

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

SHOP FROM Holman's Catalog... THIS ISSUE D. J. Bonnell...

HARBINGER OF SPRING.—A Saturday morning a large flock of birds was picked up...

WILL LECTURE TONIGHT.—An evening in the Cathedral Assembly Hall, Rev. A. J. McIntyre will deliver a lecture...

INSTITUTE MEETING.—On January 30th the True Blue Institute at the home of Mrs. Rodgers Hunter River, with ten members and four visitors present...

HOTEL MEN MEET.—The executive of Maritime Hotel Men's Association met in Amherst last Friday afternoon to arrange the constitution and bye-laws...

VISITORS TO STANFIELDS.—John S. Pierce and Mr. Walter E. Blais of the Charlottetown Milling Agencies, Ltd., Charlottetown, have just returned from a trip to Stanfield's Ltd. of Truro, Nova Scotia...

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STOCK QUOTATIONS.—HALIFAX, Feb. 2.—Quotations furnished by Ward and Johnston Members Montreal Stock Exchange

Industrial Alcohol 81 3/4, Consolidated Smelters 135, Bell Telephone 30, Bronson 30, Lawrence Flour 30, Ottawa Power 30, Cuba Cane Sugar 30, Pan American Petroleum 71 1/2, American Can 164 1/2, Brazilian Fraction 55 3/4, Howard Smith Pfd. 25, Howard Smith Com. 25, Spanish River Com. 108, Steel Company of Canada 84 1/2, British Empire Steel 1st Pfd. 155, Penmans 63 1/2, Abitibi 137, Shawinigan 82, Laurentide Pulp 82, Canadian General Electric 170, Canadian Steamship Com. 43 1/2, Canadian Steamship Pfd. 43 1/2, Canadian National Breweries 43 1/2, Atlantic Sugar 25 1/2, Am. Car & Foundry 116 1/2, Am. Smelting & Refining 93 1/2, Anaconda Copper 45, Canadian Pacific Railway 123 1/2, Crucible Steel 74, International Paper 15 1/2, Kelly Springfield 15 1/2, Mex. Petroleum 78, International Mer. Marine 78, Southern Pacific 104 1/2, Studebaker 44, Union Pacific 101 1/2, Utah Copper 125 1/2, U. S. Steel 125 1/2

REGULAR MEETING Catholic Womens League in Assembly Hall this evening 8 p. m. Important business. 228-2-3-11

POLICE COURT.—The case of a man charged with selling liquor illegally, was dismissed at the Police Court yesterday morning. Another case in which a man was charged with illegal possession of liquor was adjourned.

INSTITUTE WORK.—The January meeting of the Cornwall-York Institute was held Monday, January 5th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ewen MacMillan, York Point, with a large attendance of members and visitors. After the usual business of the meeting was concluded, Cornwall hall and some of the needful things required, blinds, curtains, etc., were discussed and a basket social and concert was decided on to be held in the hall on Wednesday, January 14. Clothing and money were donated in aid of poor families in the district. The usual daily lunch served by the York Point ladies was followed by an old fashioned sing song in which all heartily joined. Then goodnight wishes for the host and hostess. The February meeting is to be held with Mrs. Annie MacDonald, at Mr. Leigh Howard's, Cornwall.

BUSINESS GOOD.—During the past week or two the different business houses throughout the city and province have been busily engaged in stock taking. This task which is a somewhat tedious one is an annual event with every business man and serves as a guide for the correction of last year's mistakes and the introduction of improvements for the coming twelve months. As far as can be learned the year 1924 has been an excellent one in almost every line of business, the trade during the months of November and December being far above expectations. During the month just past although the weather has not been all that could be desired nevertheless business in general has been up to the standard and everything points to a prosperous 1925.

SUCCESSFUL PLAY.—The three act play "Down in Maine" staged recently in Hunter River Hall by the Hope River Dramatic club, was a decided success. A full house greeted the performers who, in parts peculiarly suited to each player, excelled themselves. The numbers between the acts were thoroughly enjoyed and each one heartily encored. These consisted of a Reading by Miss Dolron, Solo Mr. Arch. MacLeod, Instrumental Music by Mr. Grant Profit and Selections by the North Wiltshire Orchestra which alone were well worth the price of admission. At the close of the performance, all taking part were entertained at The Globe and extended a hearty vote of thanks on behalf of the citizens of Hunter River for their splendid entertainment and for their generosity in dividing the proceeds. This amount together with the net proceeds of a candy sale which was put on during the intermissions, goes towards purchasing Fire-fighting Equipment. L.

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POSITIVELY THIS WEEK ENDS IT ALL!

YOUR LAST CHANCE

Advertisement for Phillips Sales Co. featuring various goods: Mats (100 crex mats, size 2 x 4, prices each 35c), Kirsch Rods (100 Kirsch rods, extend from 36 to 63 inches, last price, each now 25c), Crib Comforts (20 crib comforts, Sateen covered, reversible, last price, each 1.49), Chintz (One big lot of chintz hand-some patterns going for yard now 39c), Curtaining (25 yards curtaining with neat pattern, last price 25c for yard is 25c), Towels (50 pair all Linen Huck Towels, good size, last price for pair 55c), Stair Pads (200 stair pads 22 and 27 in. last price each 8 & 10c), Tapestry (50 yards Tapestry, excellent quality handsome pattern for yard now 1.98), Remnants (Remnants. Some real bargains in the lot, pick them over and see for yourself. Going now at 1-2 Price), Blinds (150 Window Shades, excellent quality, size 45 inches wide. These can be cut any size. Each now 1.29), Square (Tapestry Square, size 3 x 3 1-2 handsome rich pattern, selling this week for 15.98), Carpet (Hundreds of yards of stair and hall carpet 22 x 27 inches ranging in prices 19 up), and Square (Tapestry Square, size 3 x 3 1-2 handsome rich pattern, selling this week for 15.98). FOR SALE Store Fixtures: 1 Show Case (Flat), 1 Large Cash Register, Tables and Counters, 2 Show Cases (Tall), 1 Adding Machine and Stand, 1 Measuring Machine, Filing Cabinet, 1 Large Case with Drawers. Apply PHILLIPS SALES CO.

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Wheat—May, 201 1/4; July, 170 1/4; Sept. 156. Corn—May, 135 1/2; July, 136 1/4; Sept. 137 1/2. Oats—May, 63 1/2; July, 64 1/2; Sept. 60 1/2. Wheat—May, 212 1/2; July, 210 1/4; Oct. 164 1/4.

Commerce Declines On Great Lakes (By Canadian Press) WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—In a speech in the House with reference to commerce on the Great Lakes, Representatives Peavey of Wisconsin has presented striking figures showing the decline of the commerce of most of the Great Lakes harbors. According to Mr. Peavey, the business of only a few of the United States harbors on the lakes—those in which there is a large traffic in handling iron ore—has grown in recent years. The rest are on the decline. Mr. Peavey declares that while he favors the St. Lawrence waterway, yet if present tendencies are not checked, by the time the St. Lawrence route is opened and ocean vessels enter the Lakes by that route, they will find that wharves of most of the harbors rotter. He ascribes the situation to the fact that the Panama Canal act required railroads to get rid of their boats. The result was that railroads reaching the Great Lakes sold their ship lines to private concerns. Then the railroads, having no more interest in the ship lines, quick relations with them and the private owners, losing money, had to quit business.

President Coolidge May Seek Re-election (By Canadian Press) WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Many politicians in Washington appear to hold the belief that President Coolidge is laying plans to run again in 1928. This is based partly on the nature of his recent appointments and partly on other reasons. For one thing, there has been nothing whatever emanating from the White House or from any quarter close to the President that indicates any aversion on the part of the chief executive to another term. The fact that Senator Butler of Massachusetts retains the post of republican national committee chair man is looked on as one of the evidences that Mr. Coolidge looks forward to running again. As national chairman and a close adviser of the President, Mr. Butler is in a position to build up the Coolidge organization steadily from now on to 1928. The appointments of Mr. Kellogg

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Meantime, Mr. Peavey asserts that which he terms a subsidiary of the United States Steel Corporation, has taken over most of the traffic on the Great Lakes. A few ports then the tide ebbs. In some cases in the past it has ebbed down to a very low level. Whether Mr. Coolidge will be an exception remains to be seen. It is certain that in some of the policies he is backing, such as the rates for freight on the railroads, his agricultural policies, he is charged, have gone high-going counter to the desires of a large share of Congress but his advisers tell him he is stronger with the public than Congress is. By the time the 1926 Congressional election roll around, it may be possible to get a pretty accurate idea as to which way the administration is heading, whether it remains in public favor or is losing support, the fact the Great Lakes have not

been developed in recent years as the great channel of shipping traffic which nature intended them to be. Mr. Peavey has offered a bill which provides for a government owned and government operated fleet of freighters on the Great Lakes. He holds this would go far to remedy a condition which he considers is of far-reaching importance to a large part of the United States. The subject is of special interest now in view of the agitation for a Lakes to Gulf waterway. It is held by those who advocate it that such a waterway would go far to restore the Great Lakes to the busy thoroughfare of commerce which they were formerly and for which they have the capacity. It is not likely that Mr. Peavey will realize his desire of a government owned line of shipping on the Lakes. Nevertheless, he has succeeded in arousing interest in the situation.

FORTUNE COVE SCHOOL The following is the Honor Roll of Fortune Cove School for the month of January. Grade VIII.—1, Bernice Connick. Grade VII.—1, Vera Brown; 2, Andrew Arsenault; 3, Isabel Ramsay; 4, Kier Brown. Grade V.—1, Jennie Arsenault; 2, Belle Brundage; 3, Doris Coughlan; 4, Jerry Peters. Grade III.—1, Francis Gallant; 2, Waldo Murray; 3, George Coughlan. Grade II.—1, Maggie Arsenault; 2, Ira Wallace; 3, Allison Wallace. Grade I.—1, Lloyd Yeo; 2, Phoebe Peters; 3, Lorne Yeo.

United Church To Be Very Strong

TORONTO, Feb. 1.—The strength of the United Church of Canada will be far beyond the dreams of its supporters, said an official statement issued today by Rev. Dr. George C. Pidgeon, convenor of the joint union committee. Out of a total of 9,359 congregations, or preaching stations of the three churches forming the United Church of Canada, only 324 so far have voted non-concurrence. Of these, 226 are in the province of Ontario, which province will ultimately contain approximately 3,000 preaching stations within the United Church. "The number of congregations voting non-concurrence in Ontario makes the loss to the United Church appear far greater than it really is. In each such congregation, there is a large minority determined to go with the Presbyterian Church into union. These include the leading workers and contributors of the congregation in most cases." "The event against the Presbyterian Church is largely confined to Ontario. The reactionary element is strong in certain sections of this province, but in so far as their influence goes, they are setting their province against the rest of the Dominion." "East and West are practically a unit in favor of Church Union. Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island are as emphatic in favor of a united Canada religiously as well as politically, as are the West and North. No vote will be taken in the provinces of Manitoba and New Brunswick until after June 19th.

Dr. Gano Loses To T. J. Devlin

GAGETOWN, N. B., Feb. 1.—T. J. Devlin, owned by E. O. MacDonald, of Fredericton, won the free-for-all class, the feature event on the card offered by the Gagetown Driving Club here yesterday afternoon. Jimmy Mack landed the named race. A large crowd was on hand to witness some of the keenest racing ever seen on the river speedway here. The free-for-all was a battle royal all the way, with T. J. Devlin, Dr. Gano and Jeffrey providing the thrills. Dr. Gano, owned by S. E. Rice, of St. John, won the first heat in the fastest time of the day, clipping off the half in 1:05 1/4. T. J. Devlin was second in this heat, and then won the second, but lost the third and final heat to Jeffrey, the local pacer. The horses raced on the three heat plan, and the Fredericton owned pacer had the best summary at the end of the third heat and copped the lion's share of the \$200 purse offered. Second money was divided between Dr. Gano and Jeffrey.

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