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TUESDAY

BOYS WARNED.—Three young boys were each fined \$1 and costs at the police court on Thursday before Acting Magistrate Wright, for throwing snowballs. Costs paid and fines suspended, pending good behavior in future.—H

GONG OVERSEAS.—Mr. Jerry Perry, Alberton, who recently enlisted for home defence, was in Summerside Friday, and got transferred over to the 105th reinforcements for overseas. He donned the uniform and is quartered at Summerside.—H

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.—The engagement is announced at Hamilton, Ont., of Mabel Gertrude Seller, to Mr. John D. Lamont, of that city, the marriage to take place quietly Easter week. Miss Seller spent last winter in Charlottetown, the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Prowse.

COUNTY COURT.—The March term of the County Court, Judge MacQuarrie presiding, opened at Summerside on Friday, and continued Saturday. The docket was a large one, consisting of some forty cases of which fourteen were somewhat lengthily contested. The court will probably complete its business on Monday.—H

RETURNED FROM CONFERENCE.—Professor J. A. Clark, Superintendent of the Charlottetown Experimental Station, has returned from Turin, where he attended the students Y. M. C. A. Conference. The conference, at which all the colleges and academies in the Maritime Provinces were represented, continued for three days and was pronounced a splendid success. Mr. Angus Gillis represented Prince of Wales College.

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TO TEST CAPE ROUTE.—It is expected that the Car Ferry Steamer will proceed to the Capes about the last of April or the first of May on a trip to test the aprons at the terminals on both sides of the strait. The Steamer will proceed first to Cape Tormentine and take on a cargo of coal for the Island Railway and land it at Point Borden.

THAT FIRE.—In regard to Saturday's fire on Water Street The Guardian is informed that the railway whistle was blown first before an attempt was made to get in an alarm by telephone. The consequence was that citizens in all parts of the city went to their telephones to enquire why the whistle was blowing. The returned result was that with so many receivers down it was impossible to answer all at once. The telephone employees, it is stated were put to considerable trouble themselves to find out the reason for the whistle blowing.

COURT OF APPEAL.—The Court of Appeal in Equity met yesterday, the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Hazard residing. Judgment was delivered in the Leslie Will Case. This was an application by the executor of the will of Henry A. Leslie to the Vice-Chancellor for the interpretation of the will to find if the widow of deceased was entitled to dower in the real estate of her husband in addition to the bequests given her under the will. The Court of Appeal sustained the decision of Vice-Chancellor Fitzgerald in holding that the widow was not entitled to dower in addition to the bequests given her under the will and dismissed the appeal with costs. K. J. Martin, K. C., for the widow, appellant, W. E. Bentley, K. C., for the defendant executors, J. J. Johnston, K. C., for Ernest Bowness and another defendant and Charles R. Smallwood, K. C., for the infant defendant.

GOOD WORK CONTINUES.—The ladies of the "Hunter River Patriotic Society" are still keeping up a noble work, furnishing comforts for our brave lads overseas. Since November 125 pairs of socks and numerous other comforts and delicacies have been forwarded to the boys at the front. The thanks of the Society are due to all those who so kindly assisted in the work of spinning, knitting, etc., and also to those making donations among whom might be mentioned, Miss Bessie B. McCreer, Mrs. A. C. MacKay, a cheque of seven dollars to be appropriated as follows:—\$5.00 to furnish a box for one of the Hunter River boys doing his bit for his country; \$2.00 for Prisoners of War Fund; also \$1.00 for Prisoners of War Fund from Mrs. Geo. H. McMillan; \$1.00 for Prisoners of War Fund from Mrs. Geo. D. McLeod; \$1.00 for Red Cross work from Mrs. M. McLeod, Hopedale.

FUNERAL SERVICES.—The funeral of the late Mr. Alfred R. Muttlow took place on March 22nd, at his home at Millview and was largely attended by friends from far and near who came to pay their last token of respect to one who was universal, if esteemed by all with whom he came in contact. The late Mr. Muttlow was a man of estimable qualities ever ready to aid a neighbor in where such was needed, a kind and indulgent parent, and a good neighbor in the fullest sense of the word, and his demise at such an early age (forty-nine years) leaves a want both in the home and in the community which cannot be filled. There are left to mourn and to whom is extended sincere sympathy, his children, namely, Mrs. Wellington McNeill, Southport; Mrs. Wilfrid McLean, Orville Cove; Marion, Richard and Harold at home; also an aged father, one sister, Lucy, and a brother, Thos. of Millview. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Ewen McDougal, assisted by Rev. E. S. Weeks, of Pownal. The Rev. Mr. MacDougal spoke very consolingly to the bereaved ones directing them to look to Him who alone can give true comfort in their great sorrow. The remains were laid to rest in Birch Hill Cemetery beside the partner of his joy and sorrows who pre-deceased him two years.

GLADSTONE SCHOOL CONCERT.—A very enjoyable concert was held in Gladstone School on Friday evening, March 9th. The weather, not being all that could be desired, hindered the attendance somewhat, but the school room was comfortably filled and a snug sum was realized, which goes to put a fence around the school grounds. Following was the programme:—Gramophone selections (Chorus)—A Song of Canada. Recitation—Betty and the Bear—Annie Richards Solo—My Kitty—Gertrude Cuddy. Dialogue—A Trip to Nicaragua—Cyril Horton. Clarence Cuddy. Gertrude Cuddy. Mr. Richards and Josie Heartz. Recitation—The Man Who Wins—Clara Cuddy. Duet and Chorus—Soldiers of the King. Recitation—Monologue in a Coal Cellar—Mr. Richards. Duet—School Days—Mr. and Mrs. Horton. Recitation—The Party—Ida Kirby. Duet—Sweet Bunch of Daisies—Blanche McKay and Josie Heartz. Intermission and sale of candy and apples. Chorus—We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall. Recitation—Bunny's Lesson—Gertrude Cuddy. Dialogue—The New Scholar—Hazel Sharam, Clara Cuddy, Gertrude Cuddy, Annie Richards, Mary O'Connors and Annie O'Connors. Recitation—Our Polka—Mrs. Horton. Duet—Your Mother Still Prays for your Jack—Clara and Gertrude Cuddy. Recitation—The Sick Dolly—Margaret Richards and Stanford McKay. Chorus—Khaki. Dialogue—Seeking a Servant—John Sharam, Mr. Richards, Mrs. Horton, Mrs. Mabey, Gertrude Cuddy, Margaret Richards, Blanche McKay and Newton Cahoon. Recitation—Mothers Song—Blanche McKay. Trio—Genevieve—Mr. and Mrs. Horton and Blanche McKay. Duet—The Old Armchair—Mr. Horton and Mrs. Mabey. The Dialogue—A Trip to Chicago—being asked for was given over again. Recitation—Good-night—Willie Gasbee. Chorus—Till the Boys Come Home. God Save the King.

WEDNESDAY

TO REMAIN A THIRD YEAR.—At the last meeting of the quarterly board Rev. J. L. Dawson was invited to remain for the third year on the York Circuit.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.—Mr. George E. Hughes, M. L. A., and Mrs. Hughes announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen A., to John Alexander Lawson, of Meeting Creek, Alta., marriage to take place sometime early in April.

ISLANDER DEAD.—Rev. John A. McDonald, of Grand Diver, Lot 14, has received word of the death of a son of the late Joseph C. McDonald and Mrs. Hannah H. McDonald (formerly Miss Ayers.) Young McDonald's father was a school teacher before leaving the Island for the West. He enlisted in Alberta and laid down his life in France for the great cause.

THE BIRTH OF A NATION.—Mr. Buckley, representing the B. S. Courtney Co., Mr. Bascom, pianist, and Mr. Clark, trap drummer of the Company, arrived in the City yesterday afternoon, accompanying the films for the Birth of a Nation, which is to be put on the screen at the Prince Edward Theatre this evening and tomorrow evening.

ISLANDER BELIEVED KILLED.—Mr. Donald Nicholson, Head of Montague, has received the following telegram: "Deeply regret to inform you 446824, Pte. Alexander Pope Nicholson, Infantry, previously reported missing, now believed killed September twenty-seventh, nineteen sixteen. Will send further particulars when received." (Sgd.) Officers I. C. Records.

HELPING THE HOSPITAL.—The P. E. Island Hospital has received the following very creditable subscriptions from Montague:—Collected by Mrs. A. McLeure and Mrs. Lester McLeure, \$1.00; collected by Mrs. W. A. Cumming and Mrs. A. C. MacKay, on south side of Montague Bridge, \$43.85. The collectors report having met with courtesy from everybody, and they enjoyed the work very much.

GRACE CHURCH CHOIR ENTERAINED.—The congregation of Grace Church entertained their choir at a sumptuous banquet in the Kozy Korner last evening. Several gentlemen expressed, on behalf of the congregation, the high appreciation of the choir, which was rendered by the choir. After the banquet the guests were conveyed to the home of Mr. R. E. Mutch where a most delightful social evening was enjoyed by all.

ADOPT PRISONER.—At the annual meeting of the French River, W. I. C. Society, held on Wednesday, March 21st, a goodly number of members were present and also two members from the Cornwall-York Institute. When the regular business was over, discussion on Casserole Cooking and the raising of meats was taken up after which a Butter-Hole Contest, was proposed by one of the ladies. Several took part in this contest. It was decided at this meeting to adopt a Prisoner of War the first payment to be made in April. A dainty lunch was then served by the hostess and a very pleasant time was spent in light and frolic. Before the meeting broke up a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the hostess for her hospitality, to which she fittingly replied.

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DEPARTURE REGRETTED.—To the regret of the citizens of O'Leary and district they said goodbye to Dr. J. P. McGrath and Mrs. McGrath who left O'Leary on Wednesday for Charlottetown where the Dr. has received a good appointment. Before leaving Mr. A. Adams read a farewell address.—W

The following is a telegram recently received by Mrs. Annie Warren, Victoria. Sincerely regret to inform you 712259 Private Percy H. Farrar, Infantry, officially reported admitted to General Hospital, Feb. 25, 1917. Gunshot wound left arm. Send further particulars when received. Signed Officer in charge, Record office Ottawa.—V

The death occurred at his home at Monticello at 6.30 yesterday morning of James B. McDonald, at the age of eighty-one years. Funeral takes place on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock to St. Margaret's. He is survived by two sons, Rev. S. J. MacDonald, P. P. of Lot 7, John A., at home, and one daughter, Ida McDonald; also two brothers, Right Rev. Monsignor McDonald, of Tignish, and Allan, of Peake's Station, and one sister, Mrs. M. E. Gillis.

FUNERAL SERVICE.—On Wednesday afternoon the funeral of the late Mrs. Alfred Gorrill of Glenwood took place. The same being led by the Rev. R. Brodie, assisted by the Rev. R. Murray. At 2.30 p. m. a short service was held at the home of the deceased. The hymns "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Jesus Lover of my Soul" being sung. The Rev. R. Brodie read the scripture while the Rev. R. Murray prayed. The remains were taken to the Methodist Church at 4.30 for burial. Over forty sleighs followed. On arrival at the Church which was over filled the following service was held. Hymn "Rock of Ages". Prayers Rev. R. Murray. Hymn "Why do we Mourn". Address by Rev. Mr. Murray. Hymn "A Sleep in Jesus". Address by Rev. R. Brodie. Prayer, Hymn "Servant of God Well Done". Silent prayer. Benediction.—W


FAIRVILLE EGG CIRCLE.—A meeting of the Fairville Egg Circle was held in the Avondale School House on Monday, March 19th, at 7.30 p. m. Mr. Joseph D. Hughes, the President, opened the meeting and gave an explanation of the system endorsed at a previous meeting, which is to be followed in the coming season, and also expressed his opinion as to the great benefits of an Egg Circle. Mr. J. A. O'Keefe in the absence of the Secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting at which the following Directors for the ensuing year were elected:—President—Jos. D. Hughes; Vice-pres.—J. B. Delaney; Secy.—Treas.—Alphonse O'Donnell; Directors—J. A. O'Keefe, Joseph Carmichael, Augustine Wisner, Joseph Redmond. Mr. A. F. Curran, of the Dominion Live Stock Branch addressed the meeting, thoroughly explaining the principles of the Egg Circle Movement, and emphasizing the great importance of introducing pure bred breeding stock in poultry which would tend to produce a more uniform grade of eggs. He also dealt with the necessity of greater farm production as a means of helping to win the war. A vote of thanks was tendered the Speaker for his instructive address.

One of the oldest and most highly respected citizens of Charlottetown passed to his eternal rest early yesterday morning in the person of Mr. James Barrett. He had attained the venerable age of ninety-five years, and by his death another link connecting the past with the present has been severed. The late Mr. Barrett for many years had conducted an extensive lumber business in this city and in all his business relations was noted for his integrity, uprighteousness and square dealing. He was an excellent citizen in every respect, and in his day and generation took a deep interest in the welfare of all that made for the betterment of Charlottetown and the province at large. For quite a long time the deceased, owing to advanced age, had been living in comparative retirement. There are few of his generation left today, but in the days that are gone Mr. Barrett was well known as a highly respected here. Unto very few is given such long life, and he spent his time and did his part, as all will testify, in a most exemplary manner. There have left his widow and family to cherish his memory and mourn their loss. The latter are: Mrs. H. J. Worth, Mrs. E. E. Bow, Mrs. James Paton and Miss Lena Barrett; Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Nelles. To these the Guardian extends sincere sympathy.


There passed peacefully away at his home at Free-town, on the morning of the 27th of February, Mrs. Jean Lawless, in the 37th year of her age. She was a woman of sterling qualities loved and respected by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance; a loving wife, a devoted mother and a kind neighbor. She died trusting in her Redeemer, and her last words were of Him Who gave His life for her. She leaves to mourn their sudden and sad bereavement a loving husband, and eight children, the youngest one year and ten months, a father, three sisters and five brothers, besides a large circle of relatives and friends. The sisters are Mrs. William Pollard, Graville; Mrs. Wesley Pollard, Margate; Mrs. John Cameron, Kelvin. The brothers are James Somers, of Norboro; Bruce, of Margate; Walter, of Clifton; Hartle, of Charlottetown; and Cleveland, New Glasgow, who came home to attend his sister's funeral, which took place on the 28th ult. at the Methodist cemetery at Margate, Rev. Mr. Sellars officiating at the house and grave.

A verse by her two little daughters, Etta and Viola:

Oh, mother, thy gentle voice is hush—
Thy warm, true heart is still;
And on thy pale and peaceful face is
resting death's cold chill.
Thy hands are clasped upon thy
breast—
We have kissed thy lovely brow,
And in our aching hearts, we know,
We have no mother now,
Good-bye.

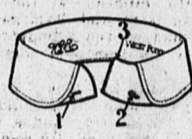


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