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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1911.

Such a succession of sun-shiny days, unbroken even by showers, is not within the memory of the oldest inhabitant of this section of the country.

The watering cart has hardly been seen on the streets this summer, much to the disappointment of our citizens, who hoped for a relief from the dust nuisance this season.

Several Accidents At Illumination

Mrs. Moore and Little Daughter of Dartmouth, Victims of Mis-directed Sky Rocket.

Thousands of spectators who were viewing the brilliant illuminations in state of excitement when sky rockets honor of Dartmouth's Natal Day Thursday night were thrown into a fall among them and exploded.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore and their little daughter of Halifax, had an exciting experience. Mrs. Moore and her little daughter, were conversing with friends, when without the least warning, one of the big rockets hit the ground directly in front of them immediately exploding.

A woman's fur-lined coat was practically destroyed and other spectators more or less painfully burned by the fire works which seemingly were aimed in the proper direction when set off.—Dartmouth Patriot.

WHEN ANSWERING ADVERTISEMENTS PLEASE MENTION THE MONITOR-SENTINEL

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Divers Doing Good Work on Niobe

Cruiser Struck Near Where Steamer Hungarian Was Lost With All on Board.

Clarke Harbor, Aug. 2—Today has been a busy time on board the cruiser Niobe which still lies at anchor in the same position, attended by the steamer Lady Laurier, the tug Scotsman and Wanda, and local Wrecking Company's boat Coast Guard.

Two more divers are expected tomorrow and additional pumping gear has been ordered by train from Halifax. With these extra appliances, and a continuation of the present fair weather, Commander MacDonald will be able to keep the ship free, and put her in condition to be conveyed to Halifax in the course of two days.

Lost Fifty Thousand on Empire Tour

The Trip of the Sheffield Choir was a Financial Failure

TORONTO, August 3.—That Chas. A. E. Harris, of Ottawa, who shouldered the burden of an Empire tour for the Sheffield Choir of England, will be \$50,000 out of pocket by the project, was the statement of Dr. Harris' business manager, W. J. Hobson, who has returned to Toronto.

Go to Port Wade

The United Baptist church of Port Wade will hold a MAMMOTH TEA-MEETING on SATURDAY, 12th DAY OF AUGUST. Parties wishing to attend will get excursion tickets at one fare at all stations along lines of H. & S. W. Ry.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. S. T. Jefferson and family, of Lawrencetown, wish to acknowledge their sincere appreciation of the many courtesies extended by their friends in their great bereavement.

BORN

DANIELS.—At Lawrencetown, July 31st, to Mr. and Mrs. Elvin J. Daniels, a son.—Harry St. Clair.

Obituary

MISS MARIA WADE.

Again we have to chronicle the death of another of our elder and respected residents, Miss Maria Wade, which took place at Balfisle on Thursday, the 3rd.

She was a daughter of the late John Wade, Esq. She was born at Bridgetown and came here with her parents over fifty years ago. With the exception of a few years, she has always lived home, a member of the family. She had been all through her life a most remarkably industrious woman and was a consistent member of the Anglican church, always a ready and willing worker for it.

British Warship Struck Rocks in Fog

Was on the Way to Tow-Damaged Cruiser Niobe to Halifax. So Far as Could be Ascertained the Cruiser is Not Leaking, and it is Expected That She Will be Floated at High Tide.

While on her way to Clarke's Harbor to take H.M.C.S. Niobe in tow for Halifax, the H.M.S. Cornwall struck on the Southwest Ledges on Sunday morning, about three miles from where the Niobe grounded Sunday morning, a week previous.

THICK WEATHER ON COAST.

The Cornwall, which sailed from Halifax about July 10th, was cruising in Newfoundland waters, and on Friday last a wireless message was received by the naval authorities here that she was on her way to Clarke's Harbor to take the Niobe in tow and bring her to Halifax.

NO NEWS OF DAMAGE

The naval authorities, yesterday, were very reticent on the matter and it is not known how seriously she is damaged. The Government steamer Lady Laurier, which has been standing by the Niobe for the past week, was within easy reach and lively transferred her attentions to the Cornwall.

As far as could be ascertained the cruiser was not making any water, and it was expected that she would be floated off at high tide. When the Cornwall struck she was going at very slow speed, and the impact was only slight. It is hoped that the warship will be released from the rocks without any serious damage.

HAS MANY CADETS ABOARD.

The Cornwall is an armoured cruiser of 9,800 tons and was built in 1902. She was one of the fleet that escorted King George V., then Prince of Wales, to Canada when he attended the Quebec Tercentenary. Since that she has been used as a training ship, and in addition to her regular crew has on board a large number of cadets.—Halifax Chronicle.

CORRESPONDENCE

A FRIEND TO DUMB ANIMALS.

To the Editor Monitor-Sentinel— Some of your readers, at least, are pleased to note a valuable lesson now and again on the subject of "Cruelty to Animals" in the columns of your paper. In the last issue the useless and painful operation of docking the tails of horses, was written about and condemned and very properly so.

LIBERAL NOMINATION FOR ANnapolis COUNTY.

At a convention of the Liberal party held in Bridgetown on Monday last, Mr. S. W. W. Pickup, present representative of Annapolis county in the federal parliament, was again unanimously nominated to contest the county.

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