

To-day's Probabilities.

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—(Special.)—The probabilities are as follows:—West to north-west gales, turning decidedly colder again tonight.

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THE Minto will leave Pictou this morning for this port.

EMPIRE LODGE, K. of P., meets to-night at 8 o'clock. All members requested to attend.

THE steamer Brant has been laid up for the winter and the crew will be discharged in a day or two.

Boys' Brigade, No. 3 Co. (St. Paul's) will meet for drill in the School Room this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

If you miss the Methodist Boy's Brigade entertainment on Tuesday evening Dec. 18th., you will never forgive yourself. Admission is but 15 cents.

REV. A. N. Simpson will preach in the Christian Church at Bradalbane on Sunday next at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 7 o'clock in the hall at Fredericton.

LIEUT. MacDonnald has kindly consented to give the Methodist Boy's Brigade a short address on Tuesday evening Dec. 18th. in the basement of First Methodist Church.

MESSRS. Carter & Co., have issued a Christmas catalogue for 1906 which contains some 18 pages of reminders for the Christmas buyer. The catalogue is tastefully printed and well illustrated.

MR. R. H. Mason's new stand has THE GUARDIAN's thanks for an artistic calendar. The design is neat and the production as a whole is exceedingly creditable to the popular and up-to-date News Stand, Great George Street, opposite the R. C. Cathedral.

ON Wednesday the 19th Dec. at the hour of 10 o'clock the returning officer at his office will unseal the packets of special votes and transmit them to the different returning officers for the several districts for which the votes are polled. On Monday Dec. 24th a declaration of members elected will be made by the returning officer for the several electoral districts of Queen's Co. at the Sheriff's office, at the hour of ten o'clock.

LADIES and gentlemen, you had better get your rink tickets at once as the ice is nearly perfected and the rink will open next Thursday evening weather permitting. Men's \$3.50 ladies \$2.50 children \$1.50. There's nothing more useful or better appreciated by the friends and relatives than a rink ticket for Christmas. Tickets for sale at A. W. Reidin, Geo. E. Hughes and Johnson & Johnson also of the managers Prowse & McMillan.

ON Wednesday afternoon the death occurred of Archibald McFadyen, Kingston. The deceased had been in ill health for some time, in fact he never recovered from an attack of la grippe contracted nearly ten years ago. For many years he has been an earnest and consistent Christian and a devout member of the church of Scotland. Four daughters and two sons are left to mourn. The daughters are Mrs. Charles Auld and Mrs. Wm. Auld, Kingston, Mrs. Wm. Johnson Mahon, New London, Mrs. Mitchell, North Wiltshire. The sons are John Archibald and Robertson McFadyen, residents of the Province.

THE St. John's Telegram says:—"The Marconi system of wireless telegraphy is being looked into with a view of having it established at Cape Traverse and Tormentine. Merchants think that if feasible, the system used in connection with the telephone system of the province would place the Island on an equal footing with the rest of the Dominion. Telegraphic communication with the mainland is very unsatisfactory as the present telegraph system is a monopoly. Messages cost twice as much as on the Mainland and there is no night or Sunday service. The result will be awaited with interest."

THESE will be a literary meeting in the Baptist School room, to night, under the auspices of the B. Y. P. U. All are invited.

THE general annual meeting of the Soldiers' Wives' League is to be held at the residence of Colonel Moore on Saturday, Dec. 15th, at 3 o'clock.

THE healthy climate of Prince Edward Island was thoroughly vindicated on Wednesday last when an aged resident nearly 102 cast his ballot for his favorite candidate.

FINAL NOTICE.—Look out for the appearance of the Defaulters' List on Monday next, the 17th inst. It has been held until that date by request. This is positively the last notice. 1131

MR. Louis A. Moore left by the S. S. Minto yesterday morning en route to Sydney. It is understood that Mr. Moore contemplates locating there. Mrs. Moore will remain in the city for the present.

OUR choirs are getting to serious work on their Christmas music. From present indications the services will eclipse those of last year. There is no better field of emulation, profitable to participants and pleasant to patrons.

AMONG the passengers by the Minto yesterday were Sir Louis Davies, Premier Farquharson, Mr. J. F. Whear, M. L. A., elect for Charlottetown, Mr. J. J. Davies and Mr. H. J. McKenzie, en route to Halifax to attend the Laurier banquet. Mr. W. C. Harris was also a passenger.

THE attention of THE GUARDIAN has been called to the fact that lights at the entrances of the post office would be in order. To effect an entrance under ordinary circumstances the frequenter is compelled to do considerable battling with doors and the aid of a light would do much in evading the blows the doors are ever ready to administer.

OWING to the closing of the Charlottetown harbor the steamer Thor with a consignment of coal for Mr. Chas. Lyons has been cancelled. The Blanch Thorburn, with 100 tons of hard coal from Halifax was due in a few days but under the existing circumstances the charter has been cancelled. The schooners A. F. Townsend, Life Boat, both loaded with coal for Mr. Lyons are frozen in at Pictou. The Schooners Vivian and Torridon were also chartered by Mr. Lyons but they will not reach this port this fall. It is understood that a few cargos will be taken to one of the eastern ports and will be freighted to Charlottetown by rail.

IT will be remembered that some time ago brief reference was made in the press to three large buildings which would be erected in Georgetown by a gentleman in Nova Scotia for the purpose of smoking fish. THE GUARDIAN learns that the buildings will be 100 feet long and 26 feet wide, one of which has been completed and the work on the other is being pushed forward as weather permits. The proprietor contemplates that next spring there will be smoked some 5000 barrels of herring in the buildings now in course of erection.

A LETTER received in the city a few days ago from an Islander in Sydney among other things says: "We have a great Hockey Club here in the Y. M. C. A. Louis D. Montgomery, Frank Compton and Ned Green are on the team. The rink will be opened by the 20th of this month. Messrs. Montgomery, Compton, Clarke and Walker are the managing committee. Fred. Wright, Sec. Treasurer, all of Summerside. Mr. William Ferguson who conducted business in Summerside for a number of years has opened his new barber shop. Mr. Fred. Armour has his produce shop nicely fitted up and in running order. It is located opposite Gordon and Keiths in half of Mr. Ferguson's barbershop. Mr. Pierce Armour arrived in Sydney on Saturday and will spend the winter with his brother.

THE Market Hall was brilliantly lighted and gaily decorated with bunting and national emblems for the Mother Goose Fair and Entertainment held last evening under management of St. Peter's Church. Everything that art and taste could suggest with a view to enhancing the appearance of the hall had been attended to and the efforts of the ladies in charge of the different booths and tables succeeded admirably in showing off the different wares to the best possible advantage. A much larger number might with pleasure and profit to themselves have availed themselves of the privilege of being present. Following were the ladies in charge.

- Tea Tables.—Mrs Warburton, Mrs. Croskill, Mrs Lyons, Mrs Cairns.
- Candy Table.—Miss Dawson, Miss Cotton
- Miss Tomlins, Miss Farclough.
- Cake and refreshment Table.—Mrs. Peake, Mrs Longworth.
- Toy Table.—Miss Simpson, Miss Julia Foster, Miss Alice Crockett.
- Ball Table.—Mrs Peters, Miss Pippy.
- Book Table.—Miss Hobkirk, Miss Terlizick.
- Flower Table.—Miss Alice Fraser.
- Fancy Table.—Miss Strickland, Mrs. Gane.
- Old Woman Living in Her Shoe.—Miss Maggie Cotton.
- Maid in the Garden Hanging out Clothes.—Miss Nora Tooker.
- Old Woman Sweeping Cobwebs from the Sky, and sells marmalade.—Miss Gertie DeBlois.
- Queen of Hearts selling Tarts, Miss Kittle Peters.
- Mother Goose in Tall Hat and Spectacles, and Simple Simon with his fishing pail were also in evidence much to the delight of the little folks present. The fair was open during the afternoon and continued through the evening.

See Sanderson & Co's ad. in another column. They're offering a snap at \$6.50. Read about it.

ON Saturday the second edition of Miss Mellish's book "Our Boys Under Fire" will be off the press.

THE choir of the First Methodist Church will meet for rehearsal in the basement of the church at sharp 8.30.

REV. Leo Williams has very kindly consented to give a reading at the Boys' Brigade entertainment on Tuesday evening in the basement of First Methodist Church.

REV. J. E. Martin, returned missionary from Armenia lectured in the Presbyterian church at Georgetown last night. The lecture was under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society and was well attended.

THE GUARDIAN's correspondent at Georgetown telephoned last night stating the magnificent harbor of Georgetown was entirely free of ice and that a number of Newfoundland vessels were loading at the wharves.

THE Montague, Brudenell, and Cardigan Rivers are apparently frozen up for 1900. Two schooners owned by Captains Mason and Feholf, respectively, which were being loaded by Messrs. Cameron and Kelly, are frozen in.

YESTERDAY Mr. Walter Lane, R. C. R., received from the Baroness Burdett Coultas a very prettily worded letter accompanied by a photo of the Colonial troops when visiting Brookfield Stud and Holy Lodge, at the invitation of Mr. Burdett Coultas, M. P., on Sept. 10, 1900. "Our Boys" are in the group and can be readily recognized. The picture also shows the Baroness in her carriage. Mr. Lane values the souvenir very much.

OUR despatches this morning state that the three-masted schooner B. C. Borden has been abandoned at sea and the captain and crew landed in Liverpool. The B. C. Borden was commanded by Captain Walter Rowe, formerly of Charlottetown, his remembrance of the crew are not Islanders. She was built at Port, Greville, N. S. in 1894, 385 tons register; she was en route to Halifax from Cadiz with a cargo of salt and was 75 days out. The owners are Capt. O. F. Taylor, Dr. J. S. Bagnall, and A. B. Crosby & Co., of Halifax. The vessel and freight was insured for \$13,000.

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