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LOCAL BRIEFS

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THE Carnival takes place to-night. WILDEY Lodge I.O. O.F. meets to-night 3rd degree. THE funeral of the late Mrs. (Capt) mameron takes place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. THE flags of the I.O.F. and S. O. E. were flying yesterday at half mast for Roland Taylor who was a member.

THE many friends of Mrs. W. B. Dyer, Alberton, will be grieved to hear of the sudden death of her sister, Miss Mary Bartlett of London, England. Miss Bartlett visited the Island a few years ago and made many friends while here.

Mr and Mrs J. T. Peardon will have the sympathy of a large circle of friends for the death of their eldest daughter Florence, which occurred shortly before nine o'clock yesterday morning. Although ill for some time her death came at an unexpected hour. THE GUARDIAN joins with the many friends intending sympathy to the bereaved family.

A VERY enjoyable evening was spent at the Florida Hotel, Pownal, on Wednesday evening. The evening was all that could be desired for a social gathering and 50 couples were present. During the festivities luncheon was served in Mrs. Brown's best style, the appreciation of which was evidenced by the unstinted amount of praise showered on the hostess by those present.

CHIEF Sark intends to hold a basket social on Lennox Island on Monday next. Prof. John S. Capage will be present with his troop. It is expected that the attendance will be very large as the event has been looked forward to with a great deal of interest. Proceeds toward the Parochial House. Chief Sark is in the City and looks none the worse of his recent election. He is accompanied by his second Chief Alex Thomas.

VALUE OF PROPERTY AT MONTAGUE.--A building lot owned by the late Noah Rowe was sold Feb. 21 by J. M. Aitken, auctioneer and realized the handsome sum of 785 dollars. The lot was at the north end of Montague Bridge. Size 115 by 200. Two lots in the outskirts of the Village known as the Lime-kiln lots brought 125 dollars and one share in the Three Rivers S. S. Co. of 100 dollars sold for 112 dollars and 50 cents.

A VERY enjoyable entertainment was given Wednesday evening at Falconwood Asylum by Mr. F. S. Jost with his graphophone grand and Mr. W. P. Doull with his stereopticon and biograph. The evening passed all too quickly, both music and pictures being keenly enjoyed by the patients. A slight accident at the close set fire to Mr. Doull's biograph films some of which were consumed. The fire, though regrettable, was extinguished with the aid of water, and without serious consequences beyond the loss of the films, which we understand, was financially considerable.

RECORDS at the Patent Office--Inventor's name often related to the subject of their inventions. Among the family of "eatable" names appeared Mr. P. Hegg with his self-waiting table, and S. S. Dryhead with a new brand of wheat flour. Succeeding these, a Mr. Barrett annexed his name to the election booth. Names recalling metals are no exception. It was Brazier who invented a stone firepot and stoker, and Mr. R. J. Bolt a combination lock. Singularly enough, politics are not barred out, as Mr. J. McTammany invented a novel voting machine and a patent was granted him. Racing is allowed in the collection, for a Mr. Horse was complimented on a safety fast driving rein lately patented by him. The horseman was followed by Mr. Larson and a patent burglar alarm. Hardware is also mentioned, as Mr. Pulley patented a stump extractor, which has been advantageously used. A man named Girl invented a baby walker and Mr. Hubands, who is unmarried, put before the masses a patent baby jumper. In railroad patents Mr. Carr is registered with his patent car mover, and he opened the way for Mr. Gatewood with his original gate. A Pittsburg patentee obtained the exclusive right to sell a washing machine. The smoky City in this case is said to have had more to do with his thought than the gentleman's name, which was Daubenspeck. (communication of Messrs. Marion & Marion, Patent Attorneys, Montreal, who will send the Inventor's Help to any address upon request.)

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Dr. Martin	"	1.00
Angus McLeod	"	.25
Alex. Gillis	"	.25
Malcolm W. Martin	"	.25
Malcolm Gillis	"	.25
Figlay Matheson	"	.25
Angus M. Martin	"	.25
Malcolm McLeod	"	.50
John K. McKenzie	"	.50
John Enman	"	.25
Malcolm D. McDonald	"	.20
Angus Martin	"	.25
Mrs. Malcolm Martin	"	.25
John D' McLeod	"	.50
Total		\$9.45

Collected by J. A. Cameron, Boughton Island:

Nathan Allen	Boughton Island	.50
Mrs. Joseph C. Allen	Geo'town P. O.	.50
J. H. Allen	"	.50
Miss M. Young	"	.50
Mrs. John F. Allan	"	.50
Miss C. E. Allen	"	.15
Miss Ann Craig	"	.25
Miss Catherine A. McPhee	"	.25
John N. McCormack	"	.50
D. J. McCormack	"	.50
Mrs. D. J. McCormack	"	.25
Geo. McCormack	"	.15
Mrs. John McCormack	"	.15
Joseph C. Allen	"	.25
Total		\$4.88

Received and acknowledged to date \$162.33

American Universities.

The latest catalogue of the ten leading American Universities shows their respective registration figures as follows: Harvard, 5,250; Columbia, 3,729; Michigan, 3,346; Yale, 2,688; Pennsylvania, 2,651; Cornell, 2,645; Wisconsin, 2,025; Chicago, 1,680; Princeton, 1,194, and Johns Hopkins, 632. Harvard has the largest college with 1,897 men. Cornell leads in scientific students with 795. Columbia's registration in medicine, graduate schools and teachers' courses is greatest, having 767, 383 and 356 students, respectively. In theology Chicago stands first with 205 matriculants; in law Michigan registers 800 men; in dentistry Pennsylvania has 482 students and 44 in her veterinary school. Columbia shows the greatest gain in total attendance with Michigan second and Cornell third. Pennsylvania lost 78 students from the preceding year's total and Yale 20.

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