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**THE MORNING GUARDIAN**

TUESDAY JAN. 19, 1904.

**BRITISH TRADE RETURNS.**

The British trade returns for last year show that the added imports and exports make a volume of \$4,575,000,000, being the highest by \$125,000,000 in the history of the country, and consequently breaking the world's record. This statement has been received with screams of delight by free traders, and is claimed to be an indisputable answer to the Chamberlain theory that Britain is losing her trade because of a mistaken policy. At this distance loyal subjects of the King will rejoice to learn of Britain's trade expansion, but before accepting it as proof of the absolute soundness of the free trade doctrine we may be disposed to analyze the figures and look into the causes which have led to such results.

Take for instance the iron and steel exports of the United Kingdom which rose from 35 million tons in 1901 to 30 million tons in 1902. On its face this is a remarkable and most gratifying increase. But the explanation is found largely in the fact that the greater steel industries of the United States were fully occupied with supplying the unprecedented home demand, and had nothing left for export. On the contrary many large orders from the United States were placed in England during the year. These are rare conditions and are almost sure to be reversed in the near future.

Then there is the case of Germany, Britain's most formidable industrial competitor. It appears from the returns that the total exports of Germany to the United Kingdom during the year were \$241,250,000, and of this total no less than \$175,000,000 represented manufactured goods. As against this Britain's exports to Germany of manufactured goods came to less than \$50,000,000 and of this only one fourth part represented fully manufactured articles, the balance being finished in Germany. A great manufacturing country which purchases from its most dangerous rival three or four times as much value in manufactures as she sells to the same rival has need to look closely to her trade in that quarter.

From the American or Canadian point of view the British trade returns afford an argument in favor of rather than against the adoption of duties on foreign manufactures, and especially on the manufactures of those countries, like Germany and the United States which impose heavy duties upon British goods. This need not interfere with the present satisfactory arrangements for the free importation of food-stuffs and raw materials.

**TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYERS.**

PORT SAID, Egypt, January 14.—The Dimitri Donskoi entered the Suez canal, bound for the Far East. The torpedo boat destroyers will await the arrival here of the remainder of the Russian Mediterranean squadron, which is expected shortly.

**COUGHS.**

The peculiar cough which indicates croup is usually well known to the mothers of croupy children. No time should be lost in the treatment of it, and for this purpose no medicine has received more universal approval than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For sale by all druggists.

**DRINKING IN CANADA.**

The Island Revenue returns include a table showing the consumption of spirits, beer and wines, per head of population. This is made to include both liquors imported and of home manufacture. The record of recent years shows a slight increase in the consumption of intoxicating beverages as compared with three years ago. As compared with thirty years ago (1874) there has been a very large decrease in the consumption of spirits (1.904 to 0.570) and wine (0.288 to 0.090) while the consumption of beer has increased from 3.012 to 4.712 gallons per head. In other words while there is a somewhat larger consumption of beer than there was thirty years ago, the drinking of spirits has been reduced more than one half and of wine more than two thirds in that time.

Canada is today one of the most temperate or civilized countries as will appear from the table below, showing the consumption per head of population of spirits, beer and wine. The figures represent gallons and decimal parts of a gallon:

Country	Spirits	Beer	Wine
Canada	0.570	4.712	0.090
Great Britain	1.02	31.3	not given
Germany	1.89	26.	"
France	1.94	53	24.25

Canadians consume less spirits and not a sixth part as much beer per head as the people of Great Britain; less than half as much spirits and less than one fifth part as much beer as the people of Germany; and less than half as much wine, less beer and less than the 240th part as much wine as the people of France.



The above will cheerfully be paid in lawful money if the undersigned, proprietors of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, if they cannot show the original signature of the individual volunteering the testimonial below, and also of every testimonial among the thousands which they are constantly publishing attesting the superior curative properties of their several medicines, and thus proving the genuineness and reliability of all the multitude of testimonials volunteered by grateful people, in their behalf.

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**Bags! Bags! Bags!**

We have the best grain bags in the country. They are large enough to hold 4 3/4 bushel Oats, or 3 bushel potatoes. They are strong, clean, have hemmed tops, and are guaranteed to give satisfaction. You want some, how many?

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**Warning**

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**JAMES PATON & CO.**

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**S. F. TARBUSCH.**

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International Division.  
Winter reduced Rates

In effect to May 1st, 1904.  
St. John to Portland \$3.00  
St. John to Boston \$3.50  
Commencing December 10, 1903, steamer leaves St. John at 8 a. m. (Atlantic Standard) Thursdays for Lubec, Eastport, Portland and Boston. Returning from Boston at 9 a. m. via Portland, Eastport and Lubec, Mondays.  
Passengers arriving at St. John on evenings previous to morning sailings can go direct to steamer and take cabin berths or state-rooms for the trip.  
Wm. G. LEE, Agent, St. John, N. B.  
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We want a lot of goose feathers and will pay the highest price either **Cash or Trade.**  
**JOHN NEWSON.**  
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P. S. Do not mix fowl or chicken feathers with the goose feathers—**We will pay more for them separately.** J. N.  
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**Teacher Wanted**

For Harrington School, No. 19.  
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Harrington, Jan'y 15, d 31 w 21

**New Meat & Fish Market**

All kinds of Fresh, Salt and Smoked Fish, Salmon, Halibut, Cod, Haddock, Finnan Haddies, etc.  
Also all kinds of Beef, Pork, Lamb, and a choice variety of sausages.  
Give us a call:  
We'll treat you right.

**Haddlesey & Trainor,**

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**INFORMATION**

**Winter Steamers for P. E. Island**  
The winter steamers "Misto" and "Stanley" are now upon the route between Pictou and Georgetown. For the present one steamer will leave Pictou daily at 7 o'clock a. m., returning the next day, weather and ice conditions permitting.  
The other steamer will leave Georgetown daily at the same hour in the morning, returning the next day, weather and ice conditions permitting and crossing favorable.  
Further notice will be given if any change is made in the movement of the steamers.  
F. GOURDEAU  
Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, 5th January, 1904.  
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**NOTICE**

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of The Island Guardian Publishing Company will be held in the office of the Company, New Prowse Block on Saturday January 30th, 1904 at eight o'clock p. m.  
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By order of Directors.

**HALF PRICE SALE**

Will continue a few days longer—we have sold at half price all the goods we want to—or can afford to—but we retained a large number of customers who, we were unable to wait on, that we would continue a week or two longer.

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**BERLIN DENTAL PARLORS**

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