

Reviving History in Halifax



A MONUMENT TO THE PAST.
The Halifax Memorial Tower Commemorates the Founding of Free Assemblies in America; the Pioneer Representative Assembly Sat at Halifax in the year 1758.



AFLOAT ON THE ARM.
There were Aquatic "Twosomes" and Other Parties from Gay Halifax to Watch the Stately Progress of the Vice-Regal Steamer, Earl Grey (upper left corner), on its way to the Exercises at the Tower.



THE DUKE LANDS.
On his arrival, the Duke receives the plaudits of the spectators at Fleming Park; then, accompanied by President Macgillivray, of the Canadian Club, he proceeds to the Tower.

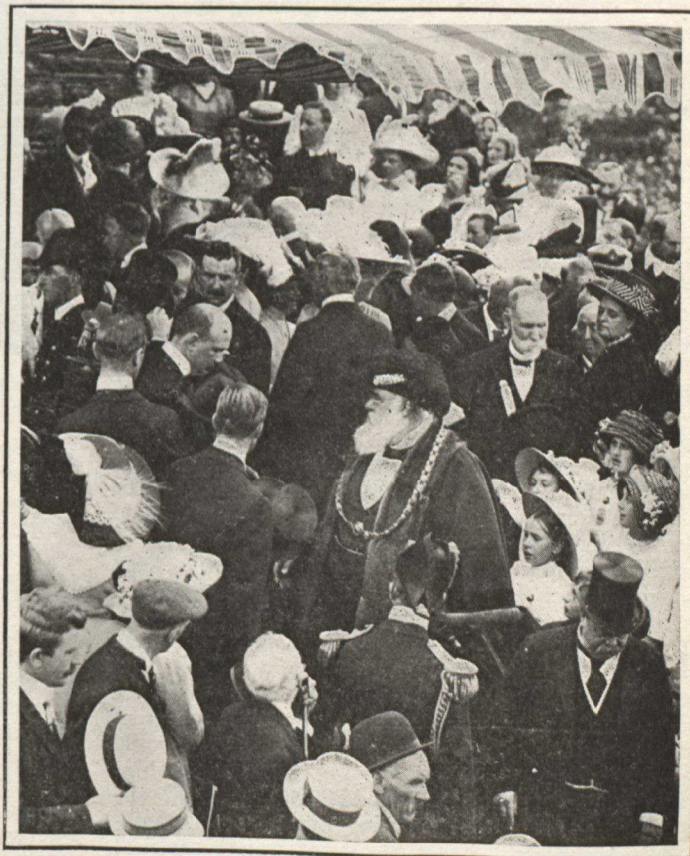


WHEN THE CEREMONIES WERE DONE.
Dr. George Parkin, Famous Imperialist, who Represented the Royal Colonial Institute, and Sir Sandford Fleming, who Deeded the Site of the Tower to Halifax.

Gayety by the Sea

THE Maritime Provinces are having a gay time these days owing to the visit of the Royal Party. Not that the Royal Party matters so much. He is a fashionable excuse. There are all sorts of important social functions to be performed in every community and a Royal Duke adds much to the eclat of such occasions. Consequently, in Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, they are dedicating memorial towers, historical tablets and monuments and generally strengthening their hold upon the past and the future.

Dr. George Parkin, Sir Sandford Fleming, the Lord Mayor of Bristol, and other prominent visitors added to the gayety of some of the functions, as may be seen from the accompanying photographs. At Halifax the entertainment was largely aquatic, and reasonably so. The person does not live in Halifax who does not know all about row-boats, sailing skiffs, and sea-going ships. The Northwest Arm, the attractive watering place of the city, was a brilliant scene with its hundreds of small craft filled with people in light, gay, summer dress.



THE OLD AND THE NEW.
Conspicuous among the Halifax Citizens was Sir Frank Wills, Lord Mayor of Bristol, in his Robes of Office. Sir Frank Brought a Tablet from Bristol and some Flags from the Ladies of the City Whence Cabot Sailed.