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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

A new cabinet was formed at Lisbon, Portugal, on Dec. 29th, under the leadership of J. Luciano De Castro.

A vote is to be taken to repeal the Scotch Act in Prince County, on Thursday, Feb. 1st. The Sheriff of the County is to be the returning officer. So say Ottawa advices of the 30th December.

Albuquerque, New Mexico, Jan. 2.—A twelve hour snow storm has just ceased covering the whole of New Mexico. Accompanied by zero weather it is causing much suffering.

Hon. Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia returned home to Victoria on the 28th. Mr. McBride states the Pacific terminal of the Grand Trunk Pacific has been decided upon, and that Tucks Inlet, together with the southern portion of Kaine Island, has been chosen.

The Ontario government received a hundred and fifty thousand dollars last Friday as assessment duties on the estate of the late Senator Fullford of Brockville, also a hundred thousand dollars the net earnings for the year on Tamiskaming and Northern Ontario railway.

The experiments in cotton-growing by the Toronto-Brookville in the Province of Seattle, Cedar, and Malaga, Spain, along with proper irrigation abundant crops can be raised of a quality not inferior to the best American cotton. Two hundred and fifty acres yielded 54,880 pounds. The cotton sown on unirrigated ground was lost, owing to the unprecedented drought.

The schooner Sakata, of Paraboro, N. S., has been lost at sea with all hands on board but one. Captain W. James A. Contri had his father, W. F. Contri on board. She was valued at 25,000 and partially covered by insurance. Mate Williams escaped. The crew were W. J. Cox, Edward Melville, Arthur Cook, Benj. Thibodeau, C. K. Simpson.

King Alfonso, of Spain, is soon to be married to Princess Ena of Saxe-Coburg. The Princess is a Protestant; but is to be received into the Catholic Church in Rome during this month. It is reported she is to be baptized by Archbishop Stoner, of England, in the presence of Cardinal Merry Del Val, Papal Secretary of State.

A St. Petersburg despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, London states that an American named Jackson is negotiating with the Russian Government for concessions to build 5,350 versts of railway in Siberia, at a cost of \$242,000,000. The Minister of Communications has appointed a special committee to examine into the scheme.

Jean Baptiste Sepido, who in 1900 fired at the Prince of Wales, now King Edward, as his train was pulling out of the Northern station at Brussels on the way to Copenhagen where the Prince was going to attend the birthday celebration of King Christian, has been named from the Reformatory at Ghent, Belgium, to which he was confined and has been enrolled in the army ambulance corps.

The Dominion Department of Agriculture, through Mr. Charlan, an expert brought out from France, will conduct extensive experiments during the next few months in the curing of Canadian-grown tobacco. Through an arrangement with a tobacco manufacturing firm in Montreal, it is stated a large lot of some 30,000 or 40,000 pounds of the raw material will be cured and manufactured under the direction of Mr. Charlan.

Afflicted with astoria or spinal meningitis more than a score of horses dropped in the streets of Brooklyn, N. Y., on Thursday last, and at least half of them succumbed to the disease before a veterinary could reach them. Every veterinary surgeon in the section was called into service, and they were busy until late at night trying to check the spread of the disease. Up to six o'clock p. m. one veterinarian had been called to attend nineteen cases, nine of which were fatal. All the animal hospitals are crowded with horses which have only a chance to recover.

It is expected that the British warship Dominion, bringing the body of the late Hon. Raymond Prefontaine to Canada will reach Halifax on the 22nd of January. As the funeral will take place in Montreal the proceedings at Halifax will be of a simple character. A number of ministers from Ottawa will be present to receive the body and a special train to convey it from Halifax to Montreal will be provided. The landing will probably take place at the Ordnance wharf. The body will be accompanied from the landing place to the Intercolonial Railway station by a guard of honor and by any of the public officials or citizens of Halifax who may wish to pay their respects in this way.

There was landed by the fishermen of Petit de Grat and around Arichat on Friday last over a hundred and fifty thousand pounds of haddock, for which they will receive two thousand dollars. The fishermen at Arichat have been most successful so far, and if the weather continues fair, great catches will be made at Chebucto Bay, the great winter haunt of the haddock, is teeming with fish. Thirty schooner boats are fishing out of Petit de Grat, and the small gullion boat Enterprise from Sable, Halifax County. This winter the geolone boat is doing a big work bringing in ten thousand pounds of fish per day. Capital is needed to start a large fish establishment. The harbor is an excellent one, and the fresh fish industry of Arichat Island is capable of large development.

The winter time table on the P. E. I. Railway comes into effect to-morrow Jan. 4th. Trains will then leave Charlottetown for Summerside at 8.25 a. m. and 3.05 p. m. and reach there at 11.00 a. m. and 6.15 p. m. Trains will leave Summerside at 8.50 a. m. and 12.50 p. m. for Charlottetown arriving at 9.50 a. m. and 3.05 p. m. Westward from Summerside there will be one train leaving at 2 p. m. and reaching Tignish at 6.30. Returning it will leave Tignish at 6 a. m. and reach Summerside 10.25 a. m. East from Charlottetown there will be one train a day leaving at 3.25 p. m. and reaching Souris at 6.25 p. m. and Georgetown at 6.05. Returning will leave Souris at 6 a. m. and Georgetown at 8.20 a. m. reaching the city at 9 a. m. On Monday, Wednesday and Friday a freight will leave Charlottetown at 7.00 a. m., reaching Souris at 11.10, and returning will leave Souris at 12.50 reaching the city at 5.05. A train will leave Emerald at 6.10 p. m., reaching Cape Traverse at 6.00 p. m., and on return will leave Cape Traverse at 7 a. m., reaching Emerald at 7.50 a. m. The Murray Harbor branch will be run as at present.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

According to official statements from Ottawa, the total number of immigrants inspected entering Canada during the last fiscal year was 125,507, of whom 2,900 entered at Pacific ports. The total number detained was 2,559, while the total deportations from all sources were 611. Of the new arrivals 65,000 were British and 58,508 were foreigners. Of the British only 13 were deported as against 608 of other nationalities.

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An Ottawa despatch of yesterday says that Senator Templeman has arrived at the Capital from British Columbia. The same despatch says he is rumored in official circles that he will be appointed Minister of Island Revenue, and the Brother, the present incumbent will be given the Department of Marine and Fisheries. Templeman is now a minister without portfolio. Nothing definite is likely to be done for a month or so.

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DIED

Suddenly in this city on January 1st, of heart failure, Mrs. Joseph Murray, aged 70 years. May her soul rest in peace.

At New Harmony, on the 12th, ult. after a long and painful illness, Mrs. Angus McEachern, aged 57 years. May her soul rest in peace.

In Cambridge, Mass. Dec. 24th, Florence J. McDonald, (nee Campbell formerly of Cardigan, P. E. I.

At Ruston Road, on Dec. 27th, 1905, Catherine McKenna, wife of the late Jas. Duffy. She leaves one son and three daughters. May her soul rest in peace.

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Strayed Heifer.

There has been on my premises since last summer, a heifer about one and a half years old, color red and white. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses. If not claimed before the 20th January next, she will be sold by public auction at 2 o'clock p. m. on that day.

PATRICK McDONALD, Bear River. Dec. 27, 1905

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Candidates for the Rhodes' Scholarship for Prince Edward Island for 1906 are requested to send in their applications, accompanied by certificates of age, character, scholarship &c., to the Lieutenant Governor, Chairman of the Committee of Selection, on or before 15th January, 1906. Dec. 27, 1905—34.

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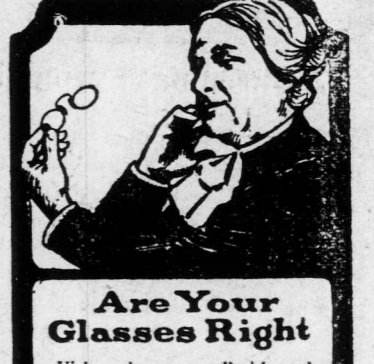
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