

CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1905. THE GEORGETOWN TELEPHONE.

We think that when Superintendent Sharp has deliberately reconsidered the conditions bearing upon the demand for a telephone in Georgetown Railway Station...

It is said the Railway is accommodated by the telegraph and does not need the telephone. This may be true, but the shippers and consignees of freight and the travelling public need it, and surely the Railway authorities cannot be indifferent to the wants of the entire body of their patrons.

The patrons of the Railway are everywhere about the Island. The telephone is almost everywhere but the telegraph offices are few and far between. For one shipper or consignee or passenger who can conveniently find access to the telegraph there are ten who would desire to use the telephone.

concession, so important to the shippers and travelling public of our entire Province will be denied them. We write this in belief that the Railway Superintendent and the Manager at Moncton will reconsider their decision in view of the reasonableness of what the public and the patrons of the road are asking for, the very small outlay involved and the altogether exceptional conditions of the case.

"COUNT ME FOR TUNNEL PROJECT."

From London, Ontario, is a far enough cry, and still the distance does not seem to divide us very far in sentiment. We give below the hearty endorsement of our Tunnel scheme from the editorial chamber of The Farmers' Advocate, which is justly regarded as the first agricultural authority in Canada, and thoroughly in sympathy with little Prince Edward Island as an almost exclusively farming community.

"Personally, I look on the Tunnel as the salvation of Prince Edward Island. Without it you'll lose what progress you have attained. Is not Prince Edward Island worth saving? The money that will be squandered in the salary grab would finance the project in 15 or 20 years, and the immense cost of winter navigation would be saved. But instead of redeeming a province, our politicians vote themselves a sop to support them in luxury even after they shall have ceased their official neglect of the public interests. Count me for the Tunnel project."

Premier Gouin says the first plank in his political platform is education, the second, education, and the third, education. That seems to show a proper appreciation of the subject.

Russia is doing no better in suppressing internal disorder than she did in fighting the Japanese. The revolution bids fair to be as serious and lasting as the war.

Another general strike in Russia is proposed. This method of treating the national ills is like that of the quack doctor who always first gave the patient something to throw him into fits. He was "death on fits." Treatment of that sort may be worse than the disease.

It appears that a large number of the canvassers for the York Loan Company, were also solicitors for the Toronto Life Insurance Company, as well as for a piano company and a magazine. The company seems to have paid the salaries for all this work. The close connection of a life insurance company with the suspended loan company has renewed and greatly strengthened the demand for an inquiry into the insurance business in Canada.

John Alexander Dowie, who claimed to be Elijah the Third and head of the Christian Catholic Church, is reported to have abdicated and gone south for his health. Unlike the original Elijah he has not gone upward in a chariot of fire, nor has he like John the Baptist been beheaded. We submit that the healer of so many by divine power has no right to be ill. There is no record of Elijah of old, or the Baptist, or the Apostles, or any of the divine leaders, being sick, so far as our memory of the record goes.

Speaking of the York Loan Company the Montreal Witness says a good motto for the average citizen would be, "Beware the wily canvasser!"

On the invitation and advice of the Mayor of Ottawa, the shareholders in the York Loan Company resident in that city have fled their accounts with the City Auditor, in order that joint efforts may be made for their protection. This seems a capital plan and worthy of being adopted in other cities. It might be well for the Charlottetown people who are interested in the Toronto concern to get together and take like concerted action.

EDITOR'S MAIL.

OUR TELEPHONE SERVICE.

Sir:—As the Guardian has always been in the thick of the fight when any issue of importance is involved, perhaps you might lend your valuable support to devise means for the improvement of the telephone service in this Province. Isolated from the Mainland for some months every year, with irregular mails, and oftentimes with impassable roads, country people should at least be able to have telephones established in their homes at a reasonable rate.

During Sir William Mulock's enquiry last winter there was indeed some hope that all the telephones in the Dominion would be controlled by our Federal Government, but that Minister's retirement from the Cabinet and the appointment of a successor who is a solicitor for a telephone company destroys all hope of present interference from Ottawa.

As the charter of the P. E. I. Telephone Company is about expired it would be a good thing if the people would caution their Representatives to hesitate before granting an extension to that Company as it might be to the interest of the subscribers to have our local Parliament follow in the footsteps of Manitoba and declare for Government ownership of the telephone.

I would suggest Mr. Editor, that you ask each of our local Members for an expression of opinion on this subject which will at least have the effect of setting them thinking before they are asked to grant an extension for another twenty years to the present Company.

G. F. DEWAR.

Hopeton, Dec. 18th 1905.

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The Christmas numbers of the "Illustrated London News," "Graphic," "Holly Leaves," "Pears Annual," "Ladies Pictorial," "Queen," "Figaro," "Black and White," and our own Canadian Toronto Globe, (Xmas number) are really beautiful. See them at Carter's Bookstore. Only a few left. 19d11

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wanted—A good reliable paper ruler. Apply to "Ruler," in care of The Guardian 14d1w

City Taxes, All who have not paid their City taxes please do so at once as we have to make up defaulters list in a few days 13d1w

Remember McLean Bros' wood sale on the Wiltshire Road on the farm formerly owned by John Douce on Thurs day, Dec. 21st at 1 p. m. 14d1w31 tw11

An opportunity of a lifetime tonight in St. James Hall. A visit to Rome. See its sublime art and exquisite architecture. A lecture with views unsurpassed. —The Alexandra church purpose holding their Christmas tree and entertainment on Christmas night at the church Doors opened 6.15 p. m., commencing 7 p. m. Admission fee adults 10 cts, children 5 cts 16d21p

Wanted—A registered Ayrshire bull three years old, spring 1906. Please state weight, color, pedigree and price delivered at Morell station, Kings Co., P. E. Island. Address Murdoch MacGregor, Sec. Treas. Farmers Club, Bangor. 19d11w21

\$1.00 BOX.

A \$1.00 box of our crisp, tender celery is absolutely necessary to help digest your Xmas goose or turkey.—Sent to any address on receipt of \$1.00.—J. J. Gay & Son, every day market. Phone 270. 19d101 tw11.

New California navel oranges, crisp, green grapes, choice table raisins, figs, dates and mixed nuts for Xmas at Beer & Goff's. 19d11.

Dark fruit cake 25 cents per pound, pound cake 30 cents per pound at D. Stewart's, Kent street. 19d21.

Boots and shoes cannot speak. If they could the Traveller Shoe would tell you that it is the product of 40 years to which the arts and crafts have contributed their all. Price only \$3.50.—Conroy the Shoeman, Sunnyside, Charlottetown. 19d11

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A Daily Reception will be held every day, at our store on Sunnyside for Christmas shoppers. Everybody heartily welcome. Something for everybody. None too young and none too old to be supplied from our stock of the handsomest Christmas goods ever shown here. To see is to make your selection.—Hazard & Moore. 19d11

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COMING EVENTS.

City Council meets on the second Monday in each month. Dr. F. F. Kelly Mayor; W. W. Clarke, City Clerk.

S. O. E. Election of officers for 1906 Lodge Prince Edward Tuesday Dec. 12th at 8 p. m.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

Call and get some of those nice dining and tea sets that are offered at a bargain. W. P. Colwill. 12-1d tw1w.

For Gents—Cuff links, watch chains, military brushes, gold headed canes, lockets, fobs, etc. at Wellner's. 18d21.

Way's mufflers and Scott's mufflers in navy, white, cardinal and navy with white stripe at D. A. Bruce's. 15d1w

If you can't shop during the day—come down at night. Store is open each evening until Christmas. Moore & McLeod. 19d11.

For Sale.—A sleigh with folding back seat manufactured by Edgecombe & Sons, St. John, N.B. used only one season. A modern well built sleigh. Will be sold a bargain. Can be seen at Fraser's Carriage shop, Grafton street. 19d1w21

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Even if the potatoes boil dry, those next to the pot do not impart a burnt taste to the others, under ordinary circumstances.

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