

THE QUEEN'S COUNTY GUARDIAN

Head Offices in New Prowse Block—Charlottetown.

The latest news, first of all.

Leon Melanson, Shediac, spent the week-end with Dr. T. E. E. Robins, City.

Misses L. and F. McDonald, Kinross, were among those registering at the Queen Hotel, City, Saturday.

A Mercer, Halifax, is a guest at the Victoria. He arrived in this city Saturday night on the Northumberland.

A. R. Robinson, Boston, was a passenger to this city on the Northumberland Saturday night and registered at the Revere.

James Robertson, Montreal, was among those arriving in this city on the Northumberland Saturday night and is registered at the Queen Hotel.

A severe hail and rain storm passed over Mount Stewart Friday night. The hailstones were very large, measuring from one-half to three-quarters of an inch in diameter.

Dr. and Mrs. Pethick, who have been visiting in this Province, left Saturday morning by the Northumberland. They will spend two weeks at their summer cottage on St. George's Bay.

James Walker, Gary, Ind., son of the late George Walker of the Customs Department, arrived in this city on the mail train Saturday night on a visit to his old home here. Mr. Walker is one of the Island's successful young men abroad.

A. J. Seaman, M. A., and bride, arrived in town this evening, after spending the past two weeks in Charlottetown. After a brief visit with Mrs. Seaman's parents, Rev. Thomas and Mrs. Marshall, they will leave for their home in Nelson, B. C.—Moncton Transcrip.

J. L. Stewart, City, was registered at the Queen Hotel, Halifax, Saturday.

The mail train arrived in this city Saturday night. The other trains of the day were on time.

A. B. Carson and wife, Rexton, arrived in this city Saturday night and registered at the Victoria.

Thomas C. Savage, Montreal, crossed on the Northumberland Saturday night and is stopping at the Queen.

J. R. Walker, Boston, crossed to this city on the Northumberland Saturday night and is a guest at the Revere Hotel.

Mrs. Harold Hampom, Montreal, was among the inward passengers on the Northumberland Saturday night and registered at the Victoria.

B. Goldoff and W. W. Pynes, Boston, registered at the Victoria Hotel Saturday night. They crossed to this city on the Northumberland.

E. Prunty, who for the past three years has resided in Boston, arrived in this city on the mail train Saturday night to visit his parents in this city.

Misses A. P. Blord, M. Gillespie, and J. D. Whitney, New York City, were passengers to this city on the S. S. Northumberland Saturday night and are guests at the Victoria Hotel.

S. S. Harland leaves at 2 p. m. today for Orwell, calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharf, returning tomorrow morning, due at 9.45. Tuesday afternoon excursion to Orwell and return at one single fare, leaving here at 3 p. m., due on return at 8.30 p. m. A magnificent five hours' sail for the small sum of a quarter of a dollar.

T. E. Whitehead, Toronto, was a passenger on the Northumberland Saturday evening and registered at the Victoria Hotel.

Mayor McMurdo, of Newcastle, returned home last night on the maritime after spending a couple of weeks visiting different points in Nova Scotia.—Moncton Times.

Geo. F. O'Halloran and wife, Ottawa, were among the passengers crossing to this city on the Northumberland Saturday night. They registered at the Victoria.

A number of railroad conductors from New Brunswick accompanied by their wives arrived Saturday night and held their annual meeting in this City yesterday. The majority return to their homes today.

In St James' Church yesterday Rev. T. F. Fullerton preached at both services taking his texts from the Sunday School Lesson for the day, Matthew 20th chapter. At the morning service Elmer Ritchie sang most acceptably and in the evening the choir gave a fine anthem during the offertory.

On Saturday night many citizens viewed the splendid display of medals, numbering forty-five which were in G. F. Hutcheson's show window on Sunnyside. These medals are simply beautiful and will be presented to the lucky winners in Wednesday's sports after the event is over by the president of the M. P. A. A. Dr. Johnson.

R. M. Rive, of Caraquet, and R. A. D. Gillis, of Summerside, Rhodes Dunstons, respectively, are in the city. Each has another year at Oxford, but before going back is renewing old acquaintances. They both took a prominent part in sport, each having been a member of the Canadian team which won the championship of Europe last summer.

Mr. Gillis formerly played hockey for the St. Dunstan team. Mr. Rive graduated from St. Josephs in 1905.—Moncton Times.

Doctor Fred M. Auld who has been visiting at the home of his father, David H. Auld, Freetown, for the past three weeks, left on Saturday morning to resume his professional duties in the Montreal General Hospital. He will remain there for about a month after which he will make arrangements to leave for the province of Homan in China. He goes there as a Medical Missionary in connection with the Western Division of the Presbyterian Church in Canada and expects to sail from Vancouver some time in the first week of October. The Guardian along with his many friends here and elsewhere wishes him much success in the work to which he is devoting his life, and trusts that his labors may be abundantly blessed.

There were no Chicago market quotations in this morning's despatches to the Guardian.

Kenneth Graham of Groton School, Groton, Mass., who has been visiting his parents Murdock and Mrs. Graham, Bradalbane, for the past two weeks returned home by the Empress, Saturday accompanied by his son Master Reginald.

MINER TRAVELLED ALONE WITH FRIEND'S BODY.

FORT WILLIAM, Aug. 13.—In charge of the body of his former friend, Thomas Keen, a mining man who was drowned in Sturgeon Lake, May 6, Conlin Wood has arrived here after a journey which would have daunted many train blazers of the early sixties.

Wood, who travelled along with his gruesome burden, covered the 150-mile trip across portage, lake and stream in a little over a week. Keen was drowned while canoeing from Savant Lake to Sturgeon Lake, a distance of two to three miles. He was a good swimmer, but was unable to reach the craft from which he had fallen owing to the jamming of ice. It was several days later that the body came to the surface a few feet from where the accident occurred.

Burial took place near Sturgeon Lake, but at the wish of Keen's parents the body was disinterred for shipment to a small town in New York State. Wood, his closest friend here, undertook to bring the body to the city, which he did, assisted at times by freighters and Indians. During most of the water journey he was alone with the body.

ENTRIES FOR MONTAGUE RACES

With upwards of twenty-five horses for the Montague Races they should be a grand success. The entries are as follows:

FREE-FOR-ALL.

Meadowdale, Hilda S., Pretoria, Tom Trim, Devilish Dorothy, Baby Boy, Robert C., Helen G., Bonanza Princeton.

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2.30 CLASS. Miss Kalol, Britannia, Commodore Beaulieu, Lady Belle, Minnie Mac, Fleet, Chiefside.

3 MIN. CLASS. Queen Brazilian, Lulu B., Ginger Fleet, Britannia, Birt Oak Leaf.

There will be good dinner and tea tables on the grounds.

BRITISH MEDICAL ASSOCIATION'S WORK.

(Montreal Herald.) The convention of the British Medical Association which was brought to a close this week in London, is remarkable for the suggestion of the broadening out of the range from "British" to "Imperial," justified because the association is now contemporary with the empire, and its branches follow the flag, and for the record of the advance made in etiology, or the exact knowledge of the causes which produce disease, in the fifteen years that have elapsed since the body last met in the British metropolis. The organization itself, it may be pointed out, had already passed through two stages in the process of evolution before it had the courage to assert its character as "British," having done good service first as the "Metropolitan Counties," and later as the "Provincial" Association. No doubt the widening of the range of the association will be welcomed, as likely to encourage the co-operation of the great minds which are embarrassed in the profession, beyond the seas that gird the British Isles.

As regards the work of the present year it is interesting to note from the address of the president, Dr. Mitchell Bruce, that several chains of evidence have been completed which prove the causes, producing disease, in many cases to be of a parasitic character. They come from the presence in the blood or tissues of invaders, sometimes of the animal kingdom, protozoa, which either live in the blood and consume or destroy elements essential to health or by their own life processes generate poisons technically known as toxins, which imperil or extinguish the life of the host.

It is now pretty generally known that man is armed against bacteria, the vegetable invaders, by the power of the white corpuscles of his blood to consume them; and it is from an artificial increase of the defensive power thus arising that medicine is chiefly expecting the victories of the future over many forms of epidemic illness.

Against the Protozoa, as against what is called the syphilitic, the cause of syphilis or the trypanosome, which is the cause of the fatal sleeping sickness, the hope of the future rests upon the expectation of killing the parasites by medicaments introduced into the blood stream of the host. It is explained that the practical difficulties in the case of the deadly syphilis are now surmounted. The trouble was to discover the agent and the dose, which, proving effective as regards the parasite should be harmless to the patient. This difficulty, it may be pointed out, is in many cases increased by the fact that the parasites at an early period of the treatment are found to retreat before the engines brought to bear upon them, to disappear from the general blood current and to lurk in deeper localities, from which they are only apt to return if the treatment be

prematurely suspended. It is a game of hide and seek—critical so far as the life of the patient is concerned.

The fact that many of the disease producing parasites are introduced into the system by the bites of flies of various descriptions and that they were originally obtained by the flies from sources which have not been precisely determined, such as wild animals of various kinds, is only one of the many illustrations of the complexity of the problems to be dealt with, and of the absolute necessity for the exercise of the last degree of scientific caution in dealing with them. Ingenious guessing, which serves the reckless empiric as a substitute for research is bound in the end to be as fatal to his prospects and reputation, as it would be immediately dangerous to the health or life of the patients.

A MORNING PRAYER.

Some one has suggested that while there is nothing more beautiful than the picture of a little child kneeling by his mother's side at bedtime and offering that classic prayer of childhood,

"Now I lay me down to sleep,"

there ought to be a different kind of praying for grown-up men at the beginning of a day in which they are to face all sorts of evils, and to meet all kinds of temptations; and proposes the following as a good morning prayer:

"Now I get me up to work; I pray thee Lord I may not shirk; If I should die before the night I pray my work may be all right."

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Erly Shopping: Our closing hour for Saturday will be 10 p. m. and anyone coming in up to that hour will receive courteous treatment. White Lawn Waists: The second week in August is rather early to begin cleaning home and we are not doing it in general, but we got a little overstocked in shirt waists and are so anxious to get rid of them again that we marked all our \$1.00 white lawn waists at 49c. Wash Vests: We have about 4 doz. fancy wash vests left and instead of holding them and eventually sell them at their regular price we have decided to let them go at cost plus 10 p. c. profit, a good investment for next summer even. Special Excursions: On Wednesday of next week, the day of the Maritime Championships, there will be run a special schedule of trains, as arranged specially by Mr. B. C. Prowse and Mr. S. A. McLeod, and we hope to see a large gathering from all parts of the Island. LINEN COATS: We will sell all our \$7.25 Pure Linen Dust Coats for \$5 15. Little Notions: Large packages of pins, 3 and 5c. Fancy frills—nicely made in boxes of 6 frills for 25c. Wash Fabrics: Underskirts for 75c. Wash waists, 1/2 price. Men's Pajamas: White Indian linen "Cotela" Pajamas \$1.75 pair. Men's Wash Suits: Very choice worsted suits, double breasted sack shape, cloth or dark, and medium dark ground, striped or checked, very dressy effect; the material is all wool and will give good wear; Italian lines; sizes 34 to 44, \$15.00. Men's Robes: We have a fine assortment of Turkish Bath Robes in a half dozen different colors, all well made and full sizes, regular 4.00 now 3.60. Men's Handkerchiefs: Excelsa Brand pure linen, 25c. Men's Suits: Boy's Russian Suits of American Galatea, neat blue stripe patterns, sailor collar and detachable front, trimmed with strappings of same goods, knickers, sizes 2 to 9 year's 65c. Men's Hats: A full stock of Haw's Hard Hats has just arrived. Very latest shapes and colors, 3.00 soft hats all colors, 2.00. Straw Hats 50c up. Prowse Bros. Ltd. CHARLOTTETOWN'S BIG DEPARTMENTAL STORE