

HONORED BY THE KING.

Canadians who have been Honored by His Majesty.

LONDON, Nov. 8.—Birthday honorees include E. S. Clouston, a Baronet; General Lake, Knight Commander of St. Michael and St. George; Brigadier General D. A. MacDonald, Commander of St. Michael and St. George; and Hugh Graham, Montre Knight Bachelor.

SIR EDWARD CLOUSTON, BART

Very few Canadian now-a-days receive hereditary titles. In recent years Lords Strathcona and Mount Stephen and Sir Charles Tupper, Bar have been the only examples. Sir Edward Seaborn Clouston, who received a baronetcy in the distribution of King's birthday honors, is General Manager of the Bank of Montreal and the first Canadian to be so honored since Sir Charles Tupper in 1888. Sir Edward was born at Moose Factory. His father afterwards Chief Factor of the Hudson's Bay Company was then in charge of Moose Factory. Young Clouston received his education in Montreal, and in 1865 entered the service of the Bank of Montreal as a junior clerk. The upward way was long, but step by step, with unswerving patience and with diligence Mr. Clouston climbed the ladder.

Here are some of the rungs: Assistant General Manager, 1887 acting General Manager, 1880 and General Manager, 1890.

For eighteen years therefore Mr. Clouston has been the chief executive officer of Canada's greatest financial institution. The Bank of Montreal has been most successful under his care, and in the national field he has done much to give Canadian banking its solidity and safety. Sir Edward is a patron of the fine arts and deeply interested in hospital work.

General Lake, who is Knighted, is

the retiring respect general of the Canadian militia, who will shortly return to England. He has a fine service record. He went through the African war in 1878 as assistant field engineer. He took part in the Sudan expedition of 1885 and was in the force which fought the desperate action on the advance to Tamai.

The C. M. G. bestowed on Brigadier-General D. A. MacDonald of the headquarters staff at Ottawa goes to an officer who has seen service in Canada in the Fenian raid of 1866 in the Red River expedition of 1870 and in the Northwest rebellion of 1885.

The Knighthood bestowed on Sir Hugh Graham is probably the first that has ever come to a newspaper man. Sir Hugh is the owner of the Montreal Star. He is the son of a Scottish settler in the eastern townships, and was born at Athelstan, Huntingdon County, in 1848. Mr. Graham began life as a writer, but speedily turned his attention to the business end of newspaper work, and after some preliminary and preparatory work, such as becoming Secretary-Treasurer of The Montreal Gazette when he was only twenty, he launched in company with several associates The Montreal Evening Star. That was in January, 1867, forty-one years ago. He soon secured complete control, and the Star of to-day with its great circulation in eastern Canada is Mr. Graham's life work. Sir Hugh has been generally on the Conservative side in politics, but during the past year or two The Star has very keenly criticised Mr. Borden's choice of lieutenants and in the late campaign it was practically neutral.

ALMOST EMPTY-HANDED.

Redmond and Devlin's Pilgrimage a Failure.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—The Herald's correspondent at London cables as follows: The American tour of Messrs. Redmond and Devlin has been a complete failure. This annual pilgrimage is acknowledged to be the beginning of an expedition for funds for the support of the Irish party in the British parliament. At one time, when the Irish question was in the height of its popularity, the leaders of the party used to return from America with a large sum of money, once, I think, amounting to \$1,000,000, but this year, I understand, they have come back with only \$30,000 or thereabouts.

The smallest yearly allowance for Nationalist members of parliament is £300, and this small sum won't go far among so many. The failure of the mission is a very serious matter for the Irish party, for they will not be able to maintain their full strength in parliament. They will now have to seek new sources of revenue.

The Buckley Hat unapproachable.

CHEERS AT A FUNERAL.

Gay Scenes at a Burial, in France.—Instructions of Deceased Carried Out to the Letter.

The body of M. Pierre Lacroix, wealthy bachelor, eighty years of age was interred at Amilly, near Montargis, France, last week, amid extraordinary scenes.

To comply with the wishes of M. Lacroix there were no mourners, all those attending in their gayest dress. The hearse was preceded by a brass band which played selections from "The Leiche" and "Le Cloches de Corneville," and the coffin was lowered into the grave with loud cheers. The guests were afterwards entertained at a banquet, followed by a dance at a local hotel.

M. Lacroix left a will bequeathing his fortune of £4,000 to the municipality of the town, with the sole stipulation that his instructions for the funeral should be carried out to the letter.

The cheapest tea to use is not the lowest priced. You can buy tea a cents a pound cheaper that will make a drink, but if you want an absolute ly pure, healthful, cleanly prepared tea use "Salada." It is infinitely more economical than other teas, because it goes farther.

BABY SCALDED TO DEATH.

Russell Purdy Fell into Tub of Boiling Water.

TORONTO, Nov. 9.—While the mother was preparing the water for his bath yesterday morning, Russell Purdy, the four-year-old son of Mrs. Purdy, 595 Dufferin street, fell into a half-filled tub of boiling water and was so terribly scalded that he died at the hospital last night.

Mrs. Purdy had just poured a pail of boiling water into the tub, and was at the tap getting cold water to add to it when little Russell, who had been playing around the tub, fell in. He was pulled out in a moment, but the scalding water had eaten into his flesh all down the right side of his body, his face and neck suffering the most. Dr. Wingham was called in and dressed the burns. In the afternoon the child's condition was so serious that the doctor ordered his removal to the hospital for Sick Children, where death put an end to his suffering.

THE AILMENTS OF WOMEN.

The girls and women who suffer with what they think as "Female Trouble" would look to their kidneys, they'll soon find the source of their ill-health. The kidneys are closely allied with the female organs, and if the vitality of the kidneys is interfered with, great suffering occurs. There is no better medicine than Dr. Hamilton's Pills, — they stimulate and strengthen the kidneys, assist other organs to do Nature's work, cleanse the system and thereby maintain perfect health. Great benefit and certain cure is guaranteed for all women who use Dr. Hamilton's Pills.

Rat Crusade Is On.

The new Society for the Destruction of Vermin has started a series of competitions among rat and sparrow clubs. Prizes are offered to the clubs and individuals who destroy the greatest number of rats in a year. Every competitor must kill 300 rats to qualify for an award. It is estimated that there are from 40,000,000 to 50,000,000 rats in England, and that the damage to property amounts to several millions.

Chinese Monasteries.

Many Chinese monasteries are endowed with land or a tribute of rice, but seldom so as to be self-supporting, and the monks, armed with gongs, go down into the cities to beg for sustenance.

A Striking Misapprehension.

Officer—Excuse me, madam; there goes eight bells. It's my watch on deck. Mrs. Lansman—Well, I don't blame you for keeping your watch on deck if it strikes as loudly as that.

The favor of great men and the praise of the world are not much to be relied on.—French Proverb.

WAS ORIGINAL OF TOPSY.

English Family Were Protectors of "Limb" Who Figures in Book.

When the negro problem was troubling the south, an aristocratic English family named Overaker, for conscience sake, separated themselves from the associations of their lifetime, and sought a home on the banks of the Ohio, in the vicinity of Cincinnati.

The family brought with them a retinue of house servants in order to set them free. They were scattered among the various families of this lovely vineyard, some being employed at one time or another in Prof. Stowe's family and some in that of his next neighbor, also a professor in the seminary. One of these neighbors has said that she has seen Mrs. Stowe sit whole afternoons watching the children of the two families and the young blacks at play.

It was then and there that Mrs. Stowe saw Topsy and took her comical likeness in unflattering colors. Topsy was a stray bit of ebony humanity that in some unrecorded way came to be one of the p'caninies perched on the porticos of the Overaker mansion in New Orleans, where the family had a winter home, or hung around the quarters, ran errands or played with the dogs on the Tichenor plantation at Natchez.

She was such a little imp of darkness that "that limb was past saving," and so she was left among the field hands who were to work out their freedom there on the plantation. "Topsy," but the case of the abandoned wife appealed to the sympathy of Mrs. Stowe's neighbor, and the elfish Topsy was brought north and placed in the family of the young professor to be trained for service.

It must be confessed that the effort to develop her into a reasonable being was not a shining success. Joan—for that was the real name—drifted into the abandoned stratum of Cincinnati life and was seen no more by her former friends till the day of Mrs. Tichenor's funeral.

Black Sam also, he of the "o'bob-servation" faculty, was at service in the same family, but he will be best remembered by the act of putting the beehind under Haley's saddle when they were about to start after Eliza. Others of the small fry named were of the same group.

In 1850 Dr. Stowe had accepted a professorship at Bowdoin, and was living in Brunswick when the fugitive slave law of that year was passed. This was the final year which set the colors of Mrs. Stowe's resolution to write something "which should hold up slavery to the world as a dramatic reality."

She was then in the midst of heavy domestic cares, with a young infant, and with a party of pupils in her family to whom she was imparting lessons daily with her own children, but the story was so much more intense a reality to her than any other earthly thing that the weekly instalment for Dr. Bailey's National Era never failed. Once Mr. Jewett, who was to publish it, wrote to ask her not to make it too long, as the subject was not popular. Mrs. Stowe replied that she did not make the story, that the story made itself, and that she could not stop till it was done.

This feeling increased in intensity to the end. It is even said that in those last days of her life she had said, "God wrote it. I merely did His dictation."—Lippincott's.

Sized Him Up.

Briggs—I have made a will leaving my brain to the hospital and just got an acknowledgment from the authorities. Griggs—Were they pleased? Briggs—They wrote that every little helps.

Ebb Tide.

Father (eminent stockbroker)—With the flow the sea rises, my boy; with the ebb it falls. Son (a chip of the old block)—Then would be the time to buy, wouldn't it daddy?

EAT FRESH BREAD.

Or fatty meats and see if there will be any indigestion.

If your meals don't tempt you, or you feel bloated after eating and you believe it is the food which fills you; if what little you eat lies like a lump of lead on your stomach; if there is difficulty in breathing after eating, eructations of sour food and acid, heartburn, brash or aitching of gas, you can make up your mind that you need something for a sour stomach and indigestion.

To make every bite of food you eat aid in the nourishment and strength of your body you must rid your stomach of poisons, excessive acid and stomach gas, which sours your entire meal—interferes with digestion and causes so many sufferers of Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Nausea, breath and stomach trouble of all kinds; Putting the intestines and digestive canal, causing such misery as Bileousness, Constipation, Griping, etc. Your case is no different—you are a stomach sufferer, though you may call it by some other name; your real and only trouble is that which you eat does not digest, but quickly ferments and sours, producing almost any unhealthy condition.

A case of Pape's Diapiesin will cost fifty cents at any Pharmacy here, and will convince any stomach sufferer five minutes after taking one Triangule that Fermentation and Sour Stomach is causing the misery of Indigestion.

No matter if you call your trouble Catarrh of the Stomach, Nervousness or Gastritis, or by any other name—always remember that a certain cure is waiting at your Pharmacist any time you decide to begin its use.

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"THE NIGGER IN THE WOOD-PILE"

Thousands of people go through life feeling more or less miserable without ever knowing the reason. They suffer from headaches, indigestion, pains in the back, and at the slightest chill get rheumatism or neuralgia.

They try to cure these separate outbreaks, never suspecting that the root of the whole trouble is the failure of the bowels to move regularly, and in many cases the sluggish action of kidneys and skin. The result, of course, is that the whole system gets clogged with impurities, which soon turn to poison, and show their presence in various ways.

"Fruit-a-lives"—or fruit juice tablets—promptly stir up the sluggish liver, regulate the bowels, and stimulate the kidneys and skin to do their work properly. Thus they cure all these troubles by removing the cause, and make it possible to really enjoy life. 50c a box—6 boxes for \$2.50. Trial size 25c. Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

Weddings and Broken Teeth.

"After every big east side wedding the dentists of the quarter reap a harvest," said a dental surgeon. "It is the broken teeth that keep us busy. I do not mean that the guests raise a row and knock out one another's teeth. Oh, no; it's the wedding cake that does the mischief. Over here bakers mix into wedding cakes every kind of a charm from coins and tiny china dolls to plain tin tags. In the course of the festivities many a luckless guest is bound to crack a tooth on that indigestible part of the wedding feast. At various times the wedding cake victims have talked of getting up a petition imploring the bakers to omit all gritty ingredients, but up to date the snapping of teeth goes merrily on."

Untold Wealth.

"What is 'untold wealth,' pa?" "The property you keep out of the tax list."—Harper's Weekly

Skin Diseases.

A diseased or disfigured skin will always leave its stamp on the mind of the individual. Many people suffering from disfiguring skin diseases avoid society and lose all pride in their personal appearance. When the skin breaks out in eruptions and sores it is due entirely to an impure condition of the blood.

In all such cases Burdock Blood Bitters will quickly purify the blood and drive all the impurities out of the system.

ITCHING RASH CURED.

Mrs. J. J. Magee, Jr., Kinnmount, Ont., writes: "In the spring of 1906 I was troubled with a Rash that broke out all over me. It was the worst on my face and head, had a dry, scaly top, and when I would get warm it would become very itchy. I tried the doctor's medicine but it did me no good, so I then got one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters and before it was all used the Rash was entirely gone."

SORES ON FACE.

Mrs. Harvey Barkhouse, Gold River, N.S., writes: "I was greatly troubled with Sores on my face and finally became so bad I had to go to the doctor about it, but he could do nothing to help me."

"I thought about Burdock Blood Bitters and decided to try a bottle. I cannot recommend B.B.B. enough, as I had not taken all the bottle before my face was cured."

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Quaco Wharf Extension" will be received at this office until 4.30 p. m. on Friday, November 13, 1908 for the construction of an Extension to the East Pier at Quaco, St. John County, N. B., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., Resident Engineer, St. John, N. B., Geo. Fry Stead, Esq., Resident Engineer, Chatham N. B., on application to the Postmaster at Quaco, N. B., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied and signed with the actual signature of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a charter bank payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works for three thousand dollars \$3,000.00 must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the par tendering decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

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