

The Central Guardian

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AUTOS POPULAR.—45,000 automobiles are in use in the province of Ontario alone.

DISCOUNT.—Any person paying their electric light bill on or before April 10th will receive the discount and thus save money. 7676.

EASTER MARKET.—The Easter market on Saturday was very slimly attended owing to the wet weather. The various butchers had excellent displays of Easter beef, but little of anything else was offered.

WEDDED IN TRURO.—The marriage of Mr. L. Ray Tanton, of Halifax, and Miss Ethel C. Fraser, of New Glasgow, N.S., took place at Truro on April 5th. Mr. Tanton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Tanton, of this city, and is in the employ of T. C. Johnson & Sons, Jewelers, of Halifax, where they intend to reside. The Guardian extends hearty congratulations.

ISLANDER LEADS DAIRY CLASS.—Word has been received from Guelph, Ont., that Mr. J. A. McManus, son of Mr. John McManus, Bonshaw, has led the 1917 dairy class with first class honors. He scored 1020 points out of a possible score of 1200, and averaged 85 per cent. in all subjects. He has accepted a position with the Dairy Dept. of Saskatchewan.

FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas O'Brien, who died suddenly on Monday, took place Tuesday and was largely attended. Deceased was a figure on the streets and had been out only the day before his death. He was for many years keeper of the Charlottetown Rifle Range, and was a man of warm genial nature, who bore the illness with which he suffered in recent years, very patiently.

SCHOOL WORK.—The following is the standing of the pupils of Rustico Cross School, Oyster Bed Bridge, for the month of March:—Grade 1.—1. Ernest Gallant; 2. Ethel Pitre, Lawrence Doucett, Grade II.—1. Louise Gallant; 2. Mary Angeline Gallant; 3. Josephine Gallant, Grade III.—1. Mary Adele Gallant; 2. Marguerite Ann Gallant; 3. Peter O. Gallant, Grade IV.—1. Domitien Gallant; 2. Emile Gallant; 3. Alfred Doucette, Grade V.—1. Madeline Pitre, Perfect attendance:—Benoit Gallant, Agnes Doucette, Priscilla Ann Gallant.

DEPARTURE REGRETTED.—The departure of Mrs. John Mutlow and family of Mill View is deeply regretted by their many friends who were at the Mill View station on the 4th inst to bid them farewell, and to wish them God's blessing in their future home. Mrs. Mutlow and family have won an enviable reputation as neighbors and friends best known by those with whom they mingled, as was shown by the farewell parties given to young and old. Mrs. Mutlow was kindly remembered by her friends and presented with one dozen silver spoons, forks and knives as a parting token from her numerous friends. They will be greatly missed in the homeland, but what will be the Mill View's loss will be Western Canada's gain, and the home friends will look forward with pleasure to a return visit.

DEBATING SOCIETY.—The regular meeting of the P. W. C. Debating Society was held on Tuesday last. The subject was:—Resolved that War is more detrimental to the advance of civilization than is intemperance. The debate was opened by C. Simpson who spoke for over fifteen minutes, and in his very capable manner dealt with the subject in a most comprehensive way. He was followed by Mr. J. Brown the leader of the opposition, who furiously denounced the arguments of the opener, and very forcefully and emphatically presented his view of the subject. When Mr. Brown resumed his seat, having occupied over twenty minutes, Mr. Simpson moved that the meeting be adjourned as it was then after the hour. This Debate will be resumed on Tuesday next, and promises to be of unusual interest as the leaders are old time rivals.

Tuesday is the last day for receiving discounts on electric light Bills for March lighting. Pay to-day and save money. 7046-4-6M31.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—What might have been a serious accident occurred a few days ago in Victoria, when Mr. Seymour Snow, who was employed in sawing wood for Mr. James Waddell, had the misfortune to have his hand caught in the saw while he was cutting a log. The saw was stopped very quickly and Mr. Snow escaped with only a cut on one finger and a badly mangled mitten.—V.

VACANT LOTS OFFERED.—It is gratifying to note that citizens are responding to the appeal made to them to place vacant lots at the disposal of pupils for cultivation during the present summer. The following have been offered and accepted while others are expected: Mr. Ritchie, Upper Hillsborough; Major Barrett, Easton St.; Mr. Samuel Kennedy, School St.; Miss McDonald, Fitzroy St.; Mrs. J. B. Russ, Prince St.; Mrs. Cook, Villa St.

SOCIAL FAREWELL AND PRESENTATION.—Life, sometimes, seems to run on in ordinary and commonplace channels like a stream through an uninteresting plain, till suddenly at some unexpected turn the stream flows into some delightful nook shaded and abounding with a wreath of flowers. So seemed the respect and friendship of the neighbours and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Newson and family, ordinary, commonplace, but on Tuesday night, April 3, at their home in Kingston, it flowed in "spate" and flooded the home with intelligent life and hearty good will, to evidence the fact that though flowing smoothly it had been flowing strong. Mr. and Mrs. Newson and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Newson, are leaving the neighborhood to settle in Brackley Point, Baptists, Methodists and Presbyterians were there to show respect and to express good wishes and farewells. Speeches were made by Mr. D. Fraser, Mr. S. Ackland and Rev. Arthur Hurn. A well packed envelope was then presented on behalf of the company to Mr. and Mrs. F. Newson. Supper and games were a part of the evening's program and both were enjoyed. The two families will be much missed in Kingston.

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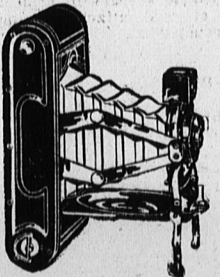
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