

IN THE RELIGIOUS WORLD.

MEMBERSHIP OF THE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.

University For Women in Japan—World's Convention of W.C.T.U. to be held in Geneva in 1903.

The next world's convention of the W.C.T.U. will be held in Geneva, in June, 1903.

The Glasgow magistrates continue their crusade against the employment of women.

The new Congregational year book of the United States will show an increase of 10,356 in church members.

Japan has made an important innovation by establishing a university at Koshikawa for the higher education of women.

Rev. Mr. Riggs, Baptist minister, Arundel, has accepted a call to Kennebunk, Maine, and will leave there this week.

A call has been made for an English missionary, to superintend missionary work among the 20,000 Indian coolies who are now in the Fiji islands.

The king has placed a beautiful stained-glass window in the private chapel at Windsor castle, as a memorial to her late majesty queen Victoria.

Rev. Alfred E. Garvie, Montreal, has declined the professorship of systematic theology and apologetics, offered him by the university authorities of Montreal.

Lord Leven and Melville has presented to the Church of Scotland a sum of £5,150 as a coronation year donation towards the Wanshope memorial fund.

The congregation of St. John's church, Salt, has unanimously expressed a call to Rev. Mr. Abbey, of Brussels, who officiated there two weeks ago.

The late archbishop Eyre has left £23,600 to charitable institutions, the greater portion being allocated to those connected with the Roman Catholic church.

The "historic" presbytery of Auchterarder is "always at war and never at peace." They have just got quit of the Primer case, and now it is the confession of faith.

The report of the committee on statistics of the Church of Scotland, which has just been issued, gives a total membership of 668,335, with a total income from collections and contributions of £473,291.

The Missionary Herald states that the great difficulty in reaching Moslems with the message of the gospel, is their dislike, amounting to disgust, of the practical idolatry of the old churches of the east. Moslems abhor image worship.

Calcutta, which has a population of over one million, efficient bands of preachers and singers gather in twenty-five well-chosen centres and preach the gospel. The Hindus go readily to hear these services held in the open air evening after evening.

The London letter of the Church Standard says an enormous congregation gathered at St. Paul's cathedral a few days since, on the occasion of the service of intercession and thanksgiving on behalf of foreign missions. Many bishops were present and 400 clergy in cassock, surplice and hood.

OVER THE TEA CUPS.

Mrs. R. E. Kent gave a girls' tea yesterday in honor of her guest, Miss Amy Rutherford, of Toronto.

Miss Mabel Brownfield, and Miss Lorretto Swift poured tea and coffee, Miss Ethel Macne served the ice and Miss Lorraine Leslie and Miss Constance Tandy passed the refreshments.

In which duties they were assisted by the three little daughters of the house, Misses Hilda, Boris and Marjorie Kent. After tea several pretty songs were sung by Misses Beatrice and Constance Tandy. The guests included Miss Irene Kent, Miss Alice Macne, Miss Richardson, Miss Peirce, Miss Ford, the Misses Hara, Miss Skinner, Miss Carrie Skinner, Miss Strange, Miss Florence Cunningham, Miss Lettice Tandy, Miss Jessie Kirkpatrick, Miss Grace Kirkpatrick, Miss Isabel Cartwright, Miss Gertrude Low, Miss Mabel Gidderleeve, Miss Gertrude Drury, Miss Edith Drury, Miss Phyllis Porteous, Miss Marion Calvin, Miss Ethel Hendry, Miss Cecile Pascaud, Miss Birmingham, Miss McGill, Miss Herchner, Miss Flaws, Miss Edith Folger, Miss Hague, Miss Henderson, Miss Patterson, Miss Frances Taylor, Miss Eva Gosler, Miss Frances Sullivan, Miss Farland, Miss Bates, Miss Callaghan.

There is to be a ten cent lawn party at "Calderswood" in aid of St. John's church, Portsmouth, on Tuesday afternoon, June 24th, from 4 till 7 o'clock. It is hoped that very many townswomen will make a point of saving that date for the lawn party and making it the success that it will be if well patronized. The day being fine (on the 24th of June), there ought to be a very large attendance, as the street cars will bring the people within half a block of "Calderswood."

Miss Agnes Brown, University Avenue, is giving a tea this afternoon.

Mrs. Herbert Robinson left on Thursday for Boston, where she will spend a month.

Rev. G. Lathrop Starr left for Quebec, on Thursday, and sails to-day for England on the ship with the military contingent.

Miss Annie Skinner, returned from Toronto, on Tuesday. Mrs. Skinner is not coming until the end of next week.

Miss Gertrude Drury, who has been in Toronto, since last week, arrived in Kingston on Tuesday, and was a guest at all the society events of the week, returning to Montreal to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Calvin and family have gone to their summer home at Garden Island.

Mrs. Henry Wilkinson, West Street, was "At Home" at the tea hour on Thursday, in honor of Miss Carpenter, of St. Hyacinthe, Que., who is Miss Ethel Wilkinson's guest.

Mrs. George Richardson and Miss Katie Mann, left by the St. Toronto on Wednesday for Toronto, en route for St. Thomas.

Mrs. Charles O'Connor and her sister, Miss Ida Hughes, who have been

ENTRY INTO WHEAT BELT

SECURED FOR THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

The Government Guarantee the Bonds of the Canada Atlantic Railway—The Line Will Now Be Double Tracked.

Halifax, June 7.—The Chronicle announces to-day that an arrangement is about to be entered into between the Dominion government and the Canada Atlantic railway, which will result in the giving to the Intercolonial railway entry into the wheat territory of the west. The scheme in short, is that, in return for permanent traffic arrangements on the C.A.R., the government will guarantee the interest on the bonds of the company to enable them to double track their line from Coteau to Depot Harbor.

It is further stated that the Dominion will hardly be ever called upon to expend money on interest account. If these arrangements are consummated the I. C. R. will have practically a direct line from the great lakes to the Atlantic seaboard, and he in a position to supply export business at both of the ports of Halifax and St. John.

The towers for the Marconi system at Table Head, Cape Breton, have been erected, and work on the plan has been pushed along. Mr. Wroyn, manager for Mr. Marconi, who has been superintending the work, says he expects Mr. Marconi here by June 18th to commence the making of trans-Atlantic tests.

England's Generosity.

New York Tribune.

The Boers have yielded with honor after a struggle which commanded the admiration even of their opponents.

The British have granted to them—so cannot say they have imposed upon them—terms whose generosity must command the admiration of the world.

Conspicuously and pre-eminently the terms are calculated not only to end the war, but also to facilitate the elimination of its wounds and scars. It is a settlement that makes for conciliation and for friendship between the races which have hitherto been antagonistic.

It is full of high promise for the future of South Africa and of that British empire of which the now united South Africa is an essential and important part.

Cushendall Notes.

Cushendall, June 5.—Miss Alice Oliver, Ottawa, is home to spend a month's holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Oliver. Alfred Franklin acted as deputy returning officer at the polling booth at Joyceville, in connection with the recent election. The local Orangemen may attend a picnic and demonstration to be held at Dufferin, on July 12th.

While R. N. F. McFarlane was here visiting his mother on Sunday, a barn burned, belonging to him, a number from here attended the meeting of the council last Saturday at Parham. E. Peters, Selby, renewed acquaintances last week. Mrs. J. Selby, on the sick list, is around again. Mrs. W. Wagner, spent a few days at Tanworth this week.

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NAPANEE CONFERENCE.

The Duty Of The Minister—Two Candidates.

Napanee, June 6.—The annual reception service was held to-night in the Western Methodist church. On the platform were president Rayner, the ex-president, chancellor Burwash, the secretary and Rev. E. E. Howard, father of one of the candidates for reception. Rev. A. C. Wilson, chairman of Whitley district, moved the reception of the two young men, into the conference. His address on the call and vocation of the minister was a most earnest and eloquent plea for the divine call and the fulfilling thereof throughout the whole ministerial career.

Rev. L. H. Philips, Madoc, seconded the resolution, in a most thoughtful and finished address. The minister succeeded in a perfectly unique position. He must certainly be an embodiment of the highest ideals of his people. No church can rise higher than its minister. Intellectually he must be able to pierce the husks of the specious philosophy of the day. Godliness is far more a glorification of the principles of morality; vice is more than an ill weed upon a virtuous stock. If the minister would truly succeed he must have the dynamic of personal character to drive home the truth. To save the men of to-day, infatuated as they are by the savor of sin, should be the highest ambition of every preacher of truth. The president laid a charge of faithfulness upon the young men and will ordain them Sabbath morning. They are Messrs. A. C. Hoffman and D. H. Howard.

Injury To His Hand.

Wagerville, June 5.—W. Wagar had his hand jammed so that he will be laid up for some time. Mrs. M. Crook and family have returned from Wexley. They brought a cub with them. Miss E. Sills is spending a few weeks with her parents here. A number from here attended the meeting of the council last Saturday at Parham. E. Peters, Selby, renewed acquaintances last week. Mrs. J. Selby, on the sick list, is around again. Mrs. W. Wagner, spent a few days at Tanworth this week.

Friday's Cheese Board—Returned From Chicago.

Napanee, June 7.—Napanee cheese board met yesterday afternoon. The following factories boarded, 1,884 boxes of cheese:

Colored—Napanee, 118; Deseronto, 140; Union, 100; Clearview, 75; Sheffield, 100; Phippen, No. 1, 95; Camden East, 72. Total, 705.

White—Centerville, 80; Crofton, 75; Phippen, No. 2, 110; Kingsford, 50; Sillville, 55; Enterprise, 130; Whiteman Creek, 50; Tanworth, 100; Forest Mills, 74; Selby, 210; Newburgh, 150; Marlbank, 90. Total, 1,170.

Sales, 435 white, and 100 colored, at 92c. After board all sold at same price.

Miss Ada Haldy, sister of Mrs. L. E. Duxson, and Mrs. Robert Anderson, died at her sister's residence yesterday morning. The remains will be taken to Port Hope for interment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rockwell and grandson, Gordon, returned yesterday from a two month's stay in Chicago, visiting their sons' F. S. and W. D. Rockwell.

Several Deer Cases.

Renfrew Journal.

There were two deer cases heard at the county court in Pembroke this week in which a Renfrew and a Horton butcher were involved. These two men were accused of infractions of the game law last fall, by the game warden, H. K. Smith, Belleville. The cases were for hunting deer contrary to law. When they found that the game warden was after them, they had charges one against the other, before magistrate Early, to which they each pleaded guilty and were fined.

Afterwards the game warden went on with the cases before magistrate McDonald and the two hunters were convicted before Mr. McDonald a second time. Against this second conviction they appealed to the county court. The appeal cases came up on Tuesday before the county judge, who quashed both of the second convictions, leaving the game warden to pay about \$28 costs in each case. Thus they were deer (deer) cases in more ways than one.

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