

## CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

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## THE EASTERN GUARDIAN

**IT PAYS** to buy in this Province.

**THE MORNING** Guardian can be obtained in Souris at M. A. Paquet's.

**T. GORDON IVES** is Guardian agent in Montague.

**WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.**—The regular monthly meeting of The Sea View Women's Institute took place on Monday evening last at the home of Mrs. Garfield Stewart, Red Point. It was decided that a pie social be held in Kingsboro Hall on Monday night, Dec. 14th in order to raise funds for the improvements of the schools. The next meeting will take place at the School House in Kingsboro on 4, 1915.

**CASH.**—Having decided to sell for cash only we can now assure our customers of lower prices and more attentive service. We now ask you to co-operate with us and endeavor to break away from the old credit system and thus save the large expense attached to it. Remember we will as usual handle all produce possible for which we will pay best possible prices. A settlement of all accounts is requested before Christmas. McLeod & McGregor, Montague. 6918-12-11M1E11

**KARLSRUHE STILL AT LARGE, BUT HER FINISH MAY COME QUICKLY**

**NEW YORK, Dec. 12.**—The will of the ship movements of the German cruiser Karlsruhe in South American and West Indian waters, and the belief that German secret agents are keeping her informed of movements of merchant vessels is working havoc with shipping along the South American coast, according to officials of the steamer Scottish Prince that arrived here today from Santos. The Scottish Prince left Santos for New York, on October 31. She received wireless reports that the Karlsruhe was watching for her and altered her course to the extent that she steamed more than 1,100 miles out of her way, almost to the west coast of Africa, on the trip to New York. Nothing unusual was sighted, however, and she completed her voyage in safety.

At Santos they passed close to the gulf, the Amazon and Plate rivers officials of the ship say that they counted 87 German and Austrian steamships interned because of war. At Santos they passed close to the German steamer Prussia that was interned by the port authorities on September 24, after being fined \$1,000,000 for failing to comply with the navigation laws of the country, with particular reference to supplying fuel to warships at a port of call. The Prussia, laden with coal, cleared on September 2nd, from the port of Rio De Janeiro, giving her destination as Santos, the officers stated. Instead of eighteen days, the usual running time between the two ports, the Prussia was out twenty-two days and when she arrived at Santos there were found locked up in her bunkers twenty-two members of the crew of the British ship Indian Prince which had been captured by the Karlsruhe. They had been transferred to the Prussia by one of the attendant ships of the Karlsruhe.

**AVIATOR VISITED ANTWERP**

**LONDON, Dec. 12.**—The Rotterdam correspondent of the Evening Star says an aeroplane of the Allies flew over Antwerp, dropping bombs and messages. The bridge over the River Scheldt was again destroyed.

The aviator escaped under a heavy fire.

**SUBSCRIPTIONS TO PATRIOTIC FUND.**

Previously acknowledged, \$6,990.24. Proceeds Patriotic Dance, held at Grand view Hall, per Miss Florence Martin, \$17.85; Geo. A. W. Robertson, City, \$10; Benj. Rogers, Governor, City, \$25; (on account of \$100); William H. Scott, City, \$10; James D. White, City, \$2 (on account of \$10); Frank Mahar, City, \$25; (and 25c a week during the war); Capt. T. White, City, \$5; Miss M. K. Scott, City, \$5; Miss A. Scott, City, \$5; J. D. Lawson, City, \$5; E. Cameron, City, \$5; Robert McPherson, City, \$5; Mrs. N. Finlayson, City, \$3; Caledonia Club proceeds St. Andrews Night entertainment, per James McLeod, \$39.70; Mrs. Peter McNutt, City, \$3; Geo. McInnis, City, \$50; (and 50c a month during the war); William McIntyre, City, \$2; Henry Nelson, City, \$1.50; A. Friend, City, \$1; Frank Clark, City, \$50; Milton Walsh, City, \$50; Bruce Stewart, City, \$5 (monthly contributions); Buntain Bell & Co., City, \$25; W. J. White, Shire District, Royal Scottish Chapter, per William Coles, North Milton, \$50; Lady Barton Lodge, per William Coles, North Milton, \$10; Wm. Coles, North Milton, \$5; James Landrigan, City, \$10; G. H. Taylor, City, \$10, (on account of \$25); Buntain Bell & Co., City, \$25; W. J. Cotton, City, \$25; Mrs. C. H. Nelson, City, \$2; W. S. Louson, City, \$10; Mrs. Thomas Ayers, City, \$1.

Total contributions paid in to date, \$7,380.04.

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**U. S. WILL RETURN THE MEXICANS' FIRE**

**WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.**—If the contending Mexican forces opposite Naco, Ariz., do not cease firing into American territory, the three batteries of field artillery sent to the international line by President Wilson and Secretary Garrison will be ordered to return the fire.

This is the determination of the United States Government, it became known tonight, after a full discussion of the question by President Wilson with his cabinet yesterday. No specific orders have been given as yet to Brig.-General Tasker H. Bliss, who was directed to proceed to Naco with the field artillery, but while he is en route there officials expect an answer to the sharp warning which has been given to General Maytorena commanding the Villa troops, and General Hill of the Carranza forces, that bullets and shells must not fall on American soil. Similar warning has been communicated to General Villa through American Consular agents.

**MARITIME FORWARD MOVEMENT IN AMHERST.**

**HALIFAX, Dec. 12.**—Not since the days of the Charlottetown Conference, 1864, has there been gathered together in one assembly so large a number as broadly representative of the thought and industry of the Maritime Provinces as is promised at this initial meeting of the "Maritime Forward" movement on Tuesday.

The programme speaks for itself, and the importance of the meeting should appeal to every one interested in the development of these provinces.

Day meeting commencing 10 a. m. sharp. The Maritime Provinces—An "Academy"—Professor Catten, Acadia University—Hon. J. A. Murray, Commissioner of Agriculture, New Brunswick; Prof. Cumming, Agricultural College, Truro; A. S. Barnstead, Commissioner of Immigration for Nova Scotia; Father Gauthier, St. Louis, P. E. I.

Manufacturing—J. H. Plummer, President Dominion Steel Company, Sydney; Thomas Cantley, General Manager of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company, New Glasgow; W. S. Fisher, St. John; S. E. Elkin, St. John, and J. H. Sheppard, representing the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

Fox Ranching in P. E. I.—Hon. Charles Dalton, Tignish.

Labor—A. R. Mosher, Grand President Canadian Brotherhood Railway Employees.

Fishing Industry—John Hjort, of the Marine and Fisheries Department, Ottawa; Richard O'Leary, Richibucto, N. B.; Fred Magee, Port Elgin, N. B.

Forestry—W. B. Snowball, Chatham, N. B.

Technical Education—Prof. H. W. Sexton, Halifax.

Oil and Shale—Matthew Lodge, Moncton, N. B.

Financial—D. Macgillivray, Halifax.

Press—J. E. B. McCready, Charlottetown.

Evening meeting 7.45 p. m.—Sir Robert L. Munn, Minister of Canada; Hon. George H. Murray, Premier of Nova Scotia; Hon. J. A. Matheson, Premier of P. E. I.; Hon. George J. Clarke, Acting Premier of New Brunswick; Rev. Dean Lwydy, Halifax, and others not yet arranged.

All attending should endeavor to arrive in Amherst the previous evening.

**HALTED LINER AND GOT TOBACCO.**

**NEW YORK, Dec. 12.**—It was three o'clock in the morning and the steamer Ausonia, steaming from Liverpool to New York, was nearing mid-ocean. She seemed to have the entire ocean to herself when a dazzling beam of light suddenly shot out from the darkness and illuminated her decks. A moment later she halted.

Presently the dim outlines of a British man of war could be seen in the shadows.

"Got any smoking tobacco?" came from the warship.

The reply was in the affirmative. Cigarettes and tobacco in goodly quantity were placed in a water-tight receptacle and passed over the side. A boat from the warship picked them up.

Soon the voice in the darkness belated its thanks, the warship steamed away and the Ausonia continued her voyage to New York, reaching here yesterday.

**GERMAN CRUISER FAILED TO REPLY TO CHALLENGE OF CANADIAN BATTLESHIP**

**OTTAWA, Dec. 12.**—What was tantamount to a challenge by the cruiser Rainbow of the Canadian navy to the German cruiser Leipzig to come out and fight, but was not accepted, was one of the developments shortly after the war broke out and news of which has become available in Ottawa.

The Leipzig was running in and out of San Francisco harbor while the Rainbow was steaming south in search of the British gunboats Algerine and Shearwater. Commander Howe figured that while the Leipzig was faster and more modern than his ship, the Rainbow's guns were bigger. He sent by wireless to San Francisco his exact whereabouts on the Pacific, but the enemy's craft, though doubtless picking up the message, failed to come out for a naval battle.

The reported finding of "wreckage" from the British warships on the Pacific coast some months ago is also explained now and furnishes another indication of the best fighting tradition of the Navy. When the war broke out the small and unprotected gunboats Algerine and Shearwater were making their way up north to serve as patrols in Behring Sea. The commander, suspecting that he would get orders to intern in an United States port, but not relishing the prospect of doing so proceeded to plant the two boats with a combination of white paint and lamplack, approximating the color of the regular ships of the navy, and threw overboard all woodwork that was movable and prepared for action.

The cruisers steamed up the coast, expecting an encounter with German ships, but hit the good fortune to meet the Rainbow, which had gone in search for them.

**PEACE OF THE PACIFIC HAS NOW BEEN RESTORED.**

**LONDON, Dec. 12.**—Replying to his congratulations on the victory of the British squadron over the Germans off the Falkland Islands, Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, yesterday cabled the Japanese Minister of War, as follows:—

"With the sinking of the Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, Leipzig and Nürnberg, the whole German squadron which had its base at Tsing Tau at the outbreak of the war has been destroyed and the base itself reduced and captured."

"This event marks the conclusion of the active operations in which the Allied fleets have been engaged in the Pacific for four months. Though it has fallen to a British squadron in the South Atlantic to strike the final blow, it was largely owing to the powerful and untiring assistance rendered by the Japanese fleet that this result was being achieved."

"Had the enemy turned west again the honors would have rested with the Japanese and Australian squadrons moving forward in the general combination."

"The peace of the Pacific is now for the time being, restored, and the commerce of all nations can proceed with safety throughout the vast expanse from the coasts of Mozambique to those of South America. The expulsion of the Germans from the East is complete and with good and vigilant arrangements by all a return by them should be rendered extremely difficult and hazardous."

"I take the opportunity of Your Excellency's cordial message to express on behalf of the British and Australian navies earnest recognition of the invaluable naval assistance of Japan."

**BRITISH COMMANDER GUEST OF JAPAN.**

**TOKIO, Dec. 12.**—Brig. General Nathaniel W. Barnardiston, commander of the British North China forces, who headed the British troops in the attack on Tsing Tau, arrived here this morning. General Barnardiston will be a guest of the Nation.

The British General was received by the highest military and other officials. Arrangements had been made to give him a greater welcome than was accorded to Vice-Admiral Kato and the other Japanese commanders on their return from Tsing Tau.

The railway station was elaborately decorated and thousands of school children who had assembled greeted General Barnardiston with salvos of cheering and shouts of "Denzan!"

**FOUND DEAD ON SEAT OF BUGGY.**

**KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 12.**—A startling discovery was made Wednesday while the Battersea stagemen, Clarence Hanley, was coming to the city. A mile this side of Mount Chesney, Mr Hanley noticed a horse and buggy standing on the road, and made investigation, whereupon he found George Patterson, of Mount Chesney, seventy-five years of age, sitting upright in the buggy dead.

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