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THE GUARDIAN LOCAL NEWS
Reporters and Correspondents Everywhere.

This mail reached the city Saturday at 4.10.
Chas. J. Mitchell returned Saturday from a visit to Amherst.
David Schurman was a passenger Saturday from the mainland.
Mrs. R. H. Sterns was a passenger to Souris, Saturday afternoon.
Isaac Larter of Carter & Co. Ltd. returned Saturday afternoon from the east.
G. S. Inman, Magistrate for King's County was in the city Saturday.
L. M. Poole and D. A. Bruce were passengers to Georgetown Saturday afternoon.
Rev. Dr. Curran, Rector of St. Dunstan's College returned Saturday after a three weeks' visit to the United States.
This meeting of the School Board to have been held to-night is further adjourned till notice is given.
In Saturday's issue among the chapters of the Whist party, Mrs. Lord's name appeared in mistake for Mrs. Moore's.
Rev. Jas. McDougall will preach (D.V.) on Sabbath the 22nd at Canoe Cove at 10.30, DeSable at 8 and at Hampton at 6.30.
This news will be learned with deep regret of the death on Saturday of Mrs. Jessie Bruce, Valleyfield, mother of D. A. Bruce of this City.
Capt T. J. Craig of the S. S. City of London returned to the city Saturday from Kingston, Ont. where he has been visiting his mother.
The schooner Omega, well known here, which left Louisburg for Halifax on Dec. 15, commanded by Capt. Neil Sutherland, has not yet reported and fears are entertained for her safety.
Victoria—C. P. Clarke, Byron N. Barnes, W. R. Gillis, Montreal; H. H. Sterns, Souris; R. J. Humphrey, St. John; Geo. E. Ateller, Montreal; W. J. Henning, St. John; W. H. P. Irving, Cape Traverse; Harry Fisher, J. Pope Barnes, Montreal; Edward M. Welkin, Boston; H. McCullough, St. John; G. L. Murray, Halifax.

Miss Ella Bealro left last night for Boston.
H. W. Winchester was a passenger to Georgetown last night.
Miss Celia McMillan, city, is visiting in Brackley and Stanhope.
Miss Nettie Ross left last night for Boston. A large number of friends were at the station to see her off.
This annual Thank offering service was observed in Hazelbrook Baptist Church last night. A large offering was taken up.
W. K. Rogers left last night for Boston and New York. He will be absent about three weeks and will return home by way of Toronto and Montreal.
A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association is called for Tuesday, Jan. 17th 8 p.m. A large attendance is desired as some important business must be transacted.
An enjoyable meeting of the Daughters of the Empire was held last Saturday afternoon at Hillhurst, the home of G. D. and Mrs. Longworth. It was decided to hold monthly meetings at the homes of the members.
Yesterday was a busy day for the plumbers. Many water pipes were frozen as the result of the extreme cold of Saturday night and much repairing was necessary before families could get their usual supply of water.
A TELEGRAM received in Summerside announces the death in California of Arthur Howatt, son of the late Cornelius Howatt of St. Eleanor's and a brother of Mrs. John H. Bell and Nelson Howatt, Summerside. The deceased visited the Island last summer.
A DISPATCH on Saturday says that the Ross Block, Sydney, was gutted by fire at noon. Among the business offices in the building was that of H. P. Duchemin of this city, a member of the firm of Moseley & Duchemin, barristers.
The Minto's cargo on Saturday to Georgetown included seven cars hay, and 1 car of way freight. There was also 180 bags mail and 25 passengers. The Stanley took to Pictou 8 pkgs mutton, 45 pkgs beef, 420 dressed hogs, and 109 boxes smelts besides sundries.
At the First Methodist Church yesterday morning in the course of an able sermon Rev. Mr. Dobson made an eloquent reference to late Dr. Latham at one time pastor of the Church. At the close of the sermon the Dead March was beautifully played by the organist while the audience stood with bowed heads.
A TELEGRAM received in the City yesterday contained the information that sales of raw sugar have been made to New York refiners for January, February and March delivery at prices equal to 5c and freight per pound at New York. A later wire said that in London raw sugars are higher and active. Raw beet sugar is quoted at 15 shillings 11/2 pence per hundred.—St. John's Sun.
CHARLES KENT, the King Saul of "The Shepherd King" company, received last week the unpleasant news that his beautiful summer home on Prince Edward Island had been partially destroyed by fire.—Boston Sunday Globe. [Mr. Kent spends his summers on the island and has many friends at Scotia and vicinity. He is one of the prominent actors of Boston where he has acquired a considerable reputation.]
The Guardian is pleased to note that Chas. J. Mitchell, lately foreman in the Job department of Murley & Garnum, Steam printers and bookbinders, has been appointed General Agent for P. E. I. for the Excelsior Life Insurance Company of Toronto. This is a young and healthy company with business increasing each year, and The Guardian predicts that Mr. Mitchell who has a large acquaintance with the residents of both town and country will bring his company into popular favor.
The tenth meeting of the C. B. C. Debating Society was held on Saturday evening. After the election of new members the following subject was debated "Will a man do more for fame than necessity?" Mr. Dunstan opened in the affirmative and was followed by Mr. Clarke on behalf of the negative, Messrs. Trainor and Gaudet spoke on the negative side. The arguments were ably upheld and considerable determination shown during the meeting. The ballot resulted as follows—affirm 15, negative 30. There were many present from other educational institutions. The C. B. C. Recorder will appear the end of this week.

BRITAIN TOO GREAT AND TOO POWERFUL

LONDON, January 12.—Premier Balfour, speaking at a banquet given in his honor at Glasgow to-night, avoided the fiscal question except to say that he had nothing to add to or retract from his Edinburgh speech. He hoped conferences with the colonies would be soon held as essentially a working part of the empire as the house of commons. The two great problems with which the army had to deal, Mr. Balfour said, were the defence of Afghanistan and re-armament which involved a cost as much as any continental nation was able to bear. When this was completed the British army would be in advance of that of any other nation in the world. Continuing Mr. Balfour said the fault with the empire was not that it was too small, but that it was too great and powerful and at the same time undeveloped. One of the greatest problems before the country was that of development and the country was only just beginning to realize the importance of further development of all countries under the British flag. Mr. Balfour briefly alluded to the Dogger Bank affair. He said, Great Britain was leading in the movement looking to the world's peace and in the case of the Dogger Bank incident had skirted the precipice of war and a small want of tact would have been a disaster to civilization. In conclusion, Mr. Balfour urged that it was the duty of all British to build up the machinery by which a closer union with the colonies could be produced.

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

Before closing for the holidays the pupils of Clifton (Campbellton) school presented the teacher Alexander McKay with a very flattering address accompanied by a valuable and handsome writing desk. The teacher thanked the scholars in a few brief words and then treated them to candy and presents.
At the half yearly examination of Fredericton School on Dec. 22nd, among those present were Mrs. G. W. H. Stevenson, Miss Lizzie McKinnon, Miss May Buchanan, Miss Bertha Stevenson, Mrs. N. S. J. Murray, Miss Hattie Sellick and James Sellick, James M. Stevenson, J. P. and Howard S. Weeks. The pupils were addressed by James M. Stevenson and James Sellick in their well known effective and eloquent manner. The following address together with a very appropriate souvenir was given by the pupils of Cornwall school to A. Vernon Webster on the day of his departure from there as a teacher.
Dear Teacher:—We your pupils wish in this day of your departure from our midst to say a few words of gratitude for your unvarying spirit of devotion in our interest during your year and a half's residence in Cornwall as our teacher. We sincerely appreciate your zeal for our advancement from the first day on which you took charge of our school till the day on which you left its walls. If we have not progressed as rapidly as was expected of us, we can assure you that we know and feel that it has not been your fault. You have worked for us and with us always during this past year and a half, and we hope and trust that the lessons inculcated by you may bear fruit which will be helpful to ourselves and edifying to all those with whom we come in contact in the future. We do not know where your future residence may be situated, but you may be sure that our kindest and best wishes go with you on the way to your new home, and whatever of success

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