Metropolitan Bank has purchased a lot at Port McNicoll and arranged for the establishment of a branch there.

Mrs. and Miss Cook, Madison-ave. are giving a tea this afternoon in honor of Mrs. Albert Cook.

An at home and sale of work in aid of the building fund of the West End C. Church, will be held at Sydenham Tower from 3:30 to 4:30 this afternoon.

The Misses Cattenach, who were at the Prince George for some time, have sailed for Europe.

Mrs. Elizabeth Orrill entertained the One-Rouche Club at her home, 115 Macdonell-ave., last night. Among those present were: Miss Irene Wells, Miss Gertrude Kerr, Miss Bernice Edwards, Miss Edith Orrill, Miss Mamie Hoag, Miss Christine Henry, Miss Eva Orrill, Miss Annie Delaney, Messrs W. Henderson, C. Snyder, P. Delaney, H. Smith, E. Lesage, C. Edwards, A. Cook, F. Roseborough, H. Heal, G. Henry and J. Connell.

Miss Bernice Edwards won the ladies' prize, and Mr. Edward Lesage won the gentlemen's prize.

The Misses Adeline and May Covington are holding a reception and private studio, 488 Church-st., to-day and to-morrow.

Dr. and Mrs. McKibbin announce the engagement of their young daughter, Phyllis Louise, to Mr. Frederick J. Temple of Vancouver, B.C. The marriage will take place on Wednesday, Dec. 27.

At Parkdale Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon, at 4:30, the marriage was solemnized by Rev. A. Logan Goss, of Miss Ethel Cassidy, daughter of Mrs. Jessie J. Cassidy, to Mr. Edward Russell, the bride wore a traveling gown of bronze green cloth with hat to match. Later Mr. and Mrs. Clarke left by the 5:30 train for New York.

Receptions.

Mrs. Sigismund Samuel will not receive to-day.

Mrs. Joseph Miller, 116 Spadina-rd., to-day.

Mrs. Will Lamont, West Roxborough-st., to-day.

Mrs. A. E. Rae, 4 Lamport-ave., on Monday.

Mrs. Lewis Howard to-day.

Mrs. Fred Barrett and Mrs. Naomi Barrett, not again until the new year.

Mrs. Willis Chipman, Spadina-rd., to-day and next Friday.

Mrs. Watson, Admiral-rd., to-day, and not again until the new year.

Mrs. R. S. Williams and Mrs. W. Moore, "Oak Lawn," will receive on Monday, Dec. 4, and not again until after the new year. Mrs. Robt. Williams and Mrs. Chas. Robson (formerly Miss Mabel Williams, Oshawa), with them.

Mrs. J. Clement Ritchie, 35 Priestfield-rd., on Tuesday, and not again before the new year.

Mrs. Elliott, 35 Langley, and Miss Langley, 354 Huron-st., will not receive until the first Friday in January.

Mrs. John B. Reid and Miss Maile Reid will receive at 200 Balmoral-avenue to-day.

Mrs. J. J. Young, 30 Kendal-avenue, not till the New Year.

Mrs. Ralph D. Ramsey, formerly Miss Amy Macdonell, will receive for the first time since her marriage to-day, with Mrs. James G. Ramsey, 178 Crescent-rd.

Mrs. Edward L. Cousins, 23 Laburnum-avenue, to-day, and not again until the New Year.

Mrs. J. J. Russell to-day in her new house, 7 Dalton-rd., afterwards first Friday.

Mrs. Robert Junich will receive on Monday, Dec. 4, at 1500 Balmoral-avenue, for the first time since her marriage, with Mrs. James F. Junich, who will receive with her.

Mrs. F. A. Nancekivell (formerly Miss Marion Watson), 133 West King-st., for the first time since her marriage, on Wednesday, Dec. 6, from 3 to 6.

Mrs. J. A. Kammerer and Miss Hope Kammerer, 81 Jameson-avenue, are giving a tea from 4 o'clock on Monday afternoon, Dec. 11.

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Strictly informal was the departure at 11:45 o'clock last night of their royal highnesses the duke and duchess of Connaught. At that time they were on their special train at North Toronto station and a few minutes later it started without a tremor, bound for Kingston where it pulled up on a siding for the night. At 9:40 this morning it starts for Hamilton where it will arrive at 10:45.

The visit of their royal highnesses in Toronto was one of unqualified success. There was not the slightest hitch in any of the proceedings and not one unpleasant incident marred the harmony of their sojourn here.

Every item of their program was carried out faultlessly and the whole city was won over to a feeling of deep regard for the royal couple.

The ending up of the four days' stay was not a farewell. It was as if they merely left for a while to return again. If not in body they are with us yet in spirit. They were welcomed on Monday and not until their term of residence in the Dominion expires will there be a real leave-taking.

About 100 persons grouped around the station platform to see them off. The decorations which were put up for their arrival had not been taken down. Instead of guarding all approaches to the place the police only numbered about ten men and they merely kept clear the passage from the porte cochere to the train, a matter of a few steps across the platform.

At 11:05 p.m. her royal highness the duchess arrived in an automobile from the Royal Alexandra theatre where she spent the evening. At 11:45 the duke arrived from the Toronto club, where he dined and spent the evening, picture of the wire.

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