

The Eastern Guardian

*IT PAYS to buy in this Province... *T. GORDON IVES is Guardian Representative in Montague.

*CAMERA.—Give the boy or girl a Brownie Camera, \$2.00 at Mabon's Drugstore.

*TEDDY BEARS.—Regular 60c. teddy bears while they last 39c. at Holman's, Summerside.

*PHOTO CALENDARS for all size snaps, Mabon's Drugstore.

*DOLLS AND TEDDY BEARS worth up to \$1 and \$1.25 for 79c. at Holman's, Summerside.

*TRINITY CHURCH.—Service at Holy Trinity Church, Georgetown next Sunday at 11 and 7. Rev. D. Jones officiating.

*DONKEY PARTY GAMES with 24 numbered balls usually sold at 20c. on sale now at 13c. at Holman's, Summerside.

*CHRISTMAS CLOSING.—The Souris High School has been tastefully decorated for the semi-annual examination which takes place Thursday morning.

*LADY SYBIL.—The S. S. Lady Sybil arrived in Souris on Saturday and left almost immediately for Picton. She makes the last trip of the season on Monday.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND CHANGE OF TIME.

Commencing Monday, December 27th, 1915, trains will run Sunday excepted as follows:— Mixed train will leave Charlottetown daily at 7.00 A.M., arriving at Summerside 10.00 A.M. Passenger train will leave Charlottetown daily at 1.45 P.M., arriving at Summerside 3.55 P.M., and Tignish 7.30 P.M.

Daily except Saturday a mixed train will leave Charlottetown at 3.00 P.M., arrive Mt. Stewart 4.40 P.M., Montague 6.20 P.M., Georgetown 7.05 P.M., Souris 7.45 P.M., and Elmira 8.55 P.M. Saturdays only a passenger train will leave Charlottetown 3.00 P.M., arriving Mt. Stewart 4.15 P.M., Montague 5.55 P.M., Georgetown 6.40 P.M., Souris 6.30 P.M., Elmira 7.35 P.M.

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays a mixed train will leave Tignish 7.50 A.M., arrive Summerside 12.15 P.M. Passenger train will leave Tignish daily 5.45 A.M., arrive Summerside 8.55.

Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays a passenger train will leave Summerside 9.15 A.M., arrive Charlottetown 11.30 A.M. Tuesdays and Fridays a mixed train will leave Summerside at 9.15 A.M., arrive Charlottetown 12.10 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursdays and Saturdays a mixed train will leave Summerside at 11.30 A.M., arrive Tignish at 5.00 P.M. Mondays and Fridays a mixed train will leave Cape Traverse at 7 A.M., arrive Emerald Jct. 7.50 A.M., Charlottetown 10.10 A.M. Returning will leave Charlottetown 2.50 P.M., arrive Emerald Jct. 4.55 P.M., Cape Traverse 5.50 P.M.

Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays a mixed train will leave Cape Traverse at 8.00 A.M., arrive Emerald Jct. at 8.50 P.M. connecting there with trains for Summerside and Charlottetown. Returning will leave Emerald Jct. at 3.35 P.M. arrive Cape Traverse 4.25 P.M.

Daily except Saturday a mixed train will leave Elmira at 5.40 A.M., arrive Souris 6.40 A.M., Georgetown 8.40 A.M., Mt. Stewart 9.40 A.M., Charlottetown 11.05 A.M. Saturday only a passenger train will leave Elmira at 5.40 A.M. arrive Souris 6.30 A.M., Georgetown 6.50 A.M., Mt. Stewart 9.20 A.M., Charlottetown 10.30 A.M.

Daily except Saturday a mixed train will leave Murray Harbor at 6.30 A.M., arrive Charlottetown 10.00 A.M. Returning will leave Charlottetown 3.10 P.M., arrive Murray Harbor 7.00 P.M. Saturday only a passenger train will leave Murray Harbor 7.00 A.M., arrive Charlottetown 9.45 A.M. Returning will leave Charlottetown 3.10 P.M., arrive Murray Harbor 5.55 P.M. District, Passenger Agent's Office, Charlottetown, December 20th, 1915. 6022-12-21ME41.

EASTERN PERSONALS

*Miss Nellie Fitzpatrick, teacher at Monticello, spent the week end in Souris.

*Prof. Leslie Tennant of the Department of Agriculture arrived in Souris on Friday.

*Mr. Frank MacIsaac, Bear River North, was a visitor to Souris on Friday.

*Pie, Arthur Billard of the Highland Battalion is on a short furlough to his old home in Souris.

*Mr. D. F. Keays, merchant, Priest Pond, was on a business trip to Souris on Saturday.

*Mr. George Creamer, Souris, returned home recently from Kelly's Cross, where he has been for the past few months.

*Miss Ella MacPhos, who has resided in the United States for the past few years arrived at her old home at Big Pond, recently where she will spend the winter.

*ONE CENT per word each insertion for advertising in this column. Cash must accompany order.

*D. F. TIERNEY is Guardian representative in Souris.

*CHOCOLATES.—The best display of chocolates in Souris, (Molr's, Mylo's and Lowney's) at Mabon's Drugstore.

*SUCCESSFUL TEA.—The members of the Montague Branch of the Women's Patriotic Association and Women's Institute wish to convey their heartfelt thanks to those, both in the village and surrounding districts, who helped to make their Red Cross bazaar and tea the success it was, the handsome sum of \$310.00 being realized.

ISLAND SOLDIER HAS NO FEAR AS TO SUCCESS

This letter was received by Mr. Donald McDonald, Wheatley River, from his son Dan on active service with 1st contingent, some where in France.

My Dear Mother and Father:—As I have just returned from my pass only seven days ago, I decided to drop a letter tonight, as it is some time since I have written you.

To begin with I am enjoying good health and I suppose that is the principal thing out here. While I was away on my pass, which was a period of seven days, our corps moved to a different place and on my return I was greeted with a change of scenery. Certainly we are well accustomed to those changes as we move quite often. But a greater change than any of the moves ever made was the difference between the life we have in France and the time I had in England and Scotland while I was there.

I spent quite a lot of the time in travelling, as I had a good bit of road to cover in such a short time. But I made it a point to do most of this at night, so that I could spend the daylight in sight seeing and enjoying myself generally. Now I will try and give you a brief description of my trip. First of all, I had to contend with the passage from France to England which was only a very minute detail and need not be described.

But getting back to my story of landing in England, it was something like being a life preserver. I was disgusted with and then going to sleep, and awaking up and finding yourself in the place you hope to be in all the rest of your life. So you can imagine it better than I can describe it.

I do not know how it is, but when one gets to ordinary living, it seems such a change, especially when one is tied down by military conditions. Well mother dear, I spent four days in London and then set out for Edinburgh, Scotland, where I arrived at about 7 a. m. on Tuesday. I had only been there about two hours when the people of the house where I was visiting, gave a telegram from my friend Sam Elliott, who was a neighbor of ours on the island, saying that he was on his way, and he was engaged to one of the girls of the family and arrangements had also been made for his marriage. Of course I had known this prior to my visit.

However he arrived there the same night at 11 o'clock and I had to leave there at the same hour the following night. So you see we only had twenty-four hours together and it was his desire that I should be his groomsmen. Well you can imagine the rush the next day to get everything ready and for him to be married before I left. However he managed and the wedding took place at 7 p. m. on Wednesday and of course I fulfilled the position required, and left four hours later for the front. Now mother I do not intend to describe the wedding, but everything was first class. You would think they had been preparing for a fortnight instead of only one day. It was simply delightful, and you can draw an imaginary picture of the whole event and especially of me leaving the wedding party three and one half hours after the marriage, to catch my train for the front. Guess I need not describe it further. But you can imagine the great change that followed when I arrived back to my unit and took up my duties in the midst of the greatest war the world has ever known.

By the way, a great many letters that I have received from around home and vicinity seem to express the idea that the Allies are not making much progress, and sometimes they also speak of the termination of the struggle. Well if we only stop to think we can soon realize that although neither sides are gaining at any great rate, yet England is able to deal with, and overcome every effort.

CHRISTMAS BELLS

I heard the bells on Christmas Day Their old familiar carols play, And wild and sweet the words repeat.

Of peace on earth, good will to men!

And thought how, as the day had come, The bellies of all Christendom Had rolled along the unbroken song, Of peace on earth good will to men!

Till, ringing, singing on its way, The world revolved from night to day, A voice, a chime, a chant sublime Of peace on earth, good will to men!

Then from each black, accursed mouth, The cannon thundered in the south, And with the sound the carols drowned, Of peace on earth good will to men!

It was as an earthquake rent

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that Germany seems able to make. To assure ourselves of this, we have only to take into consideration the submarine war farce which was considered one of Germany's most scientific wages of war and what is the result of it all. England has transported every single man from her own shores of her own colonies, and she does so with casualties so small that they can hardly be considered in such a time as this. And more than that she even takes her soldiers across the channel on furlough and back again to the seat of action under protection so perfect that even Germany's most modern war machines either on land or sea can not endanger them in the least. So in my opinion Germany cannot have any great results for all the science she has used and is using, except utter defeat after she has squandered the whole of her human franchise and spiritual wealth, for she is defeated in every effort she puts forth. Well I think this is all for now hoping this will find every one well at home. Write to me soon. With love to all from your ever loving son.

DANIEL.

Timely Suggestions for Xmas for Men

While those gifts that are useful are not only the most sensible but the most appreciated as well, you will find that for HIM a gift that lacks real usefulness generally fails of appreciation. We have kept this fact well in mind in this season's purchases—You will find here a host of suggestions among which are:—

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*Christmas Perfumes in beautiful boxes—Seely's R. & G., Plover, etc., 25c. up. Foster's Drugstore. 6018-12-20M31.

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WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

The hearthstones of a continent. And made forlorn the households born. Of peace on earth, good will to men. And in despair I bowed my head; "There is no peace on earth," I said; "For hate is strong and mocks the song Of peace on earth, good will to men! Then pealed the bells more loud and deep; "God is not dead; nor doth He sleep! The Wrong shall fall, the Right prevail, With peace on earth, good-will to men!"

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"