

GREAT CHURCH CONGRESS TO BE HELD IN HALIFAX DURING MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.

Extent, Scope and Unique Character of the Bicentenary Gathering—An Historical Souvenir Has Been Issued by Rev. C. W. Vernon—Work in Cathedral Is Being Rushed.

Many people have not yet grasped the extent, scope and unique character of the Bicentenary gathering in Halifax which celebrates the two hundredth anniversary of the first Anglican service in Canada...

Then the Canadian Church Congress is Dominion-wide in scope, and world-wide in the field from which the speakers are drawn...

The mass meetings will be a feature of the Congress. Two are to be in the cathedral, two in St. Paul's, and one each in St. George's and Trinity.

Every Canadian diocese will send official delegates in addition to the Bishops. These include some of the best known names in the Canadian Church.

The special five dollar Congress tickets have been in great demand, and the Bureau of Information, at the Church of England Institute, will be an important branch of the work.

The problem of a suitable historical souvenir has been solved by the publication of "Bicentenary Sketches and Early Days of the Church in Nova Scotia" by Rev. C. W. Vernon, copiously illustrated with views and portraits.

Work at the cathedral is being rushed on towards completion. It reflects the greatest credit on architects and builders, S. M. Brockfield, Limited.

MOTHER OF NURSES.

Florence Nightingale at the Age of Ninety Is Dead.

The famous war nurse, the "Mother of Nurses," Florence Nightingale, the Crimean heroine, has followed into the mysterious world the spirits of the soldiers whose last hours were soothed by her kindly ministrations.

Arriving the day after the battle of Inkermann, she found 18,000 sick and wounded soldiers lying in filth, covered with vermin, dying for lack of care and attention.

She herself fell ill from overwork and anxiety, but insisted upon remaining there with her charges, and when convalescent resumed her arduous duties.

A CANADIAN PIONEER TALE.

That Will Never Grow Old—Story of Laura Secord.

Undoubtedly Laura Secord is the greatest of Canadian heroines. She performed one of the most heroic feats in the annals of history. This was sufficient to make her famous, but the romance which colors the history of herself and her husband adds much to the glamor which has always been associated with her and her name.

Laura Ingersoll was the daughter of Thomas Ingersoll, a United Empire Loyalist who came from Massachusetts to Ontario about 1805.

In October, 1812, the American troops crossed the frontier, but were defeated at Queenstown Heights by Gen. Brock. James Secord helped to carry the bleeding general from the battlefield.

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In Plymouth is found an account setting forth how the bakers of Rome were wont to mix with their dough a white earth, soft to the touch and sweet to the taste, thus turning out a foodstuff that had weight and fine appearance, but little food value.

A lady with a lamp I see Pass through the shimmering gloom, And lit from room and room.

And slow, as in a dream of bliss, The speechless sufferer turns to kiss Her shadow, as it falls Upon the darkening walls.

Antiquity of Faked Foods. So much is heard of pure food laws and food adulteration these days that one is prone to assume that the abuse in question is a result of modern conditions of trade and competition.

There was one wine merchant, name Canthare, who was so skilful in the matter of adulteration that his name actually became a synonym for the expression "clever deceit."

Harry Lauder's Sunday. Harry Lauder, the well-known comic singer, has on many occasions had one testified in unmistakable fashion to his regard for Sunday.

Nothing To Do With It. "Stationery" has etymologically as much to do with standing as has "stationary."

Long Wait Ended. A remarkable story of filial devotion and lovers' constancy is reported from Braila in Roumania, and has culminated in the marriage of Maria Liega, aged 80, and Joseph Stolesco, aged 85.

Good Lead to Follow. Mr. Richard Foster, of Chislehurst, instead of leaving Legacies, has decided to devote £10,000 as a thankoffering to Almighty God for His great and continued mercies, and gives £1,500 to the General Fund of the S.P.G.

would rather give the whole £1,500 to S.P.G. leaving the committee of that society to deal with the money as they think most desirable.

Warning to Hatless Women.

Canon Willink, vicar of Yarmouth, has issued in his current parish magazine a warning with regard to hatless ladies attempting to attend the parish church.

Romance of Missing Son. The romance of a missing son was referred to in the will of the late Archbishop Sutton, a Sussex vicar, who died recently.

Old Note-Books. In relation to the question as to the last day of a public fast, a lady finds in her note-book, March 20, 1866, "Day of humiliation before God for relief from the cattle plague."

Mendacious Windows. Chancellor Prescott, of Carlisle, is anxious that stained-glass windows should tell the truth and not represent the pictorial fiction of artists.

A Recipe For Sanity. Henry Rutherford Elliot. Are you worried in a fight? Laugh it off. Are you cheated of your right? Laugh it off. Don't make tragedy of trifles. Don't shoot butterflies with rifles.

Whittington Well Buried. The famous London church of St. Michael, Paternoster Royal, to which Mr. Gardiner went in 1909, was built from funds left by Dick Whittington, who was buried in it no fewer than three times.

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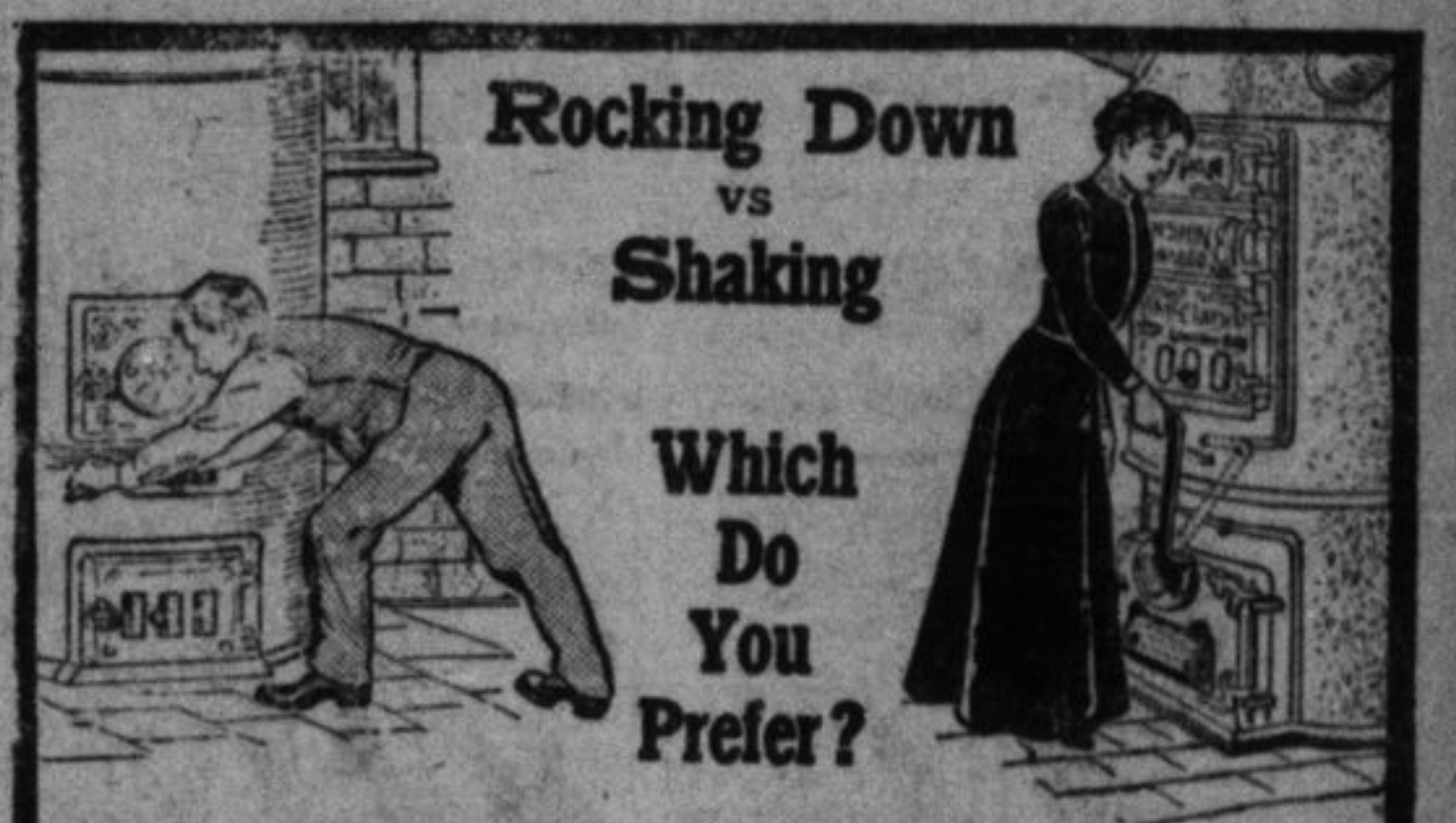
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