

LOCAL BRIEFS

Latest News of the City and Province.

By Reporters and Correspondents Everywhere.

THE meeting of the Montague Literary society which was announced for Tuesday evening did not materialize.

THE Prince Edward Island Railway will issue special excursions to Charlottetown during the Easter holidays.

ANY GUARDIAN readers who desire photos of the late Alfred Riggs can obtain same from Messrs. Westlake Bros.

THE people of Montague were given a concert last night by Wm. Farrell. The program consisted of gramophone and other selections.

THE auction sale of Mrs. Allen McDonald's farm and implements took place in Montague yesterday. The auction was conducted by Mr. J. M. Aitken.

THE citizens of Montague will have the privilege of attending a first class band concert on Tuesday evening in the Hall. An elaborate program of 26 pieces is being prepared.

LIEUT.-COL. MORRIS of the North West Mounted police, arrived from P. E. Island, where he had been recruiting for the force. 23 have enrolled. Halifax Chronicle.

OWING to other attractions on the date at first arranged for the Tea and Apron Fair by the Ladies' Aid Society of Grace Church, it has been decided to hold it on Thursday, April 12th.

MANITOBA Free Press, March 22.—Commissioner Laird, of the Indian department, is at Selkirk investigating some charges against Indians there of cutting and selling wood from the St. Peter's reserve, contrary to the Indian act.

ON the trip up from the West Indies Captain H. Boulanger, of the steamer Tiber, was looking after moving some cargo and fell down the hold, severely injuring his foot. The injury may prevent him going to St. John on the steamer. Captain Delisle takes charge.—Halifax Chronicle.

THE Delaware Pilot of March 17th says:—The funeral of Mr. Dan J. Johnston, of Denver Colo., a brother of Chas. W. Johnston, of this town, took place on Tuesday on arrival of noon train. Interment was made in the M. E. Cemetery. Deceased lived in the West for a number of years and died at White Pine, Colo., on the 4th, inst. Miss M. E. Johnston, of Philadelphia, was here on Tuesday, attending the funeral of her brother. [The deceased was the second son of the late Hector Johnston of Brudenell River, King's County where he is well and favorably known.]

Yesterday it was THE GUARDIAN representative's privilege to be shown through a new first-class coach on the P. E. I. Railway. The car is 49 feet long and embraces all the modern improvements including the latest in slide back seats, upholstered with a view to hide all the wood, with the exception of the arms. The ceiling is finished in quartered oak and is certainly superior to any car we have seen on the road. The new car made its first trip to Tignish Tuesday and all who had the pleasure of riding in it speak highly of its smooth running qualities. With the new engines and new cars the service during the coming summer will excel all former attempts made by the Superintendent of this popular road.

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DATE of Emersonian Recital changed to Thursday, April 5th.

Mr. Oliver Mason wants fifteen heavy draft horses on Friday and Saturday next. See ad.

A TORONTO exchange referring to the price of butter says:—While the market was not very largely attended, yet prices became slightly easier and the sales more general. The butter market was watched in particular and the big drop that took place was welcomed. The price went down to 23c. inside prices, for prints, and 20c for the article in pails. The price in Charlottetown remains the same as last quoted.

THE contractors have most of their material gathered for the new bridge at Bay View, and intend to tear up the old one and commence building it right away. The travelling public will have to go all around Hope River to get from Cavendish to Stanley Bridge till the job is completed. Why this bridge should be rebuilt just when the ice is breaking up is what the people around there cannot understand, especially as the work could have been done much more easily, and cheaply, and without inconvenience to the public at an earlier date.

AN Ottawa exchange says:—The musicale given by Mrs. Borden on Wednesday evening appears to have been enjoyed by all her guests. From what I am told I gather that the best numbers on the programme were Dr. Gibson, piano playing, Mrs. D. C. Scott's violin and Miss Gertrude Davies, recitation. Miss Davies is the eldest daughter of Sir Louis Davies, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, who represents a constituency in the province in Prince Edward Island. The Ministers family resides in Charlottetown in the summer months where he has a beautiful residence.

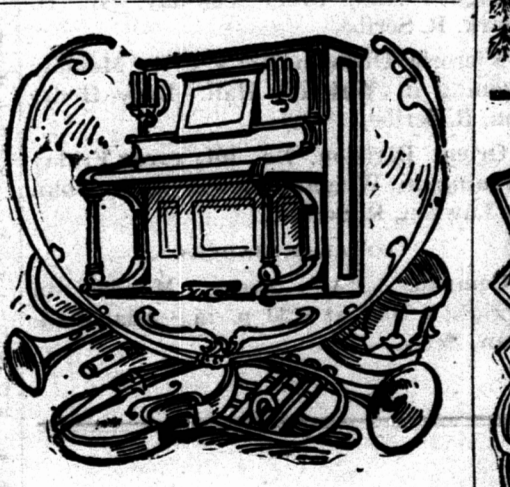
REV. G. P. RAYMOND is receiving contributions from his congregation for the famine sufferers in India. The foreign mission field of the Baptist Churches of Canada is situated in the Madras Presidency of Southern India, and, although the famine district is in the Western and central parts of the Empire, its effects are now reaching the Telegu country where the Mission stations of the Baptist are located. All friends wishing to contribute to this most worthy object may hand their offerings to Mr. Raymond, and he will forward the same to the treasurer of the Baptist Foreign Mission Board, who transmits the offerings to the Missionaries in India.

A Halifax exchange says:—From what can be learned at the Dockyard, the fleet of warships will arrive much earlier this year than on previous years—about May 8th. The fleet will be just exactly the same as last year, with the exception that the Charybdis takes the place of the Comus on the Newfoundland Fishery Protection service. The Hermes, which is now at Jamaica, partially disabled, and which relieved the Talbot on the station last year, will make her first visit to Halifax this summer. The Albert will be re-commissioned at Bermuda the end of this month. Nothing but rumors have it the Alliance was to take the Crescent's place, and they are likely to be unfounded.

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