

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

SHOP from Holman's Catalogue.

COME TO HEAR Mr. Malone read at Breezy Point, St. Peter's School Room tonight.

ORIENTALS Card Party tonight at 8 o'clock.

COME AND HEAR Miss Stultz play "The Rosary" at Breezy Point, 1-2-21

MR. WILLIAMSON sings tonight at Breezy Point.

A REALLY WORTH WHILE programme at the Y. M. C. A. Gymnastic Exhibition May 4th.

MR. WENNING WILL GIVE a violin solo at Breezy Point. Come and Hear him.

FUNERAL FRIDAY—The funeral of the late Mrs. (Dr.) John Jardine, Summerside will be held Friday, May 4, to the Presbyterian Church at 1 p. m.

CHURCH OF SCOTLAND—Rev. D. M. Lamont will preach on Sabbath 6th at Lot 48 at 2.30 p. m. People's Church, City, at 7 p. m.

A CORRECTION—The Patriot yesterday in its news column states that the hon. member for Bradalbane, (Mr. Murdoch Kennedy) "banged his desk with such force as that he knocked over the tumbler of water.....and sank into his seat exhausted." This is not correct. Mr. Kennedy did not sink into this seat until the hon. member for Belfast, the editor of the Patriot, who had interrupted him with a request for permission to do so on a point of order, had been compelled by Mr. Kennedy to sit down and keep quiet. If Mr. Kennedy banged his desk he banged it to good purpose. He was interrupted several times by the hon. member for Belfast, and as the chairman evidently did not wish to call that gentleman to order, Mr. Kennedy did so in no uncertain words. If Mr. Kennedy as the Patriot states "remained silent and pre-occupied" during the evening it was an example which no doubt the editor of the Patriot wished he had followed, for his evening brought him again into a ludicrous position and even Mr. Kennedy could not have improved upon that "chastisement handed out to him by Mr. Brodie."

ORIENTALS Card Party tonight at 8 o'clock.

RESERVE AUGUST 8th for the picnic at Emerald Junction.

ORIENTALS Card Party tonight at 8 o'clock.

BREEZY POINT is the place to get delicious home-made candy.

A SKILLFUL PERFORMANCE by good gymnastic at the Y. M. C. A. Friday May 4th.

GUARDIAN TELEPHONE NUMBERS—Subscribers are asked to ring 133 for Guardian News Department and 132 to Guardian advertising.

TEACHERS, while in town be sure and attend the May Day Tea in the League of the Cross Hall, Richmond St., Thursday, from five to seven.

ARTILLERY RE-UNION TO-NIGHT—No. 2 Battery, P. E. I. Heavy Brigade Artillery, will hold a re-union tonight in the gunners' room at the drill hall at 8 o'clock. All the members are requested to be present in order to hear the outline of the season's drill and to make plans for the competition at Petawawa, No. 2 Battery has a record to be proud of in artillery work and they should equal the achievements of the past this year.

THE CARD PARTY held by the ladies of the Children of Mary Sodality, in their hall on Monday evening was a decided success. The first prize was carried off by Miss Mattie Gillis, the second by Miss Mammie Trainor and the lucky chair prize was drawn by Mrs. Thos McMillan. At the end of the game dainty refreshments were served by the young ladies of the Sodality.

RETURNS FROM SAD MISION—Mrs. Jeannette MacDonald, Boston, arrived in the city last night after accompanying the remains of her husband the late Capt. Angus MacDonald from Boston to Pictou, where the burial took place. Mrs. MacDonald was met in Charlottetown by her brother Mr. L. L. Cheverie, Souris and is leaving with him for Souris this afternoon to spend two weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cheverie, before returning to Boston. The late Capt. MacDonald was 38 years of age. He had sailed vessels to Charlottetown, Souris and other Maritime ports for a number of years.

PRESBYTERY MEETING—At the meeting of the Presbytery on Tuesday in Zion Church, a considerable amount of business was disposed of, some members remaining until midnight. The committee reports were received, Rev. Mr. McGowan resigned from Dunias and was appointed to Georgetown for one year. He will be settled there June 1st. A call from West and Clyde Rivers in favor of Mr. Collins was sustained and arrangements made to ordain and induct him May 30th. Mr. D. A. McKinnon presented a brief synopsis of the marriage laws. The report of statistics brought out the fact that only four congregations had reached their allocations last year. An Overture to the Assembly on the question of Church Union re-questing changes be made in the Dominion and Provincial Bills giving congregations the privilege if desired, of deciding whether they shall enter the proposed Union before it takes effect, was presented by Rev. W. Orr Mulligan and unanimously approved. Messrs. Mulligan, Sterling and Christie were appointed to support the Overture before the Assembly.

WANTED—SMALL VACANT Grocery store and tiny dwelling detached or semi-detached, provided rental is very low. Address "Grocer," Guardian.

BRIGHTON IS BEST. ONLY ONE building lot left on Brighton Road. Two beguties on North River Road at \$700 each. Others down to \$300. Small cash payment, remainder on mortgage or monthly payments. Willow Corner. Robert Cotton, Banker.

WANTED—BELL BOY. APPLY Queen Hotel.

WANTED—MAN TO WORK ON farm at once. E. Heartz, Marsh field.

WANTED—A MAN TO WORK ON farm. Apply Robt. Hooper, Milton.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—EXPERIENCED Egg Candler. Apply DeBlots Bros. Ltd.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED farmer, married man preferred. Apply to D. McDonald, North Bedouque.

WANTED—MAN TO WORK ON farm. Apply to Joseph P. Driscoll, Mt. Herbert, Charlottetown R. R. 5.

MALE HELP WANTED—MAKE Money at home \$15.00 to \$60.00 weekly for your spare time. No writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct and supply you with work. West Angus Showcard Service, 103 Colborne Bldg., Toronto.

WANTED—A CAPABLE MAID. Apply evenings. Mrs. Ted Red 414, 90 Brighton.

WANTED—WATRESS AND KITCHEN girl. Apply Strathcona Hotel.

WANTED—A MAID FOR GENERAL housework. One who understands plain cooking. Apply Mrs. G. J. McCormack, 70 Sydney St.

Lost

LOST FROM RANCH—ONE PAIR silver foxes. Reward. W.N. Taitton Charlottetown.

MISSING CHILD FOUND—Some excitement was caused yesterday when it was discovered that the little 3 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Gallant, Chestnut St., had disappeared. When the child failed to show up at noon hour the parents became somewhat uneasy and a search was begun. After an afternoon of suspense, especially felt by the child's mother and father the little fellow was found on Brighton Shore. He was immediately taken home none the worse from his little escapade.

LITERARY SOCIETY—The St. James Literary Society this evening will have for its subject the works of Rudyard Kipling. The program will open with a short address by the President upon Kipling as a writer of Prose-Fiction, and as a Poet. Following this there will be contributions from other members including sketches of some of the author's short stories and reading from his poems. All lovers of literature are cordially invited to attend.

PERSONALS

Capt. D. J. MacDonald, Cardigan is at the Queen Hotel.

Mr. W. G. Ellis, Summerside, is registered at the Queen.

Mr. E. W. McKinnon, New Witshire, is registered at the Victoria Hotel.

Messrs. J. L. Flemming and J. G. Waterbury, Halifax, are at the Victoria Hotel.

Messrs. Wm. Pillman and W. H. Houston, Harrington, are at the Revere Hotel.

Mr. B. W. Taylor, Hunter River, is registered at the Revere.

The Misses Marion MacWilliams and Joyce Nicholson, Eldon, are in the city, attending the teachers convention.

L. O. C. Bowling

Last night on the L. O. C. alleys, the first game of the playoffs was rolled between L. O. C. and the Invincibles. The League of Cross team won out by 118 pins. Following was the line up and scores.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes G. Maddigan, A. Duffy, Fred Reardon, Fred McMahon, A. Joy.

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Ladies Bowling

A very interesting game of bowling was played on the "Y" alleys last night between the Timber Tots and Regular Fellers with the Timber Tots winning by a close margin of 37 pins. Miss E. Jenkins had the highest single score of 147 pins and Miss S. Owen having the highest three strings of 366 pins.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes A. Affleck, F. Brown, B. Hatch, E. Jenkins, P. Jones, L. Jenkins.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes E. McInnis, M. McInnis, R. Heartz, L. Hazard, S. Owen, M. Weeks.

Y. M. C. A. Bowling

St. Peter's won from St. Paul's in their regular scheduled match on the "Y" alleys last night by 194 pins.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes I. Williams, R. Binns, R. Acorn, W. Smith, H. Meek.

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IN MEMORIAM

In tenderly loving memory of William Kidson, late of Tryon, who passed to his eternal reward April 28, 1922, after a lingering illness of about two years.

CLEMENTS—At Malden Mass., on March 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clements (formerly of East Royal) a son, Harold Clifford. Congratulations.

Proceedings in the Provincial Legislature

(Continued from Page One.)

April 25th. Morning Session.

Mr. Kennedy asked that vouchers be tabled in connection with Question 36 re the work performed at Victoria Bridge.

Hon. Mr. Crosby refused to table the vouchers. He said they could be inspected at the Department of Public Works.

Mr. Kennedy asked if it was again the intention to block a question put by the Opposition on the floor of the House.

The Speaker said that so far as he was concerned the question was answered and was not open to controversy.

Mr. Kennedy: Are we to understand Mr. Speaker that the heads of departments are to suit themselves about the way they answer questions?

The Speaker: If they refuse to answer we cannot help it. The Commissioner has tabled an answer. I will not ask him to produce any checks or vouchers. If they can be seen in the Public Works office, I think that is sufficient.

Mr. Kennedy: That is a new ruling. Mr. Speaker: That is the ruling I make.

Other questions were promised replies soon.

Mr. Saunders moved first reading of an act to amend the Election Act, 1922.

An act to incorporate the Caspucum and Fortune Cove Rural Telephone Co. Ltd., was given third reading and passed.

Hon. Mr. Crosby moved the House into committee on second reading of an act to further amend the Road Act, 1920. He explained that the act was to place the authority to break the winter roads in the hands of the Road overseer in each district.

Mr. Stewart said he trusted this would remedy the bad condition of the roads for the past few weeks. In many cases the roads were absolutely impassible. The question was discussed by Hon. Mr. Lea; Mr. Hessian, Mr. Brodie and Mr. Dewar.

Mr. Stewart pointed out that the common law is that a man caught out in a storm can break through a man's farm if necessary. The common law is broader than the remedy provided by this amendment.

Mr. Hessian said in fact the statute would be ultra vires. The Legislature was giving to the overseer power which they had no authority to give.

The question was further discussed by Hon. Mr. Lea, Mr. LePage, Hon. Mr. Blanchard, Mr. Speaker Duffy and Mr. Saunders.

Mr. Hessian asked if there were any pending lawsuits.

Hon. Mr. Crosby said the government had none, but he understood there were private lawsuits.

Mr. Hessian asked if there were overseers or inspectors who go outside of their jurisdiction for personal reasons to annoy people in the country and if the Commissioner was supplementing this by bringing in an act to give the overseer authority.

Hon. Mr. Crosby said the change was simply a common sense one, which should have been made when the Act went through. In the country the overseers have in some cases acted on their own authority because the inspector was miles away and they were fined for so acting. The discussion was further continued by Mr. Saunders, Hon. Mr. Nash, D. C. McDonald, Mr. Kennedy.

Mr. Kennedy said the amendment should also apply to the summer. The inspectors cost at least \$7,000 and the road masters

only \$2,100 and they do all the work. Now the Commissioner wants them to shoulder more responsibility. Are the inspectors required at all or not? It was pointed out that there are twenty-eight engineers. Why not allow the farmers a salary to break the roads? After further discussion by Messrs Saunders, D. C. McDonald, Hon. Mr. Nash and Mr. Kennedy, progress was reported and the House took recess.

Afternoon Session, April 25th

Mr. B. W. LePage resumed the debate on the budget, and outlined the policy of the Government with regard to the improved roads now being built. He claimed that the present Commissioner of Public Works had secured privileges not given to any other province in the Dominion.

MR. J. D. STEWART: When did the Government effect this arrangement with the Federal Government?

Mr. LePage did not give a direct answer to this question. He referred to the criticisms of the Government policy with respect to the roads outside of those included in the Highways projects, contending that that had not been repaired or improved since the Indians struck the trail and they had been put into good shape since this party came in. The blacksmiths and carpenters employed are being trained at the Technical School. In Rustico there has been a bait freezer for the last fifteen years and although it ran only for about two years and since that time it has been lying idle. Mr. Brodie could probably have it for nothing if he wanted it. Mr. Brodie's statement that a farmer who sold a hog for \$23 and later bought it from the Government for \$40 was not correct.

Mr. Brodie said he could prove it.

Mr. LePage said he would take the word of the Commissioner of Agriculture in preference to the evidence of the member for York. He could not understand why there was such a general "pick" at the Department of Agriculture. Mr. Brodie left the impression that the Commissioner had bought horses at the expense of the country, on his own account but this was not correct as the Horse Breeders' Association had petitioned for them. They were now an asset to the province. Mr. Brodie had also made some inference regarding some irregularities on a road project in the Union Road project also there were expenses for cement, gravel, etc., which made up the balance outside of the contract price.

Mr. Brodie replied that this was all in the contract.

Mr. LePage argued that it was up to the contractor to accept the whole or part of a contract.

Mr. Kennedy asked him to explain how the contractor was given in all cases to the lowest tenderer. The right to furnish the material or not is reserved.

MR. KENNEDY: Do they furnish the labor too?

MR. LEPAGE: Not generally.

MR. KENNEDY: Well take your Public Accounts and see. That is what you have to go by.

Mr. LePage said anybody should see that the Department was doing a lot of good. Mr. Brodie said there were 28 engineers employed last summer. He had inquired about this and found there were only nine.

MR. BRODIE: I've got the names here in your own blue books. There are 28 engineers listed in the Public Accounts and they cost the country \$16,571 last summer.

Mr. LePage said this was not true. He referred to take the word of Messrs Crosby and Shaw.

Mr. Brodie read from the Public Accounts the names of 28 persons listed as engineers.

MR. LEPAGE: They are not all engineers.

MR. KENNEDY: But that is what you are paying them for.

MR. LEPAGE: If there are any more than nine they were put in inadvertently. The member for York should have gone to the Department for his figures. He had also criticised the amount of the seasonal indemnity. If he thinks he is only worth \$300 he would not disagree with him but when, last year, a check for \$300 was handed him he demanded his 500 just the same as the other members.

MR. BRODIE: Certainly! (Laughter.)

Mr. LePage lauded the Premier's speech. He had announced his policy and he had proved a surplus. The Opposition he contended had no policy. The members from York and New Perth as well as the Opposition had questioned the Auditor's report of the Conservative deficit of 1919.

MR. DEWAR: I did not question the Auditor's report; I simply took his figures.

Mr. LePage maintained that there was a proved deficit of \$232,000 at the end of the year. The Conservatives were entitled to credit for income taxes collected but at the same time more than the estimated taxes for the year had been collected by the Liberals. The Government could not be accused of misappropriating a dollar. He approved of the road policy and again discussed it at some length over \$400,000 had been paid out to the laboring men of the province in hard cash.

MR. BRODIE: To the contractors you mean!

PRINCE EDWARD

TODAY 3.15 TONIGHT 7 AND 8.45

Matinee, Adults 16c.; Children 11c. Evening Orchestra 26c, Balcony 21c Children 11c.

Owing to the Floods on the Main Line of the C. N. R.

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We were fortunate in securing as a substitute

THOMAS MEIGHAN

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An original screen comedy drama by the famous American humorist

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Legislator's Farewell To Charlottetown

GOOD-BYE CHARLOTTETOWN, I'M GOING HOME.

Good-bye, Charlottetown, I'm going home. Good-bye, long-winded speeches and fiery eloquence, points of order and questions of privilege. Good-bye special pleading and concealment, I'm going home, going to the farm where concealment is unavailing, where I can speak the truth without fear of contradiction, where falsehood would betray itself as soon as uttered.

Good-bye Legislative comrades, with your smile of approval when the statement, true or false, coincided with your party views and your frown of righteous indignation when it did not. Good-bye comrades, I'm going home; going to where my horses and cattle and swine will honestly approve when they are honestly treated, or as honestly disapprove when I try to deceive them.

Good-bye hotels and boarding

houses, hosts and hostesses who have adopted us into your families and given us the best you had, we are going to a home where the hostess is the Speaker, the Chairman and the Sergeant-at-arms, and from whose rulings there is no appeal.

Good-bye dainty tables, with their floral decorations and spotless linen, good-bye choice dishes prepared for epicures with limited appetites. Good-bye pretty waitresses with their silken blouses and bobbed hair and cut glass ear-rings, decorated with fresh vegetables, hunks of meat and fish, fresh from the sea, where the waitress is dressed in gingham and her sole decoration is a pair of rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes and never looks under the plate.

Good-bye City of Charlottetown, I'm going home. You have used us kindly and treated us squarely. You have taught us the value of the laws we have made for you, and how easily they may be broken.

Good-bye Charlottetown with your splendid prohibition law and its intricate mazes through which the wayfaring man, though a fool, may see his way to an occasional drink.

Good-bye, Charlottetown. I'm going to a place where the sidewalks have not yet been laid, where the citizens are all neighbors and where the way to a drink lies through the illicit still. Good-bye, Charlottetown, I'm going home.

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