

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE.

of the Provincial Government of Prince Edward Island for the Year 1900.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.		
General	\$1,200	
of the Crown	450	
Prothonotary	800	
Queen's County	\$650	
Prince Do	150	
King's Do	150	
Supreme Court	950	
Disbursements, Supreme Court	100	
Printing, Stationery, etc.,	1,700	
County Magistrates, \$200 each	600	
Prosecutions in Magistrates Courts	500	
JAIL, QUEEN'S COUNTY.		
Warden's Salary	365	
Deputy Warden's Salary	365	
Attendant	100	
Maintenance, etc.,	30	
	1,200	
JAIL, PRINCE COUNTY (AND COURT HOUSE).		
Warden's Salary	300	
Deputy Warden's Salary	300	
Attendant	100	
Maintenance, etc.,	20	
	1,000	
JAIL, KING'S COUNTY.		
Warden's Salary	200	
Deputy Warden's Salary	200	
Attendant	100	
Maintenance, etc.,	20	
	420	
LAW COURTS, CHARLOTTETOWN.		
Warden's Salary	400	
Light and Repairs	800	
	1,200	
COURT HOUSE, GEORGETOWN.		
Warden's Salary	60	
Light, etc.,	70	
	130	
COUNTY COURTS.		
Salaries of Clerks	1,975	
Disbursements and Repairs	700	
Stationery, Printing and Stationery	70	
	75	
	2,820	
Total Administration of Justice		\$14,970
EDUCATION.		
Chief Superintendent's Salary	1,200	
Travelling Expenses	100	
Chief Superintendent	600	
Inspector of Schools	2,400	
Inspector of District Schools	150	
	4,450	
Principal P. W. College and Normal School	1,900	
Professor	1,000	
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"	900	
"	800	
Director in Book-Keeping	200	
	5,100	
Teachers' Salaries	113,057	
Do Do Bonus	1,300	
Scholarships	489	
	114,786	
Printing and Stationery, Education Dept.	550	
Miscellaneous	60	
Repairs, etc., P. W. College and Normal School	910	
	125,800	
HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.		
Medical Superintendent's Salary	825	
Maintenance, Repairs, etc.	19,175	
	20,000	
INSPECTORS OF LICENSES.		
Inspectors under C. T. Act, \$200 for each County	600	
Inspector of Com'l Travellers' Licenses	300	
	900	
LEGISLATURE.		
Members' Sessional Allowance, Wages, Stationery, Officials and Disbursements, Printing of Journals and Sessional Laws	7,140	
Subsidiary Library for Purchase of Books	160	
	7,300	
MISCELLANEOUS GRANTS.		
Telephone Company Subsidy	855	
Provincial Rifle Association	100	
Queen's Gardens	200	
Confederation for the Deaf and Dumb, Halifax.	100	
School for the Blind, Halifax.	375	
Department, Charlottetown.	650	
Department, Summerside.	150	
Mrs. Mary Whalen	300	
	2,730	
Miscellaneous Expenditure	400	
	3,130	
PAUPERS.		
Legislative Assembly Grants	2,630	
Executive Council	570	
	3,200	
House, Maintenance.	3,200	
Postage and Rent of Post Office Boxes	450	
	3,650	
PUBLIC LANDS DEPARTMENT.		
Salary of Clerk	500	
Commissioner	325	
Advertising, Printing and Stationery	75	
Collecting Tours, Land Sales and Miscellaneous	100	
	1,000	
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY-TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.		
Prov. Sec.-Treas. and Com. Public Lands	1,200	
Assistant Prov. Secretary-Treasurer	1,000	
Clerk	680	
Printing, Advertising and Stationery	880	
	3,880	
PROVINCIAL AUDITOR'S DEPARTMENT.		
Provincial Auditor's Salary	1,000	
Printing and Stationery	175	
	1,175	
PROVINCIAL BUILDING.		
Keeper's Salary	400	
Messenger's Salary	225	
Fuel, Light, etc.,	900	
	1,525	
REGISTRY OFFICE, CHARLOTTETOWN.		
Registrar of Deeds, Salary	1,000	
Assistant Do.	600	
Enrolling Clerks	1,000	
Books and Stationery	60	
	2,600	
REGISTRY OFFICE, SUMMERSIDE.		
Registrar of Deeds, Salary	500	
Assistant Do.	500	
Books and Stationery	50	
	1,150	
STENOGRAPHS AND LIBRARIAN'S DEPARTMENT.		
Court Stenographer and Librarian, Salary	1,000	
Assistant, Stationery and Supplies	570	
	1,570	

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Commissioner's Salary	1,200
Secretary's Salary	600
Draughtsman and Engineer	600
Printing, Advertising and Stationery	475
Miscellaneous Expenditure	300
	3,475
FERRIES, QUEEN COUNTY.	
Cranberry, Hillsborough River	27
McCannell's Do. Do.	45
Elliot River	1,500
China Point	60
Richard Kirwan	50
Floats, Charlottetown, Southport and Rocky Point	200
Steamer Southport, East and West Rivers, repairs, etc.,	2,400
Ferry steamer Elfin, Charlottetown and Rocky Point	1,687
Steamer Hillsborough, Charlottetown and Southport	6,000
	10,599
FERRIES, PRINCE COUNTY.	
Ellis River	95
Walshtown	80
Summerside and Hurd's Point	1,400
	1,575
FERRIES, KING'S COUNTY.	
Poplar Point	100
Boughton Island	80
Cardigan	180
Georgetown and Lower Montague	2,350
Annandale, Lot 56	60
	2,950
Wharves for three Counties	1,800
	3,205
PACKETS.	
Charlottetown, Orwell, Crapaud, etc.	2,400
Do. Wood Islands and Little Sands	110
Do. Murray River and Little Sands	80
Do. and Belle River	100
Do. and Pinnette	75
Do. Montague and Murray Harbor	500
	3,265
Roads, Queen's Prince and King's Counties	238,450
Supervisor's Salaries	15,000
Bridges, Queen's, Prince and King's Counties	1,800
Bushing Ice	7,000
Telephones, Rent &c.	675
Miscellaneous, Public Works	215
Detachments Sinking Fund	400
Unforeseen	2,775
Provincial Exhibition	1,000
	6,000
	\$278,345

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One Girl's Way.

Written for THE GUARDIAN by L. Scott, Saskatchewan, Alberta.

The Saskatchewan is a long river but no spot along its banks is prettier than Fort L., and nothing in the Fort is prettier than Muriel McRae. At least, such is the opinion of Jack Richards and he is supposed to know, for certainly no one has given the subject such a careful study.

Jack is a typical westerner; rough, good-hearted, an unpolished diamond, with broad, square shoulders and sunburned face, a man whom all men like and women admire.

But that is as nothing to Jack; for two years his only idea has been loving this fairest object in Fort L., and she, spilt child as she is, rewards his devotion by laughing at it.

Muriel is petite, dark, naughty, and an incorrigible flirt and Jack, who is patient himself, bears it all with a wonderful degree of fortitude, grateful if Muriel takes it into her pretty empty little head, once in a while to be kind to him.

They are standing now on the bank of the river, watching the sun set. It is spring and the country looks wonderfully fresh and fair.

The two young people are silent for a time. At last, Muriel cries, "See that curious rock, down there, Jack? I want it."

"Very well, I will get it for you," he says quietly.

"No, you won't, I will get it myself."

"But you can't; the bank is too steep."

"Fiddlesticks," Muriel cries impatiently. "I am not afraid."

"But you must not attempt it."

"Indeed who says so of you, eh?" and with a saucy laugh, she runs lightly down the bank, trips a little, catches the bushes for support, and then it is all over and she stands on the shore, and looks up at him mockingly.

"Now, you dear old simpleton, here I am, sound as ever; come down, come down, you look too awfully imposing up there, like patience on a monument, etc., etc."

Jack follows her and says, "It will be a more difficult matter to climb up, Muriel."

"Oh, horrid old croaker, do be quiet," she says carelessly; then she laughs and says, "Could you not carry me up Jack?"

Jack flushes and looks at her in a stupid sort of way. Carry her up! Muriel laughs again. It is an interesting little tableau, the pretty saucy-looking little girl, only a child, and so very little, looking up with laughing, amused eyes at the big, strong man, who flushes at her naughty, childish question. "What is the matter with you! Don't look so unhappy, my dear boy, she'll trouble you so far. But I will help you up, if you like." "Muriel!" he exclaims.

"Yes. Now don't talk any more; where is the use of words on such a night as this? And you are always so disagreeable now; you—"

"Muriel, I will talk; I can't stand this any longer. I—what an admirable flirt you are, Muriel. Why can't you say yes or no to me! Muriel doesn't get angry; it is really not worth while, but she laughs heartily and cries "yes or no Jack! As if I would say 'yes.'"

"Don't say 'no' Muriel," he pleads.

"Muriel, I wish you knew how much I love you."

"Now, Jack, you don't, you only think you do. Why can't you be sensible?"

"Muriel, you are hateful, and I hate you," he cries, at last.

"I know you did. Now Jack, go right home and—"

"I am going. I will trouble you no longer. Good-bye, Miss McRae."

As Jack turns and leaves her, Muriel stares for a moment, then laughs softly. "He will trouble me no longer," he says; why he will be back to-morrow."

But in this she is mistaken. To-morrow comes, but not Jack and next day Muriel hears that Jack Richards is going east.

He has grown tired of the west and has resolved to return home.

Mr. Richards is a general favorite, so his friends hold a farewell banquet in his honor. Muriel is invited and naturally she decides to accept.

There is a large party gathered at Mrs. Clonbree's. Every one wishes to say good-bye to Jack and wish him God-speed.

The evening passes very pleasantly; then an address is read to Jack, telling him how much they have appreciated him. Now they will miss him, setting forth all their good wishes etc., to which Jack replies suitably, a little nervously. But as he is struggling towards the close of his speech, there is a stir among the guests and a little figure rushes up to Jack, two white hands are clasped on his arm and Muriel's voice exclaims tearfully,

"Jack, don't go; please don't. I will be kind to you, and—oh, Jack."

Of course there is a scene.

Surprise gives place to horror, amusement, laughter.

But Jack behaves nobly.

Taking Muriel's hand in his he says quietly, "My friends, you have probably guessed the reason of my going away, but as Muriel has promised to be kind to me I think I shall stay; so instead of your regrets, I ask for your congratulations."

Every one rises to the occasion and there follows a happy season of congratulations and good wishes.

Then some one proposes three cheers for the future Mrs. Jack; and at that Muriel turns and flies. She makes her escape by a side door. Jack follows her and the cheering crowd are left to stare at each other.

He overtakes her just as she is trying to hide behind a willow bush.

"Muriel, my darling girl, what made you do it," he says breathlessly. "O Jack," she begins; then she breaks down and sobs. Jack looks on helplessly.

"I wish I was dead," Muriel declares between her sobs. "I will never want to see any of those horrid people again. Why did you let me do it, you miserable man! she asks."

Jack laughs in a happy sort of way and taking her in his arms, presses his lips to hers.

"My darling, I know you love me and you can't go back on me now, you know. What would those horrid people say?"

HEART NUMB.

It is fashionable to say that a new heart some vary 24 hours. The commonest symptoms of heart trouble, such as palpitation, weak spirits, loss of appetite, and poor circulation, are, magnified and absorbed into various signs of heart trouble, with the object of frightening the public into taking this or that heart remedy. If a hundredth part of the heart trouble we hear about were real, the cemeteries would be filled in a month. A wrong construction is put upon common ailments, in order to humbug the people into the belief that heart disease is prevalent, where as real heart trouble, which is so sadly and suddenly fatal when it does occur, is a rare disease. Lippid arguments cannot convince an intelligent people. Iron is a vital element of the blood. Too little iron means weakness, lack of spirits, pallid cheeks, shortness of breath, sleeplessness, nervousness, loss of vital force, ending in general break down. The Iron in Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills is in the soluble form you need, in combination with other curative agents in such a manner that disease can't resist their action. You feel yourself getting well when you take Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills.

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Medical Faculty Exams

The written examinations in the Faculty of Medicine at McGill will commence shortly. The schedule is as follows—

Saturday, 23rd—Physics and chemistry, first year.

Monday, 25th—Medicine, fourth year; chemistry, second year.

Tuesday, 27th—Hygiene, third year; physiology, first year.

Wednesday, 30th—Obstetrics and gynecology, fourth year; physiology, second year.

Thursday, June 31st—Materia medica, third year; materia medica, second year.

Friday, June 1st—Surgery, fourth year.

Saturday, 2nd—Ophthalmology, fourth year.

Monday, 4th June—Mental diseases, third year.

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