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MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Equitable Maritime Black Fox Company Limited will be held at O'Leary Station, P. E. Island on Tuesday the 4th day of January 1916 commencing at 7 o'clock p. m. Dated this 17th day of December A. D. 1915. G. M. MATTHEWS, President. A. U. BRANDER, Secy. Treas. 6592-12-3MEW21.

Farm for Sale

100 acre farm for sale at Mt. Royal 3 miles from O'Leary Station one of the best farms in Prince County. Not one acre of poor land all mudded and fertilized, a money making proposition from the start to the right management to Church, schools and shipping. Buildings almost new, barn 85 feet long, shed outhouses and so forth, good house with water in building. Come West Men come West. Opportunity comes to every man once in a life time, this is your chance now, come and inspect the premises. Apply to Norman Beaton, O'Leary or S. A. McDonald, Charlottetown. 5456-12-1M61wmt.



DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.

Public notice is hereby given that, to satisfy the requirement that British subjects entering the United Kingdom should hold a passport or equivalent document, the Imperial Authorities have consented to accept a certificate, signed by a Canadian Immigration Agent, establishing the nationality of the holder, and identifying him by means of his signature and photograph placed thereon. Such certificates may be obtained from Immigration Agents at the following points:— Halifax, St John, Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton, London, Fort William, Port Arthur, Winnipeg, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Lloydminster, Edmonton, Calgary, Vancouver and Victoria. These certificates, however, will be available only for the purpose of entering Great Britain, and their holders will find it necessary to obtain Foreign Office passports before leaving the United Kingdom. W. H. WALKER, Assistant Under Secretary of State for External Affairs. Ottawa, 6th December 1915—89174 5802-12-14Mtt61

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STAR OF THE EAST.

(Mildred Bradley.) Oh, Star of the East! In yonder lands, lead them now, we pray, On this, the anniversary of a little child's birthday. Lead them by the rays to a small cattle shed, Where within a babe is lying, a manager for its bed; Lead them to the hills to hear the angel band Singing "Glory in the Highest"; per-haps then they'll understand. Instead of wise men, may thy rays, So steadfast, bring Nations of the earth in peace to bow before their King. Oh, Star of the East! In every heart may thy light be cast, And may be dimmed the dreadful past; May thy heavenly choir sing again, While the whole earth takes up the refrain Of "Peace on earth, good-will towards men." So shine, Oh, Star; thy message send Oh, Star of the East!

THE JOYS OF CHRISTMAS TIME

BY KENNETH HARRIS

Hark! the merry chimes are warning us that this is Christmas morning, And it's time that we were rising, though the hour isn't late. Still, the kiddies will be flocking, each to overhaul his stockings. And there's scads of things we've got to do that really cannot wait. Yet, before we kick the clothes off (quite determined not to doze off). Let's indulge in dreamy musing on this joyous Christmastide; Let us, while the bells are pleading, get up some real Christmas feeling. Fill ourselves with sweet emotions that are not quite cut and dried. True, the minutes fast are gliding, but, comsarn 'em, let 'em glide.

Think of these long weeks of waiting, all the glad anticipating Of the gay and festive season that at last, at last is here; Never resting, never stopping in our mad career of shopping. Searching over the ideal, not too cheap and not too dear; Crushed and elbowed in the reeking crowds, that like ourselves are seeking Just the very thing of all things that their loved ones most desired. Limp and dragged then emerging from the pushing, struggling, juggling Mob, with parcels overlaid, reaching home at last, dog tired. Those experiences may be best described as "most all-fired."

Yet no antiquated stoic showed endurance more heroic Than we've manifested through the weary ordeal of that time; We have stood the stress of barter with the courage of a martyr; Now we find sweet compensation listening to the Christmas chime. Whose clear cadence, soft and mellow, seems to whisper to a fellow Soul the worst is nearly over, that we soon may breathe again. Soon may find surcease of sorrow, and that, maybe by tomorrow Or the next day, may be lifted something of this mental strain. That a blessed sense of rest may soothe the tissues of our brain.

We have done with haste and flurry, no occasion now to worry, Least some sensitive relation may have been quite overlooked. All the lists of names are checked and all the walls with green are decked, and Now within a few short hours the Christmas dinner will be cooked, Hall to Christmas! happy season! There is some substantial reason To be gleeful at thy advent—the beginning of the end. As thou comest wreathed with holly, we can certainly be jolly. Welcome thee with feast and wassail, and in general unbend. For we know that we have spent for thee the last cent we can spend!

Now the door bell will cease ringing to the people who were bringing An endless string of packages from morn to dewy eve; We no longer will be running to conceal those things with cunning, And we'll lose our wonted air of having something up our sleeve. There will be a deuced litter, when the gawgaws gleam and glitter. Of waste paper, string and cotton, from the kitchen to the hall; But, with consciences elastic, we will grow enthusiastic And "wonder how they guessed," as on the doner's necks we fall. Looking blissful over dewdads that we didn't want at all.

Ab, this blessed thing of giving! It is half the joy of living To watch the looks of gratitude and pleasure and surprise That, at least to outward seeming, are upon loved faces beaming— As the loved one opens his parcel and digs out his gaudy ties. And the gentle wife and mother her emotion tries to smother When conducted by her husband, to some secret corner, where, As a proof of fond affection, he has hid from her detection, His gift to her, a cozy, costly, well-upholstered chair (Of whose comforts, in the future, you may bet he'll get his share).

Now this Christmas spirit moves us to sense that it behoves us To keep Poverty's bare platter and fill Destitution's cup. Bring turk and pie and gladness to the homes of empty sadness To help out sweet Christmas charity who would not loosen up? But it's highly aggravating not to say exasperating. When we've given most nobly and without thought of stint. To find out, as we expected, that the modest are neglected. And our princely benefaction hasn't found its way to print. (Certainly we didn't ask it, but a man might take a hint).

But away with sad reflection! This is no time for dejection. Merry Christmas, happy Christmas, as we said, has come at last! All the many tribulations, all the trials and vexations, are past. Not a protest shall be uttered, though the house with toys is cluttered And the kids are all parading to the sound of horn and drum. Lusty lung and larynx voicing the extent of their rejoicing. We will have to stand the racket now that Christmas day is come. (Later tone our nervous system at some sanitarium).

Thank the Giver if we're able to sit 'round a well-spread table, Where the plump white-bosomed turkey sheds its savor through the room. And pudding comes on smoking, and there's no end to the joking. And no heart that harbors malice and no mind o'ercast with gloom. Let us be profoundly grateful that we have at least a plateful. Grateful for the peepsin tablets that correct our Christmas cheer; Hold it as among our mercies if there's coin left in our purses. Be thankful for those dear to us and those who hold us dear. (And most supremely thankful Christmas comes but once a year).

THE TRUE SANTA CLAUS.

"There's never a home so low, no doubt, But I in my might can find it out; Nor a hut so hidden but I can see The shadow cast by the lone roof-tree! There's never a home so proud and high That I am constrained to pass it by; Nor a heart so happy it may not be Happier still when blessed by me! "What is may name? Ah! who can tell Though in every land 'tis a magic spell; Men call me that, and they call me this. Yet the different names are the same, I wis. Gift-Bearer to all the world am I, Gift-Giver, Light-Bringer, where'er I fly; But the name I bear in the Courts a-bove, My truest and holiest name, is Love. "Of course the girls expect a box of Chocolates for Christmas. There's almost an endless assortment here to choose from, ranging in prices from 25c. up to \$5.00 per box. JOHNSON & JOHNSON, Druggists, Cor. Kent and Prince Streets. 5957-12-17Mtt.

HELP THE RED CROSS

(Laura E. Richards) Ye who sleep peacefully In quiet homes, Where no disaster broods. No terror comes? Against the hour of doom, The day of loss, Now, in this Christmas tide, Help the Red Cross! Ye who tread joyously Through flowery ways, Laughter and song to fill The long, bright days, For those on beds of pain Now, in this Christmas tide, Help the Red Cross! Beggar and priest and king, For all alike, In the appointed hour God's clock doth strike, Round the world, o'er the sea, Join hands across! Now, when Christ comes to us, Help the Red Cross!

ANCIENT CHRISTMAS CUSTOMS.

Some ancient and quaint beliefs in connection with Christmas Day are still retained by the country dwellers in some parts of France. With regard to bread some housewives feel that unless they wish to bring misfortune on the entire family it behooves them not to bake any bread on Christmas or on the seven following days. That bread baked on Christmas Eve, and eaten fresh for ten years is another old belief, though we are not told that it has been put to the test. A cure for all ills of the flesh will be found it is believed, in a large loaf made in one part of France. It is very large and very white, and from it is cut a small piece, marked with a knife with three or four crosses. This is carefully preserved as a remedy of the loaf being divided among the family on the Feast of Epiphany. Still connected with the table is the belief that a good harvest will be secured if the corn about to be sown is carried to its destination in the cloth used on the Christmas dinner table.

TIDE TABLE

DECEMBER.

Table with columns: Date, Day, High Water, Time Ht, Time Ht. Rows for Dec 1-31.

DECEMBER—1st to 4th, unsettled wave. 5th to 8th, rain, sleet and snow. 9th to 13th, cold period. 14th to 18th, clear, fair. 19th to 23rd, general snowfall. 24th to 26th, unsettled. 27th to 29th drizzly. 29th to 31st, storm wave.

DIARY OF EVENTS.

TO-DAY.

People's Theatre, 7 and 8.45. Prince Edward Theatre—"Parisian Girls"—2.30 and 8. Christmas Services in city churches.

BIRTHS

WIGMORE—At Wigmore Road on Saturday, Dec. 4th to Walter and Mrs. Wigmore, a son. SIMPSON—At Bay View on Wednesday, Dec. 15th to Arthur and Mrs. Simpson, a son. McEWEN—At Clifton, New London on Thursday, Dec. 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert McEwen, a daughter.

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For Sale

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FOR SALE—A FEW PAIRS OF ISLAND Black Silver. Apply to George Horne, O'Leary Station, P. E. I. 5713-12-9Mtt.

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LOST IN THIS CITY, A BUFFALO. Finder please leave at this office. 4044-11-23Mtt

A PRAYER.

By Robert Louis Stevenson. (Written in Samoa the night before he died.)

We beseech Thee, O Lord, to be hold us with favour. Folk of many families and nations are gathered together in the peace of this roof; weak men and women subsisting under the cover of Thy patience. Be patient still! Suffer us yet a while longer, with our broken purposes of good, with our idle endeavours against evil—suffer us a while longer to endure, and, if it may

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CHEVERIE—At Souris, on Dec. 20, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Creverie a daughter.

STEWART—At Cavendish, on Monday, Dec. 20th to Garfield and Mrs. Stewart, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

CROSBY—HOWARD—December 22, at the Parsonage, Mount Stewart, by Rev. F. W. Swadlow, Harry Davies Crosby, of Cornwall, to Lettie Pearl Howard of Clyde River

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