

ALL NEWS OF LOCAL INTEREST

**LEAP year skate to-night.**  
The Charlottetown Business College has added to its equipment two new typewriter machines. Four more are ordered and will arrive shortly.  
The public meeting to be held in Wright's Hall this evening (Monday) under the auspices of the Sons of Temperance will open at 8 sharp. Come early.

A REPRESENTATIVE meeting of the citizens was held on Saturday afternoon to consider the new hotel question. The following report of the committee was submitted by Mayor Warburton as chairman of the committee.

The easterly winds of Saturday completely filled the mouth of Ploton harbor on Saturday with ice and with the easterly snowstorm prevailing neither the Minto nor the Stanley left port. There was therefore no mail on Saturday.

**Hood's Pills**  
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**Fun galore at the rink to-night.** Leap year skate.

Miss Orlo, West York is visiting friends in Pownal.

The Stanley left Georgetown at seven yesterday but last evening had not reached Pictou.

A PROHIBITION summons returnable Wednesday was served, Saturday night on Seymour Gregory.

A very enjoyable meeting of the Study Class was held at the residence of Miss Enid McLean on Saturday afternoon.

In response to the wishes of a large number of citizens D. O. M. Reddin will offer as a candidate for Ward One.

H. J. PALMER has resigned as Stipendiary Magistrate for Queen's and S. F. Blanchard, Stipendiary for King's, has been appointed for Queen's also.

The Local Council of Women of Charlottetown requests all federated Societies that have not done so to send in the nomination papers this week to the Secretary.

A VERY pretty sight, all the nice young ladies, pirates, police, etc. next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at the Opera House of Pictou, the late Sir Arthur Sullivan's masterpiece.

A SUMMONS has been served on Elizabeth McMillan, Richmond Street for second offence against the Prohibition Act. It is returnable on Wednesday. James Power is also summoned for Thursday for being drunk and disorderly on the streets.

Rev. Dr. Walker will deliver a lecture on Forestry, in the new League of the Cross Hall, in this city, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 13th, at 8 o'clock, p. m. Admission 15 cents. This is a most interesting subject and will be treated in a scholarly and practical style. Remember the date. Give the learned Doctor a full house.

The annual meeting of Carnegie Farmers Institute was held in the Hall at Clifton on Dec. 31st. The following officers and directors were appointed for the ensuing year. Pres. Jas. Gillespie; Vice, Pres. Jas. A. Campbell; Sec-Treas. John Bernard. Directors: Jan. A. Campbell, John McLeod, Hugh B. McKay, John A. McKay, John Bernard, Jasper Bell, Jas. Gillespie, Hugh McKay, Jas. McLeod. The Institute still has its two thoroughbred Yorkshire boars purchased from J. W. Callbeck last year. During the summer they purchased a ton of binder twine from Kingston. Messrs John Campbell and Theodore Ross gave very interesting and instructive addresses before the Institute which were very much appreciated.

**WEDDING BELLS.**—The residence of A. F. Larkin, Esq., Tignish was the scene of an interesting social event on Tuesday 5th inst, the occasion being the marriage of his daughter Bertha to William McKie, the popular Manager of the Merchants Bank, Alberton. The ceremony was performed in the presence of quite a large number of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties the officiating clergymen being Rev. H. G. Gratz, M. A. and Rev. A. D. McDonald, B. L. Hampton. The bride who was most richly and becomingly attired was attended by Miss Hattie McKie, Charlottetown, sister of the groom, and Miss Mye Larkin sister of the bride. The groom was supported by J. W. Davison who is at present relieving Mr. Mesie at Alberton. Mrs. J. Dorion played the wedding march. The house was most tastefully decorated for the occasion, and with the bright happy faces of the guests presented a scene of unsurpassing beauty and splendour. It is needless to speak of the presents. They were indeed numerous and costly attesting to the popularity of the bride and groom. The happy young couple left on the following day for a short trip to the mainland. The Guardian extends congratulations and wishes Mr. and Mrs. McKie many long years of happiness and prosperity.

**DISLOCATED HER SHOULDER.**  
Mrs. Johanna Soderholm, of Fergus Falls, Minn., fell and dislocated her shoulder. She had a surgeon get it back in place as soon as possible, but it was quite sore and pained her very much. Her son mentioned that he had seen Chamberlain's Pain Balm advertised for sprains and soreness, and she asked him to buy her a bottle of it, which he did. It quickly relieved her and enabled her to sleep which she had not done for several days. For sale by all druggists.

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Winter winds play havoc with the complexion causing chafing, redness and soreness of the skin. These discomforts are quickly remedied by the use of any of the following superior toilet lotions.  
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DRUGGISTS,  
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INVESTIGATING THE CAUSE OF DEATH

At the convention Saturday to nominate a candidate in the Charlottetown district to succeed the late James E. McDonald, Patrick Kelly, Montague Bridge was chosen unanimously. Mr. Kelly is a well known merchant at the Bridge and will make a popular candidate.

The Minto arrived at Georgetown yesterday shortly after twelve. The passengers to the City by the mail special included Senator Ferguson and John Wheatley from Halifax, Sergeant Bradley from Springhill, Mrs. W. N. Riggs from Sydney, and Miss McDonald, Kicker, from Boston. There were also 140 bags of mail.

The death last night at six o'clock of Joseph McCarron for a long time in the employ of E. H. Haviland will be learned with deep regret by many. The deceased had not ceased work till Friday night though for some time he had been falling from rapid consumption. The late Mr. McCarron was Sergeant Major in No. 2 Co. C. A. and was a quiet industrious young man held in universal esteem by all his acquaintances.

Mrs. Sarah Jane Kee, whose funeral took place here Saturday from the First Baptist Church, was 28 years of age and was a young woman highly respected in this town, where she was born, and in Norwood Mass., where she had taught school for the past five years. Miss Kee was the daughter of James and the late Mrs. Sarah Jane Kee, and attended the public schools here and was a bright scholar, graduating from the Warren High School about 10 years ago. She then took a course at the State Normal School, graduating from there and receiving a diploma about five years ago, when she accepted a position as teacher in the public school of Norwood, Mass. Recently Miss Kee was taken ill with typhoid fever and nervous prostration and died in Providence, where she was being treated on Dec. 24. Miss Kee spent her vacation at her old home here with her father, one brother and one sister at the farm house on Warren Neck. A large number of people came from Norwood to attend the funeral. Miss Kee spent her vacation in Charlottetown and Kingston where she made many warm friends a year ago the past summer. Her mother was a sister to Mrs. W. P. Colwell of this city.

(Patriot and Examiner please copy.)

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**DIED.**  
In this City on the 11th January, Mrs. Maria Galbraith wife of M. M. Galbraith, [Funeral notice later.]  
At her home Clyde River, Jan. 2nd, Mabel Isabel McLaughlin, of pneumonia. Mabel was the eldest daughter of John and Ophelia McLaughlin, and only 10 years and 3 months old when called to "Forever with the Lord."  
Departed this life at Belfast on January 3rd, 1904 Mary McWilliam. Deceased was born at Belfast in 1814 and was therefore in her 90th year. She was of a kind and unassuming disposition and had many warm friends.

INVESTIGATING THE CAUSE OF DEATH

Among the passengers by the special yesterday afternoon was Sergeant Bradley returning from Springhill, N. S., where he has been investigating the death of his nephew, Ephraim Bradley, killed in the mines there on Wednesday, Dec. 30th, last.

The Sergeant made a complete investigation and has no doubt that the fatality was purely accidental and that no culpability could be attached to any one. Seen by The Guardian representative last night the Sergeant gave an account of his trip. He left the City Monday and reached Springhill Wednesday. He first met Rev. G. I. Foster who has looked after the remains and telegraphed the news of the death. Mr. Foster, who has a large number of English boys in his congregation working at the mines, thought it was one of them had been the victim of the accident when he heard the news on the street. Investigating he found the victim was young Bradley and as he was a Charlottetown boy he took charge of the funeral and forwarding of the body.

Sergeant Bradley also met the manager of the mine and visited the scene of the accident about 2400 feet below the surface at West Slope No. 2. The death was caused by "bumping" as described at length in The Guardian some time ago. The shift was almost completed, and the boy was sitting between two posts with the lamp in his hand when the coal piled on top completely burying him. After the dust had cleared away the other three men working looked around but could find no traces of the unfortunate driver of the beam.

After some search a hand was seen beneath the immense mass of coal and after an hour and a half work the body was uncovered. The posts had kept the coal from completely crushing the body. The head was bent forward and on the back of it was a cut and on the cheek a mark of the button of his coat where his head had been pressed forward probably causing suffocation.

The body was viewed by a coroner's

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Jury, an inquest held under Dr. Murray and a verdict of accidental death brought in. On the death of a miner \$50 is given to pay for the burial, etc. and with this the remains were forwarded to Charlottetown by the undertaker and Rev. Mr. Foster.

The Christmas festival music was repeated in the First Methodist Church last evening. The anthems were "Fear Not" by Snywer, the tenor solo being taken by Elmer Ritchie. The second anthem was by Bullard, "Oh come, Emmanuel," Miss Hettie Collings was the soloist. The offertory anthem was the magnificent Hallelujah chorus from Handel's Messiah. The Brick church is traditional for its festival services, and this of 1903 proved no exception to the rule. The choir try to merit the esteem in which the congregation hold them, they sing with intelligence and have probably as ample a repertory as any choir in Canada. Of the six anthems taken this Christmas, three were new, two being this year's publications. A large congregation was present. An eloquent discourse was proached by the Rev. R. W. Stevenson, pastor of the Central Christian church.

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