

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

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THE EARL GREY AND THE WINTER SERVICE.

In the effort to secure efficient and continuous steam communication with the mainland, Prince Edward Island has paid a great price. It has done this on the faith of Canada's promise, but the goods have not been delivered. Whatever we shall have hereafter, no one will dare to say that from 1873 to 1909 our winter communications have been either continuous or satisfactory.

We are now on the eve of a new effort to improve the winter service. The fine and powerful new steamer Earl Grey will, within a few weeks time be making trips to Pictou through the ice of the Straits. We sincerely hope that the advent of this vessel will mark a good step forward in the improvement of our winter communication during the season of ice and frost.

The Guardian has long expressed the opinion that the contract to provide continuous and efficient communication can never be adequately fulfilled by steamers, and that the real remedy for our winter troubles is the Tunnel. None the less the advocates of the all-rail connection were foremost among those who asked for a new and powerful ice-breaking

steamer to serve until the Tunnel can be built.

We accept the Earl Grey as an honest and final effort on the part of the Government to solve the problem of winter navigation in the Straits of Northumberland. If this new steamer can do the work, effectually fulfilling the terms of union, well and good. If the Earl Grey fails in this, the only alternative will be the Tunnel. In the meantime the new steamer is much better equipped than anything we have heretofore had to provide for the comfort of passengers in large numbers and for transporting freight in much increased quantities.

We shall expect that during the coming winter the Earl Grey will easily make her way across the straits in the ordinary ice conditions of midwinter. The Stanley and Minto could do that. The real test will be when and after Pictou harbor has been blocked by a long and heavy north-east gale, and the ice is rafted and frozen together. Whether under such conditions the new steamer will succeed where the older ones failed is a problem of the first consequence, the solution of which will be awaited with great interest by thousands in this Province.

THE LATE EX-SPEAKER, PATRICK BLAKE.

Though not unexpected, the death of Patrick Blake came as a shock to the citizens of this his native city. It was known for some time past that he was seriously ill, with little prospect of recovery and he had reached the sixty-third year, which has proved fatal to so many.

Mr Blake was an energetic and capable business man, upright and honorable in his dealings, and possessed of a good heart, and genial and kind

ly disposition. Apart from his extensive business in past years, he had served the city well at the Council Board for three years, and also in the Legislature for several terms in the early eighties of last century, and was promoted to the Speaker's chair. All who knew the late Mr Blake, and he was very widely known throughout this and the near-by Provinces, will retain the most kindly and pleasant memories of him.

With the profoundly interesting services of yesterday and last evening the special religious services in this city under the leadership of Rev. Dr Elliott and his assistants came to a close. During these services thousands have attended and listened with deep attention to the Gospel message. It is due to Rev. Dr Elliott to say that never have special religious services been conducted here that were more free from harmful sensationalism or other objectionable features. We believe that much good must result from so many hundreds having had their attention powerfully directed to higher things. Increased sobriety on our streets was one outward and visible sign of the good work during the two weeks past.

It sounds a little startling that over five hundred employees have been dismissed from the Intercolonial service under the new Board of Management. The proportion is not large, however, compared with the thousands whom the road still employs. And all the great railway systems employ or discharge men by hundreds, according to the exigencies of the service. A Government railway if it is to be successful

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EXTRAORDINARY SITUATION IN UNITED KINGDOM.

LONDON, Nov. 22.—The United Kingdom is more absorbed in finance now than for many years and the coming week will see the culmination of the fierce warfare which has been carried on over the Budget. The House of Lords is expected to vote on Lord Lansdown's resolution calling for the rejection of the Budget on Thursday next. Before then most of the big guns in the Upper House will speak on the question. The uncertainty of the country's



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financial policy is paralyzing the Stock Exchange and the possibility that the Government will have to raise a large loan to meet current expenses makes the money market too uncertain for extensive private enterprises.

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