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CAVALRY sword drill at the children's entertainment in St. Peter's schoolroom, Thursday, 10th April.

Mr. Wm. McWilliam of Lower Montague has collected \$63.30 towards the Patriotic Fund.

A CORRESPONDENT in Pleasant Valley writes that Mr. Byron Stewart of Pleasant Valley who has been very ill, is recovering under the treatment of Dr. Kier.

A LOYAL Orange Lodge was re-organized on Wednesday evening in Lower Montague by the district Master, Norman McDonald. The officers were duly elected and installed and the lodge has every evidence of a bright future.

THE GUARDIAN learns from Mr. W. W. Clark, agent for the Plant Line that the popular passenger steamer Halifax will sail from Boston on May 5th for Charlottetown and will arrive in port on Monday 7th. She will make her first trip from this port on Tuesday, May 8th. Capt. Pye's many friends in the city will be pleased to welcome his return.

THE Schooner Lady May of Belle River sailed from Charlottetown on Saturday evening. The Lady May entered port on Friday last. Besides a general cargo she brought to the city the following passengers: Messrs. Wm. A. McDougall, Wm. Martin, D. McLaren of Belle River.

REFERRING to P. E. Island produce in Halifax the Maritime Merchant says: "Potatoes and turnips are now retailing at some of the wharves, where a fair amount of business is being done. Last week a number of schooners that had been laid up here all winter waiting for spring trade to open, sold their stocks of potatoes on private terms on Cape Breton and Newfoundland account, the price supposed to be in the vicinity of 28 cents. Potatoes are selling at 30 cents in Halifax; Oats at about 35 cents. Turnips are 30 to 35 cents per bushel."

PETERS' ROAD NOTES, Lot 63.—Our enterprising merchant, Mr. Archie Johnston has just had his new store completed. The store is quite large and a whole glass front makes it one of the best stores in the country. The carpenter work was done by the Bears Bros. The people of the vicinity are greatly indebted to Mr. Johnston for the use of his new building in which to hold a Pic Social and Concert. The receipts from it were (\$110.00), one hundred and ten dollars in aid of the Presbyterian Church. Had the night been fine the amount would have been far in excess of this amount.

In the Annual Report of the Dairy-men's Association A. E. Venning's creamery, Tryon, was estimated. His statement is as follows: Milk was furnished by 66 patrons. The quantity of milk furnished was 1,007,734 lbs., 44,796 lbs. butter manufactured. The average per cent of fat in the milk was 3.86. The value of butter at per lb. was 10.62 cents. The average price realized for butter was 19.32 cents. Patrons received on the average 66 cents per hundred lbs. of milk. The following is the amount of milk furnished by five of the largest patrons:

NAME	LBS. MILK	VALUE
John D. Muttart	50,239	\$313.28
T. H. Smith	39,372	268.60
Thos. Clarke	38,556	261.00
J. E. Howatt	39,376	259.24
W. C. Lea	41,255	257.74

HOME-made sandy at the children's entertainment in St. Peter's schoolroom on Easter Thursday night. Full boxes of good candy.

Mr. Henry Laphorne has returned from Sydney, C. B. where he went some three weeks ago in the interests of the Charlottetown Soap Works. He reports building operations dull owing to the unfavorable weather. While in Sydney Mr. Laphorne was informed that some 400 cars of freight, principally machinery, are ready to be unloaded. Considerable inconvenience has been experienced owing to the ferry boats being delayed by ice. While in Sydney Mr. Laphorne secured some splendid orders for the manufacture of the Charlottetown Soap Works which has become quite popular with the people of Sydney.

ON Thursday evening, the 12th inst., Mr. Geo. S. Inman delivered a lecture in the hall at Commercial Cross on "English Statesmen of the Victorian Era." Mr. Daniel Beaton occupied the chair. The lecturer dealt chiefly with the careers of Lord Palmerston, Mr. Disraeli and Mr. Gladstone. In closing he referred to the war in South Africa and paid a high tribute to the work of the Canadian boys at the front. At the close of the lecture Mr. Inman was tendered with a hearty vote of thanks which was moved by Mr. Benjamin Davey, seconded by Mr. Norman McDonald and supported by Mr. Murdoch McLeod and others. The meeting closed by singing God Save the Queen.

NEW INVENTIONS.—Below will be found a list of patents recently granted to inventors through the agency of Messrs. Marion & Marion, New York Life Building, Montreal, who will send the Inventor's Help to any address upon receipt of ten cents. Canada: 66,686; Joseph G. Dallaire, St. Laurent, Ile d'Orleans, P. Q. Telephone Transmitters. 65,634; Jandide Kingsley, Montreal, P. Q. Ratchet Wrench. 63,893; James McCulloch, Pe'retreath, Eng. Improvements in steam actuated valves for pumps. 63,894; Joseph G. Dallaire, St. Laurent, Ile d'Orleans, P. Q. Corset Clasp. 65,892; Amedee Proulx, St. Laurent, Ile d'Orleans, P. Q. Corset Clasp. 66,802—Amedee Proulx, St. Aime, P. Q. Barrels Support. United States. 646,731—H. J. A. & N. A. Giroux, Charlesbourg, P. Q. Acetylene Gas Generator. 656,933—Amedee Tetrault, Montreal, P. Q. Athletic Shoe. 646,427—Jean L. Guay, Plessisville, P. Q. Acetylene Gas Generator. 646,593—Edwin E. Neill, Orangeville, Ont. Game apparatus.

A reader of THE GUARDIAN sends the following extract from a letter recently received from England:

"It may interest the readers of THE GUARDIAN to know that Gen. Sir Redvers Buller, V. C. whose name is now so prominently before the public was once in Charlottetown where he was a Lieut. in the 60th Royal Rifles and was quartered at Halifax or St. John, prior to his expedition with Colonel, now Lord Wolseley, to the Red River. This information we have from our old fellow townsman, Rev. Maurice Swaby, who, since 1874 has been vicar of St. Thomas, Exeter, the parish of which Sir Redvers Buller is lay rector and patron. Lieut. Buller's visit to Prince Edward Island was only a flying one in the days when Mr. Robinson (afterwards Sir Wm. Cleaver Robinson, K. C. M. C.) was at Government House, but he has a very clear recollection of Charlottetown, its fine harbor and surroundings. At St. John, N. B. his battalion was for some months under canvas near Rothesay and while there Lieut. Buller was on terms of intimacy with the family of late Hon. John Robertson, now of London, and with late Robt. F. Haszen, Esq., whose eldest son, Capt. Robert Morris Haszen of 60 Rifles had recently died of fever to the deep regret of his brother officers in India. When the Regiment was in St. John an interesting lecture was delivered at the City Hall, Carleton, by request of Rev. Mr. Swaby in aid of the fund for the erection of St. Jude's Sunday School house by Lieut. Warren on the explorations of his brother, now Gen. Sir Charles Warren, on the ruins of Jerusalem, the proceeds of which were very satisfactory. Both Sir Redvers and Lady Audrey are very popular with the tenantry at Crediton and St. Thomas, Exeter."

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J. Fred Edwards, the well known Clerk of the Learment, says: "I recently had Headache. Tried Kumfort Headache Powders—cured me in short order. One of our guests, a commercial traveller, was complaining so gave him balance of package—another cure. It seems they never fail!"

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