

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

IT PAYS to buy in this Province WILDEY LODGE, No. 27, I.O.O.F., meets tonight at 8 p. m. Important Business and Nomination of Officers. 3489.

STUDENT PREACHER.—Mr. Geo. Irvine, of the Presbyterian College, Halifax, will preach next Sunday, in New London, Summerfield and Grandville.

FUNERAL TODAY.—The funeral of the late Miss Josie Smith will take place from her father's residence, Chestnut Street, this morning. Services will commence at 10.15. The funeral leaves at 10.45 for the Rocky Point boat. Interment will be at New Dominion Cemetery, Rev. Dr. Fullerton officiating.

J. P.'s APPOINTED.—At yesterday's meeting of the Executive Council, the following new Justices of the Peace were appointed:—Mr. John Cudmore, of Union Corner, Lot 15; Mr. Fraser McDougall, of Bloomfield; Charles G. Dunn, Dock Road, Lot 4; Mr. Hubert Huestis, Union Vale, Lot 6. Mr. Huestis was also appointed a Commissioner of Deeds.

BLACKSMITHS' MEETING.—At the Union Hotel last night a meeting of the Charlottetown branch of the Brotherhood of Railway Blacksmiths and Helpers was held under the presidency of Mr. John Currie. The meeting was addressed by Mr. D. J. McGillivray of Moncton, N. B., who made a report upon the Brotherhood's activities and present position. Mr. McGillivray leaves the city this morning and goes to Halifax in connection with a similar meeting to be held there.

POLICE COURT.—At the Charlottetown Police Court yesterday morning, Joseph Carr, on a charge of fighting on the street, was fined \$10, with the option of thirty days' imprisonment. Three other men were on the previous day charged along with Carr, and in yesterday morning's Guardian it was erroneously stated that one of them was named Conway; this should have been Conway. The prohibition case of A. Boissier v. P. O. Brown and Capt. John Hughes, is further adjourned to this morning.

SUCCESSFUL TEA.—The City Market Hall last evening presented a very animated and cheerful appearance on the occasion of the annual Yule Tide Tea given by the ladies of the St. Elizabeth's Aid Society. The function met with deservedly great patronage and if the worthy promoters had every reason to be glad thereof, their patrons had equal cause for gratification, as for a moment of expenditure they were given a delightful time. An excellent meal was excellently served, and there was none but who was thoroughly pleased. The outstanding feature of the event is the fact that it was promoted to raise funds to provide "A Merry Christmas" for the poor orphans. Judging from the attendance this laudable purpose should be assured.

OPPOSITION SCORES A POINT.—At the first meeting of St. Dunstan's College Mock Parliament, held in the college hall on the 17th inst., the Opposition, led by their Hon. leader, James McDougall, triumphed over the McGuigan Government. The Hon. leader, Mr. James McDougall, clearly demonstrated his superiority over the leader of the Government, Mr. Mark McGuigan, not only in the excellent arguments with which he criticized the Government policies, but also in the clear and distinct manner in which he brought forth these arguments. Time and time again his supporters cheered him to the echo. The Government speakers were: Mr. Mark McGuigan, leader; Mr. Joseph Fleming, member from Lewis and Douglas Hogan, from Halifax. Although they quitted themselves to their best advantage it was easy to see how difficult it was for them to give any solid arguments in defense of their policies. While on the other hand the Opposition speakers, Mr. James McDougall, leader; Mr. Owen Trainor, member from Vancouver, and Mr. Ray Brown, from Yorktown, delivered eloquent and forceful speeches. The House then adjourned for the Xmas holidays.

SMOKERS GOODS.—There are many things in this line suitable for gifts for gentlemen—Pipes (Briar and Meerschaum), Tobacco Pouches, Cigar and Cigarette Cases and Holders, Tobacco Jars; Ash Trays, Companion Sets, etc. Our stock is large and specially selected for Xmas. B. A. Foster, Central Drugstore.—Mfr.

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THE NORTHUMBERLAND.—As explained in another column, the S. S. Northumberland did not reach her moorings at Charlottetown until 10.45 o'clock last night.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—A number of Island students from the different colleges on the mainland returned home last night by the Northumberland, to spend their Christmas holidays.

"CONCERT"—Big School Concert at Centreville Hall, Dec. 23rd, 7.30 p. m., choruses, drills, songs, contata, motion songs, orchestra of boys. Home made candy sold, (20c. and 10c.) 3440.

SHOP BROKEN INTO.—The approaching hockey season may be held to be responsible in some measure, if not altogether, for a robbery that was committed in Charlottetown on Wednesday night. The bicycle establishment carried on in Grafton street by Mr. Rice was broken into by thieves, who effected their entrance by smashing a pane of glass in a window in the rear of the shop and in this way getting to the window fastenings and undoing them. They made a sweep of Mr. Rice's key goods, carrying away between \$75 and \$100 worth of the most expensive skates and hockey boots and sticks; besides a number of small electric flash-lights. They seemed either to have left in a hurry or to have been careless or indifferent, as they left behind them a bag and a broken flashlight, which may be useful to the police in regard to picking up a clue to the robbers. Evidently they dropped their flashlight and it got broken; and to complete their nefarious operations they must have used one of those annexed from Mr. Rice. Besides carrying away Mr. Rice's goods they further injured him by taking two odd-side boots; the only consolation is that they served themselves a bad trick. The case is in the hands of the police.

PERSONALS

Mr. Andrew Dollar of Brookfield, was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. Alex. McDonald of Brookfield, spent Tuesday in the city.

Miss Melissa Barrett, Kingston, spent Tuesday in the city.

Mr. Everett Holmes of Kingston, was in the city Tuesday.

Robert Brown, Stanley and Joe Stewart, Cavendish, were among those in Summerside on Saturday last.—N.

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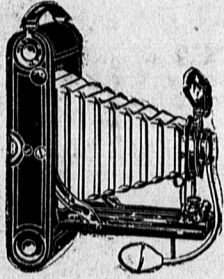


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