

DAILY SELECTIONS FOR GUARDIAN READERS

THE PROBLEM OF THE UNMARRIED

"We believe that the present day young women are as much to blame as the men. There is no blinking the fact that we are in an age of revolt against domesticity on the part of our women. The majority of our girls refuse to take an interest in household work. They scorn economy and the quiet life. They want a "position in the city." They have expensive tastes. Their beau ideal is a young man with plenty of money, an automobile, and a never-ending capacity for giving them "a good time." The average young man is unable to fill this role, and rather than attempt to do so he remains a bachelor. In justice to the girls, however, it must be said that young men have the same tastes and tendencies, and prefer to be luxurious and extravagant on what will suffice for one, rather than be forced to economy by dividing it between two. But undoubtedly there are many eligible men who remain simple because they fail to meet the sensible young women who are their ideal of girls fit for wifehood. "Life is real, life is earnest," and no normally wholesome married life can be a continued round of fashionable excitements and inconsiderate expenditures. There are some young men of the right sort who are aware of this, and light shy of risking their future with giddy girls. Let young women who want husbands go in for the study of domestic economy. Let them dress as neatly as they please, but with due regard for propriety and the avoidance of reckless expense. Let them preserve at all times a strict regard for decorum in their conduct. The young men likely to make the best husbands are not inclined to ask frivolous and extravagant and incompetent young women to become their partners for life."

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IT PAYS to buy in this Province

RESUMES DUTIES—Mr. Ted Kelly who has been ill with pleurisy for some time past, has recovered and Tuesday resumed his position in the Bank of Nova Scotia, Charlottetown.

EAST RIVER ICE.—On Tuesday Messrs. A. Campbell, J. McDonald and L. McDonald of Glenfinnan drove down the East River ice landing in Charlottetown near the bridge. They report the ice firm and fit for bushing. These teams appear to be the first to come down that river this season.

THE ICE.—The ice on the Hillsboro river is considered quite safe to travel on by the farmers now, although as yet it is not bushed. Tuesday morning teams were crossing the west river. The route taken was from West River to North River Point and thence to Out Street at the foot of Richmond. There is quite a lot of travelling on the ice from North River to Rocky Point and vice versa, both by teams and on foot.

THE COMMUNICATION.—The Earl Grey which left Pictou for Georgetown Tuesday morning at 10.15, at least reports was still in Pictou having the same trouble as the Minto, fighting through the heavy tons freight, 150 sacks mail, and 30 passengers. The Minto, which since Monday morning has been trying to make Georgetown, has reached open water this side the east Pictou Light and is expected to dock at Georgetown at 3.00 o'clock. Her cargo consists of 16 tons freight, 15 tons express, 70 sacks of mail, besides 7 passengers. A special mail train is at Georgetown awaiting her arrival and will bring the freight, express and passengers to the city.

FROM TRINIDAD.—The following clippings from a letter dated Jan. 2nd, received by Mr. Geo. Green, teacher of Mt. Stewart, from (Rev.) W. J. Green, Presbyterian Missionary, Couva, Trinidad may be of interest to Guardian readers, as both Mr. and Mrs. Green are natives of this Province. "We got considerable island news from Dr. Coffin since he returned to Trinidad. He was not on the island very long—only about one month. I think the cold and wet fall has driven him further south. We had him with us Xmas day, also Dr. and Mrs. Jamieson of Port of Spain, and since then we have invited the Jamiesons for a holiday, and they have been with us since last Tuesday evening. We are all having a real good time together. We often wonder what we would do without the friendship of such people. Every afternoon, we (Mrs. Green and children) have a drive. This p. m., we all drove to a place called Monkey Point, taking our afternoon tea with us, leaving here at 2 o'clock and returning at 6 p. m. The drive is about eight miles and coming home in the cool of the evening it was very pleasant. The place is at the sea-side being a small port with a wharf for loading sugar into vessels. It was a treat to get a glimpse of the sea, even though we could not walk along the beach, (nothing but mud, mud, mud.) The children enjoyed throwing stones and coco-nut shells into the water and we older ones sat in the shade and watched them. I must say we ate a very hearty meal, ham and cheese sandwiches, Christmas cake, and finished up with a box of Cadbury's Chocolates, a gift from our grocer. So you see it is possible to have a pleasant picnic in Trinidad even in the month of January. Mr. Cropper also paid us a visit on his way back to Demarara from P. E. I. We were so glad to hear directly from you all.

ST. PETERS ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual business meeting of St. Peter's congregation will be held this evening at 8.30 in the school room.

THE ROADS.—Those who came in to Charlottetown from the rural districts Tuesday found little difficulty in travelling on the Public roads. The recent snow drifts have packed hard in the roads and with the exception of a few patches they are considered fairly good for this time of year.

SLIGHT FIRE.—The firemen were called out Tuesday morning for a fire in the residence of Mr. Frank Bradley, Richmond Street. The fire was in the kitchen, between the plaster and the wall. The supposition is that it caught fire from the stove. The fire brigade extinguished it in a short time.

TOBAGGANING.—Tobogganing was started in Charlottetown about a week ago by the members of the Toboggan Club. The conditions are now excellent for this sport and on Monday night about twenty-five went out to the slide at Belvidere for a slide. The Toboggan Club has a larger membership than ever this year and almost every night a large number are enjoying themselves out at the slide.

FOX ENQUIRIES.—During the past ten days further enquiries have come for Fox Stock from England, Western Canada and the United States and from leading brokers on the Montreal Stock Exchange, some enquiries being for 50000 blocks of stock. The "Provincial" have also had enquiries for options from Western Canada and the United States for 1314 pups. Several options of the Company have already been taken up by foreign capital at \$12,000 per pair.

\$100,498 DEFICIT.—According to figures published in the Montreal Gazette, the Canadian Government Railways made a very poor showing for the year 1912-13. The net earnings of the I. C. R. were only \$4,500, while the P. E. I. R. had a deficit of \$100,498. In other words on this road it cost over \$120 in working expenses to earn \$1.30 in revenue. The following figures are from the Gazette: The P. E. I. R. in the year made the following record. Revenue—passengers, \$180,347; freight 171,345; mails and express, 26,443; miscellaneous, 11,331, making a total of \$389,478. Working Expenses—maintenance of way and structures \$86,656; traffic expenses, 1,113; general expenses, 15,381; transportation expenses, 251,186, the total being \$484,972.

CALEDONIA.—Mr. Howard McDonald intends to leave for the city shortly to attend Commercial College.—He will be greatly missed in the Silver Star. I.O.G.T. Lodge, where he has always been a staunch member.—Mr. Rodie McPherson spent New Year's with Mr. A.W. McMillan of Wood Islands.—A very large number of the young people of Caledonia and vicinity gathered at the home of Mr. Jas. B. Finslow of Bellevue on New Year's night and a very pleasant time was spent in games, songs, and dancing. After a sumptuous repast was served to which full justice was done, a vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Finslow for their kindness was moved by Mr. Norman Matheson, seconded by Mr. Donald McIntosh and unanimously carried, after singing that old familiar tune "God be with you till we meet again" the happy company dispersed well satisfied with an evening well spent.

PEAKE'S.—Fox ranching is getting to be quite an industry around here. Three ranches have been started with in the last half year.—James Connolly, road master is fulfilling his duties to perfection.—Miss Winnie Lanigan, Panmure Island, has returned home after a pleasant visit to Peake's, the guest of Miss Myrtle Wood.—Miss Rosella Wood, teacher of Bangor has resumed her duties after spending her Christmas holidays at her home in Peake's Station.—Michael Mahar and Herman McCauley paid a short visit to head of Hillsborough recently the guest of James McKenna. Mr. William Stewart passed through here with his Shetland pony, an animal which is rarely seen in this part.—His friends are glad to see Patrick Connolly out again after being confined to his home for the last few weeks.—Mr. Cornelius Lafferty is doing a rushing business at the butcher trade and with the best of satisfaction.—Mr. Philip Mooney gave some choice selections on his new photograph at the residence of John Wood, recently.

INDUCTION.—The Quincy Telegram of recent date has the following item which will be of interest to many in this province: Rev. D. B. McLeod, M. A., at one time pastor of the Union Square Presbyterian Church of Somerville, Mass., was installed at the First United Presbyterian Church at Fort Square, by a commission of the Presbytery of Boston. There was a good attendance, several of Mr. McLeod's former parishioners at Somerville being among the number. Rev. R. M. Sturgeon of Brocton, presided, preached the sermon and installed the pastor. Rev. E. C. Simpson, D. D. of Cambridge, addressed the minister, and Rev. K. M. Munroe of Boston gave the charge to the people. Prayer was offered by Rev. A. M. Thompson, late pastor of the congregation. This church is evidently entering on a new era of prosperity. The people are willing, harmonious and helpful, and it is

MOUNT EDWARD FOX CO.—The Canada Fox Exchange have a few shares in the Mount Edward Fox Company for sale. This company was very successful during the past year and should pay good dividends in 1914. Shares are \$100 each. 4054-1-21m2f.

Big Discount Sale Continued This Week

Dress Goods 25 p. c. off, 200 Overcoats at Prices to Clear, Fine Furs 25 p. c. off

- Serges 25 p. c. off, Poplins 25 p. c. off, Panamas 25 p. c. off, Venetians 25 p. c. off, Solicits 25 p. c. off, Taffeta Cloths 25 p. c. off, Cashmeres 25 p. c. off, San-Toys 25 p. c. off, Voiles 25 p. c. off, Nuns Veilings 25 p. c. off, Whipcords 25 p. c. off, Broadcloths 25 p. c. off, Suitings 25 p. c. off

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Men's tweed overcoats \$7.50 now 6.00, Men's chevron tweeds \$16.50 now 13.20, Men's diagonal tweeds \$18.00 now 14.40, Men's chinchilla overcoats \$22.00 now 17.60, We have two hundred to select from.

Fur and Fur Lined Coats 20 p. c. off, Men's Alaska Beaver Coat \$25 now 20.00, Men's Marmot Lined Coats (Marmot Collar Beaver Shell) \$50 now 40.00, Men's Raccoon Coats \$110 now 88.00, Men's Rat Lined Coats (Outer Collar Beaver Shell) \$85.00 now 68.00, Men's Siberian Wolf Coats \$22 now 17.00

Boys' O'coats Much Reduced, Boys' tweed overcoats \$4.50 for 3.00, Boys' tweed overcoats \$5.50 for 4.50, Boys' tweed overcoats \$6.50 for 5.20, Boys' tweed overcoats \$8.00 for 6.00

Sheep Lined Coats \$4.75, 6.25, 7.00, 7.25, 8.35. All at 20 p. c. off, Horse Rugs 1-3 Off \$1.50 for 98c, 2.50 for 1.67, 3.00 for 2.00

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approaches his ideal and wins his own approval as well as the praise of friends; but when one fixes his thoughts on securing the same pleasures and auditions from the next undertaking, he is almost certain to meet disappointment and grow disheartened. "I couldn't sing the way I wanted to, and so I wouldn't sing at all for years," explained a woman recently. And so for those years the strong, sweet voice that might have helped in many a place, and would have been prized in many circles, remained unused. Was that simply a laudable reaching after an ideal, or was it hiding a talent in a napkin? The work of the world for most of us, is that which must be done through the ordinary days and years. Inspirations are few, and the praise of spectators is hickie, even our own judgment of success is not always just. To run races with oneself is to fret the soul and waste the strength. The only safe rule is to put into each hour the best and utmost we can give it, and leave the matter there.

Mink muff \$55.00 for 41.25, Mink muff 68.00 for 51.00, Mink muff 80.00 for 60.00, Persian Lamb Muff 19.50 for 14.62, Persian Lamb muff 27.50 for 20.63, Persian Lamb muff 38.50 for 28.88, Alaska Sable muff 28.00 for 21.00, Hudson Seal muff 22.00 for 16.50, Grey Lamb muff 12.00 for 9.00, Grey Lamb muff 8.50 for 6.38, Marmot muffs 12.00 for 9.00, Marmot muffs 8.00 for 6.00, Marmot muffs 6.95 for 5.22, Stoles to match muffs. 25 p. c. off

Ladies' Coats 20 p. c. off, \$ 5.50 coats for \$ 4.40, 7.50 coats for 6.00, 9.00 coats for 7.20, 10.00 coats for 8.00, 12.00 coats for 9.60, 15.00 coats for 12.00, 16.50 coats for 13.20, 18.00 coats for 14.40, 20.00 coats for 16.00, Fur Lined Coats and Fur Coats 20 p. c. off

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ANOTHER CLASS IN AUTOMOBILE SCHOOL. The second day class in the Y. M. C. A. Automobile school will be started on Tuesday morning next. The full course in the day school takes three weeks, besides driving lessons. The course is very complete and furnishes a thorough knowledge of the subject. The first class which is finishing up this week has been very successful. Besides the day class there are two night classes, meeting two nights a week. The enrolment is now nearly fifty. Those wishing to enter the new class should communicate at once with the Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. 4063-1-31M4i. RUNNING RACES WITH ONESELF. "Don't run races with yourself," said a wise teacher to a discouraged pupil. "Because you reached a high circumstance one day, when some fortuitous circumstances gave you extra power, or some special appeal in your topic exalted you to your highest, do not set that as a goal that you must always attain. It is impossible; your very best under existing circumstances is your duty limit for each day." It is a piece of advice that we need. For every worker there is joy in the accomplishment that seems particularly good, in the finished task that

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A MAN AND HIS WORD. It has been wisely said that it is not his oath that makes us believe a man, but the man that makes us believe his oath. If the man is neither truthful nor honest we doubt his sworn statement as we doubt his ordinary word. What one stands forever behind what one says, either confirming or contradicting his speech, and by the testimony of that witness he is accepted or rejected.

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