



CHARACTER OF JOHN HAMPDEN

MR. Hampden was a man of much greater cunning, and it may be, of the most discerning spirit, and of the greatest address and intimation to bring man of that time, and who laid the design deep. He was a gentleman of a good extraction, and a fair fortune; who, from a life of great pleasure and license, had on a sudden retired to extraordinary sobriety, cheerfulness and affability; which, together with the opinion of his wisdom and justice, and the courage he had shown in opposing the ship-money, raised his reputation to a very great height.

of the British Empire there had been three factors of prime importance—the Charterd Company, Colonial Self-Government, and extra-territorial privileges leading up to the Foreign Jurisdiction Act—and that on each of these the story of the Merchant Adventurers had much to say. Pointing out that, for good or evil, chartered companies were the special machinery which the English, above all nations, devised and perfected on their peculiar lines for making an Empire; and that forty years ago there had been a new crop of chartered companies, and with them new extension of British influence; and widening of British influence; as quoted Bacon's words: "I did ever think that trading in companies is most agreeable to the English nature, which wanteth that some general vein of a republic, which runneth in the Dutch and serveth them instead of a company."

THE MERCHANT ADVENTURERS

From 1862 to 1865 Lord Thurlow was private secretary to the Earl of Elgin, then Viceroy of India, and in 1864, he became Third Secretary to Vienna. Following this, he went to the United States, and during 1865-66 was private secretary to the British Minister in Washington; and from 1866 to 1870 was Second Secretary at the Hague. He then held various appointments, including Lord in Waiting and Paymaster-General.

ROLL OF HONOR

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TRAVEL

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THE MERCHANT ADVENTURERS OF ENGLAND

An address entitled "The Merchant Adventurers of England," given in the Library of the Royal Colonial Institute on February 15, by Sir Charles Lucas, the Chairman was Mr. Albert Gray, K. C., C. B. President of the Halkett Society.

REV. S. A. BROOKE

London, March 20.—The Rev. Stopford Augustus Brooke died at Eghurst, Surrey, on Saturday. He was born in 1852, in Letterkenny, Co. Donegal, Ireland, and was well known as an author.

COL. SIR CHARLES MOORE WATSON

Col. Sir Charles Moore Watson, who was secretary to the Royal Commission for the St. John's Exposition and Commissioner-General in 1904, is dead.

RECRUITING IN NEW BRUNSWICK

The official report of the result of recruiting in the Province of New Brunswick for overseas service, for the week ending March 18, is as follows:
Westmorland—
For 165th 12
Sackville, for 145 2
Festoonville, for 140th 19
Moncton, for 145th 48

CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE

A guileless old Scottish minister one day told some boys of the Bible class he was to read in the morning. The boys finding the place, glued together the connecting pages.

SHIPMENT NEWS

PORT OF ST. ANDREWS
March 16-22, 1916
Entered Coastwise
15 Stmr. Viking, Johnson, St. Stephen.
17 Stmr. Grand Manan, McKinnon, St. Stephen.

ST. ANDREWS POSTAL GUIDE

ALBERT THOMPSON, Postmaster
Office Hours from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Money Orders and Savings Bank Business transacted during office hours.

CHURCH SERVICES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. W. M. Fraser, B. Sc., Pastor. Services every Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School, 2:30 p. m. Prayer services Friday evening at 7:30.

FRANK DANBY

Frank Danby, (Mrs. Julia Frankau) the novelist, died March 17 at her home in London.

PUTS PATROLMAN IN HYPOTHETICAL COAL HOLE

One reason why policemen of great length have gone out of fashion is brought forth in the latest issue of the Bulletin.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY RECRUITS

We are indebted to Capt. Geo. P. Ryder, Recruiting Officer, St. Stephen, N. B., for the following list of recruits for overseas service enrolled from March 18 to March 22:

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