

DAILY SELECTIONS FOR GUARDIAN READERS

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YOUR BIRTHDAY GIFTS.

Your birthday anniversary is your own personal New Year's Day. The first of January marks a new year for everybody who so observes it; and it is good to join with the rest of the world at that time in taking a new start.

B-U-N-K-U-M.

"State Conversing Her Oyster Beds," runs a headline in The Guardian. Bunkum! A state can't do anything of the kind.

"If Not a Steal, a Public Scandal," is another headline (appearing in a Picquet exchange) Bunkum! There is no difference.

The Gloucester Gazette records, in connection with an inquest recently held: "The verdict rendered by the jury—another sad feature of the fatality." Bunkum! How was the verdict sad?

In its account of the death of Gaynor, the Mayor of New York, The Guardian states in a headline that he "Died on shipboard in mid-ocean of heart failure." Bunkum! There is no such place.

We read: "Being of a balloon cast of body, etc., the precipitate climb miscarried." Bunkum! A climb never had a body, whether of balloon cast or else.

"The Truro Citizen says: "The grim reaper has indeed been busy in Truro this week. There have been practically three sudden deaths." Bunkum! There is no uncertainty about death—except in the case of a cat.

"John Glendinning," states the Acadian Recorder, "has returned from a trip to the Toronto Exhibition, Niagara Falls, Buffalo and other cities." Bunkum! The Toronto Exhibition and Niagara Falls are hardly cities.

"Is he a real villain?" asks an advertisement. Bunkum! Villains are always real.

"With a plunge he broke the box," runs a sentence in an account of the escape of a pig. Bunkum! A pig would not break a box; it would need a hammer or some such tool.

Also we read that a man attempted to "make a bolt for liberty." Bunkum! Bolts are only made for doors or windows or such things.

A paragraph about a lady joker, after the opening sentence, goes on to say: "Another practical joker of the male persuasion." Bunkum! Ladies are not of the male sex.

The New Glasgow Enterprise in a descriptive effusion states: "Wild flowers and verdure grow in great profusion on either side of the lake and there are other natural beauties and glories.....it is all gold." Bunkum! Verdure is never gold.

FORMER M. P. P. KILLED BY ENGINE IN KINGSTON.

KINGSTON, Sept. 10.—John A. K. Drummond, of the offices of James Richardson and Sons, of this city, was killed this morning when a C. P. R. freight train struck him as he was giving orders to have some cars loaded with coal. His arm and leg were severed, and he died in a few moments. Deceased was a native of Kingston, but had resided for years in Manitoba, where he was at one time a member of the Manitoba Legislature. He is survived by a wife and family.

THE UNION PACIFIC.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Directors of the Union Pacific railroad met today but took no action regarding disposition of the proceeds of the sale of the corporation's Southern Pacific stocks. Robert S. Lovette, chairman of the board, said that the amount of this money on hand is approximately \$68,000,000. He would not say how this sum was being employed, at present, but he asserted that it would not be tied up in investments for any great length of time.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

IT PAYS TO BUY in this Province

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PRIZE WINNER.—The Guardian had the pleasure Saturday of seeing an artistic piece of work from the pencil of Mr. C. P. Thorne, Charlottetown. It was a figure in charcoal, exceedingly well done for which Mr. Thorne received first prize at the Halifax Exhibition. Mr. Thorne is certainly to be congratulated on his artistic efforts as he was in competitions with a large field of entries from Montreal, Toronto, Brantford and Quebec and was highly successful.

DEVILISH DOROTHY.—To the admirers of this splendid mare which has just done such good work at the Halifax Exhibition it will be a pleasure to know that she is improving satisfactorily from the illness with which she has been attacked immediately after the last race that she won at the exhibition. It appears that she was seized with acute congestion of the lungs, and her condition during the first night of the illness was so serious that her anxious owner, Dr. J. T. Jenkins, had two Vets. on attendance on her all through the night. Dorothy is now doing nicely, however, and she is expected to be well enough to be raced at the exhibition at Fredericton, N. B., next week, for which she is entered.

OUTWARD PASSENGERS.—The following were among the passengers outward from Charlottetown Saturday:—Mr. and Mrs. T. Edward McNutt left for Montreal. Dr. Louis McNutt, left for Montreal after a short visit to his home in Charlottetown. Miss Florence Chappelle city, left on a visit to her brother in St. John, N. B. Miss Gertrude Irwin left for New Bedford, Mass., after spending a vacation in Charlottetown her former home. Miss Blanche Moran, city, left on a visit to North Bay, Ont. Dr. E. P. Moore and Mrs. Moore left by the express returning to their home in South Bend, Indiana. Mr. Herbert Rodd who has been spending a vacation at his old home in Charlottetown, on return to Boston. Mr. Russell Smith, who has been spending the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith left on return to New Bedford, Mass. His sister, Mrs. Samuel Taylor, also left this morning en route to her home in Spartanburg, S. C., after spending the summer here.

(From Saturday's Evening Guardian)

SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.—Mr. John W. Walker, Kelvin, entered the Prince County Hospital last Wednesday, and underwent an operation for appendicitis on Thursday morning. His many friends will be pleased to learn that the operation was quite successful and he is doing well.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.—The butter market has been very much stronger during the past week. The causes are several. The first one is that creamery butter has for some months been selling below its real value, prices have been kept down by the big stocks at certain centres by the slow demand from the west, and also by the stringency of the money market. The improvement in prices is due to the considerably better demand from the west, and because certain experts were made to the old country which lowered stocks in Quebec and Ontario—a fact which some inquiry for butter is coming in from the United States. The actual advance in prices is about 2 cents per pound. Sales made at the Cowansville, Quebec, Board, the Premier board of Canada, show advances equal to this figure. Dealers are very glad to see a higher market, as even at present price they will find it difficult to make a profit on what stocks are being held in cold storage. The cheese market is active and prices have advanced a half cent a pound. Large cheese sold at Charlottetown last week at 13 1/2 cents for the last half of August, with twins 1/2 of a cent per pound. Dealers are now fearing a repetition of last year's experience with values, when the market was rushed up to such a very high point in the autumn that a great deal of money was lost by those who decided to go in to the market for their winter supplies. It is felt that it would be the best interests of the trade if all purchases were made on no higher values than at present. The supply of good eggs from nearby points is very light, and prices have advanced about one cent per dozen in the past fortnight.

CALIFORNIA STATE FAIR

SACRAMENTO, CAL., Sept. 13.—Beginning today and continuing through the coming week, Sacramento expects to entertain one of the largest crowds in her history. The occasion is the annual exhibition of the California State Fair Association, which this year bids fair to eclipse all of its predecessors in the number, variety and extent of its exhibits. Every building and pavilion is filled to overflowing with attractive displays illustrating the industries and resources of the State. A programme of harness racing, a State shooting tournament and numerous free attractions have been provided by the management for the entertainment of the visitors.

THE NORTHUMBERLAND.—The Northumberland arrived in Charlottetown from Picton on Saturday night at 8.25.

SECURE TICKETS.—Call at Jamieson's or Rankin's drug store and secure tickets for the great recital, which takes place tomorrow (Tuesday) evening in St. Paul's school-room. Tickets 50c. and 35c. 1510.

PLANT LINE.—The attention of readers is directed to the ad. which appears in this issue regarding cheap Excursions to Boston Via Plant Line. No doubt a great number will take advantage of this opportunity to enjoy the delightful accommodations of the luxurious new steamer "Evangeline."

PERSONALS

Miss M. C. Grant, graduate nurse, Boston, has arrived at her old home in Murray River, on a ten days visit.

Mrs. Tizie Buxton, Cape Traverse, was a passenger by the Empress Friday morning returning to Boston.

Mr. H. L. Dohie, M.L.A. was in Charlottetown Saturday and returned home in the afternoon.

His Lordship Bishop O'Leary and Rev. Dr. G. J. McLellan were passengers to Souris by the eastern train Saturday afternoon.

On Saturday Mr. Wright's Ambulance conveyed Mrs. Herbert Love to the Charlottetown Hospital for treatment.

Mr. Patrick Doyle, Charlottetown, went to Cardigan, Saturday afternoon by the Eastern train on a short visit.

Mr. W. A. MacDonald, Superintendent of the Eastern Constructing Co., Northern Ontario, leaves his home this morning after spending a few months with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacDonald, Wheatley River.

(From Saturday's Evening Guardian.) Col. A. G. Peake, Charlottetown, was a passenger westward by the express this morning.

Miss Coffin, Charlottetown, was a passenger by the Northumberland to Picton this morning.

Miss Jean Mutch, Earncliffe, is spending a few days with Miss Bessie Robertson, Red Point.

Mr. E. Webster of Boston, Mass., left on return this morning after visiting relatives and friends through out the Province.

Misses Winnie Campbell and Eliza McKay, were passengers to North Wiltshire by the express this morning to spend the week end.

Mr. W. C. Butcher and Miss Datcher, of Montreal, left this morning on return after visiting relatives and friends in Charlottetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons, Charlottetown, were passengers on the Picton boat this morning on a visit to friends in Halifax and Dartmouth.

Mrs. Glover, Picton, N. S., returned to her home this morning after visiting relatives and friends in Charlottetown.

OPPOSED TO IMMIGRATION OF ORIENTALS.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 11.—The Westminster Presbyterian, representing the Presbyterian denomination in Vancouver and all the lower mainland, yesterday passed a long resolution as their policy on Oriental immigration. They view with alarm the ever-increasing army of Orientals whose influence is felt in social, economic and even moral condition. It says: "The situation is already exceedingly serious. One in every nine of our population is an Oriental, and as a large proportion of the number are men, it means that one man out of five in British Columbia is an Oriental."

The Presbytery proposed the exclusion of Oriental laborers until the proportion of Orientals to Occidentals is one to thirty of the population of British Columbia.

See the New Buckley Hats Guaranteed Price \$2.50 Semi-Ready Clothing Is in a class by itself, admitted the best tailored ready to wear clothing put up in Canada. Buy Your New Fall Hat Here S. A. McDonald The Island's Leading Store.

MAIL CONTRACT SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 24th October, 1913 for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week over Rural Mail route No. 2 from Bradalbane, P. E. Island, from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

We are "there" With Rings Birthdays—wedding rings—engagement rings—wedding rings—rings set with precious stones—signet rings—children's rings—every kind, grade, size and style of ring you could want is here. W.N. Tanton 115 Grafton St.

Thousands of pairs of new fabric gloves for women have come for our counters within the last few days. Moore & McLeod 1469-9-13M31

Parisian Sage The Scalp Cleanser sold in Canada on Money-back plan. Tried them all and failed, thousands of people will say. Try the real Parisian Sage and succeed as thousands have done.

Fox Meeting A special meeting in the Prince Edward Island Silver Fox Breeders Association will be held in Summerside, in Saint Paul's Hall on Thursday, September 18th, instant at the hour of eleven o'clock a. m., for the purpose of revising and completing the constitution and bye laws and dealing with other matters of great importance to the Fox Industry.

Get Ready Provincial Exhibition For the big Provincial Exhibition to be held in CHARLOTTETOWN SEPT 23rd to 26th. We are giving the following SPECIAL PRICES which are well worth trying for. Every Farmer should compete. Special Prizes given by Carter & Co., Ltd., Ch'town, To be awarded to the most models perfect showing true character of form and color, weight not considered where over normal.

Schooner for Sale Harry B. sixty six tons in good condition, sails and rigging first class. This Vessel is a good sailor carries well for her tonnage and requires very little billast apply to E. BOSWELL, Victoria, Lot 29. P. R. I. 1461-9-12Mf