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## DRILL YOUTHS

Lord Roberts Urges This in Canadians.

## SPOKE AT OTTAWA

IN REPLY TO A PLEASING CITY ADDRESS.

Believes It Absolutely Essential That Entire Male Population Should Be Prepared For Defense in Time of Danger.

Ottawa, Aug. 7.—Lord Roberts received a civic address presented by the mayor of Ottawa at Government House in the presence of 150 army veterans. Replying to the address Lord Roberts said he was deeply sensible of the friendly and even affectionate greeting he had received from the Canadian people.

He had, he continued, always wanted to visit Canada ever since he had commanded the Canadian troops in South Africa, and he was glad to notice the demonstration of Canada's growing military strength by the splendid body of troops assembled at Quebec. He hoped to return to Canada soon and see more of the marvelous fertility and resources of the country with which he was so impressed.

Lord Roberts urged the adoption in all the provinces of Canada of the system of military drill for school children now adopted in Nova Scotia. He believed that every youth should receive during his career at school between the ages of ten and eighteen a rudimentary course in military and physical drill and that his military training should continue after he left school.

"In my judgment," he said, "it is absolutely essential, even at the present day, for the safety and welfare of a nation that the whole male population should be prepared to take their share in its defense in times of danger."

Speaking of the zest for athletic sports in Canada he said:

"I am a firm believer in their value if carried out in a true spirit and in moderation. But I hope that young Canadians will always remember that in athletics, as in all relations of life, they must play the game in the truest sense of that term. They must play for the sake of the game, preferring to lose it fairly rather than to win it unfairly. They must be ready not to grudge their opponents every fair advantage, and they must be prepared to lose with good temper and to win without boasting."

## DAILY MEMORANDA.

The bargains In Summer Hats. At Campbell Bros' slaughter sale. Steamer Caspian to Thousand Islands 10.15 a.m., to-morrow.

Rideau Canal for Clayton, Friday and Saturday, 6.15 a.m.

Steamer America's trip among the Islands, 2.30 p.m., Saturday.

See Amusement Column for the four Moving Picture Shows and Park Vade-Meile.

Excursion Str. America, to Cape Vincent and Watertown, Saturday and Sunday.

Bijou Theatre. The Land of Kipling. Fully-illustrated "Love in the Same Name." Travelling. Rome, the City of the Popes." Edgar Summerville Sings "Won't You Dance Home Sweet Home With Me?"

August 7th, In Canadian History. 1606—First bridge built in Canada said to have been launched at Quebec.

1837—Seven lives lost by the falling of suspension bridge at St. John's N.B.

1847—Over one thousand Irish emigrants arrived at Quebec during the eight months ending with this date.

1867—William G. Thompson, a general storekeeper, resulted successfully for the Government in every Province except New Brunswick.

1870—Royal Assent given to the Act of Parliament placing the salary of the Governor-General at \$50,000.

1880—William C. Van Horne succeeded Sir George Stephen as president of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

1899—Joseph Martin dismissed from the office of Attorney-General of British Columbia and replaced by Alexander Henderson.

1900—Hon. Alfred G. Jones appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia.

1901—Foresters' Orphanage Home, near Peterborough, Ontario, opened with appropriate ceremonies.

## FANCY PLATES

Never in the history of this store have we shown so many styles of Fancy Plates, or so many pretty designs costing so little.

Rich Doulton Plates from 15 Cents to \$2.00 Each.

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## PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

Hay and fruit crops are good in Western New York.

Cholera is rampant in the Madras presidency in India.

An over draft of \$10,000 has been made by the Hamilton board of works.

Darius Wigle is the conservative candidate in South Essex for the com-

mons. William H. McCullough, of Hamilton, is under arrest for a bigamy charge.

City Clerk Scully, New York, issued during the month of July 2,773 marriage licenses.

Howard Browne was sentenced at Hamilton to six months for neglecting his wife.

Five gold claims at Sturgeon lake have been purchased by United States operators for \$25,000.

Laird, conservative candidate in Regina, Sask., has begun suit for libel against Hon. Walter Scott.

Lady Violet Elliot, now visiting at Ottawa, showed Earl Grey Deschene that she could milk a cow.

Robert E. Eastman, New York stock broker, was arrested in Chicago charged with obtaining money by false pretenses.

William Penny, aged twenty-five, married, slipped from a log he was whirling in Muskegon Lake, Mich., and was drowned.

Thomas E. Edison, being now worth \$900,000, decided to stop working for profit, and hereafter intends to work for pleasure only.

William E. Minn, stage manager of the vaudeville theatre at Erie, Pa., was electrocuted during a play by accidentally touching a switchboard.

Antonio Giroard, a Montreal youth awaiting trial on a burglary charge, slipped from his cell at the court house, but was caught after a sharp chase.

Sheriff W. H. O'Connell, of Helena, Mont., has been sued for \$13,000 taken from bandits who held a Great Northern train near Ronde last year.

Thought protesting that he really wanted to give his neighbor a shave, Thomas L. Divisibliss, who shot and killed Jacob Offerle is a quarry over a spring, was held without bail at Ogle.

Mrs. Elizabeth Barnett, recently acquitted at Bay City, Mich., of the murder of Oscar Peterson, is reported to have escaped from the sheriff who had her in custody on a charge of forgery and to be hiding in the heavy brush around Saginaw Bay.

## CONTRIBUTES \$1,000

Washington, Aug. 7.—A voluntary contribution of \$1,000 has been made by the American National Red Cross for the sufferers from the forest fires now raging in British Columbia. Secretary McGee of the Red Cross Society telephoned the contribution to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, extending at the same time the society's sympathy for the sufferers.

W. H. STACEY SECURES 35,000 NAMES TO PETITION.

Toronto, Aug. 7.—There are thirty-five thousand persons in Toronto who favor church union. This is the number secured by Rev. W. H. Stacey, who is circulating a petition. When fifty thousand church members have subscribed to the principle, the petition will be presented to the governing bodies of all the Protestant churches, including the Anglicans and Baptists, who so far have not entered into the movement. On Sunday afternoon, September 6th, a large meeting will be held in Massey hall, preparatory to the presenting of the petition.

HAD A FINE PICNIC.

Collins Bay, Aug. 5.—Pathmaster R. J. Collins is repairing the side-walks, which were badly in need of it.

The English church people held a garden party in G. Marsh's grove, on Tuesday evening, but owing to the cloudy and rainy weather a small crowd was in attendance. G. Marsh and family, Portsmouth, were guests at G. Marsh's, on Sunday. Also Miss Maud Marshall, Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her parents here. Miss Emma Rankin, Miss Anne Vanluven and Miss Lorraine Smith, Westbrooke, are spending a week at Thousand Island Park. Miss Mabel Howard returned home on Tuesday, after a visit with relatives in Bath. The Presbyterian and Methodist Sunday schools held their annual picnic at Lake Ontario Park, on Wednesday last.

DRAVE NAIL INTO HEAD.

Binghamton, N.Y., Aug. 7.—Frederick C. Niles, a prominent prohibitionist of Chenango bridge, attempted suicide with a hammer and nail, yesterday. Niles had been suffering from nervous trouble and was attended by Dr. Frederick Foraker, of this city. The physician left the room for a few moments when Niles procured a hammer and a long nail, driving the steel in his brain with one blow of the hammer. The physician removed the nail and Niles is still alive.

WORD HAS BEEN RECEIVED AT NORTH SYDNEY THAT THE LIGHTHOUSE KEEPER, RAINNIE, ON GREEN ISLAND, STRAITS OF BELLE ISLE, HAS BEEN FOUND DEAD FROM A PISTOL WOUND. RAINNIE HAD BEEN DRINKING. THE TRAGEDY WAS DISCOVERED WHEN THE LIGHT WAS MULIT FOR TWO NIGHTS.

AT HALIFAX, JOHN BITZNER, A PRIVATE IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN REGIMENT, LAST NIGHT SHOT HIMSELF THROUGH THE HEAD WITH A RIFLE, THE DEED BEING PROMPTED BY DESPONDENCY OVER IMPRISONMENT FOR VIOLATING THE REGULATIONS. HE WILL DIE.

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