



THE BEGINNING OF "WIRELESS"

How Signor Marconi developed "wireless" is told by Robson Black in February Canada Monthly. Nearly all "sudden discoveries" in science, projecting the name and glory of an individual, are the composite feats of several predecessors whose elaborate steps fell short of the pedestal. So with wireless telegraphy. In 1864, Clark Maxwell worked out a theory on paper that an electric spark or "disruptive discharge" would set up oscillations in the ether. Twenty-three years later, Prof. Hertz put the Maxwell theories to the test and demonstrated their correctness. By an electric spark he managed to radiate etheric waves.

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

It Pays to buy in this Province.

CHEERY VALLEY.—There will be a celebration of Holy Communion next Sunday at Christ Church, Cheery Valley at 10:30 a. m.

SPECIAL MEETING.—Rev. G. M. Young intends holding a series of special meetings in Victoria Methodist Church, commencing Sunday, February 8th. All are cordially invited to attend.—V.

GRATEFULLY IMPROVED.—The Guardian is pleased to learn that Mrs. Augustus McQuaid, Reserve St., who has been seriously ill in the P. E. Island Hospital, is greatly improved in health and past any serious danger.

THE STEAMERS.—The Earl Grey arrived at Georgetown from Pictou on Tuesday at 10:10 o'clock with 74 tons freight, 100 bags mail and 42 passengers. The Minto docked in Pictou from Georgetown at 10:30 with 20 passengers, 30 sacks mail and 36½ tons freight.

SOCIETY WORKING.—The Mutual Improvement Society of Tryon met in the hall there last Thursday night and held a very interesting debate on the subject "Resolved that it is in the best interests of the country that the franchise be granted to Women."

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.—Great interest is being shown in the monthly French dinner at the Women's Institute in addition to the new members from time to time. The January meeting was held at the home of Mrs. George Mackay when the subject bread making was discussed with great enthusiasm, by the large number of the ladies present. Plans have been made for a bean supper to take place in the near future. For the February meeting the important topic Hygiene in Home Life is to be dealt with. It is hoped that many will take the advantage of hearing this subject considered by the capable members of this Institute.

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IMPROVEMENTS.—Mr. F. W. Snow, butcher at Victoria, had a telephone installed in his home last week.—Mr. Calvin Howatt, merchant at Victoria, had a telephone placed in his place of business.—Rev. Mr. Donie, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, Craignap, had a telephone installed in the rectory.—V.

GOOD DISPLAY.—On Tuesday Mrs. Frank Hughes, Covehead, sold to Messrs. Davis & Fraser, of this city, 1800 hogs which tipped the scales a total of 4,090 lbs. The mother of about half the lot weighed 456 lbs. This is indeed a creditable sample of the class of pork which Mr. Hughes handles.

FOX NEWS.—Attention is directed to the ad in another column of the Martin Silver Black and Patch Fox Co. of Kinross. This company have five pair of foxes—one pair pure black—and the total capitalization is only \$19,000.00. This company is without doubt the best fox proposition on the market today. Only a few shares are offered for sale, 1143.

A RUNAWAY.—A team of horses attached to a sleigh had a lively run in the vicinity of Sherwood on Monday and in their mad dash for liberty collided with a load of ice, the driver of which, on seeing his imminent danger jumped and saved himself from serious injury. The ice was scattered over the road and the sleigh somewhat broken. The horses however kept on running and when captured it is understood were somewhat injured.

EXAMINATIONS.—The following are the results of the examination in the Green Road School for the month of January: Grade V.—1, Bertha Condon; 2, Margaret Bolger; 3, Katie McDonald. Grade IV.—1, Maggie McCaughey; 2, Michael Conway; 3, Sarah McDonald. Grade III.—1, Helen Condon; 2, John C. Condon; 3, Daniel McDonald. Grade I.—1, Joseph Conway. Grace Davereux, teacher.

IMPORTANT MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Hampton and St. John's Lime Co., was held at Victoria, on Tuesday, February 3rd. The president, Mr. E. Roswell, presided. A full board of directors was present with the exception of the late W. H. Ferguson. The business for the past year was found to be in a very flourishing condition and it is the intention of the directors to increase this year's output if it is at all possible to obtain the limestone. The directors for the ensuing year are as follows:—E. Roswell, president; Messrs Charles L. Wright, Ewen McKinnon, W. H. Inman, Allan Ferguson, Henry Smith and Peter Ferguson. Robt. McDonald was re-appointed Sec'y-Treasurer.—V.

HOCKEY.—The hockey team, of Tryon, challenged the Union hockey team, of Victoria, to play a friendly game on their own air rink on Saturday. Owing to the storm the game did not take place, but will be played Monday, Feb. 9th, at 4 p. m., weather permitting. An account of the game will be given after the match.—V.

WIREMEN PLAY HOCKEY.—A close and interesting game of hockey took place in the Arena Rink Monday night after skating. The players were a team from Charlottetown Light and Power Company, Limited and a team from the P. E. Island Telephone Company, the latter winning the game by the score of 4-3. H. Currie was the star of the Telephone team and Ray Binnis showed up well for the Electric Light. The following were the line-ups:—Telephone Company—Goal, L. Howatt; Point, S. Coyle; Cover Point, W. H. Kelly; Left Wing, G. Brady; Right Wing, H. Currie; Centre, R. Barlow; Rover, A. McKinnon; Electricians—Goal, Dorrington; Point, J. Duffy; Cover Point, R. Binnis; Left Wing, S. McKinnon; Right Wing, G. Binnis; Centre, P. Lane; Rover, J. Fitzgerald. Mr. John Gordon, as referee, and Mr. Harry Whitlock, as Judge of Play handled the game satisfactorily.

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