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A century, all but four years, has passed since Great Britain first had anything to do with Singapore. In 1519 she obtained permission to build a factory on the southern shore of the island and in 1884 she bought a sovereignty and fee simple of the island as well as of all the sea, straits and islands for eleven and a half miles around it.

Being within only one degree of the equator its climatic changes vary little during the entire year, and consequently there is an immense variety of fruits and vegetables grown on the fertile soil.

Sailing towards the port for the first time, one is particularly impressed with the large numbers of round-headed black natives, who seem to be bent for a pleasant swim. Fully a mile from shore many of these black-skinned fellows are to be seen doing various acrobatic stunts in the water.

Now in English, now in French, and again in what we suppose is their na-

tive tongue, they chant a kind of sing-song ditty—"Mademoiselle, madam a la mere, a la mere, missy, missy, please give me a penny," etc. Indeed they succeed in making themselves so attractive that none of the children have any desire to go on shore; they would far rather stay on the ship and watch the dozens of shining wet, naked black bodies gleam and glisten in the sunshine as they dive for coins, than see the most interesting things on land.

At first no one could make out where they kept their coins, but by constant watching it was ascertained that their mouths were their convenient purses. Some of these divers looked little more than babies, but many of them were middle-aged men, who did nothing else for a living.

There is a street railway in the town albeit a slightly inadequate one, but even it is not necessary, for the big, raw-boned Malay rikisha men skim over the ground like swift-footed Achilles himself. Nearly all the rikisha are double, too, so the runners have just twice the burden to pull that the North China or Japanese rikisha men have. Huge teams of oxen amble along the road, drawing monstrous loads.

They who would share their honors must share their labors too; O men, in the flower of manhood! There's a place in the ranks for you.

Go! take your place with heroes On the fields of enduring fame: In sacrifice is glory; In cowardice is shame.

THE TOWN HAS A POPULATION OF OVER 228,000, INCLUDING 3,000 WHITES, AND MOST OF THE LATTER ARE BRITISH. THE NATIVE MALAYANS ARE LARGE, STRONG WEL-

MELVERN SQUARE

Mr. J. F. Outhit of Kentville spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Outhit.

Mr. John Outhit of Halifax was the guest of his cousin, D. M. Outhit, a few days this week.

Mr. J. Abner Phinney left on Saturday for Halifax where he will remain during Exhibition week.

An auto party from Margareville were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morse quite recently.

Miss Lavinia Goucher of Halifax, accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Coleman of Halifax, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Ella Goucher.

Miss Muriel Lantz has accepted the school at Port George for the second year, and entered upon her duties on Monday 30th of August.

Quite a number of friends and relatives from here attended the funeral of Miss Annie Outhit at Kingston on Saturday afternoon last.

Our school reopened on Monday, August 30th, with a good attendance, and both teachers report a very interesting lot of pupils so far.

The Rev. Mr. Collins of Middleton conducted the service in the Presbyterian Church of this place on Sabbath afternoon, September 5th.

Master Campbell Armstrong, who has been spending his vacation with his grandparents, Col. and Mrs. Spurr, returned to his home in Sydney last week.

Lieut. Scott, McNeil of Halifax, Mr. and Mrs. Ingram Banks and little daughter of Bedford, were the guests of Lt.-Col. and Mrs. E. F. McNeil during last week.

A welcome visitor in Melvern quite recently was Mrs. Ernest Ritchie of Maplewood, Mass., nee Miss Flo Phinney of Melvern Square. She was accompanied by her little son Walter, and they were the guests of Mrs. Miner Sproule, and other friends during their stay here.

The somewhat sudden death of Miss Annie Outhit occurred at her home at Kingston on Thursday last, after a short but painful illness. Miss Outhit was the only daughter of the late George E. Outhit, M. D., and was one of the most highly respected residents of Kingston.

Being of a retiring disposition, she had, for years past, led a quiet life in her beautiful country home, but was a lady of good education and accomplishments. Her books and her music being her dearest friends and companions. Her honesty and sincerity being her chief characteristics, she had made and still retained many staunch friends who sincerely mourn her death.

She was survived by one brother, Mr. George Outhit of Philadelphia who was with her at the time of her death, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Outhit, arriving from Philadelphia in time to attend the funeral. A quiet and impressive service was conducted at her late home by her minister, the Rev. Thomas McFall of Somerset, on Saturday afternoon last, and was largely attended. Interment in the Presbyterian cemetery, Melvern Square.

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MELVERN SQUARE

Mr. Isaac Durling spent last week in Clarence.

Mr. Ralph Connel spent last week at Albany Cross.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Sydney Eyars seriously ill.

Jerry Whitman and brother Harry have enlisted and have gone to Valcartier.

Miss Nina Best and cousin, Violet Best, spent last week in Wilmet the guest of their uncle, Mr. Milledge Best.

Mr. and Mrs. Avarad Leonard of East Ingilville also Miss Rice an Mr. Irvin Leonard of Harmony, were recent guests of Mrs. Leonard Banks.

Miss Ida Banks is visiting relatives in Brookline, Mass. While there she will attend the marriage of her brother, Elmer Banks, and Miss Muriel Mills of Granville Ferry.

It is reported that two aviators are to be employed to scour the coasts of Newfoundland and the Gulf of St. Lawrence, to discover, if possible, where the main herds of seal are, so that the fishermen may make a full catch.

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Mrs. Peck of Wolfville is the guest of Rev. H. G. and Mrs. Mellick.

Miss Annie Fair of Albany is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Elvin Shaffner.

Miss Hatt of Nictaux West was a guest of Mrs. Wm. Hatt one day last week.

Miss Vivian Phinney spent the week-end at South Farmington visiting friends.

Mr. Frank Jefferson, Jeweller, and family, have moved in part of Mr. R. Richie's house.

Max Balcom of Halifax has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Balcom.

Rally Day will be observed in the Sunday Schools on the 19th with a full program.

Mr. Bleakney of Albany will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist Church next Sunday at 11 a. m.

Mrs. David Hewitt and children of Bridgewater are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Veinot.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and children of Bridgetown were visiting Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. E. L. Hall, last week.

Services for Sunday, Sept. 12th, Baptist 11 a. m., Episcopal 3 p. m., Mission Band 3 p. m., Methodist 7. 30. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Whitman and Mr. and Mrs. W. Hall, are going to attend the Exhibition at Halifax this week.

Mr. Fenton Morris who enlisted and left for Sussex on Tuesday, was accompanied by Mrs. Morris as far as St. John.

Mrs. Homer Daniels was "at home" to a large number of friends on Thursday afternoon of last week from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. Archibald's son and daughter of Wolfville, spent a few days with their grandmother, Mrs. A. R. Archibald, last week.

Miss Ida Banks went to Boston last week to be present at the wedding of her brother and on her return home will take charge of the school at Granville.

The guests of Mrs. W. W. Bent last week were: Mrs. H. T. Ross and daughter Marjorie, of Ottawa, Miss Edith Reade of Aylesford, and Mrs. and Miss Green of Bridgewater.

Dr. A. D. and Mrs. Durling of Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Balcom and daughter Miss George, also Capt. C. Baker of Margareville and Mrs. Mary Durling, spent Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Balcom.

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