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CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1903.

PRICE TWO CENTS

FIERCE FIGHT AT CONSTANTINOPLE



JAMES LANDRIGAN, Principal of Queen Square School.

THE CAPITAL OF THE WEST

Ronald Campbell has gone to Halifax on a business trip.

Mrs (Capt) George McKay returned last evening from a visit to friends in New York.

Fred Jardine, Freetown crossed by the Northumberland on Monday on return to Halifax to continue his studies in medicine.

Herbert Vickerson and bride who spend the past few days on the Island left by the Northumberland yesterday on return to Montreal.

Misses Daisey and Lou Pillman, after spending the summer visiting in Summerside and other parts of the province, crossed by the Northumberland yesterday on return to Newtonville, Mass.

His friends are pleased to see James Wilson out again after being confined to his house during the past week through an injury received from a fall which rendered him unconscious for a time.

Sufficient patronage having been offered to induce Simbellis scenic production of Romeo and Juliet to be put on here the company will play in Market Hall on Monday night next. This will without doubt be the best treat of the season and nobody should miss it.

Many friends throughout the Province and elsewhere will learn with profound regret that Mr. Gourlisse' chances for recovery are hopeless. Last evening at latest accounts he was believed to be sinking rapidly. His two sons in the Northwest have been telegraphed for.

Christians Said to Have Fired on Musselmans

SEVERAL ARE KILLED

The British Consul Threatens to Ask the United States Admiral to Land Troops.

PIERCE BRAWLS AT BEYROUT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept 8 (Special).—

At Beyrout a fierce brawl occurred yesterday between parties of Mussulmans and Christians. The fight broke out while Vali was on board the United States cruiser Brooklyn returning Rear Admiral Cotton's visit.

CHRISTIANS WERE ASSAILANTS.

The official report says that the Christians were the assailants having fired upon four Mussulmans.

Three soldiers were wounded and one was killed. One Christian was killed and one was wounded.

THREATENS TO HAVE MARINES LANDED.

The British Consul immediately after the riot called upon Vali and threatened to ask Rear Admiral Cotton to land marines in the event of the renewal of disturbances.

NUMBER KILLED NOT CORRECT.

The belief exists that the official figures do not state correctly the number of the killed and wounded.

The anniversary of the opening of the Summerside Methodist church will be observed on Sunday next. Rev. Dr. McLean, editor of the Wesleyan, Halifax, will preach both morning and evening.

Previous to his departure from Summerside Hiram Champion was a few days ago presented by his fellow clerks in the store of R. T. Holman with a costly dress suit case and also by the lady clerks with a handsome volume of Shakespeare. Mr. Champion highly appreciates the kindly spirit thus exemplified on the part of his old associates and wishes through the columns of The Guardian to heartily thank the donors for their expressions of remembrance.

FELL THRU A BRIDGE.

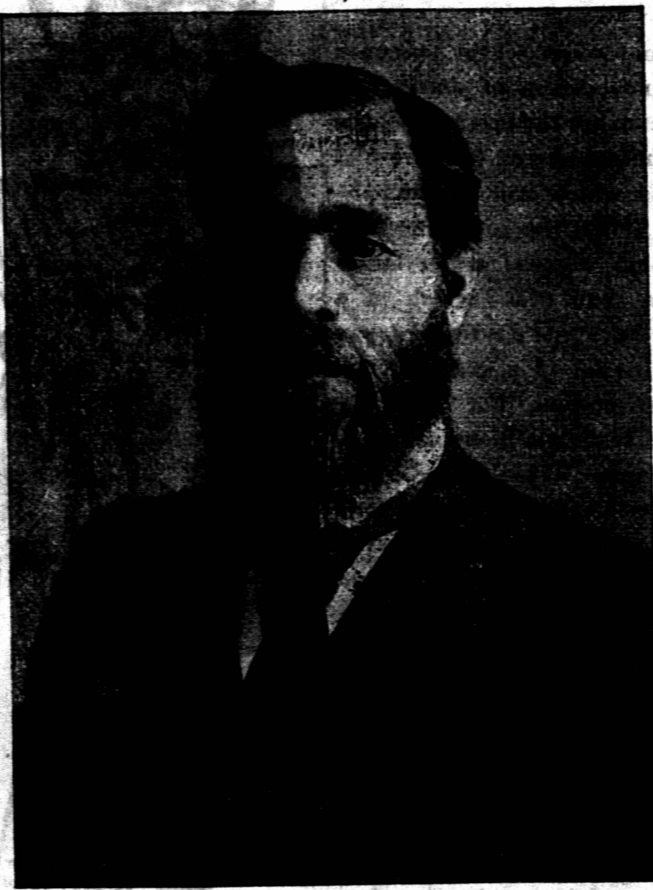
BRANDON, Sept. 4.—Dick Chambers of Brandon, and William Coale of Atholville were killed this morning by a traction engine that went thru a bridge.

A BABY THAT CRIES

At night is almost sure to be a sick baby. It is wise to remember that the most agreeable and effective remedy for the ills of young children is a few drops of Nerviline in sweetened water. It only requires a few drops of Nerviline to relieve the stomach pain or drive away cramps—baby at once goes to sleep and quiet prevails. Nerviline is just as good for old folks and is a remarkably swift cure for stomach and bowel troubles, sick headache, indigestion and summer complaint. Don't be without Polson's Nerviline—it's required too often in every house and saves calling the doctor so often. At druggists in large 25c bottles.

MINISTER NEEDS DETECTIVES.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4 Minister Leblanck has cabled the State Department, that owing to the distributed conditions in Constantinople an additional cavalry or detective force had been stationed at the American legation.



JOSEPH D. SEAMAN, Principal of Prince Street School.

THE TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE DECIDE UPON IMPORTANT ACTION.

A well attended meeting of the Temperance Committee was held in the Y. M. C. A. parlor last evening. A committee was appointed to wait on the government in a decided reply in regard to increasing Prosecutor Jenkins' salary and giving him the power to engage his own assistant. Prosecutor Campbell's action in bringing in all offences as first and otherwise obstructing the efficient operation of the act was severely censured. Rev. J. H. Hector attended the meeting and gave some practical advice.

HORSE RACES AT SPRINGHILL, N. S.

Fastest Speed Contest Ever Held in Provinces

First Heat in the Free-for-all Was Made in 2:18, Beating the Maritime Province Record.

SPRINGHILL MINES, Sept. 5.—The races here today, were intensely interesting to expert horsemen. Frequent light showers of rain during the afternoon made it uncomfortable for spectators and considerably lessened the gate receipts. Quite a large number, however, with the aid of umbrellas and waterproof garments stood it out and witnessed the fastest speed contest ever held in the maritime provinces. The track was in splendid condition and the bravest of judges and timekeepers on hand that were well up in the rules and their decisions were accepted without question. The three contests were finished in eleven heats, making an average speed of 2:21. The first heat of the free-for-all was made in 2:18, breaking the record for the lower provinces. Scamp, Clayson Jr. and Ada Mack were timed out of their class and will in future have to enter the free-for-all. In the 3:35 class, Geo. Mansfield, Quo Vadis and Harry M. were distanced, leaving the field in the fifth heat to Ada Mack and Clayson Jr. The following was the score by heats and the prizes were awarded in the order named.

Table with columns for race class, horse name, and time. Includes entries like 'Hela R. Keith, Stellarton' and 'Ada Mack, McLean, Moncton'.

THE ISLAND EXHIBITION.

As the time draws near for the closing of entries for the exhibition the people are becoming more interested as is evidenced by the great number of entirely new exhibitors who we understand have made and are making entries each day. This week will be a busy week at the Secretary's office as all entries in Live Stock close positively on Friday next the 11th inst.

The prizes offered in the different classes of horses are well worth competing for. The amount offered greatly exceeding that offered last year and we think every breed of horses on the Island is included in the list.

Besides the regular prizes offered in the classes there are the following special prizes for horses:—

A cup or plate value at \$25.00 offered by the Canadian Clydesdale Association for the best stallion of any age recorded in the Canadian Clydesdale stud book. This cup or plate must be won twice by the same owner not necessarily by the same horse, before it becomes his property.

Persons intending entering Clydesdale stallions should bear this in mind and enter for the special prize also.

Two of our Island horsemen have also offered special prizes for horses.

1 Messrs Stockman, McMillan having offered on page 18 a of the prize list four prizes as follows:—

For the best four foals sired by Gold-finder \$10.00 \$7.00 \$5.00, and \$3.00.

2 Mr. Thomas Robins of Central Bodeque has offered within the last few days too late to be inserted in the Prize list the following special prizes.

For the three best foals of 1903 sired by the thoroughbred stallion 'Juno Day' 1st, prize \$10.00, 2nd Prize \$6.00, 3rd Prize \$4.00.

Persons wishing to compete for these should when entering enter for these special prizes.

In cattle also the prizes have been increased from last year and every breed of cattle bred on the Island is included.

The Dominion Short Horn Breeders Association again offer \$10.00 in special prizes as can be seen on page 39 of the prize list.

The Condensed Milk Co are again offering a special prize on page 37 of the prize list.

The Association also offer several prizes for fat cattle.

In sheep the amount offered in prizes has been largely increased over that offered in 1902 and an entirely new class for 'Suffolk' sheep has been made.

In pigs the amount offered has also been increased and the export bacon hog has not been forgotten.

In poultry the prize list has been completely revised improved and increased.

In butter and cheese the prizes have also been increased. It must not be forgotten that the entries in all of the above classes close on Friday next the 11th inst. In grain and seeds, field roots and garden vegetables the prize list has also been revised and increased and by the way the well known firm of Carter & Co., Limited

THE CIGARETTE CLAUSE DROPPED

Both Parties Protest and Compromise Effected

PROVISION FOR JUDGES

And a New Principal Mentioned for King's College—Hunters go to B. C.

CIGARETTE CLAUSE TO BE DROPPED.

OTTAWA, Sept. 8.—(Special).—In parliament a discussion took place on the cigarette clause in Criminal Code. The Minister of Justice said he was going to drop it because the W. C. T. U. did not want it.

BOTH PARTIES PROTEST.

The clause says that cigarettes or tobacco must not be sold to minors under eighteen. The members from both sides protested against the clause being dropped.

COMPROMISE EFFECTED.

Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick finally announced that he would bring in a clause to meet the evil of smoking among boys.

ANOTHER JUDGE IN NORTHWEST.

A resolution was adopted making a provision for the extra Judge on Northwest territories bench.

ALSO ONE FOR OTTAWA.

Another resolution was adopted providing for an extra Judge for the exchequer court division of Ontario.

KING'S COLLEGE PRINCIPAL.

HALIFAX, Sept 8.—(Special).—The name of Rev. Cannon Brown of Paris, Ontario is mentioned in connection with the King's College, Windsor, principalship.

HUNTERS GO TO B. C.

MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—(Special).—The Prince of Thutmandtaxis a European principlality, accompanied by Major Cadie of the British Army have gone to British Columbia where for several months they will hunt big game. A large party of guides and servants preceded the party several days ago.

are again offering special prizes on page 32 of the prize list for turnips and mangels which every exhibitor of these should enter for.

In fruit the prize list has been further revised and increased and special attention has been given to fruit for commercial purposes.

The silk flag which has been held by Prince County for the past year for the best arranged County Exhibit of fruit will be again competed for and Queens' and King's counties should strive to wrest it from Prince this year.

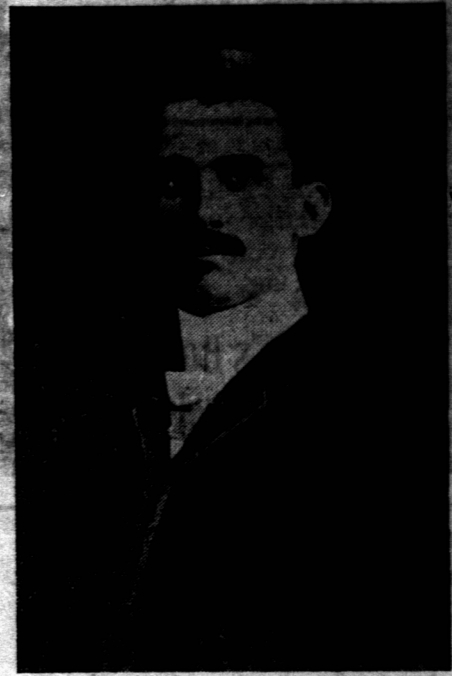
In plants and flowers, the exhibits of which make the Exhibition building so attractive each year the prize list is fully up to the average.

The public schools have not been forgotten and prizes are offered to the teachers and pupils making exhibits of cut flowers, wild flowers, weeds and native woods.

Prizes are again offered for the best kept school grounds in each county at page 59 of the prize list.

Ladies Fancy work, art work, woolen and cotton goods and manufactures also occupy their usual place.

The Manual Training school has also



WILLIAM V. NEWSON, Principal of West Kent School.

A HURRICANE DESTROYS TOWN

Leaving Not a Living Creature Exposed to View

Great Damage Done Along the Mexican Coast—Empress Dowager of China has Fatal Malady.

HURRICANE DESTROYS TOWN.

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—(Special).—A hurricane destroyed San Miguel, a town in the East Yucatan, not a building was left standing after the storm had passed.

The steamer Breakwater was found in a place among the ruins. There was not a living creature in sight. San Miguel was the oldest town in Mexico and the place where many explorers had landed.

The hurricane has caused immense damage along the Mexican coast and many lives have been lost.

EMPRESS' MALADY FATAL.

TACOMA, WASH., Sept. 8.—(Special).—Yokohama advices state that the Chinese Empress Dowager has developed a swelling under one eye and the German physicians are of the opinion that her malady will prove fatal.

been remembered and prizes are offered for the work of pupils in these schools.

There are also special prizes offered for condensed milk, evaporated cream and soaps.

Entries in all these classes except live stock and poultry close on Friday the 18th inst.

This should and we believe will be the greatest Exhibition ever held on the Island and our farmers should make their entries at once. It will pay to do so in live stock especially when the enormous number of sales of horses and cattle which took place at our exhibition last year is remembered.

This is the farmers annual outing and with cheap fares on Railways and Steam boats a visit to the Exhibition is within the reach of all our people a visit for which they will be amply repaid by the information they cannot but gain by attending an Exhibition of this nature.

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