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THE ROYAL VISITORS.

Since they landed in Canada, the Duke and Duchess of York have seen life under almost all conditions existent in this country, but they have the best reserved for the last, a welcome from the inhabitants of the Maritime Provinces of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. It is true that the arrangements for the royal visit to these provinces do not include even a general look at the country, but at St. John and Halifax the crowds will be drawn from all over the three maritime provinces, so Their Royal Highnesses will have an opportunity of seeing representative people who dwell by the sea, and who are quite as fervent in their loyalty as those of any part of the Empire.

The royal couple have created an excellent impression wherever they have journeyed. They have shown a warm interest in everything provided for their reception and entertainment, the Duke's public utterances have been marked by excellent sense and judgment, and the Duchess has captivated all hearts.

A writer in the Winnipeg Tribune, dwelling on this phase of the royal visit, says:

"The Duke created a very favorable impression from the moment he stepped from the train. After being introduced to one or two of the local prominent men he at once began in an easy fashion to converse with Premier Roblin, and he and Mr. Roblin walked along the platform together chatting together like old acquaintances. The Duke has a most impressive manner and is apparently very much like his royal father in face. When he shook hands with the members of the royal reception committee at the depot, his eye seemed, for a moment to pierce the very brain of each one. His grasp was firm, and his genial easy manner gained the confidence of those with whom he came into contact at once.

The Duchess, too, was liked from the first. She is really a handsome woman, apparently of the most lovable disposition. The photographs printed of her are nearly all libels, and scarcely anyone would recognize her from the best of them. She has a pleasant, sweet face and most winning manners, but the average photograph, especially those of the cheap button variety, show a cold, proud, unsympathetic countenance, entirely unlike her and as far from truth as light is from darkness. Like the heir apparent, she has great strength of character, and undoubtedly she will make a popular queen if she attains, as in all probability she will, to that high position.

THE DUCAL RESIDENCE.

When the Duke and Duchess of York have finished their present world wide tour, they will settle down to housekeeping at Houghton Hall built by Sir Robert Walpole at the beginning of the eighteenth century at a cost of over a million pounds sterling.

Houghton of course is haunted, and the late Marquis of Cholmondeley tells the following story of it:—"In 1816 the great Duke of Wellington held a review of volunteers in the park, in the presence of the Regent, who was a guest at the hall. The state rooms were allotted to his Royal Highness, who slept in the apartment still hung with priceless tapestries. At 5 o'clock the next morning the Prince rang his bell violently, and, refusing breakfast, left Houghton with his suite in a very bad temper. He was furious, he said, with the Marquis having placed him in a

room which he knew to be haunted. 'He had,' he observed, 'seen and heard uncanny sights and sounds,' but he refused to enter into details, and was never afterwards on intimate terms with either of the brothers, both of whom had been his favorite pages. The Houghton ghost is a little lady dressed in brown, who, in the flesh, was Lady Dorothy Walpole, the unhappy wife of the celebrated Townshend."

The pressmen of Ontario have taken up the project of forming an associated press news service for the papers of that province, and a company with a capital of \$40,000 is seeking incorporation. There should be an association to embrace the whole of Canada, and newspaper men all over the country are looking forward to the organization of such a corporation.

When the sheriff of Colchester made his declaration Monday of the vot-a-cast in last week's election, giving Laurence and Pearson, Liberals, the respective majorities of 24, and 18, the Conservative candidates were not in evidence. Messrs. Black and Stairs evidently did not feel in a thankful mood, and so absented themselves from the proceedings.

The announcement is made officially that ladies attending the royal reception in St. John may wear trains any length they please, so long as they are the prescribed colors. This is a very important matter and will bring a great deal of relief to those interested.

An error has been discovered in the census returns of Canada, and the new figures give the population of the Dominion at over 5,500,000 instead of 5,338,000 as published some weeks ago. Part of the increase, some 25,000, is said to be in Ontario.

A report from Simla says that the Ameer of Afghanistan is dead, and the announcement has created some apprehension in England. The Ameer was friendly to Britain, and his death may be followed by anarchy.

Halifax Liberals are preparing to give the victorious local premier, Hon. G. H. Murray, a hearty reception on his arrival the last of this week from Cape Breton.

King Edward's birthday anniversary Nov. 9th, is to be observed as a public holiday.

Premier Dunsinuir of British Columbia denies that he or his cabinet will resign.

MARYSVILLE NEWS.

(Special Correspondence to the Herald.)

Oct. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Luther W. Estey have left for Bridgetown, Nova Scotia, to pay a short visit to Mrs. E. Jewett, from there they are going to Buffalo and Boston then to their home in Grand Falls, Montana. They are accompanied by Mrs. Estey's sister, Miss Amy McDonald, who goes with them as far as Chicago from there going to Colorado, on a lengthy visit to her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Holebrook.

Miss Ellie Pond has returned from a three weeks' visit to relatives at Durham. Miss Ethel Noble, of Maryland, spent Sunday here with friends.

Mrs. John Foss is back from a pleasant visit to her parents at Hainesville.

The Free Baptist conference is being held here, and on Saturday the pulpits in the various churches were occupied by visiting clergy, whose interesting discourses were listened to by large congregations.

Fabio Romani.

Aiden Benedict's "Fabio Romani" which will be presented at the opera house on Saturday evening next, is an adaptation by Chas. W. Chase of Marie Coralli's famous novel "The Vendetta" and is pronounced everywhere to be one of the best melodramas now on the road. It has been played continuously for the past 13 years, a longer continuous life than has ever greeted any other play in the history of the American stage. Its wonderful success is the best proof of its unquestionable merit and for this season Mr. Benedict promises his patrons a stronger company and better production than ever before. Walter Lawrence who created the part of Fabio and Miss Martha Beauford will sustain the principal characters. Seats at Wilkes.—d.

Death at Doak Settlement.

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PROCLAMATION.

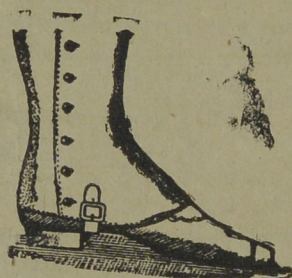
The executive committee of the Provincial Government having in charge the arrangements connected with the coming visit of their R. H. the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, deem it advisable that the people of the Province generally should be afforded an opportunity of being presented to their Royal Highnesses, at the reception at the Exhibition Building in the City of St. John, on the evening of the 17th instant. And they respectfully invite the people generally to apply to writing before noon of the 15th instant to the secretary of the committee, George Robertson, M. P. P., St. John, for invitations to be present.

It is necessary, of course, that all who propose to attend should comply with the Court restrictions as to dress, etc., and be provided with two visiting cards, one of which will be presented on entering the building and the other handed to the aide de camp before presentation.

It may be added that the dress on this occasion will be, in the case of ladies, half mourning, that is to say, black, white, lilac or grey, and for gentlemen, evening dress.

L. J. TWEEDIE,
Provincial Secretary.

St. John, 2nd Oct., 1901.
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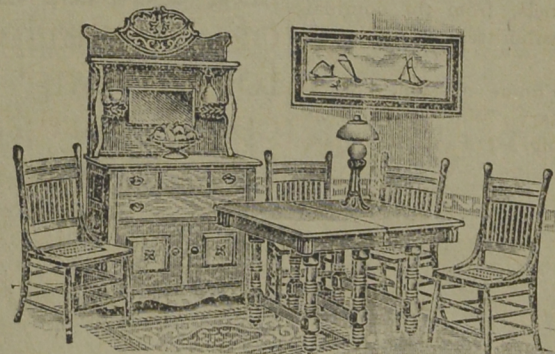
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