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Every charmer and music lover is invited to Grace Church tonight. "The Holy City." By Gaul.

Do not forget Philharmonic Society's Concert tonight in Grace Church. Chorus fifty. Silver collection.

The children will want to go to the Rainbow Fair and Muffin Tea in St. Peter's Church on Dec 7th Admission free. Tea 15 cents.

REMEMBER that the new nautical drama "The Ocean Waif" will be performed by Prince Webber's excellent company on Friday evening next, December 9th.

ANY Subscriber who does not receive his paper regularly and promptly should send a postal card to the Subscription Department of The Charlottetown Guardian which will rectify trouble at once.

At the Police Court yesterday three drunks were disposed of as follows:—Albert Hughes, \$2 or ten days; James Rooney, \$10 or 30 days; and James McCarvell, \$10 or 30 days.

JOHN Murphy, who has been visiting his home in East River, leaves this morning on return to Winnipeg. Mr. Murphy is a brother to Matthew Murphy, caretaker of the Fire Engine Room.

OVER 47,000 people were in attendance at the opening day of the live stock show at the St. Louis exposition. Canadian exhibitors had a walkaway in the sheep department, winning in nearly every class.

GEN. LEW WALLACE, the author of that most excellent and popular work, "Ben Hur," is said to be dying by inches, and has abandoned all hope of recovery. For several years he has been a sufferer from chronic indigestion and the disease has reached a stage recently where his body receives no nourishment from food. He takes stimulants freely, and it is upon these he is living. He will not live to complete his autobiography.

J. F. Norton, Carligan was in town yesterday.

Miss Sterns returned to her home in Souris yesterday afternoon.

CONSIDERABLE ice has formed around the wharves of the harbor front.

A PROHIBITION summons for first offence has been served on Daniel McCallum of this city.

Miss Maggie McPhail and Mrs. W. Iwan Rice of Pictou came to the city last night on a visit to friends.

THE Princess arrived last night at 8.30 but the express did not reach the city till nearly one this morning.

ORATORIO "The Holy City" in Grace Church at eight this evening. Everybody welcome. Silver collection.

Rev. Jas. McDougall will preach (D V) on Sabbath the 11th. inst. at DeSable at 10.30. Canon Cove at 3, and at Argyle Shore at 6.30.

At the annual meeting of the C. M. B. A. last night P. S. Brown was elected president. The election of officers will not be concluded till next meeting.

THE City of London goes into winter quarters on the east side of the Steam Navigation Co's. wharf to-day. She encountered heavy ice on all her routes for the past week, and a telephone message from Elton says solid ice extends from Halliday's wharf to Governor's Island.

THE Stanley was out yesterday taking in the Wood Islands buoy and is expected back to-day. The Minto is now coaling and provisioning in Pictou and it is expected the Stanley will also go there shortly. There is no verification of the rumor that the crews will be obtained in Pictou.

THE officers of the A. O. H. for the ensuing year are:—
President—James H. Reddin.
Vice-President—Michael Corran, (re-elected).
Financial Secretary—J. J. Desmond.
Treasurer—Wallace W. Walker, (re-elected).
Recording Secretary—James F. Smith, (re-elected).
Executive Committee—J. O. Trainor, chairman; H. Corcoran, F. W. Hughes, George St. C. Garrahan, John McQuillan.

At the annual meeting of Victoria Lodge A. F. & A. M. last night the following officers were elected:—
W. M.—Samuel Lowe.
S. W.—F. H. Sailer.
J. W.—W. H. Watts.
Treas.—R. M. Johnson.
Secy.—W. P. Doull.
S. D. Geo. J. Lane.
J. D. D. Brylages.
S. S.—E. T. Higgs.
J. S. L. G. Whear.
I. G.—F. E. Smallwood.
Trustee—G. D. Wright.

THE funeral of the late Mrs. David Lowther, Seartown which took place on Thursday was largely attended by relatives and friends. Rev. Neil McLaughlin officiated and took for his text "Thanks be unto God who giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ". Mrs. Arthur Wright presided at the organ and some appropriate hymns were beautifully rendered. At the close of the service the remains of the deceased lady were borne to the hearse by six of her grandsons viz. Harry Walker, David T. Walker, Wil Leal, Leigh Lowther, Percy Lowther, Harrison Lowther. She was laid to rest in Seartown Cemetery by the side of her husband who predeceased her twenty-one years. Mrs. Lowther was a daughter of the late Christopher Smith, one of the pioneers of Crapaud; and leaves to mourn her loss two brothers: Rev. Matthew Smith of Anagnone, N. B. and Isaac Smith of Crapaud, and two sisters Mrs. Mary Wright, Victoria, and Mrs. Edward Rogerson, Crapaud. There are nine children, thirty-five grand children and twenty great-grand children.

W. W. Hyndman and J. A. Matheson were passengers west yesterday afternoon.

THE Mikado will be given Easter Tuesday, April 23rd. by Prof. Earle and his troupe.

The annual sale of Y. M. C. A. magazines will take place Friday night at 8 o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of the School Board has been postponed till next Monday night.

Rev. J. W. Winfield and Capt. Wm. Richards were passengers from the West yesterday afternoon.

Ray Sellers was a passenger to Sydney yesterday morning where his marriage takes place this week.

REMEMBER the performance of "The Ocean Waif" at the Opera House Friday evening next, December 9th.

Miss Margaret Kennedy, who has been visiting among friends at Summerside, P. E. I. for the past year, returned home last evening by the fast express.—Sydney Post.

David Schurman, manager of the firm of Massey Harris in this Province, was in the Valley on Wednesday. He left Wolfville for his home in Charlottetown, P. E. I. on Friday.—Halifax Chronicle.

The annual meeting of Carnegie Farmers' Institute which was to have taken place on the 29th. ult. will be held in Clinton Hall on Thursday, Dec. 8th. at 2 p. m. All parties who have ordered hay or require any will please attend the meeting.

THE Halifax Recorder says:—"By the way" they have of figuring in P. E. Island, the Abegweits can now vie with St. Dunstan's in claiming the championship over Dalhousie." Quite so, and had the Dalhousie team been a little more anxious to meet the Island players when the latter made every effort this fall to arrange a game either here or in Halifax the championship would not still be in doubt.

Considerable ice has formed during the past few days both at Summerside and Point du Chene and navigation may close with the next drop in the temperature. However, should soft weather set in soon navigation may remain open for many days yet. The Northumberland will likely make a trip to Point du Chene to day at least, but whether it shall be the last depends on the temperature to day and to night.

Now that the hockey season is approaching it is to be hoped that the regular league games will be brought on earlier than last year in order that the Island's Champion stick handlers may have an opportunity of competing with the winners of the Nova Scotia league. Last year an effort was made by the Abegweits who won here to arrange games with the Bumpers of Amherst, N. S. champions, but owing to the lateness of the season a meeting was not possible.

THE debate of the Y. M. C. A. took place last evening the subject being "From which do we get the greater pleasure Hope or Memory?" Messrs Dryden and Lewis were the leaders for hope and Messrs Rogers and Higgs for memory. Several others spoke, some being new speakers. There was no decision. For next debate the subject is "Resolved, that the present system of party government is detrimental to the state."

A LARGE and enthusiastic meeting of the Abegweit Athletic Association was held in the Y. M. C. A. last night to discuss the hockey situation. A committee composed of H. L. Bethune, T. Ronahan, T. Howatt, together with President Darke and Secretary L. B. McMillan was appointed to look after the club's interests during the coming season. It was decided that the club enter new uniforms for the players. The Abegweits have quite a lot of new material this season and will place strong senior and intermediate teams on the ice.

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A very attractive little lawn handkerchief, hemstitched—special at	4c each or
Another lawn handkerchief, hemstitched 1/2 inch hem	5c each or
A particularly attractive assortment of plain hemstitched, hemstitched and embroidered, lace edged, embroidered, tucked and lace edged handkerchiefs—specially priced for to-day	10c each \$1.00 per doz
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