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THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

WILL YOU BE ABLE TO SPOT the Canadian winners among the youthful speakers at the Oratorical Contest this afternoon?

ENTERS HOSPITAL—Mr. A. J. Logan of the Live Stock Branch is suffering from an attack of La Grippe and entered the P. E. Island Hospital for treatment.

OF COURSE YOU ARE GOING to the Caledonian Club Lecture Course Concert in the Hearts Memorial Hall on Thursday. You will meet all your friends with meeting there.

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PERSONALS

Mr. A. E. Dewar has returned from an extended visit to Washington.

Miss Belle Bruce, Principal of Brooklyn School was in the city yesterday.

Mr. James F. Roper of Princeport, N. S., has arrived in the city and will remain to attend the meeting of the Provincial Exhibition Association of which he is a director.

Mr. and Mrs. John Inman of Summerside spent Easter in the City.

Mr. John L. Rand, son of Rev. C. C. Rand of Crapaud, is spending the Eastern holidays with Mr. J. C. A. Gordon, 22 Longworth Avenue.

Miss Joan Winchester, "Edgell" is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winchester, Brighton.

THE CHAIRMAN OF ONE OF THE SCHOOL CONTESTS SAID he had heard the best speakers in Canada and had heard nothing better, if so good, as the speeches on "The Future of Canada." Hear them for yourselves and judge.

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RETURN HOME—Rev. Chas. St. Clair Jearns, Summerside, and Mr. J. E. Proffitt, Kensington were passengers Saturday afternoon on the Western train returning from meeting of Presbytery at Belfast, where Rev. Mr. Rodger was inducted as minister of the Belfast Congregation.

The Public Forum

This column is open for the discussion by correspondents of questions of interest to the Charlottetown Guardian does not necessarily endorse the opinions of correspondents.

PEDDLERS' LICENSES

Sir,—We noticed in the Public Accounts Report given in full in today's Guardian one revenue item that needs comment: "Peddler's License, two hundred and forty dollars." This is the total revenue received by our Government from the blessed assortment of foreign peddlers that beautify our countryside. We refer in particular to cloth and clothing peddlers. One has only to pick up any Maritime newspaper to be immediately confronted with their advertisements. We could have no legitimate objection to these men invading our business territory if they were obliged to contribute a proportionate share towards our revenue. As it stands now, the total revenue from all this class for the whole Island is two hundred and forty dollars. If we are to believe the lurid reports of their successes, broadened so continuously, we think that each individual should be taxed at least as much as the total revenue derived from them approximately. Compare this with the taxes and overhead that the established business firms are paying, and it will be seen that a minimum tax of three hundred dollars per year would not be excessive. These peddlers have very limited travelling expenses, and no overhead. They go to a house and persuade the master or mistress to give them an order for a suit or piece of cloth, accompanied by a deposit, and usually by the receipt of a meal free of charge. Many of the buyers regret their bargain on reflection after Mr. Peddler has departed, but they have to take the goods or lose their deposit. The latter course naturally does not appeal to them, so they are stuck.

We do not refer to peddlers who have an established base here on the Island, and are contributing to revenue proportionately to the amount of business done by them, nor to representatives of firms such as Rawleighs, who peddle well-known household medical and culinary articles, and who in general reside and own property on the Island, and pay taxes, but rather to foreign itinerants who peddle cloth, clothing, and other articles that can be produced as needed without the arduous solicitation of these men. We do not ask for their exclusion, but we do think it would be eminently fair that they should be made to pay a proportionate tax. They enjoy entirely too much freedom as compared to the solid citizenry who are annually and continually badgered for business reports, tax returns and all the other nightmarish nuisances which our Government are pleased to ask from our resident business men.

Give these peddlers a good stiff dose of this burden and bother, and if it frightens them away holubolus, we will only be out two hundred and forty dollars annually in license fees and we will be in all the money they send and take with them out of our country.

You may say we take a selfish view of the matter, in as much as we are engaged in the cloth and clothing business ourselves. Admitted promptly and unequivocally. But on the other hand, we pay as much revenue directly and indirectly as the whole caboodle of this class of men together, and we feel we have a right to be placed on at least an equal footing. This is the feeling of all the men we have talked to on this subject, not only business men, but farmers and people who have been persuaded to buy against their better judgment.

We think if the Retail Merchants' Association took the matter up and presented it fairly and lucidly to the proper authorities an adjustment would be forthcoming.

I am, Sir, etc.,
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Gabby Grams

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Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

Q. What obligation does an introduction at a dance carry with it?
A. The obligation on the part of the man to ask the woman for a dance.

Q. Is it necessary for a woman to recognize a strictly business acquaintance, when meeting him at some social function?
A. Not unless one wishes to do so.

Q. May lettuce or any salads ever be cut with the knife?
A. No; all salads should be broken off with the fork.

DAILY LESSONS IN ENGLISH

By W. L. Gordon

WORDS OFTEN MISUSED: Do not say "In compliance to your request." Say "compliance with."

OFTEN MISPRONOUNCED: Khaki. Pronounce ka-ki, a as in "father," i as in "it," accent first syllable.

OFTEN MISSPELLED: Desert (verb, to forsake); noun, barren ground); dessert (a dinner course).

SYNONYMS: Self-control; sobriety; abstinence; abstemiousness; continence; temperance.

WORD STUDY: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: **PERNICIOUS**; highly injurious or hurtful. "It is a pernicious and growing tendency that must be corrected."

Daily Selections FOR Guardian Readers

April 9, 1928

GRACE AND GLORY—Wisdom shall give to thine head an ornament of grace: a crown of glory shall she deliver to thee.—Prov. 4:9.

PRAYER—Lord, we would trust Thee and not lean on our own understanding.

TO-DAY

What have you done that has been worthwhile.
On this day that dawned for you in tendering some blessing of thoughtful deed.
As our dear Lord entreated you.
Have you rendered the music of kindly words
To the lonely, helpless or sad?
Suggesting sympathy, comfort or cheer?
Little things, but they make the hear glad.

A benison offered, bright looks, a smile
Kindly action of loving thought,
May signify much, and show that you offer
Priceless gems that cannot be bought.

Have you spoken these words?
Have you done these deeds?
Have you offered freely that leaven,
Which rendered in the spirit of Christ
So surely leads onward to Heaven?

Easter Eve

Deep within the tomb's dark portal,
Jesus, Prince of life immortal,
Now Thy Body finds its rest;
Rest from all the sad affliction
Which in Thy dread crucifixion
Overwhelmed Thee and oppressed.

On the spirits long in prison
Light and joy have now arisen.
For Thy Soul hath thither fled;
Now is heard the wondrous story
Of Thy sorrow and Thy glory
In the mansions of the dead.

Though in death we see Thee lying,
Yet Thy Godhead reigns undying
In the Flesh Thou didst assume,
Ere another dawn is breaking
Thou with power shalt be awaking
From the dark and silent tomb.

So in adoration lowly
We adore Thee, Lord most holy,
In Thy very mortal Flesh;
In our hearts we would enclose Thee
Lest by sin we're expose Thee
To be crucified afresh.

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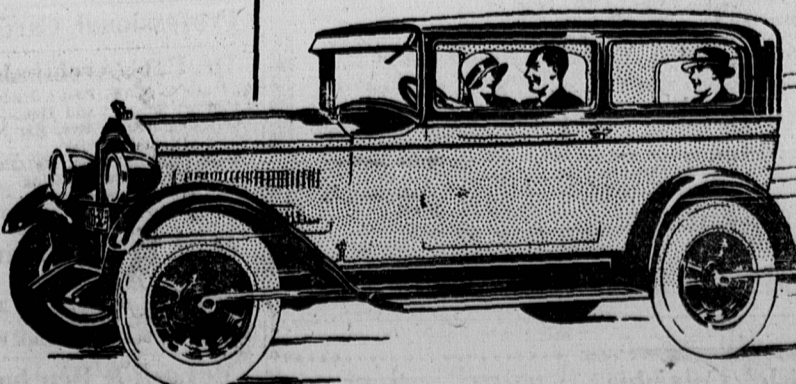
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THE GABBS

TWO FAMOUS GUNMEN FROM CHICAGO ARE SPEAKING AT THE TOWN HALL TONIGHT—THEY'RE HOLDING A BIG DEBATE.

OH MY STARS, WHAT'S THE WORLD COMING TO?

HERE'S THE HANDBILL THEY'RE PASSING AROUND "DON'T MISS THE BIG ARGUMENT BETWEEN TWO-GUN PETE AND KILLER KELLY."

WHAT'S THE SUBJECT OF THEIR DEBATE?

WHEN A LEAD PIPE STRIKES A SKULL DOES IT GO "BING" OR "PLINK"?

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