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SEVERE ELECTRICAL STORM AT PRESCOTT

PRESCOTT, June 8—One of the worst electrical storms ever experienced in this part of the country raged over Prescott this afternoon lasting about two hours. Rain fell in torrents flooding the streets and making traffic impassible, huge hail stones reported to be the largest ever seen in this locality fell and a heavy gale accompanied the storm. No damage of a serious nature resulted in town although several fences and trees were blown down; cellars flooded and gardens damaged. The Methodist Church at Ordensburg was struck by lightning and was partially burned, the extent of damage not yet estimated.

"I Now Feel Fine"

Mrs. P. G. Murdoch, Box 433, Portage la Prairie, Man., writes: "I was troubled for years with biliousness, constipation, kidney and liver troubles. I tried many different kinds of medicine, but nothing did me much good until I tried Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I now feel fine, but am never without these pills in the house. Dr. Chase's Ointment has relieved my husband of piles, from which he used to suffer badly."

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Old Times In P. E. Island

Conditions as To Trade—A Break in Telegraph Cable—Several Social Items.

(By W. L. Cotton.) Its party politics apart, the modern newspaper is certainly an excellent institution. By no other means can the same amount and variety of knowledge be obtained in an equal space of time. He who regularly reads his newspaper cannot be ignorant concerning the country, its resources in coal, crests, fisheries, minerals, facilities for trade manufacturing capabilities, etc., as well as the political and religious, moral and social condition of its people. It supplies up-to-date information more useful, if not more reliable than can be gained from any other source. The newspaper, better than any other kind of literature, holds the mirror up to nature and society and the conditions that prevail in the locality in which it is published. It has been well described as "a complete library in itself."

So if we want information about old times in P. E. Island, we cannot do better than refer to the old-time newspapers published in Charlottetown, the chief of which were, fifty years ago, The Islander and The Examiner. In those days each newspaper comprised but four pages; but the pages were large and well filled. The Examiner of the month of May 1868 announced the sailing from Charlottetown to the end of the "Victoria," Ballou, master, for Liverpool with a cargo of 40,000 bushels of oats and 10 barrels pork—shipped by Hon. James C. Pope. The next issue of the paper reported the first arrival of the spring, the ship "L. C. Owen," Brown master, from Liverpool with a general cargo of goods for this port. These two items show how greatly the course of trade has changed. Now we send no oats to Great Britain, as we have a market nearer home, in which better prices are paid and we receive no goods by sailing ships.

Showing how the trade of this Island was carried and distributed fifty-five years ago, the same old paper reports that in the first two weeks of May, the schooner "Trout" cleared for Cork with 3,600 bushels of oats and three thousand feet of deal, shipped by William McGill; the schooner "Evergreen" cleared for Newfoundland with 2,200 bushels of potatoes, 100 bushels of turnips, shipped by Samuel McRae; the schooner "Tinkler" cleared for the same place with 1,745 bushels of potatoes, 300 bushels of oats, 4 barrels oysters and 12 barrels pork, shipped by Henry Longworth and 40 boxes of bacon by Charles Reilly; the schooner "Annie Laurie" also cleared for St. John's with 2,600 bushels of potatoes, 400 bushels of turnips and 13 bundles of leather, 1 horse and 1 sack of hay seed, shipped by William Boyle; the steamer "Alhambra" sailed for Boston, taking to Halifax 225 bushels of oats, 335 bushels of potatoes, 347 barrels of pork, 4 puncheons and 7 cases of hams, 14 tubs of lard, 84 bbls. of meal and 14 bbls. of pearl barley; and for Boston 195 bbls. of herrings, 14 barrels of mackerel, 27 bbls. of eggs, 4 boxes of sheepskins, 667 bushels of turnips and 169 bushels of potatoes, shipped by Carvell Bros., R. Bell, George Wright, I. C. Holl, A. Simpson, R. Bridges, W. B. Dean, D. Davis, N. Large, James Reddin, A. W. Gardiner, C. Reilly and R. Holman. Not only has the course of business been changed—the men who did business then are, with two or three exceptions, no longer here!

But we had hard times then, as now the advantage of telegraphic communication by cable—when this cable was not broken. An item published in the 11th May, 1868, conveys the information that Mr. Charles Hyndman, the Superintendent of the telegraph lines in this Island, has been at work at the cable for the past ten days. On Wednesday last, with the assistance of the steamer Heather Belle, he nearly succeeded in repairing the breaks in the cable, and would have finished in about half an hour had not a heavy blow accompanied by thick snow, sprung up. The heavy strain of the steamer and the wind and tide on the cable again parted it, and the steamer had to run to Summerside for shelter. Yesterday

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morning Mr. Hyndman returned to town, and will have to wait a favorable opportunity to take up the cable again. We trust that the indefatigable exertions of Mr. Hyndman will be better rewarded on his next attempt to repair the cable. This hope was, of course, realized. It is to be noted that one of the distinctions of this Island in America connected with the mainland. The improvement of this service in recent years, under the capable management of Mr. T. C. James and Mr. A. E. Morrison is one of the outstanding facts in connection with telegraphic communication in aid of this Province. At this time fifty-five years ago, the Hon. George Coles was Colonial Secretary and Leader of the government party. The Examiner of the 11th May, 1868 announced that "His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the Hon. Benjamin Davies as a member of the Executive Council of this Island." At the same time it was stated that "Albert H. Yates, Esquire, has been appointed Marshal of the Vice Admiralty Court of this Island in the place of Robert Hyndman, Esquire, deceased." Hon. Thomas Owen was then "Postmaster General" in Charlottetown, the Hon. John Aldour, Commissioner of Crown Lands and W. Lewis Carvell, General Manager of the Eastern and North American Railway.

Among the social news items of that day was one in which it was stated that "the entertainment given by the 'Dramatic Club and Amateur Christy Minstrels was, on all hands pronounced to be 'the best thing of the kind ever given in Charlottetown' and that 'Messrs. Cagle and Vinnicombe surpassed themselves on that occasion.'" The marriages of this week, fifty-five years ago, included that of Mr. William Shaw, Brackley Point Road, to Miss Margaret A. Price, of Bedouer, by the Rev. Alexander Falconer, father of Sir Robert Falconer of Toronto University; that of Mr. Joseph Betts, Lot 16 and Miss Flora McKay, DeSable by the Rev. Thomas Duncan; and that of Mr. Duncan Matheson and Miss Mary McLeod, both of Lot 23, by the Rev. George W. Stewart. Among the death notices was that of Mrs. Washbourne, who passed away in London, aged 77 years, the beloved aunt of Mrs. H. A. Compton, St. Eleanors.

MOVES PAYMENT OF SOLDIER INSURANCE OTTAWA, June 8.—Hon. Dr. Beland, minister of soldiers' civil re-establishment, gave notice in the House today of a motion to give effect to the recommendations of the Ralston commission in regard to returned soldier's insurance. Dr. Beland's resolution reads:— (1) That in any case where an application for insurance under the said act has been received and the applicant has died prior to the delivery to him of the policy of insurance, the approval of the application by the proper officer, and the receipt of the initial premium, shall be deemed to have been sufficient to put the insurance into force, unless it can be shown that the application was fraudulent and may insurance monies which would have been payable had the policy been delivered to the applicant, shall now be made payable, subject to a deduction of the amount of premium due from the date of application to the date of death. (2) That any applications which were rejected prior to 1st July, 1922, under any conditions set forth in section 2 of the amending act of 1922, or the schedule hereto, shall be reviewed, except in cases where the applicant is suffering from, or has become impaired as a result of self-inflicted wounds or immoral conduct, or where the application was fraudulent and provision be made to give the right on such review to any applicant now living to insure and if the applicant has died, the amount of insurance for which he applied shall now be made payable, less the amount which would have been due as premium from the date of notwithstanding that no effective insurance contract was completed and provided that

A New Cult

(By Dominion News Service) LONDON, June 11.—"Are you a Kibbo?" This will become as famous a thing as "Are you a Mason" before long, according to the leaders of Kibbo Kift, the name of a new movement which has established a holiday camp in a lonely spot among the hills two miles from Great Missenden, Buckinghamshire.

Now since there are among the leaders of this movement H. G. Wells, Maurice Maeterlinck, Professor J. Arthur Thomson, and Maurice Hewlett, the phyllophony may come true. As a prophet Mr. Wells, at last is not without honor in his own and many other countries. Kibbo Kift is an ancient phrase meaning "strong" or "proof of great strength" and the chief symbol of the kindred is the great mark representing the circle of unity, the tree of knowledge, the fire of life and the symbol of worship. The members of the Kibbo Kift kindred are all symbolists and idealists and have been enjoying their Whiteout freedom in this camp where they have pitched scores of neat little tents made of aeroplane fabric. Picturesque symbols carved in wood dot the camp. Brilliantly coloured signs and phrases are painted on many of the tents. There is a flavour of Canadian in their language, but how it came there is unexplained. For instance, they call London "The Big Smoke", which London was never called until the Canadian army invented it. Many of them greet each other with the simple word "How". They all live and work in groups representing philosophy, anthropology, evolution, biology, geology and other scientific sections. The head man of the kindred has taken the name "White Fox" and he has explained the objects of the Association. He emphasizes that it is non-political, non-sectarian, and especially non-militant. "We are a camping handicraft and world peace movement," said White Fox. "We try to be strong in party, mind, and spirit, by keeping fit, by helping others, and by working toward world peace and brotherhood. It is a movement opposed to Red Imperial

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ism on the one hand and Red Imperialism on the other, and we have Herold in his ceremonial surcoat of many colours, flourished his cornerake rattle. There are other impressive ceremonies, such as the sprinkling of the Water of Truth and the scattering of the Salt of Wisdom on this hallowed spot, while the Great Mark of the Kist is drawn on the ground by the Head man with his staff of office. The Kibbo Kifters wear a uniform costume and many of them run about without shoes or stockings. "It is a useful, healthy and picturesque costume," said White Fox, "and it does away with all outward differences of poor and rich." There are tribal chiefs, boy and girl clan leaders, and lone workers. Mrs. Fethick Lawrence acts as Keeper of the Erce Legends, and there is an Emblazoner who makes symbols. The Keeper of the Kist has to guard the oaken chest by night and the Keeper of the Open Hearth acts as hostess. The Keeper of the Pilgrim Ways knows the ancient tracks about the country and the Keeper of the Great Roll and Tally looks after clean cut. The men were assisting their neighbor, Worr, at a barn raising when they noticed the approach of the storm, and took refuge in a small outbuilding covered by a small roof. As the storm passed over a bolt struck the building, throwing Worr some feet and severely shocking the others.

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