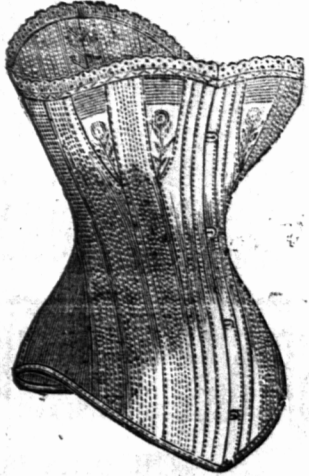


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LOCAL BRIEFS

The Latest News of the City and Province.

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(See also on page 7.)

MRS TREMAINE LEA has returned to Tryon from Boston.

MR J. P. GORDON of Moore & McLeod's is on a business trip to Summerside.

REV. A. STERLING will preach at Bradalbaue on Sunday next, the 19th inst., at 6.30 p. m.

THERE was no foreign mail yesterday. Owing to the stormy weather, there was no crossing at the Capes.

THE Stanley made the trip from Georgetown to Pictou yesterday and, weather permitting, leaves this morning on return to Georgetown.

THE ice is perfection and if you want to see a very keen game of hockey, come to the rink and see Crescents and 2nd Victorias. It will be a hot contest.

THE regular monthly communication of Saint John's Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., will be held in lodge room, Masonic Temple, this evening at 8 o'clock.

PARLOR SOCIAL—The ladies of the W. M. S. of the 1st Methodist Church, will hold a parlor social at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Cooke, Fitzroy St., tomorrow evening, Tuesday, 14th. 13 21

SENATORS FERGUSON and Yeo and Mr. B. D. McLellan, M. P., are en route to Ottawa via the Capes, and Senator Macdonald and Messrs. A. C. Macdonald and Alex. Martin, M. P's. via Georgetown.

REV. G. M. CAMPBELL will deliver his popular lecture, "The Crime Retold," in the Hall, at Vernon River Bridge, on Wednesday, March 22nd, at 7.30 p. m. Admission 10c. Proceeds for church purposes. Up to date Pownal circuit has contributed to St. James' Church Relief Fund the sum of \$32.25.

MRS. BERTHA R. GERARD, wife of Capt. Gerard, of the bark Siddartha, received the following telegram yesterday: "The bark Siddartha, abandoned at sea; Captain Gerard and crew landed at Amsterdam. All well." A young man named Russell, belonging to Malpeque, was one of the crew. The Siddartha was owned by Senator Wood, of Sackville, who sent the dispatch to Mrs. Gerard. The bark was built in 1880 and was 438 tons. Mrs. Gerard has been in Charlottetown all winter. She will leave in a few days for Sackville.

A STRANGE visitor and where did he come from. Last week, when Mr. R. Bearst went into his office, in McLeod's building, on Kent St., he was astonished to see flying around the lower flat a large hawk. As none of the doors or windows of the building have been opened since the fall except the front door, the mystery is, how did the bird get in? Has he been there since the fall? How did he live, there being nothing eatable in the building? Some one suggests that a great many things come R. C. McLeod's way and he even now bags the hawk.

THE late Samuel C. Roper, who departed this life on the 5th inst., in the 85th year of his age, was a native of Suffolk, England. He was born in the year 1814, and emigrated to this island with his parents in 1830. Settling at Brackley Point Road, he remained there until the time of his death. Out of a very large family of brothers and sisters, only two—Mrs. W. Good, of Winsloe, and Mrs. Thomas Pierce, of this city—survive him. The deceased was kind-hearted and genial in his disposition, ever ready and willing to help a neighbor in time of need. His reputation as a veterinary, was beyond question, and many valuable animals have been saved by his skill and perseverance. He at all times cheerfully responded to a call for assistance asking no remuneration for his services. The partner of his joys and sorrows, the late Mrs Roper, was one who never allowed the sick to go unattended, if in her power to help them. The community in which they lived, have cause to mourn the death of those two old people who spent the greater part of their lives in helping others. After a lingering illness, which was borne with a perfect resignation to the Divine Will, Mr. Roper passed away in the sure and blessed hope of a glorious resurrection to eternal life. Mr. Roper leaves two daughters, Mrs Younker, of Brackley Point Road, and Mr. Edson, of Canton, Mass., to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate father. To them THE GUARDIAN extends sincere sympathy.

EASTERN NOTES.—A large body of heavy drift ice is still filling the Gulf round here, and the practical and observing men consider that the last orders of the mill-pond sailors who direct the movements of the Stanley from their comfortable quarters at Ottawa were more reasonable than the first, which commanded her to go to the assistance, or perhaps rather to the rescue of the imprisoned Gaspesia. In a word, she would never get there. Your correspondent would not be understood as finding fault with the aforesaid officials, as he considers their management of affairs, to say the least, compares very favorably with their predecessors in these coveted positions, but neither the one nor the other is aware of the impossibility of forcing any vessel through the ice-fields of our Gulf during the greater part of our winter. Your remarks re exhibitions will suit the people of this section, as while paying their share of the cost, they never were any benefit to them, and all, whether friends or foes of the present local administration, will give them credit for saving so much of our scant revenues.—The gripe is still doing its work, and doing it thoroughly. William Mellish of Elmira is one of its latest victims; a strong man and an industrious one, he leaves behind him a young family, and a disconsolate widow, who have the heartfelt sympathy of the whole community. Dr. McInnis of Red Point is on the sick list and confined to his bed.—Ronald N. McDonald, of East Lake, is seriously ill, and the worst is feared by his friends.—Deacon Alex. Scott has recovered from the first illness of his life, and his many friends still wish him many years of usefulness and vigor.—Rev. Mr. McPhee's lameness is better, and he preached acceptably to his congregation, as well as visited the scattered members of his flock.—The politicians are beginning to make a movement here, but the fur-coated gentlemen at the head of affairs find it hard to raise the enthusiasm of the rank and file, as many of the latter are beginning to have grave doubts whose interests those "self-sacrificing" gentlemen have most at heart.

THERE were two arrests for drunkenness last evening.

SKATING for the children at the rink this afternoon.

THE 2nd Victorias will try and even up matters with the Crescents tonight.

THIS will be probably the last chance to see a good game of hockey this season. Don't fail to attend the rink tonight.

POWNA.—The concert announced for Thursday evening next in Pownal Hall, has been postponed, owing to illness of several performers. 14 d & w

MR FRED MCCALLUM, who has been spending a few weeks, visiting his parents at Brackley Point, left yesterday afternoon for British Columbia.

WHILE the ice is good don't fail to see the splendid game of hockey in the rink tonight. Crescents vs. 2nd Victorias, Anchors vs. Y. M. C. A., two splendid games for the small sum of 15 cents or a reserved seat for 20 cents. Plan at C. D. Rankin's.

LECTURE.—Mr. John Ross will deliver his lecture on the "Identity of the British nation with the lost House of Israel" in Cornwall Hall on Monday evening the 20th inst at 7.30 o'clock. The proceeds to go towards assisting the completion of the new Hall. Admission ten cents.

MISS ELLA MORROW, Souris, leaves on the 20th inst., via Boston and Montreal for Vancouver B. C., where she purposes residing. She will be accompanied as far as Boston by Misses Rena McLean, Minnie Morrow and Lottie McWade, all of Souris, who will spend a month's visit there.

THE Superintendent of the P. E. I. Railway has agreed to issue tickets at one first class full to all parties attending the Fruit Growers' meeting in Charlottetown on the 21st., provided they present a certificate of attendance from the Sec. of the F. G. A. to the conductor when returning.

LITERARY MEETING—A rare treat was afforded the congregation of the First Methodist church last evening, when Mrs. W. P. Doull read a paper on "Woman's sphere and work." The subject was handled in a skillful and masterly manner, describing the stage of woman's advancement and her capabilities in a most rational way. The reading of the paper was followed by an animated and in some cases, amusing discussion, which was participated in by a number of the ladies and gentlemen present. The chair was occupied by Miss Dutcher, who in a few fitting remarks, tendered the unanimous thanks of the meeting to Mrs. Doull for her excellent address. The meeting was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem.

SANITARY DIAPER at Stanley Bros—100 pieces just received—55c per piece of 10 yards 18 inches wide.—14 2i

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