

The Central Guardian

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

High prices for poultry at Holman's, Charlottetown, next Tuesday. 5694-12-8m21.

PATRIOTIC SOCIETY.—There will be a meeting of the Patriotic Society to-day at the Armouries at four o'clock p.m.

CHRISTMAS FOR THE ORPHANS.—Donations will be received for the orphans at St. Vincent's Orphanage on Dec. 22. Groceries, clothing, etc., will be thankfully received. 5691.

MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Ladies Branch of the Charlottetown Golf Club will be held in the Ladies Club on Friday, 10th inst., at 11.30 a.m. 5671-12-7m31.

ANOTHER ISLANDER.—Mr. P. S. Gates, of Medicine Hat, Alta., son of Mr. B. Frank Gates, of West Royalty, has enlisted with the Thirteenth Overseas Mounted Rifles at the former place.

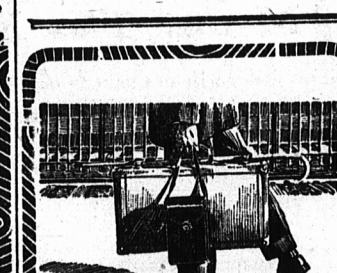
TAKEN BY MISTAKE.—Will the party who took a silver cake dish and a table cloth by mistake from the High Tea in Market Building kindly leave same at the Charlottetown Hospital. 5659.

LEAVING FOR ENGLAND.—Mrs. John Reid, of this city, received a telegram Monday night from her son, Alfred, who has been training in Halifax for the past three months, saying that he was leaving Halifax for England, where he will train before leaving for France.

OYSTER FISHING.—The oyster fishing season is about ended in East River for this season as only a few boats are still to be seen on the beds. The season just ending may be put down as a successful one, the catch on an average being good with a very ready market and good prices which is very essential for the well-being of the fishermen.—S.

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PATON & CO. will offer at 9 a.m. this morning 50 Ladies' new dress skirts at \$2.98. 5694.

ABEGWEITS.—Annual meeting of the Abegweit Club tonight at 8 o'clock in Board of Trade Rooms.

DONATION PARTY.—All should remember the little orphans at St. Vincent's Orphanage and make their Christmas happy by sending a donation to the Pro-Cathedral on Dec. 22 between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. 5691.

NOTICE.—The auction sale of stock crop and implements belonging to Louis E. Shaw, of Stanhope, takes place Dec. 15th at 1 o'clock. For further particulars see handbills.

W P A FUND.—The Treasurer of W. P. A., gratefully acknowledges the sum of \$195.00 from Cardigan Bridge branch also \$1.00 from Mrs. S. M. Jenkins.

ISLANDER MENTIONED.—The following Islanders' names appeared in the Dalhousie Medical Unit for overseas service: Pte L. K. Grady, Summerside; Pte R. D. Newsome, Bebecque; Pte W. H. Poole, Montague.

PORK MARKET.—Hogs were bought yesterday at 10 1/2c, with a very firm market. A good many thin hogs are still offering, and those were taken at considerable discount. Under present conditions it is not likely that farmers will hold their pork until properly finished, to the mutual benefit of themselves and packers.

VOTE OF THANKS.—In the report yesterday of the patriotic meeting held in Summerside Monday night and presided over by Mr. Justice Fitzgibbon, it was inadvertently omitted to mention a vote of thanks to the singers, who acquitted themselves splendidly, to the Deputy Sheriff, Mr. Fred Wright, and others who had helped to make the meeting so successful. A list of the subscribers will be published in a subsequent issue.

FOR THE ORPHANS.—J. J. Storey, P. M. of Boyne Lodge No. 614 L. O. A., gratefully acknowledges receipt of a parcel of clothing for the orphans at St. Vincent's Orphanage at Mr. Horbort from Prowse Bros., Limited. Any contributions in the way of candy, clothing, etc., for Christmas gifts for the Orphanage may be left with Mr. J. J. Storey of Messrs. Alley & Co., Charlottetown, and will be gratefully acknowledged and officially acknowledged through the press.

CHRISTMAS CARDS.—The ordinary postage on POST CARDS, including the War stamp is two (2c) cents, but this rate does not apply on printed or picture Christmas and New Year Cards. These cards pass through the mails as third class matter and are therefore not subject to the war tax. The Postal Regulations allow the sender to add in manuscript the address of the sender, or printed or picture Christmas and New Year Cards. These cards pass through the mails at the one cent rate.

WRONGLY CREDITED.—The \$119 which was collected in Brooklyn, Glen Martin, Alliston, Caledonia, Milltown Cross, Lewis, Iris, Glen William, Killnuir and Mount Vernon School Districts, was not towards "Trafalgar Fund" as was stated, but for "The Belgian Fete Day Fund." In Alliston District, Mrs. Vere Beck, 50c, should read Mrs. Vere Beck, 25c. In Lewis District, Mrs. James McLeod, \$1.00 should read Miss Jane McLeod, \$1.00. In Glen William District, Mrs. William McPhee, \$1.00 should read Mrs. William McPhee, \$1.00. In Killnuir District, Mrs. John McDonald, 50c, should read Mrs. John N. McDonald 50c.

FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late Joseph Amos Savidant took place on Sunday afternoon from his father's residence, 21 Douglas St. The funeral was very largely attended and the large number of floral tributes showed the esteem in which the young man was held. The following are some of the contributions: Wreath, mail carriers Post Office Staff; cross-stitch, employees John T. McKenzie; star, Mrs. George W. Stewart and family; spiritual bouquet, Mr. Angus McKenzie and family. The following were the pallbearers: Nelson Garnham, John Reedy, Wallace Fields, Rupert O'Neill, Adolph Croken and Parker Stewart. The services were at the church and grave were conducted by Rev. Father McQuaid.

ANOTHER ISLANDER.—A Vancouver exchange says that Mr. A. G. McLeod, private secretary Mr. H. H. Stevens, M. P., has enlisted in the Irish Wests and will join the regiment in a few days, probably as bugle sergeant. Mr. McLeod is the second secretary Mr. Stevens has lost to the overseas forces. J. F. Cadenhead having gone with the First Contingent, enlisting with the 72nd Seaforth Highlanders. Mr. McLeod is the sixth member of his family to join for overseas duty. Two sisters are serving as nurses, one at the Dardanelles and the other in France. Two brothers are in France, and the youngest member of the family—had sixteen years of age—went with an Eastern battalion soon to depart for England. Mr. McLeod comes from Charlottetown, P.E.I.

RECRUITING MEETING.—A large and enthusiastic recruiting meeting was held in the Presbyterian Church, Cavendish on Monday evening. Although the weather was very disagreeable and the roads in bad condition the turnout was well worthy of the occasion. The choir contributed two stirring male choruses entitled "Marching on Berlin." A recitation on "The Khaki" was excellently rendered and Mrs. Sterling gave a fine recitation of the Marseillaise, giving the last verse in French. Addresses were made by the Rev. Mr. Sterling, Lieut. Tanshill and the Rev. Dr. Fullerton. It was quite clear that a strong wave of enthusiasm was passing over the whole of this district. The addresses were able and inspiring and were eagerly listened to by the mixed audience. One recruit came forward to sign the roll and several others promised to come in later.

Velvets from England to-day

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We direct the attention of our readers to Messrs R. E. Mutch & Co.'s ad. in this issue 5697

HORSEMEN are reminded that to-day is the closing date for nomination in the Island bred \$500 stakes. Any entry with the Dec. 8th postmark on it will be accepted. The stakes are meeting with a good deal of response, and any true lover of the sport, and the Island bred horse in general, with a horse or two eligible, is sure to make an entry. These stakes are being made for the sole purpose of advertising and encouraging the Island bred horse—the horse which eventually wins.

Y. W. C. A.—Following the visit of Miss Saunders, the National Secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, to this city, considerable interest was aroused in the question of organizing an Association here. However, it was felt to be inadvisable to proceed with organization at once, and a committee of young ladies, representing the different churches of the city was appointed to look into the matter thoroughly, and to find out how much support might be counted upon in the work of development, and the committee met recently, and the different members reported upon the response to their enquiries among the young ladies of the city as to the need of a Y. W. C. A. The opinion was unanimous that such an Association would fill a great need, and that steps should be taken to start the work. The temporary committee was asked to continue its work until later on in the new year, when it was considered the time would be more opportune for organizing. In the meantime a sub-committee was appointed to look for suitable rooms which might be secured as quarters for the Association. This committee has already been looking over certain places. Those interested do not intend to allow this good movement to drop, but will continue in a quiet way making their plans.

ANNUAL MEETING ST. GEORGE'S L. O. L. 1171.—The annual meeting of St. George's Loyal Orange Lodge was held in St. George's hall last evening. The attendance of members was large, and the enthusiasm was, at times, exceedingly keen. The W. M., Malcolm McLeod, occupied his place in the chair prior to the election, when he surrendered the position to the Past Master, who conducted the election of officers, the choice of the lodge being for the coming year: J. Whitlock, W. M.; C. McLean, P. M.; H. Craswell, Chaplain; M. P. McLeod, Rec. Sec.; W. Craswell, Fin. Sec.; P. Senter, Treas.; A. Corney, Dir. of Cer.; C. Wayne, 1st Com.; H. Laphorne, 2nd Com.; W. Mansson, 3rd Com.; O. Groome, 4th Com.; A. Affleck, 5th Com. The new officers in general, Bro. John Whitlock, the new Master, needs no introduction to the people, coming from one of Charlottetown's oldest and most respected families, his name speaks for the Lodge a successful year. The same may be said of the new officers in general. Bro. John Whitlock, the new Master, needs no introduction to the people, coming from one of Charlottetown's oldest and most respected families, his name speaks for the Lodge a successful year. The same may be said of the new officers in general. Bro. John Whitlock, the new Master, needs no introduction to the people, coming from one of Charlottetown's oldest and most respected families, his name speaks for the Lodge a successful year. The same may be said of the new officers in general.

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