

THE KING'S COUNTY GUARDIAN

REV. D.R. ANDREWS'S HEARD IN CENTENARY

AS TO WOMEN'S CLUBS

TRUTH ABOUT PRINCE RUPERT

Offices in Montague, (Capt. W. A. John, Manager, and in Souris, M. S. A. Zorn, Manager)

The latest news, first of all. Mrs. Florrie Cavanagh, Earncliffe, was a visitor this week at her old home at Cardigan Bridge.

On Tuesday, Jan. 19th, Daniel F. Mooney, of Greenvale, and Margaret Deagle, of Bear River, were united in marriage at St. Alexis' Church, Holo Bay. The bride wore a suit of ladies blue cloth and a white picture hat. She was attended by her sister who was also attired in blue with hat to match. The groom was ably supported by his cousin, Daniel G. Mooney, a son of Andrew Mooney of Little Harbor. After the ceremony the wedding party drove to the home of the bride where a dinner was served in Mrs. Deagle's best style. Having spent a few short hours there they resumed the drive and soon arrived at their future home, where the many relations of the groom assembled and a very enjoyable evening and night were whirled away by dancing and music.

BIG FREE TRIP FOR THE YOUNG LADIES

(Continued from page 1.) Kensington, Summerside and Alberton will form a district and the young lady resident of either town who obtains the largest number of votes will enjoy the trip. Prince County, not including Kensington, Summerside and Alberton, will form a district, and the young lady resident therein who obtains the largest number of votes will enjoy the trip. Mortague, Georgetown and Souris will form a district, and the young lady resident in either town who obtains the largest number of votes will enjoy the trip. King's County, not including Montague, Georgetown or Souris, will form a district, and the young lady resident therein who obtains the largest number of votes will enjoy the trip.

THE SPLENDID CAREER OF A SUGAR KING

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26—Claus Spreckels, widely known as the "sugar king" of the Pacific coast, who died recently in San Francisco, Cal., was born in Darmstadt, Hanover, in 1828, and emigrated to America in search of fortune in 1846. He first started as a junior clerk in Charleston, South Carolina, and then went to New York city. He had read about the gold found in San Francisco, and in 1848 started for the Eldorado of the West. His first venture was in a small store. For many years he had been studying the manufacture of sugar, and at the end of 1863 established the Bay Sugar Refinery in San Francisco, purchasing all his own material from Hawaii. He soon made his refinery one of the most important industries of the West. In 1866 he sold the business and went to Germany for a rest. In 1868 Mr. Spreckels returned to California and created a factory called the California Sugar Refinery in 1878. In less than ten years he built another and larger refinery, with a capacity of 225,000 pounds of sugar daily. At this time he invented and perfected a process for making hard rock sugar by which he could do more in twenty-four hours than he had previously been able to do in six days. He went to Hawaii, where he saw the possibilities, and acquired all the land he could, contracted for as much of the native product as he could, and purchasing a whole island, erected an immense refinery, the largest in the world at the time. He built another great refinery in California at a cost of \$2,000,000. His capacity for producing sugar now reached 1,500,000 pounds a day. He virtually controlled the trade of the West, owning a farm of 1,500 acres and a beet sugar factory at Watsonville, California, and by degrees acquired the right to the produce of all the lands in the Hawaiian Islands, which he developed with marvelous quickness. He established a line of vessels, both steam and sail, founded a commercial bank, and started a bank. In 1887 he left his great interest in charge of his subordinates and took his family once more to Germany. On his return from Germany he found that the East Coast had succeeded in forcing him out of his San Francisco properties. They had the Bay State Works and had changed the name to the American Sugar Refinery. He came East to Philadelphia and built a refinery at a cost of \$5,000,000 on the Delaware River, which he opened in 1889. He then sold out his refineries both in Philadelphia and San Francisco. He was now principal owner of the Oceanic Steamship Co., running between San Francisco and Honolulu, and had a large ranch at Santa Cruz. Mr. Spreckels made many donations for charitable purposes and was always the champion of civic betterment. It was his son, Rudolph Spreckels, who furnished the money for the investigation of the San Francisco corruption, which ended lately in the conviction of Ruef.

MORE PENSIONS FOR VETERANS' WIDOWS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27—Widows of deceased soldiers and sailors of the Civil War in instances where the marriages occurred since June 27, 1890, may be pensioned under the provisions of a Bill favorably reported to the Senate yesterday from the Committee on Pensions. Under the existing law widows of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War are not pensionable unless their marriages took place prior to the date mentioned. It is estimated by the Pension Bureau that there are about 15,000 or 20,000 women who would be benefited by the passage of this law. Last year there were between 9,000 and 10,000 deaths among widows of soldiers and sailors, and therefore, it is argued in support of the measure that the increased pension budget would not be increased materially. The report of the Committee said it cannot be assumed that these widows who married since June 27, 1890, were influenced by mercenary reasons as under the existing laws they had no pensionable status. Opponents of the measure point out, however, that the Bill furnishes a reason for denying pensions to seek out aged soldiers and marry them, as under its provisions they would be pensionable after the death of their soldier husbands.

VISITS HAVANA ON ANNIVERSARY

HAVANA, Jan. 27—On this, the eleventh anniversary of the arrival of the former battleship Maine on her ill-fated mission to Cuban waters, the new Maine, with the still more modern Mississippi in her wake sailed into Havana harbor to be present at the inauguration of General Jose Miguel Gomez and the new Cuban government next. This is the first visit of the name of the wrecked warship, and her coming excited great interest, not only among Americans, but among all classes of the residents. They lined the harbor walls from La Punta battery, off which the two American battleships are moored to anchorages. The new Maine arrived at 11 a. m., precisely the hour at which the old Maine steamed into the harbor on January 25, 1898. The old Maine saluted the Spanish flag over Morro Castle, Monday the new Maine, which is the flagship of the third squadron of the Atlantic fleet, commanded by Rear Admiral Arnold, saluted the Cuban pennant, flying from the historic old fortress. The salute was returned by the Cuban battery on a high hill overlooking the harbor. This afternoon calling was exchanged by Rear Admiral Arnold, Governor Magoon and the American minister, Edwin V. Morgan.

FAMOUS VAUDEVILLE ARTISTS ARE HERE

The Imperial Japanese Troupe, which was billed to play in the Opera House on Tuesday, arrived on yesterday's boat and will open their engagement tonight. These wonderful Japs draw an enormous salary and their being held up in Picquet has put the manager to much expense as they draw their salary if they perform or not. At Sydney last week they created a sensation in their different amusing fare-dwell performances, being impossible to the ordinary individual. There are five of them in the troupe three men and two children. The little ones are also performers of rare ability and vie in cleverness with the more adept elders. There is no comparison between these Japanese and any other performers on the American Vaudeville stage today, and their playing in Charlottetown at the price of ten cents to children and fifteen cents to grown-ups is hard to understand. Minard's Liniment Cures Colds etc.

MRS. HOWATT HAD TOLD HER INTENTION

ST. JOHN, Jan. 27—An inquiry into the cause of death of Mrs. Howatt, wife of Wm. Howatt, of the McAuliffe Stock Company, and who died here in the General Public Hospital at the beginning of the present month, was begun before Coroner Berryman last night. Mrs. Howatt continued tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock, when Mr. Howatt and Mrs. Jera McAuliffe will give evidence. Dr. Barry told about being called in to see Mrs. Howatt on Jan. 3 and found her lying unconscious on a bed upstairs. He was told that she had been taking three or four pills a day for a certain purpose. He was shown a box with one pill in it. These were ammenagogue pills, put up by Parks Davis & Co. There was on the box the name of a druggist in the city. The next morning the patient was in a bad condition and he ordered her to the hospital. Referring to the formula of the pills, Dr. Barry told of the use to which they are put, and said the ingredients are potent and strong if taken in large enough doses. Mrs. Jas. McAuliffe said she had known Mrs. Howatt for some months. She told the witness a couple of days before her death that she was going to take some abortive medicine. Mrs. McAuliffe advised her not to, but she persisted in her determination, saying she wanted to go on the road with her husband and he went with her to the house on the Sunday night that Mrs. Howatt was sick and remained about an hour. Dr. Warwick, who conducted the postmortem examinations, described the results and gave it as his opinion that the cause of death was due to the absorption of some irritant in the contents of the stomach pending a postmortem examination into the case.

OBITUARY

There departed this life at her home Ocean View on Wednesday the 13th inst. Flora Buchanan, beloved wife of the late William Weatherbie in the 81st year of her age. Deceased was born at Mount Buchanan, and was eldest daughter of the late Malcolm Buchanan. She leaves to survive five sisters and three brothers besides a large circle of friends and relatives. Also four sons and three daughters, Malcolm and William of Olympia, Wash.; George of Vancouver, B. C.; Mrs. John Docherty, New Haven, P. E. I.; Mrs. Ronald McLellan, Glace Bay, C. B.; Mrs. Murdoch Buchanan Boston, and John at home with whom deceased resided. There are also so twenty-eight grand children. She was visited during her illness, by Rev. Mr. McPhee with whom she loved to converse respecting eternity. She bore her illness without a murmur and died as she had lived trusting in the finished work of her redeemer. Her funeral took place on Friday the 15th at Belfast Cemetery and was largely attended, services being conducted at the house and graves by Rev. Mr. McKenize, Wood Islands. A precious one from us is gone. A voice we loved, is still. A vacant place in our home which never can be filled.

CONSTITIATION

Special meeting for advancement of Kimberley L. T. B. Lodge, No. 172, will be held in Wright's Hall tonight at 8 o'clock. Full attendance requested.

HOOD'S PILLS

Headache, biliousness, heartburn, indigestion, and all Bowel ills are cured by Hood's Pills. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

COMING EVENTS

Red Rose meeting, Lodge Prince Edward, S. O. E. Tuesday, February 9th.

SMOKE AND THEY HAD TO BEGIN ALL OVER AGAIN

Anything more dreary than the eyes and lips of the woman who knows nothing but drudgery does not exist among galley slaves and quarry toilers. The vivacious contributor goes on to say that the modern woman's club has been evolved out of the gossip in the neighborhood of the kitchen. Then came the sewing-society and then the work for the heathen. After a while the heathen became a trifle wearisome and it dawned upon women that there would be no harm in assuming their possession of brains and discussing something more than the Hot-tentots and the shiftless immigrants. Slowly but surely there came the woman's club—civic where clean streets and pure water-supply were discussed—literary, where "Sordello" and "Barter of Renartus" were investigated for the "tenth time—musical, where Liszt and Beethoven yielded rhapsodical and harmonious mornings. "As a result, suddenly, unexpectedly, for the first time in history, the woman finds things beginning to be evened up; finds she can begin to look her menfolk, even her own menfolk in the eye, with something of the equality that a dawning comprehension of her gifts, as well as of her graces, gives her. "Now if the woman's club can do this one thing, this one most desirable thing, and for the women who need it the most, it is my contention that it does not matter how it goes about it; that no matter if it does make mistakes, no matter how much too seriously it takes itself, in its overestimate its influence, or how its experience; if the woman's club can do this one thing, I say, the least the world can do is to stand off and allow it to do its work in its own way and in its own time." There are, to be sure, society but, trifles, and these dangerous little creatures are preached about as if every other woman in Canada were likely to become a butterfly and forget to be a useful honey-making bee. The danger in this country just the reverse. The lives of too many Canadian women are dull and monotonous and it is in no loyalty to their homes that they envy the men who always find a half-hour for a smoke and a chat. Our women do not want to smoke—the men are welcome to the nasty, malodorous cigarettes. But let us have the club, by all means, and get away from the pettiness which has too often been a just reproach of the servicable sex.

SMUMERSIDE MARKETS

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Beef (carcass) per lb 6 to 7, Buckwheat 76 to 80, Butter per lb 18 to 20, Calfskins, per lb. 25, Eggs per doz. 25, Hay, loose \$4.50, Straw 42, Blk. away from that particular form of the square deal. Prince Rupert is to have places and parks—which will prevent a fire running far—and undulating avenues and hills crowned with white edifices. It will not be one of those dull, decorous cities where a boy and a girl can't loose themselves in case of necessity. I climbed up one of the hills—probably it was what is called the Acropolis on the plan—and the view across the harbor was charming. Three years ago the site was virgin forest; and though it has been cleared, the stumps remain here and there. The soil, which overlies solid rock, is made of decayed vegetation, and is damp and peaty. Many of the present temporary buildings are set on piles; they look like packing cases in hotels, and a number of dollar-a-day propositions where, they give the guests "good, square meals," and ask them to sleep in bunks, as in French-Canadian shanties. At present it is a dry town, the sale of

SEASICKNESS QUICKLY CURED

"Mother's Milk" quickly cures Sea and Car sickness. Guaranteed perfectly harmless to the most delicate. Money refunded if not satisfactory. For sale at Drug Stores and first-class steamers, or Mother's Milk Remedy Co. Ltd., 288 St. George Street, Montreal. For sale and recommended in Charlottetown by Reddin Bros., A. W. Reddin, George E. Burgess, R. L. Rankin and A. W. P. Gourlay, Summerside.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Grace Church Choir meets tonight for practice. *Attention is called to the ad tenders for stone which appears in this issue. *Special meeting for advancement of Kimberley L. T. B. Lodge, No. 172, will be held in Wright's Hall tonight at 8 o'clock. Full attendance requested. *Frederick Parkmar is offering his farm for sale. See classified column. *VOICE SPECIALIST.—Prof. H. A. Tanton teacher of voice culture, piano and organ. Voice culture a specialty. Studio Great George Street. 10-5dmwfrw6.

BRITISH NEWSPAPER SPEAKS OF THE NEW CITY OF THE NORTH—WILL RECOVER TRADE.

Vancouver Daily News Advertiser, January 1st, 1909.) E. B. Osborn, special commissioner of "Canada," the London illustrated journal, who was in Vancouver not long ago, gave a Winnipeg "Free Press" reporter some information concerning Prince Rupert. He said: "I should think more lies have been told about Prince Rupert than about any new city ever yet sprung up in the west. For example, I was warned not to go there until the spring, unless I wished to walk 70 miles over the ice-floes to get in and out. Another Ananias (with modern improvements) told me that it rained here at day and all night all the year round. But, why repeat these lies? Prince Rupert is in the latitude of London, England, and everybody who knows the British Columbian coast knows very well that it is an ice-free port. As for the rainfall which is said on good authority to be virtually the same as of Vancouver, and similarly distributed through the year, all I can vouch for is that the weather was fine and mild during the week I was there. The harbor is the finest in Canada. It is formed by a perfectly protected covered inlet 16 miles long, a mile broad, and 26 fathoms deep on an average. The bottom has good holding for anchors, and there is 30 feet of water at the lowest tide, by the temporary wharves. The nature of the approach from seaward has been criticised in certain quarters. But all such criticisms have been finally disposed of by Captain J. F. Parry, R. N., of H. M. S. Ageria, which is making the Admiralty survey of the entrance. He says: 'It is no breach of etiquette on my part to state that the result of the survey is entirely satisfactory in so far as the approach to Prince Rupert from seaward is concerned.' That ought to be enough for the political variant of the modern Ananias. Of course, the real Prince Rupert is not yet in being. Until the townsite is sold—probably in May—permanent buildings cannot go up. Nearly everything there now will be swept away when the plans of the engineers are carried out. Prince Rupert is not to be a checker-board city. To my mind, that is a great point. You can't get a picturesque city on the rectangular plan. Those who know Detroit with its radiating avenues know how pleasant it is to look away from that particular form of the square deal. Prince Rupert is to have places and parks—which will prevent a fire running far—and undulating avenues and hills crowned with white edifices. It will not be one of those dull, decorous cities where a boy and a girl can't loose themselves in case of necessity. I climbed up one of the hills—probably it was what is called the Acropolis on the plan—and the view across the harbor was charming. Three years ago the site was virgin forest; and though it has been cleared, the stumps remain here and there. The soil, which overlies solid rock, is made of decayed vegetation, and is damp and peaty. Many of the present temporary buildings are set on piles; they look like packing cases on hotels, and a number of dollar-a-day propositions where, they give the guests "good, square meals," and ask them to sleep in bunks, as in French-Canadian shanties. At present it is a dry town, the sale of

MOST CANADIANS HAVE CATARRH

Our Changeable Climate is Responsible. Where the atmosphere is damp, with sudden changes in temperature, almost everybody has Catarrh, in some form or other. The ordinary cold in the head inflames and weakens the membranes lining the nose and throat, and starts a discharge. The next cold is more easily caught, and soon the patient is never quite free of it. As Catarrh develops the discharge increases—drops into the throat, especially at night—and takes on an offensive odor. Besides being exceedingly disagreeable, there is great danger of the disease extending to the lungs, stomach, or bowels. Though it is very difficult to cure, Father Morrissy devised a combined internal and external treatment that has cured thousands. The Tablets tone up and invigorate the system, and assist Nature in throwing off the disease, while the salve, applied up the nostrils, clears out the discharge and heals the membranes. Combined treatment, see at your dealer's, or from Father Morrissy Medicine Co., Ltd., Chatham, N.B.

MONTAGUE MARKETS

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Herring per bbl. \$5.00 to \$6.00, Flour, Roller Process per 196 lbs. \$5.00, Cod, per quintal \$4.00 to \$5.00, Oats per bush 38 to 40, Potatoes per bus 20, Oatmeal per cwt. \$3.25, Butter per lb. (creamery) 20, Hides, per lb. 68, Harley, per bus. 68, Beef, per ton loose 68 to 68, Beef per pound 4 to 5, Lamb (per lb.) 6 to 7, Calfskins, per lb. 8 to 8, Cabbage, per doz. 60, Beets, per bus. 60, Carrots, per bus. 12, Turkey (per lb.) 10, Cheese (per lb.) 10, Ducks (per lb.) 10, Chickens (per lb.) 8, Eggs 20, Pork 72. *Attention is called to the ad tenders for wood which appears in this issue. *At the close of the regular meeting of Hamilton, L. O. L., Monday evening, February 1st, the R. A. P. Degree will be conferred on two candidates. Members of sister lodges invited. *Don't forget that tonight A. E. Morrison delivers his lecture on the cable, in Grace Church—Silver collection at the door—Begins at 7.30. 1-29411. *Attention is called to the ad apple sale of B. Carter & Co's, which appears in this issue.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. W. GROVE'S signature on each box, 25c.

CHARLOTTETOWN MARKETS

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Beef quarter 6 60 to 7, Beef small 6 to 10, Flour 6 to 10, Oatmeal 6 to 10, Beans 6 to 10, Berls per bush 8 to 9, New onions per bush 8, Ducks (pair) 75 to \$1.00, Chickens (pair) 75 to \$1.00, Butter Fresh per pound 24 to 25, Eggs 28 to 30, Lamb per lb. 8 to 12, Straw pressed per ton \$5.50, Straw (loose) cwt. 30, Hay (loose) cwt. 45 to 50, Hay pressed per ton \$8.50, White Oats (new) 33 to 40, Black Oats (new) 40 to 42, Potatoes 23, Pork 74 to 8, Cheese \$1.00 to 1.25, Turkeys (per lb.) 10 to 12.