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KING GEORGE COMING

HE WILL LIKELY OPEN TRANS-CONTINENTAL RAILWAY.

The Prince of Wales and His Brother Will Likely Come Over in 1913 on an Empire Tour—Good Tidings.



KING GEORGE V.

visit of the Prince of Wales and his brother during 1913, on an empire tour, seems assured. To-day, from Ottawa, comes the announcement of the government that King George has accepted an invitation to run over and open the Transcontinental railway in 1914.

VERY LATE NAVIGATION.

Steamer Easton Leaves Port Arthur For Duluth.

Port Arthur, Jan. 3.—All records for late navigation on Lake Superior were broken to-day, by the departure for Duluth of the steamer Easton, of the Booth line, after making a special trip with a cargo. The temperature is twenty degrees below zero.

New Chinese Cabinet.

Nanking, Jan. 3.—President Sun Yat Sen has completed his cabinet. The list is not yet officially available but it is substantially as follows: Premier and war minister—Huang Sing; Attorney general—Dr. Wu Ting Feng; Foreign minister—Wang Chung Wei; Marine minister—Capt. Wang; Chief of staff—General Tsu.

DISTRICT DASHES.

News Clipped From Our Many Exchanges.

The local option by-law in South Crosby was defeated by a clear majority.

Mrs. James Tennant, a highly respected resident of Gaittown, died on Monday.

Miss T. J. Quinn, aged fifty-seven years, died in Brockville, on Tuesday, after a short illness.

Miss Ada Jocelyn and William Foley, of Lansdowne, were married on Christmas day.

Capt. Foster has been elected mayor of Smith's Falls three successive times.

The Oddfellows of Malton town held a successful "At Home" on Monday night.

Rev. A. G. Cameron, of St. John's church, Brockville, left, on Monday, for Lethbridge, Alta, where he will take up residence.

Miss Nina Hamilton, of Belleville, and H. W. Butterfield, of Regina, Sask., formerly of Belleville, were married on New Year's day.

George Palfner, Thurlow township, died on Sunday, after being ill for some time. Deceased was seventy-five years of age.

Obiterville defeated local option. Levi Massey, one of the oldest residents of Sidney township, passed away Monday, after a long illness.

Miss Frances Muriel Donaldson, aged twenty-two years, died in Brockville on Saturday. James and Bert Donaldson, of Kingston, were present at the funeral.

Stieria Knapp, a highly respected resident of Bastard, aged forty-five years, died suddenly on Sunday, at Brockville, while en route to visit a sister, ill at Brighton.

The two daughters, Florence and Bircie, of George Gainsford, of Athens, were married on Monday. Florence to E. E. Eligh and Bircie to J. R. Saunders.

While Mrs. Theodore Summers, of Escott, was visiting relatives in Watertown, N.Y., her husband, aged fifty-eight years, died suddenly on Sunday, being found dead in bed, having retired in his usual good health.

The by-law to raise additional sum of \$60,000 for development of large and more economical water power with electric and steam auxiliaries for Renfrew was carried by 119 majority.

AN OPEN VOTE TAKEN

For Separate School Trustees in Kingston.

The elections for separate school trustees are taking place in a number of the wards of the city to-day. It is many years since there has been an election for the trustees. On past occasions the trustees were elected by acclamation. The voting to-day is being done openly. It seems very strange for men to go in to the polls and tell for whom they are desired to vote when they have been accustomed to vote by ballot. If there should be a space of one hour between the casting of the votes the poll will be held and the election will go to the man who is in the lead at the time. The separate school board has never asked that the law be changed, giving a secret ballot.

DR. YOUNG APPOINTED

Assistant Superintendent of Rockwood Hospital.

On Wednesday morning, Dr. E. H. Young, of Rockwood hospital, received notification of his appointment of assistant superintendent, in succession to Dr. W. C. Barber, who recently resigned. Dr. Young is a graduate of Toronto University. He was with Dr. C. K. Clarke in Toronto hospital for a year, and in February, 1908, was appointed a physician in Rockwood, where he has been ever since. Dr. Young is lecturer on mental diseases in Queen's Medical College. His friends are greatly pleased over his appointment as Dr. Ryan's assistant.

CUT THROAT IN CELL

After Being Arrested on Train at Smith's Falls.

Smith's Falls, Jan. 3.—Hugh Mason, a respectable dressed Montreal man, was arrested for disorderly conduct on the C.P.R. train, when it arrived last night. He was placed in a cell, where he cut his throat with a pair of scissors, and will probably die.

Militia Changes.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—The new scale of allowances for cadet instruction contained in militia orders, provides for payment of one dollar a cadet up to a maximum of fifty, of seventy-five cents a cadet over fifty and up to one hundred, and of fifty cents a cadet over one hundred.

To-day's Military Gazette authorizes the transfer of the headquarters of the 9th Brigade, Canadian Field Artillery, from Deseronto to Ganaroque, the residence of the officer commanding. The headquarters of the 9th ammunition column of the Field Artillery Brigade is allotted to Kingston.

Queen's First Practice.

Queen's senior hockey team will hold the first ice practice of the season at the covered rink, Wednesday afternoon, at 5:30 o'clock. Among those requested to turn out are: Daniels, Trimble, Blakelee, Box, McKinnon, H. S. Smith, Hunt, McKenzie, and half a dozen others. It was expected to have a practice at noon, to-day, but the ice was not hard enough, and it was decided to have only one practice to-day. Some of the members of the senior team were out with the second team, yesterday.

Gave a Farewell Dinner.

Cornelius Birmingham gave a dinner in the Frontenac Club, Tuesday evening, to a small circle of friends on the eve of his departure for Egypt. The guests included Amelius Jarvis, of Toronto, and Messrs. Whistley, Soper, Wallace and a few others.

Trouble is Promised.

Belfast, Ireland, Jan. 3.—The unionist council of Belfast has held a meeting to discuss the proposed measure that immediately the home rule measure has been passed by the British parliament extreme measures will be undertaken for Ulster's defence.

THE WORLD'S EPISODES

GIVEN IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

Matters That Interest Everybody—Notes From All Over—Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered.

Local option gains in Ontario now number nineteen.

At Chatham, William Comer, aged thirteen, saved a smaller brother from drowning.

Hopes for Chinese peace convention vanished. The throne is still in favor of war.

It is believed that King George may visit Canada in 1914 to open the National Transcontinental road.

Henry Beckwith, Frederickton, N.B., uncle of Hon. J. D. Hazen, died on Tuesday, aged seventy-two. He was five years mayor of Frederickton.

Lives of hundreds of patients at London, Ont., asylum for the insane were imperilled when a fire broke out Tuesday night. All escaped.

Conductor Benjamin, in charge of the G-fated Christmas eve car, at Toronto, was struck down by a car near the same spot Tuesday evening.

Two negro subjects were liberated after five years in jail at Washington. They are exonerated of murder on the high seas.

Alfred Tennyson Dickens, eldest son of Charles Dickens, visiting America, lecturing on his father, died suddenly in New York.

At Cobalt, while the coroner was holding an inquest on S. Tedki, who fell from a mine scaffold, "Tom" Whitton, mine foreman, was killed in the same way.

At Calgary, Alta, Robert Brown, a young man employed by the Ontario Steam Laundry, took carbolic acid on the street and died. He came from Winchester, Ont.

Arthur Bontiller, aged seventeen, and Donald McAuley, aged eighteen, were drowned while skating at Sydney river, N.S., when the ice broke. The bodies were recovered.

The famous firm of Wertheim, Beit & Co., London, ceased to exist with the last day of 1911. It was dissolved by mutual consent, but the diamond branch is transferred to the firm of L. Breilmayer & Co.

Because her elder sister, Anna, won her beau away from her, sixteen-year-old Ella Johnson, New York, swallowed carbolic acid. She will recover, again to smile upon the young man, and her sister has promised never.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

News Paragraphs Picked Up By Our Reporters.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Roughton returned on Monday after a pleasant visit in New York.

Miss Isabel Willoughby, Annesley Hall, Toronto, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. Shibley, Albert street.

John Theobald, King street, left, Wednesday, for Watertown, N.Y., on a visit.

Prof. William Nicol spent the vacation in New York, Philadelphia and Washington. He returned yesterday.

Mrs. George Richardson, University avenue, is spending a few days in St. Thomas, the guest of Mrs. John McCausland.

Master Gordon Graham sang in St. Mary's cathedral, the "Laudate Dominum," in a very pleasing manner on New Year's evening.

James Beves, Y.M.C.A. physical director, returns to his duties, Wednesday evening, after suffering from an injured shoulder.

Frederick Wilson, boys' secretary of the Y.M.C.A.; H. Warwick and R. Gooderic, returned, Tuesday evening, after attending the provincial boys' work conference at Orillia.

Prof. Edward J. Williamson left, Monday afternoon to resume his duties at Hobart College, Geneva, N.Y., after spending the past ten days in the city. Dr. Harold Williamson left for Port Arthur.

Rev. J. W. McIntosh, the new minister for Creeks church, arrived in the city Wednesday afternoon, and was met at the train by a number of the members of the church. His induction will take place to-night.

On Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frasso, 228 Montreal street, a delightful New Year's party was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Frasso, of Gloucester, Mass. Progressive euchre games were indulged in. The rooms were decorated with pink and white daffodils and evergreens. Refreshments were given after dancing and many toasts were given the New Year.

C.M.B.A. Board Meets.

A meeting of the grand president and board of trustees of the grand council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association is being held in the home office in the city of Kingston on Wednesday. The following are present: Hon. M. F. Buckett, grand president, Stanstead, Que.; Hon. A. D. Richard, grand first vice-president, Dorchester, N.B.; J. J. Behan, grand secretary, Kingston; W. J. McKee, grand treasurer, Windsor, Geo.; Lynch, Stanstead, K.C.; grand legal adviser, Hamilton; Dr. E. Ryan, grand medical examiner, Kingston; Dr. Alexander Gorman, grand trustee, Montreal; J. W. Mallon, N.O., grand trustee, Toronto; Hon. Justice M. A. McHugh, grand trustee, Windsor; John F. Hallisey, grand trustee, Truro, N.S.

Fell and Broke Her Leg.

Mrs. William McAdoo, Maple Leaf P.O., met with a painful accident last Saturday morning. After Mr. McAdoo and his daughter had left for town, early in the morning, Mrs. McAdoo went out in the yard about 9:30 o'clock. Coming in contact with a piece of wire frozen in the ground, she fell and broke her left leg near the hip. No person was in hailing distance, and the lady managed to drag herself the twenty yards to the house, and managed to get in bed, where she lay, in this serious condition, until late in the evening. When her husband returned, medical assistance was summoned from the city. The lady showed a wonderful power of endurance, and is now doing nicely.

Some People are so Convinced that they are actually jealous of themselves.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Township of Portland.

For Reeve—L. H. Rutan, 316; James McKeever, 188. For Councillors—James Meeks, 363; Thomas H. Watson, 293; James Walker, 227; W. W. Asselstine, 206; Howard Stover, 199.

Township of Pittsburg.

Reeve—W. J. Franklin, 246; D. D. Rogers, 203. Councillors—H. Atkinson, 249; J. H. Barrett, 232; J. Bennett, 210; J. McKendry, 230; W. Pearce, 147.

Township of Osato.

For Reeve—Jerome Thomson. For Councillors—Jacob Cobb, S. C. Bourk, H. Sergeant, and Robert G. Charlton, Jr. For local option, 138; against, 65. Local option carried on three-fifths vote.

Village of Eganville.

Reeve—Rudolph G. Reinke. Councillors—Henry M. Foy, Patrick Drohaw, W. A. L. Schmidt, John McNamara.

Village of Lanark.

Reeve—C. M. Forbes. Councillors—R. J. Stead, J. A. Charbonneau, T. G. Robertson.

Township of Hungerford.

Reeve—Andrew Kirk. Deputy Reeve—J. L. Newton. Councillors—J. E. Brown, 475; N. McDonald, 441; J. W. Brown, 414.

Township of Tyendinaga.

Reeve—D. Hanley; majority forty-one. Deputy Reeve—P. McLaren, majority 123.

Front of Yonge Township.

Reeve—O. Hull. Council—J. A. Ferguson, O. J. Egan, R. J. Leeder, C. E. Tomlinson.

Front of Escott Township.

Reeve—E. Hagerman. Council—R. A. Foley, J. R. McDonald, D. Williams, L. Gavin.

Township of Augusta.

Reeve—James White. Deputy Reeve—A. Eissel. Council—E. McKim, J. Robinson, J. McCully.

Village of Athens.

Reeve—M. B. Holmes. Council—J. F. Gordon, W. H. Jacobs, E. Taylor, H. H. Arnold. Trustees—W. F. Earl, D. L. Johnston, H. B. Knowlton, G. W. Beach.

Township of North Crosby.

Reeve—W. G. Scott. Council—George Duncan, J. North, E. Vanderhoof, M. Norwood.

Township of Elizabethtown.

Reeve—J. C. Stagg. Deputy Reeve—George Boyd. Council—R. W. Woods, Jesse Easton, Norton Hill.

Sheffield Township.

Reeve—J. Edward Harrison. Councillors—John Palmateer, Sampson King, John Sullivan and M. C. McKim.

Aunt's Ultimatum.

Chicago Record-Herald. Lew Whiteman used to run a democratic weekly paper in Xenia, Ohio, which was a republican stronghold. Lew had pessimistic views concerning all republicans and many of his fellow-citizens who were democrats, which he set forth from week to week in his paper in bold and forcible style. One week he let go an article about a local politician that was raw. It was vigorous and pointed. The article offended the maiden aunt of the politician and she wrote to Lew: "Stop Herald at once! I won't take it." Lew printed her command in the next issue and commented: "We shall be very glad to stop this lady's subscription. The mere loss of a subscriber is of little moment to a great moral agency like the Herald. But when she asks us to stop the Herald she asks the impossible. To do so would amount to a national calamity!"

Elected Mayor of Dresden.

Dr. H. E. McDonald, who was elected mayor of Dresden, is an old Kingston boy, being a son of the late Alexander McDonald, and an honor graduate of Queen's in arts and medicine. He was also a house surgeon in the Kingston general hospital. He is a brother of Mrs. (Rev.) J. D. Boyd, and Mrs. W. J. Thornton. His mother, Mrs. A. McDonald, resides at 104 Pine street.

Ran Into Open Switch.

Cochrane, Jan. 3.—Conductor Hamilton and Brakesman Suther and and Russell were seriously hurt when a train on the Temiskaming and Northern railway ran into an open switch here this morning. The passengers are all safe.

Drowned at Pembroke.

Pembroke, Jan. 3.—The drowning occurred of Joseph DuPont, whose sleigh broke through the ice of the lake, at Allumette Island, after he had returned from driving his sick wife to an hospital. The body has not been recovered.

Vanhorn Went at Noon.

George Vanhorn left at noon, to-day, for Calgary, where he has obtained a position in the store of Burns & Sewell, the same store that "Bill" McCannion is in. A large number of Van's friends went to the outer station with him.

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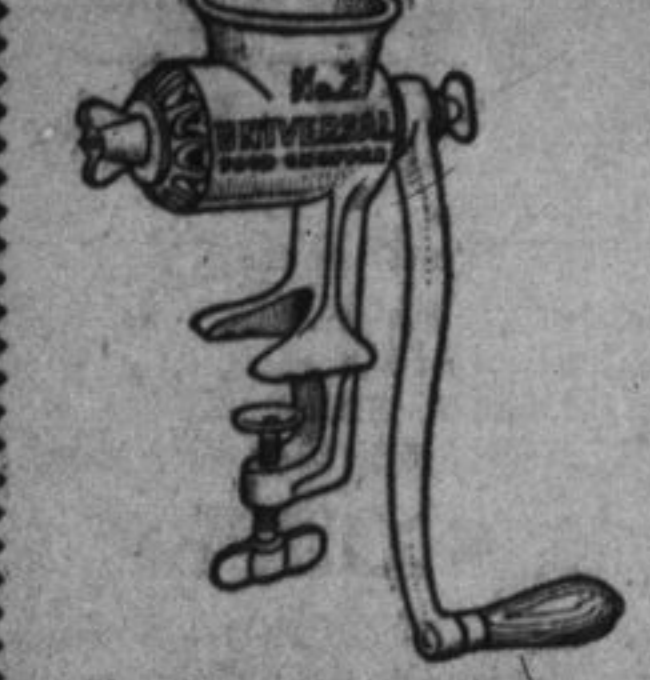
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