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## ARMY WORK IN CANADA.

### Commissioner Eva Booth Talks of the Salvation Soldiers,

### AND BIDS FAREWELL

### To the Dominion Where she Has so Faithfully Labored for Eight Years ...A Story of Progress.

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Commissioner Eva Booth, granted an audience to the press of the city, at the White house on Pitt St., where she is the guest of Col. Sharp.

As the distinguished leader of the Salvation forces of Canada entered the reception room, and, after being introduced to the men of the quill she said: "The people in this city have been so good to us, I am thankful for the opportunity to express to them my sincere thanks."

Speaking of the advance of the army work in Canada, during her regime as commissioner, Miss Booth said:—"One of the features of our progress is in our properties, we have built a great many valuable properties, lodge rooms, meeting houses, small halls etc., many of the latter being for children. During the past five years, we have built 138 properties. That would be at a cost of $1,000,000. This amount necessary for such an expenditure was raised from the general income."

The commissioner referred to the Territorial Training school in Toronto. This cost in the vicinity of $30,000. She then dwelt on the effective work being accomplished by this school. The Army work extends from the Atlantic to the city of Dawson, where a new property has been recently purchased, and the work is being carried on with great success.

*The Rescue Work.*

"One work," said the commissioner, "in which we have been exceptionally successful is the rescue work, dealing with the poor unfortunate ones of the street. This work, they say, is considered very discouraging, but we who have it in hand say, it is very encouraging."

During the commissioner's tenure of office there have passed through the Salvation institutes 5,134 women. Out of this number they have been permanently successful with 4,777, reported as going on well. These are the highest statistics of this kind, in the world.

"I, and my officers," said the commissioner, "are very proud of such figures.

"We have rescue homes in the principal cities. There are two in this province, one in Halifax and the other in this city."

Miss Booth dealt with the line of precedure followed in these homes in the way of traming. She also referred, at some length, to the prison work and the grand things accomplished by the army in this respect; how the prisoners are looked after on their release and employment secured for them. In 5 years 4180 men have been personally dealt with, and 2065 of these found situations.

The commissioner also explained the Salvation army immigration project and how successfully it is working out. She also referred to the marked advancement of the army in the eastern provinces, "Our own soldiers' " contributions, for the support of their corps, have" she said, "increased $14,000 per year. The general income increased $83,000. The contributions from the general public reached $480,000."

Miss Booth also referred to the pension fund and to the great work accomplished by the army in Newfoundland.

Asked, where she was going from Canada, Miss Booth answered, that she could not say officially, nor could she say who her successor would be.

*Last Night's Meeting.*

The Opera house was packed to the doors last night, it being the farewell of Commissioner Booth. Mayor White presided and several prominent citizens occupied seats on the platform.

After the formal opening of the meeting, Col. Sharp read an address to Miss Booth.

Mayor White was then introduced by Col. Sharp, and delivered a few appropriate remarks on the great work effected by the Salvation army and the strides it had made.

Commissioner Booth said her heart was full of gratitude at the kindness shown her and her officers. No leader had been more blessed with whole hearted loyalty. She paid a tribute to the work, done by Col. Sharp, in the maritime provinces; and referred to the grand work in saving souls done by the army throughout Canada, in the past eight years.

The commissioner here drew attention to what the army had accomplished in equipment, operations and finances. Much building property had been secured, for the army was sadly hampered for the want of quarters. What was wanted was plenty of unpretentious, well ventilated quarters and these were gradually being provided. The barracks stood as beacon lights across the dark wastes of sin.

She referred to the rescue work and the efforts put forth in behalf of the fallen. In conclusion, she said: "I ask you to stand by my successor as you have stood for me. Stand by my successor with the same goodness, the same gallantry and the same loyalty." (Applause.)

Short addresses were delivered by Rev. Howard Sprague, Mrs. Joseph Bullock, Jos. Bullock, Dr. T. D. Walker, and Rev. Dr. Thos. Fotheringham.

Hon. H. A. McKeown moved a vote of thanks which was seconded by Judge Forbes and tendered to the chairman. The meeting closed with singing "God be with you till we meet again" and the benediction of Col. Jacobs.

## THE WINTER'S AGREEMENT.

### Longshoremen, last night, Elected Officers and Prepared for the Season's Work.

A meeting of the Longshoremen's Association was held, last night, to elect officers for the ensuing half year. This was accomplished, but it was found necessary to call in officers Scott and Lee, to preserve order during the progress of the meeting.

The following officers were elected:—John McAndrews, president; George Catherine, first vice-president; Jeremiah Donovan, second vice-president; A. G. Langbein, financial secretary; M. J. Kelly, recording secretary; John Killen, business agent.

The committee of management chosen is:—

James Leclair, John Powers, Edward Thomas, Wm. Reardon, Wallace Brown, James Donovan, Arthur Hoyt, Samuel Baxter, Abram Watters, Wm. McCann, J. Walsh, John McCaustland, Patrick Martin, Theo. Fairweather, Wm. McAulay, Thos. Daley, John Sullivan, Michael Donovan, Samuel McCarthy, Robt. Wilson, Wm. Watters, Henry M. Lee, Robert Boutellier, Jas. Sharp, John Carlson, Henry McLellan, George Pope, John Garrick, Robt. Ross and Samuel Swanton.

The association had a representative in Montreal this year, and the arrangements with the steamship lines has been satisfactory. The agreement between the association and the steamship people is that the laborers will receive thirty cents an hour night and day, and forty cents an hour for handling bulk grain; double time for work on Sundays and Christmas, and half time when called out in the evening from 7 o'clock until such time as they are dismissed.

The day's work will be ten hours. All work performed in rigging and unrigging gear shall be paid for on the same basis as above. The agreement is to go into effect on Nov. 5, and last until April 30.

Inconsideration of this the steamship companies are not to employ other than members of the Longshoremen's Association of St. John during the time of contract.

The association guarantees that the work will be done to the satisfaction of the steamship companies, and to supply the full supply of labor demanded to carry on the work.

The L. S. A. are now ready for the winter's business, which they expect will be heavy.

*TWELFTH NIGHT.*

"The appearance, here, of Marie Wainwright on Oct. 21st, and 22nd, at the Opera House in "Twelfth Night," is the most important dramatic event of the season. Marie Wainwright is the greatest exponent of Viola. ever seen. Madam Bernhauldt wrote her, "Without question you are the Viola of Violas." Mary Anderson, called on Miss Wainwright and said: "I am jealous of your Viola. If some good fairy bade me wish and promised to realize my wish, my wish would be—Please give me the grace and ability to play

MARIE WAINWRIGHT AS "VIOLA" IN "TWELFTH NIGHT."

Viola as well as Marie Wainwright plays the part." Edwin Booth wrote: "I consider your Viola in 'Twelfth Night,' an artistic gem of the purest water." Lawrence Barret said: "Marie Wainwright as Viola in 'Twelfth Night' has caught the real Shakespearean spirit. The music of her voice is as beautiful as the melody of the Shakespearean poetry, and the spirit of her reading and the rhythm of her elocution is as fraught with meaning and beauty as Shakespearean. thought."

**A Noted Horseman's Experience.**

Mr. Antoine Wendling, owner of Deveras 211¼, and proprietor of the Clifton House, Brockville, says no liniment compares with Nerviline for general use around the stable. For strains, swellings, internal pains and especially for affections of the whirl bone Nerviline is unequalled. Mr. Wendling believes Nerviline is indispensable as a horse liniment it has strength, penetrating power and works thoroughly. Every horse and stock owner should use Nerviline. Sold in large 25c. bottles.

'So you don't care for poetry?' 'No,' said the eminent inventor. 'Only the other day I heard a young woman singing 'Had I the wings of a dove.'' Now the wings of a dove would be wholly insufficient in atmospheric resistance for any practical purpose whatever. What she really wants is a tetrahodral kite.'

## HIS LIFE FOR OTHERS.

### Was Only a Coal Heaver but Died a Hero.

### JAMES LEADWOOD

### Stopped a Runaway Team and Saved the Children But at the Cost of His Own Life...A Tale of the Streets of New York.

New York, Oct. 17—He was only a coal heaver. No one knew anything about his antecedents. All that his companions around the Columbia Hotel, at One Hundred and Twenty-second street and Third avenue, where he lived, knew was that he was one who always bought when he "had the price," and who never drank with a fellow-man without regretting that he could not say "have another."

The "boys" counted him a good friend. He spent the evening with them around the lounging-room of the Columbia on Friday.

"I've got a job to shovel a little coal to-morrow," he told them as he bade them good-night. "I hate to leave so early, but, you know, I must have a little Sunday money."

He arose a little earlier than usual yesterday and went off to work.

His work ended, he threw his shovel over one shoulder and started for home—that is, the only home he knew—the place where he expected to meet "the boys," his friends of the night before.

It was near the noon hour as he approached the corner of One Hundred and Fourteenth street and Lenox avenue. The avenue was filled with nurse girls trundling infants. Little boys and girls blocked the sidewalk and made merry in the middle of the street.

Suddenly there came a clattering of boots on the asphalt pavement. A shout of warning went up from half a hundred throats. The frightened children looked up and scampered right and left. They saw two maddened horses attached to a big brewery wagon bearing down upon them.

Six little girls were playing in the triangle formed by Lenox and St. Nicholas avenues, at the entrance to Central Park. They did not hear the warning. The man said that there was only a moment left in which to act. Tossing his shovel away he ran into the middle of the street and grabbed the bridle off the horse.

The runaways began to plunge, but he held on. The horses' hoofs tore the flesh off his legs and he must have had excruciating pain coursing through his body. But the lives of half a dozen children were at stake, and he clung on. Then, as the frightened horses were brought to a stop, at the park entrance at One Hundred and Tenth street, he fell exhausted.

Policeman Hauser, of the East One Hundred and Fourth Street Station, with many bystanders who had witnessed the brave act, ran up.

"Did I save them?" he gasped, looking up for an instant.

"Yes, they are safe," answered Hauser. "But who are you—what is your name?"

"Just put me down as James Leadwood, forty-eight years old. That's enough. No one cares to know more," he answered.

Dr. Schneuppel took the injured man to the Harlem hospital. He was suffering from a fractured skull and broken legs and died an hour later.

James Webber, the driver, who had left his team unguarded while he went into a saloon, was arrested.

"Leadwood's" body is at the Harlem Hospital morgue. Unless relatives claim it friends around the Columbia Hotel will see that it is given proper burial.

*OBITUARY.*

*Capt. John Marr.*

Word has been received from St. Martins, that another of its old landmarks has passed away. After a brief illness Captain John Marr died at the age of eighty-two years.

He had been suffering with asthma, but his decease was quite unexpected, as he was about as usual up to within a few minutes of his death.

Captain Marr was born in Greenock, Scotland, on November 11, 1822, and came to this country very early in life. He had lived in St. Martins the best part of his lifetime. He was for many years engaged in shipbuilding, and at one time was master of one of his own ships.

He married Miss Sarah Brown, who died fourteen years ago. He is survived by five daughters and one son, Captain Duncan Marr, of Buenos Ayres. Mrs. Robert Carr, of St. John; Mrs. E. Q. Brown and Mrs. Omar P. Brown, of this place, and Misses Emma and Alice at home are the daughters. He was an adherent of the Presbyterian church, and in politics a liberal.

Mr. Marr was a noted shipbuilder; among the vessels turned out under his direction being the Alma, Belle, Ella, Sarah Marr, Alice M., Tidal Wave, Saguenay, Lepreaux, Emma Marr, Ulster, Tempest, Ashlow, Phonex and Thistle. The latter is the schooner which took the recent gold-hunting expedition to Labrador.

KICKED HIM THE WRONG WAY.

"You are an hour late this morning, Sam."

"Yes, sah, I know it, sah."

"Well, what excuse have you?"

"I was kicked by a mule on my way here, sah."

"That ought not to have detained you an hour, Sam."

"Well, you see, boss, it wouldn't have if he'd only have kicked me in dis direction, but he kicked me de other way."

## Morning News in Brief.

The pipe cleaning which was prosecuted Friday and Saturday, on one of the water mains, was resumed today. The pressure was again poor on the summits, as only two of the mains supplied the city (east side) and Silver Falls' pump was stopped.

Adjt. Payne and Adjt. Beckestead, late of the Halifax Salvation Army rescue home and children's shelter, have taken charge of the Evangeline Home and Hospital here. There are now twenty-five infants and seventeen girls at this home.

A slight fire was discovered at 8.15 o'clock last night in the woodshed adjoining George Cameron's house in Station street, Fairville. The Building is occupied by Mr. Cameron's family and that of Mr. Wheaton. The damage was trifling, but there are suspicions of incendiarism.

A deer weighing 255 lbs. was shot last Friday near Model Farm by Walter M. Sherwood.

Mrs. Margaret Priddle, mother of Capt. Priddle, who, with wife and children, was drowned when the schooner Wentworth was wrecked off Chatham (Mass.), last week, received a telegram last night that the body of the captain's wife had been forwarded and will arrive here on the noon train today.

Patrick McGill, of Elliot Row, broke his arm last night, by falling from the steamer Alcides, at York Point. He was one of the workmen on the steamer.

A message from St. George (N. B.) was to the effect that a vote on the proposition to incorporate the town had been taken yesterday and was decidedly in favor of incorporation. The vote was 117 for to 52 against—a majority of 65 for incorporation.

W. H. McQuade, proprietor of the Grand Union hotel, was presented with a gold watch and a ring, last Saturday evening, at the Cornwall-on-the-river-club house, where a very pleasant gathering was held, J. R. Gilliland, in behalf of Mr. McQuade's, west end friends, presented the watch, and Conductor Millican, acting for friends on the railways, presented the ring. Mr. McQuade, made an appropriate reply, after which refreshments were served.

The Canadian government have decided to appoint a customs officer at Indian Island, N. B., near Eastport, to facilitate the export of Canadian caught sardine herrings, to Eastport factories. This will enable all boats in the trade to overcome the trouble of clearing and entering their vessels.

*AN AMBITIOUS PROJECT.*

Mrs. Ellinor C. L. Close, of 101 Eaton Square, London, was at the Royal yesterday. Mrs. Close advocates a plan to bring pauper children to this country, from England.

The scheme, is that the English authorities maintain children who are dependent upon them,—and who would otherwise be brought up under the influence of workhouses,—in the vastly better conditions that prevail in Canada. This would not only benefit the little ones; but would lessen the tax on the English working men.

The children will be brought here when two or three years of age, and placed on large farms, at some distance from the city, in charge of two ladies, a practical farmer and servants. When the children reach the age of fourteen or fifteen, they will be permitted either to return to England, or remain in Canada.

Mrs. Close and her daughter have been through western Canada, studying conditions, and she is favorably impressed with possibilities. They have also travelled through Nova Scotia. They go from here to Fredericton and Montreal, and will then sail for England. When she reaches England she will lay the matter before the boards of guardians, and other interested parties, and on March 17th, will deliver her first address.

*PARLOR CONCERT.*

A parlor concert was held last evening, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Campbell. The following programme was carried out, after which refreshments were served; mandolin solo, Miss Bessie McGaffigan; solo, Mrs. H. A. A. Doherty; reading, Miss Marion Campbell; banjo solo, Miss Carrie Baillie; solo, Dewitt Cairns; piano solo, Miss M. McGaffigan; reading, Mrs. G. W. Campbell; piano solo, Mrs. Barnes; solo, Walter Belding; piano solo, Miss Hazel Campbell. The proceeds of the concert will be devoted to St. David's Sunday school.

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A pessimist is one who is always expecting trouble and grumbling if it doesn't come.

## FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Alfred Linton, who was drowned at Indiantown on Thursday last, took place on Sunday, from his home at Devil's Back Valley, Kings county. The tug Sea King took a party from St. John to attend the funeral. The remains were taken to the Baptist church, where a funeral service was conducted, by Rev. J. P. Ganong. Interment was made in the Brown's Flats burying ground.

The funeral of the late Mary Ellen Morrissey, youngest daughter of Mrs. John Morrissey, of 116 Queen street, took place yesterday. The body was taken to Shediac and interred in the Catholic cemetery at that place.

"A SOFT ANSWER," ETC.

Mrs. Busybody—Good bye, dear Mrs. Winsom. Before I go, I think it is my duty to tell you that your husband was seen in a very questionable place of entertainment last night.

Mrs. Winsom—Really! Sorry to hear that! I suppose that is where they went when your husband called for him!—Punch.

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