

THE WESTERN GUARDIAN

—BUYING POTATOES every day at J. P. Lord's new warehouse, Albany Station, highest market prices. Harris Abbot Co., Ltd.

—WILL BE LOADING live hogs sheep and lambs at Kensington Tuesday forenoon, Nov. 22nd. Alden Moase. 470-11-19-21.

—RETURNS FROM CAN. WEST.—Mrs. James F. Profit, wife of Kensington's chief magistrate, returned some time ago from an extended visit to friends in the Canadian West.

—TEACHER RETURNS.—Miss Nellie Goodwin, teacher in Kensington High School, returned recently from a three months' visit to the Canadian West.

—FOR TORONTO.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sheen, Kensington, left on Saturday to attend the Royal Winter Fair, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Sheen's sister, Mrs. R. M. Owen, whose husband is manager of a branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia in the Queen City.

—FOX BUYERS.—Quite a large number of sales have been made recently to Norwegian and German buyers, prominent among the sellers were W. B. MacArthur and son, Myron; Melville Donald, Jas. Sheen, Fred Lockerby, Alex. Buntain, Geo. E. Brown, Cleve Baker, William Toombs, Layton Rogers, John Walker, and Robert Humphry—the last named gentleman's "quid pro quo" running into five figures, of real Canadian dollars. Mr. William Leard also made a large sale.

—MCARTHUR - JARDINE.—A quiet but pretty wedding took place on November 2nd at high noon, at the home of Mr. James Jardine, Kensington, when his daughter Jean Hope was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Myron McArthur, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. MacArthur, also of Kensington. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fred Williamson in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The couple were unattended. The bride looked charming in a gown of white georgette, and wore the conventional veil, caught up with lilies of the valley. She carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations and maiden hair fern. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Roy Tanton, sister of the groom. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. McArthur left by motor for an extended wedding trip through New Brunswick, en route they will visit the groom's sister, Mrs. Wm. Semple, Moncton. Previous to her marriage Mrs. McArthur was generously showered with beautiful gifts by her many friends in Kensington and vicinity. Mr. McArthur is a prosperous young farmer of Kensington. Both have a host of friends and well-wishers who wish them "bon voyage" on life's journey.

—LAWLESS-CALLAGHAN NUP-TIALS.—The Church of the Immaculate Conception, Palmer Road, was the scene of an interesting event on the morning of Oct. 26, when Mr. James Lawless, of Norboro, led to the altar Miss Hazel Callaghan, of Ebbfleet, where they were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the pastor, Rev. Dr. P. C. Gauthier. The bride wore a costume of Alice blue canton crepe with black velvet trimmings, and large black velvet hat, and was attended by her sister, Miss Patricia. Mr. Cecil Hughes, of Norboro, supported the groom. After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Callaghan, where a large number of invited guests assembled to tender felicitations. Miss Callaghan has been the popular and efficient teacher in different schools of Prince County, and has a wide circle of friends, while Mr. Lawless, who is a son of the late Francis Lawless and Mrs. Lawless, of Kinkora, has farmed successfully in Norboro for several years. The beautiful array of wedding presents speak for the popularity of this happy young couple. On the evening of November 4th, Mr. and Mrs. Lawless were surprised by a friendly invasion of well-wishers and neighbors of Norboro, who presented them with an address congratulating the groom and welcoming the bride as a member of the community. The address was accompanied by a well-filled purse. The bride welcomed her guests in a simple but charming frock of white georgette trimmed with narrow bands of white satin ribbon. Mr. and Mrs. Lawless' host of friends wish them a happy and prosperous journey through life.

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—Mr. W. B. MacArthur had the misfortune to miss the train on Saturday for the Royal Winter Fair and Fox Show at Toronto, on account of unavoidable delay in delivering foxes to Norwegian buyers in Summerside on that day.

—Among the Kensington fox exhibitors are Dr. Ingham Jardine, Dr. Lechart, and Geo. E. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Brown will extend their visit to Montreal, and be present at the marriage of their daughter Jennie, in that city, on the 22nd inst.

—ROBIN HOOD RAPID CHINA OATS, Better Oats, Better China, All grocers. 11-14-2wks.

—DR. G. J. WHERRETT chest specialist will be in Summerside for a clinic on Tuesday, Nov. 22nd 467-11-18-31

—CONVALESCENT.—The many friends of Mr. James O'Connor, of Clinton, will be surprised to hear that he recently underwent a serious operation in the Charlottetown Hospital, sustaining the loss of his left eye. The inception of the trouble occurred at harvest time, when some dust, or grain seed, entered his eye which he rubbed, and no doubt irritated, causing such severe pain and stigmatism that after weeks of expert treatment it was deemed advisable to have the organ removed. Mr. O'Connor bears the infirmity with a philosophical resignation and continues to improve in health and strength after the exhausting effects of pain and operation.

—BRIDAL SHOWER.—One evening recently a large number of congenial friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Stavert, Kelvin, to bestow a bridal shower in honor of their niece, Miss Jean Jardine, Kensington, and formerly of Kelvin. While a wedding march was being rendered by Mrs. Charles Taylor, Freetown, the bride-elect was escorted to the drawing room, following by Erving Cotton and little Ella Hogg, dressed as "Bride and Groom". They were assisted by Albert Walker and Margaret McHardy, carrying a basket copiously filled with beautiful and useful gifts. These were opened by Miss Etta Stavert and Miss Mae Walker, and arranged by Miss Fannie Glover; Miss Katherine Caseley read the names of the donors and the verses so appropriately chosen. Some of these caused much merriment. Miss Jardine, thanked her many friends for their emphatic expression of cordial good wishes, and this was acknowledged by the guests in singing "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow". Thus the evening was most pleasantly spent with games and other means of social inter- course, that completely delighted the body social. A most palatable lunch was served in dainty style by the ladies. Departing the guests wished Miss Jean and Mr. Myron all happiness in their sit through life.

PERSONALS

—Mrs. Thos. Somers, Kensington, is very ill.

—Mrs. A. J. Mayhew and Mrs. Turner Glyddon, Margate, have gone to Boston, where they will enjoy a three week's holiday.

—The many friends and relatives in King's County of Mrs. Joseph G. McLellan, Indian River, will regret to hear that she is seriously ill with fever.

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—\*EASTERN AGENT—Mr. J. W. Murdoch is Guardian agent in Montague and will be pleased to receive news items, advertising, new and renewal subscriptions.

—\*CONGOLEUM SQUARES—Special price on small sizes. This week only—Poole & Thompson, Ltd. 487-11-19-31

—\*WICKER CHAIRS—Upholstered in Cretonne, Tapestry or Mohair less 10 per cent this week at Poole & Thompson's, Ltd. 487-11-19-31.

Standard Metre Ceremonies in Paris

(By British United Press)

PARIS, November 19.—It is now fifty years since the International Bureau of Weights and Measures was founded and the present director of that bureau, which has its headquarters at Sevres, has prepared and is just about to publish a book upon the Bureau and its work in commemoration of its fiftieth anniversary.

That publication will coincide with the end of the international "Conference du metre" which is held every six years, and whose present meeting of scientists and mathematicians, under the presidency of Mr. Biquard, is now coming to an end.

The other day the famous international standard metre, which is in platinum as being the most constant of all metals, made one of its rare appearances from the safe where it is kept. Members of the Conference descended into the

cellar, three stories deep, which contains the safe, and passed the five doors, each with three locks, which guard it. These doors used to be opened only once in six years, when the Conference meets, but it was found that the locks became so rusty with this delay that they are now opened once in two years at the meeting of the International Committee.

On these occasions the international standard is compared with the national standards, which must not vary from it by more than a few thousandths parts of a millimetre. In the same safe are kept four standard kilograms, also in platinum. As the slightest friction may alter their weight, the first of these is touched only once every ten years, to compare its working with the international standard kept upstairs. The second is touched once in a hundred years, to compare with the first, the third once in a thousand years; while the fourth is to remain undisturbed for ten thousand years.

The International Bureau of Weights and Measures is concerned with the metric system as an international standard, and it was founded two years after the Convention of the Metre, signed on May 20, 1875, had adopted that international standard. The French Government presented the Pavillon de Breteuil, which stands on the site of the old Trianon of St. Cloud, as the home of the Bureau, and it is there not only that the Periodical conference compares the national standard rules of each country which has adopted the

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Table with 5 columns: Women's silk and wool hose, Men's Work Boots, Cotton, Flannelette, Men's Work Shirts, Men's Mackinaw Coats.

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Revolution. It has been adopted by nearly all the countries of the world, the reason is perhaps that it was first of all imposed upon a large part of Europe by Napoleon's armies, but principally because it is absolutely logical and clear. It is perhaps the most characteristic product of the logical French mind. Once having the linear measure of the metre, which is theoretically the forty-millionth part of the meridian, but is practically based upon the standard rule forged by Jannetti and preserved in the Archives in Paris, all the other measures are calculated from it, upon a strictly decimal system. Even the weights, determined in theory by the weight of a certain cubic measure of water, are based upon the metre.

Advertisement for 'Sediment In Milk The Chief Cause Of Diarrhoea In Infants' by The Pure Milk Co., Ltd., including a list of symptoms and instructions for use.

honey. It is 22 years since the Province was carved out of the Northwest Territories, when the population was very sparse. Now it has 600,000 inhabitants, but that is fewer than three persons to the square mile. Financial Situation. Alberta's railways are somewhat of a financial burden. Her immense coal deposits are just commencing to reap harvests for the Province and are potentially destined to supply much of the Central Canadian market. These are half a dozen cities and more than a score of towns. In 20 years the Province has developed from unsettled territory into a thriving Province, the future of which is assured.

Of trouble and fear— Tomorrow is here. Distant fields are greener— Alberta's meadows are gold. There's a bond between her And all her sons hold The "Gleam Boys" aside have been My banner's unfurled On top of the world. (Take this home and get the family to sing it.) You tell em, Alberta!

Some Huge Totals From their wheat crop alone they'll have one-third more money than they had out of the entire crop last year—wheat, oats, barley and rye. These are the stupendous totals: Wheat, \$184,000,000; oats, \$47,000,000; barley, \$7,500,000; rye, \$3,000,000; total, \$241,000,000. It is the biggest year Alberta farmers have ever had by a long way and far bigger than their rosiest expectations. Wheat is still the prime source of wealth in this Province of the foothills, and the last Dominion calculation of this year's crop of wheat alone is 168,862,000, an increase of 55,000,000 over the yield of last year. Dairying is increasing in favor with Albertans, the revenue expected this year from that source being \$30,000,000. The production of creamery butter is nearly two and a half times greater than it was ten years ago, and cheese production has doubled in the same period. Butter exports to Great Britain are heavy and so are the exports to the United States, while much is sent to other parts of Canada. Poultry is coming along fast, and steady increases are shown in the production of wool, seed for fodder, crops and

MIDDLETON SCHOOL Honor roll of Middleton school for the month of October: Grade VIII.—1, Janet McKinnon; Christine Stewart. Grade IV.—1, Raymond Perkins; 2, Kenneth Stewart; 3, Isabel Stewart. Grade III.—1, Myrtle McKinnon. Grade II.—1, Alexander Stewart. Perfect attendance.—Raymond Perkins, Myrtle McKinnon, Isabel Stewart, Alex. Stewart, Mary B. MacLean, teacher. Drying the Wash. If crowded for space in hanging up the week's laundry, hang the pieces between two lines instead of along each. Many more can be hung up in that way and they will dry quickly, too. When you get that tired, lay-me-down-and-feeling-take 15 to 20 drops of Seigel's Syrup glass of water. Does the trick and safely. You feel like new.