

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

IT PAYS to buy in this Province. THE EXPRESS.—The late express from the west made an early arrival at Charlottetown last night, reaching the city at 10.15 o'clock.

HALLOWE'EN TEA.—The annual Hallowe'en Tea will be held by Guild of St James Church on Friday, Oct. 30. Reserve the date.

JOB FINISHED.—Messrs Bruce Stewart & Co. have been busy during the past two days repairing the valve motion rods of the s.s. "Cascapedia." They worked hard at the job all through Thursday night and yesterday morning at about six o'clock the steamer was ready for service again.

POTATO INSPECTION.—Messrs Ralph Holmden and George Partridge, of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, have arrived in the province in connection with the inspection of potatoes for powdery scab. They left Charlottetown by yesterday afternoon's train for Montague. It is their intention to make a thorough inspection of the farms on which the disease was found two years ago. Mr. Holmden was one of the inspectors who visited Charlottetown at that time.

SWINE BREEDERS.—A meeting of the Swine Breeders Association was held on the Exhibition ground at Summerside on Thursday afternoon. Arrangements were made for the holding of the annual meeting, and some changes were made in the prize list. The prizes for boars of the Yorkshire and Berkshire breeds will in future be made the same as that now offered for boars of these breeds two years old and upwards. It was considered that the prizes for the pen of both these breeds of pigs should be, first prize, \$10; second, \$5. Further, it was considered that Tamworth and Chesters were not nearly so popular in the province as Berkshires and Yorkshires and that for that reason the two classes should be made one and Class 43 should read: "any other breed of pigs." The meeting then adjourned.

FARMERS' MEETING.—A meeting of the directors of the Farmers' Institute was held on Summerside on Thursday, October 1, in the office of Messrs Gunn, Langois & Co., the president, Mr. D. N. McKay, in the chair. It was decided to hold the annual meeting of the Association on Tuesday and Wednesday, December 1 and 2, and one was suggested for the interests of the Association could be furthered if the annual meeting were held each year in a different part of the Island. It was also suggested that the annual meeting this year be held in Summerside. A committee was appointed to prepare a programme. The principal matters which the directors thought would be likely to come before the Association were side shows at exhibitions, prize lists at exhibitions, agricultural co-operation, particularly in the marketing of eggs, and a programme of subjects for the formal meetings of the Farmers Institutes. The Central Institute is an incorporated Association and it is composed of delegates from all the Farmers Institutes throughout the Province.

PRINCE EDWARD.—Mr. Gallagher, the manager of the Prince Edward Theatre, received overwhelming applause last night on his splendid rendering of the sensational Irish march song, "It's a long, long way to Tipperary," given during one of the intervals between pictures. Mr. Gallagher, as every local theatre-goer knows, has a ringing, melodious voice, and the spirit of his singing last night was so infectious that all who knew the song joined him in the chorus. He will repeat the song to-night. The pictorial part of the programme, an hour and a half's clean, wholesome, pleasing entertainment, two masterpieces being shown, "Love's Sunset," a long film in two parts, was a strong drama—one that might be termed sensational, although there was no shooting, kidnapping, or the like—but it was free from silly, petty sentimentalism. The denouement was intensely pathetic, but it was eminently appropriate. "Firelight" was another two-reel picture and was every bit as interesting as the previous one. "The New Look" was a ripping comedy, with the inevitable, fantastic Universal like in the foreground. "The British Weekly" was highly interesting, showing all the latest public events in the Old Country, with an excellent film of the Derby. The entire programme was excellent.

THE SQUARE DEAL PAYS. And square with the enemy every man gets when he separates himself from his co-ras by Putman's Corn E.xtractor. For fifty years "Putman's" has cured every man it treated—"Putman's" only—it's painless and sure, 25c. at all dealers.

HAMILTON L.O.L.—The regular meeting of the Hamilton L. O. L., Clyde River, will be held next Monday night. All members please attend as there is important business.

ARMY FIELD SERVICE MEETINGS.—The meeting at Webster's Corner has been postponed till Monday night, Oct. 5th, at 7.30. A meeting will be held at Mount Herbert Hall on Wednesday evening, Oct. 7th, at 7.30. 5886.

VICTORIOUS ISLAND HORSES.—The two horses from this Island that are competing at the Sydney races are sweeping everything before them. On the first day both Mayor Todd (Mr. Hammond Kelly's redoubtable trotter) and Hilda S. (Mr. A. Stewart's great mare) won their respective classes, and yesterday, the third day of the meeting, each again raced to victory. Mayor Todd in his class and Hilda S. in hers.

BETTER LIGHT.—A new light has been placed on Fitzroy Street, between Edward Street and the railway crossing, and the effect is a striking contrast to what it was before the change. Residents in that vicinity greatly appreciate the efforts of the Lighting Committee of the City Council in having this matter so thoroughly and promptly looked after, and the Committee deserve every credit in the step they took, which has resulted in satisfaction to all.

W. INSTITUTE AND RED CROSS.—The Department of Agriculture is in receipt of a letter from the Superintendent of Institutes in Ontario telling of the work that is being done for the Red Cross Society and for the Hospital Ship Fund by the Women's Institute of Ontario. One of their smaller institutes has sent two bales of goods, consisting of 247 pairs of hand-knitted socks, 22 pillow cases, 80 pillow slips and 246 hand-made flannel shirts and one pair wristlets. The Women's Institutes of our own Province have undertaken this kind of work some time ago and are doing quite as well as the Women's Institute in other Provinces.

NORTH WILTSHIRE.—The Rally Day Service was held Sunday, Sept. 27th. Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather a large congregation gathered and were well rewarded by a most interesting programme excellently rendered and reflecting great credit upon all taking part including the instructor, Miss C. B. Balderstone, and the superintendent, Mr. J. Howard Balderstone. Miss Ella Clarke presided most efficiently at the organ. Bertha Clarke, Maggie McLean and May Mitchell recited and Masters Harold Easter, Lorne McLean and Leonard Bowman sang. The offering which is offered to the general Fund of the Methodist Church Sunday School Board in Canada was a liberal one.

MISS GORMAN extends a cordial invitation to the ladies and gentlemen attending her different classes last season to the reception and promenade on Monday evening, October 5th, at 8 o'clock, on the occasion of the formal reopening of the Charlottetown School of Expression in the Prowse Hall, Sunnyside. A new feature at Miss Gorman's classes this season will be the latest and most popular dance music furnished by the Victrola, which is taking the place of the piano in all the dancing academies in the American cities. Piano music will be furnished by Miss Jean Blanchard and Miss Jennie Hood. There will be no individual invitations issued for this opening promenade. Dancing at 8 p. m. Refreshments, 11 p. m. Admission, \$1.00. 5882

CHEESE BOARD.—The fortnightly meeting of the Cheese Board was held in Charlottetown yesterday, Mr. Walter Simpson the Vice-President, in the chair. The cable message read from Brockville was as follows: "2,700 Cheese offered; 500 sold at 14 1/2 cts., Curb price 14 1/2. Pastures good." The following local factories boarded cheese: Stanley Bridge, 444; New Glasgow, 250; East River, 50 (flats); Cornwall, 100; Hazelbrook, 150; Red House, 100. Mr. Nowlan offered 14 1/2 for selection of the Board, but the salesman declined the bid. Mr. Geo. Brown moved and Mr. Hugh McMillan seconded that the fee to be paid by each factory this year should be \$3, instead of \$2, as formerly. This was carried.

DRAMATIC RECITAL.—Miss Gorman wishes to announce to the public that she has arranged with Henry Laurence Southwick, President of the Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, to come to Charlottetown and give a Dramatic Recital about the middle of this month. The exact date will be published in a few days. President Southwick is a distinguished classic teacher, orator and artist. The net proceeds of this recital will be given to the Belgian Relief Fund. The sale of tickets will begin shortly, and Miss Gorman asks for the combined efforts of our people in making this recital a grand financial success, as the cause is a worthy one. 5882.

WESTMORELAND.—Mr. Ernest Harvey, Craipud, spent Sunday in Westmoreland. Mr. Robert Mayo, Fryon, attended the Summerside exhibition. Miss Marion Oakes, Westmoreland, attended the Summerside exhibition this week.

RALLY DAY.—Kensington Methodist Church Rally Day Service, Sunday afternoon, Sept. 27th. In spite of unfavorable weather a large congregation gathered and much appreciated the most interesting programme provided which reflected great credit upon all who took part therein led by their superintendent, Mr. W. H. Green and their trainer, Miss Lola Barrett. Recitations were very effectively rendered by Ethel Crewys, Mazie Crewys and Hazel Smith, singing also by the Primaries, responsive readings by the Superintendent and School. The collection as provided for by the Discipline of the church was donated to the General Fund of the Sunday School Movement of the Methodist Church in Canada and was a liberal one. The service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. George Orman who also delivered an address.

A CORNWALL MEETING.—The patriotic meeting at which the Hon. Premier, the Hon. Rev. H. Scott Smith and Messrs Warburton and McKinnon attended as a deputation was of a highly successful character. The causes and origin of the war, the great and urgent necessity that every part of the great British Empire should be doing its full duty, and a confident expectation that this beautiful Island province would do her share formed in part the burden of the speeches. The shocking barbarities and unspeakably vile outrages characterizing the dealings of the modern Attila, the Kaiser, and his barbarous and merciless hordes with courageous little Belgium furnished a text and enforced a warning as to the fate likely to befall Canada and many other countries should he, which God forbid, prove victorious. A vigorous and successful appeal for contributions in kind acts etc. was made by the Ex-Lieut. Gov. McKinnon and generally responded to. Mr. Hugh McMillan in moving a vote of thanks to the speakers in most feeling and appropriate language dilated on the hard and undeserved fate of plucky little Belgium and held it up as a picture or object lesson of what would be our fate—but for the gigantic burst of the motherland. This motion seconded by a friend in the audience whom the reporter sincerely regrets he did not recognize was most heartily carried. It may be a little late in the day for Cornwall to have her meeting but work had already begun both in regard to Army Fund and Red Cross, the ladies working most enthusiastically and successfully in the latter cause. Rev. George Orman of Cornwall presided.

THE MARKET.—The market yesterday was largely attended, as the farmers are now getting through their harvest and are beginning to ship some produce. Quite a quantity of oats was offered, the price paid being from 48 to 50 cents. Potatoes are moving at 30 cents a bushel, turnips at about 20. Hay on the square yesterday brought about 75 cents per hundred pounds. Compressed hay is quoted by dealers at about 11 c. the present time, but they state that they cannot guarantee any price at the present time as it may advance or decline at any moment. A fair quantity of fowl is coming in, but the price has not yet settled down to anything definite. Chickens are quoted at 75 cents to \$1 per pair, while ducks are selling at \$1 to \$1.50. Apples are being peddled around the streets at very low prices, the supply being largely in excess of the demand. The people who handle them have been in the habit of using them very carelessly and roughly, putting them into bags; and in consequence the dealers report that the fruit is spoiled very quickly, and is almost unsaleable at any price. Apples should always be packed in boxes, as this method of packing is the best and safest. The Annapolis Valley crop promises to be large this year, and as the export business is very small the outlook for the apple market is not at all reassuring. Eggs and butter remain unchanged. Although the market in Montreal for butter has declined, the demand here seems to be more than equal to the supply, so that prices will be maintained locally. There were no sales by the Cheese Board yesterday, as the ideas of the factory men are beyond those of the buyers. Owing to the uncertainty of shipping cheese, the buyers do not feel like paying up to the limit, and consequently there is something of stagnation in the business, although 14 1/2 cents was offered yesterday, which should be considered a fair price. The present is the picking season, and the stores are full of a great demand for onions, which are used to a large extent in making spices. Flour and sugar remain unchanged in price.

BUTTER OR CHEESE?—On Tuesday evening an agricultural meeting was held at Rollo Bay to discuss the possibilities for that section adopting butter-making. A large number of the farmers of the locality gathered and willingly discussed the question, at the suggestion of Mr. Howlett the president of the Institute. Following the discussion Prof. W. J. Reid gave a lengthy talk on the methods of manufacturing milk into a saleable product. The theme followed was that over an average number of seasons the profit coming from either cheese or butter was practically the same, but when the question of by-products was considered the skim-milk was much more valuable for feeding young stock than whey. A full estimate of the profit to be derived from skim-milk feeding was given, when used for calves and pigs, as well as the best quantities to feed each class at different ages. Prof. Reid advised the patrons not to be hasty in making a direct change but to adopt a system that entailed the manufacture of each product at seasons of the year when it was most advisable. This suggestion was approved of in a short discussion that followed. The next speaker was P. D. McArthur of Georgetown, Que., who had been judging dairy cattle at the Eastern Exhibitions and who is President of the Ayrshire Breeders Association of Canada. His opening remarks were highly complimentary to the cattle breeders of the Souris vicinity and especially to those who had shown such excellent stocks from Rollo Bay. Mr. McArthur, being a breeder of Ayrshire cattle, gave much excellent advice on the

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method of feeding calves to make good dairy cows. He recommended the use of skim-milk as one of the feeds without a substitute. His closing remarks dealt with the milking of cows in winter as the most advisable time from the standpoint of profit and economy of labor. The culmination of the meeting was that a committee, consisting of the cheese-maker, Mr. Mullai, the Pres. and Secy. of the Institute, Mr. Howlett and Mr. Vireau, was appointed to ascertain the prices of proper butter-manufacturing machinery and report at a later meeting. In forecasting the result of such a movement in this section nothing but the foremost idea can be entertained, that success will follow. Community breeding of Ayrshire cattle is still in the initial stage but the foundation animals are of such a quality that excellent stock will soon be prevalent. "In our essence of vinegar you get the strongest, and purest essence obtainable. One pint of our essence will make over three quarts of strong pickling vinegar, and from three to four of tabling vinegar. Those who have used our essence before, always come back for more, for next year, which is the final proof of its quality. The Two Macs, 141 Great George Street. MEU. "JUST ARRIVED something new in rubber boots, shorter and lighter than the regular lines, made in only one quality and that the best possible. They are just the thing for men and boys for knockabout wear in dirty weather. In men's sizes 6 to 11, \$2.95, boys' 1 to 5, \$2.50. See our window. Alley & Co., 135 Queen Street. 5828-10-1MM3L