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THE LATEST NEWS

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A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO ALL OUR READERS

CAR FERRY PROPOSITION PROGRESSING FAVORABLY

Says D. Nicholson, M.P. Tenders Will be Called For Piers by Middle of January--Total Outlay Will be Six to Eight Millions.

What shape is the Car Ferry proposition in? asked a Guardian representative of Donald Nicholson, M.P., yesterday.

Mr. Nicholson, who is spending the Christmas holidays at his home in Charlottetown, went fully into the Car Ferry question. He had, he said, anticipated a good deal of curiosity on the part of the people with respect to this project and before leaving Ottawa made it his business to secure all the information possible so as to be able to thoroughly satisfy all enquiries.

GAME PROTESTED.

MONTREAL, Dec. 30--The Ottawa Hockey Club has protested the game lost at Quebec on Saturday on the ground that Rocket Power who played for Quebec was not eligible being the property of the Canadians. Power played with New Glasgow last year.

NO ADVANCES NOW

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28--The Inter-State Commerce Commission today suspended proposed advances in lumber rates by carload from producing points in Tennessee, Mississippi, and surrounding States to destinations north of the Ohio River and Canadian points until June 13, 1918.

70 LETTERS APPEAL IN GREAT BRITAIN

LONDON, Dec. 28--The inhabitants of Great Britain averaged seventy received letters apiece in the last fiscal year, according to the annual report of the Postmaster-General. A synopsis of the report, current to-day, showed that 355,500,000 postal cards and 3,186,800,000 letters were delivered during the year.

The department has undelivered 32,622,000 parcels, for various reasons, these being included in that 477,000 packages that were undelivered. Post-office savings bank figures show deposits of \$250,712,656, and withdrawals of \$233,032,845. Over the Government telegraph wires, which are under post-office supervision, 89,200,000 messages passed during the year.

DYNAMITERS RECEIVE SENTENCE

(Canadian Press) INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 30--Imprisonment at Leavenworth, Kansas, was imposed as a punishment upon the thirty-three labor union officials convicted of having engaged in the destruction of property by dynamite over an area stretching from Boston to Los Angeles.

SHOOT AT JUDSON WINTER RANGE

Twenty riflemen gathered at the hospitable home of J. H. Judson, Alexandria, yesterday to compete in the first of a series of handicap matches for the beautiful silver trophy presented by The MacKinnon Drug Co.

CHINESE YEAR TO BE DISCARDED

(Canadian Press) REGINA, Dec. 30--According to a statement by Alexander Gettee, official agent of the New Chinese Republic, to-day, the Chinese all over the world, including China, will on Wednesday celebrate New Year's Day for the first time in the history of their race.

RED FOXES VICTORIOUS

Last night on the League of the Cross alleys, Charlottetown, the Red Foxes defeated the Black Foxes by a nice score of 54 pins in the Duck Pin League. The game was a hard-fought one from start to finish, and it was a case of every pin counting.

WAR PREPARATIONS.

LONDON, Dec. 30--Telegraph's Roumania correspondent wires that Roumania is mobilizing. LONDON, December 30--A Berlin despatch reports the discovery of the greatest spy conspiracy for years.

JESSE POMEROY TRIES TO ESCAPE

From Charlottetown State Prison. Is Serving Life Sentence.

(Canadian Press) BOSTON, Dec. 30--Jesse Pomeroy whose crimes startled the country nearly 40 years ago attempted unsuccessfully to escape from state prison in Charlottetown to-day.

DISOBEDIENCE CAUSED HIS LIFE

(Canadian Press) FLESHERTON, Dec. 30--Buried in an unconsecrated plot with orders from the family priest that no headstone or other sign shall mark his grave was the pronouncement and his wife on her demise shall not be buried beside him in the postmortem punishment of John Culbert Glemel, who met with a tragic death on a level crossing of the C. P. R. at Markdale seven miles from here.

KING RECOVERS AND GOES HUNTING.

LONDON, Dec. 27--King George, who was suffering from a slight cold, was so far improved today that he went shooting, according to his private secretary, Sir Frederick Ponsonby.

THE GUARDIAN MAKES BIG STRIDE

HEAVY SNOWSLIDE KILLED THIRTEEN

(Canadian Press) FERNIE, Dec. 30--A heavy slide of snow came down the Coal Creek on the Crows Nest Pass Coal Mine Company's mine this morning carrying with it the carpenter shop in which were twelve or thirteen men workers.

AMERICANS SATISFIED WITH CANADIAN INVESTMENTS.

MONTREAL, Que., Dec. 28--H. B. Harris, of N. W. Harris and Company, Boston, is in the city. Asked what he thought of the prospects of investments of United States money in Canada, he stated that his firm had in recent years placed between forty and forty-five millions of dollars of American money in Canada, mostly in public utilities in the East, and all their clients have been established.

WALDO WAS WARNED OF BECKER'S GRAFT.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27--"Are you sure of Becker?" "I am not sure of anyone at police headquarters." This is the question which former Commissioner of Accounts Fosdick today told the Aldermanic Committee investigating the police department that he asked Police Commissioner Waldo early this year, and the answer which he declared Mr. Waldo made.

Appoints a Special Representative in New York And Chicago

The Guardian's foreign advertising patronage is increasing at such a rate that the management has deemed it necessary to have its own special representative in the United States. Frank R. Northrup has been appointed and enters upon his duties tomorrow, January first.

SAY REILLY WAS KICKED TO DEATH.

TORONTO, Dec. 28--The News in long distance communication with the Chief of Police of Beaverton at 1.30 this afternoon found he had little new to add to what was known earlier in the day concerning the death of Ernest Reilly, whose mutilated and frozen body was found yesterday.

GREEKS SUFFER SEVERE LOSSES

(Canadian Press) LONDON, Dec. 30--A naval battle between Turkish and Greek forces was fought to-day off the island of Tenedos in which the Greeks suffered severe losses.

FIFTY YOUNG WOMEN SENTENCED TO CHURCH

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 28--Fifty young women, arrested in an anti-vice crusade here, were sentenced in police court to attend church four consecutive Sundays in lieu of customary fines. After the court Sunday shall have passed, Judge Arthur C. Fricke announced, any of these women who may be convicted again will be sentenced to the workhouse.

JAIL FARM HAD REAL HOLIDAY.

QUELPH, Ont., Dec. 30--Christmas day was observed in a very fitting manner at the Provincial Prison Farm.

Only the necessary work was done and the day was regarded as a general holiday.

A special dinner was provided for the boys at noon, consisting of roast beef and roast pork with dressing, mince pie and plum pudding and they were given as much as they desired.

In the afternoon from two to four o'clock an excellent program was carried out in the new trade-shop.

One of the boys performed the duties of chairman in a most acceptable manner, and the program was of a very high order.

There are two or three very clever musicians among the boys, and their numbers on the piano were most heartily applauded by the rest of the crowd.

There were songs, recitations and stories galore. While some of the men wore a look of gloom, this being their first Christmas away from their homes, they made the best of it and their companions who took matters less seriously went out of their way to make the day as cheerful as they possibly could.

J. A. McEwen of this city who conducts the Sunday school regularly, through the kindness of the Guelph citizens supplied each man with a magazine, and this was heartily appreciated. Arrangements are being made for special program on New Year's day, the talent being supplied by the city folk.

Good News For Subscribers

The Guardian Management has received a letter from the Canadian Countryman authorizing to continue the clubbing offer until Dec 31st, 1917.

This is certainly good news as never in the history of newspaperdom in this Province, has the Guardian been able to offer such good value to its subscribers.

For \$2.50 subscribers will receive for one full year The Morning Guardian and The Canadian Countryman (a weekly farm magazine) together with that most beautiful premium picture of "King George V in uniform."

From a letter received from The Canadian Countryman, we quote the following:

"Nothing should stop you now in reaching the 3,000 mark before Dec 31st. We are sure that this can be accomplished if you will just keep up the enthusiasm with which the proposition has apparently been received so far.

We think differently! We are allowing you to keep the offer open until December 31st, although we lose in the actual subscription receipts, but we figure that advertising will cover this deficit.

"SUBSCRIBERS' COMPLAINTS." We feel that we owe you an explanation for non-delivery of the "Canadian Countryman" to a number of the subscribers you forwarded us. Although our mailing system is one of the best, it has not been sufficiently efficient to handle the 20,000 subscriptions in three months, this being the number which we have procured and handled in that time.

We are sure you will be lenient with us when you consider the enormity of work we have been obliged to take care of. Twenty thousand subscriptions in three months is a record which no other Magazine in Canada can boast of, and we believe we would be safe in saying, no other Magazine in America.

We are writing a letter of explanation to each of your subscribers who have complained, and from this on hope to be able to give a better service. We realize you are entitled to the best service we have, as your campaign has certainly been successful and well directed.

Yours Truly, The Canadian Countryman The Canadian Countryman Pub Co. Ltd. P. S.--Subscribers wishing to take advantage of this extraordinary offer, are requested to have renewals and new subscriptions reach The Guardian office on or before Dec 31st. Wishing one and all a happy and prosperous New Year, The Charlottetown Guardian, Subscription Department.

CONDENSED ADS TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

One cent per word each insertion in this column. Cash must accompany order and five per cent discount allowed. Minimum charge twenty-five cents.

TO LET--HOUSE WITH ALL MODERN conveniences. Large garden. Apply 14 Brighton Road. 12-31M4pd.

WANTED--GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply to Mrs. Fred Groom, Gaytown. 12-31M3pd.

FOR SALE--GOOD RED FOX, MALE two years old. Price \$25. Apply to "C." care Guardian. 12-31M3pd.

CAB DRIVER--HENRY WILLIAMS. Phone, night, 386 L. Day 316 T. 12-7M12pd.

SAVING SOME HAUSAGES THE BEST made. Fresh every day at Saunders, Newsum & Co. 9-6M1.

BOARDERS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED at 16 Kent St., Mrs. George Douglass. 12-31M6pd.

WANTED A BRIGHT GIRL WITH A good education to learn the Type setting. Apply in person at The Guardian Office. 11-20M1.

LOST--A BEAGLE PUP HALF grown, male. Information concerning same will be kindly received at 32 Queen St. 12-31M3pd.

FOR SALE--SEWING MACHINE about new, bedroom set, hall rack, large mirror. Apply 14 Brighton Road. 12-31M4pd.

LOST--SUNDAY 29TH BETWEEN St. Dunstan's Cathedral and 228 Richmond St. amber rosary beads. Finder rewarded. Please leave at W. H. Scott's, Victoria Row. 12-31M1pd.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

THE WEATHER THE TEMPERATURE TIDE, MOON, ETC

(Special to The Guardian) TORONTO, Dec. 31--Westerly winds, fair and mild.

The temperature at three o'clock this morning by the Rexall Store Tested Thermometer with a northern exposure was forty-five degrees above zero and with a southern exposure was forty-six above.

The lowest temperature recorded yesterday was twenty-eight degrees above zero and the highest was forty-two degrees above. The lowest recorded the previous night was twenty-six above. At nine a. m. yesterday it was twenty-eight above and nine p. m. it was forty-two above.

The tide will be high this afternoon at 4.43, tomorrow at 5.30 and Thursday at 6.18; it will be high tomorrow morning at 5.15, Thursday at 6.30 and Friday at 7.42.

The sun sets this afternoon and tomorrow at 4.26 and Thursday at 4.27; it rises tomorrow morning, Thursday and Friday at 7.42.

The moon sets this afternoon at 12.04 and tomorrow at 12.22. The last quarter of the moon was on Monday, Dec. 30, at 4.15 p. m.

There will be a new moon on Tuesday, January 7 at 6.28 a. m. The length of today will be 8 hours and 44 minutes and of tomorrow 8 hours and 45 minutes. (From Yesterday's Evening Guardian)

The temperature at eleven o'clock this morning by the Rexall Store Tested Thermometer with a northern exposure was thirty-five degrees above zero and with a southern exposure forty above.

FOUGHT FOR FOOD AT DETROIT

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 28--Crazed by the sight of their fellows eating their fill of the free Christmas dinner provided by the Salvation Army, 300 hunger-maddened men fought, struggled, and cursed to get admission to the hall here late yesterday.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

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*Alpha Rebekah Lodge meets tonight at 8. Election of officers.

*For the best in everything pertaining to the practical in a Business Education students attend the Charlottetown Business College Results count.

*WHY SOME MEN FAIL--They do too much detail work and let bigger things go. Let the Smith Premier and a good stenographer help you get rid of the details. A. Milne Fraser, Halifax, N. S. 12-31M31.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.