

ADMISSION CHARGED

To See the Execution of a
Montreal Murderer.

**CULPRIT CONFESSED HIS CRIME
COMMITTED FOR POSSES-
SION OF 17 CENTS,**

King Publicly Expressed Pleas-
ure at Close of War.

**DONATION OF \$15,500 FROM GENERAL
ASSEMBLY TO HALIFAX PRES-
BYTERIAN COLLEGE.**

COLLEGES DISCUSSED.
(Special to Daily Herald.)

Toronto, July 13.—This morning's sitting of the Presbyterian general assembly was devoted to consideration of the report on colleges.

The Halifax Presbyterian college was donated \$15,000 out of the century fund.

A committee will be appointed to look into the affairs of Morin College, Quebec, from whom a definite request for aid has been received.

THE KING'S TACT.
(Special to Daily Herald.)

London, June 13.—King Edward received addresses from the Lord Mayor and corporation this morning.

In the course of his speech His Majesty expressed pleasure at the termination of the struggle in South Africa, and spoke of the spontaneous exertion of all portions of the Empire on behalf of imperial interests. He said the Boers were a brave and determined people, but they would now be England's friends, and so we would have peace.

PAID THE PENALTY.
(Special to Daily Herald.)

Montreal, June 13.—Thorwald Hanson, a sailor from Copenhagen, Denmark, who in November last murdered nine year old Eric Mettrot, of Westmount, in order to secure 17 cents the lad had in his pocket, was executed this morning in the jail yard.

Radcliffe officiated, Hanson dying in a few minutes.

Hanson would probably never have been captured, as the police had no clue to the murderer, but he walked into the station and confessed.

A disgraceful incident in connection with the execution was that tickets of admission were sold at the gate for from 50 cents to \$10 each. It is charged that they were offered for sale by uniformed policemen.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

More Encouraging Statistics—Lord Strathcona's Generous Gift.

Toronto, June 13.—The feature of yesterday's meeting of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church was the announcement of J. K. Macdonald, of Toronto, that the aged and infirm ministers' fund is now more than \$227,000 and that Lord Strathcona has, according to promise, sent a check for \$20,000 of this total.

It is hoped soon to bring the fund to a point where \$400 per year will be paid to all pastors of 40 years' service and more.

Rev. Dr. Torrance presented a report containing a carefully tabulated statement as to the progress of the church.

During the year three new Presbyteries were formed in the Synod of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, raising the number of these church courts to 58. The total number of congregations and mission stations is 1,781, an increase of 373 over the previous year.

The families numbered 118,114, an increase of 4,968.

The average giving per family was \$8.70 and per communicants \$4.68, for stipends alone, the total being \$1,052,691, an increase for schemes of the church of \$26,359 during the year.

For all purposes the total expenditure was \$2,857,489, an increase of \$800,870.

In the synod of the maritime provinces there has been an increase of \$4,325.

Mission work of the west was dealt with at length in the home missions report. A great rush into the west was described and an estimate made that 150,000 people would be added to the population this year.

Last year \$98,450 was spent on home

missions and this year \$100,000 will be needed. There are 428 mission fields with 1230 preaching stations in the west. Between 40 and 50 new missions were organized during the year.

Judge Forbes, of St. John, reported on behalf of the committee for the eastern section, aged and infirm ministers' fund. The balance of the fund stands at \$6,169. The deficit is \$902. Collection from congregations aggregated \$2,449, interest brought in \$1,611 and rates from ministers \$617. Annuities paid \$4,514. Capital fund investment stands at \$40,139. Increase in congregational givings is reported. The number of annuities on the list 26. One died during the year.

The report of the eastern division home mission committee stated a rapid increase in population in Cape Breton has resulted in addition of three self-sustaining congregations to the Presbytery of Sydney.

A GRAND SUCCESS.

Sons of Scotland Celebration at Boiestown Very Enjoyable Event.

The members of Camp McFarlane, Sons of Scotland of Stanley held their excursion to Boiestown yesterday afternoon and it was a great success. A special train with a good crowd left this city at 3 p. m. and was joined at Cross Creek by an immense crowd from Stanley and surrounding parts. Supper was served at Duffy's hotel. The concert held in the hall was largely attended and a good programme was well carried out as follows:

Opening address by Dr. Stirling.
Oration by O. S. Crockett.
Solo by Mrs O. S. Crockett.
Club swinging by Miss Elsie Douglas of Stanley.

Reading by Miss Stanger.

The programme was ended by a five act drama entitled "The Deacon" by members of the Sons of Scotland, which was well put on and much appreciated by the audience.

After the drama a supper was held in the hall below. The tables were loaded with good things, to which ample justice was done by those present.

This was followed by a round of toasts and songs by different members.

The supper over, dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

The Canada Eastern had a special train on which brought the citizens back to their homes at 4.30 o'clock this morning, after a very enjoyable time was spent by all.

"NEWFOUNDLAND."

Sir Cavendish Boyle, Governor of Newfoundland, recently wrote the following poem on "Newfoundland," which may soon be a new Province of Canada, for The St. John's Weekly News:
When the sun rays crown thy pine-clad hills,
And summer spreads her hand;
When silver voices tune thy rills,
We love thee, smiling land.

When blinding storm gusts fret thy shore
And wild waves lash thy strand;
Thou spindrift swirl and tempest roar,
We love thee, wind-swept land.

When spreads the cloak of shimmering white,
At winter's stern command;
Thru shortened day and starlit night,
We love thee, frozen land.

As loved our fathers, so we love,
Where once they stood, we stand;
Their prayer we raise to heaven above,
God guard thee, Newfoundland.

MR. ST. JOHN BRODRICK.

Presentation to British War Secretary by Broderers' Company.

In recognition of "his distinguished patriotism amidst many difficulties," Mr. St. John Brodrick, British Secretary for War, was recently presented with the honorary freedom and livery of the Broderers' Company. It is stated that Mr. Brodrick's family have been associated with the Broderers' Company since 1620, when one William Brodrick left a sum of money for the relief of poorer members of the guild. The presentation was made in a handsome casket. The Broderers' Company, The London Chronicle explains, is one of the very few Livery Companies which distinguished themselves by declining to render an account of their property to the London Livery Companies Commission of 1880. The company to-day consists of three and thirty gentlemen who go to make up the court and livery of the Broderers' Company, and, though it declines to give any account of its present income, most sane men can guess the approximate value to-day of a messuage and two cottages in Cutter Lane, valued when left in 1568 at \$2 16s. 8d. annually. Among other Broderers, or Embroiderers whom the new Broderer will meet in his company are his father, Lord Middleton, and Viscount Horncastle, C.C., and Aldermen Evans and Wilkin, and some thirty other gentlemen who "Broder" in a Pickwickian sense indeed. Each member of the court receives two guineas for each attendance upon court business. Their Latin motto: Omnia de super—"All things from above"—is really, to such as know what "Brodering" is, one of the finest instances of a "canting" motto.

Like a kitten's tail, happiness is hard to catch, but there is lots of fun catching it.

A Battle With a Lynx.

Mr. Joe Lisk of Wilberforce, Ont., had an encounter with a lynx which he had caught in a trap in the bush one day recently. The animal had broken the chain of the trap and had climbed a tree when Mr. Lisk discovered it. He commenced to fell the tree and had about succeeded when the animal jumped down, landing square on Mr. Lisk's back. Then the fight began, the wildcat showed fight, and Mr. Lisk did not come through the melee scatheless. After considerable trouble he managed to shake off the animal, but not before his clothing was badly torn and a number of ugly scratches inflicted. With kicks and the aid of a club the lynx was finally killed.

Inherits a Fortune.

Amherst, N. S., June 13.—John White, for many years foreman for the old firm of A. Robb & Son but for some years past a successful farmer at Fort Lawrence, has lately received information from Louisville (Ky.) stating that his brother, James F. White, of that city had died leaving an estate valued at \$234,375 to be divided equally between himself and another brother, William, who resides in Louisville. The net share to each, after deducting court fees, taxes, etc., will be \$108,482 54.

Still They Come.

As the ladies say, one need not go without a blouse waist when they have such a large stock to select from at Edgcombe's. Yesterday another large lot of pretty waists was received from the manufacturers. Whether silk, saten, zephyr or lawn you may want, they are to be found at the up-to-date store.—d.

Rev. Wm. Ross, of Prince William, is in the city today.

MARRIED.

At the residence of Mrs. Susannah Tilley, mother of the bride, June 12th, by Rev D Chapman, Frederick Lyons to Minnie Tilley, all of Fredericton.

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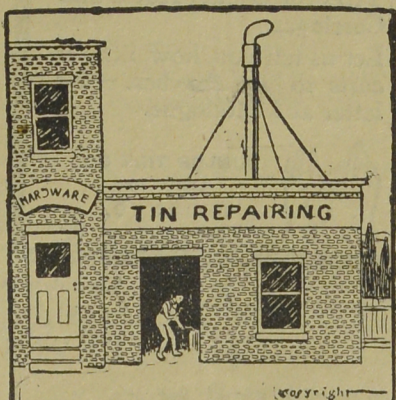
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