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BAY STATE ASKED TO JOIN CONFERENCE ON PURE MILK LAW.

ALBANY, Jan. 22—With a view of securing legislation in Connecticut, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania, to improve the quality of the milk sold in New York city, a conference of representatives of these States is to be held in New York early in February. Governor Sutherland has appointed the New York conference.

During the winter time the serviceability and general usefulness of a Thermos are points in its favor that should interest all travellers, those who live outdoors much and who take a lunch to work with them. The Thermos bottle retains the exact temperature of its contents for days—just the thing for school children, working men, travellers and sportsmen. All sizes here from \$1 to \$3.

The MacKinnon Drug Co.

A Valuable Pile. Tobacco is a pile of HICKEY'S BRIGHT CUT smoking tobacco, Cool, Sweet, Mild, pure, clean, and wholesome. Better lay in a supply at present prices, and at a good run or your money. Mile of the very best tobacco, and made RIGHT. Hickey & Nicholson Tobacco Co. Ltd.

Over \$37,900,000 of New Business was written by the Sun Life of Canada for the year 1912, an increase of over \$5,500,000 over 1911. A magnificent tribute to the capable management of this good old "Prosperous and Progressive" Company. E. R. BROW Manager, for P. E. I. Charlottetown

Clearance Prices on Enamelware. We are now commencing stock taking and find that we have a lot of articles in Enamelware that might as well be in your home as on our shelves. We do not want them to stay here over this week, and have cut the prices down to mere nothing, so as to clear the line completely out. These goods are shown in our annex on Craft Street.

The Rogers Hardware Co. Ltd.

Queen St. Grafton St.

TOLEDO MAN BUYS \$250,000 REMBRANDT.

PARIS, Jan. 22—John N. Willys of Toledo, O., today bought the "Praying Pilgrim," one of Rembrandt's greatest paintings, at the Maurice Kann collection. This canvas is valued at \$250,000.

FREE TRADER LEADS AUSTRALIAN LIBERALS.

MELBOURNE, Aus., Jan. 22—Joseph Cook, a pronounced free trader, has been elected leader of the Liberal party to succeed Alfred Deakin, resigned. The appointment was made at a conference of the opposition, when it was stipulated that the present Commonwealth tariff should be maintained.

STOP the COUGH AND Build up the System

when you are all "run down" you catch cold easily, and your cough "hangs on." By taking HUGHES' COUGH MIXTURE you not only cure the local trouble, but also permanently strengthen the whole body. The most successful Cough Remedy known today is HUGHES' COUGH MIXTURE. 25c per bottle at G. E. Hughes, The People's Druggist

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

IT PAYS to buy in this province.

MT. STEWART—Services tomorrow on the Mt. Stewart Circuit will be Black River at 11 a.m., Dunstaffnage at 3 p.m., and Mt. Stewart at 7.

CREATION STORY.—Rev. J. F. Floyd will take for his subject tomorrow evening in the Central Christian Church, Charlottetown, The Creation Story.

POSITION VACANT.—Persons applying for the position of News Editor, Morning Guardian, are asked to address their communications to "Editor Guardian, Charlottetown."

INFORMATION.—Any retail dealer in Charlottetown or Summerside, who will handle up-to-date, fine, ready-to-wear clothing, should write "P" Guardian, Charlottetown, at once.

INWARD TRAINS.—The eastern accommodation arrived in Charlottetown yesterday at 11.10 a.m., five minutes late; the western accommodation at 12.20 p.m., on time and the Summerside at 5.15 p.m., on time.

THIS ISSUE.—The Guardian always has something of interest in every column, and today's issue of sixteen pages is no exception to the rule, page four containing "The Farm, The School and The Home, Good Roads, The Markets, The Turf and The Dairy."

SUCCESSFUL PRIZE WINNER. In the recent Canada Cement Cash Prize contest Ira L. Rodd, North Milton, secured a \$25 cash prize in class B, for the best work done with Canada cement as shown by photograph. Mr. Rodd put a new foundation under his pigery also a cement floor and now has a most up-to-date building.

MARKET PRICES.—The following prices were secured on the Charlottetown market square yesterday and have prevailed since last Tuesday: White oats, 38 to 42c; black oats, 40 to 42c; potatoes, 25 to 30c; beef (quarter) per lb., 10 to 16c. The prices quoted by the wholesalers are: Potatoes, 25 to 28c; hay, 70 to 75c; white oats, 38 to 42c; black oats, 40 to 42c; straw \$5.50 to \$6.50.

PLEASANT MEETING.—The first anniversary of King George Division No. 274, Mt. Stewart, was celebrated on the 21st inst. By invitation Cherry Hill Division No. 275 joined in the W. P. Rev. R. P. Murray presided. A fine program was put through. Coffee and cake made an intermission that added materially to the physical side of the entertainment and was greatly enjoyed.

BEAUTIFUL PROPERTY.—Major A. G. Peake, Charlottetown, has purchased the beautiful residence at Brighton owned by Mrs. A. Peters. The residence, which was built for the late Premier Peters, is one of the finest in Charlottetown, beautifully finished and ideally situated in the midst of lovely grounds and beautiful shade trees. The price paid was in the vicinity of \$7000.

CHARLES CARSON.—On page three will be found the advertisement of Charles Carson, Charlottetown. Mr. Carson is one of the most satisfactory carpenters and jobbers in the province, and caters to the best trade as the guarantee all his work. Parties engaging Mr. Carson can feel confident that nothing but a "first-class job" will be finished. His work shop is over the livery of Large Bros, Queen Street.

A PRESENTATION.—A very pleasant event took place in the hall at Emerald on Thursday when a goodly number of those interested in the Emerald Dairy Association met to show their appreciation of the services of J. R. Elliott, Elliott's Mills and Wm. Dean. Mr. Elliott, who was presented with an address and gold watch, suitably engraved, has been president of the company for seven years, vice-president for nine years, and a director for one year, while Mr. Dean, who was also given an address and a magnificent pipe, has faithfully served as a director for seventeen years. The success of the company in all those years was carefully fostered by these two gentlemen, in conjunction with others, and the recognition of their services came as a decided surprise and pleasure to them, the presentations being made by Peter Clark and John Sinclair, while the popular secretary Peter F. Hughes presided. Before the gathering dispersed dainty refreshments were enjoyed amid social talk.

For school children, clerks, workmen, housewives, travellers, sportsmen—the Thermos bottles. The Thermos will keep fluids boiling hot or icy cold for days and days, is always ready, cannot leak or get out of order—an indispensable family companion. All sizes shown here ranging in price from \$1.90 to \$3. The MacKinnon Drug Co., corner Great George and Kent Sts. M.F.I.

Pies With A "Moreish" Taste. There's a purity and wholesome deliciousness to our pies that cannot be found in the common kind. That's because we use only the purest creamery butter, fresh, unspiced milk and choice pastry flour. There's quality to every crumb of our pies—fine flavor from crust to core. Each mince-meat—apple-cream—lemon—12c. Stewart's Bakery 163 Kent Street

NOW ON SALE.—Tickets are now on sale at the usual places for Mr. Bartlett's lecture in St. James' Hall on Thursday 30th inst.

ST. JAMES CHURCH.—Rev. Mr. Fullerton preaches in St. James Church tomorrow. Morning subject "Love in Punishment." Evening "A Tragedy of Passion."

MINTO ARRIVES.—The Minto arrived in Charlottetown at 1.30 p.m., yesterday from Pictou with 100 sacks of paper and letter mail, express, 82 tons of freight and 20 passengers. She will leave on return to Pictou this morning.

(From Yesterday's Evening Guardian) INWARD TRAINS.—The southern accommodation arrived in Charlottetown today at 10.25 a.m., ten minutes late, and the Cape Traverse accommodation at 10.55 a.m., forty minutes late.

PRESENTATION.—Mrs. (Rev.) Ramsay was waited upon on Monday evening by a committee of ladies of St. Andrew's Church, says a Westville exchange, who, in the name of the women of St. Andrew's congregation, presented her with a purse of one hundred and eight dollars in gold. Mrs. Ramsay was surprised and delighted and heartily thanked the kind donors for their good wishes and their generous gift. The relations between the esteemed and faithful pastor of St. Andrew's and his equally charming and good wife, and the congregation of St. Andrew's are of the most harmonious and cordial nature and such acts as this one simply show the deep seated loyalty and esteem they hold towards Mr. and Mrs. Ramsay.—Mr. Ramsay is well known in Prince Edward Island.

PERSONALS

D. A. McKay, Bradalbane, was a visitor to Charlottetown yesterday.

Father McIntyre, Morell, was in Charlottetown yesterday and returned home in the afternoon.

James R. Elliott, Elliott's Mills, was a passenger returning from Charlottetown yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. James Stewart, Georgetown, who has been visiting in Mt. Stewart for the past two weeks has returned home.

John McLeod, of the (P. E. I. R., Charlottetown, was a passenger to Royalty Junction yesterday afternoon.

W. H. Hogan, Grand Deputy of the C. M. B. A., Hope River, was a passenger returning from Charlottetown yesterday.

(From Yesterday's Evening Guardian) Rev. J. C. Spurr, Great Village, N. S., formerly of Pownal, who has been very ill, has sufficiently recovered to resume his pastoral charges.

Mrs. R. H. Edward, Hampshire, Miss Annie Easton, North Wiltshire, and Nelson Clark, Simpson, Sask., return home today having been in Charlottetown to attend the Burns Anniversary.

Milledge Thompson and William Crockett, of Moncton, Elias White, of Amherst, and John Hughes of P. E. I., says a Moncton exchange, who have been in Ottawa conferring with the Minister of Railways concerning matters connected with the B. of R. T., and the O. R. Q., have returned home.

Does Your Skin Feel Dried Up

Perhaps you have not been taking proper care of your skin. It needs care and attention just as much as your teeth or your hair. Cream Veloute—for beautifying and softening the skin. It smooths out the drawn and uncomfortable feeling from wind, sun or hard water—Leaves a sensation of soft and grateful comfort—ONLY 25c. Lots of other facial preparation.

Johnson & Johnson The Quality Drug Store.

A Hot Water Bottle

is one of the best investments you could make this time of the year. It will make a warm and comfortable bed fellow for you every night, insures health by adding fifty per cent to your comfort. We are showing a splendid line of hot water bottles now, all of the finest rubber ranging in price from \$1.25 up. All those priced at \$1, and over are guaranteed.

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IN THIS DEPARTMENT WE ARE MAKING MANY VERY radical changes—in stock and location as well—this means that it is absolutely needful for us to get clear of every item of FURS - COATS - WINTER SUITS - CLOTH SKIRTS during the next few weeks. Prices will do it—and we will give you the prices. Here are the discounts.

One Third Off Coats \$10.00 Coats are now \$6.67 16.00 " " " 10.67 18.00 " " " 12.00 24.00 " " " 16.00

This stock of coats includes colored Tweeds as well as a fine stock of Black Beaver in all sizes.

One Third Off Suits \$15.00 Suits are reduced to 10.00 16.00 Suits are reduced to 10.67 18.00 Suits are reduced to 12.00 22.00 Suits are reduced to 14.67 26.00 Suits are reduced to 17.35

These are all smart—good—well made carefully tailored suits—Venetian—Serges—Tweeds and so on.

Special Price Cut on Furs

EVERY ONE KNOWS AND ANY ONE WILL TELL YOU THAT THIS STORE OFFERS the finest range of good furs to be had in Charlottetown. From the lowest price furs right up, we buy from the best fur makers in the business—we get every discount that cash payment will make—and now in order to help this great clearance we offer you this fine range of good furs at the following

Table listing fur items and prices: \$6.00 Persian Paw Muff now \$4.80, \$27.50 Persian Lamb Muff \$22.00, 11.00 " Piece " 9.20, 22.50 " " " 18.00, 8.75 " Paw Stole " 7.00, 14.50 " Piece Throw " 11.60, 16.50 " Lamb Scarf " 13.20, 19.00 " Lamb Scarf " 15.20, 16.00 Sable Muff 12.80, 18.00 Sable Muff 14.41, 24.00 Sable Muff 19.20, 17.00 Sable Scarf 13.6, 22.00 Sable Ruff 17.60, 4.95 Marmot Muffs for 3.96, 6.75 Marmot Muffs for 5.40, 7.25 Marmot Muffs 5.80, 9.50 Marmot Muffs 7.60, 3.95 Marmot Scarfs 3.16, 6.50 Marmot Scarf 5.20, 7.50 Marmot Scarfs 6.00, 9.75 Marmot Scarf for 7.80, 12.50 Columbia Stole 10.00

Special discounts on the finest stock of Minks that have ever been brought to Charlottetown. See them to-day. One third off Cloth Skirts. One third off Wrappers. 25 per cent off all remainder of Rain Coat Stock.

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NOTICE, J. E. McCormick, Salesmanager will be at Victoria Hotel, Charlottetown, 24th, 25th, 27th and 28th inst. and will be pleased to give you all the information you require.

Enquiries mailed to 8 Sydney St., St. John, N. B. will receive careful attention. 1-20ME61