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THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

THE MAILS.—Three days mail were received in Charlottetown on Saturday, mail from the Minto and Stanley and mail by the Capes arriving; the latter at 3 p.m. and the former at 7 p.m.

OUTGOING SPECIALS.—Special trains left Charlottetown last evening at 8.45 o'clock for Cape Traverse, with mails, and Georgetown with passengers, express, etc., for the Stanley, which leaves Georgetown this morning at 7 o'clock.

PEOPLE'S THEATRE.—“The Million Dollar Mystery” was shown at the People's Theatre on Saturday night to a crowded house, and its excellence more than compensated for its delay in arriving at Charlottetown. This number of the Mystery fairly takes the palm for the invention of diabolical traps and ingenious escape (the same, and hard-fought games of wits between Norton, the reporter, and the Black Gang results, as usual, in the victory of the hero's lover. “The Million Dollar Mystery” will be shown to-night at the first show only, and those who don't see it will miss a rare treat.

HOME, SWEET HOME.—The much looked for photograph, Home, Sweet Home, arriving at Charlottetown by the Georgetown special on Saturday at 7 p.m. and was shown at the Prince Edward Theatre on Saturday night. Extraordinarily large houses saw it and voted it one of the grandest productions ever put on in Charlottetown. It is a life drama—a heroic lover within a play—showing the birth of the famous song, “Home, Sweet Home,” a portion of the life of its author, John Howard Payne, and the effects of the song on the lives, actions and morals of many people. It's cast embraces the entire acting personnel of the Reliance Company, and includes 25 of the foremost stars of the day. It is a play, like the song, that will not be forgotten, but it must be seen to be appreciated. It can be seen at the matinee this afternoon and at the show to-night, when everyone, as one is a play, should witness it and enjoy one of the greatest treats ever offered in motion pictures in Charlottetown.

COST OF LIVING HERE ON DOWN GRADE.

OTTAWA, Jan. 16.—It will be encouraging to Canadian householders to know that despite the war the cost of living is going down. The Department of Labor keeps tabs on prices throughout the country and its monthly review of the situation shows that there has been a considerable drop the past couple of months.

During these few months previous to the outbreak of war there had been a sag in prices. The declaration of hostilities, with the complete disturbance of business and its resulting conditions, was immediately followed by a jump in prices. This kept up for a couple of months, and since then prices have been gradually going back to normal, so that to-day prices as a whole are almost identical with a year ago.

The index articles which have gone down in price are meats and animal products, furs, textiles, drugs and chemicals. On the other hand the past month has seen an increase in the price of grains, fodder, dairy products, fish and hides.

Report on prices are measured by index figures, based upon the average price from 230 to 272 selected commodities in the period of 1890 to 1899. The average price during these years is represented by a hundred. Compared with these prices the index a year ago was 137. Today is 127.3, so that the average cost of living is almost identical with a year ago. When war was declared the index had gone down to 135. This jumped after the war to 140, five points, and is now back to the figure of a year ago.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

VICTORIA.

Geo. S. Oxley, Quebec; T. Oscar Lanscott, Rock Island; B. H. Ford, A. B. Burns, St. John; J. McLaren, B. Lob, Toronto; F. L. Rogers, Alberton; Miss E. Lourie, Fort William, Ont.; G. O. Atteiler, H. A. Bassette, Geo. E. Forbes, Montreal; J. H. Storrier, New York City; N. J. Norman, Moncton; D. F. Griffith, Hamilton; E. A. Hiltz, Halifax.

AIREDALE THE BEST DOG IN THE TRENCHES.

LONDON, January 2.—(Correspondence)—The finest military dog is the Airedale, in the opinion of Major E. H. Richardson, a breeder of war dogs, who was in charge of a pack of blood hounds with the Belgian army until they were lost in the disaster at Mons.

He says the Airedale can stand any climate, is second to none in faithfulness and intelligence, has powers of hearing and scent remarkably acute and is the right size, whether used on sentry duty, scouting, searching for the wounded or as a messenger or ammunition carrier.

“He can hear 300 yards farther than a man and knows friend from foe by the smell,” says Major Richardson. A man's smell depends upon what he eats, so a dog can tell the difference between British, French and Germans even when dressed in the same kind of clothes.

An officer wrote to the Major in regard to one of his dogs: “Don was blown twenty yards by a bursting shell. He was not even scared. He declined to face the music any more until after a lot of coaxing, when he went back on night duty, watching and listening in the trenches with the intentness of the most seasoned sentry, aided further by a sense of sight and smell that was almost uncanny.”

SPEECHES MUST GIVE WAY TO VOICE OF CANNON

PARIS, January 14.—“Speeches must give way to the voice of cannon. The country is with you; there is nothing for parliament to do but to keep still when France is invaded.” With these words M. Delahaye, in the senate today, demanded the postponement of all discussion on the war situation. This caused a great stir, and protests on the part of several members. Premier Viviani expressed regret that such language had been used, but some of M. Delahaye's colleagues upheld him. After a brief but lively debate the motion for postponement was defeated.

ORILLIA GETS CONTRACT FOR 20,000 SHRAPNEL SHELLS.

ORILLIA, Ont., Jan. 17.—The Fisher Motor Company, Limited, has received an order from the British War Office for finishing 20,000 shrapnel shells. The rough castings will be supplied, and the remainder of the work, except filling with explosive, will be done in Orillia. The contract will give employment to fifty men for three months.

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GLACE BAY WINS OVER NEW GLASGOW
(Special to The Guardian)
GLACE BAY, N. S., Jan. 17.—Glacé Bay's appearance in Maritime professional hockey was a brilliant success, for on Saturday night they won a decisive game from the New Glasgow Black Foxes, defeating that team by a score of 10 to 2.

FAST HORSES FOR THIS AFTERNOON'S RACING
Below is a list of the entries for the 2.15 and 2.30 class races to be held on the ice off Cut Street this afternoon, beginning at 1.30 o'clock sharp. Spectators are kindly asked to keep clear of the course and not confuse both drivers and judges. As will be seen by the entries, the two fastest local pacers come together, and a great race is certainly expected. Cherry Ripe, the world's fastest half-mile ice horse also starts, and although its cut of condition will make them step some to beat him, Frank I. is considered a regular bear on ice, but what Alfred K. and the rest of them will have to say in the matter you'll know better the following day. The two colts, Barney Mac and Caprecaus, the fast but erratic Queen Alto, also start, and closer finishes will surely be in evidence. Mr. Chas. Snow will act as patrol judge, and you may look to see “Snow” flying, as the patrolling will be done in Mr. Jack Davis's car. Following the races, a number of 2.15 Class—Hilda S., Helen R., and Cherry Ripe.
2.30 Class (mixed).—Frank I. Barney Mac, Alfred K., Queen Alto, and Caprecaus.
Farmers are notified to have their speed ready, as a big race is being got ready for them.

BRITISH NEED MORE MOTOR AMBULANCES.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—The need of more motor ambulances in Northern France are urged by Leo Scheff, of Ottawa, who has just returned from a trip to the front, in charge of sixty-five ambulances which were taken over for the use of the British Ambulance Committee. Mr. Scheff would like the Canadian provinces to contribute one each, as he declared that these ambulances are needed much more than the articles of clothing and other things supplied by the Government. He found many rich men helping personally to drive cars. He thinks the demand for ambulances will increase with the heavy fighting now going on in Alsace.

WASHINGTON WOMAN MARRIED TO PRINCE CHRISTIAN OF HESSE.

BERLIN, via London, Jan. 14.—Miss Elizabeth Reid Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reid Rogers, of Washington, D.C., was married at noon to-day in Trinity Church to Prince Christian of Hesse. The Prince is a nephew of the German Empress and is a captain in the German navy.

RELEXATION OF CENSORSHIP OVER OCEAN CABLES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Relaxation of the censorship exercised over the cables between the territory of the allied nations and that between those nations and neutral countries outside of Europe, including the United States, was announced here yesterday by the cable companies. This is to be accomplished by the use of specified codes under certain restrictions.

TRIPLE DROWNING IN OTTAWA RIVER.

VANKLEEK HILL, Ont., Jan. 16.—Mrs. Vinetta and child and a little child the daughter of Mrs. Cousineau, all of St. Thomas d'Alfred were drowned in the Ottawa river last night.

They were driving across the river in a sleigh, in which were nine adults and two children, when the team went through and all were thrown into the water. The two children were lost with Mrs. Vinetta. The other eight members of the party were saved, but bodies of Mrs. Vinetta and the Cousineau child have been recovered, and search parties are now looking for the other child. The children were about two months old.