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LOCAL BRIEFS

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St. George's Lodge meets to-night.

ALPHA Rebekah to-night. All members requested to attend.

COME and hear the story of "Old Stray" at the Demorest Medal Contest to-night. Chair taken at 7.30.

MESSRS. LOWE BROS. have been awarded the contract for the erection of the addition to the Davies Hotel.

In different parts of the country the farmers are taking advantage of the recent cold weather and are storing their summer supply of ice.

THE second Abegweits and the Stars, of Summerside, play a match game of hockey in Hillsboro Rink, to-night. The Junior Abegweits and the Pioneers, of Summerside, also play a match.

LAST night Court Sylvan I. O. F. of Montague paid a fraternal visit to the Foresters of Murray Harbor south. During the evening an enjoyable program was rendered and refreshments were served.

THE Y's are held a Demorest Medal Contest to-night in the basement of Prince St. Methodist Church. The program begins at half-past seven with a selection from Prof. Watts' Orchestra, Master Bertie Anderson will sing "Canada Forever." Admission free. Silver collection.

REMEMBER the big concert and social in Kingston Hall on Wednesday, March 14th in aid of the Baptist Organ fund. The program will consist of choruses, solos, dialogues and stump speeches, also graphophone selections and pipe music. Those in charge will spare no pains in making it the time of the season. Admission 10 cents. Ladies with baskets free. Should the evening prove unfavorable, it will be held on the first fine night. All are cordially invited.

THE Evangelical Churchman says:—Since the arrival of our rector, the Rev. Leo Williams, the young men have received special attention with the result of the formation of a Young Men's Society. A concert was given on Tuesday evening Feb. 27th, under their auspices which was a grand success. Our rector is to be congratulated in drawing around him such a band of energetic and noble workers.

MISS EDITH GALLANT who has lately returned from Boston, has secured a room directly over Jas. Paton & Co's Dry Goods Store, where she will be prepared to make ladies' tailor made costumes, jackets, rainy day skirts, and golf capes, at short notice and at reasonable rates. Miss Gallant comes well recommended. Her system of cutting is up-to-date. Her experience gained in some of the fashionable establishments for the past few years is enough recommendation. We bespeak for Miss Gallant a large patronage.

THE GUARDIAN has received from Messrs. Lynch & Company, Fish Dealers of New York, a beautiful calendar, on the face of which is a dial studded with Shad, Mackerel, Blue Fish, Weak Fish, Black Bass, white Perch, Smelts, Salmon, White Fish, Stripped Bass, Lake Trout, Spanish Mackerel, Red Snapper, etc. Printed in colors and representing all points of the compass, Messrs. Lynch & Co. will give consignors prompt returns, itemized account of sales. Shipping cards, stencils, and all necessary information on demand. Address No. 18 Fulton Fish Market, N. Y.

OPERA HOUSE, Wednesday night. A grand treat in store for our citizens. Prof. John A. Nichols has been secured for his famous entertainment, "The War in South Africa," illustrated by a graphic scene of the conflict. Including the Siege of Ladysmith, Boer trenches, British defences, charge of the Lancers, Boer Generals, Boer Troops, Battle of Elandslaagte, The Canadian Contingent. Halifax and St. John papers speak in the highest terms of this entertainment. Crowded houses everywhere. The entertainment will conclude with the wonderful life motion pictures by the marvellous projectoscope. Tickets at the usual places 25 and 35 cts.

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The genial H. Price Webber was as usual warmly greeted yesterday by his many friends in Moncton.—Moncton Times.

THE war in South Africa graphically illustrated in the Opera House to-morrow night—an eloquent description by Prof. John Nichols.

EASTERN NOTES.—A bear was shot in his den a few days ago within a short distance of the very East Point by Daniel McMillan, Arthur Irvin and Chiverie and a cub taken alive. The bear's den was discovered the previous day by a dog accompanying Irvin, who was chopping rails for Daniel A. McLean. Two old bullets were imbedded in the bear's flesh attesting his previous acquaintance with men. They were probably put there by John Robertson, who twice under difficult conditions saw the bear depart with his shot or part of them. Bears are getting scarce, unknown in a good many parts of the Island for years, but a remnant is still lingering here. When our grand fathers came here from Scotland with all the strength and vigor imparted by the air of their native straths and glens they found the place swarming with these pests of the sheep fold. At that time not only sheep but cows and pigs fell before their voracious appetites and the stillness of the summer night was often broken by the vociferous and lusty squealing of the pig, or the mournful and long continued bellowing of the cow attacked by a hungry bear. Fire arms were almost unknown here then, and many stories are told of the heroic efforts of the men of that period in rescuing their stock with pitch forks and axes from the clutches of their remorseless and powerful enemy. Some times they were not successful. The bears appears to have learned with the years as cattle and pigs now enjoy immunity from their attacks as their noise brings men to the rescue with very different weapons from what their grandfathers used on them. Now the innocent sheep is their sole prey and many a man about East Point has found his stock seriously diminished in the fall. The bear is of powerful build, and active in his movements, of an ugly temper, and can carry off a great amount of lead when not struck in the right place. Formerly it was supposed here that he had some elaborately prepared den to the westward in some inaccessible place where he repaired on the approach winter for his long winter sleep, but recent experiences have convinced us that he prepares no place beforehand, that he never dens twice in the same place, but that when he finds the winter sleep coming on he selects some suitable spot which is generally under a windfall, scratches the ground into shape, breaks off some boughs, lies down, and snow comes and covers him up. He passes the time in a kind of stupor till warm weather warns him that it is time to be again on the move.—While we read of trains being delayed by snow in Prince County, of Canada and some of the States, being covered from two to four feet, and regular old-fashioned snowstorms here in the East, we have had but little yet, and wheels are still going on the roads.—Alex. McDonald of East Point Baltic, has arrived home from the lumber woods. He reports men leaving from the depth of snow, five feet in Northern Maine.

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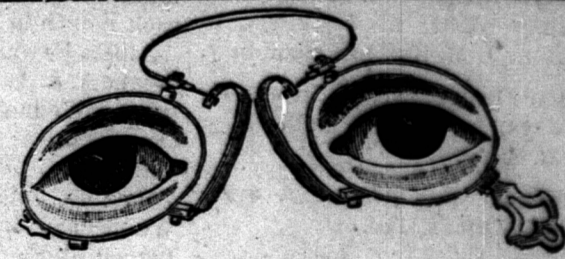
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