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THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

THE C. B. C.—resumed work on Thursday, and everything points to an exceedingly large and busy term. The staff has been considerably increased, among them veteran teachers who have a national reputation in their professions.

THIS ISSUE.

The Guardian always has something of interest in every column, and to-day's issue of sixteen pages is no exception to the rule, page three containing some of the latest local news and page four containing The Farm and Turf Section.

THE EARL GREY.

On account of the congestion of freight at Pictou and the fact that the Earl Grey has to take on 45 tons of coal daily, which with the loading and discharging of freight occupies quite a considerable time, it has been found quite impossible to make round trips daily and handle cargo. The steamer will make a trip to this port on Sunday.

THE SOCIALS ARRIVING.

The Socials' players are arriving for Tuesday's game, Lowther and Twaddle came from Amherst yesterday; Hague and Bas Murphy have sent word they will be here today, and O'Leary, Port Arthur, is already here, with McPherson, of Halifax, no word has been received from Tommy Smith of Quebec. Sam Murphy, a younger brother of the famed Mike Murphy, who has been playing good hockey in P. E. Island, says a Halifax exchange of Dec. 31st, arrives this evening and will be given a try out by the Socials. He is a centre.

SOCIAL EVENT.

Mrs. A. A. Bartlett, Charlottetown, was the charming hostess at an "At Home" Thursday afternoon when about eighty guests were invited to hear a paper read by Mrs. George D. Longworth on "pleasant memories of her visit to the old land." Much credit is due Mrs. Longworth for her beautifully written and instructive paper, which was enjoyed by all. During intervals, two solos were rendered by Miss Blanchard, which added greatly to the pleasure of the afternoon. A vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Longworth and the general hostess after which tea was served. The proceeds were in aid of P. E. I. Hospital.

ROUGH MATCH.

One of the roughest wrestling matches ever witnessed in Moncton, took place New Year's afternoon, when John Kilonis, well known all over the province, defeated "Bull" Montana. The match was a very rough affair, and as the result both men are carrying black eyes and are badly bruised about the head and body. At one time the men got excited and started to wrestle in the audience. Kilonis secured the first fall in fifty-three minutes, after giving Montana the giant swing. Montana secured the second fall in several minutes with a toe hold while Kilonis got the third fall with another giant swing. There were about one thousand people present.

EDWARD JOHNSON DEAD.

Much gloom was cast over Harrington and vicinity when it was learned that Edward A. Johnson had, after a brief illness, passed away on the evening of Jan. 2nd at the early age of 38. Mr. Johnson was a general favorite and highly esteemed by all with whom he came in contact. He was the kind, broad, friendly, sympathetic and helpful spirit. None ever went to him for aid or help to be turned away empty-handed. He spent a number of years in Minnesota and California from which latter state he went to the Yukon Gold Fields in the spring of 1898. After a most arduous, hazardous and wearisome trip he reached Dawson City, but the hardships and trying experiences of the trail had so exhausted him that shortly after reaching the goal of his ambition he was stricken down with typhoid fever from which he recovered after a long illness. Mr. Johnson spent nearly seven years in the Klondike and was most intimate with almost all of those who had journeyed from this province thither in quest of the yellow metal. On his departure from this northern region he returned to Minneapolis, Minn., thence back to the seat of his nativity, Brackley Point, P. E. I., where he took up his favorite work of farming. He remained at Brackley Point until three years ago when he removed to the nearby District of Harrington where he continued farming and where he passed away on Thursday, Jan. 2nd, from time to eternity. He was married on Jan. 16, 1907, to Miss Minnie Doolies of Minneapolis. Besides his sorrowing wife there are left to mourn a son Earl, a daughter Jennie, his father Adam Johnson, Charlottetown, and the following brothers and sisters—John W. and Daniel A., in Minneapolis; James A., in Melfort, Sask.; Hammond, Principal of West Kent School, City; Mrs. Daniel MacNaughton and Mrs. Turner Radcliffe of Duval, Sask. The funeral will take place to-day at 2.00 p. m. to Portage cemetery, Rev. Mr. Spenser officiating.

LADIES

OUR FIRST LOT of CHRISTMAS CAKE is now BAKED

Call in and see it we sell it cheap considering the price of eggs & butter.

Quality Quality We keep the Quality up

STEWART'S

KENT STREET

CORRECTION.

The price of admission to the People's Theatre, Charlottetown, was inadvertently passed as ten instead of five cents, in their ad., in yesterday morning's issue.

NEW GLASGOW'S TEAM.

Doran has arrived at New Glasgow and Wilson of Pembroke is due there Tuesday. The Sydney Post says:—Gregory is chock full of confidence respecting his team and looks forward to their winning the maritime pennant this season. The New Glasgow line up will be: Goal, Morrison; point, Wilson, (Pembroke, Ont.); cover point, Doran; centre, Gregory; right wing, Mike Murphy; left wing, Wilkie. Spare men, Cook, Rattenbury (P. E. I.), and Jimmy Murphy. The Glasgow News says: Rattenbury, formerly of the Charlottetown Victorias, a brilliant centre player, has arrived. He was looked upon last year as the Island's fastest hockey star, and it is predicted by his friends that he will be one of the shining stars of the Maritime League. Wilson, of Pembroke, Ontario, who is slated to play point, and who has been playing with the Montreal Wanderers for the past two weeks, is reported to be a good defence player, and tips the scales at 170 pounds. Last season Wilson was one of the sensations of the Ottawa Valley League.

PERSONALS

Miss Belle Gillis, Charlottetown, is visiting friends in Tracadie.

Joseph McDonald, Scotchfort, was in Charlottetown yesterday.

P. Saunders, Belle River, was in Charlottetown yesterday.

Percy Turner, O'Leary, is visiting in Charlottetown.

Harry James, Charlottetown, is in Halifax.

A. S. Prowse, Murray Harbor, was in Charlottetown yesterday.

Miss Margaret Chaisson, Souris, was a visitor to Charlottetown yesterday.

J. D. and Mrs. Jenkins, Charlottetown, returned yesterday morning from Halifax.

J. M. Rattenbury, Charlottetown, was a passenger west yesterday morning.

Wm. O'Marah, Newton Cross, was in Charlottetown yesterday on business.

Mrs. E. P. Taylor and Miss Taylor, Charlottetown, returned yesterday from a visit to Amherst.

J. A. Williams who has been visiting in Charlottetown left yesterday on return to Calgary.

Miss Jean Grady, Summerside, who has been visiting in Charlottetown the guest of Miss Buelah Munroe, has returned home.

J. H. Winfield, manager of the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Co., Halifax, arrived in Charlottetown yesterday by the Earl Grey.

W. S. Gesner, Amherst, Maritime Manager for Willis & Co., Ltd., Manufacturers of high grade pianos, Montreal, is in this Province visiting the various agencies of his firm.

For The Sick

Whatever the doctor prescribes or suggests is what we especially try to supply—and succeed so well that we are known as **Headquarters for all sick Room supplies.**

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The Quality Drug Store.

A Splendid Toilet Soap

William's Jersey Cream toilet soap is the favorite for bath or general use. It is free from any uncombined alkali. It is a splendid skin emollient and contains no injurious ingredients whatever, makes a rich, light lather and has a fragrance that is decidedly pleasing.

Large cake 10c each, 3 for 25c

The 2 Macs

149 Gt. Geo. St.

WOMAN BEQUEATHS \$10,000 TO CHARITY

BOSTON, Jan. 2.—New Year's bequests to Harvard, the Art Museum and several charitable institutions named in the will of Miss Blanche Shimmis of No. 304 Berkeley street, art connoisseur and well known for her charities. The will was filed to-day in the Suffolk Probate Court.

To Harvard is given \$5,000 for the founding of a scholarship in memory of Charles Shimmis Jeffrey, her nephew. Each of the following receives \$1,000: Museum of Fine Arts, Associated Charities, Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children and the Church Home for Orphans and Destitute Children in South Boston. The Church of St. John the Evangelist of Hingham and the Instructive District Nursing Association each receives \$500. The remainder of the estate is left to relatives and personal friends.

CRISIS IN MAYOR FARRELL'S CONDITION

BOSTON, Jan. 2.—Dr. George L. Farrell, Mayor of Halden, was reported in a critical condition to-day from pneumonia. His physicians, Dr. C. E. Triot, stated that the crisis would be reached in the next twenty-four hours. The Mayor passed a very bad night, his condition being aggravated by the noise incident to ushering in the New Year. Police men were stationed about his residence to-day to prevent any unnecessary noise. His illness is a result of an attack of grippe about ten days ago.

RAPID HEALING.

NEW YORK, January 3.—Dr. Carroll of Rockefeller institute announces scientific discovery by which a cutaneous wound may be healed in less than a day and the repair of a broken leg in four days.

OPPOSED BONAR LAW.

LONDON, January 3.—Prominent Ulster Unionists do not endorse the undertaking of Bonar Law in the House of Commons that he would not resist the enforcement of Home Rule if the electors confirmed it. Four M. P.'s and Rev. R. Montgomery moderator of the Presbyterian Church give interviews against Law's statement. Law made it clear that he spoke only for himself but he believed the Opposition concurred with him. Churchill's remarks about Ulster going over to Germany was not altogether gratuitous. Liberal papers print leaflets, posters and speeches employed in the Ulster agitation last year. The Ulsterites are quoted as saying that rather than be placed under the heel of Rome, Ulster Protestants would appeal for help to Germany, "the greatest Protestant nation on earth."

serious Times.

CONSTANTINOPLE, January 3.—The situation is now regarded as more disquieting than in November when the entry of the Bulgarians into the capital was threatened. This means that if war is resumed there will be a massacre of foreigners in Constantinople by the wild Kurdish tribesmen who number 11,500 in that vicinity.

A Great Alteration Sale

To protect and accommodate the great growth of this business it became necessary for us some time ago we are now building next door to our old stand. Part of this we have occupied for some years—the remainder to secure the getting ready to use.

THE CONTRACTORS ARE NOW AT WORK in the new part, and they will practically rebuild the structure. Their presence in the building demands three things—more room—some means of avoiding dust damage to the goods—and, above all, much money. In order that we may secure all of these three in the quickest possible time we are opening this great ALTERATION SALE.

This all means that in every corner of the store, every line of goods (with only a scant half dozen of trifling exceptions)—our whole stock is offered at the great discounts mentioned above.

It is understood that there will be no goods sold on credit during this sale—the goods cannot be sent out on approbation, and that terms will be cash in every case.

We will have an ample staff to take charge of the enormous business that will result from this great offering—and we will merely ask you to shop as early each day as you can possibly make it convenient.

Seventy Thousand Dollar Stock Discounted

ONE-THIRD off all these Lines

HERE IS A KIND OF GUIDE BOARD to show you what items are reduced One-third during the GREAT ALTERATION SALE. There are choice goods all over the store—all new, all attractive, all desirable,—whi h you will find mentioned here—some are more fully described in another section of the advertisement—others not.

One third off Dress Timmings One third off Buttons One third off Smallwares One third off Hair Switches One third off Hair Rolls One third off Cushion Cords One third off Embroidery Hoops One third off Black Lace One third off Embroidered Handks One third off Ladies' Neckwear	One third off Ostrich Plumes and Tips One third off Cloth Tams One third off Ladies' Cloth Coats One third off Misses Cloth Coats One third off Ladies' Silk Skirts One third off Silks One third off Millinery Ribbons One third off Shell Hair Goods One third off Hair Puffs One third off Stamped Linens	One third off Cushion Forms One third off White Lace One third off Allover Laces One third off Veilings One third off Aviation Caps One third off Child's Headwear One third off Tullies, etc. One third off Child's Cloth Coats One third off Cloth Skirts One third off Lingerie Waives.
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25 p. c. off practically every line is discounted— and a large proportion at TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. 25 per cent off All Dress Goods 25 per cent off All Linings 25 per cent off Dress Muslins 25 per cent off Serpentine Creeps 25 per cent off Gingham 25 per cent off Wrapperettes 25 per cent off All Satteens 25 per cent off Berlin Wools 25 per cent off Bechive Wools 25 per cent off Yvauhoe Yarns 25 per cent off Andalusians etc. 25 per cent off Embroideries 25 per cent off Cashmere Hose (except Penman) 25 per cent off Fabr.c Gloves 25 per cent off Lined Kid Gloves 25 per cent off Plain Handkerchiefs 25 per cent off Umbrellas 25 per cent off Liren Collars 25 per cent off Men's Ties 25 per cent off Braces 25 per cent off Gloves and Mitts 25 per cent off Men's Linen Handks 25 per cent off Men's Silk Handks 25 per cent off Men's Sox 25 per cent off Sheep Lined Coats 25 per cent off Cloth Caps all new 25 per cent off Underwear (except Stauffields) 25 per cent off Sweaters & Sweater Coats 25 per cent off Overalls & Jumpers 25 per cent off Men's Shirts 25 per cent off Pajamas & Night Shirts 25 per cent off Boys' Overcoats 25 per cent off Aprons 25 per cent off Wool Shazls & Scarfs 25 per cent off Wool Toques 25 per cent off Ladies Golf Coats 25 per cent off Child's Golf Coats 25 per cent off Silk Velvets	20 PER CENT Discount off all these ALL OF THE GOODS MENTIONED BELOW are yours at a discount of twenty per cent or just one fifth the price. That is to say, every article priced at 1.00 will now be 80 cents—and so, in the same proportion through all these lines. 20 per cent off Print Cottons 20 per cent off Denims 20 per cent off Cottonaded 20 per cent off Flanneletts 20 per cent off Oxford Shirtings 20 per cent off Galates 20 per cent off All Ducks 20 per cent off White Cottons 20 per cent off White Lawns 20 per cent off White Linens 20 per cent off White Dimities 20 per cent off Flannels 20 per cent off Grass Linens 20 per cent off Ribbons & Stag Silks 20 per cent off Belding's Emby Silks 20 per cent off Velvet Ribbons 20 per cent off Ladies Kid Gloves 20 per cent off Ladies' Dogskin Gloves 20 per cent off Suit Cases & Club Bags 20 per cent off all Trunks 20 per cent off Lounging Robes 20 per cent off House Jackets 20 per cent off Men's Muffler 20 per cent off Ladies Whitewear 20 per cent off Corsets (except 4 specials) 20 per cent off Ladies Underwear 20 per cent off Children's Underwear 20 per cent off Flannellette Fowns 20 per cent off Velveteens 20 per cent off Petticoats 20 per cent off Rat Coats 20 per cent off Pony Coats 20 per cent off Fur Coats 20 per cent off Fur Neckwear 20 per cent off Child's Sleigh Robes 20 per cent off Towellings 20 per cent off Sheeings 20 per cent off Pillow Cotton & Ticking 20 per cent off Blanket Coatings 20 per cent off Floor & Table Oil-cloths 20 per cent off Curtain Poles & Shades	A LITTLE STUDY WILL show you that a large proportion of the most desirable goods in the store can be bought at this discount during the next few days Go carefully through the list—come down early—make a list of the goods you want, you will be surprised at the speed with which you will be served. 25 p. c. off 25 per cent off Silk Waists 25 per cent off Sareen Waists 25 per cent off Net Waists 25 per cent off Tailor'd Blouses 25 per cent off all Wrappers 25 per cent off Waicrpr of Cloaks 25 per cent off Dressing Gowns etc 25 per cent off White Tble Lin ns 25 per cent off colored " 25 per cent off all Napkins 55 per cent off all Towels 25 ser cent off all Art Sa'cens 25 per cent off Table Covers 25 per cent off all Portiers 25 per cent off Curcain Nets 25 per cent off BEAR COATING 25 per cent off Wool Blankets 25 per cent off Silenced Cloth 25 per cent off Colored Felts 25 per cent off Down Comforts 25 per cent off F.roy Linens 25 per cent off Wall Papers 25 per cent off Pillows 25 per cent off White Counterpanes 25 per cent off White Lace Curtains
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