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THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

WEDNESDAY MORNING JUNE 20, 1906.

VITAL STATISTICS

At the last session of the Legislature an act was passed to secure the registration of births, marriages, and deaths, to be known as the Vital Statistics Act. This measure had long been needed, and the Legislature and Government had been urged to enact it by the medical profession, by the Women's Council and by various newspapers, including The Guardian. We now have the law in operation.

Its provisions are about as simple and inexpensive as they can be made. The Province is divided into registration districts with a Registrar for each. The father of any child born, the occupier of a house in which a death takes place, and every clergyman who solemnizes a marriage are required to report such events to the Registrar of the district. Births must be reported within thirty days, deaths within seven days in country places and within two days in Charlottetown or Summerside and marriages within thirty days.

Clergymen, doctors, coroners and undertakers should all make themselves acquainted with the provisions of the Vital Statistics Act, as there are provisions of importance specially applying to them. For instance every clergyman is required to keep a register of all persons whom he baptises, or marries, or at whose funerals he officiates. And no clergyman, in Charlottetown, Summerside or Georgetown shall bury or perform any funeral or religious service for the burial of the dead, unless he has received a burial certificate from the Registrar.

The medical practitioner in attendance during the last illness of any deceased person, is obliged to report the death of such person to the Registrar with a signed certificate of the cause of death. This is a most important provision as it will supply much needed information in regard to the fatality of various diseases, in regard to which no reliable statistics are now available. The law is, as we have said in its general scope simple and inexpensive to the individual, as the Government pays all charges for the registration of births and deaths.

Almost all civilized countries, states and provinces have long had a system of registering births, marriages and deaths, some of which systems in the older countries are very elaborate. The Province has been behind in this matter, and it is to the credit of the Government that the want has been supplied. We bespeak for the Act the loyal support of all good citizens, in promptly reporting all births, deaths or marriages occurring in their households. The law provides penalties for the neglect of these duties, but it is hoped and expected that these may not be required.

It is to be observed that just in proportion as the three most important events in life are reported and placed on record will be the accuracy of our vital statistics report. The prime object of the law may be summarised to be: To obtain accurate information as to the number born, and the birthrate per thousand; of the number who die, the cause of death in each instance, the proportion of deaths from each specific disease, as tuberculosis, for instance, the total death rate per thousand of population, and the proportion of deaths to births; to prevent concealment of births, or deaths, or burials, and generally to supply such information in regard to vital statistics as

have been hitherto wanting here but are available in all other countries.

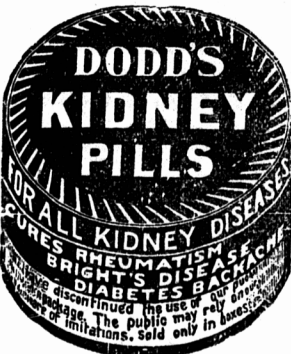
We desire to impress upon our readers the importance of this measure, which is one that The Guardian has advocated for many years past. An instance of this importance is found in the movement for the prevention and cure of tuberculosis. Hitherto we have been entirely in the dark as to the number dying of the white plague in our Province. Registration of deaths will supply the needed information. As to the number of births we have been equally in the dark and the vital statistics of the Dominion have been sadly incomplete because this one Province had hitherto no system of registration.

It is most desirable to know how our Province compares in general healthfulness with other Provinces and countries. We believe it will be found to compare favorably, but we do not know until we have the facts officially reported and tabulated. We believe that infant mortality is relatively small here, as compared with Montreal, Quebec or Toronto but we want to know the facts in order that our Province and City may be duly accredited. For these reasons we deem it important that all good citizens shall co-operate with the official Registrars in making the statistics as full and accurate as possible.

Friendly spirits in both countries have arranged for a visit of leading German editors to England. It is a capital move in the interest of peace and good feeling. Britain and Germany ought to be friends.

The Czar has resolved that the members of his Parliament shall take a recess from June 28 while he and his family go on a yacht cruise, presumably for their greater safety. The members of the Duma are apparently determined not to separate until they have secured liberty for Russia. A great crisis is evidently at hand.

When we get the S. S. Montcalm in our icy waters next winter, (if we do) the duties of an ice-breaker. But at least in some respects her equipment is superb. Breakfast cups and saucers that cost \$1.04 each, fish dishes at \$13.28 each, half dozen fish covers \$19 each, coffee pots at \$23 each, teapots at \$21 each, four milk jugs at \$17 each, sugar bowls at \$27 each, three fruit stands at \$47 each, three ice pichers at \$20 each, are part of the splendid outfit, not to mention 70 champagne glasses that cost \$42.58. These may not "cut much ice" in a passage across the Straits, but they seem to accord with the luxurious tastes of our present rulers.



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Kentville, N. S., June 18.—To Rev. A. E. Burke, Alberton: Is Prohibition successful in Prince Edward Island? Would you advise Nova Scotia adopting your law? (Signed) E. B. NEWCOMBE.

Alberton, June 18.—To E. B. Newcombe, Kentville: Eminent success and we have the power to make it more so if it is not. I certainly would advise you to adopt it. (Signed) A. E. BURKE.

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Wednesday, June 20th

AT 7 O'CLOCK P. M.

Delegates will be appointed from the different Polls to attend the Liberal Convention to be held July 3rd next, in Charlottetown.

GEO. E. HUGHES,
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WM. A. WEEKS,
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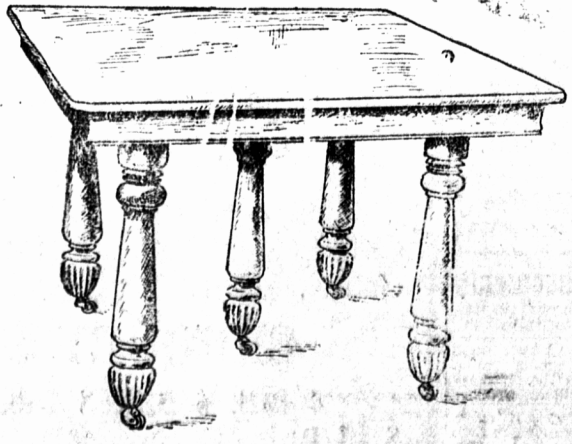
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