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Mr. Bernard DesRoches, representing Messrs. McLean Bros., Charlottetown, was here this week on business.

Mr. B. W. Taylor who for the past year was travelling salesman for the Baird Drug Co. in Nova Scotia and P. E. Island has taken a position with Messrs. Beatty Bros., Ltd., St. John, N. B.

Mrs. R. H. Baxter was a visitor to the city on Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Johnson, Charlottetown, was here on Wednesday attending to the large class of pupils which she has organized for piano instruction.

The United congregation of Cavendish, New Glasgow, North Ruston and Stanley is to be congratulated on the acceptance of a call by Rev. Mr. Jackson, Lorneville, N. B., as he comes highly recommended by the Presbytery of New Brunswick in which he has labored. His induction will take place in the course of a few weeks.

Friends are glad to know that Miss Agatha McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pascal McDonald, and for some time past satisfactorily with Messrs. R. T. Holman, Ltd., Summerside, is steadily improving after a serious illness of pleuropneumonia.

After being closed since November on account of smallpox cases in the District, the local school reopened on Monday, all necessary precautions having been taken by way of vaccination of all the scholars and fumigation of the school. Church activities will not be resumed for the present.

Mr. William Buchanan of the Fredericton Section of the P. E. I. Ry., has been appointed foreman of the Albany Section. His family will remove to Albany shortly to make their home there.

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Inter-Imperial Preferential Trade

(W. L. COTTON)

The recent development of the radio and the aeroplane, the fact that men in London can now converse with men in Ottawa and arrive in Canada one day and arrive in Canada the next—the amazing means of communication and transportation now available—have combined to completely change the conditions in which the Dominions and Colonies of our Empire and the world at large can transact business and live and act towards each other. Arrangements which, a few years ago had never been dreamed of, are now practicable. It has been said that "one touch of nature makes the whole world kin;" but with more truth and aptness it may now be said that the whole world is now practically within speaking distance and in daily or hourly communication. Consequently it is now possible to do that which was before impossible. It is possible for leaders of National Governments and managers of National Banks, and for other guides and directors of the world's commerce and affairs to act in unison and to cooperate to the mutual advantage of the people of the countries they represent. It may now, therefore, be hoped that measures will be adopted and action taken to the end that there may be a closer union of the various nations and colonies which comprise the British Empire and that the various foreign nations of the civilized world will trade with each other upon better terms than they do at present. It may now be made evident that "all within the four seas are brethren," for all have means for instant communication and for rapid transportation.

This seems to be a good time for the leaders in the Mother Country and throughout the Dominions to prepare to lead the way—to set a good example to the foreign nations of the world. Just now all of Europe and a great part of Asia, are in a state of political, commercial and economic confusion; and the United States holds steadily to protective and prohibitive Customs duties, while China seems just now determined to have nothing more to do with British or other "foreigners." For the rest the countries comprising the British Commonwealth of Nations are the only ones that can carry on business on terms and conditions that are at all favorable.

The good understanding lately arrived at by those who attended the last Imperial Conference has opened the way for the larger Inter-Imperial trade now particularly desirable by all the members of the British Commonwealth. If an arrangement to that end were entered into, Canada, lying in the path of Commerce between the East and the West, would occupy a position of importance. Her twenty-two thousand miles of National Railway, together with the P. E. I. Ry. and with steamship traversing the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans would carry East and West to the best markets the products of her farms, factories, forests and mines, and afford the best means of transportation for the products of other members of the British Commonwealth. As it is of the first importance to Canada that her railways shall become self-sustaining, so it is of the first importance that trade between the East and the West, to the extent that is possible, be directed from the United States to Canada. The people of Canada, with their railway directors and their governments and parliaments should therefore unite in the promotion of industrial and commercial co-operation with the other members of the world-wide Commonwealth to which they belong.

Inter-Imperial trade in its fullest extent will, of course, involve some change in the trade policy of the Mother Country. But existing conditions and circumstances have already caused a change therein in the direction needed by the other members of the Commonwealth; if the United States and the European countries maintain their protective and prohibitive tariff Great Britain will be forced in the interests of her manufacturers to afford advantages to those British Dominions and Colonies which give preference to her products, and so promote the trade and wealth of the Empire at large.

SEA VIEW

Twenty seven members and three visitors met at the home of Mrs. Stanford Pickering. Meeting opened by singing the Institute Hymn and reading the minutes of the last meeting. Reports were read from school and sick committees. Bills were paid. Entertainment followed. New work undertaken was Hall improvements, \$2.00 donated for Hall stove. Special collection of \$3.10, and fees \$125. Next meeting at the home of Miss Steele in Collins.

ST. CATHERINES

This Institute met at the home of Mrs. W. H. Morrow. 9 members and 3 visitors were present. Roll Call was answered with "Numbers for a Pilgrimage; programme is to be held after the business meeting. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. A donation of money and a box of trail eggs were presented by the P. E. I. Ry. Hospital. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Hector McNeill.

EAST BIDEFORD

Met at the home of Mrs. G. S. Sharpe. 6 members and 25 visitors were present. Meeting opened by singing the Institute Hymn. Roll Call was answered with "Numbers for a Pilgrimage; programme is to be held after the business meeting. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. A donation of money and a box of trail eggs were presented by the P. E. I. Ry. Hospital. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Hector McNeill.

MT. PLEASANT

The regular monthly meeting of the Mt. Pleasant Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Rainey. 10 members and two visitors were present. Meeting opened by singing the Institute Hymn. Roll Call was answered with "Numbers for a Pilgrimage; programme is to be held after the business meeting. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. A donation of money and a box of trail eggs were presented by the P. E. I. Ry. Hospital. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Hector McNeill.

LAKEVIEW

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MAGNIFICENT TRIBUTE

"Someone has said," remarked the presiding elder, "that a man is not wholly bad if his dog has confidence in him."

"If that's the case, I'm sure all right," returned Gap Johnson, of Rumney Bridge, Ark. "I've got thirteen dogs and they all 'pear to think well of me."

SO SHORT OF BREATH SHE COULD HARDLY DO HER HOUSEWORK

Mrs. Nelson Moore, Milford, Ont., writes:—"I had heard and nerve trouble, and became so short of breath I could hardly do my housework, and was so nervous every little sound I heard felt like a shock to me. A friend of mine recommended

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INSTITUTES OF P. E. ISLAND REPORTS OF WOMEN'S

MOUNT CARMEL The members of this institute met at the home of Mrs. J. T. Richard, 15 members and 10 visitors were present. Meeting opened with the Roll Call. Minutes of the Annual Meeting were then read and signed by the President. Committees of two members from each of the three Districts were appointed to visit the schools. It was decided to have a cooking contest at the next meeting. Meetings are to be held on the second Monday of each month. A society was planned to make handkerchiefs for the needy. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Stanislaus Gallant.

ST. PETER'S NORTH This Institute met at the home of Mrs. E. J. May 11 members and 4 visitors were present. A demonstration was given by W. K. D. Belmont. "Cooking vegetables without Water and Prying Griddle cakes without Fat." A guessing contest was enjoyed. Mrs. Baxter sang the prize. All bills pertaining to the new veranda on school and the coal bills were paid to the amount of \$79.66. One new member was enrolled. Discussion to any insurance on the school took place. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Canna.

PLEASANT CIRCLE The members of this Institute met at the home of Mrs. Keough. 11 members and 3 visitors were present. In the absence of the Pres. the Vice-pres. presided. Meeting opened with the Ode. Minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. Letters were read from the Albany Dramatic Society, suggesting that the proceeds of the Play "The Man from Toronto" be donated to the institute. This was heartily agreed to by all. A committee was appointed to buy \$5.00 worth of Fancy Work to be made up and a box of trail eggs etc. was presented by the P. E. I. Ry. Hospital. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. George MacKay.

GREENWICH Met at the home of Miss Anna Sutherland. 10 members and 2 visitors were present. Meeting opened by singing the Institute Hymn. Roll Call was answered with "Numbers for a Pilgrimage; programme is to be held after the business meeting. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. A donation of money and a box of trail eggs were presented by the P. E. I. Ry. Hospital. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Hector McNeill.

ALMA, LOT 13 The members of this Institute met at the home of Mrs. J. P. Wallace. 10 members and 1 visitor were present. Meeting opened with the Institute Hymn. Roll Call was answered with "Numbers for a Pilgrimage; programme is to be held after the business meeting. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. A donation of money and a box of trail eggs were presented by the P. E. I. Ry. Hospital. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Hector McNeill.

STANGHEE This Institute met at the home of Mrs. James Priz. 5 members were present. Meeting opened by singing the Ode. Vice President presided. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The Teachers' Guild was authorized to purchase a Muscular Movement Rack at the expense of the Inst. It was decided to hold a Bear Supper in the School as soon as possible, proceeds to get new maps for the school. Music and singing followed. Meeting closed with the National Anthem. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. James Graham.

NEW PERTH Met at the home of Mrs. George Martin. 6 members and 5 visitors were present. Meeting opened by reading of the Creed. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. The New Year Greeting from the Department was read and appreciated. An enjoyable lunch was served by the hostess, after which a social time was spent. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. R. G. MacLaren.

MT. ALBION Met at the home of Mrs. Robert Jenkins. 17 members and 6 visitors were present. Meeting opened with the Ode and the Creed. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Mrs. Hedley Jenkins reported a great many needs for the school, such as a dust pan, coal shovel, brooks for clothing, lamp and other articles. The Treasurer was given permission to buy the articles and present the bill at the next meeting. Mrs. Henry Jenkins was appointed Convener for Home Industries. Box Social was decided on to be held January 18 in Hall. A gift of \$2.00 was given to Mrs. Beawell Jenkins for loaning the organ for the School concert. \$3.00 was paid for work done on the school, making a cupboard for mugs and a stand for Water Tank. Mrs. Bertha Brown forwarded us with a Solo. Mrs. B. Jenkins with a read. Three members were awarded, making a total of 19. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Beawell Jenkins.

SPRINGHILL The members of this Institute met in the Schoolhouse. 9 members and 2 visitors were present. Meeting opened with the Roll Call. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. A donation of money and a box of trail eggs were presented by the P. E. I. Ry. Hospital. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Hector McNeill.

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HELPING HAND Met at the home of Mrs. MacLean. Lewis, 5 members and one visitor were present. Meeting opened with the Ode and the Creed. Roll Call answered with the New Year Resolutions. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Members paid their dues. Committees were appointed. Correspondence was read and responded to. Mrs. J. E. D. Rose was asked to ask Mr. Vernon to join with us since their own Institute was disbanded. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Sinclair.

MONTAGE 28 members and 3 visitors met in the new school. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Mrs. Garrett gave a school report and Mrs. Reynolds reported on the sick committee. New committees were appointed.



Sir Thomas Willes Chitty, senior master of the king's bench of England, now in America, who says a careful campaign of education is reducing drinking in England.

Meeting opened with the Institute Hymn. Minutes were read and adopted. Roll Call answered with quotations from Favorite Authors. Bills were ordered paid. The sum of \$37.76 was realized. It was decided to have a cupboard placed in the school for dishes for staying something hot to the children at noon. Rev. Mr. MacGowan was asked to give an address to the members on some interesting topic. Baskets or plates were to be sold after the lecture. Two new members were enrolled. Next meeting in the schoolhouse.

HARMONY Nine members and six visitors were present at the monthly meeting of this Institute. Meeting opened with the Ode and the Creed. Roll Call answered with Riddles. Business followed after which a social hour was spent. Lunch was served by the National Antic. Three new members were enrolled.

MIDDLETON This Institute met at the home of Mrs. Jas. MacCrade. 12 members and 8 visitors were present. Minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. Bills contracted for the school children's Christmas Tree was paid. It was decided to donate to the Prince County Hospital a pair of wool blankets. Members are getting in a way for the purpose of raising funds. A vestment party is being prepared for the next meeting. Two new members were enrolled. A musical programme in which Mrs. Elliot Wright gave some delightful instrumental selections may be instrumental due, followed the business of the meeting. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. F. T. Bradshaw.

DONALDSTON The members of this Institute met at the home of a member. 13 members and 2 visitors were present. Meeting opened with a Sing-song. It was decided to hold an entertainment in the Hall for the purpose of raising funds.

Outlook Encouraging For England

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, Jan. 28.—I do not remember the time when throughout the country's industries there was such a feeling of expectation, indeed of optimism as there is now, declared Sir Harry Gochen, director of the National Provincial Bank in addressing shareholders of the bank today. Reports on all sides were of better prospects. Sir Harry said. Order books were fuller, but what was of far more importance was that "both capital and labor seem to be beginning to understand that they are interdependent and must face the future hand in hand." Sir Harry added that increased taxation seemed inevitable.

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Belfast And Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. James R. MacLeod was visiting at Mr. and Mrs. William MacWilliams last week.

Mr. MacLeor of Charlottetown, the Rawleigh Agent has made his round trip through Belfast and vicinity for the month of January.

Mrs. William MacWilliams of Ocean View is now spending a few days among relatives in Phoenix.

The stock visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Caroleo of Plinette, on January 18th and presented them with a bouncing baby boy. Heart congratulations.

The many friends of Mr. John Norman Gibbs of Pointe Priu, are pleased to have their esteemed friend among them once again after spending several months in the P. E. Island Hospital with a severe attack of Typhoid Fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ross of Roseberry were visiting in Charlottetown last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Ross.



Arthur Consoy, former Labor under-secretary for foreign affairs in London, who is on his way to America to lecture on the prevention of war.

Railwaymen Pay For Strike

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The general strike in May last cost the national union of railwaymen a million pounds. An additional levy is now to be made on members of three pence a week, and members are disposed to criticize this imposition. To answer the criticisms a statement appears in the Railway Review, the official organ of the union, showing there is now money but the weekly income of the union with which to meet the daily call for members' assistance. Two weeks ago, for the first time since the general strike, the union received more money in a week than it paid out.

Army Officers Raise Protest

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, Jan. 28.—Former army officers are up in arms and protesting vigorously against the London county council's resolution that ex-officers in its employ, above the rank of captain, should be given their full titles and any letters after their name to which they are entitled in official correspondence. They were never consulted upon the resolution they declare. The clerk of the council has been censured under by applications requesting that the new regulation should not be enforced.

MALPEQUE

Rev. D. M. Grant left on Monday morning for Boularderie, C. B., to visit his father who is seriously ill.

Mrs. D. Gordon, Georgetown is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. MacGougan, Malpeque.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woodside arrived home on Saturday evening after a month's visit to friends in Boston.

Mrs. George F. Beairstone left on Tuesday for Summerside where she will be the guest of the Misses Hunt.

Mr. Paul Harding, Summerside, representing the Deley Lighting Co was a visitor to Malpeque on Tuesday.

HARVEST RECORD PREDICTED

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Seven hundred men are already applied for passage to Canada from Dundee alone, all anxious for work in the harvest season. This record indicates that emigration to the Dominion from the old country next spring will swamp all previous figures.

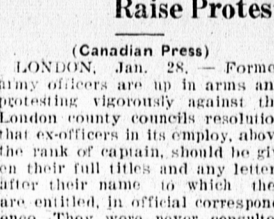
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