

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

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ONE WHO FIGURED IN HISTORIC EVENTS.

A highly interesting recital of historic events at which he was present as a participator was furnished by our esteemed fellow-citizen, F. W. Hyndman in the Patriot of Tuesday last. It seems remarkable that one so youthful appearing should be reciting from memory events so long ago as fifty-four years. Yet in 1856 Mr. Hyndman was in the British naval service, along with the late Capt. Orlebar, making Admiralty surveys along the coasts of Newfoundland and Cape Breton for the information of the Anglo American Cable Company. Later on board the tender of the Gulnaire he piloted the cable ship which put down the cable connecting Newfoundland with Cape Breton the first link in connecting America with Europe. And in 1860 under Capt. Orlebar he assisted in piloting H. M. S. Hero, with the Prince of Wales, (now King Edward) on board, from St. John's, N. F. to Quebec on the occasion of the Prince's historic visit to Canada.

In the following year, 1861 he made further surveys of the Island of Belle Isle and the harbor of Heart's Content and assisted in laying the shore end of the Atlantic cable at the latter point. Four years later while serving on Admiral Hope's flag ship,

the Duncan, he assisted in suppressing the negro rebellion in Jamaica, and in 1866 took part in preventing Fenian attacks upon the Maritime Provinces, for which service he holds the Fenian Raid 1866 medal issued by the British Government. In 1867, the year of Confederation, Mr. Hyndman served for nine months in Nelson's famous flagship, the Victory. Then for some time he was engaged on Admiralty surveys in the Mediterranean, visiting Egypt, the Holy Land, the site of Carthage and many famous spots of ancient renown. He was present at the historic opening of the Suez Canal, in which a number of the crowned heads of Europe participated, and later had the distinction of paying the first canal dues in that great canal. Mr. Hyndman retired from the naval service in August, 1870, almost forty years ago.

It may be questioned whether any resident of Prince Edward Island has participated in so many great events of international import as has Mr. Hyndman. There will be a very general desire that he may yet give in more detailed and permanent form a record of his many remarkable experiences which, we feel, would be of great interest and value.

IN THE FAR SOUTHERN COMMONWEALTH.

The Australian Commonwealth has now been in existence nine years and is flourishing. The revenue is steadily increasing. The great northern territories of the island continent

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are about to be acquired and opened up as Canada acquired and developed the Hudson Bay Territory. Transcontinental railways are projected across the vast expanse east and west, north and south, of at present unoccupied regions, after the Canadian manner.

Lord Kitchener is now in Australia giving counsel of the federal authorities in matters of defence and has strongly urged the construction of the great projected trunk railways on military grounds. Australia is very zealous in the matter of sharing in Imperial defence by sea and land. Her naval program includes one armed cruiser of the Indomitable class, three unarmored cruisers of the Bristol class, six destroyers and three submarines. These with the necessary auxiliary vessels will require a complement of 2,300 officers and men. The Paramatta, a torpedo boat destroyer of this fleet unit, was launched at Glasgow on the 9th February, and was christened by Mrs. Asquith, wife of the British Premier. There were thousands present, including many persons of note at the launching. In performing the naming ceremony Mrs. Asquith said: "First born of the Commonwealth Navy, I name you Paramatta. May you uphold the glorious traditions of the British Navy in the Dominions overseas." She then broke a bottle of Australian wine across the bow of the vessel.

Under Lord Kitchener's counsel the provisions made for Australian land defence will be extensive and complete. The army of the Commonwealth is to be self-supporting in all particulars. There is to be no dependence on Europe either for weapons, stores, ammunition or the skilled human expert. Naval and military colleges, horse-breeding stations, small arms and cartridge factories are to be established. The territorial force of the Commonwealth will be led by Australian officers, armed with Australian guns and cartridges and mounted on Australian horses. And behind these material preparations for defence there is an abundance of patriotic imperial ardor.

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IS CHARLOTTETOWN A CHEAP FOOD PLACE?

The Labor Gazette for February publishes a comparative list of the retail prices of various food commodities as they were on the 15th January last in fifteen Canadian cities from Halifax to Victoria. We subjoin the prices quoted for Charlottetown followed by the range of prices in other cities:

- Sirloin steak 15 cents; 12 1/2 to 22 cents. Bacon 15 cents; 18 to 30 cents. Mutton 12 cents; 6 to 15 cents. Lard 18 cents; 15 to 22 cents. Eggs 30 cents; 35 to 60 cents. Milk 5 cents; 6 to 12 cents. Dairy Butter 23 cents; 23 to 31 cents. Potatoes per bag 60 cents; 40 to \$1.40 cents.

Generally speaking the prices here were something under the average of fourteen other cities, and, of course, considerably so as compared with the Northwest and British Columbia. But beef steak was cheaper in Kingston than here, and no higher in Montreal, Ottawa or Calgary, mutton cheaper in Hamilton and only half our prices in Winnipeg, while potatoes were lower in both Ottawa and Kingston than in our potato-growing Island. Bacon, eggs and milk were three articles in which prices were quoted a fraction lower than in fourteen other cities. If the Northwest and British Columbia cities are left out of account it will be found that the retail prices for the products included in the table above are very little lower than in other Canadian cities. Island farmers are certainly getting from the consumers in this market all that people in moderate circumstances can afford to pay.

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The South African Veterans in St. John will celebrate Paardeberg by a dinner on Monday evening, February 28th. As this is the tenth anniversary of the famous battle, they will endeavor to make it a "red letter" demonstration. The lapse of time seems not to have abated the ardor of the St. John Veterans.

It is to be hoped that time may be found during the current session of the Legislature to adopt a measure for the better care of neglected and dependent children who may be brought before the courts. Under the Dominion Act power is now given the Provinces to establish juvenile courts, such as have proved of excellent service in other lands, which courts can co-operate with the Children's Aid Society for the better care of delinquent little ones.

Col. McLean, M. P. for Queens-Sunbury, has a plan of his own for a Canadian navy. He is a pronounced Liberal, but would combine features of both the Government and Opposition plans. He advises the construction of a complete "fleet unit," including one or two battleship type cruisers of the Indomitable type. He would make a larger, holder and more costly beginning than the Government has proposed. The Conservative Hamilton Spectator approves Col. McLean's proposals in the main and suggests a compromise between the party leaders on this basis.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's health is again causing some concern. He is said to be feeling the strain of his hard work and cares, although he has been more robust in recent years than in the earlier period of his Premiership. Sir Wilfrid is yet a comparatively young man compared with such veterans as Sir Charles Tupper, and has always taken care of himself. Sir John Macdonald twice appealed to the country after he had attained Sir Wilfrid's present age, and there seems no apparent reason why the Premier may not remain at the head of his party for many years to come, as all will hope he may.

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