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MAY HAVE IT RE-INSTITUTED

THE BOLDT CASTLE IN STATE OF DECAY.

Birds Build Nests on Marble Shelves in Great Mansion—Would Make a Fine Hotel.

One of the wonderful sights of the Thousand Islands is Hart Island, which contains the famous Boldt mansion. Thousands of Kingstonsians have seen and admired this great mansion, and they will be interested in the following editorial in the Watertown, N.Y., Times:

That was an interesting news story in last night's Times, which told of the forthcoming meeting at the River to discuss ways of advertising and popularizing the Thousand Island district. The gathering is called for August 19th. The article implies that one of the things of interest which will be discussed will be a new hotel on the river. It is badly needed. The necessity of a large hostelry is emphasized especially since the automobile has brought so many short-stay travellers to the river. The new hotel which Watertown is about to open will serve its purpose in accommodating many who come into business New York to visit the river territory, but the Thousand Island district itself would be benefited materially by a hotel in the very centre of the river section.

Such a meeting as is planned for August 19th might well take some steps to make use of the Hart Island property, owned by the Boldt estate, which to-day is simply a decaying castle. There has been much talk of turning this property into a hotel, but nothing has been done in the matter, although the article from the hotel trade paper quoted yesterday indicates that the movement has been revived again. It must be that the owners of the property would like to make some use of the property. Here is an expenditure of over two million dollars. The great castle which Mrs. Boldt was building at the time of her death stands as it was left the day she died, over fifteen years ago. The exterior of the building has been completed, the principal work in the interior has been done, but the entire edifice is open to the public.

Birds nest on the marble shelves in the rooms and all away the cotton work on the exterior of the electric wires that go everywhere through the building. The property occupies a commanding position on the river, and with a comparatively small outlay could be made a wonderful summer hotel. The property was the original plan called for 100 distinct suites of rooms. Much of the interior marble came from Italy.

Hart Island has an interesting history. Originally held by the state with all other northern New York property, it was included in the original grant to Macomb, the boundary question not having been determined between the United States and Canada. Dec. 11th, 1823, the state granted a patent to Ellisha Camp, conveying title to the greater part of the islands in the St. Lawrence and Hart Island was included. For many years it was carried on the records as Hemlock Island, and was so known when purchased by E. Kirke Hart, of Albion, N.Y., from the Asariah Walton estate in 1871. It took the name of Hart Island from its new owner. The property was purchased by Mrs. Louise A. Boldt from Edward W. Dewey, of New York, on July 1st, 1895. According to the deed, as recorded in the county clerk's office, the island contains about three acres. The Boldt castle was started about 1900.

WARDEN CRIGHTON LEAVING.

Will Be Transferred to Justice Department, Ottawa. Warden Robert Crighton, of the provincial penitentiary at Portsmouth, informs the Whig that his request for a transfer to the penitentiary branch, Department of Justice, Ottawa, in connection with the re-organization of that office, has been favorably considered and he expects to take over his new duties at the end of a month's leave of absence that has been granted him. Mr. Crighton has been warden of the penitentiary for the past five years and some years before his transfer to the audit department at Ottawa he had been accountant at the local institution. His many friends in Kingston are very sorry that he is returning to the capital.

ONLY ONE TYPHOID CASE

Has Been Reported in Kingston So Far This Year. Kingston has been remarkably free of typhoid fever this year, as the reports of the medical health officer up to the first of this month showed that only one case had been reported to him during the seven months of this year. This is a splendid showing, and indicates the care that the local health authorities are taking in regard to the water, and milk supplies. Last summer there was a typhoid epidemic which was traced to some ice cream manufactured in the city.

Again No Police Court. Kingston is really getting "abominably good" this August weather. On Wednesday, for the third day in succession, there was no session of the police court, and the police had no cases in hand either. Perhaps the city is showing off before the delegates of the Union of Canadian Municipalities convention, but the visitors can be assured that Kingston is not always this good or quiet. It is just vacation time for the most of us.

The Steamer America's Trip. Through an error on the part of the Whig, the date of the excursion of the steamer America to Ogdensburg was advertised as Thursday, Aug. 14th, instead of Friday, Aug. 15th, and the excursion among the Thousand Islands as Monday, Aug. 14th, instead of Thursday, the 14th. These trips of the commodious steamer are very popular with Kingstonsians and people at river points, and will doubtless be well patronized.

Excursion to Alexandria Bay. Steamer America leaves Swift's wharf 7 p.m., Thursday, calling at Alexandria Bay. A beautiful trip.

Investigation of the Port Colborne elevator disaster has commenced.

PRINCE OF WALES' CARD

IS TREASURED BY MRS. BROWETT OF KINGSTON.

Who Sent the Prince a Card of Veres on the Occasion of His Investiture Nine Years Ago.

Nine years ago on the 13th July, when H.R.H. was but a boy of seventeen, the elaborate function of investiture took place at Carnarvon amid much Welsh enthusiasm, the sweet singing of the trained children being a noticeable feature. Notwithstanding the busy excitement attending the auspicious occasion, the Prince of Wales through his secretary, graciously acknowledged the little decorated card of veres sent him by Mrs. Maclean Browett, of Kingston, expressing good wishes for his future career. With the nine years that have passed the value of that note in its envelope with the crown device of modest dimensions, has vastly increased and is treasured by Mrs. Browett as something worth while to pass on to her heirs. Below are given the acknowledgements and also the contents of the card:

The emblematic water-color decorations bordering the card only 6 x 10 in size, were simple and appropriate. A clear sky and promising sunrise at top; then down the right-hand side a noble Michigan elm tree, typical of manhood, finishing at bottom with a stretch of calm blue sea and a sandy beach—the latter for the royal "foot-prints which perhaps another day would take heart again."

On the left side tiny sprigs of Swiss Edelweiss for the Prince—emblem of purity—forget-me-nots for Victoria, his great-grandmother; wood violets "bowed down after rain," for his lamented grandfather, the Peacemaker, and for the parents of H.R.H. the reigning King and Queen, Chryseidiums, the emblem of everlasting life.

Fragmore House, Windsor. July 31st, 1911.

Mr. H. P. Howell is desired by the Prince of Wales to thank Mrs. Browett very much for the card and veres that she has so kindly sent to His Royal Highness.

"VICTORIA, THE GOOD. I will be good! I will be good!" A girl queen's voice rang out; Abashed her lordly subjects stood— To hear their Queen's first thought.

"KING EDWARD, THE PEACE-MAKER. Decades have come, decades have gone, She passed away to rest; "Those steps be mine," thus said her son. Loved Edward lately lost. His weapons (peace and love) and crown— He humbly lays aside; But grief and tears the Victor owes— Throughout a whole world wide.

"KING GEORGE V. AND QUEEN MARY. God save our Empire's noble King, God save the King and Queen; Long life be theirs, long may they reign, God save our King and Queen.

"THE YOUNG PRINCE OF WALES. 13th July, 1911. By Mrs. Maclean Browett, Kingston, Canada. A chain of priceless worth, young Prince, A jeweled chain is thine; The links are moments owned but once— Of precious golden time. God bless thy youth, thy prime, thy age, May Wisdom clasp thy hand; Unsullied keep each day's white page— Guide steps "Upon the sand."

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Mrs. John Foxton, Brockville, announces the engagement of her youngest daughter, Mildred Pearl, to Henry Willis Kinnear, Montreal, eldest son of Mrs. Albert Kinnear, Quebec, marriage to take place quietly the latter part of August.

Mrs. Evelyn M. Kelly, Mallorytown, to L. Canley Jack, son of Mrs. W. Jack, Lanadowne, marriage to take place early in September.

The Montreal Star says: A visitor from Kingston, named Charles Andre, who was at Dominion Park on Sunday afternoon with three women friends, felt thankful when he got out the Hill a minute or so before the fire broke out. When making his companions that it would be an awful place for a fire to start in, as it was a dangerous trap. When he left the place he went over to the fried potato stand, but before he got there he heard shouts and saw the place on fire. He ran back and saw people running in and out, but the flames were so fierce nothing could be done. And everything else in the park was going on as usual.

Portsmouth Memorial. A meeting was held at Portsmouth on Tuesday evening to consider the matter of a memorial to the village soldiers who fell during the war. A committee was appointed to make suggestions, and another meeting is to be held on Sunday evening, immediately following the church service.

Declined Appointment. Rev. Herbert Fringle, of Sharbot Lake, has declined the parish of Roslin, offered to him by the Bishop of Ontario.

John Lally, Belleville, for some years in the inland revenue department, has received word of his removal to Montreal as second inland officer of a large distilling plant. The Belleville Creamery management purposes erecting another creamery at Sharbot Lake. The structure will be cement block.

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