

TIDE TABLE DECEMBER.

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December—1st to 2nd, bright period. 3rd to 4th, variable, 5th to 6th, drizzly, damp. 7th to 8th, dark, cloudy. 9th to 10th, cold wave. 11th to 12th, stormy, deep snows. 13th to 14th, cold wave. 15th to 16th, low temperature. 17th to 18th, pleasant. 19th to 20th, colder. 21st to 22nd, stormy. 23rd to 24th, sleet and snow. 25th to 26th, damp, wet. 27th to 28th, unsettled. 29th to 31st, damp, cloudy.

DIARY OF EVENTS

TO-DAY. Poultry Show in Summerside. City Magistrate's Court.

DEATHS

SIMONS.—At Cable Head, July 19th, 1914. Mrs. P. Simons, aged 85 years. McKAY.—At Cable Head, Dec. 9th. Miss Barbara Ann McKay, aged 81 years.

What are the women of Canada doing about the made-in-Canada movement? As usual more than meets the eye. There are now a goodly number of women without whom it is impossible to put their sanction on the campaign that means prosperity to their husbands, sons and brothers, the success of that campaign is certain. In this case the quality of women known as intuition counts for more than all the logic of well-constructed arguments. Women are instinctive economists—as well as instinctive spenders. When they endorse a policy of buying goods made by Canadians for the sake of Canadian homes, they do it as a matter of plain instinct. You don't have to reason to a woman that it's her duty to support her own cause before anybody else's. She takes it for granted. All this movement needed to carry it with flying colors to the winning post of national prosperity was the intuitive backing of the intelligent womanhood of Canada. To them it is as obvious as the smile that disarms opposition or the tears that conquer an enemy. There isn't an intelligent woman in Canada who doesn't stand behind this campaign to boost Canadian prosperity. Any mere man who feels doubtful or lukewarm about it had better introduce the subject to his wife. One gleam of her intuitive perception will be a match for all his lame and limping arguments to the contrary. This is no cause that divides families. Buying made-in-Canada goods at a time like this is the one cause that unites both families and communities. 6981.

THE MEAL TICKET BAROMETER.

(Watertown Times.) A company which conducts a chain of restaurants in many large cities says that the average expenditure for a meal in these places has dropped within a year from \$1 to 18 cents. The price of the food has not dropped, therefore the reduction means that many are eating less than formerly. That may be for reasons of economy

GENERAL Clearing Sale

By Benj. Carter & Co. We are authorized by F. A. Hall, Esq., to sell at his home, North River ON WEDNESDAY, DEC. 16, 1914. Commencing at 1 o'clock, p. m. The following Stock, Crop and Farm Implements. Namely:—Stock—3 Choice Horses, 1 Cow, 60 Hens. Crop—200 Bushels Mixed Grain 30 Bushels Buckwheat, a large quantity of Hay and Straw (Pressed). Implements—1 Hay Mower, 1 Wheel Harrow, new, 2 Seed Sowers, new, 1 Day Rake, 1 Spring Harrow, 1 Truck Wagon, 1 Truck, 1 Wood Sleigh, 1 Hay Fork, Rope and Blocks, 1 Driving Wagon, 1 Express Wagon, Cart Harness, Team Harness, 1 Stove, 1 Wood Stove, Base Burner, and lots of other articles not enumerated. Terms:—All sums of \$5 cash; over \$5, 12 months credit. As Mrs. Hall's farm is sold everything must go. BENJAMIN CARTER, Auctioneer. 6961-12-14m21

NO ICE

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Humber Silver Black Fox Co. Ltd., will be held in the Board Trade Rooms, Market Hall, Charlottetown, December 24th, at 1 o'clock p. m. P. E. MURRAY, Secretary-Treasurer. 6904-12-10m11.

Army Field Service

All receivers of oats are requested to send in all oats on hand immediately and to return all empty bags, as these must be accounted for. Address all shipments to P. Clarkin, P.E. Island Railway. The steamer is expected to load about December 14th. This notice is important. T. C. JAMES, Secy. 6954-12-8mtf

BARKERS BLACK FOXES, LTD.

The annual meeting of Barker Black Foxes, Limited, will be held at the Court House, at Amherst, Nova Scotia, on Tuesday the 29th day of December, A.D., 1914, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon. R. B. H. DAVISON, Secretary. 6978-12-10m14

Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Orwell Bay Oyster Co. Ltd., will be held in the Eldon Hall at Eldon, on Monday, Dec. 21st inst. at 2 o'clock p. m. J. F. Martin, Sec. Treas. 6824-12-7Mmw2w.

Protection

There is no month of the year when the thought of protection is so reasonable and appropriate as December, when kindly thoughts of home and family are so much in the minds of men—and what is life insurance but the ultimate expression of all that centres round the home and home folk? It is an old suggestion that no more welcome Christmas gift could be purchased than a life insurance policy—a seal of present health and an assurance of future comfort for dependent ones. Start the New Year right—get a policy in The Great-West Life the most popular "Mighty Canada." Branch Office, 61 Queen Street, Charlottetown. 6993-11-15m31

A LOYAL SUBJECT

The following letter, written by a young man now following his chosen profession, to his mother in this Province, speaks for itself and expresses the feelings of many others who are at present too young or are otherwise prevented from following the desires of their heart: Dear Mother:—Received your very welcome letter the other day. I was glad to hear that everything is going well down home. I hope father secures help, because very likely he will be better than I would be and if you get help then you will be able to let me go to the front. I see that you have enlisted in the second contingent. They want four hundred men in the next seven days. I wonder if there is any show of my going, as recruiting is very slow. Or will I have to wait for the third contingent. I think, perhaps I had better wait for the third contingent now, because I haven't begun to look around for someone who might make a suitable wife for me, should I return sometime from the war. It appears to be the general rule for a soldier to be engaged—that is, that he receives first of all, a certain young lady—all the Island over before departing for the front. Of course, perhaps I had better wait a little while longer before I think of that. But all I want at present is permission to go to the front. I was at a patriotic meeting on last night and there is a tremendous demand for men at once for the front. As regards the "Home Guard" that is only for men without military experience over 45 generally. All men under 45 are eligible for the front. They will not take me (on the Home Guard) because I am a militiaman and should, if possible, enlist for the front. Those under 45 who join the Home Guard are taken because they have no military experience on condition that they will enlist for the front when they see fit. The Home Guard drilling will not affect a man's work in any way. They need to drill one evening a week. It wouldn't do me any good because I know all about military tactics that I am required to know at present. You have three sons and three daughters. For my sake at least spare one son for the defense of our Mother Country, in the name of honor and righteousness. Many a mother has sent all her sons. Many around here are sorry that they haven't a son to send. It isn't because I want to go that I am asking you, it is that I'd rather stay home, but I have a duty to perform. If I realize that I might then to that call. Perhaps I might then prove as an example, so that others may enlist. If men obey the call now, then will the war end more rapidly. England wants men, and men she shall get. Far better, if she should get men now, and let men who would continue this for years. Again, have I at present any one depending upon me? If I must remain at home, if not, I must, at least, I should enlist. Of course, I'm young, but think of the boys of Germany who have gone to fight. I know you don't want me to go. Nobody ever wanted their sons to go. Nobody straight to apparent sons to walk away as the cause to Freedom was which Britain has enjoyed so long? Only by the sacrifice of hundreds of thousands of yes, of millions of lives. Now, I'm not anxious to die, or go to the front either, but when your King and country calls you, you should respond even though you have an apparently long life ahead of you, which you would wish to live, so that you might benefit this world. Well, I guess I've said enough. If you won't let me go for any. But, one thing is that I would rather a thousand times go of my own accord, than be pressed into service, which possibly might ultimately follow during the course of this terrible war. Now, don't think I'm crazy because I said all this. I don't think I am. I'm the same practically as when I was at home, and I don't feel any pangs of military madness or insanity pressing on me. I have also considered the health and moral side of it, and I have arrived at the conclusion that being a healthier, stronger and better in mind and body if proper care is taken.

DAILY SELECTIONS FOR READERS OF THE GUARDIAN

Furnished by W. S. Louison THE BEST OF FRIENDS.

There are no friends like old friends To help us with the load That all must bear who journey O'er life's uneven road; And when unconquered sorrows The weary hours invest, The kindly words of old friends Are always found the best.

There are no friends like old friends To calm our frequent fears When shadows fall and deepen Through life's declining years, And when our faltering footsteps Approach the great divine, We'll long to meet the old friends Who wait on the other side.

A man that hath friends must show himself friendly and there is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother.—Prov. 18th, 24th.

MANY JEWS DRIVEN FROM THEIR HOMES

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Approximately 2,000,000 Jews have been driven from their homes in Russian Poland, according to a cablegram from the Petrograd office of the Jewish Colonization Association, made public here today by the American Jewish relief committee. The message, in part, read as follows:— "The Jews of all Russian Poland, and the greater part of the Jews in the provinces of Kovno, Vilna, Grodno, Volhynia, Podolia, and Bessarabia are suffering. The number of refugees and destitutes approximates 2,000,000. Extreme distress also prevails among the Jews in the Gallician provinces occupied by the Russian armies. "Get your gift goods now, we will reserve anything until anytime—select your gift goods now, take them when you care to. MacKinnon Drug Co., Cor., Great George and Kent Streets. Mtf.

THE UBIQUITOUS FEMALE

She (during argument)—You must not forget that Truth is a woman. He—Well, so is untruth, for that matter. She—What do you mean? He—You've often heard of Misrepresent, haven't you?

HALLAMS WEEKLY MARKET REPORT—HIDES, SKINS, WOOL, JUNK.

Toronto, Dec. 9, 1914. BEEFHIDES are strong, and in good demand, but owing to the present high prices, both buyers and sellers are very conservative when contracts for future delivery are mentioned. City butcher hides flat 15c. per lb. Country hides, flat, cured, 16 1/2 to 17c. per lb. Part cured, 15c. to 16c. per lb. CALFSKINS are firm and generally unchanged with light supply. City skins green, flat, 17c. Country, cured, 8c. to 18 1/2c. Part cured, 16 1/2c., according to condition and take off. Deacons or Bob Cat 50c. to \$1.20 each. HORSEHIDES are strong and in air supply. City take off \$4.50 to 4.75. Country take off No. 1, \$4 to 4.50. No. 2, \$2.50 to \$3.50. SHEEPSKINS are in good demand, especially for the late take off, which brings outside prices. City sheepskins, 30c. to \$1.35 each. Country sheepskins, 50c. to \$1.35 each. WOOL is steady, receipts being absorbed to fill military contracts. Washed combing fleeces (coarse) 28c. to 30c. Washed clothing fleeces (fine) 30c. to 32c. Washed rejections, (burry, chaff, etc.) 23c. to 24c. Unwashed fleece combing (coarse) 19c. to 20c. Unwashed fleece clothing (fine) 21c. to 23c. TALLOW is steady and unchanged. City rendered, sold in barrels, 6c. to 1-2c. Country stock, sold in barrels, No. 1, 6c. to 6 1/4c. No. 2, 5 1/2c. to 6c. Cake No. 1, 6 1/2c. to 7c. No. 2, 5 1/2c. to 6c. HORSE HAIR is in fair supply, and being absorbed at current prices. Armer pedlar stock, 45c. to 50c. per pound. OLD RUBBERS, JUNK, etc., are in fair supply at unchanged prices. Rubber boots and shoes according to trim, 1-2c. to 6c. Auto tires, 4c. to 5c. Bicycle tires, 2c. to 4c. Lead, heavy, 1-4c. to 4c. Tea lead, 2 1/2c. to 3 1/4c. Brass, heavy, 9c. to 10c. Light, 6c. to c. Copper, heavy, 11c. to 12c. Light, 9c. to 10 3/4c. Zinc, 2 1/2c. to 4c.

RAW FUR MARKET.

The market on all kinds of raw fur is weaker than one year ago, owing to the war in Europe, which cut off the fur market, and to the general unsettled financial conditions throughout the world. The following gives an idea of the

S. A. McDonald, The Island's Leading Store

New Goods Arriving Daily Make S. A. McDonald's store your store. From now until Christmas packages of new goods are arriving from day to day for the big holiday trade. Buy your friend's gift today. We will store it here for you free from now until Christmas Eve. You will be requested to pay but a small deposit now and the balance December 24th.

Furs We are showing now a complete assortment of new Furs, of Muffs and Ruffs in Mink, Persian Lamb, Sable, Fox and all the fashionable Furs.

Mufflers Nothing could be more serviceable and acceptable than one of these Mufflers for either lady or gentleman at 65c., 75c., \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50 each.

Fancy Collars We have just received by express another shipment of these dainty Collars, as shown in big cities. Prices from 25c. to \$1.50 each.

Ladies' and Gents' Gloves A full and complete line of French Kid, Fur-lined Mochas, Fur-trimmed and wool Gloves, in all prices from 50c. to \$3.50 per pair.

Sweater Coats We have far the largest assortment in this city to select from now, in all the different makes, in the V-shaped rolled and in the reversible Collars. Prices at from \$1, \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.25 to \$6.

Neckwear for Men These new lines are confined exclusively to us, the patterns shown here now will not be seen in any other store in this city. We always have and always intend having the lead in this line. We have them in prices from 25c. to \$2 each.

Sale of Ladies' Coats In our mantle Department we have decided to make a clean sweep of all the remaining coats left from the biggest coat season in the history of this store. We have made it a rule for past years to clean out every coat each season. Discounts today ranging from 20 to 33 p. c. a snap.

Ladies' Waists at 89c and \$1.10 Two clearing lines of Ladies' Waists we have exhibited on a counter on the second floor. Two lots worth in the regular way from \$1.25 to \$2.50, we are selling now for 89c. and \$1.10 each.

Ladies Felt Hat Shapes At Half-Price to Clear

1.50 For To-day \$1.50 ---TUESDAY--- One Dollar And Fifty Cents is all You Need to Buy a Suit of Original Red Label Underwear All Wool Unshrinkable There are Only Twenty Dozens—So Come Early How can we do it? Well, the merchant to whom they were consigned was overstocked and refused to take delivery of this case. They were offered to us at a discount and they are here. \$1.50 Yours While They Last for Per Suit \$1.50 Our Slaughter Sale of Overcoats Has revolutionized the buying power of your money Heavy Tweed Overcoats \$5.00, 6.50, 7.25, 8.00, 8.50, 10.00. Acorn & Brown Rere Hotel Block, Kent St.

"Solid as the Continent" The financial standing of our Canadian Life Insurance Company is beyond question. In these days of "testing" security is eagerly sought for in our investment. The North American Life Insurance Co of Toronto, Canada, has been established for thirty-four years and continues to pay Large and Satisfactory Dividends to its policyholders all over Canada. Prince Edward Island has received nearly \$26,000.00 in cash returns since the beginning of the present year. Larger returns will be received by our policyholders in 1915. If you wish to know about our best plans of Insurance, write us stating age, and we will mail full information. J. K. ROSS, Provincial Manager Masonic Block, Charlottetown 6593-11-20Mtf.