

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

Morning Daily (founded 1887) 66.00 per year (delivered) in advance \$5.00 per year (mailed) in advance in Canada, and 66.00 to U. S. A.

FRIDAY, APRIL 8 1921

COST OF PROHIBITION

The Guardian has drawn attention to the fact that the public accounts contain no particulars of the cost administering the Prohibition Commission during the past year, contrary to the previous practice.

as well as uncle and heir-presumptive of the present Duke, for whom he held temporarily the appointment of Earl Marshal of England—during the boyhood days of his nephew, it may be taken for granted that the present appointment has been made by those in high places after much careful thought and deliberation, and no doubt, hopes are entertained of peace prospects within a reasonable time.

Ireland has been called the brightest gem in the crown of the Empire. The rest of the Empire wishes it to be so. Many explanations have been forthcoming of the reasons for all the troubles in Ireland, and many solutions have been offered but none are good, not even the ones given by Irishmen themselves, who all speak more or less from a purely biased standpoint.

THE CASE OF IRELAND

Many thoughtful persons have come to the conclusion that the case of Ireland will be settled only by the devolution or all round home rule for England, Wales, Scotland and Ireland respectively, beginning with England. It is admitted the Imperial Parliament has more work than it can properly carry out, and the institution of local parliaments would relieve the congestion and pave the way for the settlement of the Irish question.

POLITICAL DYSPEPSIA

The trouble with the Patriot is political dyspepsia. The symptoms are identical with physical dyspepsia and the cause very much the same. In the physical form the trouble arises either from over-eating or in eating something that the stomach cannot assimilate. It would appear from the violence of the Patriot's recent attacks that it has done both. It had an overdose of politics before the election and very unwisely continued its indulgence after its party came into power.

Current Comment

The report of the External Auditor shows a considerable amount of uncollected revenue. By their Taxation Act this was made due and collectable last mid-summer. Why was it not collected? The Premier, Attorney General and their henchman, the Patriot, always on the hunt for a scape-goat for their sin or wily to invent excuses for their neglect, sought to saddle the blame on the Guardian.

When the various taxation acts were before the legislature at last session the Government benches were long and loud in their declaration of the things that were going to happen under the rigid administration of the Taxation laws, under this COURAGEOUS Government.

DAILY SELECTIONS GUARDIAN READERS

THE MINISTRY OF BLINDNESS (By Rev. J. R. Miller) Nothing is more worth while than kindness. Nothing else in life is more beautiful in itself. Nothing else does more to brighten the world and sweeten other lives.

fillment a net production of \$141,000. And this is not its worst feature, but because of the favoritism and the inequality of administration, those willing and ready to pay have been salted to make up the deficiencies of the other fellows. It is because the heads of Departments were afraid to call their souls their own, that when the boisterous objector appeared there was nothing to be done but to crouch to his imperious command, and comply with his wish.

We promised some time ago to give some further attention to tax questions, for rehabilitation of which that remarkable "CURE ALL" WASH ACT was passed, and now before that terrible juggernaut from the Justice Department, the Criminal Code, threatened by the Patriot simperton, crushes our bones we will get in our say and make good our promise.

It is plain that the Federal Government have power to collect a tax upon income; on this there is no dispute. It is equally true that if they can collect one or ten percent that they can with equally sound law collect sixty percent. In fact some Governments have collected up to seventy five percent. If, as our local lights claim, they have to have powers of taxation co-equal with the Dominion parliament, they too can impose whatever rate pleases them without any limit.

LETTER FROM THE CHILDREN'S FRIEND

Sir—I receive many letters from P. E. Island, principally from children. Some of them add the letters U. S. A. after the word Cuba. This causes delay in delivery because some of my mail goes astray when these letters are added, because Cuba is not in the U. S. A., and does not belong to it, but is an independent republic and is separated from the U. S. A. by the ocean.

Reduction In C. N. R. Wages

MONCTON, April 7.—Rumors in the past few days with regard to a reduction in hours or of staff in the C. N. R. works, culminated yesterday evening in an official statement that there would be a reduction of about thirty per cent. to apply to all principal repair shops in the system. The present working hours will be maintained and no work on Saturdays and alternate Fridays.



SILK For that Other Spring Gown

New coloring in Crepes and Taffetas. Luminous satins and Paillettes. For frocks, for blouses, for skirts, for sashes and millinery. These, in particular today: Crepe de Chines in Navy, Taupe, Rose, Nigger, Pink, Apricot, Mals, Jade, Sand, Paon Blue, White and Black at \$1.95 and \$2.35 per yard.

Patons Ltd.

THE PUBLIC FORUM

This column is open for the discussion by correspondents of questions of interest. The Charlottetown Guardian does not necessarily endorse the opinions expressed by its correspondents.

CURIOSITIES OF THE SKY

Sir—I am extremely sorry that I did not hear the very interesting lecture by Rev. T. W. Goodwin in Zion Church last night. I learn several new explanations of very fundamental astronomical theories. The principal of these are the statements that "The nebulae really is the heavenly record of the death of a star or a star gone to pieces," and "In old age they (stars) go to pieces and form the nebulae and finally become coal sacks of intensely black. These are startling statements diametrically opposed to the teaching of the great authorities who consider nebulae as worlds in process of formation, infant worlds, not definite ones. Mr. Goodwin's theory would upset all the teaching hitherto considered conclusive to explain the whole geological process of the formation of this earth and her fellow planets. I would therefore venture to ask his authority for the above statements and where I may read confirmation of this very new and startling theory.

LETTER FROM THE CHILDREN'S FRIEND

Sir—I receive many letters from P. E. Island, principally from children. Some of them add the letters U. S. A. after the word Cuba. This causes delay in delivery because some of my mail goes astray when these letters are added, because Cuba is not in the U. S. A., and does not belong to it, but is an independent republic and is separated from the U. S. A. by the ocean.

THE PUBLIC FORUM

of long experience and note they are unanimous as to the cause of the discoloration and deterioration of 1920 pack viz. Government regulation as to weight to the exclusion of brine. Now we feel sure if this line is continued for 1921 pack the same slump will occur in this year's sales and will cause the complete destruction of our market here and in Europe. Time is now very short to get this foolish regulation changed to save this year's pack and we think those most interested should get up large meetings in the principal places and pass strong resolutions demanding a change and let the net weight be put on the label say 5 1/2 or 6 ozs.

CURIOSITIES OF THE SKY

Sir—I am extremely sorry that I did not hear the very interesting lecture by Rev. T. W. Goodwin in Zion Church last night. I learn several new explanations of very fundamental astronomical theories. The principal of these are the statements that "The nebulae really is the heavenly record of the death of a star or a star gone to pieces," and "In old age they (stars) go to pieces and form the nebulae and finally become coal sacks of intensely black. These are startling statements diametrically opposed to the teaching of the great authorities who consider nebulae as worlds in process of formation, infant worlds, not definite ones. Mr. Goodwin's theory would upset all the teaching hitherto considered conclusive to explain the whole geological process of the formation of this earth and her fellow planets. I would therefore venture to ask his authority for the above statements and where I may read confirmation of this very new and startling theory.

LETTER FROM THE CHILDREN'S FRIEND

Sir—I receive many letters from P. E. Island, principally from children. Some of them add the letters U. S. A. after the word Cuba. This causes delay in delivery because some of my mail goes astray when these letters are added, because Cuba is not in the U. S. A., and does not belong to it, but is an independent republic and is separated from the U. S. A. by the ocean.

THE PUBLIC FORUM

or leave Canada? In view of the present taxation muddle this information would likely be of value to many.

CURIOSITIES OF THE SKY

Sir—I am extremely sorry that I did not hear the very interesting lecture by Rev. T. W. Goodwin in Zion Church last night. I learn several new explanations of very fundamental astronomical theories. The principal of these are the statements that "The nebulae really is the heavenly record of the death of a star or a star gone to pieces," and "In old age they (stars) go to pieces and form the nebulae and finally become coal sacks of intensely black. These are startling statements diametrically opposed to the teaching of the great authorities who consider nebulae as worlds in process of formation, infant worlds, not definite ones. Mr. Goodwin's theory would upset all the teaching hitherto considered conclusive to explain the whole geological process of the formation of this earth and her fellow planets. I would therefore venture to ask his authority for the above statements and where I may read confirmation of this very new and startling theory.

LETTER FROM THE CHILDREN'S FRIEND

Sir—I receive many letters from P. E. Island, principally from children. Some of them add the letters U. S. A. after the word Cuba. This causes delay in delivery because some of my mail goes astray when these letters are added, because Cuba is not in the U. S. A., and does not belong to it, but is an independent republic and is separated from the U. S. A. by the ocean.

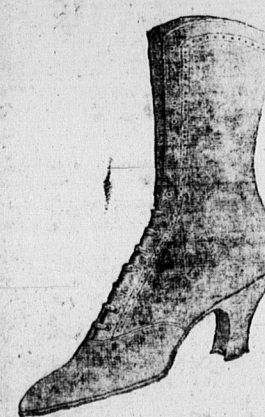


Time Tested Cold Remedy. Your grandparents can tell you of the wonderfully beneficial properties, and of the many remedies effected by the favorite family cough and cold remedy of their time—SHARP'S BALSAM of Marshmallow and Anise Seed.

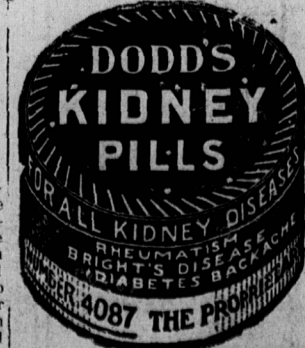
HOTEL VICTORIA. Famed for its cuisine service. Elegantly furnished. 52 rooms with baths. Make it your home in Charlottetown.

Feed Wheat. 1 Carload, 60,000 lbs. Just received. Excellent Poultry Feed. Increase egg production by feeding our Poultry Supplies.

Feed Wheat. Baby Chick Feed. Wholesale & Retail—Carter & Co. Ltd.



SPECIAL \$3.89. Ladies' Black and Grey Kid Boots as illustrated, all sizes. SPECIAL PRICE \$3.89. ALSO A job lot of Ladies' Low cuts, sizes 2 1-2 to 3 1-2 at \$1.98. SEE OUR WINDOW Purdie Ferguson Shoe Co. Ltd. Successor to D. GORDON & CO.



NO ORDERS FROM BRITAIN. SYDNEY, April 6.—Local officials of the Dominion Coal Co. state that they have received no word of orders placed by British firms since the strike in Great Britain.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. ALL KIDNEY DISEASES. RHEUMATISM. BRITISH DIABETES. 4087 THE PRINCE OF WELLES ST.