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ENUMERATORS HAD ODD EXPERIENCES TAKING RELIGIOUS CENSUS OF ST. JOHN.

Every House in the City Had a Caller Who Wanted to Know Thought It Meant More Taxes. Facts About the Family's Religious Belief-Strange Stories Some of Them Have to Tell.

with a knowing smile and proceed to open

thing like this:

"Oh, I know what you're after; your the census takers, and want to know what church I attend." So you see it was tol-

In a city where nearly 50,000 people find their homes, there must needs be a diversity of religious beliefs, and part of the caults of yesterday's campaign is the moveledge that there are here a sprink-ing of chizens who do not adhere to the tizens who do not adhere to the of any church, and, by the were not at all backward in

on not part of the general scheme to up an answer with further quer-aving to do with the nature of that r; they merely put the prescribed er of questions, gave their thanks, rent their way. ry house was visited, every locality the haunts of vice to the homes of families, was called upon, and pre-the same questions asked of the nata of each.

what school or church do you at-

The purpose of this census, the course adopted to make it, and the names of the visitors have been made public, but in brief the movement was to gain accurate information respecting the religious constition of St. John; to know the religious preference of each of the city's population and to Become fairly familiar with the church going proclivities of every man and woman within the city limits.

The returns cannot be tabulated for a week at least, but when this is done, every elergyman will be in a position to know how many people there are in the neighborhood professing a certain faith, or indifferent to it. He will know who they are and where they live, and, providing a perron is of the denomination he preaches, and lax in a religious sense, the minister will be enabled to call upon

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A Swede—a family man—was talked with and it was learned that although with a spoken; then it slammed, and the caller tried no more about that particular residence.

his advantage to take a more practical interest in the doctrine in which he is supposed to believe. The direct result of the work will be to permit the church to reach these whem ofherwise it would have been unable to reach.

The movement was carried out under direction of the St. John Sunday School direction of the St. John Sunday School direction, with E. M. Sipprell, superintendent of the central committee and South End; Rev. J. C. B. Appell, superintendent of the work carried on in the North End, and John McKinnon presiding in St. John West. Each ward was divided into districts, each with its chairman and fund of workers, who started out unally in couples, and in the the

Castoria.

"Castoria le an excellent med children. Mothers have repeated told off its good effect upon their children.

Dr. G. C. Osocop, Lowell, Ma. tricts the census was imperfectly under-stood, and there were those who believed

Not frequently, but yet in several dis-

notive of raising more taxes.

Mrs. Parker, of Moore street, called at

very demonstrative, darted from doorway and back yard, and in a distracting

good deal of pluck for one to enter, and

"I remember one place-I think it was

Laughed Off the Premises.

Some Interesting Experiences.

Why, there's one young lady in the North End who can tell how it feels to have a door slammed in her face—and, a North End woman received a furious beating from her husband, and all be-cause she talked freely to the census takers Perhaps that section of the city, reaching from York Point to Simonds street, was most fruitful in incident and anecdote. There dwell Hebrews, Arabians, Chinese, and not a few, although British and Christians, whose actions shame nationality and faith.

Said Mr. Kingston, chairman of Dufferin ward, speaking in a general way-we were met with civility, and nearly all knew what was required before we spoke. Hebrew, and he must have imagined I had something to sell, for on seeing my

had something to sell, for on seeing my cards he gravely motioned me away, muttering there wasn't any money in it, and therefore without particular interest for him. I managed to make him understand, though, but he wouldn't answer; he wouldn't even talk.

"A little girl happened along who knew him, and I questioned her. She told me all that he had refused to tell, and took pains to speak loud enough for him to overhear every word. It was amusing to watch him, and he didn't deny the girl once. However, as he did not talk himself, he will have to be recorded as one refusing information.

Then I called on a certain family and was given information by the woman of more than 20 minutes before there was a great uproar, and it became known that the lord and master was administering a thrashing to his wife. The police were obliged to interfere. I'm inclined to think

Is so well adapted to children imend it as superior to any pre-

A. ARCHER, M. D. Brooklyn, N. Y

of a clash was averted.

One woman stoutly maintained that neither she nor her little girl had gone to church for more than a year. The child had gone to Sunday school with a the homes on Acadia and Chapel streets, and here the population had evidently taken due precautions. Her party had hardly entered the district before children ture of shoes in New York, but finally came to Lynn, where he has since resided. He was a man of unusual character, pos-"What could we do," said Mrs. Par-er." They swarmed and shouted and

we were often saved the trouble by being met on the threshold by a boy or girl, usually Hebrew, who would say: 'No one in; no, no; no one in.' But I am inclined to think our informant had been carefulcoming, as it does, so swiftly and so unexpectedly. The funeral services will be held Friday, in St. Joseph's church, Lynn.—Boston Globe.

[Mr. Hughes leaves three sisters, Mrs. Sarah Lee, of Boston; Mrs. Wm. Davis, of Fredericton, and Miss Theressa Hughes,

they laughed at us so that we became embarrassed. He opened the door and we got a view of the room, and could see her sitting on the edge of a bed combing her hair, and she kept on combing.

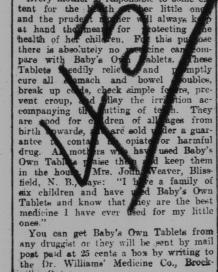
"We began to ask the regular questions. Then he smiled, and she laughed. I then they laughed together. Well, they laughed us off the premises, that's all."

In Sydney ward, all the district south of St. James street was visited by Rev. W. C. Hamilton, his wife and daughter, and Mrs. Seymour. Mr. Hamilton is pastor of Carmarthen street Methodist church. Their sphere of labor included what is properly considered to be the Wellington Camp, assisted by Rev. E. C. Corey, formerly pastor of the Baptist church here, who baptized Mr. Freeze 30 years ago. Rev. Mr. Camp's text was "Ohrist is all and in all," and from these what is properly considered to be the worst section of the city, for it took in Sheffield street, but the house to house visitation along that thoroughfare was without incident, other than that of civil

scarce any men were met; practically all were women. There were women black and white, slatternly, frowsy, rough of hand, ready of tongue, defiant in bearing, and speculative of eye.

"Never," said Mr. Hamilton, "did I meet with such thoroughly deprayed looking people." I came to a house and the only entrance to it seemed to be through a beer shop. Our instructions, you know, were to visit only private houses; not places of business. and for some weeks to his bed, so that his house, from the street, so in I went and found the shop empty. I rapped on the counter, and called out: 'Anybody here?' ternoon. He was the second son of the end of a long, dim hall leading into the late Thomas Gilchrist, of Carluke (Scotland), and is survived by his mother, one

expected that they will have all of their returns in by today. The canvassers report having been most courteously received at every place they visited. One condition quite frequently met with was that of many families whose members were not all of one denomination. In some two and three denominations were represented in the family. There were only four or five persons encountered who did not have any preference for any special church and sive time the atrength of the properties of ordinary medics, and Better buy



ville, Ont.

plemented by many useful presents—tan-gible tokens of their esteem for him as a teacher. Mr. Parlee replied with much feeling, thanking all for their kindness and for expressions of good will. The evening was very much enjoyed in a social way. The host and hostess, being good entertainers, did not fail to make all feel

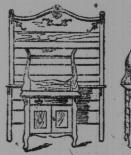
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GEORGE R. VINCENT.

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