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**McQUARRIE**.— At French Fort, Jan. 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. James McQuarrie, a daughter.—Edith Louise.

**McINNIS**.— At Red Point on Sunday, January 25th to Mr. and Mrs. Adrian McInnis, a son.

**MARRIAGES**

**GODSAW-SORREY**.— At the Baptist parsonage, Lower Montague, on Jan. 24th by Rev. F. A. Hubley, David Godsway of Sturgeon, and Evelina Sorrey of Milltown.

**RECIPES**

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**DIARY OF EVENTS**

TO-DAY.

- City Magistrate's Court, 9 a. m.
- Supreme Court, 11 a. m.
- Ice races, 2.30 p. m.
- W. C. T. U. meeting, 3.30 p. m.
- P. E. I. Pharmaceutical Association meeting.
- Basket Social, K. of C. Hall.

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**TWO SPEECHES**

The Hanzard report of the proceedings in the House of Commons on January 22nd contains the speeches, verbatim of two members from Prince Edward Island, Mr. J. J. Hughes and Mr. Donald Nicholson. Mr. Hughes was the first speaker. In the course of a speech which occupies a little over eleven columns of Hanzard, Mr. Hughes made the following eloquent and touching plea on behalf of his constituents of Kings County particularly and of his native province generally: "As owing to the regrettable illness of my colleague from Prince (Mr. Richards), I happen to be the only member from Prince Edward Island on this side of the House at the present time and inasmuch as I have some views on the subjects now before the House I take this opportunity of expressing my opinion thereon."

The Naval Aid Bill, the high cost of living, the cost of padlocks for the Post Office Department, and one or two other matters, in which neither his constituents in Kings County nor his native province were specially interested, occupies the remainder of the eleven columns and of the hour consumed in the delivery of this speech. There was not another word eloquent, touching or otherwise about Prince Edward Island.

The other speech delivered on the same day, that by Mr. Donald Nicholson, is of quite a different calibre. The keynote is Prince Edward Island and its claims, a plea for justice in the matter of representation and a discussion of the cost of living, reciprocity and other live topics in their relation to Prince Edward Island.

Mr. Nicholson's plea for the restoration of our original representation is a clear and logically reasoned one and one which could not have failed to impress the House with the reasonableness of our demand. He briefly and concisely gathered up all the arguments, submitted all the proofs, and appealed on behalf of the province to the sense of justice supposed to dominate the government of Canada. Should the efforts now being put forth by the Provincial government, by Premier Mathieson and by our representatives, prevail, no small share of the credit will justly fall to Mr. Nicholson through his able and fearless presentation of the case. Mr. Nicholson makes no claim to oratory or eloquence but he has the happy faculty of making himself understood and of always "being on the job" (a quotation by the way, from Mr. Hughes' speech), and of never losing sight of the interests of his province. He does not "talk to the gallery," nor to the Hanzard reporters and when he speaks he has something to say which commands attention.

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**IMPERIAL EXPANSION**

A recent issue of the Times contains a comprehensive and exhaustive review of an important Blue Book just published. It is entitled "A Statistical Abstract in connection with the several British self-governing dominions, crown colonies, possessions and protectorates, and though comprising numerous comparative statements and tabular matter, is of engrossing interest to those who follow the Empire's development.

From this review we gather that exclusive of the United Kingdom, the area of the Empire is now approximately 11,253,000 square miles. In 1897 the population of this vast territory numbered 307,476,000. The figures for last year are, of course, estimates only:

	1901.	1912
Canada and Newfoundland	5,548,239	8,003,137
Commonwealth of Australia	3,773,801	4,733,359
Union of South Africa (1904)	5,175,824	6,211,900
New Zealand	772,719	1,052,627

In fifteen years the public revenue of Canada has grown from £3,382,000 to £34,675,000.

The following table shows the development of trade between the Mother Country and the principal parts of the Empire in the fifteen years covered by the return:

Imports From United Kingdom		
	1898	1912
British India	£40,218,301	£21,690,238
Australia	20,975,551	39,124,829
Union of South Africa	15,255,000	23,200,948
Canada	6,753,389	28,733,812
New Zealand	5,148,833	12,499,787
West Africa	2,766,000	8,203,000
West Indies	2,510,000	3,766,974

Exports to United Kingdom		
	1898	1912
British India	£23,468,005	£45,897,819
Australia	23,886,313	31,459,317
Union of South Africa	25,690,000	56,121,502
Canada	21,575,198	36,585,189
New Zealand	8,265,499	16,861,256
West Africa	1,781,000	5,855,000
West Indies	1,460,659	2,287,224

Post Office business has fully kept pace with developments in other directions. Appended are some of the principal figures relating to letters and cards alone for 1912, together with the totals for 1901:

	1901	1912
British India	469,209,000	850,889,000
Australia	220,852,000	479,672,000
Canada	229,859,000	652,153,000
New Zealand	54,089,000	225,436,000
South Africa (1902)	42,400,000	130,788,000

In the period under review the railways of the Dominion have been extended by many thousands of miles and vast tracks of country have thereby been opened up for settlement. The following table affords an indication of the extent of the development since 1898.

	1898	1912
	Miles	Miles
British India	21,920	33,484
Canada	16,718	28,035
Australia	12,488	18,679
Union of South Africa	2,862	8,393
New Zealand	2,257	2,889
Rhodesia	586	2,358

Altogether it has been a period of remarkable expansion and development in which Canada has had its fair share.

**NOTES**

Alcoholic drinks have been interdicted in the Greenland colonies and in later years, also, in Iceland and the Faroe Islands. It is now proposed to make the prohibition apply to the Danish West Indian Islands, where intoxication among the natives has claimed a large number of victims. The members of the St. Thomas Colonial Council support the proposal, which means that in the near future all of Denmark's Colonies will be dry.

Lord Ashbourne, who is evidently of Scottish descent, in a speech at a meeting of the Gaelic League in Fermanagh, recently, declared that speaking English continually deforms the mouth. He described the English as "having prominent lips, long front teeth and the general appearance of a measly rabbit." The German language, he said, was strong and vigorous, the English language in a state of rotteness and decay. "John Bull's future," he declared, "is behind him, he is insular and nothing will bring him in touch with the outside world."

In an advertisement on another page of this paper it will be seen that Mr. R. H. Sterns, one of the candidates for the Mayoralty of Charlottetown, has followed the suggestion made by the Guardian and has given a clear and specific outline of the policy which he purposes following if elected. With his platform no fault can be found, and the people, if they elect him, will have this, his promissory note, to appeal to when demanding regulations, improvements etc. Both candidates are now squarely before the Mt. people; both have outlined their

**THE PASSING OF MOGUL MACKENZIE**

BY A. H. CHUTE, BLACKWOODS

The whaler was the swifter of the two ships, and she could soon have overhauled the other; but fearing some treachery, the captain refrained from running her down until daylight. All night long she seemed to be veering her course, attempting to escape from her pursuer. In the morning, off the coast of Maine, she turned her nose directly out to sea. Then a boat was lowered from the whaler and rowed out to intercept the on-coming vessel. When they were directly in her course, they lay on their oars and waited. The brigantine did not veer again, but came steadily on, and soon the whaler was alongside, and made themselves fast to the dinghy which she had in company. A few minutes of apprehensive waiting followed, one of the boldest swung himself over the tow-rope on to the deck. He was followed by the others, and they advanced cautiously with drawn knives and pistols.

Not a soul was to be seen, and the men, who were brave enough before a charging whale, trembled with fear. The wheel and the look-out were alike deserted, and no sign of life could be discovered anywhere below. In the galley were the embers of a dead fire, and the table in the captain's cabin was spread out ready for a meal which had never been eaten. On deck everything was sprick and span, and not the slightest evidence of a storm or any other disturbance could be found. The theory of a derelict was impossible. Apparently all had been well on board, and they had been sailing with good weather, when, without any warning, her crew had been suddenly snatched away by some dread power.

The sailor with one accord agreed that it was the work of a sea-serpent. But the mate had no place for the ordinary superstitions of the sea, and he still scoured the hold, expecting at any minute to encounter a dead body or some other evil evidence of foul play. Nothing more, however, was found, and the mate at length had to end his search with the unsatisfactory conclusion that the St. Clare, a gigantic registered schooner from Hartpool, with cargo of lime, had been abandoned on the high seas for no apparent reason. Her skipper had taken with him the ship's papers, and had not left a single clue behind.

A crew was told off to stand by the St. Clare to bring her into port, and the others climbed into the long-boat to row back to the whaler. "Just see if there is a name on that there dinghy, before we go," said the mate.

An exclamation of horror broke from one of the men as he read on the bow of the dinghy the name, Kanawha. The faces of all went white with a dire alarm as the facts of the mystery suddenly flashed before them. The Kanawha was the ship in which Captain Mogul Mackenzie had made himself notorious as a privateer. Every one had heard her awe-inspiring name, and every Yankee seafaring man prayed that he might never meet her on the seas. After the Alabama was sunk, and the Talahasse was withdrawn, the Kanawha still remained to threaten the shipping of the North. For a long time her whereabouts had been unknown, and then she was discovered by a Federal gunboat, which gave chase and fired upon her. Without returning fire, she raced in for shelter amongst the dangerous islands off Cape Sable, and was lost in the fog. Rumour had it that she ran on the rocks off that perilous coast, and sank with all on board. As time went by, and there was no more sign of the corsair, the rumor was accepted as proven. Men began to spin yarns in the forests about Mogul Mackenzie, with an interest that was tinted with his former ship's skipper were beginning to feel at ease again on the grim waters, when suddenly, like a bolt from the blue, came the awful news of the discovery of the St. Clare.

Gunboats put off to scour the coast line; and again with fear and trembling the lookout began to eye suspiciously every new sail coming up on the horizon. One afternoon, toward the end of May, a schooner came tearing into Portland harbour, with all her canvas crowded on, and flying distress signals. Her skipper said that off the island of Champabello he had seen a long grey sailing-ship with auxiliary power sweeping down upon him. As the wind was blowing strong inshore, he had taken to his heels and made for Portland. He was chased all the way, and his pursuer did not drop him until he was just off the harbour bar.

Many doubted his story, however, saying that no one would dare to chase a peaceful craft so near to a views on civic requirements, civic progress and civic hopes, and the people will know exactly what they are voting upon. A similar method, if followed by the different candidates for the Council, would do much to clear the ground and enable the electors to make a more intelligent choice of their future legislators.

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great port in broad daylight. And again, it was urged that an auxiliary vessel could easily have overhauled the schooner between Campobello and Portland. The fact that the captain of the schooner was as often drunk as sober, and that when he was under the influence of drink he was given to seeing visions, was pointed to as conclusive proof, that his yarn was a lie. After the New Bedford whaler came into port with the abandoned St. Clare, it was known beyond doubt that the Kanawha was still a real menace. But no body cared to admit that Mogul Mackenzie was as bold as the achiever's report would imply, and hence countless arguments were put forward to allay such fears.

But a few days later the fact that the pirates were still haunting the coast was absolutely corroborated. A coastal packet from Boston arrived at Yarmouth with the news that she had not only sighted the Kanawha in the distance, but they had crossed each other's paths, so near that the name could be discerned beyond question with a spy-glass. She was heading for the Bay of Fundy, and did not pause or pay any heed to the other ship.

HOW OLD IS THE EARTH?  
(Translation in the Literary Digest)  
It is assumed that all the sodium chlorid in the sea has been taken by the rains from the land. It is shown how much the sea contains and how much the rivers add to it annually. Supposing that the sea water was originally fresh, it is easy to calculate when the salting began.

By this method, Joly found 95,000,000 of years; E. Von Romer, 160,000,000. The difference should not astonish us. Of the two fundamental data of the calculation one, the total quantity of salt in the ocean, may be determined with sufficient exactitude. But the other fundamental quantity—the quantity of salt washed down by the rivers, can not be so closely estimated. There are few rivers whose average flow and average salinity are well known.

Let us pass on to the method founded on the disintegration of radioactive materials. Helium has been discovered in mineral waters and in rocks. Soon after this discovery it was noted that the ratio between the quantity of helium and that of radioactive matter (the "coefficient of helium") increases with the geological age of the rock. Unfortunately, the limestones, which from their richness in fossils would seem a proper basis for a chronology, present such considerable departures from this rule that they cannot be used.

Supposing that zircon retains all the helium produced by the decomposition of its radioactive constituents, and that the quantity of helium produced annually is constant, the "co-efficient of helium" evidently gives the mineral's age. It is an interesting fact that the number of years given by the method increases with the geological age of the specimen used. One from the end of the Tertiary, 31,000,000; one from the Carboniferous, 150,000,000, and one of primitive igneous rock, 710,000,000. Other measurements run up as high as 1,025,000,000 years for primitive strata.

Finally we should mention the determination of the earth's age made by G. H. Darwin in connection with his investigations on the evolution of the moon. To tell the truth, this is the only determination that deserves the name, since the moment of the catastrophe that severed the once single body into two distinct parts, earth and moon, must be considered as the real birth of both.

For this calculation of which it is impossible to give full details here, Darwin was obliged to make several arbitrary hypotheses, so chosen that the number of years sought should be as small as possible. The figure that he obtained was 53,000,000 years.

As may be seen, all these methods, different as they are, produce results of the same order of magnitude. They all reach the conclusion that the phases of the earth's history embrace tens and hundreds of millions of years.

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