

Important Provincial News the week for Saturday Subscribers.

MONDAY.

The marriage of Joseph L. Atwood of Brookline, Mass., and Miss Clara Weston Dyer of Alberton, Prince Edward Island, was solemnized in Brookline, on Tuesday, October 19th, by Rev. O. E. Gifford D. D. of Hasting.

Twelve of the lambs, brought to this Province by the Provincial Government, were sold at auction in Summerside on Saturday. The prices averaged \$15. There was a good gathering of farmers and all agreed that the sheep were a splendid lot.

Miss Nettie Kinch, Alma, has gone to Exeter, N. H. She was accompanied as far as Portland by Frank McLellan of the U. S. A. Navy, who has spent a vacation of seventy days at his home in this Province. He is now en route to New York where his ship is being repaired.

A correspondent writes that a great many of the young folks of Alma assembled recently at the home of Mrs. Joseph Kinch. Dancing, music and games were the entertainments of the evening. About half past eleven luncheon was served and the party broke up about twelve. Among those present were Misses Maggie McNeil and Eugene McCarthy from Brockton, Robert Jeffrey furnished the music.

At a business meeting held recently in the Baptist Church, Knutsford, a unanimous call was extended to C. S. Young, licentiate, of Woodstock, to remain pastor for a year. Mr. Young has been an assistant pastor to Rev. F. N. Atkinson, and has spent two summer vacations on that field. Recently Mr. Atkinson resigned and is now laboring with the United Baptist Church at Blackville, N. B. It is expected that Mr. Young will remain there until the fall of 1910, when he will return to Wolfville, N. S., to pursue his university studies. St. John Telegraph.

Guardian readers are doubtless familiar with the details of the heroic act of Lester Douglas, of the P. E. I. Railway, City, in saving the life of the lad Arseneault at Summerside in June, 1908. At the Board of Trade Rooms in this City, Saturday afternoon, he received his reward, in the presentation to Mr. Douglas of The Royal Canadian Humane Society's medal for life saving. A large number of citizens were present, including a number of ladies. James Paton as Chairman, stated the object of the meeting and presented the medal—a bronze one—to Mr. Douglas and applause.

A. B. Warburton, M. P., on being called upon, explained the circumstances under which the medal was awarded. He expressed the belief that Mr. Douglas' deliberate act of bravery was even more meritorious than the saving of the Victoria Cross on the field of battle, and that his heroism was deserving of the greatest credit. Rev. Geo. E. Rose, St. Hodgson, F. J. Nash, and L. B. Miller made eulogistic remarks regarding the praiseworthy action of the recipient of the medal, all expressing the belief that it was well won.

An old Gentleman Cured of Rheumatism.

By One Box of Pills.

Mr. Wm. Conry is one of the oldest and best known residents of Yarmouth, N. S. Owing to his advanced age, Mr. Conry was troubled with his kidneys, which finally developed into Rheumatism.

Wm. Conry. Gin Pills are so-called because they contain the medicinal virtues of juniper berries. Gin Pills, however, contain no alcohol. They are a scientific preparation and may be used by children if necessary.

Four thorough bred bull calves from Senator Yeo's farm, were sold at auction, in Summerside on Saturday last, and brought an average price of \$59.50 each.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Grace Carver to Clifford B. Lewis, Nov 17th, at 6.30 p. m. in the First Church of Christ, at North Hampton, Mass. Mr Lewis, who is a nephew of Hon S. E. Reid, is the only son of A. R. Lewis, West Somerville, Mass, formerly of Tryon.

A pretty wedding took place at high noon on Monday, October 18th, at Kansas City, Missouri, when the Rev. J. D. Ritchey, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church officiating, Miss Dorothy Burrows, daughter of James Burrows, became the bride of Frederick G. Perkins of Kansas City, formerly of Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

TUESDAY.

The County Court of Queen's County, which has been in session in Charlottetown for the past week, has adjourned to meet at the Court House in Eldon, on Wednesday, the tenth day of November, at ten a.m., where the remaining business on the docket can be more conveniently tried and disposed of.

A telegram was received yesterday by James McLean, Victoria, announcing the death of his brother Allan, who died in Cape Breton. No particulars were received other than that the remains would be forwarded to Grandpa for burial. Mrs McLean is at present in Victoria. Mr McLean was at one time employed with the Robb Engineering Co at Amherst.

Last night in St Paul's Schoolroom a joint meeting was held of the Lord's Day Alliance and the Moral and Social Reform League. Rev. T. Albert Moore delivered an address and resolutions were submitted to the meeting. One of these had reference to the running of Sunday trains. Rev George Steel being the mover, and another regarding legislation to prohibit the importation of liquors to this Province was submitted by Rev H. E. Thomas.

A rather sad case of suicide took place at New Argyle yesterday morning when Neil Stewart of that place took his life by hanging himself in his barn. The cause of his rash act is said to be insanity brought on by worrying over his state of ill-health, he having been ailing for the past couple of years. On investigation being made into the matter it was decided that it was not necessary to hold an inquest. Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family by their many friends, with all of whom The Guardian sincerely joins.

Last night two youthful offenders, Patrick Callaghan and William Bell, were arrested by the police and will be charged with making one injury to property. It seems that these parties along with many others did not think that the inclemency of the weather on Saturday night permitted them to obtain as much enjoyment from Hallowe'en as they otherwise could have revelled in, and they postponed the celebration until last night. There "fun" consisted in rough and boisterous actions and in smashing up other people's property to an alarming extent—and the end is not yet. There is said to be quite a number of sumo-sunes out for other offenders of the same kind. John Gillis, charged with drunkenness will also appear before His Honor this morning.

Quite a lengthy session of the City Police Court was held yesterday and a number of cases were disposed of. One for obstructing the street, walk and another of drunkenness was convicted on both and fined ten dollars, which was promptly handed over to the Court. D. Gillis, who came to Court in an intoxicated condition, was placed in the dock and later was released with a warning. John Pigott, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined five dollars or thirty days, the Magistrate giving him the option of getting out of the city within twenty-four hours, sentence being suspended for that period. John Gillis for keeping a disorderly house on Grafton Street, was remanded until this morning for further evidence. Stephen Coyle, drunk and disorderly, was fined ten dollars or thirty days. Chris Ford, for using abusive language, was dismissed. The adjourned case of theft against John McLean came up again and after the evidence had been taken, His Honor further adjourning the case until this morning.

The annual meeting of the P. E. I. Lord's Day Alliance was held yesterday afternoon in St Paul's Parish Hall. The meeting reviewed the work of the past year, congratulating the province on the measure of respect which attaches to the Lord's Day, and yet drawing attention to the dangers that threaten its 'restful observance. These matters were dealt with in detail in the Secretary's report. The Treasurer, A. W. Sterns, reported a larger response by the Branches than in any other year. Total receipts \$287.04. The new officers elected are as follows:

President—Rev R. G. Strathie, Summerside. Vice-Presidents—Rev D. McLean, Rev T. F. Fullerton, Rev Hammond Johnson, Rev G. R. White, Rev Archdeacon Reagh, Rev Dr McLellan, Hon Senator Robertson, William Calbeck, D. P. Irving, M. L. A., John Agnew, M. L. A., W. A. O. Morson, M. L. A., Secretary—Rev H. E. Thomas, Charlottetown. Treasurer—A. W. Sterns, Charlottetown. Auditor—W. T. Huggan, Charlottetown. Legal and Legislative Committee—Rev T. F. Fullerton, Rev H. E. Thomas, A. W. Sterns, D. MacKinnon, City, Ben Rogers, Alberton. Finance Committee—A. W. Sterns, J. A. Lawson, Col F. S. Moore.

Two of Charlottetown's laundresses, Charlie Ling and Harry Lee, left yesterday for Hong Kong. On their arrival there the latter will be one of the principals in an event of much interest.

The Summerside dealers are paying twenty-two to twenty-three cents a dozen for eggs, twenty to twenty-five cents a pound for butter, twenty cents a bushel for potatoes, thirty-eight to thirty-nine cents a bushel for oats and eight to eight and three quarter cents for pork.

At Montague buyers are paying thirty-eight to forty cents per bushel for oats, twenty two cents for potatoes, fourteen cents for turnips, sixteen to eighteen cents for butter, twenty one cents for eggs and eight and three quarter cents for pork, as will be seen by the itemized market report.

Rural mail delivery has been authorized on the "Mill River-Roxbury" route. The following persons have already subscribed—G. R. Leard, C. W. Clarke, H. R. Lockerby, J. W. Clark, Minor Bridges, W. H. Smith, Jas Hudson, W. H. Haslam, Joseph Peters, Ira D. Hardy, B. C. Maxfield, Peter Metherall.

Country produce is beginning to arrive from Prince Edward Island. Large cargoes of potatoes, cabbages, turnips, carrots, and parsnips are arriving daily. The schooner St Patrick, from Georgetown, came to port yesterday with six hundred bushels of potatoes, one hundred bushels of turnips and four hundred bushels of oats. —Halifax Herald.

There was quite an exciting scene at the Summerside freight shed yesterday. A trader with a large live hog, in rather a frail crate, wished to have the animal shipped out along the line. The hog, after being safely landed from the truck made a dash for liberty and very soon succeeded in escaping to the street. With the assistance of a couple of dogs, after a lively chase, the animal was brought back and secured in a cage, with ropes and wires.

It has recently come to the attention of the Post Office Inspector that the number of infractions against the Postal Regulations have of late assumed serious proportions and strict scrutiny has been ordered of all newspaper packets and other parcels passing through the mails in this Province. The offences discovered consist of enclosing letters and other matter inside of newspapers and pre-paying them at the transient newspaper rate of postage, also letters are found in a number of parcels. The penalty for offences of this nature is a fine of not less than ten dollars and not exceeding forty dollars. These parcels are all being sent to the Dead Letter Office and the Inspector warns the public that prosecutions will be instituted in every case in order to at once stop these illegal practices.

What looked like a practical Hallowe'en trick happened at the home of one of the residents on Elm Avenue, Saturday evening. Just as the shades of night were falling, the lady of the house opened the kitchen door, leading to the porch, when she noticed a small box with the cover partly removed, and through an opening the head of some live animal kept bobbing up and down. Presently there was a noise and a very familiar barn yard sound of quack, quack, then the discovery was made that some one had left a fine large live duck. Later on the lady solved the mystery when it became known that her husband had just returned from the country and a good lady had sent this beautiful bird from Tryon to try its fate in City life. Comfortable quarters are now being provided and after a few weeks of careful stall feeding this bird will end its career and it is hinted that some of The Guardian staff will have the extreme pleasure of participating in the closing scenes.

Grand News For Women

Mrs. E. P. Richards Tells How Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Her

After suffering for Twenty-eight Years from Pains and Weakness and Sleeplessness—Dodd's Kidney Pills the Only Medicine She Wants.

COTTLE'S COVE, Notre Dame Bay, Nfld. Nov. 5.—(Special).—Grand news for suffering women is that being scattered broadcast by Mrs. Elizabeth P. Richards of this place. For years she suffered from that terrible weakness and those agonizing pains so many women know. She has found relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills and she wants all suffering women to know it.

"For twenty-eight years," says Mrs. Richards, "I suffered from Rheumatism, Kidney Trouble and Neuralgia. I got so weak I could not do my household work. Sleep was out of the question except for a few minutes at a time. My back ached to I could not sleep. I tried all kinds of medicine and had come to the conclusion that there was no cure for me, when I read advertisements for Dodd's Kidney Pills. I bought a box and after taking a few pills I felt a new lease of life and I was refreshed every morning. Dodd's Kidney Pills are all the medicine I want."

The woman who has healthy Kidneys will never know the pains and weakness that make life hardly worth living. Dodd's Kidney Pills always make healthy Kidneys. The following are the Alberton market prices: White and black oats, thirty-seven to thirty-eight cents a bushel; eggs twenty-one cents a dozen; butter, eighteen to twenty cents a lb; hides, ten cents a lb; pork eight to eight and three quarter cents a lb; and hay eight to nine dollars a ton; potatoes at eighteen cents and turnips at thirteen cents.

There was a fair attendance at the Charlottetown market yesterday with little change in prices. The following are the buyers prices:—butter nineteen to twenty two, eggs twenty one to twenty two cents, white oats thirty eight cents, black thirty nine cents. Hay is quoted at nine dollars to nine fifty per ton and straw at five dollars and fifty to six dollars. Pork brought eight and three quarter cents and nine for best quality.

The marriage of Miss Ethel Dobell, only daughter of Henry Dobell, of Montreal, to Louis DesBrisay, formerly of Charlottetown, took place quietly at St John's Church on Saturday last, the rector, the Rev Arthur French, officiating. The bride, who was attended by Miss Hickson, was given away by her brother, Charles Dobell. Mr. DesBrisay, of Quebec, acted as best man. Mr and Mrs DesBrisay will reside at Lachine for the winter—Montreal Star.

A sudden death occurred in Spring Valley on Oct. 25th, when Roy Gough, the son of George Bryenton, passed peacefully away. He was three years and two months old. Death was due to pneumonia. He was sick only a few days. All that medical skill could do was of no avail. The funeral took place to Margate, and was largely attended. Rev. J. B. Gough performing the funeral services. He leaves his parents, one sister, and six brothers to mourn his loss.

At the City Police Court yesterday morning the two boys, Callaghan and Bell, who were arrested in connection with Hallowe'en festivities, were released on their own recognizance, and will appear this morning, when the owners of dilapidated vehicles will make their charges. John Gillis, a drunk, was fined four dollars or fifteen days. The adjourned case against this same man for keeping a disorderly house was dismissed. The case against J. McLean, charged with theft, was once more adjourned, this time for eight days.

Further particulars of the accidental death by drowning of the late Alan McLean, Amherst, brought by his brothers, J. L. and A. J. McLean, Amherst, who accompanied the body to this city last night, state that there are no definite facts in connection with the fatality, with the exception that the finding of the Coroner's jury empaneled on the case was the verdict that the deceased came to his death by accidental drowning from the steamer Magdalen in Eastern Harbor last Sunday evening. The body will be forwarded this morning by the Steamer Harland to Victoria, the funeral probably taking place Thursday afternoon from the residence of his father-in-law James Hodgson.

A rather sad feature of this case is that this is double affliction for Mrs McLean, widow of the deceased, whose mother, Mrs James Hodgson, Victoria, died only recently, (Oct 17th). Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family.

The Michaelmas term of the Supreme Court opened here yesterday, with the Chief Justice, Mr Justice Hodgson and Mr Justice Fitzgerald on the Bench. The application of Robert Jenkins, Prohibition Inspector, for a writ of certiorari, with a view of quashing certain orders of dismissal made by the Stipendiary Magistrate of Charlottetown, in a prosecution before him under the Prohibition Act against Arthur W. Reddin, was the first case called. Mr Jenkins sought to have this order of dismissal set aside. J. J. Johnson, K. C., opposed the application contending that a certiorari is never granted to set aside a dismissal made by a Magistrate in a matter over which he has jurisdiction. His argument lasted all day and was concluded just before the Court rose at five o'clock. D. C. McLeod, K. C., and W. E. Bentley, appeared for Mr Jenkins and they will argue in support of the application this morning.

In the Chapel of Rustico Convent on the morning of Monday the 1st November, Dr Frank C. McGrath of New Castle, N. B. was united in marriage to Miss Josephine Gallant of Cymbric. Rev Joseph Gallant of St Dunstons College being the officiating clergyman. The bride was given away by her father, Dr J. Gallant. A Kelly of Charlottetown supported the groom and Miss Helen Gallant, sister of the bride acted as bridesmaid. After the ceremony the party drove to the station at Hunter River where the happy couple boarded the train for a honeymoon trip to different Canadian and American Cities. The presents were many and beautiful and testify to the esteem in which the parties interested are held. The genial doctor who is a native of Finnish has a large and increasing medical practice at New Castle and his many friends in this Province extend congratulations and best wishes for the happiness of himself and fair partner in life.

The regular monthly meeting of the P. E. Island Poultry Association was held in the Prince of Wales College last evening. It was announced that the services of A. T. Gillitt had been obtained to deliver lectures at the coming winter show, Mr Gillitt is one of the greatest experts on standard bred poultry raising in Canada, having charge of the Poultry Department of the Central Experimental Farms, Ottawa. His lectures will be both interesting and instructive. The matter of going to Summerside with the birds exhibited here in January was discussed, and all present at the meeting agreed to allow their birds to go, could suitable arrangements be made with parties in Summerside. Twelve new members were lectured before the meeting adjourned. The entries for the show opened November 1st. All intending exhibitors must join before the first Tuesday in December, as the entries close on 15th of the month. It was emphasized at last night's meeting that no exception would be made to that rule.

THURSDAY. The marriage took place last evening of Miss Pearl Woodside, daughter of Moses Woodside to Brenton Lowther of Kensington, the ceremony being performed by Rev Mr Gough.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Joseph B. Arsenault, Abrams Village, to Miss Lizzie Boute of Summerside. Mr Arsenault is the popular cheese maker of Abrams Village.

James Brown, organizer for the Maritime Province of the C. M. B. A., was present at a meeting held by that society Tuesday night in Summerside. This was a very interesting meeting, there being thirty-three new members initiated. Rev J. J. McDonald, Kinross; Rev A. C. McLean, Summerside; Rev S. F. Boudreau, Elmont Bay; Dr Monaghan, Miscouche, were present and addressed the meeting.

At a meeting of the Methodist ministers held at Kensington on Tuesday afternoon, there were present fifteen members of the clergy. The chairman of the morning sessions was Rev W. Harrison, City, in the afternoon Rev George Steele, Bedeque, was in the chair. Profitable session papers were read by Rev Mr Styles, Pownal and W. Brown, West Cape. These were followed by a general discussion. The ministers were most loyally entertained by their friends in Kensington.

Rev Mr Farwell, the Associated Secretary of the Sunday school work of the Methodist Church, whose field of work is Newfoundland and the Maritime Provinces, is soon to visit this province and deliver addresses in his department of Church work. His itinerary for the Summerside District is as follows:—Margate, Nov 7, at 11 a. m.; Wilmot, Nov 7, at 3.00 p. m.; Summerside, Nov 7, at 7.00 p. m.; Bedeque, Nov 8, at 7.30 p. m.; Pleasant Valley, Nov 9, at 7.30 p. m.

The application of Robert Jenkins to quash the order of dismissal in the case of A. W. Reddin before Stipendiary Magistrate, was continued before the Court yesterday by J. J. Johnson, K. C., and W. E. Bentley, on behalf of the prosecutor, and J. J. Johnson, K. C., was heard as a reply. Judgment was reserved.

John McCallum vs International Harvester Co of America. This was an action for damages for breach of warranty on the sale of a binder which was tried before a jury at the last June Court at Summerside, when the jury awarded to the plaintiff \$125 damages. The Court, after a adjournment yesterday, set aside the verdict given against the defendant company and ordered a new trial. Johnson, K. C., for defendant and McQuarrie, K. C., for plaintiff.

The Court will meet today at eleven o'clock.

TONIC TREATMENT FOR INDIGESTION Remedies That Digest the Food Will Not Cure the Trouble—The Stomach Must be Fitted to do Nature's Work.

The tonic treatment for indigestion, dyspepsia, catarrh of the stomach, and gastritis is having remarkable success in curing obstinate cases and deserves attention from every sufferer. Its principal is that remedies for indigestion that digest the food for the stomach give relief for only a short time. Ultimately they unfit the stomach to do its own proper work, because they make its already weak powers still weaker by disease, while the remedy that strengthens the stomach makes it capable of digesting the food for itself, and this not only a tonic for the stomach, but benefit's lasting. A remedy that is for the blood and nerves as well, invigorates the entire system and makes recovery from the painful, weakening effects of indigestion rapid and thorough. Every sufferer from indigestion will find Dr. Williams' Pink Pills just the tonic needed, as they enrich the blood, tone the stomach and thus enable it to do the work nature intended it should do. This has been proved in thousands of cases, and it is worth the while of every sufferer from stomach trouble to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial. Mr. Edward Chatterton, Campbellton, N. B., says:—"I have been a great sufferer from indigestion and stomach trouble and although I had treatment from several doctors, I did not find a cure until I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I can hardly describe how much I suffered at times. Every meal brought with it more or less agony, and I seemed to have a complete distaste for food. I had almost begun to give up when I came across a pamphlet advertising Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I decided to give them a trial. I am very thankful that I did so, for I had never been taking the Pills long before I found them helping me, and in six weeks every symptom of the trouble had vanished. I can now eat heartily almost any kind of food, and no longer experience pain and discomfort after eating."

It is because Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make new, rich blood that they cure such troubles as indigestion, rheumatism, neuralgia, headaches, and backaches, St. Vitus dance, and other forms of nerve troubles. They cure the irregularities of girlhood and womanhood, and bring ease, comfort and health to sufferers. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The death occurred last evening at the residence of his son, E. S. Gaudet, Wellington of Frank Gaudet, formerly of Miscouche, after an illness of four months, at the age of 74 years.

Much sympathy is felt for Rev H. and Mrs Johnson, Summerside, in the death of their youngest child, aged fifteen months, which occurred on the night of the second inst, after a very short illness. W. S. Louson, City, will have the sincere sympathy of many friends in the loss of his only sister, Mrs Dr Reddy, of Montreal, news of whose death came most unexpectedly yesterday. While for some time Mrs Reddy's health had been somewhat satisfactory, she had recently expressed a hope for recovery, and her sudden death comes as a severe shock. Dr and Mrs Reddy have made frequent visits and spent the month of August this year as guests of Mr and Mrs Louson. Mr Louson leaves this morning for Montreal.

The Lieut. Governor opened the Tracade Exhibition at two p.m. yesterday, with very fitting remarks, congratulating the members of the very excellent showing of Agricultural products and thanking them for the address presented him. Competition in every class was strong. The large Hall was fairly crowded with all that goes to make an Exhibition a success; interested people were seen everywhere getting information from the judges or discussing among themselves the merits of all good specimens of fruit, vegetables, roots or grain as has been seen on Exhibition this year in the Province. Among the visitors present were Lieut. Governor McKinnon, H. J. Palmer, M.P.P., J. J. Davis, Prof T. Ross, A. E. Dewar, J. A. Clark.

The St. Louis Hotel, in the ancient city of Quebec, is an ideal place to stay when on a pleasure or business trip to that city. Situated within a few yards and in view of the famous Dufferin Terrace, it is thus near all the principal sights of old Quebec. This hotel is most complete in its appointments and has magnificent rooms, large airy and en suite, prices graduating according to their location. The dining room is most superior, the chief being an expert with highest references while the service is first class in every way, being under the personal supervision of manager E. K. Hunt. The hotel is visited by yearly throngs in the hundreds of Quebec who find the St. Louis Hotel in every way suited to the needs of the most fastidious. L. B. Dixon, the proprietor, is a host in himself, and greets everybody with a smile.

The adjourned annual business meeting of the Y.M.C.A. was held last night in the parlour. The report of the treasurer showed a deficit of one hundred and seventy-two dollars and ten cents. On motion it was decided that a special effort be made to collect this amount within the next two weeks. Quite a number whose subscriptions and membership dues have not yet paid, and it is hoped that with these and a few special donations the deficit may be wiped out. The four following directors were re-elected—G. F. Hutcheson, Dr J. H. Ayers, E. T. Higgs, W. C. Turner, and J. E. Matthews were elected as a new member in the place of J. P. Gordon. Mr Sidney Grey was elected in the place of W. S. Louson, who resigned—W. T. Huggan and G. H. Taylor were appointed to take the place of Jas Paton and A. M. Peters, resigned. The new Board of Directors will meet Saturday morning at nine o'clock to elect officers.

Prince Edward Lord's Day Alliance Nov 1908 to Nov 1909. Assembled in annual meeting at the close of the eighth year of work of the Lord's Day Alliance in Prince Edward Island, we were greatly gratified with the evidences of success which have rewarded our endeavors. The fact that during the past year there has not been one formal complaint sent your officers (Provincial or Federal) of any infraction of the Lord's Day Act in this Province, indicating a most gratifying sentiment among our citizens, together with a clearer understanding of our Lord's Day laws. We rely very much over this continued good observance of the Lord's Day throughout this Island Province.

There is however according to the Branch reports received occasion for alertness and activity, in order to restrain some tendencies towards a more lax observance of the Lord's Day that have been reported. (1) There are rumours that on the Lord's Day to a very slight degree, in certain sections of the Island certain crops have a few times been harvested (2) That in a few instances some unnecessary work of various sorts has been done in connection with the railway: (3) A few men engaged in fishing have occasionally pursued the labor of their calling. (4) In a few places cigars, confectionery, and other articles are sold in shops, drug stores, and other places. While all these are only rumours, and the places where these things are done, are few, yet we consider it most regrettable that any of them should be done at any time, and in any place, and would urge upon every friend of the Lord's Day that now, when these practices are in their incipency would be the best time to prevent their development in the Province.

There are some conditions arising which demand the most careful consideration of every patriotic citizen, to protect our Province from the introduction of various forms of business, labor, and pleasure. During the past year there have been frequent and persistent newspaper reports to the effect that Sunday passenger trains will be inaugurated on the Intercolonial Railway. Of course this would mean a Sunday service of the boats between the island and the mainland, and a Sunday passenger service upon the railway in Prince Edward Island. We view with very grave alarm such a possibility. Not only would many railway employees lose their weekly rest day, but there would be a great

addition to Sunday labor in hotels and an open door of opportunity for many forms of Lord's Day pleasure, business, and labor, to which, happily, we are now strangers. Without any doubt, the Sunday train would be a very great convenience to some citizens—but can we afford to pay the cost of such a convenience? We are sure the people of the Province, with very few exceptions, would very strenuously oppose the introduction of such a Sunday service by either the boats or railway. We very strongly commend the Managing Board of the Government Railways in their refusal to operate a Sunday passenger service through the Maritime Province, and trust the Board will never yield to any pressure designed to inaugurate such a service. We have been much gratified to note that Prince Edward Island is becoming more and more a resort for summer tourists. The charm of our scenery, pastoral in the interior, rugged along our coasts, and altogether pleasing; its pure ozone, its famous fishing, its comfortable hotels free from intoxicating liquors, and together with the restful quiet, and worshipful spirit of our Lord's Day, has attracted every year an increasing number of visitors from Central and Western Canada, as well as from the New England and other States. Our resident population has sought to welcome in every way the coming of these tourists, to surround them with the delights of our Province, so they would carry with us as long as possible, and encourage their return as soon as practicable. But our reports indicate, to our great regret, that with the coming of these tourists, there is being introduced into the Province some forms of Sunday pleasure which are at variance with our long established customs in our observance of the Lord's Day. There seems to be some tendency to transform the holy day to a holiday; the day of rest to a day of restlessness. Insecure parties in boats, hackboards and buggies, and picnics to groves, shores, and parks, special dinners in homes, hotels, and restaurants, and many other plans for Sunday pleasure have been introduced. These demand the service on that day of drivers, cooks, waiters, maids, engineers, and others, robbing them both of their needed rest and appreciated privilege to attend divine service, as well as introducing practices which must result in degrading the character of our citizenship, as well as destroying our Lord's Day with its advantages and privileges. We would earnestly appeal to our citizens to kindly but firmly maintain our well known customs by fastidious upon a quiet and well ordered Lord's Day. It is not only pleasure seeking, but also the mighty forces of materialism that are apparently moving upon our people. Too many have forgotten that character is more valuable than cash, and morals are mightier than money. The question too often asked is, "Will it pay?" rather than, "Is it right?" Under all these tendencies of the day, should not some strong definition be taken to restrain such influences, and retain to all our citizens their heritage of quiet, restful and enabling Lord's Day? We venture to recommend that definite, clear, instructions as to the value of the Lord's Day be constantly given by parents to their children; by ministers to their congregation; by editors to their readers, and by the teachers in our public schools and colleges to their pupils, so that a real revival of interest shall be awakened throughout the Province upon this most important of our duties. We would recommend that in every community an appeal planned and urged in the kindest manner and by the leaders of every form of Sunday business and pleasure to the effect that such practices be discontinued. We would recommend that in every instance when the author of such an action for the enforcement of the Lord's Day law should be given every possible assistance, and most heartily encouraged by commendation from all who desire to preserve the Lord's Day. We would most heartily recommend that the Lord's Day Alliance should receive the very hearty support of Christian congregations, labor unions, and all citizens who seek to defend our Lord's Day against the forces which encroach upon it, and both by kindly words, and financial help render every possible aid to this good work. Trusting in Him whose we are, and whom we serve, we go forward to another year of endeavor for the preservation of the day that God has made for man.

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