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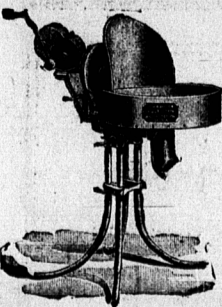
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Take one large cup of butter and lard mixed; one cupful of sugar, one cupful of molasses, one-half cupful of water, one tablespoonful of ginger, one of cinnamon, one teaspoonful of cloves, one teaspoonful of soda and flour for stiff dough. Pour over the soda a little boiling water before using it. Mix the ingredients thoroughly, for if the dough is not properly mixed, the cookies lose in flavor, and they will not be shiny and spicy when done. These cookies should be rolled thinner than sugar cookies.

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THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

POLICE COURT.—At the Police Court on Saturday morning before His Honour Mr. K. J. Martin, Malcolm McAuley was brought up on a charge of drunkenness. He was convicted and fined \$10 or thirty days.

A GOOD FOX DEAL.—The Boston Silver Black Fox Company, with its office in Boston and ranch here, has sold options on three pairs of 1915 pups, to a syndicate of Boston men for \$10,000 per pair.

ST. JAMES' GUILD.—There will be an important meeting of the St. James Guild at the Prince's home, 80 Euston Street, tonight, at 8 o'clock sharp at which all members are requested to attend.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.—Subscribers will please note that the club office for the Canadian Countryman is only good for the Quebec subscribers on Prince Edward Island \$1.99

FOR THE FRONT.—Among those who have enlisted in the contingent sent from St. John, N. B., is gunner James T. Durant. Durant is a son of John C. Durant, Marquis, E. I., and has been living in St. John for the past few years. Since going to England he has been employed on the Quartermaster's staff, which leaves for the front on the 15th of this month.

AGED LADY DEAD.—The death occurred at Orwell, on Jan. 12th of Catherine Maclean, relict of the late John MacQueen, aged ninety-nine years. She leaves to mourn the following members of the family, Margaret and Christy at home and Alexander in the States. She was a woman of sterling qualities and highly respected in the community.

NOTICE.—Subscribers are notified that the price of the Morning Daily Guardian (mailed in P. E. I.) and Montreal Daily Star is \$4.00 per year. The Morning Daily Guardian (mailed in P. E. I.) and Family Herald and Weekly Star is \$3.25 per year. The price of the Evening Guardian and Montreal Daily Star (mailed in P. E. I.) is \$3.25 per year, the Evening Guardian and Family Herald and Weekly Star (mailed in P. E. I.) is \$2.25 per year.

MALPEQUE.—Wm. A. Crozier, who went to Boston to spend his Christmas holidays has returned home having spent an enjoyable and profitable holiday with his friends. On Thursday night the following were elected as officers for the Aberdeen Division No. 197 Darnley for the present year:—A. W. Woodside, W. G. Gertrude Adams, W. A. Geo. McKay, R. S. Emily McKay, A. R. S. James A. Woodside, Thomas G. Crozier, F. S. Helen Donald, Conductor; Annie Abbott, A. S.; Colin Mountain, P. W. P.; Wm. Crozier, Chaplain; F. W. Russell McKay, O. S.—D.

AT THE FRONT.—Prince Edward Islanders will be interested to know that Mr. J. K. McInnis of Regina, who is one of the successful islanders abroad, has one of his sons, Walter, in the second contingent. Walter enlisted at Fort Osborne Barracks, Winnipeg, and is now awaiting orders. He was born in the west and early in life became imbued with the heroic spirit, this being due, in a large measure, to his daily observations of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police. He served two terms in the military school and obtained the rank of Captain. Mr. J. K. McInnis and Mrs. McInnis it will be remembered, paid a visit to the Island last summer.

SAD DEATH.—The death occurred at Malpeque early Saturday morning of David Maher, aged nine and a half years. The young lad was in school on Monday when he took a cold. The doctor was summoned on Thursday but couldn't tell what caused his illness until Friday, when he pronounced it diphtheria and the little boy died early on Saturday morning. On account of the contagion home of the neighbors could go to their aid and the family were alone all night and great sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents. The school has been closed. The little fellow who was one of a twin brother was the light of his home and his funeral took place privately yesterday.—D.

CORAVILLE.—The school is progressing favorably under the skillful management of Miss Campbell. Miss Euphemia McKinnon of Southampton paid a flying visit to Corraville recently the guest of Eva Wilson. Miss Alice Sharkey and Mr. Peter Campbell were guests of Hyson MacIntyre recently.—Mr. Damen Morrison of Corraville spent Xmas in Southampton the guest of Patrick H. McKinnon.—Joseph McCauley of Corraville paid a visit to Southampton recently the guest of D. R. Cacauley.—Miss Eva and Susan Wilson spent Sunday at St. Peter's.—Misses Annie Morrison and Eva Wilson spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of Mrs. Hyson MacIntyre's recently.—Mr. Daniel Wilson spent the week-end in Midgell the guest of Archie MacAulay.—Mr. Daniel McKinnon of Corraville spent New Years in Dundas the guest of Dr. Morris.—Mr. Joseph MacAulay is training his speedy trotter Maude, the fastest expecting some fast drives during the winter.—Mr. Daniel Wilson and Frank Morrison were visiting on the Elm Road lately the guests of Effie Nicholson.—Mr. Owen Sharkey of Corraville spent Sunday at St. Peter's the guest of Mr. James Purcell.

FRESH FROM THE "PINEY WOODS."—Come the white bark and red spruce gum used in making Penaslar White Pine Spruce Balsam—the cough remedy you ought always to have in the house, 25 and 50 cts. bottles. Get it at E. A. Foster's the "Penaslar" Drugstore

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INVALIDS RETURNING.—In a letter dated January 1st received Saturday by Capt. T. Edgar McNutt from his brother Capt. L. W. McNutt, M. D., now with the Canadian Army Medical Corps at Salisbury Plain, The letter states that he had put seven invalids on board ship for Canada at Liverpool on the day the letter was written.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—A very painful accident occurred on Tuesday evening, Jan. 11, when Mr. Roy Campbell, Chelton, and his sister Vera were returning home from an evening's pleasure of skating. While they were away, the gate which led into a field not far from their home, happened to open and it swung across the road. The night was dark and the gate was not seen by the driver until one of the wheels came in contact with it, throwing the carriage against a nearby post. The horse rearing himself from parts of the harness, Mr. Campbell jumped out hoping to save either himself or his sister. He was thrown violently under the wagon, breaking a leg. He is gradually improving under attention of Dr. Ballem.

MARSHFIELD.—The Presbyterian Church of Marshfield held a very successful Xmas tree and entertainment on Monday evening, Dec. 28th. It being a lovely bright night the church was soon crowded to the doors to enjoy the program prepared by the children. The Rev. Mr. Coffin acted as chairman and as he conducted the numbers to number surprise results could be rendered from the small ones, each number being heartily applauded, the program was as follows: Words of Welcome, Master John Andrews, Chorus, by the Children, Re-Margaret Coffin, Recitation, John Andrew, Song, six little girls, Recitation Mildred Thompson, Recitation, Rita Boswall, Recitation, Henry McLeod, Dialogue by seven boys, Duet two little girls, Recitation, Marion McFarlane, Recitation, Ruby Stewart, Recitation, Irene Foster, Solo, Susan Xmas Carol by the Choir, Recitation Jeanie Thompson, Recitation, Janie Foster, Dialogue, Keeping Xmas, Chorus by 12 scholars, Recitation, Gladys Ferguson, Recitation, Vera Recitation, Solo, Elsie Rhynes, Recitation, Florence Stewart, Recitation, Gladys Crawford, Recitation, Maggie Stewart, Chorus by the Children. Next on the programme came Mr. Santa Clause in the best of humor with gifts for all the little ones also candy and oranges. The tree, which was heavily laden was soon relieved and Mr. Santa took his departure as he seemed in a hurry, probably to get around to other places. He didn't even wait for a word of thanks and praise which the chairman was ready to give him. Just before the close Miss Florie was taken by surprise when she was presented with a handsome Christmas card from the congregation, an appreciation of her valued and faithful services as organist of the church. The entertainment then came to a close by singing God Save the King.

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ENTERTAINMENT AT POWNAL.—Under the auspices of the Methodist Church at Pownal, "The Minister's Bride" will be produced on Thursday evening, Jan. 21st, at Pownal Hall by the Charlottetown Company who recently played it so successfully. Admission, 25 cents. 8293-M31.

JOINS SISTERHOOD.—Many friends in this Province will learn with interest of the entrance to the community of the Sisters of Mercy, Manchester, New Hampshire, of Miss Minnie E. Duffy, who made her final vows on Saturday week. Her name in religion is Sister Mary Estelle. The new religious is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. P. Duffy, Charlottetown formerly of St. Ann's, and taught school very efficiently at North River and Morell before she entered upon her novitiate two years ago.

ENJOYABLE BANQUET.—On Wednesday evening at Pownal members of Kingston Star Division gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Crews where they held a large banquet, about 7.30 Mr. Crews being the oldest member of Kingston Star was called on to take the chair and after making remarks on temperance he then speaking on behalf of himself and his amiable partner cordially welcomed all to enjoy themselves as best they could. The following programme was then rendered:—Patriotic songs the Maple Leaf For Ever by the members of Kingston Star. Solo, Cecil Stewart. Solo, Laura Newson. Music, Watson Larter. Recitation, Ruby Barrett. Duet, Lolo and Melissa Barrett. Recitation, Ethel Crews. Music, Russel McNeill. Reading, Charles Paul. Song, Raymond Crews. Song, Melissa Barrett. Music, Lydia McGregor. At the conclusion of the programme Mr. Clow, Mayor of Humboldt, Minn., was called on for a speech, which he ably delivered in good style. He spoke on Temperance for a few minutes and then gave a beautiful discourse on love which heartily broke the house down with laughter. He then briefly spoke on the war. After Mr. Clow's address the alarm for supper was given. About forty were seated at the table and all partook of the good things provided by the ladies. They then enjoyed themselves with games of all sorts, all the while the music of the band singing God Save the King and thanking the host and hostess they departed for their homes all feeling proud of the pleasant evening spent.

HOCKEY IN CANSO.—It is the intention of the hockey enthusiasts of Canso and Hazel Hill to form a league between the Charlottetown Artillery and the 78th Regt. from New Glasgow, the 94th Regt. from Sydney and Inverness, the Cable employees and the Canso boys. Previous to this league being opened an interesting practise match was played on Saturday afternoon on the lake below the Cable Station, between the Artillery and the 78th Regt. It was a very close game, both teams being very evenly matched. At half time, when neither sides had scored, a regrettable accident took place when the Artillery player, the King and the puck on the forehead, making a gash which required four stitches. On resuming the game after half-time, six minutes of the close of the game when the Artillery net for the first score. It had grown quite dark while nearing the end of the game which no doubt accounted for the score to a certain extent. Callaghan, McIsaac and Burke starred for the Artillery, while Morgan has the many clever stops, which accounted to a large extent for the opponents score being so low. Among the players on the New Glasgow team was a former Charlottetown boy, Percy Gregory, who played with the Victorias three years ago. The Artillery players, although very busy at the present time are getting in as much practise as possible and expect to attain as high a degree in hockey as they have attained in other things since coming to Canso. The league opens on Thursday next when the Charlottetown Artillery plays the Commercial Cable Stars. The home trophy is up for competition between the five teams above mentioned. The lineup of the Artillery was: Goal, Morgan; Point, Scantlebury; C. Point, Shepherd; L. Wing, Trainor; R. Wing, Burke; Rover, Callaghan; Centre, McIsaac.

IN MEMORIAM
MRS. ALEXANDER NICHOLSON
Passed peacefully to rest at Peter's Road, Lot 63, on December 28, 1914, after a long illness, borne with Christian resignation, Mrs. Alexander Nicholson (nee Isabella Morgan McKenzie) beloved wife of Alexander Nicholson in the 80th year of her age. Mrs. Nicholson was a most esteemed woman of the community, of a modest, cheerful disposition, ever kind and ready to help and advise those in need. In the closer circle of "home" she was a faithful wife and mother, and the hearts of the bereaved husband and family are wrung with grief at the great loss of one, who was bound to them by the strongest ties of life. She has seen many years and the changes wrought by that time. Born in Scotland, in Oct. 1835, she, when six years of age, came to this Island, then for the most part an untilled wilderness, and had to take her share of the hardships of that early time. She did not shrink, when the call came to take that last and solemn journey, for she trusted fully in the atoning merits of her Saviour. For the past 28 years she departed had been a member of the Presbyterian Church of Murray Harbor North. Besides the bereaved husband the following of her family survive: John and Donald at home, Samuel of Peter's Road, Mrs. James Compton of Montague, and Alexander of Mass. U. S. The funeral services were ably conducted by Rev. Archibald Sutherland, pastor, and the remains followed by a large number of relatives and friends were interred in the cemetery at Murray Harbor North. To the bereaved husband and family the sympathy of the community is extended.

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LATEST FROM THEATRES

NEW YORK HIPPODROME.
For three weeks Broadway has been busy guessing what the "surprise" in preparation, at the New York Hippodrome for presentation when it re-opens a week from Saturday night might be. Now the secret is out. The first glad harbinger of Spring is at hand. The new production is to be a circus!

A circus in all that "the greatest show on earth" implies—spectacular stunts, a mighty monopolization of merry monarchs of mirth, a curious constellation of cleverly comic clowns, desperately daring, death-defying diversions, transcendently terrific thrills from the tented tops, agile aerial actors, extraordinary equestrian exploits, and a realistic revival of the regal romps and revels of the circus Maximus—in the New York Hippodrome, termed in the announcement, "Earths Everlasting Edifice of Entrancing Entertainment!"

It is all this strongly suggests that Spring is here witheld your judgment for a moment and harken to the title of this early edition of the "merry white tops" via the "Little red wagon" route—"New York Hippodrome's Winter Circus!"

Arthur Voegtlin, the wizard of the New York Hippodrome, who has presented one great surprise after another on the stupendous stage of that huge house, has harked back to the earliest form of popular public entertainment to express his genius in these trying times, when only the hardest hit and loudest laugh "get by." Last Spring Mr. Voegtlin plunged from scenic spectacle and mighty melodrama to the dulcet beauties of light opera as expressed by Messrs. Gilbert & Sullivan in "H. M. S. Pinafore," with such success that his production proved a sensation and had to be sent on the road in response to public demand.

It is hard to picture Voegtlin arranging the "grand entrance," "congress of clowns," "ensemble of aer-

ial exploits," "tumultuous tumbler" of ground and lofty tumblers," "legions of lofty leapers," "aggregations of academic animal acts," "furiously fantastic flying figures of frail femininity," "beauties belch on the cats," "palanques of perch performers," "myriads of merry-makers," "herds of high-school horses," "perfectly proficient pachyderms," "pink lemonade and all the other accessories that go to make up the greatest delight of the small-boy, and the most prolific alibi for his elders to evade dull care for an afternoon or evening. Yet he has entered upon the task with the same quiet, intense zeal that he would accord a highly artistic production. It is Voegtlin who is directing every detail of the preparation for what promises to be the most complete and comprehensive circus performance ever presented. The disturbed conditions abroad have made available wonderful European novelties of ring and arena that have never been seen in America before. We are not told, but we may guess, that the huge Hippodrome is to be transformed into a replica of its forerunner of ancient Roman days. One and all are informed, however, that the Hippodrome will present a few days hence the greatest equestrian and equilibristic acts, mid-air, ring and arenic feats, animal acts, clowns convention, gymnastic and acrobatic array, riding reviews, demonstrations of deftness and dexterity and of death-defying temerity ever assembled under any roof, temporary or permanent.

While most of the "wise ones" were anticipating a season of popular priced grand opera at the Hippodrome this surprise has been arranged. The big Sixth Avenue amphitheatre will dispense with the production, "Wars of the world," close on Saturday night and will remain dark for a week while the final touches are being given to the performance that will open on the succeeding Saturday as the "greatest show on earth."

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