

The Western Guardian

—IT PAYS to buy in this province.

—THE MORNING DAILY GUARDIAN can be obtained at Lafferty's Tonsorial Parlors, Summerside.

—PROFITABLE EVENT.—The High Tea and Sale of candy held in St. Eleanor's Hall on Tuesday under the auspices of the St. John's Church was decidedly successful. A large crowd attended both from Summerside and St. Eleanor's. The proceeds in aid of the Church amounted to something over one hundred dollars.

—A RETURNED HERO.—Pte. Joseph McDonald, Seven Mile Bay, who returned from the trenches wounded, a few weeks ago, paid a visit to friends in Summerside last week. His wound, which is on the leg and caused by the explosion of a shell fired by the enemy, is still painful, and he has been advised that he return to the hospital for a few weeks' treatment.

—A. O. H.—At a special meeting of Inisfail Division, No. 5, A. O. H., held on Wednesday evening, a presentation was made and an address rendered by Brother Patrick Morris, of the railway freight department, Summerside, who leaves in a few days, being transferred elsewhere. While in town, Mr. Morris made many warm friends, who will regret his departure. Following is the address which was read by the President, Mr. J. J. McNally: To Brother Patrick Morris, Dear sir, and brother—We, your brother members of Inisfail Division, No. 5, of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, Summerside, hereby wish to express our sincere regret that you are soon to depart from amongst us. We feel that your Division will suffer a direct loss by your departure, as you have by your devotion to duty since joining our Order, proven your self a loyal brother, always ready and diligent in the performance of every duty, as well as a regular attendant at our meetings. We desire further to express our admiration for your courtesy in social and business life, and as a slight yet tangible proof of the sincerity of our feelings, and the fervor of our expressions, we ask you to accept this small remembrance, and trust that in future years, wherever duty may direct your path, you may always retain pleasant memories of the days spent as a member of Inisfail Division, and in the words of the poet, we can say: "Let Fate do her worst, there are relics of joy, bright dreams of the past, which she cannot destroy." Signed on behalf of Inisfail Division, No. 5, A.O.H., J. J. McNally, President; J. L. McCullough, Treasurer.

—TWO CENTS PER WORD EACH insertion for advertising in this column. Cash must accompany order. Minimum charge twenty-five cents.

—MR. W. K. MCGOUGAN is Guardian representative in Summerside.

—COLD SNAP.—During the recent cold snap, the coldest was early on Monday morning when the mercury registered 12 degrees below zero.

—WELLINGTON SCHOOL.—The result of the half-yearly examinations of Wellington School is as follows:—Principal's Department: Grade VI—1. Zelica Poirier, 73; 2. Katherine McNeil, 72; 3. Katherine Pembroke, 69; 4. Aldona Gallant, 63. Grade V—1. Annie Barry, 81; 2. Theodore Pembroke, 78; 3. Theodore Gallant, 61. Grade IV (senior)—1. Loretta Muiridge, 72; 2. Garfield Day, 68; 3. Joseph Arsenault, 34; 4. Clayton Barlow, 33. Primary Department: Grade IV (junior)—1. Donald Arsenault; 2. Joseph Gallant; 3. Marie Delaney and Laura Day (equal). Grade III—1. Clara Poirier; 2. Clarissa Gallant, Irene Arsenault and Winifred Gallant (equal). Grade II—1. Violet Arsenault; 2. Bernice Gaudet and Alphonse Poirier (equal); 3. Aylward Barlow and Eunice Poirier (equal). Grade I—1. Faustina Gaudet and Winnie Poirier (equal); 2. Alice Gallant and Isabelle Gallant (equal); 3. Alta Gaudet, L. Nelligan, teacher.

WESTERN PERSONALS

—Mr. Geo. Kelly, Winsloe, spent the week end in Summerside.—L.
—Mrs. P. Stafford, Freetown, was a recent visitor to Summerside.—L.
—Mr. Gervase McNeill, Bayside, was in Summerside recently.—L.
—Mrs. Geo. Callbeck, Summerside, is visiting in Hazelbrook the guest of Mrs. Jos. Wood.—L.
—Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Donnell of Charlottetown were in Summerside on Friday.—L.
—Miss Jessie Weeks and Mrs. Jas. Hunter, both of Alberton, were in Summerside on Friday.—L.
—Mr. Arthur Smallman returned to Summerside on Friday after a month's vacation in O'Leary.—L.
—The donation from the Presbyterian Sunday School, Summerside for the relief of the destitute Armenians has grown to \$41.16.—L.
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Pains Over Left Kidney

Warned This Captain That the Kidneys Were Responsible for His Pains and Aches—Freed of Pain and Suffering by A Well-known Medicine
Hereford, Que., Feb. 4.—Captain Peabody is well known all through this section, and his cure by use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills has aroused great interest in this great medicine.
The Captain had been suffering for a long time, and could never get any treatment to afford lasting relief until he began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.
Captain A. Peabody, Hereford, Que., writes: "For years I suffered from indigestion, rheumatism and neuralgia. Lightninglike pains would shoot all through my body, and I also had severe pains over my left kidney and through the hips. I doctored for years and tried all kinds of remedies, but the only result was money spent without relief. At last I read in Dr. Chase's Almanac of his Kidney-Liver Pills and decided to try them. One box made such a change that I sent for five more. Before I had finished them the pains in my kidneys and hips had disappeared, and I was clear of those sharp shooting pains through the body. I still take these Pills occasionally to keep my bowels regular, and would not be without them, as I have them to thank for my cure.
"I can also speak highly of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Powder and Linseed and Turpentine. The former cured me of catarrh in the head, which caused frequent headaches. I am completely cured of this now, and breathe freely as when a boy. The Linseed and Turpentine proved of great benefit for a bad cough which bothered me continually for three winters. Last winter I took one bottle of the Linseed and Turpentine, and have not been bothered with a cough since."
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—PIE SOCIAL AND DANCE.—Good roads and a fine bright night brought the young people from miles around to the Pie Social and Dance in Mis-couche on Tuesday evening, and a very pleasant and sociable evening was enjoyed by all who attended. The large hall afforded splendid opportunity for "tripping the light fantastic" which was indulged in until four o'clock in the morning. At 11.30 the pies were sold, netting the snug sum of fifty-seven dollars. The ladies in charge of the evening's entertainment desire to express their hearty thanks to all who contributed to its success.

—SEARLETON SCHOOL.—The semi-annual examination of Searleton School was held on Friday, January 25th and was attended by a large number of visitors. The pupils were examined in the various subjects by Miss Ruth Matheson and Miss Laura Hammill, teacher of Centreville school, Miss Jean McFadyen, principal of Middleton school and Mr. John Murphy, teacher of Duck Lake, Saskatchewan. The prompt answers given to the many and varied questions gave plain evidence that the anxious and painstaking efforts of the teacher, Leonard Roberts had not been in vain during the past term. A pleasing feature of the examination was the many recitations rendered by the pupils. Complimentary remarks, which bore evidence of the good work that had been accomplished during the past term were made by the ratepayers and visiting teachers. The singing of the National Anthem brought the pleasant entertainment to a close.

STOCK QUOTATIONS

Table with columns: HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 2.—(Quotations furnished by F. B. McCurdy & Co., stock and bond brokers, members Montreal Stock Exchange, MeCurdy Building, Halifax, N. S.) CLOSING PRICES. Yesterday Today. Atchison 84 1/2 84 1/2. A. F. 71 1/2 71 1/2. Am Loco 58 1/2 58 1/2. Anaconda 63 1/2 63 1/2. Am S & R 83 1/2 83 1/2. M. F. C. 96 1/2 96 1/2. Can Pac 148 148 1/2. Cen 72 1/2 72 1/2. Crac 57 1/2 57 1/2. Mex Nor Power 92 1/2 92 1/2. P.R.S. 64 1/2 64 1/2. Reading 75 1/2 75 1/2. S. P. 84 1/2 84 1/2. S.T.P. 53 52 1/2. U. S. 96 1/2 96 1/2. U. S. S. 83 1/2 83 1/2. U. P. 116 1/2 116 1/2.

THE MARKETS

CHARLOTTETOWN MARKETS Friday. Turnips per bus. 20. Potatoes bus. 25. White Oats bus. 55. Black Oats bus. 55. Butter lb. 45. Hay cwt. 85 to 90. Straw cwt. 40. Eggs per doz. 50. Chicken each 1.25 to 1.40. Pork lb. 21. Beef lb. 13 to 17. Lamb lb. 26.

SOURIS MARKETS. (Friday by Telephone)

W. Oats bus. 85. B. Oats bus. 85. Potatoes bus. 75. Turnips bus. 25. Butter lb. 40. Eggs doz. 42. Pork lb. 20 1/2. Hay 20 1/2.

KENSINGTON MARKETS. (Friday by Telephone)

W. Oats bus. 85. B. Oats bus. 85. Potatoes bus. 70. Butter lb. 40. Eggs doz. 45. Pork lb. 20 1/2.

MURRAY HARBOR MARKETS. (Friday by Telephone)

W. Oats bus. 85. B. Oats bus. 85. Potatoes bus. 70. Turnips bus. 25. Butter lb. 40. Eggs doz. 45. Pork lb. 20 1/2.

MONTAGUE MARKETS. (Friday by Telephone)

W. Oats bus. 90. Butter lb. 35. Eggs doz. 42. Pork lb. 21 1/2. Hay ton \$18 to \$20.

SUMMERSIDE MARKETS Friday.

Butter (dairy per lb. 38 to 39. Butter (creamery 35. Calfskins 22. Eggs per doz. 43. Hay (pressed) \$18.00. Hay (loose) new \$20.00. Hides per lb. 12. Oats (black) bus. new 92 to 95. Oats (white) bus. new 88 to 95. Potatoes 85. Wheat per bus. \$2.00 to \$2.50. Lamb pelts \$1.00 to \$1.25. Wool (unwashed) 55. Wool (washed) 75. Fowl 18 to 20. Pork (organs in) 18 1/2 to 20.

AUSTRALIA'S PART IN GREAT WAR

At this distance away Canadians find it difficult to understand how it is that a leader who went to the country on the issue of universal compulsory military service can be sustained in the face of a plebiscite majority of some 170,000 votes against conscription. There are, however, some fundamentals which we do know and which must be recognized in an appreciation of the situation. We know that Australia has the honor of having been the first of the nations within the British Empire to adopt the principle of patriotic, unpaid, or universal naval or military service. Their original Act of Par-

liament to this end was assented to on December 13, 1909, and amendments were also passed in 1910 after Lord Kitchener's report.

The Australian Law

We know that since that time it has been the law of Australia that all male inhabitants of Australia who have resided therein for six months and are British subjects shall be liable to be trained—in Junior Cadets, Senior Cadets, and in the Citizen Forces—that "all male inhabitants of Australia who have resided therein for six months and are British subjects and are between the ages of 18 and 60 years shall, in time of war, be liable to serve in the Citizen Forces; that "in time of war it shall be lawful for the Governor-General, by proclamation, to call upon all persons liable to serve in the Citizen Forces to enlist and serve as prescribed"; and it is further provided in the Australian Defence Act: "Nothing contained in this Act shall prevent any member of the Defence Force from volunteering to serve in any force that may be raised by the Commonwealth to augment any of the King's Regular or other forces, or to occupy or to defend any place beyond the limits of the Commonwealth." It is therefore apparent that universal obligatory military training and service does exist and has existed in Australia for the last eight years, and no one has ever heard of any desiring on their part to change this system.

Where Canada Lags

Even though we have passed a Military Service Act as an emergency measure to fill up the Canadian army corps in France, we have as yet nothing like the Australian condition from an organized military system point of view. These being facts, we can but turn to explanations which have appeared in the press from time to time to enlighten us as to the real meaning of it all in Australia. A Times correspondent on the spot is of the belief that the majority still are of the opinion that the last eight years have produced enough trained officers and men who are willing to volunteer for overseas service to keep the Australian forces abroad at full strength. Mr. Hughes estimates that 84,000 are necessary each year, and that it will complete Australia only some 34,000 annually. Up to October last, 382,854 had enlisted in the Australian army from a population hardly three-fourths that of Canada. It would appear that the spirit of the opposition to the conscription plebiscite in Australia was not against sending reinforcements that "they were all in favor of sending reinforcements, not as conscripts, however, but as volunteers."

Hurt People's Feelings

Further, it has been pointed out that the Premier came back from an official visit to England and bluntly

told his fellow-citizens that they had failed to do their duty in the war, and ordered them to send 100,000 reinforcements at once, which hurt the feelings of the people, not because of the request, but because they thought the blame was not deserved. Our people in Canada are taking a very long time to make up their minds as to the desirability of a national system of universal naval or military training service, not only as a basis for strengthening our army, which is fighting for our honor as well as their own, but also, it is contended by the advocates of such a system, as a virile and beneficial means of inculcating a better disciplined, stronger and more efficient manhood, which would then be in a proper condition of preparedness for the defence of its country.

New National Spirit

Indeed, it is claimed to be necessary to bring about a new and necessary national spirit, founded on willingness to sacrifice self for national weal, luxuries and ease for obligation to train mind and body, and which will bring into play the true democracy of equal obligations accompanying equal privileges. An educationist so prominent and of such long standing as Dr. A. H. MacKay, superintendent of Education in Nova Scotia, thus puts it: "Even should war cease forever with the close of the present world struggle, the training will make our people physically

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