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# The Central Guardian

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

**TEA.**—Reserve Thursday, Feb. 24, for Women's Auxiliary Tea in St. Paul's parish hall. 7202.

**DISCOUNT.**—Everyone should pay their January electric light bill before February 10th as that date is the last to get a discount. 7196.

**HOTEL MANAGER ILL.**—Mr. Walter Hill of the Amherst Hotel, Amherst, formerly of this city, is confined to his room with a severe attack of eczema. Mr. Hill will be unable to get around for some time.

**VALENTINE SKATE POSTPONED.**—The skate which was to have been held in St. Dunstan's College Rink under the auspices of the Ladies of St. Charles Society on Feb. 14 is postponed until February 23rd. 7193.

**THE CAR FERRY STEAMER.**—Yesterday the Prince Edward Island docked in Pictou at 11.45 p. m. with one hundred tons freight, fifty sacks mail and thirty-three passengers.

**SKATE AT ST. DUNSTAN'S.**—Join the crowd Wednesday, Feb. 9 and have a skate in S. D. C. Rink in aid of the poor of St. Vincent de Paul Society. Train leaves depot at 7.15 p. m., returning after skate. 7197.

**LEAVES THIS WEEK.**—Lieutenant L. N. Seaman, adjutant of the first C. G. A., who joined No. 11 Overseas Field Artillery Ammunition Column has received notification from the war office in London of his appointment to an artillery brigade now mobilizing in England and will leave in a few days for overseas.—Hx. Herald. Lt. Seaman is a son of Principal J. D. Seaman of Charlottetown. His mother is now visiting him in Halifax.

**ISLANDER HONORED.**—Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Stevenson of Sydney were the recipients of a very pleasant surprise on Friday night, when the members of Pitt Street Baptist choir and a large number of the congregation, including the Young Men's Bible class, met at the home of Mr. Stevenson's sister, Miss Adelle Stevenson, Crescent street, Sydney and presented the young couple with a handsome mahogany table and an electric lamp. His worship Mayor Richardson was master of ceremonies. The presentation was made by Rev. I. A. Corbett. A very good musical program followed in which solos were sung by Mr. and H. G. Laidlaw, and Miss Greta Richardson. Prof. Jones contributed several piano selections. Mrs. D. P. MacDonald and Miss Janet Richardson were the accompanists.—Sydney Exchange. Mr. Stevenson referred to is a merchant of Sydney N. S., and formerly belonged to Rustico, P. E. I. He is a brother of Rev. R. W. Stevenson of Toronto.

**NEW ATTRACTION.**—"Our show case speaks louder than words." Watch for new photo every day. The Bayer Studio. 7201-31.

**LUNCH HOT COFFEE.**—Smoked wiches and cake will be served at the skate at St. Dunstan's College Rink tomorrow evening in aid of the poor. 7191.

**SOCKS ARRIVE SAFELY.**—Yesterday morning Mrs. Ings received a cablegram from Col. Ings, which read as follows:—"First lot socks arrived and forwarded, many thanks Island People." This will be pleasant news to the ladies who worked so energetically in securing the socks and forwarded same to Col. Ings.

**RED CROSS RECEIPTS.**—The following donations to the Red Cross Society have been received by the undersigned:—Mrs. Garfield Stevenson \$1.00; Mrs. Howard Weeks 50c; Mrs. Henry Weeks 50c; Miss Flora McLennan 50c; Miss Annie McLennan 1 pair socks; Mrs. G. Walter Stevenson 1 pair socks; all of Fredericton. Mrs. Wm. Mobbs Bungay 50c; Miss Annie McLeod, Hunter River 50c. Mrs. George D. McLeod is President.

**SCHOOL EXAMINATION.**—The semi-annual examination of Kelly's Cross school was held on Friday, Jan. 28th. There were quite a number of ratepayers present, and an attendance of 42 pupils including both departments of the principals Mr. George Smith and the assistant's Miss Mary Hagan. The pupils were examined by Rev. Father Curran, Inspector Devereaux and Mr. John C. Trainor, teacher of Westmoreland. The advanced class of six pupils were examined in English Composition, Latin, French, Arithmetic and other branches and acquitted themselves in a highly satisfactory manner. The examination of all the other classes gave equally satisfactory results. At the close of the examination brief addresses were given by Rev. Dr. Curran, Inspector Devereaux, and also Mr. Trainor, all complimentary of the work being done.

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**BAYONET INSTRUCTOR.**—Sergt. B. Haywood proceeded to Summerside last week to act as instructor in bayonet fighting and physical exercise. Sergt. Haywood has just returned from Halifax where he graduated from the Royal School of Infantry.

**SUCCESSFUL STUDENT.**—Sergt. M. Waddell, of the 105th Battalion, returned Saturday from Quebec where he has successfully passed the examinations necessary for the appointment of Armourer's Sergeant for the 105th Battalion. Sergt. Waddell spent six weeks at H. M. Gun Wharf, Halifax, preparing these examinations.

**KELLY'S CROSS.**—The farmers of Kelly's Cross and vicinity are busily engaged in getting out their firewood having taken advantage of the last snowfall. The many friends of Mrs. Frank Flood, Maplewood, are pleased to learn that she is slowly recovering from her recent illness.—Miss Josie McKenna, Hunter River is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Duffy, Maplewood.—Mr. Frank McDonald, St. Dunstan's College was a passenger on the Western train Saturday evening en route to his home in Kelly's Cross.—Mr. Michael McDonald who has been seriously ill during the past couple of weeks is gradually recovering.—The young people of Kelly's Cross have organized a Progressive Whist Club and are meeting with every success.

**BONSHAW INSTITUTE.**—The Women's Institute of Bonshaw, which was organized last June, has since then, done good work for the Red Cross and Patriotic Society. On 27th July they held an Ice Cream social by which they cleared \$68.45. Of this sum \$50 was sent to the P. E. I. ward in the hospital at Letquett, the remainder being kept to buy yarn & knit. A sum of \$78.00 was collected by members of the Institute and sent in to Mr. Pope. On 29th Dec. they held a basket social in Bonshaw Court House and cleared the snug sum of \$108.00. Of this sum \$25.00 was given to the Patriotic Society, the Red Cross, and the Belgian Relief funds. They spent \$32.50 on yarn and have already sent in 21 prs. of socks and 20 pairs of socks for soldiers in the trenches. Of these, 7 pairs were donations, namely: Mrs. Angus Livingston, 2 pairs; Mrs. Charlie MacKinnon 1 pair; Miss Christie MacKinnon 1 pair; Mrs. James Currie 1 pair; A Friend 2 pairs; also Mr. Charles MacKinnon \$1; Mrs. Lizzy MacKinnon \$1. Mr. Peter Inman \$1. Mr. John L. MacKinnon, the author, very generously donated 34 copies of "A Ketch Book". These were sent to three different hospitals—one parcel going to Dr. Harry Johnson at Shorncliffe, the third to Capt. MacNutt at No. 1 Canadian General Hospital in France, where they will be very much appreciated. The Institute thank those who, though not members, have so cheerfully given their help by knitting. There is still a quantity of yarn left and there will soon be another supply of socks to send in.

**OF LOCAL INTEREST.**—Robert Mantell, who will be remembered by many in Charlottetown, is the very last of the Shakespearean actors to leave the stage and act before the camera. He is under engagement to William A. Brady. Mr. Brady advised him to go to the film studios. Mr. Mantell is now assured, for a year at least, a greater income than five years of his stage career would bring. Brady himself has followed his own advice to Mantell and is in the domain of the camera men also.

**WEDDING BELLS.**—A pretty, though quiet wedding, took place at First Presbyterian Manse, New Glasgow, N. S. on Thursday evening, 3rd February, when Miss Margaret Jean Lavers, eldest daughter of Mr. W. W. Lavers, of Georgetown, P. E. I., was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Private Thomas William Hindle, of Manchester, England, now of the 106th Battalion. The bride looked very pretty in a blue velvet, tailored suit trimmed with fur and large black velvet hat. Her many friends in New Glasgow join in wishing her every happiness in her married life. Mr. and Mrs. Hindle are spending a few days in Halifax before settling in Truro where the 106th Batt. is at present stationed.

**ST. DUNSTAN'S MOCK PARLIAMENT.**—Owing to the absence of Speaker McDonald, Deputy Speaker Mr. Curley presided. Hon. F. Mullally, Minister of Militia, gave notice of tabling a bill to modify the present regulations governing the admission of volunteers to the ranks. Mr. S. Hynes, Opposition member, Calgary, then resumed the discussion on the speech from the Throne. The other Opposition speakers were Mr. P. McQuaid, Louis, Mr. J. A. Fraser, Regina, Mr. A. Biquiere, Dorchester, and Mr. H. McMillan, Sydney. Although the Government had three of its ablest supporters, Mr. E. Gagnon, Sherbrooke, Hon. P. Leclair, Yarmouth, Hon. J. T. Valley, West Elgin and even the Premier, Hon. E. L. Doyle, himself, bravely endeavoring to uphold its principles during the entire sitting the Government was utterly at the mercy of the Opposition. Mr. McMillan had not finished speaking when the House adjourned at 9 p. m.

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**PLEASANT AFFAIR.**—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryenton of Winsloe entertained a number of their friends Friday evening. After a sumptuous supper a very pleasant time was spent in games, conversation and music, and after singing the National Anthem and thanking the host and hostess for their kind hospitality, the guests repaired to their homes well pleased with the evening's enjoyment.

**VALUABLE POULTRY.**—It has been said that there is more money in the keeping of hens on an ordinary farm than in any other branch of agriculture. Mr. Percy LeLacheur of Murray Harbour last year kept 65 hens. About 25 of which were Plymouth Rock hens, which were a mixture of Leghorns and Minorcas. During the year 1915 he sold eggs to the value of \$114.49, also 40 cockerels for which he received \$5.67. Canned 13 hens, which he sold for \$1.00. He also sold 67 eggs, all Plymouth Rocks, now 67, and had the eggs used by the family and also the hens which were milled and eaten. This makes a cash revenue from the 65 hens of \$166.55 in the year. Who can beat this?

**MARKET PRICES.**—The Weekly Sun of February 2nd, has the following to say on the markets:—Seeds: Alsike is going down in price and Red Clover is also somewhat easier. Supplies are coming from market that formerly did not produce clover seed, but much of it is mixed with weed seeds. In the American markets there is a downward tendency although Alsike rose 5c during the week. Wholesale merchants are offering \$11-\$12 a bushel for Red Clover and from \$5-\$8.50 for Alsike, according to quality. Oats: Oats in strong this week at Toronto, being 3c more than last week or from 48c to 50c a bushel. At local points they are somewhat cheaper. The farmers' markets on Saturday last were Belleville 37-41c. Potatoes have further advanced and New Brunswick stock is bringing as high as \$2.00 per bag, in the Toronto market. On the local markets the farmers are receiving from \$1.30-\$1.60 per bushel. There is not much change in the butter market. At Montreal the price ranging 34½-35c per lb. Supplies are short of the demand and Cold storage butter is being used. Par Eggs continue to decline, going down 3c more this week in Toronto. American Cold Storage eggs are being put on the market at as low as 18c a dozen, so that it is likely there will be a still further decline in the price of eggs. The meat market is improving. Top prices in Toronto this week for cattle were \$8.00 per hundred lbs. for lambs \$12.00 per hundred and for hogs fed and marketed, \$9.00 per hundred, off cars.

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**NINE MILE CREEK.**—The following is the standing of the scholars of Nine Mile Creek school for the month of January, Grade VII.—1, Jessie L. Campbell, Grade VI.—1, Helen MacDonald; 2, Harriet MacPhee; 3, Flora Smith, Grade V.—1, Daniel Livingston, 2, Albert MacDonnell; 3, Flston; 4, Robert MacDonnell; 5, Vivian Gorvack; 2, S. E. Taylor; 3, Vivian Roman; Grade III. Sr.—1, Chas. MacDonnell; 2, George Smith; 3, Louisa MacDonnell, Grade III. Jr.—1, Katie Smith; 2, George N. MacPhee; 3, Earle Campbell, Grade II.—1, Margaret Dowling; 2, Janet MacDonnell; 3, James MacDonnell, Grade I. Sr.—1, Wesley MacQuarrie; 2, Isabel MacDonnell, Grade I. Jr.—1, Samuel MacDonnell; 2, Mary M. MacDonnell; 3, Jessie Smith.

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THE CIVIC ACCOUNTS for the last term are now before you. A perusal of these accounts will convince you that Mr. Riley has a thorough knowledge of civic affairs and that he deserves your confidence and support in placing him in the highest office in the gift of his fellow citizens.

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