

The Central Guardian

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

DELICIOUS HOME MADE CANDY at the St. Joseph's High Tea next week 3288.

DONATIONS of home made candy for the concert will be thankfully received at Y. M. C. A. Hall, Tuesday afternoon. 3291-11-27M21

SOLDIER RECOVERED.—Private J. G. Kinch of Tishin who was reported wounded some time ago, according to Saturday's casualty list, has returned to duty.

READING MATTER APPRECIATED.—Mrs. Longworth and Mrs. (Rev.) Murphy are among those who have kindly given magazines and reading matter to the boys at the Armouries. This courtesy and thoughtfulness is much appreciated by the soldiers, especially those who are off duty while taking their turn at guard.

BAY FORTUNE RED CROSS.—Bay Fortune Red Cross Society is working as enthusiastically as ever, and shipped a box to the boys at the front containing 32 pairs socks; 18 pairs mitts; 2 1/2 doz. handkerchiefs; 45 pencils; 5 lbs tobacco; 36 envelopes and 72 sheets writing paper; 330 pks spermin gum; 2 1/2 doz. cakes soap.

CORNWALL SCHOOL CONCERT.—The pupils of Cornwall School gave their Annual Concert before an appreciative audience on Saturday 18th inst. A pleasing program of choruses, Drills, Recitations etc., were well rendered by the pupils in their various parts doing exceptionally well particularly the Patriotic Drill and Pantomime, all meriting the generous applause accorded to them. The numbers given by outside talents were fully up to the standard, the violin solo by Mr. John Campbell a former pupil being deserving of special mention. He was accompanied on the organ by Mrs. Everett Holmes, Kingston. Mr. Campbell to the regret of the whole community leaves shortly for the United States where the family intend to reside. The teacher and pupils desire to thank all who helped to make the concert a success, particularly Mrs. Wm. Howard and Mrs. George Macdonald for their assistance. The sum of \$38 was realized. Following is the programme. Chorus "All together"—School; Recitation—Sammy Frizzell; Duet "Blue Bells of Scotland"—Cora McEachern and Bruce McPhail, (encored); Recitation, Tessie Frizzell; Chorus, "Canada My Home"—School; Recitation—Leah McKinley; Violin Solo, (encored)—John Campbell; Reading—Lillian Macdonald; Recitation—Kathleen McKinley; Solo (encored)—Frank McArthur; Recitation—Harrison Frizzell; Duet (encored)—Mrs. P. Scott and Blanche Gardner; Patriotic Flag Drill. Intermission. Pantomime "We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall"—School; Solo (encored)—Lillian Macdonald; Violin Solo (encored)—John Campbell; Chorus—"The Sea is Britain's Glory"—Boys; Reading—Aeneas McManus; Duet (encored)—Mr. and Miss Stevenson; Reading—Gordon Heaney; Solo (encored)—Lois Hertz; Chorus—"Cheer Boys Cheer"—School; "Highland Fling" (encored)—Cor. Horne. Accompanists, Mrs. Wm. Howard, Mrs. Everett Holmes, Miss Laurette Collins and Miss Sutherland.

APRON TABLE.—Fancy table, ice cream table at the High Tea in the Pro-Cathedral. 3288.

CONCERT.—Do not forget the Y. M. C. A. Concert in Hearst Memorial Hall, Tuesday, Nov. 28th. A fine program. Among those taking part are Mrs. McLarty, Mrs. Henderson, Prof. Barlow, Prof. Watkins, Prof. Hinton, Mr. Roy Dann, Rev. F. H. Littlejohns and Grace Church Orchestra. Mrs. Parker Hooper, Miss Dinns and Miss Edna Gordon. Home-made candy for sale. Admission 25 cents. 3291-11-27M21

STUDENT'S GIFT FUND

(FOR SECOND FIELD KITCHEN LIST NO. 34.

- Previously acknowledged \$1,160.56
From Pupils Cardigan North School, per Miss Beasle Gordon, teacher 1.15
From pupils Union School, per Miss M. C. Campbell, teacher 3.00
Collected by following pupils Savage Harbor School (7.25) per Miss M. Pigott, teacher 2.20
Ada Douglas, Grade IV Scott Coffin, Grade I Margaret McIntyre Grade II Mary Steele Grade V Collected by Alta Campbell, Sadie Hynes, Fred Wigmore, Borden Campbell, and Malcolm Murray, pupils Graham's Road School, per V. M. Green and Miss L. Sullivan, teachers 10.00
From pupils Cumberland Hill School per Miss G. Pollard, teacher 1.60
Following from Carleton School (\$5.05) per Miss E. L. Arnett, principal: Pupils Contribution Principal and Assistant Collected by Marion Weeks 2.50
Collected by Clestine Smith, pupils 25
Collected by following pupils Elmira School per P. Holland, teacher: Arthur Holland (7 con) 1.25
Thomas Harris (6 con) 1.20
Joseph Fisher (3 con) 35
From pupils and teachers Urbenville School per F. E. Dolron, principal 2.75
Collected by following pupils Norway School per Miss B. G. Nelligan, Margaret Doyle (7 con) 1.25
Mary McGrath (6 con) 1.25
From South Lake School District per Miss Jessie Campbell teacher (35 con) 3.60
From 22 pupils Wheatley School per Miss Ruth Moffatt, teacher 2.23
From 18 pupils Alexandra School, per Miss E. Enman, teacher 2.46
From 18 pupils and teacher, Gaspereaux School per Miss L. Steele teacher 2.25
Collected by Lottie Llewellyn pupil same school 2.25
Collected by Maude MacPherson, pupil Bellevue School from the pupils per Miss K. MacPhee, teacher 5.30
Additional contribution from Miss Riley and Dorothy Purdett, Strathcona School per Miss J. Hunter, teacher 30
Amount to date \$1,218.80
R. M. STANWAY, Secretary-Treasurer.

A.O.H. REMEMBERS BROTHER SOLDIERS

The Ladies Auxiliary of Division No. 5, A. O. H., Summerside have sent a nice Christmas Box to each of the following soldiers:—Gr. Philip Noonan in France and, Pte. James Cairns, England. Also in each box was enclosed a copy of the following letter:— Summerside, P. E. I., Nov. 14th, 1916 Dear Brother Members:— Once more the joyous Xmas season approaches, but like that of previous years brings many changes. From our A. O. H. Circle are missing the faces of several of our devoted members, but none have gone for a more worthy cause than yourselves and although we cherish fond memories for all of our brave island boys, yet there are special thoughts for those whom we have had in our midst, especially in society matters. The Ladies of the Auxiliary of the A. O. H. are sending a box of "Goodies", and although it may not be of immense size, still you can rest assured that large hearts are sending it. Although it may only be a vision of former Xmas, may it bring back pleasant memories as it carries the very best wishes for island homes and friends. On behalf of the L. A., A. O. H., Signed, Bertha Higgins, Ella Green, Nora McIntyre, Annie Cameron.

NEW YORK LOST BANISH LAST OF HORSE CARS

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—The last horse car, relic of the "good old times," may be replaced by storage battery cars in Manhattan by April 1, 1917. The New York Railways Company has given this assurance to the Public Service Commission. The lines to be operated by horse power are the Madison street and the Avenue C.

MISSING.

"Children," said the Sunday school superintendent, "this picture illustrates today's lesson. Lot was warned to take his wife and daughters and flee out of Sodom. Here are Lot and his daughters, with his wife just behind them; and there is Sodom in the background. Now, has any girl or boy a question before we take up the study of the lesson? Well, Susie?" "Please, sir," lisped the latest graduate from the infant class, "where is the flea?"

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A RUSSIAN DREADNOUGHT SUNK BY EXPLOSION

PETROGRAD, Nov. 24.—Russia officially announces the loss of the dreadnought Imperatritsa Maria. A statement tonight reads: "The Russian dreadnought Imperatritsa Maria has been sunk by an internal explosion. Two hundred of the crew are missing." Early in November a report was in circulation that the Imperatritsa Maria had gone to the bottom and that nearly all of her crew had perished. Later, on November 11, Berlin reported by wireless that a Bulgarian headquarter's despatch announced that a fireman of the battleship had reached the Bulgarian coast and confirmed the destruction of the dreadnought which it was stated had been sunk by a mine near Sulina or Coosossia Island, at the mouth of the Danube. The Imperatritsa Maria was a new

dreadnought. She was launched in 1914 and displaced 22,500 tons. Her officers and crew numbered about 1,000 men. The vessel was 550 feet long and had a draught of 27 feet. She was armed with ten 12 inch, twenty 5 inch and four 2.5 inch guns and four 3 pounders and four torpedo tubes. "At six o'clock on October 20 fire broke out in the forward magazine of the Imperatritsa Maria. An internal explosion followed immediately and the fire spread rapidly and reached the petrol tanks. The officers and crew strove with the utmost bravery to localize the effects of the explosion and flood the magazines. The commander, in chief, Vice Admiral Koischak, went aboard and took personal command of the operations. "Shortly after seven o'clock, however, the vessel sank. The greater part of her crew were saved. An officer and two first class sub officers and 149 sailors are missing. Sixty four of the crew have since died from the effects of the burns. "The position of the ship which lies in shallow water gives hope that she may be refloated and completely repaired in a few months. The bridge is only one yard below water."



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Russia Recovers From Political Crisis

PETROGRAD, Nov. 22.—via London —Favorable developments in the last few days, which witnessed the recovery of the Russian nation from a most serious political crisis, make it now possible to describe briefly conditions and events which brought about a collision between the Government and the Duma, and for a time threatened most serious consequences. Stripped of the tangle of alarming rumors and palpable exaggerations which magnified the prevailing unrest to a chaotic state, the past crisis has been nothing more or less than an inevitable clash between the present Cabinet and the insistent voice of public opinion, which more and more loudly protested against the Government. In the opening session of the Duma the storm broke, but the situation has now cleared without resource to extremes. The appearance of the war and marine ministers at the Friday meeting of the Duma, and their cordial greeting of Professor Paul Milukoff, leader of the Constitutional Democrats, who made the principal attack on the Government, again gave promise of a rapprochement between the Duma and the Cabinet. The Associated Press is informed, on the best authority, that an agreement has been reached which has entirely satisfied the representatives of the people. The nature of this agreement probably will be disclosed in the course of a few days. The event is interpreted generally as a victory for the Duma. Its chief significance is the political awakening of the entire nation, and the development of real public consciousness which, perhaps for the first time in Russian history, has become articulate and can be ignored no longer.

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WAGE ADVANCES IN NEW ENGLAND

BOSTON, Nov. 24.—Up to tonight three-quarters of a million men, women and children employed in United States industries had been notified that their wages would be advanced early next month; the increase averaging ten per cent. The principal industries which have made the welcome announcements are the textile industry in New England employing about 325,000, U. S. Steel Corporat-

ion 200,000, independent steel companies 100,000, Westinghouse Electric 5,000, glove industry in New York state 10,000, Eastern Kodak Camera Co., 10,000, Heywood Brothers and Wakefield Co., rattan, Wakefield, Mass., 5,000, railroad 25,000, coal mines 25,000, New York city employees 20,000. Many more additions are expected to be made to the list within the next week, making probably a general wage rise throughout the country. In many instances a strike would have occurred unless an advance was forthcoming.

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