## E. L. HARTLEY DAY,

(the following interesting account of a trip has just been received.)

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(To Nanakwa). Feb. 22nd. 1900. We appointed new officers for the Epworth League before Christmas.

1st. Vice president
2nd. ... James Bates
3rd. ... Peter Bates
4th. ... E. Patlas,
5th. ... After that the Land

After that the Lord touched our heart to go somewhere élse, to preach the Gosrel. Now we want to go Kitamaat, then the president said "we ll wait, and start on Monday". Before we reach Monday, a letter came from our brother Timothy Buxton, he was in China Hat, and call us down there, telling us all the souls were die in sin, the old devil gets over them. The way seems to open for us to go China Hat. Now we start on 23rd. of Nov. We leave our place about 2 miles, was a great wind from the South.

We nearly, all lost, we go back Hartley Bay. Our president give us cup of tea, and he tell all the League that they will pray more and more to ask God that he will open the way, the next morning come, and we start again no wind but little rain.

About five miles from our place, we saw the steamer "Willapa" came from the North. We are on our way to go down. We want to go with that boat, but can't help it, "Willapa" went the other way where the mines. About one hour she came on the right way behind us. All of us wait the steamer, we take one canoe an go on the steamer line, we put up a flag on the pole, and soon as we put up our red and white and blue

flag the steamer was whistle; that Lord for that. The steamer of where we are. We tell the capac going China Hat, purser wants to three cance and sixteen people. We the purser to help us we told him a ing to visit our brothers at China is

And soon the sailors see our and sing their own seng using dra

The Steamer was running 10 the Epworth League have no more all, yet we not think we will meet steamboat so we did not collect m before we start. The captain went the purser's office, they talk togeth Peter Bates purser came out, and said alright E. Patlas, charge \$20", thank the Lord for Well we are very happy about our ther Arthur Robinson, he lends Id \$20 we give that. We in China II th. Nov. We was in China Hat 12: our brother Bella Bella people co to China Hat about grave yard The Lord was with us, we win souls to Christ.

> We leave China Hat 6 th. day of raining all the day till we got to camp wet all through, no one save wet. Next day we start again and another camp with raining all the we got help in our Kitamaat fri house-camp, if it is not a housed there, we surely all sick or die for safe in his house, our Kitamaat fil name was Rob. We take next car Fisherman Cove. Nice weather, morning we leave Fisherman Cove. were very happy. Before we read Hartley Bay, we take our dinner a last point towards our place, the p dent he ask the blessing, as soon open our eyes one of the president's the deer swimming in the water take one canoe and go after and ki we stay one hour and cook the We got home on the 9th. of December. Soon as we came it home from China Hat we start work we building new road for our che And we have good time all this wit