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CHURCHES
CLUBSDENIES ATTACK
ON ORANGE ORDERBishop Bidwell Preaches in
Cathedral at Kingston

LARGE CONGREGATION

Declares He Will Continue in the
Anglican Church

KINGSTON, Aug. 30. — (Canadian Press Dispatch). — Rt. Rev. Dr. E. J. Bidwell, who recently tendered his resignation as bishop of Ontario following Mrs. Bidwell's entry into the Roman Catholic Church, the executive committee of the diocese deciding to recommend its acceptance, preached to a large congregation in St. George's Cathedral this morning. He returned yesterday from England.

His sermon was largely devoted to setting forth the nature of the faith of the church to which he belongs. He made it clear that an Anglican was born and an Anglican he would die. He referred to the future that was created by his remarks in a London paper regarding Orangemen in Eastern Canada. He denied having questioned the loyalty and patriotism of its members, nor the necessity of its organization.

"St. Paul," said his lordship, "leaves us in no doubt about his belief. The living Christ, son of God and son of man, in and with us, is the head of the body. Great authority might be and was entrusted to the apostles, and by them duly transmitted to their successors, but supreme and infallible authority could be delegated to no man, however high his office. That belonged to the Divine Head and to Him only."

TO AVOID CONTROVERSY

Dr. Bidwell continued, in part: "I have always avoided controversy and I have no intention of entering upon it now. Rather, I have always endeavored to set forth in the most positive manner the full teaching of that portion of the body of Christ to which I belong. In the book of common prayer I find my marching orders, but I do claim to teach the full faith as I find it therein. I have not departed from setting it forth fully because in certain points it may seem similar to that held by another communion which claims the sole right to be called Catholic. My brethren, I am a Catholic in the sense in which the great divines of our church, from Archbishop Laud down to Bishop Gore, who have preached the faith for centuries from that very pulpit in the University Church of Oxford which I was privileged to occupy the other day and who have lived for and loved their church with deep-rooted and unchangeable devotion."

"I know we have our diversions. I know it is said we lack a center of infallible authority such as is claimed by another communion, but I know this, too—no church can surpass that to which I belong and to which I owe all the spiritual life God has vouchsafed to bestow upon me in the wonderful love and magnificent devotion he has called forth in his children."

Christ alone was the head of the church, he said, and it was He and He alone who claimed their final allegiance. He continued: "Such, my dear people, very imperfectly and inadequately stated, is the faith by which I have lived, which I have always tried to preach, and in which, please God, I shall die."

MISREPRESENTATION.

"Nothing gives more pain than that caused by what seems to the victim of it, almost wilful misrepresentation and misunderstanding. Here is my own experience. An article appeared early in May, just after I arrived in England, in an English church paper, which gave a very misleading account in some points at any rate, of the conditions of our church in Eastern Canada, practically implying that the clergy dared not teach the full faith of the church because of the influence of a certain order over them. I knew this was not true. I knew that they had taught and were teaching the faith. Who would correct the mistake if not their bishop, when his own diocese was mentioned? I did so at once, and in the course of my reply was obliged to allude to this order. The loyalty and patriotism of its members I never questioned, nor the necessity for its organization. But I did give reasons why I considered that the writer of the original article had exaggerated their influence over our church and alluded to their objection to ritual in divine service as a reason why so little is seen here as compared with the churches in England."

"What happened? For weeks no notice is taken of my letter, which appeared immediately after the article was published. Then, when a certain unhappy event became public property, extracts are published from my letter, weeks after it was written, without any reference to the fact that it was a reply to another article, and these extracts are exploited far and wide as an attack by me on this order. I am not complaining of criticism—every public person must expect that. But those who attack should at least state the facts of all the facts before they bring undeserved pain and violent abuse upon one already involved in a great and abiding sorrow."

"I am glad to say that those who



PRINCESS MARY, who was recently made a doctor of laws at the University of Leeds.

know me, and took the trouble to acquaint themselves with the facts, have written to me expressing their deep regret that so completely unfounded a charge should have been used against me. I am not concerned in the least to defend my action, but simply to explain why I consider it both necessary and justifiable.

BUSH FIRES NEAR
MARMORA VILLAGEResidents Turn Out to Fight
Blaze in Hastings County

RESIDENCES ARE MENACED

PETERBORO, Ont., Aug. 30.—All the able-bodied men of the village of Marmora were summoned this afternoon to fight a bush fire that has been raging for about a week and had assumed serious proportions. Late this evening an effort was being made to save the homes of Alex. Quinn and N. Rydell, a mile from the village, and directly in the path of the flames. Cedars and pines on the property of the Pearce Company and Archie Jones were afire this evening. At one point the fire is within half a mile of the village and backfires have been set. Loss in the timber limits of the Pearce Company may be large.

NEW FIRES NEAR BALA. BALA, Ont., Aug. 30.—Late this afternoon two new bush fires were reported on the Indian Reserve in Gibson Township, six miles from here. The flames are said to be making much headway and are rapidly devouring the slash remaining from logging operations.

AT NORTH BAY.

NORTH BAY, Ont., Aug. 30.—The bush fire near here, which has been burning nearly a week, is thought to have been checked to-day. It is believed that nearly 1,000 acres were covered and the greater part of this was young growth, although there was some of it slash.

SEVERE QUAKE RECORDED
BY U. S. SEISMOGRAPHS

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 30.—An earth shock of great intensity was recorded on the seismograph of Loyola University on Saturday afternoon. Father Abel, seismologist in charge, suggested that the shock was possibly 2,000 miles distant and probably reached maximum intensity between 4.55 and 5.02 o'clock, Central Standard time. Vibrations began at 4.55 and continued to 5.30.

DIRECTION NOT KNOWN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—A "sharp" earthquake was recorded on the seismograph at Georgetown University last night between 5.43 o'clock and 6.35 o'clock. Father Tondorf, seismologist, said a conservative estimate placed the distance at 5,000 miles from Washington, but he was unable to determine the direction.

1,800 MILES FROM CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—A severe earthquake shock was recorded by seismograph of the United States weather bureau at the University of Chicago early to-day. The tremor began at 4.42 o'clock and continued until 6.15, with the greatest shock recorded at 4.52, Central Standard time. The movement was estimated at about 1,800 miles from Chicago.

MONTANA TOWN SHAKEN.

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 30.—An earthquake of severity shook Maudslayi, east of Three Forks, at 8.45 o'clock to-day. The report, which came from the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad agent there, said no damage had been done.

VETERANS DECORATE
GRAVES OF COMRADES

Impressive Ceremony Held By Southamptons Post, Canadian Legion. SOUTHAMPTON, Aug. 30.—The annual decoration service of the Southamptons Post of the Canadian Legion was held this afternoon when the graves of the men who served overseas were decorated with flowers.

The Southamptons members of the legion, about 100 strong, together with 20 members from Owen Sound and 15 from Fort Elgin, met at the clubrooms at 1 o'clock, formed a parade and marched to the soldiers' memorial tablet at the town hall, where an impressive service was held, followed by an address by Major the Rev. J. C. Toimie, ex-M. L. A. of Southampton, formerly of Windsor. Major Toimie spoke on the role of the Canadian Legion, who fought overseas, and especially those who gave up their lives for the cause of humanity.

Members of the legion then marched to the three cemeteries in Southampton, the new cemetery, the Catholic Cemetery and the old cemetery, after which they visited the cemetery on the Saugeen Indian reserve, making part of the latter journey by motor. Wreaths and flowers were placed upon each grave and the floral offerings were beautiful. Southampton Brass Band rendered specially appropriate music.

TWENTY PASSENGERS INJURED. DENVER, Col., Aug. 30.—Twenty passengers were injured when train No. 1, southbound, sideswiped train No. 8, Texas fast mail of the Colorado Southern Railroad, at Mayne, Colorado, near Trinidad this morning. One sleeping car overturned.

Belton-Purdum

A late summer wedding of more than usual interest took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Purdum, King street, at 6 o'clock on Saturday, when their daughter, Miss Jean Purdum, became the bride of James Ross Belton, of Toronto, son of Col. Cassius Wilkinson Belton and Mrs. Belton, of Ottawa, and grandson of the late Sir George W. Ross.

The drawing-room was a bower of late summer flowers, and the bride, attended by her sister, Miss Maybelle Purdum, entered on the arm of her father and was given away, while Miss Merlyn Pococke played the appealing wedding music. Roy Belton was his brother's assistant.

She wore a filmy gown of white tulle with court train lined with turquoise blue, a beautiful veil of Lim-crick lace, with band of orange blossoms, and carried a lovely bouquet of valley lilies and maidenhair fern. The bridesmaid, Miss Maybelle Purdum, wore a smart frock of yellow crepe de chine and carried a shower bouquet of Sunset roses.

During the signing of the register Miss Merlyn Pococke sang "O Fair, O Sweet and Holy." A wedding dinner was served after the ceremony and immediately afterwards Mr. and Mrs. Belton left on a wedding trip to Atlantic City. Mrs. Belton traveled in a brown coat with heavier trimmings, a chic brown dress and a gros-grain ribbon hat en suite. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Belton will take up residence at 267 Garden avenue, Toronto. Guests in attendance from a distance included Col. Cassius Wilkinson Belton and Mrs. Belton, of Ottawa, Miss Mildred Belton, of Windsor, and Dr. Earle Smith, Mrs. Smith and the Misses Helen and Kathryn Smith, of Brantford.

Hodgetts-Bull.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bull, Vandalia street, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday at 7 o'clock when their daughter, Miss Ethel Miriam Bull, was united in marriage to Harold Hodgetts, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hodgetts, Major street. Rev. Dr. W. M. McIntosh, pastor of King Street United Church, officiated in the presence of 50 guests.

The bride entered the living-room on the arm of her father and took her place under an arch of green foliage and French marigolds. She was charming in a gown of white satin with pearl trimmings and carried a bouquet of Maiden Blush roses and sweet peas. The bride was attended by Miss Lillian Holmes and was prettily gowned in yellow flowered georgette over pale pink, with picture hat to match, and carried a bouquet of yellow roses. The bridegroom was attended by W. M. Cozier.

Mrs. Rivers, of Dorchester, played the wedding music and during the signing of the register Mrs. W. M. Self sang "Because," and Luther Jackson, "Thank God for You."

The house was prettily decorated with ferns, asters and gaidiloid. After the ceremony a luncheon was served by five girl friends of the bride. The bride's mother presided in a gown of black brocade silk and was assisted by the bridegroom's mother in a gown of brown crepe de chine.

After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Hodgetts left on a wedding trip by motor. The bride wore an ensemble suit of green charmeuse with hat to match and satin shoes. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Hodgetts will take up residence in Nelson street. Guests were in attendance from Dorchester, St. Thomas and Toledo, Ohio.

Side Talks

BY RUTH CAMERON

THE "I SHALL WORRY" SELFISHNESS

Governor Morris has in one of his books of short stories a foreword to this effect:

"Certain persons have told me (for nothing) that 'White Muscates of Alexandria' resembles a tale in Arabian Nights. I know that it does. Most damnably. And this is printed in the hope of saving other people's postage."

In the hope of saving some of my Letter Friends with a long memory postage, I wish to say that they are right when they think I have written on the "I Shall Worry Selfishness" before. Perfectly right. I have. And I shall not promise never to do so again after this.

On the contrary. For I think it is a subject that needs to be written about once in a while.

The worst thing about this kind of selfishness (as about most kinds) is that people don't recognize it as such. There is such a thing as trying to prevent those whom you love from doing things because you feel the risk is so great that they ought not to do them. And there is also such a thing as trying to prevent those whom you love from doing things because you know that you will suffer the tortures of worry while they are doing them.

I admit it is hard to draw the line sometimes, but I think it exists. We all know households where a mother or a father rules the home with the rod of "I shall worry." A weak heart or a disposition to have headaches or sleeplessness when worried will add to the strength of this rod.

Sometimes children are really unfitted for life by this despotism. Generally I will admit their instincts are too strong to let them be thus perverted, but it does happen. I know a mother who will not let her child go into the water to learn to swim. The little one who has been drowned while swimming and as the mother puts it: "That gave me a terrible fear of the water. I know I shouldn't have

a moment's peace while Lucy was in the water."

I wonder how she would feel if it should happen sometime that her daughter was put in a position where she might have saved herself if she had known how to swim. One of the largest universities in this country has made it obligatory that every student shall learn to swim before he gets a degree. No matter how high his standing he cannot graduate unless he can swim. Apparently those educators think the accomplishment worth the risk of acquiring.

I will admit that it would be for me one of the very hardest things to let children take the risks they ought to take. I have all too vividly the danger that visualizes the child under the apple tree with his neck broken, or lying on the beach wet and lifeless. But I hope I would remember how much it means to all of us to live lives that are not unreasonably ham-

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reasonable.DECORATE GRAVES OF
MT. ELGIN PIONEERSWomen's Institute Members and Masons
Join in Impressive Ceremony.

INGERSOLL, Aug. 30.—A general decoration service was held at Mount Elgin Cemetery to-day with an exceptionally large attendance. The Women's Institute and the Masonic lodge members were the prime movers in the undertaking, the members of the former decorating 22 plots in which pioneers, of whom there are now no real relatives living in the district, are buried. The Masons decorated the graves of seven departed brethren. All the graves in the cemetery received attention, several plots being decorated by relatives.

Revs. Mr. Quigley, of the United Church, and G. R. Burns, of the Baptist church, officiated, while Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Laing, of Grosvenor street, the marriage to take place quietly in September.

SELECTIONS BY THE CHOIR WERE ALSO PART
OF THE IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY.DELAWARE TO MELBOURNE
ROAD OPEN FOR TRAFFIC

The road from Delaware to Melbourne is now open for traffic, Secretary Bernard, of the London Motor Club, announces. This is part of the Longwoods road. He says also that the road from Talbotville to Shelden will not be closed for a few days yet. The detour, he advises now, is as follows: Turn south at Melbourne corner to Iona, then west on the Talbot road.

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