IMPORTANT READING MATTER SELECTED FROM THIS WEEK'S NEWS FOR THE GUARDIAN'S SATURDAY SUBSCRIBERS

MONDAY.

J. D. McKendrick of this Province was in Halifax last week.

—Ewen Matthews, Bradon, was a passenger to Summerside by the Minto special Saturday morning.J.

George Ritchie of Carvell Bros., Charlottetown, was a passenger to Georgetown on the special mail train last evening.

PHOTOGRAPH.— The Canadian Courier just to hand contains a fine photo of J. H. Winfield, Halifax, formerly of Charlottetown, General Manager of the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Co.

CONGRATULATIONS.—The Canadian Railway and Marine World in "Birth days of transportation men in Canada has the following among others" A. H. Bears, Master of Bridges and Building, Saskatoon, Sask. born at Charlottetown P. E. I. on the 6th Jan'y 1857."

GRACE CHURCH.—Rev. W. M. Ayers of Saskatchewan, who is visiting his brother, Dr. Ayers, Charlottetown, occupied the pulpit of Grace Methodist Church yesterday evening, preaching very acceptably to a large congregation.

—SAD JOURNEY.—The remains of the late Mrs. J. Dalton, who died at the sanitarium at Saranac Lake, arrived in Summerside Saturday afternoon. They were accompanied by her father, John M. Clark, and her brother, Horace Clark, J.

COMPLIMENTED.—George H. Tanton, Charlottetown, correspondent of the Labor Gazette has received from the Department of Labor an appreciative letter complimenting him upon the thorough manner in which he reported the particulars of the recent dispute on the Earl Grey.

Rev. A. B. McLeod, Cornwall, Ont, is a visitor for a day or two with Lorenzo and Mrs. Spencer, says a Truro exchange. Mr. McLeod was called to his native P. E. Island by the illness and subsequent death of a married sister. He will spend Sunday in New Glasgow, and will leave for Cornwall the first of the week.

...*MURRAY HARBOR NORTH.—There has been considerable excitement here for the last ten days over a popular lady contest conducted by Gibson's Comedians. The principal contestants were Miss Maggie Steele of Gaspereaux and Miss Lily Irving of Murray Harbor North. Much uncertainty prevailed during the week and enthusiasm ran high as first one lady led and then the other. However on Monday evening, Jan. 6th, the contest was declared closed and Miss Steele, the winner, was presented with a handsome oak cabinet containing silverware by Dr. Hermann, the leader of the company.—Lee Clow of Murray Harbor North has returned home from visiting friends in Gaspereaux where he was the guest of Neil McKenzie.—Benj. Sencabaugh of Oak Valley is visiting friends in Murray Harbor North, the guest of Mrs. Adam Graham.—Newton Hicken of Montague paid a flying visit to Murray Harbor North on Sunday last.

—J. H. Hunter, Alberton, was in Summerside Saturday.J.

—Miss Celia Monaghan of Providence who has been visiting friends in Kinkora was a passenger to Summerside Saturday morning.J.

THE SHORT COURSE.—Mr. Benson, Poultry Expert, Charlottetown, returned home from Truro Saturday where he was attending the Short Course. Mr. Benson, who was assisting Prof. Landry, gave an interesting talk before the students on Turkey Raising and on Thursday evening he discussed with them the question of improving the stock, marketing produce and the system of marketing. The course was most successful and well attended by a large number of interested students.

JOLLY TIME.—The P. E. Islanders Club meeting took place on Monday evening at Eighth Avenue, Vancouver, a most enjoyable evening being spent. Music instrumental and vocal, whist playing and a Scotch reel, in which the tripping of the light fantastic toe by Alfred Coffin and Angus McLellan was a leading feature, were all admirably given. Those from Mount Stewart present were the Misses Mary and Lottie Bambrick, Bruce and Mrs. Jay, Edward Jay, Alfred Coffin, Lester Douglas, Joseph Bambrick. From Charlottetown Archibald Sinclair, Wesley Lowe and James Coles..

—PROMOTION.—One of the latest papers from Eau Clare, Wisconsin, contains a lengthy account of promotions on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway Company. Conspicuous among these is the advice that Evert C. Blundell who has been assistant superintendent at Eau Clare has been promoted to superintendent of the Nebraska Division with headquarters at Omaha, Nebraska. Mr. Blundell's promotions have been well merited and rapid. He is an enthusiastic railroad man and his successive promotions speak volumes for his untiring energy and progressiveness. Mrs. Blundell is a daughter of A. H. Howatt, Summerside, P. E. I.

GOOD TIME.—An entertainment and supper, under the auspices of the W. F. M. S., was held in New London Hall Tuesday night, Jan. 14th. Ideal roads and weather brought out a large, orderly crowd. Rev. John Murray acted as chairman. Following was the program:—Remarks by chairman; recitation, Ada MacEwen; duet, Misses Jessie MacKay and Mabel MacGregor; reading, Mrs. Walter Found; gramophone selections, Major Whitehead; dialogue, Margaret Stevenson, Laura MacGregor, Bessie MacKenzie, John Cotton, Angus Green; solo, Walter Found (encored); exercise, six girls; recitation, Angus Green (encored); trio, C. and Mrs. MacGregor and Mrs. M. Whitehead; recitation, Ruth MacGregor; sale of home-made candy and supper. $74 was realized.

COAT STOLEN.—A man named McDonald of Grand Tracadie came to Charlottetown Thursday and put p at a Mr. McKinnon's on Sydney Street. On Friday he went to the boarding house and hung up his coat on a hook in the hall. Some time afterards he went to get his coat and found it was gone. He made quite a fuss and said that if he did not get it he would go to those that would. It is alleged there were men in the house at the time under the influence of liquor who used profane language at the policeman and would not allow the house to be searched. One of the boarders was then suspected. A young man and woman of the house left for Bernard Towle's on the corner of Grafton and Prince streets where they found the coat which had been pawned. They paid the sum of about $1.25 which was charged against the pawner and received the coat. The man who pawned the coat gave his name as McDonald, which was a false one, he being a well known resident of Canoe Cove. The police have their eyes on him and the next time he comes to Charlottetown he will probably be put where he wont need so many overcoats.

GOOD TIME.— A very interesting event took place at the Prince Edward Island Orphanage on the evening of Jan. 16th. Mr and Miss Johnston were taken by surprise when a large number of ladies and gentlemen of Mermaid assembled at the Instituation. After friendly greetings were exchanged James McLeod, who occupied the chair, stated it was the wish of the people assembled to assist in the good work of caring for the little ones of the Instituation the ladies having formed an Aid society and it was the whole desire of their hearts to do their utmost for the children by procuring clothing for them. After Mr. McLeod made his statement the manager Wm. Johnston replied thanking them for their kindness and the interest they had taken at a time when help was most needed, and the aid given by the ladies shall enable theinstitution to do a greater work in the future. Afterward a list was taken in regard to each child. The little company broke up after spending a jolly evening with the children, each one returning to their respective homes, resolved to carry out the plans of their new found mission field of labour.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK.—The annual meeting of the Hazelbrook Dairying Co., was held in the School House on Wednesday afternoon, the 15th inst. All the officers and directors, and a goodly number of shareholders were present. The meeting was most enthusiastic and optimistic in tone, showing the people's confidence in this, the best paying business (with the exception of black foxes), on the Island. There were about 60,000 lbs of cheese manufactured from June 3rd to Nov. 2nd, and it only took 10.20 lbs milk to make 1 lb cheese. The average price realized for the cheese was 18.37c. per pound, and the net value of milk to the patrons was over $1.00 per 100 lbs. The plant is in first class condition and the factory is free of debt. The old, tried and competent board of Directors and officers were re-elected. A. A. Moore was re-appointed Auditor for the company. A good suggestion of P. J. McKenna, Waterside, which was acted on, was the putting aside $100.00 yearly as a sinking fund. Good speeches were made by J. B. Jones, Ludlow Jenkins, J. A. Moore and others on improving the stock, growing feed, etc., and sending all the milk possible to their own factory. A unanimous vote of thanks was tendered the officers and directors for their efficient management of the factory's business for the past year, responded to by the popular President, John Smith. It was decided to invite Harvey Mitchell to hold meetings in the different schoolhouses of the dairy district, in order to further stimulate the interest in the dairy business.

TUESDAY.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Lefurgey left North Tryon today for Summerside.

—Lorne Howatt, Coleman, was a visitor to Summerside yesterday.J.

—Garfield and Mrs. Yeo, Central, Lot 16, were in Summerside yesterday.J.

—R. H. and Mrs. Morrison, Summerside, are visiting friends in Chatham, N. B.—J.

—Donald Matheson, Read's Corner, is spending a few days in Charlottetown.J.

—Donald and Mrs. Baker who have been visiting in Summerside returned to their home in Freetown yesterday afternoon.J.

—J. A. McLellan, Sydney Mines, who was in Summerside attending the funeral of his mother left on return yesterday.J.

—D. Montgomery, Station Master at Georgetown, and Mrs. Montgomery, were in Summerside yesterday. —J.

—CONTRACT GIVEN.—W. Quigley North Tryon, has been awarded the contract for supplying the ice for the refrigerator of the Tryon Dairying Co., Ltd., North Tryon.

—MORE FOXES.—A pair of beautiful patched foxes passed through Summerside Thursday for export. They were shipped by M. Howatt at Coleman to a party in Ontario, and being Island bred, were much admired and pronounced by all to be "a very fine type."

—MRS. DALTON'S FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late Mrs. James Dalton took place at Summerside yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her father, John M. Clark, to the People's cemetery. It was very largely attended. The services were conducted by the Rev. James Strothard, pastor of the Summerside Methodist Church, of which Mrs. Dalton was a valued member.J.

—J. E. Dalton and one child of Burton, Lot 7, returned to their home yesterday after attending the funeral of Mrs. Dalton which was held in Summerside yesterday.J.

—Mrs. Garfield Bennett and two children, Charlottetown, passed through Summerside yesterday on their way to St. Eleanor's, where Mrs. Bennett was called on account of the serious illness of her father Alex. Lochart. J.

A LOSS TO THE PROVINCE.—As a result of the flit of the winter steamers from Charlottetown to Georgetown the extra cost of transportation has been deducted from the price of pork. On Friday last the price dropped from 10½ to 10 cents, at which figure it still remains and the merchants attribute the drop to the extra cost of shipping via Georgetown. And so it will be seen that the cost of the change of routes falls upon the farmers of the province as well as on the merchants whose goods are being held in Pictou.

The Supreme Court resumed its duties in Charlottetown yesterday.

The case of the King vs. W. Aubrey Mutch, charged with committing a criminal common nuisance began before Chief Justice Sullivan and a jury. Neil McQuarrie, K. C., appeared for the Crown, and Messrs Johnston, K. C., and Bently, K. C., for the defence. The only witness examined in the forenoon was Dr. Dewar, who testified that Mr. Mutch had spread a compost composed of tankage made of the flesh and bones of animals from which the fat had been rendered, on a field by the roadside, that when the wind was in the direction of the road, that it blew the noxious odours on all who had to travel that way.

W. H. Hogan, Hope River, was in Charlottetown yesterday.

Harry Tidmarsh, Charlottetown, went to Souris yesterday afternoon.

C. L. Grant, Charlottetown, was a passenger to St. Peters yesterday afternoon.

...*Augustus Keenan, tailor with W. B. Leard, Souris, has left on a to his home in Wood Islands.

...*Miss Mary A. Campbell, Elmira, spent the week end in Souris the guest of Miss Eva Creamer.*

E. M. and Mrs. Myrick, J. H. Myrick, Tignish, were in Charlottetown yesterday and went to Georgetown in the afternoon en route to Boston.

...*William W. MacDonald, Souris, has gone to Charlottetown where he will attend a commercial college for the remainder of the term.

SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.—Master Fred Craig of Charlottetown, son of Peter and Mrs. Craig, was successfully operated on for appendicitis in the P. E. I. Hospital Saturday. He is reported doing well.

J. E. Matthews and little son Ralph were passengers from Albany to Charlottetown yesterday and left in the evening for Georgetown en route to their home in Brandon.

...*Reg Dingwell, Bay Fortune, has returned home after spending a few days in Souris, visiting friends.

Colonel Bullard of England, who has been in Charlottetown in connection with the Salvation Army, left last night on the special for Georgetown after delivering his interesting mission lecture at the Citadel.

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