

THE PRINCE COUNTY GUARDIAN

Offices in Summerside, John Dickieson, Agent, and in Alberton, Herbert Clark, Agent.

The latest news, first of all.

Rev Mr Mason, Port Hill, was in Summerside yesterday.

The mercury went down to three below zero at Summerside Monday night. The wind gales that left for the south last Sunday evidently knew what was coming.

Dealers in Summerside yesterday were paying twenty-five cents a bus for potatoes; twenty-five cents a doz for eggs; four fifty a ton for loose straw; forty to forty-one cents a bus for oats; ten cents a lb for pork and ten dollars a ton for loose hay.

Yesterday was the 49th anniversary of Cold Friday. It is generally believed that this was the coldest day recorded in the history of P. E. Island. There was not as many warm comfortable dwellings and barns at that date as at the present time and the cold was severely felt and remembered by many.

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Councillor Dr. McLellan, Chairman of the Finance Committee, was the next speaker. He concurred with the Mayor that the town was in a good financial condition and offered some very good suggestions along the line of improvement for the incoming board to take up. He recommended a semi-annual inspection of the schools. J. A. Brace, Chairman of the street committee, made a short but very pointed address saying that citizens of Summerside should not complain of heavy taxes for all other towns in the Province are paying much higher taxes than the town of Summerside. He pointed out the amount of the yearly increases of revenue from the water system. After giving reasons for resigning from Summerside, T. B. Grady, ex-Water Commissioner, was the next to occupy the floor and gave a short account of the Board of Water Commissioners, which he said was done in order that the town might be enabled to get the water system under the control of the Council alone and in this way save unnecessary expense. He deeply regretted the death of the late Dr James McDonagh who had proved himself to be a valued member of the Board of Water Commissioners. In speaking of the dispute between the Council and the Electric Light Company he said he was a shareholder in the Company and would willingly sell his stock at par. Councillor McLellan was then called on. He said he had done his best in the interests of the town during the past two years and agreed with what Mayor Saunders had said that the town was in a satisfactory condition financially. After thanking the citizens for electing him as councillor he stated that he was now asking their support as a candidate to fill the position of Mayor.

Having about completed my Auction Rooms, I will be prepared to receive all kinds of goods at all times. I have large store-rooms in connection with the largest Auction Rooms on the island, directly opposite Sinclair & Stewart, Ltd., Water Street. All goods will have my best attention and will be received by James A. McNeil in my absence. I am preparing to do all auctioneering at short notice. Fred J. E. Wright, Summerside. 2-9d11.

PATRIOTIC FRIEND IN NEW BRUNSWICK. BERTH, N. J., Feb. 8.—A tragedy, sad and terrible in the extreme, occurred at Lake Edward, ten miles from this village, at an early hour yesterday when Miss Heida Dunster, and two brothers, aged 12 and 13 respectively, were burned to death in a fire which completely consumed the home and in which a third brother, mother and baby, were badly burned.

Thieves entered the barn of Levi Silliphant, Summerside, while his family were at church on Sunday night last and stole a quantity of grain. Strong suspicion rests on certain persons of rather doubtful character, no arrests have yet been made.

Dealers in Alberton yesterday were paying thirty-eight cents a bus for white oats; thirty-nine cents a bus for black oats; eighty cents a lb for butter; twenty cents a doz for eggs; nine and a quarter to nine and a half cents a lb for pork; nine cents a lb for hides and nine dollars a ton for loose hay.

J. W. Beairto, Muddy Creek, was in Summerside yesterday and had the fore-finger of one hand removed. More than a year ago Mr Beairto bruised his hand slightly which developed into blood-poisoning. It was a long time before the hand began to heal. When it did heal his fingers were drawn up in such a manner that his hand was almost useless. By removing the fore-finger the others can be straightened out.

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Clean Stock of Dry Goods For Sale Cheap

In converting into cash the stock kept by M. Trainor & Co the undersigned realizes that he must bear an enormous loss. This loss will be Somebody's Gain—This Gain May be yours—

We were not disposed to accept an offer for the WHOLE stock that was made us and have decided to share the bargains with the buying public in general and with 'My Store' Patrons in particular. Those who call to look over what they may require will receive courteous treatment and to actual buyers we will guarantee a satisfactory discount.

Big Bargains in Dry Goods, Furs, Clothing and Wall Paper. EDWARD KELLY

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Slightly Damaged

We have a few Tea Sets and also a few Dinner Sets that are very slightly damaged that we are making very liberal reductions on. Look at that gilt illuminated Dinner Set for \$10.00, it was considered good value at the original price \$12.00 but it has a slight defect, a chipped cream jug, hence the \$2.00 reduction.

Then a China Tea Sets with slop bowl broken for \$5.00—Its original price was \$10.00. There are a number of genuine bargains in these lines—but there is only one of each kind—so come quickly

A. N. McKay

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EXCITING RACE AT FREELAND

A large crowd assembled on Freeland ice Thursday afternoon to witness the horse race, which, although consisting chiefly of the 3.00 Trot and Pace, yet proved to be the most interesting of the season, on account of close competition.

When the Stomach Rebels, Headache, Indigestion and Nerve Pain Follows—Mi-ona Brings Relief

Just as soon as you are done eating the healthy stomach commences to churn the food around and mixes it thoroughly with the juices of the stomach.

If the food is not churned, it stays heavily on the stomach, turns sour and causes all kinds of distressing symptoms, such as headache, indigestion, stomach pain and dyspepsia. Mi-ona helps the stomach to properly mix the food.

John S. May, of Isabella Street, Belleville, Ont., says: "For over seven months I was in constant agony with a case of nervous dyspepsia and indigestion that medical skill could not relieve. I was weak and had lost much weight through loss of appetite and suffering. My meals would fill me with gas and a feeling of oppression across the stomach and all up the left side. I was restless at night and as tired and unrefreshed in the morning as on going to bed. A choking sensation in my throat was always constant when lying down, and my heart seemed to flutter and pound as though it were coming out through my side. I was benefited from the first two days' use of Mi-ona. I began to feel like myself again, my appetite returned and the depressive feeling left me. I can enjoy my meals without the least worry of after suffering. I have gained in weight and can sleep the night through in comfort."

Go to George E. Hughes, the druggist, and get a 50 cent box of Mi-ona Tablets. Money back if Mi-ona does not cure.

Brown Birdie, Solomon Milligan, Milligan 2 3 2 3 1. Royal Dick, Water Palmer 3 2 2 1 3. The Free-for-all did not fill on account of the poor condition of the roads, to the disappointment of admirers of high speed. Probably the most exciting feature of the day took place when G. F. William's horse Dewy, trotted a half mile heat fully exhibiting his speed of former years.

NORTH AMERICAN LIFE

SPLENDID RECORD FOR 1909

The Twenty-ninth Annual Meeting of the North American Life Assurance Company was held at its Home Office in Toronto on Thursday, Jan. 27, 1910, when the Report of the business for the year ended Dec. 31, 1909, was presented.

Increase in Cash Income. The cash income for the year from premiums, interest, etc., was \$2,028,595.40, showing the satisfactory increase of \$133,179.95.

Economical Management. The business continues to be conducted on an economical basis; the ratio of expenses to premium income remains practically the same, notwithstanding the large increase in new assurance.

Large Payments to Policy-Holders. The amount paid on policyholders' account was \$789,520.47. Of this sum \$138,320.47 was for surplus or dividends while \$327,111.96 represents payments for Matured Endowment and Investment Policies.

Addition to Assets. The assets increased in 1909 by \$899,826.81, and now amount to \$10,490,464.90. As heretofore, they continue to be invested in the best class of securities available, the addition of mortgage loans being \$710,285.39.

Increase in net Surplus. After making ample provision for all liabilities and distributing during the year the relatively large amount for dividends mentioned, the net surplus on policyholders' account was increased to \$7,018,121.25.

Insurances Increased. The policies issued during the year, together with those revived, amounted to the sum of \$5,091,029, being an increase over the previous year of \$625,805; the total business in force amounted to \$41,964,647.

Careful and Systematic Audit. A monthly examination of the books of the Company was made by the Auditors, and at the close of the year they made a thorough scrutiny of all the securities. A Committee of the Board, consisting of two Directors made an independent audit of the securities each quarter.

J. L. BLAIKE, President. L. GOLDMAN, Managing Director.

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson. In Use For Over Thirty Years. CASTORIA. A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of INFANTS, CHILDREN, & INVALIDS. Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC. Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP. Fac-Simile Signature of J. C. Watson. NEW YORK. 35 Doses. EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

PURITY FLOUR. The baking is almost ready for the oven and, thanks to the Reliable "Purity" Flour, light, snowy-white bread is assured. Packed in 7, 14, 24, 49, 98 pound sacks, and in barrels and half-barrels. "More Bread and Better Bread." Western Canada Flour Mills Co., Limited. Mills at Winnipeg, Goderich, Brandon. Image of a woman kneading dough.

A Few Bargains For a Few Days. Ever Ready Razors \$1.00. Cuke Mixers \$2.50. 4 loaf Bread Mixers \$2.00. 8 loaf Bread Mixers \$2.00. Copper Bottom Boilers \$1.25. All Galvanized Boilers \$1.25. No. 10 Irons \$1.00. Ashes and Sods Irons \$1.50. Rice Boilers 50c, 60c, 70c, 80c, 100c. No. 8 Pots 50c, Kettles 75c. For cash only. CAMERON & CO HARDWARE.

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MARITIME SECURITIES. Quotations furnished by J. C. Mackintosh & Co., Exchange Building, Halifax, N. S. Name of security Asked Bid. BANKS. British North America 153 150. New Brunswick X. D. 280 278. Nova Scotia 280 275. Royal Bank of Canada X.D. 225 223. Union Bank of Halifax X.D. 176 174. MISCELLANEOUS. Acadia Fire Insurance 103 100. Acadia Sugar, Preferred 61 60. Acadia Sugar, Ordinary 24 20. Eastern Canada Savings & Loan 142 138. Eastern Trust Company 155 150. Eastern Trust Company 100 97. Halifax Fire Insurance fully paid 114 112. Nova Scotia Telephone 40 31. Stanfield's, Preferred 103 100. Stanfield's, Common 40 35. Trinidad Electric 80 77. Acadia Sugar 103 102. Brandam-Henderson 140 137. Halifax Electric Tramway 102 100. Nova Scotia Steel & Coal, Firsts 100. Nova Scotia Steel & Coal, Consolidated 101. Porto Rico Railways 80 78. Robb Engineering 100 96. Robb-Mumford 93. Stanfield's, Limited 103 100. Trinidad Electric 95 93. Bond quotations are with accrued interest.

STOCK QUOTATIONS. NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—(Special)—B. T. R. 72. Copper 109. Baltimore 109. C. P. R. 177. Dealing 157. Southern Pacific 121. St. Paul 145. U. S. Steel 70. Union Pacific 180. Missouri Pacific 67.

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INGERSOLL REGISTERED TRADE MARK CREAM CHEESE. "Spreads Like Butter." Sold only in 1 lb and 2 lb blocks. For sale by all Grocers. Manufactured by The Ingersoll Packing Co., Ltd., Ingersoll, Ontario, Canada.

Morris & Smith. Some ladies have trouble with their feet, the others wear Cushionet Shoes. When they go on shoe trouble goes away because there is a cushion under the sole of your foot. Sold by Morris & Smith.

WILMINGTON PACIFIC ATLANTIC STEAMSHIPS. F. Feb 11. Empress of Ireland. F. Feb 18. All'n Line Steamer. First Cabin. Empresses, \$82.50 up. Lake Manitoba, 45.00. One Class Cabin. Lake Erie, \$47.50 up. Lake Champlain, 35.00. Second Cabin. Empresses, \$51.25. Lake Manitoba, \$35.00. Third Cabin. Empresses, \$30.00. Other boats, \$28.75. W.B. HOWLAND, B. F. A. St. John N. B.

HOTEL ST. DENIS. BROADWAY and 11th STREET. NEW YORK CITY. Within Easy Access of Every Point of Interest. Best Room from Wagon. Comfortable Apartments. Courteous Staff. Excellent Surroundings. ROOMS \$1.00 PER DAY AND UP. Very Comfortable. Sample Rooms at Reasonable Rates. EUROPEAN PLAN. Table d'Hotel Breakfast 50c. WM. TAYLOR & SON, Inc.

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