

PRINCE A TYPE SETTER.

Admiral Prince Louis of Battenberg Knows How to "Stick" Type.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—Dr. George Johnson, the Dominion statistician, tells a good story about H. S. H. Prince Louis of Battenberg, rear-admiral of the second cruiser squadron, now in Quebec.

Lord Dufferin came down to Halifax soon after being sworn into office as Governor-General to see what he could do to pacify the Anti-Unionists of the Province, then still refusing to recognize the Dominion. The officers of the army and navy, of course, gave him a cordial reception, and the officers of the Royal Alfred (flagship), proposed to give a ball in his honor on board. On the morning of the ball, looking over matters to see if everything was all right, they made the discovery that they were without dance programmes. That was something not to be passed over. They must have the programmes. What would the young ladies do? What the young gallants? There would be a mixing up of engagements sufficient to keep gallants and young ladies explaining for a fortnight. The Royal Alfred's officers would be laughed at for not knowing how to manage a "hop" on board ship.

One of the young officers was sent post-haste to get the programmes printed. When he sought the printing offices, lo and behold! all were closed. It was a holiday and the

printers had taken a day off. After searching through the town, the officer found one newspaper office, the editor of which was alone grinding out an editorial for the next day's issue. On being told the nature of his mission the editor said he himself did not know one type from another—that the mystery of printing was beyond him. "Now," says the officer, "I see daylight. If we can get into the printing office I can set up the type. I am a printer by trade, and between us we can get out of the dilemma." The key was found. The two went upstairs to the printing office. The officer-printer took off his coat, rolled up his sleeves and "stuck type" for all he was worth. A hand press, used for "pulling proof," was utilized for printing the programmes. The work was pronounced first-class. The programmes were tied up secundum artem, and Prince Louis of Battenberg—for that was the printer's name—hurried on board the flagship with the precious parcel which saved the situation; and that night at the ball "all went merrily as a marriage-bell."

Dr. Johnson recalls the impression he then received that Prince Louis was a first-class printer, and knew his trade thoroughly. Prince Louis says he "recalls the incident perfectly." Evidently he has been proud of his feat ever since.

AFTER FORTY LONG YEARS

Former Ottawan Visits the Capital Again.

PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS WERE NOT COMPLETED WHEN MR. W. H. MARSHALL LEFT.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—After an absence of forty years, Mr. W. H. Marshall, has presented himself at the home of his sister, Mrs. John B. Wright, 761 Augusta street, and surprised her and a brother John, who resides there. They had not seen him in all that time, and great was their joy at meeting.

When Mr. Marshall left Ottawa the parliament buildings were not completed. He was engaged on the construction work in the capacity of stone mason, and a strike of the workmen having taken place which he decided to leave for Uncle Sam's domains. He went first to Cleveland where he remained for five years; then to Milwaukee, and finally settled in Chicago. Mr. Marshall is in the railroad business and has attained a considerable measure of success.

To a Free Press reporter he expressed his pleasure and astonish-

ment at the rapid strides the city has made in every direction. "I had not a good memory," he said, "I should scarcely have recognized it at all. I am particularly impressed with its wonderful beauty, for which your improvement commission has done so much, and I feel sure that Ottawa is destined to be the flower of Canada."

It was only a short time before he quit Ottawa that it had emerged into a city, and he remembered the fact that Sandy Hill was then comparatively a wilderness, very few houses having been erected. Mr. Marshall located a few who knew him when he was here before, and found pleasure in recalling old times. He was a member of No. 1 ladder company of the old volunteer fire brigade, and can tell many interesting incidents of these stirring times. Mr. Marshall will visit Quebec, Toronto, St. Catharines, Buffalo, and other cities before returning home.

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LIEUT. GOV. FORGET.

A Man Who Has Had Valuable Experience in the West.

The new Lieutenant-Governor for Saskatchewan, Hon. A. E. Forget, though a native of Quebec, has had a lengthy experience in that portion of Canada which he will continue to serve. He was born at Mariville, Que., November 12, 1847, and was called to the Bar in 1871. For some years he served as Secretary of the Council of the Bar of Montreal. In 1875 he was appointed Secretary of the half-breed commission in Manitoba, and in 1885 was one of the commissioners for the settlement of half-breed claims in the Northwest Territories. When in 1876 a separate government was organized for the Northwest Territories Mr. Forget was appointed Clerk of the Council and Sec-

retary to the Lieutenant-Governor, in which capacity he accompanied Hon. David Laird, then Lieut.-Governor, to the seat of government, which was then at Battleford. Later he became Clerk of the Assembly at Regina, and was appointed Assistant Commissioner of Indian Affairs for Manitoba and the Northwest Territories on August 3, 1888. Mr. Forget's subsequent work included an appointment to the Council of Public Instruction for the Northwest Territories in 1893 and to the office of Indian Commissioner two years later. He was appointed Lieutenant-Governor of the Northwest Territories October 4, 1898, and reappointed on March 30, 1904.

CHURCHES RUN FOR SHOW.

Pungent Criticism by Rev. G. Campbell Morgan.

New York, Aug. 25.—A criticism of the American Protestant churches was voiced today by Rev. Dr. G. Campbell Morgan, who has been working in the late Rev. Dwight L. Moody's place at East Northfield, Mass.

When on the point of sailing for Europe on the steamship Baltic Rev. Campbell Morgan said: "The American church social organization now. Its members spend more time devoting along social lines than they do along spiritual lines. The business men, the influential Christians, and those who are in a position to do their duty are wrapped up in their own affairs or busy in the pursuit of pleasure or frivolity, and they lose track of the way and forget the pledges they made to their Church."

"The old fire and old-time spirit are lacking, and without this what can be expected by social clubs but a leading away from God and the path. What the Churches want is more of God and less of dress and social position."

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According to the government authorities "egg and poultry earnings" for one recent year amounted to \$280,000,000. The total value of the gold, silver, wool and sheep produced in America during the year in question was \$272,434,315.

The sugar production of the country the same year was but 220,000,000.

That part of the wheat crop used at home, which many consider the most valuable of all agricultural products, was worth \$259,000,000. The great American hog, as consumed at home and abroad, brought \$186,529,035.

The value of the oat crop was \$73,084,000. Potatoes grown in the United States were valued at nearly \$70,000,000. The product of tobacco plantations was estimated to be worth \$35,571,225.

Cotton, the dethroned king of staples, could show only \$259,151,040 as against the magnificent earnings of its feathered rival.

The crops of flax, timothy, clover, millet and cane seeds, broom corn, castor beans, hay, straw, and so forth, couldn't all told come within a measurable distance of many millions of the poultry earnings.

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