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THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

WEDNESDAY MORNING DECEMBER 12, 1906.

THE WINTER BLOCKADE.

Our winter steamer service seems destined to remain an open wound, a constantly recurring aggravation. Here we are in the first days of winter navigation, with interprovincial trade paralysed, mails, passengers and freight stopped. The western route on which the Stanley was to replace the Empress the moment the latter stopped running, has been closed to all traffic for five days. And why is this? Because the Stanley and Minto have been engaged in rescuing vessels in distress.

This they must needs do, solely because there is no other winter steamer to do this relief work. And why is there no other? Because the Government has broken its solemn engagement to supply another steamer. That is the whole story in a sentence. The new steamer, or one of the old ones could have attended to the icebound vessels, and two would have been ready to go on with their proper regular work of carrying mails, passengers and freight by both routes. It is the old, old story of callous and cruel neglect and broken faith.

The blame must be placed where it belongs. It is precisely as we have stated and for the reason stated, that all traffic between this Province and the adjoining Provinces has been paralysed for five days, while as yet the ice is only beginning to form in the Straits. What we may be called to endure before the opening of navigation next spring can only be left to sad conjecture. The outlook is dark indeed and the Government is without excuse.

Of course the Tunnel is the only ultimate remedy, But the call for another steamer in the interim until the Tunnel is built has been so loud and long and the need so great, it seems incredible that it should have been neglected. A convention of the people, all our Boards of Trade, a resolution of the Legislature, a government delegation and a people's delegation sent to Ottawa demanded the additional steamer. It was promised us by Minister Prefontaine and by Minister Brodeur in Parliament. And get things as they are!

DEATH OF DR. HANDRAHAN.

We greatly regret to record the death of Dr. James Handrahan, which sad event took place suddenly yesterday morning at 10.30 o'clock at his home. He had never been very robust, but was constantly at work, never complaining. On Friday last he was attending to his professional duties as usual, and he was only confined to his home for a few days. It was his intention to have gone out yesterday, but the end came suddenly, and apparently without pain.

Dr Handrahan was the eldest son of our well-known and esteemed fellow-citizen Thomas Handrahan, and was in his forty-first year. In addition to his official duties as Government physician to the jail and poorhouse, to which he always attended with most pains-taking fidelity, he had gained a considerable practise in town and country, and held the fullest confidence and esteem of those among whom he ministered.

In social as in professional life Dr. Handrahan was a sterling man—sincere, honest, upright, genial and kindly. Few if any more conscientious men adorn the noble profession to which he devoted his life. No power or influence could induce him to do or consent to what he believed to be morally wrong. In his quiet way he had formed many enduring friendships and his death will be sincerely regretted. The poor among whom he ministered will miss him sadly.

A widow and four children survive and to these and to his parents and other near relatives the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community will be extended. A dutiful son, a kind and devoted husband and father, a good citizen, and a man honest and true has gone to his rest.

The Ontario Government claims $567.810 in succession duties on the estate of the late George Gooderham, distiller, of Toronto. Our little Province will wait a long while for such a "plum" from such a source. There are very few if any residents of this Island whose entire assets would equal the duties on the Gooderham estate.

D. C. M. Reddin and Patrick Bourke treasurers of the Whelan Monument Fund have issued a statement on the 39th anniversary of Mr. Whelan's death, showing the state of the fund. The moneys in bank and drawing interest at 3 per cent amount to $648,14 and there are some uncollected subscriptions. An effort ought to be made to increase the fund and erect the monument during 1907. The Legislature might properly assist the fund.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

—Smelt shocks in 30 pounds and 100 pounds sizes, at L. M. Poole & Co's. 12—10d3i r3i.

—The Abegweit Scoop-net by Tom A. Hawke is a humorous book dealing mainly with local topics. An excellent gift to send to friends abroad. 12-10d3i.

—Nothing will please a friend abroad better than a copy of the Abegweit Scoop Net. 'Twill be just as much appreciated as a gift, something which costs a great deal more. 25c a copy.

—Secure a copy of the Abegweit Scoop Net in time for Christmas. The edition is being rapidly exhausted. 25c., all bookstores or from Tom A. Hawke, Charlottetown. 12-10d3i

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PAIN IN BACK AND KIDNEYS.

People often say, "How are we to know when the kidneys are out of order?"

The location of the kidneys, close as it is to the small of the back, which is not affected materially by other organs, renders the detection of kidney trouble a simple matter.

The note of warning comes from the back. Backache is the signal sent out by the kidneys the minute they become overtaxed. Those who heed the warning when it first comes, usually have but little trouble. The danger lies in delay. A few doses of

Doan's Kidney Pills

taken in time, often saves years of suffering, and in many cases life itself.

They stimulate the action of the kidneys, enabling them to perform their duty perfectly.

Miss S. C. Pye, Econ Secum, N.S., writes: "For the past three years I have been troubled with a very bad pain in my back and kidneys. It was so bad it was impossible for me to stoop or bend. I had several doctors attend me, but found no relief until I picked up one of your Egyptian Dream Books, and found out about your remarkable remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills. I procured two boxes and their action surprised me, for they completely cured me. I don't think they have an equal for kidney trouble."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for $1.25 at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

COMING EVENTS.

City Council meets on the second Monday in each month. James Paton Mayor W. W. Clarke, City Clerk.

Adjourned meeting of Lodge Prince Edward S. O. E., R. R. Degree, Friday evening, Dec. 7th at 8 o'clock.—Important business.

A Cold Finds Your Weak Spot.

THE BRONCHIAL TUBES AND LUNGS ARE PROTECTED AGAINST THE EVIL EFFECTS OF COLDS BY

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You can never tell just what form a cold will take, but you may be sure it will search out your weakest organ. With some it assumes a catarrhal nature and affects the head principally; with others it becomes bronchitis and there sets in a hard cough and severe chest pains. Then, again, it often leads to inflammation of the lungs, consumption, pneumonia or may settle on the kidneys or bowels.

Because colds do not always prove serious some people take chances with them, but the risk is great. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is intended for people who want assurance against serious results from colds.

This great medicine has absolutely proven its extraordinary control over coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, whooping cough, asthma and all such ailments, and for this reason has a place in the great majority of homes.

Mr. John Clark, coachman, Port Hope, Ont., writes:—"Being exposed to all sorts of weather, I frequently catch cold. Last winter I was so bad with a cold that I could not speak above a whisper, and had great pains in the chest. At last I feared it would develop into consumption if I did not succeed in getting proper treatment. A friend advised me to try Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine and I began to improve before I had taken half a bottle. One bottle cured my cold, which I believe, would have proven very serious if I had not used this medicine."

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, 25 cents a bottle, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. To protect you against imitations, the portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt book author, are on every bottle.

Waterman's Ideal fountain pens are the best pen made. For sale by G. H. Taylor, Jeweler. 12-8i3i.

PUT A STYLISH KNITTED VEST IN HIS STOCKING.—The surprising vogue of the knitted vest is as reasonable as it is great. There's no garment that at once gives to a man's costume so much style and such comfort. There's no place where you will find as good a line of knitted vests as you will find here. Knitted vests $2 85 to 6.25 —Moore & McLeod. 12-12d1i.

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Flavoring extracts for your Xmas baking—Pure homemade.—A. W. Reddin, Sunnyside. 12-12d3i.

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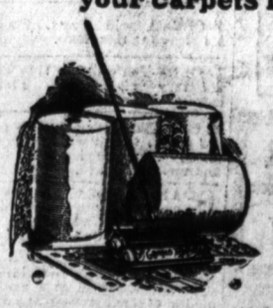

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Sealed Tenders will be received at this department until noon on

Saturday, Dec. 22nd, 1906

From any person or persons willing to contract to supply "The Hospital for the Insane," Falconwood, for the year ending 31st. December, 1907, with the following articles, the same to be delivered at the Institute at the cost of the contractor, in such quantity or quantities as shall from time to time be required, viz:—Flour, Butter (creamery), Black Tea, Coffee, Barley, Beans, Cheese, Cornmeal, P. E. I Oatmeal, Salt, *Soap, Washing Soda, *Tobacco, Molasses, Beef (fresh), Mutton, Fowl, Peas, Codfish Rice, Kerosene Oil, *Sugar (brown and granulated), Suits of Homespun Clothing (no pockets), Blankets (grey and white 8x84 inches XXXX and weight), Island Drugget.

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All articles are required to be of the best quality.

Tenders must express the price per barrel, pound and gallon and to be accompanied by the names of two responsible persons willing to become bound for the faithful performance of the contract.

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Tenders must express on the cover "Jail Supply Tender" and "Hospital for the Insane Supply Tender."

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L. B McMILLAN,
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All persons on the North side of this Island having in their possession deals or lumber being part cargo of Ship "Soyuto" recently wrecked near Priest Pond, King's County, are hereby notified that M. P. Hogan has purchased the whole cargo of that vessel, and the property is his wherever found. We would point out that the possessors of any portion of said cargo picked up on the shore, or at sea must surrender same, on payment of reasonable expenses for their trouble.

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