

# The Central Guardian

IT PAYS to buy in this province  
**TRYON BAPTIST**—Services next Sunday will be:—Albany, 10.30; Tryon, 2.30; Westmorland, 7.00. Monthly Conference on Saturday, 2.30.

**THE STANLEY**—The Stanley dock in Placentia yesterday at 10.20 with 10 tons freight, two and a half tons of express, 50 sacks of mail and twenty passengers.

**NOTICE**—All notes and bills not paid by the tenth of March, will be handed over for collection. John Horne, Wmslowe. 7593-31-3131

**AT HOME**—Mrs. I. M. Brown, will receive at her home 28 Elm Avenue on Thursday afternoon, March 2nd from 3 o'clock to five (5) and in the evening from 7.30 to 9.30. 7589

**PATRIOTIC DANCE**—The ladies of Vernon River are giving a patriotic dance in Vernon River Hall on Friday evening, March 3rd, in aid of Red Cross. Hot supper served, and all are assured of a good time. Come and help the Red Cross. 7575-4

**APPRECIATION**—The officers and members of the League of the Cross desire to extend their sincere thanks to all those who in any way contributed to the annual Feast of the younger members of the society.

**HIGH BANK SCHOOL**—Following is the standing of pupils of High Bank school for month of January, Grade VI—Alice McLeod and Marion Gillis equal, Grade V.—1, Euphémie Hayter; 2, Peter McPherson, Grade IV—1, Anna B. McPherson; 2, Sadie David; 3, Roy McSwain, Grade III—1, Hastings McLeod and William H. Munroe equal; 2, Jessie M. Stewart; 3, Raleigh Hater, Grade II.—1, Malcolm N. Stewart, Grade I.—Walter Livingston and Thomas Hayter, equal Attendance.—Alice McLeod, Hastings McLeod, Anna B. McPherson and Peter McPherson.

**SMELT SEASON CLOSES**—The smelting season of 1916 closed on February the 22nd, a weeks extension having been granted—the fishermen the season was only a fairly successful one for the fishermen of East Prince. Although quite a quantity of smelts were caught about the last of December, the weather at the time being very warm the smelts were few on the market in poor condition and as a consequence the returns were in the majority of cases very poor. As is general every year once the ice made on the river and hard weather came for freezing smelts they seem to come altogether only minor catches having been got for the remainder of the season.—S.

**COMMISSIONERS MEET**—At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Sewer and Water Commissioners held Monday, Mr. Chas. McGregor was reappointed Chairman. It was decided to proceed as soon as possible with the balance of the necessary equipments required at the Central and Auxiliary Station. Mr. Thompson of Fraser & Chalmers, Contractors, who for several weeks past has been engaged at the Central Station reports his work on the new pump about completed, a third test of which will be made today, which is expected to meet the approval of the Engineers in charge of the work. A contract with representatives of the Military Department was entered into to supply water required at the several military depots in the city.

**MAYFIELD**—Several of the farmers in this locality are busy hauling mussel mud.—Mr. Hayes Houston who has been in Western Canada for several years, is spending the winter months at his old home and his many friends are pleased to meet him. Mr. Walter Crochet and bride have returned to Charlottetown after spending their honeymoon with friends in Mayfield and New Glasgow.—Mr. Joseph Dorion narrowly escaped having his dwelling house burned last week.—Mr. A. LeClair in passing noticed that the roof was burning and immediately went to work and extinguished the flame. Mr. LeClair deserves much praise for his prompt action, as the fire would soon have been beyond control, as a stiff breeze was blowing at the time. Mr. Dorion was from home at the time.

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**CHURCH OF SCOTLAND**—Rev. Owen McDougall will preach Sabbath, Mar. 5th at Kirkross at 10.30. Millview at 2.30 and Birch Hill at 6.30.

**AT HOME**—Mrs. J. Parker Hooper will receive at her home, 143, Austin St., on Wednesday afternoon, March 1st, from 3 to 6. 7583-2-29m2l.

**RURAL TELEPHONE**—The enterprising farmers of Westmorland have been for some time contemplating having the Rural Telephone in their district. A meeting was held in the "Rural House" on Saturday evening, Feb. 27, which was largely attended. After considerable discussion it was decided to appoint a committee. With I. W. B. Best as president and Vernon Moore as Secretary to take the matter in hand and to have the phones installed at the earliest date possible.

**PAINFUL ACCIDENT**—The many friends of Mr. Daniel McDonald, Grand Fracade, will regret to learn of his meeting with a very painful accident a few days ago which will confine him to the house for some time. While engaged in hauling a load of coal to the lobster factory at that place and in walking alongside the sleigh he slipped on a piece of ice coming down with terrible force on his back, the back of his head getting the full force of the blow inflicting a large cut on the scalp and rendering him unconscious for some time. He was immediately taken to a nearby house and medical aid summoned and at last account he was improving very slowly.—S.

**SCOTCHFORT AND THEREABOUTS**—Mrs. Frank Poshan, Sargado 1st floor, is spending a few days visiting at her old home in Scotchfort.—Miss Annie McDonald, New Glasgow, (formerly of Scotchfort) is spending some time visiting friends at the old home.—Mr. William J. McDonald, Scotchfort, who has been residing in New Glasgow for the past few months was obliged through a very regrettable accident to return home a few days ago he having had the misfortune of getting his shoulder dislocated by falling on the rail of one of the tracks in the shell factory. While he has the sympathy of his many friends he is spending the time in a very pleasant way with pleasure to his speedy recovery.—S.

**A GREAT AFFLICTION**—It seldom is the Guardian's painful duty to have to chronicle so sad an occurrence as that which has befallen the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDonald formerly of Tracadie and who recently moved over to New Glasgow, N. S. when out of a family of six small children in the short space of three weeks the hand of death has taken the terrible toll of five leaving only one to comfort the sorrow stricken mother and father. About four weeks ago one of the children contracted the same sickness still the last of five has succumbed to its terrible ravages and the little tots whose voices had only a few short weeks ago filled the home with joy and happiness are still in the graveyard telling the sad tale. In their bereavement the heartfelt sympathy of the whole community goes out to the sorrowing parents and little son who have been called upon to bear this terrible affliction.—S.

**ENTERTAINMENT AT ST. DUNSTON'S COLLEGE**—The Columbian Club of St. Dunstons College, presented their annual concert on Saturday night last in the college hall. The interior was artistically decorated with bunting and flags and well on accord with the excellent programme. The good taste and style in the choosing and rendering of the various numbers made it one of the best in the history of the Society and received the hearty applause of the student body. Much thanks is due Professor Tanton of Charlottetown, who so kindly loaned a number of his best gramophone records. The following is the programme.—Piano Solo, A. Arsenault, Silver Threads Amongst the Gold. Messrs L. Cassey and B. McPherson, duet. Solo "Mother," B. Fraz.

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Reading, Max Murphy, Gramophone Selections (a) Lullaby-Jocelyne Madame, A. Michailowa with violin obligato; (b) "I Shall Behold Thee" From Masked Ball by Zerola. Solo "America I Love You", Howard O'Neill, Solo, "Sweet Angel", G. Ward; Gramophone Selections, (c) "I Am Thine" From "Mignon" By Mme. Huquet; (d) "Hast Thou Ever Seen The Land" "Mignon" by Huquet. Solo "Because (in French)" A. Caron. Trio, Messrs O'Neill, Finol & Ward. Gramophone Selections. (e) "On With The Play" Paganini by Allou. (f) "My Old Kentucky Home" by Gardner (Violin Solo). Piano Solo J. Ward. Reading, Mr. E. Doyle, Chorus "Maryland My Maryland, Glee Club Gramophone Selections. (g) "In The Light of Her Sweet Gladness" by Francis J. Soler; "The Heart Song" by Dapp, N. Curran. Annie Laurie, Violin Solo, Gardner. That's an Irish Lullaby, G. MacFarlane. Remarks: "God Save The King."

## THE MARKETS

**CITY TOWN MARKETS**

(Corrected on Tuesdays and Fridays)

Butter, (creamery) lb. (tubs)	33
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Butter (Tub) lb.	28
Butter, fresh, lb.	30
Eggs, doz.	25 to 28
Meat lb. (retail)	10 to 12
Powis, lb.	12 to 13
Onions, lb.	13 to 15
Jay (pressed) ton	\$12 to \$13
Straw (pressed) ton	\$6.50
Pork, lb.	12 1/2
Turnips, bus.	19 to 20
Potatoes, bus.	60
Oats (white) bus.	46
Oats (black) bus.	48
Beets, bus.	40
Carrots, bus.	45
Wool, lb.	40
Turnips, lb.	15
Geese	15
Pucks	15
Hides	14 to 15
Turkeys, per lb.	20 to 22

**SIDE MARKETS**

(Corrected Wednesday)

Butter (dairy) per lb.	26-28
Butter (creamery) per lb.	33-35
Buckwheat, per bus.	75-100
Calf skins, per lb.	10-12
Chickens (dressed), per lb.	12-15
Eggs, per doz.	22-24
Fowl, per lb.	10-12
Hides, per lb.	14
Hay (pressed) per ton	10.00-12.00
Hay (loose) per ton	10.00-12.00
Lamb pelts, each.	40-60
Oats (black) per bus.	54
Oats (white) per bus.	56
Pork (organs attach), per lb.	8 1/2-10 1/2
Straw (pressed) per ton	6.00
Turnips, per bus.	20
Wool, per lb.	26-40
Wheat, per bus.	1.25-1.50

**IMPORTANT**  
 Relatives of soldiers returning from the front are asked to communicate with the Secretary of the Provincial Committee of Wounded Soldiers Commission, Miss Nellie Gillespie, Charlottetown, intimating the date of expected arrival, cause of return and any other particulars, in order that preparation may be made for a fitting reception.

**FOR OVERWORKED WOMEN**  
 This is the season of the year when the wife and mother begins to feel the strain of household and social duties, and gets into a run-down, nervous, weakened condition. To all such our local druggist, E. A. Foster, Central Pharmacy, Charlottetown, and H. J. Mabon, Druggist, Souris, says, "We have a rare combination of the three oldest tonics known, in Vinol, which we guarantee to restore strength, make you eat better, sleep better and feel better, or we will return your money."

## ISLAND SOLDIERS WELLS AIR FIGHTS

The following letter was received by Mrs. Leo J. Murphy from her brother Edward Christopher now in France. He is a son of Mr. Michael Christopher, Tignish.

France, Feb. 10th.  
 My Dear Sister, I received all your letters but parcels never arrived. There has been a lot of complaints about not receiving parcels. The congestion is enormous. I guess they are more particular about the receiving of letters. I am enjoying good health now, all traces of rheumatism have left. There is a big move expected reports show massing troops on this front by the Huns, as I write this, they are shelling a town not a quarter of a mile distant, trying to get the railway so as to cut the line of communication. We expect a drive from them soon the shelling is always a foreboding. You hear a dull report then a whistle through the air, and then exploding. It takes only about 5 seconds from the time you hear the report till the explosion. Everything points to a long war. The Huns are striking nearer home and this should encourage recruiting. It is very nice weather now. A little cold, but the rainy season is over. It rained continually during Nov. Dec. and Jan. almost every day. Spring is about breaking now. There will be terrific fighting here again this spring. I hope the Canadians will uphold the Honor of the British flag like they did last spring. I tell you the Canadians are thought a lot of, both in England and here. I don't think the Germans are very anxious to mix in with them again. We carry our gas helmets all the time now not knowing the minute of a gas attack. It is very powerful, affecting at quite a distance.  
 We witness every day, thrilling experiences of air fights. It is an experience which one will never forget to see aeroplanes attack each other pro-

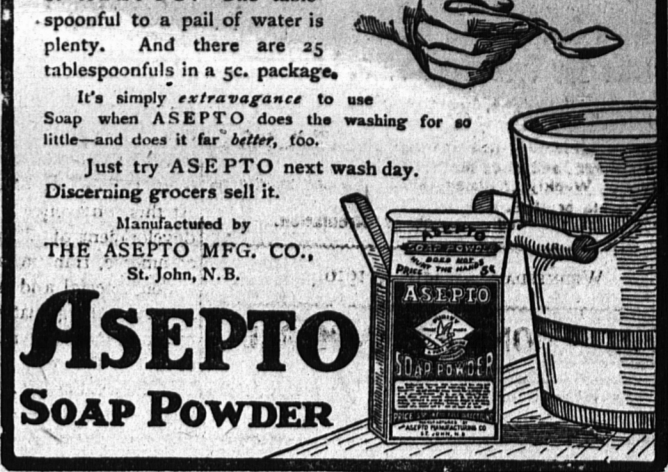
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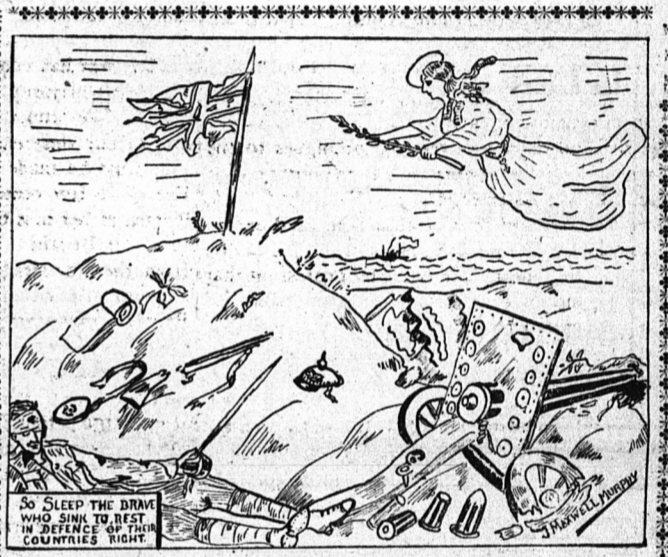
bably 6000 ft. in the air, the machine guns firing, but our machines generally get the best of it. It is a common occurrence to see eight or ten of our machines go over the German lines. If they are not attacked by the German machines, they are fired upon by the anti-air craft guns. It takes a way one's breath, to see the machines change their course to get out of the range of the guns. They are not hit very often, but I saw a French Machine brought down. The pilot was hit in both legs. His gas tank was pierced with a bullet, and he had to come down, but he managed to come down behind our lines. The machine was covered with blood. I could tell you lots of interesting news, but I cannot as every letter is liable to be opened, some of the fellows have gotten six months for writing things that would give information to the enemy.

Well, my dear, May God in His Mercy permit me to see you all once more, but I must carry my part through now. Every little helps to bring this terrible war to a successful issue. A heavy bombardment is in progress now and the roar of the big guns is terrific, you need sleep pretty bad when you can doze off.

Please remember me to all my friends and relations and tell them to write me as I love to receive letters it relieves one's mind of the terrible strain.

I must close now as the lights are dim, the accommodations are poor and nothing to listen to but the roar of heavy Artillery.

Good bye,  
 Your fond brother,  
 ED.



## Island Roll of Honor

- WOUNDED**
- Harry M. Whitlock, Charlottetown  
 Donald Hume, Iris.  
 Lieutenant Morrison, Georgetown  
 Private Peter Hughes, Mill Cove  
 Private J. E. Beaton, Brookfield  
 Private McQueen, Mount Vernon  
 William McIntyre, Charlottetown  
 K. F. Ellis, Summerside  
 Private W. B. Davey, Albion Bay  
 Pte. Ed. Hicken, Georgetown.  
 Driver W. L. Ferguson, Alexandria.  
 Harold Gillis, Summerside.  
 Ronald Vessey, Charlottetown.  
 Wilfred McKinley, Sydney.  
 Pte. C. A. Arnold, Charlottetown.  
 Pte. L. Coffin, Souris.  
 Gr. James M. Smith, Albion Bay.  
 George Currie, Georgetown.  
 Herbert Cecil MacIntyre, Souris.  
 John Stewart, Wood Islands.  
 Emmanuel Dolron, Charlottetown.  
 Gunner W. G. Bruce, Red Point.  
 Pte. C. A. Arnold, Charlottetown.  
 Pte. L. Coffin, Souris.  
 Pte. S. E. Chandler, Mt. Albion.  
 Pte. Garnett Gillis, Montague.  
 Pte. Fred Halliday, Eldon.  
 P. Carragher, Kelly's Cross.  
 Fidele Gallant, Tignish.  
 Capt. Fred Maye, Charlottetown.  
 Nelson H. McLeod, Alberton.  
 Harry Riley, Sea Cow Pond.  
 Percy Metherall, Fortune Cove.  
 H. Bearsto, Haliburton, P. E. I.  
 H. A. McBeth, Iris.  
 Harold Bearsto, Alberton.  
 Ray Fitzgerald, Charlottetown.  
 Percy Clark Sherren, Brapan.  
 Pte. Lester Froude, Charlottetown  
 Gunner J. Bowden, Charlottetown.  
 Pte. N. McKenzie, Nine Mile Creek  
 Pte. W. A. McQueen, Mt. Vernon  
 John Daniel Jarvis, Grand Tracadie, P. E. I.
- PRISONERS**
- Pte. V. J. Wells, Elmsdale.  
 Pte. M. Grant, Bangor, P. E. I.  
 Pte. John Murphy, Charlottetown  
 Peter McKenzie, St. Peter's Bay.
- MISSING.**
- J. F. Peters, Charlottetown.  
 Pte. Jas. Dawson, New London.
- DIED FROM WOUNDS.**
- Private William Gordon, Montague  
 Patrick A. McManus, Bonshaw.  
 Gunner Nell McInnes, Souris.  
 John Currie, Charlottetown.  
 George Dunn, Rustico.  
 Private John Curley, Charlottetown
- Pte. John W. McDonald, Bradabane.  
 Private Arch. McKinnon, Canoe Cove.  
 Private Walter Smith Fownal, (Western Canada).  
 William D. McKinnon, Heatherdale.  
 Donald D. McPherson, Glenwilliams.
- KILLED IN ACTION**
- Charles L. Pitts, Charlottetown.  
 Cyrus B. Birr, Pisquid East.  
 A. C. Henderson, Union Road.  
 John McLean, Charlottetown.  
 Robert O. Stewart, Dunstaffnage.
- Sergt. Wm. B. Brady, Charlottetown.  
 Pte. Alex. Lorne McNeill, Rocky Point.  
 Moses Gallant, Wheatley River.  
 Wendall L. Harvie, Charlottetown.  
 Sapper S. Robinson of Charlottetown.  
 Mr. Leo Wm. Macoit, Hunter River.
- DIED ON MILITARY SERVICE**
- Gunner Alfred James, Midgeall.  
 Bom. Adolph Gallant, Rustico.  
 Bom. James Stevens, Kingston.  
 Gunner Martin Dalton, Georgetown  
 Pte. A. R. McArthur, Alberton.  
 Pte. Wm. Beaton, East Point.
- Private Fenton Alchorn, Rocky Point.  
 Gunner Robert McPhee, Charlottetown  
 Gunner O. S. McEachern, Charlottetown.  
 Pte. John McDonald, Charlottetown.  
 Capt. T. M. Hyndman, Charlottetown.