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A grand Tea Party in aid of the parish funds will be held at

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Thursday, August 13th 1908

All amusements usual at such gatherings will be provided. Refreshment booths will be supplied with temperate drinks and all the delicacies of the season will be furnished. White tea tables laden with abundance of choice viands will constitute an irresistible attraction.

Following are the train arrangements. A special train from Charlottetown will run on the following schedule:

Station	Fare	Train Dept.
Charlottetown	70	8:45
Royalton Junction	60	9:00
York	50	9:10
Bedford	45	9:20
Mr. Stewart	39	9:30
Pisiquid	30	9:50
Penkes	25	10:05
St. Teresas arrive	10	10:10

Passengers from Georgetown Montague and intermediate stations will come by regular train and afternoon trains and return by regular evening train at the following rates:

Georgetown	15 cts
Emmerson	35
Montague	45
Rosemeath	55
Cardigan	25
Perth	15

Returning special train will leave for Charlottetown at 6:30 p.m. and regular train for Georgetown at 1:55 p.m.

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Thursday, August 20th.

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THE GUARDIAN'S BICYCLE ROAD RACE

The date of The Guardian's bicycle road race has been definitely fixed for Monday August twenty-four. If this date should prove unfavorable the race will take place on the following evening.

Entries are to be confined to Prince Edward Island riders alone.

The race is for The Guardian's three-year trophy, but in addition there will be a number of other prizes which will be announced in a few days.

The course begins at The Guardian office in Charlottetown and follows Grafton Street to Great George Street, thence continuing on to the Upper Malpeque Road which it follows to this side Milton station, thence taking the road to the left which runs alongside Moore's Mill stream and on to Warren's Corner, North River. From this corner the course will be across the North River Bridge to the Royal Arms, thence by Lower Malpeque Road to Brighton Road following Brighton Road out to the shore, then taking the Park Roadway, following the same round the Park and so to starting place—12 miles.

COMING EVENTS

Red Rose meeting, Lodge Prince Edward S.O.E. Tuesday, August 11th.

Buy "Perfection Brand" clothing at H.H. Brown's.

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MY FIRST VOYAGE

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times he would change the subject, and tell us about other strange things he had witnessed, until—

"The wonder was, the wonder grew. How one small head could carry all he knew."

Among other wonderful things he related was the encounters he had with rats which at one time infested his place to an alarming extent. One story was that they became so numerous that when he undertook to feed his legs, he had to stand by the trough with a long stick in his hand to keep the little animals away while the hogs fed themselves, otherwise the rats would have the feed all eaten before the hogs could get a chance at it. Jim had a wonderful facility for exaggeration, so that when he finished his story, all the listeners would burst into laughter, this was very annoying to him, so that with a look of innocence on his face, he would say: "Why, you fools, you all laugh at a fellow like as if he was telling a lie!" As a matter of course we all denied the "soft impeachment" assured him that we believed every word he said, and begged him to go on again. This never failed to mollify him, and there he would proceed to tell another, and then he went on: "You may think this rat story impossible, but I will tell you another little experience I had with rats on another occasion which was stronger than the other one, but every word of it is true as the gospel. Well boys said he, 'the rats became so numerous in my house that they began digging under my hearthstone in the cellar. I paid no attention to them for I supposed they were burrowing in the ground to make nests for themselves. But one cold morning I got up early to kindle the fire, which was always my custom when at home and at once stepped upon the large heart-stone in front of my chimney, and went down to kindle the fire when I heard something shake and in less time than it takes to tell it, the heartstone, with myself, a large baglog, a pair of dog irons and several pots were all landed in the cellar! and boys I tell you in the collapse there were over a hundred crushed to death, and if it hadn't been for a streak of good luck I would have been killed among them myself!" This story called forth roars of laughter which so annoyed the narrator that he set us in disgust, and as he disappeared "down the hole" the last words we heard were "d-fools."

We should have had a very dull time as we moved along quite slowly only that Jim, Mr. Weatherby and Mr. Nicholson had the forethought to take on-board at Charlottetown a good sized keg of rum. This keg which tapped had always the effect of relieving the monotony and enlivening the conversation of our trip. In those days it was not considered a sin to drink and with the exception of the owner of the vessel and myself the rest of the crew were firm believers in this doctrine, and they exemplified it in their every day lives. To make a long story short they liked to "booze" when they could afford it. By the time we reached Pictou the keg was empty, and it was found necessary to replenish it in order to successfully reach the "landing ground" on the opposite side of the harbor.

I do not think that I shall ever forget the important look of Mr. McNeill as he, on these occasions paced the deck with a small spy-glass in hand, looking out for the Indian rocks which we had passed many hours before.

On sailing up the harbor of Pictou a gust of wind had carried my hat off my head, and blew it into the water. This caused me much inconvenience for there was not a spare one on board and as a consequence none to borrow.

Shortly after we came to anchor, three or four hundred yards from the wharf, a party composed of Mr. McNeill, Mr. Weatherby and myself were sent ashore Mr. McNeill to purchase supplies and to buy myself a hat. I hated to walk up the street bare-headed and the only thing on board that I could wear was that old-fashioned beaver hat belonging to Mr. Nicholson. I dreaded to put it on, but what was I to do? As I walked along between the two delegates, I sometimes wished the ground might open and swallow me up. I fancied that every body in the city stood on the sidewalks, poking fun at me as we marched along. It was a terrible ordeal. How I wished the old stove-pipe was in the bottom of the sea instead of on my head. I have hated a plug hat ever since and always will. It now appears to me to be the most inartistic device ever invented by the devil to make the Almighty ashamed of his masterpiece—the human head.

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Weatherby did was to strike out for a tavern and get the keg filled. I was to wait at a given place on the sidewalk until they returned. After purchasing a hat, I took my position at the appointed place and waited and watched, and watched and waited for the return of my companions. I began to think that they would never come back, when all of a sudden I heard a terrible ruction inside of the tavern. Suddenly the door opened when out jumped Jim, followed by Mr. Weatherby. They had got into a row with two stalwart Blue-noses, and a fight was imminent. Mr. Weatherby was doing his best to restore order for he was a very quiet old gentleman and the only thing in the world that could be said against him was that he occasionally indulged too freely in booze. But Jim wanted to fight and he wanted to fight badly, or at least he wanted to fight on paper and on Scotsians was a giant and Jim was a very small man, but he didn't think so. I knew very well that if ever Jim got a clip from the big fellow it would be all off with him, so Mr. Weatherby and myself pleaded with the big blue-nose not to strike him. But Jim had a villainously abusive tongue, and he provoked the big fellow to such an extent that he could control himself no longer, so he let go a wallup which luckily missed Jim's ear, and it was well it did, for our little ship would have been without a commander. Feeling that discretion was the better part of valor, we took to our heels, and having got a good start of the Nova Scotsians, we hurriedly jumped into the boat and were felt comparatively safe. When we got completely out of their reach, Jim began again to long for vengeance. He therefore laid down his oars, took off his coat, and necktie, unbuttoned his shirt-collar, laid down away carefully and then stood up on one of the seats, and challenged his pursuers to mortal combat! He just wanted five minutes to show them a Prince Edward Island trick or two. He would not only fight these men, but he was ready to meet all Nova Scotia. They replied by saying he was a coward and was now showing his bravery because he knew they could not reach him. Jim replied by saying he never knew a Blue-nose but could walk on the water, forgetting the fact, however, that his own wife was a Blue-nose.

The next morning we moved over to the "Loading ground," where our gallant friend left us for Antigonish. Mr. Nicholson and wife started for Truro, and Mr. VanDerstine. Mr. Weatherby and myself were left to finish up the business as best we could, and in less than a week we were all "home again from a foreign shore."

and Mrs. Nicholson I have never seen since nor have I heard from them. They are doubtless sleeping their last long sleeps before today. Mrs. Nicholson was a kind-hearted old lady, and many a piece of good oak cake, well buttered she gave me when a kid on my way to and from the Vernon River school at the foot of "Hayden's Hill." James McNeill lived to be a very old man, and only recently passed away to that "bourne whence no traveller returns." After he came back to live on the Island, and I did business on my own account, he did many a day's work for me. I always enjoyed his company, for he undoubtedly possessed considerable wit and abundant humor. No one could be lonesome in his company and I understand he remained cheerful and happy until the end of his days. After all his fallings I liked the poor old fellow, and this not withstanding the many severe tongue-lashings he gave me on that memorable voyage. Mr. Weatherby has been dead for many years, and many a time when I afterwards taught school I used to call on him at his forge to talk over the incidents of our trip to Pictou. Mr. VanDerstine is also numbered with those who have passed to the Great Beyond. He died full of years and honor, for he was a just and generous man. I am the only one of that little ship's crew who is alive. But my time of departure must come before very long, and then the great world will never know anything of the voyage from Vernon River Bridge to Pictou, Nova Scotia. And thus the world wags along.

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