

MISSIONARIES

ARE IN PERIL.

Names of the Canadian Religious Workers in the Danger Zone.

STEPS TAKEN TO PROTECT THEM.

Presbyterian Church in Canada Has Had No Word Yet of the Threatened Boxer Uprising.

Toronto, Oct. 3.—(Special)—Reports of the movement by the Tsai Yuan Society in China to exterminate missionaries in Chi-Li, Honan and Shantung provinces arouses great interest here.

The Presbyterian church in Canada has twenty four missionaries in Honan, Rev. Dr. R. P. McKay, Secty. of Foreign Missions states that no information had been received of even the probability of trouble.

The fact that since the boxer outbreak British and French capitalists had built railways in the districts made it extremely likely that the necessary steps would be taken to protect life and property.

Twenty four Canadians in the field are: Rev. and Mrs. Jonathan Goodrich, Rev. and Mrs. John Griffith, Dr. and Mrs. P. G. Leslie, Rev. G. R. Bruce, Miss M. I. McIntosh, Miss Jean M. Dow, Miss Mina, M. Pike, Mr. and Mrs. W. McClure, Rev. and Mrs. W. Harvey, Grant, Rev. and Mrs. James Menzies, Rev. Harold, M. Clarke, Rev. H. Murray Ross, Miss Minnie Robertson, Miss Isabella McIntosh, Rev. and Mrs. James A. Slimmen, Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Mitchell.

Rev. Murdoch MacKenzie, of the China Mission, is in Canada, at present. Rev. Arthur W. Lochead is on the way and is due to arrive in China in a few days, and has therefore not yet gone inland.

YORK THEATRE.

A Great List of Attractions For This Week—A Children's Matinee.

Tonight and all this week: Hyde's Gilt-Edge Entertainers will hold the boards, and the company is a most excellent one. A European novelty heads the list, under the title of the Bunth and Rudd Co. A lady, two gentlemen, a dog, elephant, rabbits, cats, and many other animate and inanimate novelties make up this company who produce a satire entitled Radium's Revolutions.

Castellat and Hall, comic comedy sketch artists, Hurley Sisters, singing and dancing soubrettes; F. Alan Coogan, clever young change artist; Alexander and Finn, knock about comedians, Sullagley Bros., champion exhibition bag punchers; and Signor Monte and the clown; make up a list that is just first class in every particular.

A children's matinee will be given Tuesday, when each child will be admitted for 10c. The curtain will ring up at 4 p. m., and a large audience of the little folks, will likely be in attendance.

Beginning Saturday next steamer Crystal Stream will change her hours of sailing, and will leave Indian-town on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 9 a. m., and returning will arrive at 2 p. m., on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

Recapitulation of Shipments of Wood Goods from St. John, N. B., to United Kingdom, Continent, Australia, etc.

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WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A NICE GIRL.

A Few Simple Rules Which Helped to Make One Girl Popular With Others.

Do you not think that the girl who is popular with other girls is about the nicest girl of all?

It does not mean that she is not a man's girl also. It means only that she is not too much taken up with men to have no time for her own sex.

There is something womanly about the girl that other girls like. She is not sharp, nor is she vain, even though she may have more attention from men than some of her less attractive sisters.

Men can always tell a nice girl by her manner with other girls. The girl who likes only men never takes the trouble to make herself popular with girls. She thinks it is not worth while.

In this she is vastly mistaken; no girl can afford to be without friends of her own sex, all the men friends in the world will not compensate for the lack of feminine friendship.

There are always times in a woman's life when only another woman can understand and sympathize. The nice girl does not treat other girls in an offhand manner and keep all her smiles for the men.

Her manner does not change the minute a man comes upon the scene. You must have seen girls who acted bored to death when with girls, but let a man appear, and lo! they were all sparkle and life.

There is no reason why a girl should not be popular with her own sex and men also.

If she is fair with her dealings with other girls, and allows no petty jealousies to creep in, and does not always makes them feel that she would much prefer the society of men to theirs, she is pretty sure to have lots of girl friends.

Of course, there is no comparison between a girl's friendship for a man and for another girl. It is perfectly natural that she should at many times prefer to be with the former, but all girls understand that and expect to be occasionally left in the lurch when the right man comes along.

The girls' girl is always saying nice little things to other girls; she knows how she likes to have these things said to her, and so she does as she would have been done by. When she sees a pretty dress on another girl she remarks on it; she takes the trouble to say—"How sweet you look," or "I heard such a nice thing about you."

Believe it, girls, it is a great thing to be popular with your own sex. But do not think that it is not a great thing also to be popular with men, for it is.

But there is a happy medium, and if you can strike it you will be loved by other girls, and both loved and respected by men.—Weekly Welcome.

THE NEW HOUSE.

The new House of Commons, like the old, will consist of 214 members, but the distribution among the provinces will be different. Under the act of 1903, based on the census of 1901, a number of changes were made, as is shown by the following figures:

Table showing population figures for various provinces and territories in 1904 and 1900. Includes Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Manitoba, The Territories, British Columbia, Prince Edward Isld., and The Yukon.

If The Times gives you the most and best for your money, it should appeal to you as a business proposition.

Morning News in Brief.

The street railway people met with difficulties yesterday which caused delay in the service, a breakdown occurred on a car on Mill Street in the morning and for a few hours in the evening cars could not be run up King Street.

Seaside Park closed for the season last night, but the car service to the park will be continued for some time.

Rally day was observed in the Main St. Baptist Sunday School yesterday. Special services were held. Rev. Howard H. Roach the pastor, preached a memorial sermon in the morning on the life of the late Rev. Dr. C. Lorimer and the evening service was devoted to the Sunday School children. The services were largely attended.

The Harvest Festival services in St. Mary's church yesterday, were very bright. The church was decorated with flowers, grain, and autumn leaves. Rev. Dr. Raymond in the afternoon addressed the children of the Sunday School.

Steamer St. Croix, left this morning for Boston with very few passengers on board.

Mrs. F. H. Tingley sang a solo in Germain St. Baptist Church last night, which was much enjoyed.

The amount of taxes paid at the chamberlain's office this year exceeded that of last year by \$21,932. The total amount paid within the discount period up to closing on Saturday night was \$338,933; and the highest sum paid by one firm was \$13,000.

R. W. Strong, who last spring fitted out the schooner Thistle for a gold hunting expedition was in the city Saturday on his way to Boston.

Mr. Strong said that the undertaking had proved as successful as was anticipated. The efforts to reach Hebron Bay have for the present year been abandoned. The Thistle is at St. John's.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamship Pontiac arrived at Manchester last Friday from New York. Word has been received that the schooner Highland Lass, Captain Tutty, is ashore at Mira Bay. She is reported a total loss.

Bark Launberga, Capt. McDougall, 1215 tons, cleared from New York on Monday last for Tusket Wedge, where she will load for Buenos Ayres.

The Boston schooner Maggie Sullivan, which was ashore near Lunenburg and was hauled off by the tug F. W. Roebing, was towed to Lunenburg Marine Slip and found to be only slightly damaged. She was purchased by Thomas Naars, of Lunenburg, and will be repaired.

Capt. Reuben Balcom has gone to Victoria, B. C., and leaves in about a month for Norway. The new steamer being built there for the whaling venture is to be launched about January 1st and as soon as she is ready Capt. Balcom will take charge of her and sail for Victoria, B. C. This will be a long trip, the distance being about 15,000 miles, for a small steamer. He will have a crew of Norwegians.

Steamship Bendick sailed from New York Saturday for West Bay to load deal for the other side.

Battle line steamship Trebia Captain McDougall, arrived at New York Saturday morning at 11 o'clock from Japan via Delaware Breakwater.

The annual collection for the Mater Misericordiae home taken yesterday realized \$560, which is considerably more than in previous years.

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