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Wednesday Last Day

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Thursday will be too late; MEN — if you want good shoes cheap, come tomorrow and lay in a supply. Such a chance will not occur again!

CANADIANS HONORED

London, Feb. 19.—In the list of military rewards approved by King George for services rendered in the field appear the names of the following officers with Canadian associations:

Major Cory and Major Davidson, D. R. O., promoted to be brevet-lieutenants-colonel.

Lord Brooke, who commanded the second Canadian brigade eighteen months ago, is made a C. M. G.

Lieut.-Col. E. J. Duffus, a native of

Halifax, attached to the 8th Brigade; Colonel Nanton and H. R. H. Prince Arthur of Connaught to be Companions of the Bath.

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GOOD RESULTS FROM CAR FERRY ARE EXPECTED

In Absence of the Earl Grey Weather Man Has Been Kindly — Work on Terminals of Car Ferry Advanced

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Feb. 22.—Since the removal of the powerful ice breaking steamer "Earl Grey" from the winter service between the island and the mainland, to Archangel, Russia, our people have had to depend on the two older and weaker steamers, the Minto and the Stanley.

The weather, fortunately, has been mild, with the exception of a week or two, and the service has been almost continuous, barring one or two weeks. The longest hold-up has been only of two days.

In March, however, there may be trouble with the easterly wind. At the opening of the season the steamers carried the mails as well as freight and passengers, but severe weather promised irregularity, and the mails were transferred to the small boats plying between Cape Traverse and Tormentine. These boats are steel-shod, capable of running on the ice as well as in the water, and being hauled and rowed by hand. Even with the return of mild weather, the small boat service was kept up, although a portion of the mail is still handled by the steamers.

In January this year the freight exported from the island amounted to 221 tons, compared with 1736 tons for January 1914. The crops were exceptionally good, and the volume of outward freight consisting mainly of farm produce, is the largest for some years. The inward freight for January, 1915, was 618 tons, compared with 1222 tons for 1914, the merchants not ordering so much this winter.

In the Ottawa estimates appears the sum of \$1,180,000 on account of the car ferry to be run between Charlottetown Head and Cape Tormentine. Next year it is expected that the steamer will be available. This vessel, which will cost \$700,000, is being built by Armstrong, Whitworth and Company, Limited, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and was launched on October 4.

Work at the landing facilities has been in operation for more than a year. It ceased for this season about two months ago and will be resumed in the spring. Immense structures are being built on both sides of the strait, the largest at Charlottetown. This pier will be 2,200 feet long, extending to where the water reaches a depth of from twenty-three to twenty-four feet at low tide. The principal works will consist of a car ferry landing slip, a pier projection to the slip, rubble mound approach, and the dredging of berths or trenches for crabs to the pier to twenty feet below low water at ordinary spring tides.

The breakwater will be 800 feet long. The summer about 200,000 tons of stone, brought by scows from Shediac, have been dumped into the Strait for the pier and breakwater. The work at Cape Tormentine, which is at the same time being done on the island side, is further advanced.

Great things are expected of the car ferry. It should do away with the present problem of winter communication. The construction of the car ferry and the necessary changes in the harbor will make the island practically part of the mainland, as goods can be sent, say from Charlottetown to St. John and vice versa without the present frequent handling which adds to the cost of transportation.

The car ferry should very materially assist in supplying all points on the I. C. with the best and cheapest food products in the world by giving cheap through rates from here. It should increase the value of farming property considerably. It should result in a merited development of the fisheries, enabling

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SEVERE RHEUMATIC PAINS DISAPPEAR

Rheumatism depends on an acid in the blood, which affects the muscles and joints, producing inflammation, stiffness and pain. This acid gets into the blood through some defect in the digestive process.

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fresh fish of all kinds to be shipped in refrigerators direct to their destination. It will enable our fruit, especially strawberries, which ripen later than the United States and in other parts of Canada, to be rushed through to their destination in prime condition, to supply a bare market, and enable our famed lamb, and eggs to be shipped in quicker time and in better condition than is possible at present in warm weather. It should increase the export trade in every branch, and introduce new industrial era. It should also greatly stimulate tourist traffic and travel in general.

The distance from Charlottetown to St. John would be about sixteen miles farther by the car ferry than by the present route. By the construction of a line of railway from Port Elgin to Moncton direct, a distance of forty-five miles, a saving of thirty-nine miles would be made, thus making the car ferry route shorter by twelve miles.

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after unprotected girls. Many instances of effective aid in this respect may be cited.

The playgrounds work is pretty well known. The object is to provide healthy, outdoor amusement for city children under careful supervision and tuition, keeping them off the street and out of the way of street temptations and accidents, relieving tired parents for a few hours each day, and endeavoring to strengthen the bodies and purify the minds of the children. A corps of efficient teachers has charge of these

sex. These teachers, who have taken special courses in playground work, receive \$10 for six days' labor, their assistants, \$8. It is estimated that last year about 1,200 children were kept off the street and out of harm's way, and provided with healthy amusement and wholesome instruction at these grounds.

The Girls' Club is a splendid institution. It is in charge of a competent staff of women teachers, who give instruction during the evenings to girls who are employed in the city, and who are with-

out homes of their own. They are taught domestic service, as well as to read, write and sing. A class in callisthenics has also been carried on. The girls are devoted to their teachers and greatly interested in the work. The Club has quite a large membership and is deserving of the highest commendation.

Now is the Boys' Club less deserving. This club numbers eighty-three boys on its roll. They meet nightly in their hall in Union street, and enjoy themselves in games, in physical culture, and in other wholesome recreation. Superintendent C. D. Howard, a most competent instructor, is in charge of this club, as he is of the other activities of the association, and he is very proud of the progress and character of the boys under his direction. He points with pride to the fact that, although the boys are as full of boyish mischief as boys usually are, not one of them has been brought before the police court for any offence.

But for the existence of the club many of these boys during the most formative period of their lives would be spending their nights in the streets and alleys of the city, gathering up a stock of viciousness that would make them anything but desirable citizens.

These that I have indicated are some of the philanthropic organizations of the city that have been thrust on the tender mercies of the world—I will not say a cold and cruel world, because it is not by the action of the city fathers.

Having regard to the splendid work all these organizations are accomplishing in the way of "citizen planning," the influence for good they are exerting upon the youth of the city, the amount of money they are saving the city in police protection, I think that the council would be justified in reconsidering its attitude of indifference toward these bodies, so that they may not be compelled to close their doors and suspend their operations.

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these my little ones, ye have done it unto Me," is an injunction that might well be recalled at this juncture.

Yours sincerely,
R. E. A.

CONDENNS ANONYMOUS CIVIC CRITICISM

That civic criticism, as it is being made at present in St. John, is doing much harm was the statement of Rev. R. J. Haughton, pastor of the Congregational church, last night in the course of an interesting sermon concerning problems to be solved for the betterment of humanity.

The best elements in the city were not in control, he said, and there were many things which could be improved, but it would not be brought about by a campaign of vilification and anonymous letter writing. The matter must be approached only in the spirit of Jesus Christ. Mr. Haughton endorsed the words of Bishop LeBlanc, uttered in his pastoral letter of Sunday last, and said it made thoughtful reading for Protestants and Catholics alike. There must be a union of the various forces working for general betterment and the time was surely here when the new sense of Christian responsibility must be realized.

Children's Day at Opera House.

The prize winners in the children's amateur contest at the Opera House on Saturday afternoon, were—George Peniston, a singer, first; Dorothy Gilbrith, second; Gertrude Rolston, comedy sketch reader, third. The boys from the Wiggins' Orphan Home attended the performance in a body as the guests of the management.

Wise Old Ben Franklin

Said—

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With the price of beef and wheat soaring higher and higher, the problem of economic living is causing many housewives to consider food values in planning meals.

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This food, the true meat of wheat and barley full of Nature's richest nourishment, builds nerve and muscle, bone and brain, in a way that has thoroughly commended it the world over.

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