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CHARLOTTETOWN PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18, 1905.

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A SECOND SUEZ CANAL ASSURED

The Airds Undertake the Construction at an Estimated Cost Less than One Third Cost of Present Canal.

LONDON, Jan. 17. (Special.)—The capital has been assured for a second Suez Canal and the contract undertaken by the Airds, the constructors of the Nile dam works.

SAYS CANADA CANNOT WAIT FOREVER

LONDON, Jan. 17. (Special.)—Lord Minto, former Governor General of Canada, speaking at Minto near Hawick tonight on the proposed Colonial Conference and the question of preferential treatment said Canada could not wait forever and if she received nothing but a

To cure a headache in ten minutes use Kumford Headache Powders

THE WEATHER

TORONTO, Jan. 18. (Special.)—Moderate to fresh northwest to southwest winds, fair, stationary or a little higher temperature.

THE TEMPERATURE

The weather yesterday was slightly colder than the preceding day and last night the thermometer took a further drop reaching 7° below zero. Indications are for higher temperature today.

The Croup. It's a terrible thing, isn't it? Somehow, that awful cough, that hard struggle for air, can never be forgotten. Be a little fore-handed and prevent it. Keep Vapo-Cresolene in the house, and when the children take cold let them breathe in the vapor during the evening. It goes right to the throat, just where the croup lies. All irritation subsides the cough quiets down and serious trouble is prevented. It never fails to cure whooping-cough.

Selling Off Misses' and Child's Cloth Leggings, \$1 and \$1.25 for 88c. 80c and 90c for 68c. 65c for 50c. at GOFF BROS.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH CONCERT

Rev. Mr. Stevenson will have a pleasing memory when he leaves the Island this evening of his last night in Charlottetown. The sacred concert in the Christian Church was everything that it could well be, its only drawback, the size of the building, being unavoidable. Mr. Stevenson was chairman.

Mr. Gaudet in his trombone solo kept to that quiet tone with which he does so well. A cornet duet by Messrs. Hine and Davidson and a brass quartet by the same and the MacFarlane brothers were two finely played numbers.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Best Made. "In my opinion Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best made for colds," says Mrs. Cora Walker, of Porterville, California. There is no doubt about its being the best. No other will cure a cold so quickly. No other is so sure a preventive of pneumonia. No other is so pleasant and safe to take. These are good reasons why it should be preferred to any other. The fact is that few people are satisfied with any other after having once used his remedy. For sale by all druggists.

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SUMMERSIDE BOARD OF TRADE ITS HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Summerside Board of Trade was held in the Council Chamber last night. Ronald Campbell acted chairman and there was a large attendance of representative business men. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

John M. Clark, George Godkin, R. T. Holman, Richard Hunt, J. E. Lefursey, Neil McLod, Major Schurman, and John A. Sharp.

Grady and George Bishop. On motion the membership fee for 1905 was reduced to \$1.00. A committee was appointed to forward a letter to the retired President, R. C. McLeod, expressing gratitude for his services and sympathy in his illness. The Board adjourned until Thursday night next when some important matters will be dealt with.

MANITOBA WANTS MORE TERRITORY

Resolution of the Legislature Asking Extension West and North to Hudson's Bay.

Winnipeg, Jan. 17. (Special.)—The Attorney General for Manitoba moved his resolution on the extension of the boundaries of Manitoba in the local Legislature last evening. The resolution passed the House unanimously. It is in the form of a memorial praying the Dominion Government to extend the boundaries of the province northward to Hudson's Bay and westward including a considerable portion of the territories of Assiniboia and Saskatchewan.

LORD STRATHCONA'S GENEROUS OFFER

MONTREAL, Jan. 15.—Lord Strathcona has cabled to the governors of the Royal Victoria Hospital, asking to have the Administration building rebuilt at his expense. The loss is now estimated at upwards of \$50,000. It is Lord Strathcona's wish to have the building rebuilt as a fire-proof structure. The fire which broke out in the kitchen from an overheated pot of grease, was confined to the two upper floors. The fire brigade of the hospital succeeded in extinguishing the fire in the kitchen, but the flames afterwards broke out in the walls.

EIGHT YEARS AILING

Then Joseph Boone's Kidney Disease was Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills. COTTLE'S COVE, Nfld., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Ailing for eight years, seven of which he was unable to work. That is what Kidney Disease did to Joseph Boone, a fisherman of this place. He was treated by several doctors, and after seven months in the hospital was sent home incurable. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him. He took twenty-one boxes of them, but now he is strong and well, and following his trade of fisherman.

CHICAGO MARKETS. Chicago, January 17.—(Special.)—Jan. Corn 45 1/2 May Corn 44 1/2 " Wheat 89 1/2 " Wheat 115 1/2 " Pork \$12.80 " Pork \$12.70

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep the joints limber and muscles in trim.

PLEADED GUILTY.

BORROW, Mass., Jan. 18.—William Hodges, who was arrested in New York yesterday on an indictment warrant charging the larceny of sample cases containing jewelry valued at more than \$8,000, was arraigned in the superior court today. He pleaded guilty and was held in \$8,000 bonds for the February term of the court.

Cured His Mother of Rheumatism. "My mother has been a sufferer for many years from rheumatism," says W. H. Howard of Husband, Pennsylvania. "At times she was unable to move at all while at all times walking was painful. I presented her with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications she decided it was the most wonderful pain reliever she had ever tried, in fact, she is never without it now and is at all times able to walk. An occasional application of Pain Balm keeps away the pain that she was formerly troubled with. For sale by all druggists."



E. M. MACDONALD, The talented member for Pictou County who moved the reply to the Speech from the Throne in the House of Commons on Monday last.

THE HOCKEY STRIES

HALIFAX, Jan. 17. (Special.)—Two games in the N. S. Hockey League were played tonight.

At Truro the home team defeated New Glasgow 14-0 and at Halifax the Crescents defeated the Wanderers four to nothing. [These are not included in table on page 5]

THE IMPERIAL LIFE.

The announcement of the Imperial Life Assurance Company of Canada which is to be found elsewhere in this issue shows that this Company has made very substantial progress during the past year. The new business written amounts to \$1,205,600, exceeding that written in any previous year, while the total insurance in force has increased to \$17,672,000. The cash income for the year from premiums and interest exceeds that for the previous year by \$120,825 amounting to \$608,178, while the assets of the Company have been increased to \$2,404,941, or by \$391,032. The reserves of the Company, which have been made exceptionally strong, now amount to \$1,708,700, and, after allowing for this large reserve, a surplus on policyholders' account is shown to the extent of \$579,848. This is indeed a most favorable showing, and one which reflects much credit upon the careful management of the Company's affairs.

A MARVELLOUS FLESH PRODUCER! This is the statement of those who have used "The D & L" Emulsion. It is said to be rich and sweet as cream and not unpleasant.

MARRIED.

In the Chapel of Notre Dame Convent on Tuesday morning 17th inst., by the Rev. Dr. Morrison, Miss Annie Elizabeth O'Toole of Providence R. I. to Thomas B. Riley of this city.

DIED.

At North Wiltshire, January 11th, 1905, Eliza M., wife of William J. Matthew, aged 70. At Beach Point, 14th inst., Elizabeth, the beloved wife of Lot Graham aged 49 years. On Jan. 15th, at Murray Harbor South after a short illness, George Roberts, aged 61 years. Jan. 15th, at Gladstone, Hannah, the wife of James Cuddy, after a painful illness, aged 73 years. At Toronto, Murray Harbor South, Jan. 10th, Rebecca, widow of the late Thomas Giddings at the advanced age of 92 years. ONE OF THE BEST old time remedies for all skin affections, such as Eczema, Ringworm, Scald-head and similar affections is Weaver's Cerate. It is an ointment that has brought relief to thousands.

VALUABLE FARM OF S. NELSON

Destroyed with Contents Near Amherst Yesterday—Owner Had No Insurance.

AMHERST, Jan. 17. (Special.)—At 6 o'clock this morning fire destroyed the large barn belonging to Solomon Nelson at Blair's Lake, a favorite summer resort about two miles from Amherst. The total contents, consisting of fourteen head of cattle, two valuable horses, hay, grain and farming utensils were destroyed. Mr. Nelson had been at the barn with a lantern and had gone to his house for breakfast and on returning he found the barn in flames. From the isolated position of his house assistance was impossible. There was no insurance.

FIRE IN STELLARTON

STELLARTON, Jan. 17. (Special.)—The oil sheds of the Intercolonial were burned here today involving a loss of one thousand dollars. The fire caught from a torch.

THE MARKETS.

There was a fair attendance at the market yesterday. Produce was more plentiful than usual and prices were but slightly changed from previous market. Eggs still bring a high price and sold yesterday at 28c a doz. Butter per lb. brought from 23 to 25c. There was a fair supply of poultry in the market which brought good prices. Geese sold from 10 to 12c per lb, turkeys, 13 to 15c and fowl 8 to 9c. There was an advance in the price of pork which sold yesterday at 6c per lb. Oats per bus. brought from 40 to 45c. There was a good quantity of hay in which sold from 70 to 80c per cwt. Potatoes sold at 25c per bus.

A NAGGING COUGH drives sleep and comfort away. You can conquer it with Allen's Lung Balsam, which relieves hard breathing, pain in the chest and irritation of the throat. Give it freely to the children.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns: Closing Prices, Jan. 16, Jan. 17. Rows include Atchison, Copper, B. R. T., Baltimore, Erie, Illinois Central, Louisville and Na., Manhattan, Metropolitan, Missouri Pacific, Pennsylvania, Reading, Sugar, Southern Pacific, St. Paul, Union Pacific, U. S. Steel, U. S. Steel Pref'd., Dominion Steel, Dominion Steel Pref'd., Dom. Steel Bonds, Dominion Coal, Twin City, Colorado Fuel.

JUST A TEASPOONFUL of Perry Davis' Painkiller in warm water or milk, taken after exposure to cold or wet will quicken the circulation and thus prevent chill. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'.

INVESTIGATION OF BLAIR'S CASE

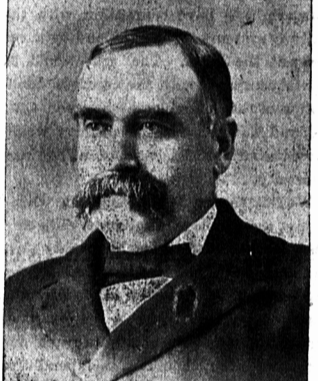
Demanded by Several Members but Refused by Government—Mr. Martin Inquires About Our Railway Station.

OTTAWA, Jan. 17. (Sp. )—Session stand that no investigation would be today lasted for only half an hour. Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated that after Mr. Blair's resignation the chairmanship of the Railway Commission had been offered to Justice Killam who, because of cases pending in his court could not consider the offer until February. The Government deemed it wise to wait until then. Several members demanded an investigation into Blair's resignation but the Government gave the House to understand

All cases heard while Blair was in office will have to be reheard. Mr. Martin of Quebec gave notice that on Thursday he will ask if the proposed site for the Charlottetown station has been decided upon; if so where is the site and when will tenders be called for. Hon. Mr. Fisher's motion favoring the passing of an act for providing a system of inspection of the propagation of weeds was passed.

THE INSTALLATION OF FORESTERS

dependent Foresters were out in force last evening at their Court Room in the New Prowse Block, the occasion being the annual installation of the officers of Courts Avondale, Mount Stephen and Companion Court Brighton.



CHARLES MURPHY, High Chief Ranger, who installed officers last night.

The meeting was public and the interesting ceremonial of installation was witnessed by a number who are not yet members of the order. Judge Macdonald presided and present on the platform were High Chief Ranger Murphy, High Vice Chief H. M. McLeod, High Secretary, L. U. Fowler, Hon. John F. Whear and other prominent members of the order.

An interesting musical and literary program preceded and followed the installation. The opening numbers on the program were a Scotch song by brother Calder, and a duet by Miss Whitlock and Joseph Bethel which were followed by an interesting address on Forestry by H. C. R. Murphy. The officers of the three Courts were then obligated and invested with their badges of office by the High Chief assisted by other High Court officers. An address by Editor McCready, P. H. C. R. came next after which an admirable solo was sung by Miss May Stewart, followed by a stirring recitation from T. A. McLean. Sr. A song was well rendered by Miss Howard, after which High Vice Chief McLeod gave an earnest practical address. After a

vocal solo by E. A. Foster, an address was read by Miss Chappelle to Miss Wadman the efficient Financial Secretary of Companion Court Brighton. The address was couched in terms of warm commendation and was accompanied by a fountain pen and Forester's badge, which the recipient, who was quite taken by surprise, gracefully acknowledged. Refreshments were then served while a large gramophone under direction of W. Stevenson discoursed excellent music. Some time was spent in pleasant social intercourse, thus concluding a most enjoyable evening, which was well calculated to present the I. O. Foresters in a most favorable light.

EXPORT OF WHEAT.

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—Mr. B. H. Ross, the commercial agent at Melbourne, reports that Australia will have only twenty million bushels of wheat for export the coming year, compared with twice that amount last year. He thinks Canada should benefit by the shortage. An increasing trade in Canadian canned and dried salmon is reported.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c. CATARRH CURE... 25c. Is most direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All Dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

Hockey Sticks. We have the largest and best stock of Hockey Sticks in the city. Goal Grooved Lifter Minto Victor Varsity Boys (only 10c.) Hockey Pucks, Shin Guards. Special low prices to Clubs. CARTER & CO., Limited.