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NOTICE.—The annual meeting of shareholders and patrons of Cornwall Creamery Company will be held in the Hall, Cornwall, Wednesday, January 13th at 2.30 p. m. D. H. MURCHISON, Secretary. 8109-1-4-mw11fm61

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

PRINCE CHAP.—What is it? Comedy. Friday, January 8th.

"THE LOST PARADISE."—Rehearsals every afternoon and night this week for "The Lost Paradise" in the Y.M.C.A. Gymnasium. 8135

THE STANLEY.—The steamer Stanley docked in Georgetown on Saturday at 10.15 a.m., with thirty-six passengers, one hundred and eighty sacks of mail and forty-five tons of freight.

A DONATION.—Rev. Ewen McDougall each year since he has been a member of the Ladies of the Millview section of the congregation. A similar gift has been received by Mr. ... made Millview one of his preaching stations.

SUCCESSFUL WINNERS.—Among the prize winners in the Montreal Star's Symposium Contest the following Islander in class 6 the first prize \$40 was won by Rev. A. Craise, Charlottetown. In class 16 the third prize \$10 was won by Mrs. Mary McD. McQuarrie, Summerside.

MAYOR SELLER AGAIN ELECTED.—There has probably not been as much interest taken in our elections since the beginning of the town as there was on Monday last when Mr. Lemuel A. Seller was elected for a third term by the majority of seven over Mr. Ted Edwards the vote was one of the largest ever polled here, practically every available vote being out, and it is indeed gratifying to see the citizens take such an interest in our municipal affairs. Mountaineer Strassburg, Sask. Mr. Seller above referred to is a native of Charlottetown.

EXAMINATION.—The regular school examination of Hampshire School took place on Wednesday, Dec. 2nd. The school house, which had been prettily decorated for the occasion, was well filled with interested parents and ratepayers. The different classes were offered by Messrs. J. F. Ethel Morrison, and the teacher, Miss Addie McNeill. The pupils, by their prompt and intelligent answers, showed great interest in their work and gave evidence of the careful training which they were receiving under the guidance of their teacher, Miss McNeill. After the distribution of the prizes, Santa Claus made his appearance on the scene, and treated all present to candy and apples. After several speeches, all showing their appreciation of the good work done, the proceedings were brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

PRINCE CHAP.—What is it? Tragedy. Friday, January 8th.

"THE LOST PARADISE."—The exchange tickets for "The Lost Paradise" are going like hot cakes. 8135

CALENDAR RECEIVED.—The Guardian desires to thank the Island City Printing Co., for a very beautiful calendar entitled "I'll take care of you."

FULL CARGOES.—The winter boats are handling full cargoes both ways and there seems to be a lot of freight moving.

PLEASANTLY ENTERTAINED.—Rev. L. J. and Mrs. Leard entertained a number of the young people of the neighborhood at the Parsonage, Pleasant Valley on Wednesday evening, Dec. 30th. After a very pleasant evening spent in music and games of various kinds refreshments were served to the guests. After a vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Leard for the pleasant evening, moved by Mr. Hugh McKay and seconded by Mr. James Murray, had been tendered the guests joined in singing "God Save the King," and repaired to their homes in the early hours of the morning.

ENTERTAINMENT.—The Sunday School and Mission Band of Pleasant Valley Methodist Church gave a very fine entertainment of Christmas music recitations and exercises on the evening of Tuesday, Dec. 22nd. The church was crowded and gave the best of attention while the young folk went through the various parts of the program. The pastor, Rev. L. J. Leard acted as chairman. After the program had been concluded a well laden Christmas tree was stripped and the numerous gifts distributed. A neat sum was realized for Sunday School and Mission Band purposes, but best of all the people were reminded of the great Christmas Gift to our world.

AUGUSTINE COVE.—Mr. Willard Leard is building a new saw for Mr. Richard Cameron, who expects to be rushing trade this winter. Mr. Charles Buxton, Inspector of Public Schools, is spending his Xmas holidays in Cape Traverse. Mr. Charles Inman, an enterprising young man of Augustine Cove, has opened up a repair shop and is now ready to receive any customers. Mr. Elmer Dawson has purchased a new driving horse, and hopes to be among the winners at the ice races to be held shortly on the Cape Traverse River. The many friends of Mr. Frank McFarlane, are pleased to see him around again after having been confined to his home by a severe attack of the mumps. Clark and his wife, Augustine Cove, have taken the contract of painting the interior of Cape Traverse High School.—W.

WELCOME VISITORS.—Many students and old residents of Tryon are again spending the holiday season. Miss Helen Young, of P. V. C., Harold Howatt, of P. W. C., Miss Helen Reid, of Mount Allison, and Earl McPhee, principal of Sackville High School are at home for the holidays. Everett Bell, of McGill University, has also been in Tryon for Christmas and leaves on Friday for Montreal, where he enters training for the Medical Corps. He expects to go to the front in the early part of February. John Hodgson and son, Lea, of Kinistino, Sask., are spending a few weeks with friends here. A. Poy, of the same place, is visiting his father, Mr. Phillip Poy. Mr. Hodgson and Mr. Poy have been away for several years and they received "the glad hand" from their hosts of friends upon their return. U.

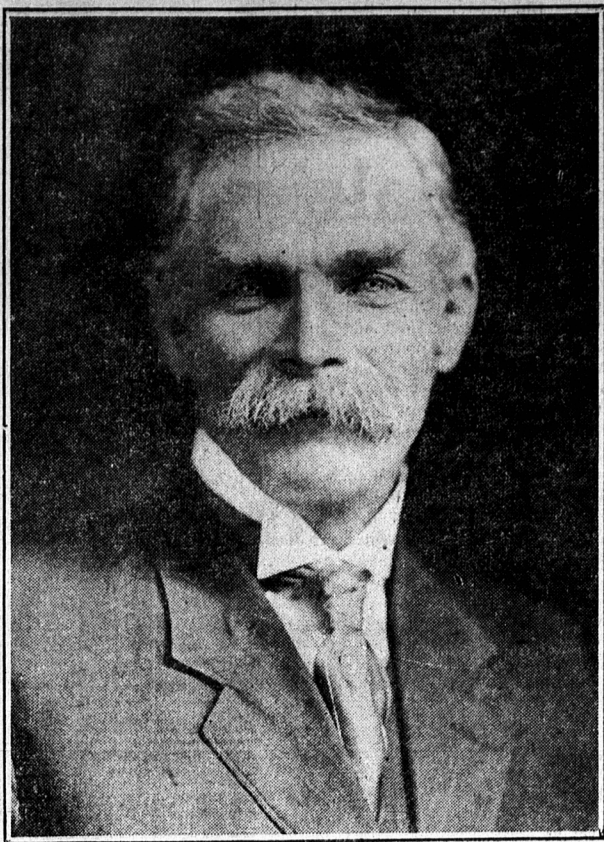
SLIGHT FIRE.—The fire bell rang about 8.30 Friday evening for a slight blaze in the residence of Mr. Charles Chandler, Pownal street. It appears that the maid was looking for some clothing in her room, and had lighted a match to find it. This match had lain for some time smouldering in some inflammable cotton goods, which, after the girl had left the house, developed into quite a blaze. Mrs. Chandler, who was alone at the time, noticed the smoke, and after searching for some time, discovered the attic and the upstairs were black with smoke, and she got a glimpse of fire upon opening the maid's bedroom door. Mrs. Chandler at once gave the alarm and owing to her promptness and presence of mind, and the assistance of neighbors, what might have been a terrible conflagration was prevented. The fire was extinguished with a few buckets of water, and although the firemen were promptly on hand, their services were not necessary.

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MR. CHARLES DALTON.

DIED SUDDENLY.—Mrs. R. H. Shaw died suddenly at her home at 48 Grafton Street, Charlottetown, yesterday afternoon, of apoplexy. She was 48 years of age. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed, but announcement will be made later.

DIED SATURDAY.—The death occurred in the P. E. Island Hospital, Charlottetown, on Saturday morning of Miss Laura, daughter of Mr. Freeman Muttart, of Bothwell. The deceased, who was fourteen years of age, leaves to mourn a sorrowing father, two sisters, Misses Elsie and Frances and one brother, Mr. Edward Muttart. To the bereaved is extended sincere sympathy.

BANQUET.—Mr. C. J. Gallagher, Manager of the Prince Edward Theatre, tendered his staff a most enjoyable banquet at Mr. James Loneragan's parlors on Saturday night. Fourteen persons sat down to a sumptuous repast got up and served in Mr. Loneragan's well known and excellent manner. Mr. Gallagher's kindness was greatly appreciated, and Mr. Calvert, on behalf of the staff, thanked Mr. Gallagher eulogising him for his most genial qualities and great abilities as a theatrical manager. Mr. Gallagher responded fittingly.

HONOUR ROLL.—The following is the Honour Roll of Emyvale School for the month of December. Principal's Department. Grade VII.—1, Jeanette Coady; 2, Louis Callaghan. Grade VI.—1, Susie Curley; 2, Sarah Hogan; 3, Bertha Murray. Grade V.—1, Mary Murray; 2, Rose Hagan; 3, Alice Hagan. Grade IV.—1, Walter Coady; 2, George McMillan; 3, Loretta Hagan. Primary Department. Grade III.—1, Teresa Clarkin; 2, Stephen Connolly; 3, Ada Griffin. Grade II.—(Senior)—1, Lima Murray; 2, Ida Coady; 3, James Callaghan. Grade II.—(Junior)—1, Rose McCardle; 2, Mathias Murray. Grade I.—1, Mary McCloskey; 2, Martina Hagan; 3, Frank Duff.

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ISLAND PRIEST FOR FRONT.—The Rev. Father McQuillan, of St. Mary's Cathedral, Halifax, has been appointed chaplain for the second contingent of the Canadian Catholic soldiers, and will go with them when they sail, says the Catholic Register. Father McQuillan is a native of Charlottetown.

SPECIAL SERVICES.—The services in the Methodist Church, Pleasant Valley, on Sunday morning, Dec. 27th, was in a special sense a Christmas service. The special Christmas service under the leadership of Miss Nina Sharp, the efficient organist, was particularly good. The Rev. L. J. to the Christmas season, taking as Leard preached a sermon appropriate his text Luke 2:13-14.

EXCELLENT BEHAVIOUR.—The following, taken from the Antigonish Casket, speaks for itself:—"Hockey players and football players when away from home, playing rival teams, often so conduct themselves that they are deemed a nuisance in the places visited, creating much noise at the hotels wherein they are guests, and otherwise misbehaving. We are requested by the proprietor of the Royal George Hotel to publicly testify to the fine conduct of the young men that were here from St. Dunstan's College, Charlottetown. They were a quiet, gentlemanly aggregation—their demeanor being a fine advertisement to the good training received at their college."

NORTH RUSTICO.—The semi-annual examination of North Rustico school on December the 23rd, was a pleasing and profitable event. The school room was inspiring being nicely decorated with evergreen entwined with fancy bells and roses and adorned with the motto "A Happy Xmas to all". There were thirty-two scholars and a number of visitors present. The examination was conducted by the teacher assisted by Mr. Oliver Bernard and Mrs. B. C. Woolner. The pupils acquitted themselves well and gave evidence of diligence and interest in their work. An enjoyable feature was a well rendered program from a number of the scholars, who gave good selections in readings, recitations and singing which were much appreciated by all. The teacher and the scholars were complimented by many of the visitors who expressed entire satisfaction in the progress of the pupils. The scholars then presented their teacher Margaret L. Brown, with a valuable fountain pen and the following address was read by Gladys MacKenzie, one of the pupils: Dear Teacher:—Once again the Xmas season is with us and we are glad to meet our parents and friends at our public examination. I have been asked by my fellow pupils to read you these few lines expressing in some measure our appreciation of your services as an energetic and inspiring teacher. In the short time you have been with us you have endeared yourself to all by your kindly manner and your earnest desire to assist us in our studies. We trust that the good feeling that exists between us may prove an incentive to greater diligence on our part and so reward you for your efforts on our behalf. Kindly accept the accompanying gift as a slight token of our lasting love and esteem. The teacher suitably acknowledged her appreciation of the gift and treated her pupils with nuts and candy and closed school for the Xmas holidays.

THE EMPRESS OF IRELAND'S FUND TOTALS \$427,000

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The Empress of Ireland fund, which closes today, now totals approximately \$427,000 of which \$24,000 passed through the hands of the lord mayor of London; \$125,000 through the hands of the lord mayor of Liverpool, and \$65,000 was forwarded by the board of trade of Montreal. In addition the sum of \$2,978 has just been forwarded by the Quebec board of trade to Colonel Pelletier, agent-general, this including a contribution of \$500 from H. R. H., the Duke of Connaught. The fund will be administered by two committees from the public trustee office, one for the passengers and the other for the crew and relatives. A committee will probably be appointed in Montreal to deal with Canadian claimants, although the English claimants are greatly in the majority.

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