

# THE GUARDIAN LOCAL NEWS

Reporters and Correspondents Everywhere.

Mrs Billingsley, of this city, is visiting friends in Summerside and vicinity.

The annual meeting of Zion Church will be held in the Sunday School room this evening.

A word to the wise is sufficient. January 31st is the date set for the Fancy Dress Carnival.

SOME Hunter River Notes, received at this office, are too personal to be published in a reputable newspaper.

MANY friends were pleased to see Henry Wood, Bowral, out again yesterday after his recent severe illness of pneumonia.

At the last meeting of the C. M. B. A. Judge Blanchard was presented with an address congratulating him on his elevation to the bench of the province.

AN adjourned case against Patrick Mullins for second offence comes up at Police Court this morning. There is also a case against Seymour Gregory for second offence.

T. L. BERNARD, manager of Lake Verle Butter Factory has won three first prizes at the Halifax show, two first prizes at Charlottetown and two third prizes at St. John exhibition for butter in 1904.

REV. R. W. STEVENSON left last night for Toronto. Previous to his departure he was waited upon at his home by a number of friends among the temperance people and presented with a well filled purse.

"HERE-AWA, there awa," gaa awa and buy yer see a ticket for Burns concert and dinna forget ta get one for yer best girl. For sale at the usual places, Jamieson's and Rankin's this morning at 10 o'clock.

THE Minto en route to Pictou was stuck all day yesterday off Cape Bear and the Stanley coming to Georgetown was also caught in the ice all day off Pictou Island. It is hoped each will reach port this morning.

THE coldest registered yesterday morning was 9 degrees below zero shortly before daylight. The thermometer at nine o'clock yesterday forenoon stood at below zero and at one in the afternoon 11.2 degrees below.

THE quarterly meeting of Grand Division will be held at Park Corner on Friday 20th, a large number of delegates are expected to attend and the usual railway fares have been secured. There will be a public meeting in the evening.

WILL the ladies who kindly promised refreshments for the Whist Party on Thursday evening please send them to the Market Hall in the morning not later than noon. Entrance by the north door for the day and evening, whist to begin at 8:30 sharp.

A PUBLIC temperance meeting under the auspices of Elliott Division S. O. E. will be held at Rocky Point on Monday evening, 23rd inst., at the hour of 7 o'clock. Rev. A. D. McDonald G. W. P., Rev. M. McIntosh, and others will address the meeting.

A VERY enjoyable time was spent out at M. J. Jackson's, Brackley Point, a few nights ago when a number of young people drove out from the City. Music and games were indulged in until a late hour when the party broke up after wishing Mr. and Mrs. Jackson the compliments of the season.

THE death occurred very suddenly at Appin Road on the 10th inst., of Maria, beloved wife of Robt. Cadmore of that place. The deceased, who was in her 75th year, lived a quiet, humble Christian life, and will be much missed in the community. There are left to mourn a husband and quite a large family, for all of whom deep sympathy is felt in their sad and sudden bereavement. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. A. D. McDonald, interment taking place in the cemetery at Hampton. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord."

**IN FURNITURE**  
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W. N. TANTON leaves tonight on a business and holiday trip to Boston and surrounding cities.

A VERY enjoyable at home and afternoon tea was held at the residence of Mrs. W. S. Stewart yesterday afternoon.

THE opening of St. Dunstan's Rink last night was largely attended over one hundred going out by special train from the city.

A SERIES of four lectures on Biology and Religion will be given at the Y. M. C. A., commencing Sunday, Jan. 22. The course is as follows:—Sunday, Jan. 22, Rev. Wm. Dobson will speak on Heredity, solo by Frank Stanley; Jan. 29, Percy Pope, on Environment, solo by George Moore; Feb. 5, Rev. W. H. Sedgewick, on Conscience, music, orchestra; Feb. 12, Herbert Moule on Volition, music by quartet. Meetings for men only.

THE Dawson City team will open its Maritime Province tour at Amherst on Jan. 23rd with the Amherst Ramblers. This game should be of exceptional interest, for the Ramblers themselves are known to be Stanley Cup aspirants. The other games so far arranged for the Dawson team by Fred G. Spencer are two with the Wanderers in the Empire rink, Halifax, on the 24th and 25th inst.; two with Sydney on Jan. 27th and 28th; a match at Westville with an All Pictou team on the 30th. Several other games are also to be arranged by Mr. Spencer, including one in St. John. The St. John game will probably be the concluding one of the tour and will be against a team picked from the Mohawks and Neptunes. Mr. Spencer has received word from the St. John's N.H.L. club asking for three games with the Yukoners, but it is not likely that these matches can be arranged for. An effort is also being made to bring the Klondykers to Charlottetown.

IN his annual report Councillor Paton, Chairman of the Street Committee, urgently advocated a street sweeper as a necessity shortly for Charlottetown. On this point the following from the Toronto News will be of interest:—Street Commissioner Jones has just completed a working model of a new street sweeper, intended to do away with the dust nuisance, which is always at its height in autumn when it is impossible to wade the streets because of the frost. The new machine works on the suction system, a draught being secured by two fans running at the rate of from 1,500 to 2,000 revolutions a minute. A vacuum chamber is provided, where 80 per cent. of the dust drops into a receptacle, and to separate the remainder from the air a cyclone separator is provided. The new machine will be operated by a gasoline engine, and no horses will be needed. The cost will be from \$1,000 to \$1,200 each. City Engineer Rust inspected the sweeper this morning at the city yards at the foot of Frederick street.

A ST. JOHN'S despatch says: Flour and sugar are both advancing and the end is not yet. Advice received from the Ontario millers announce an advance of five cents a barrel, on all Ontario flours. The present wholesale price of high grade Ontario's is \$6.15 per bbl. Manitoba's \$6.3 per bbl. One of the leading wholesalers was interviewed relative to the advance, and stated as his opinion, that all brands of flour would advance still higher. He said that yesterday he had ordered 25,000 barrels to be delivered, here shortly. The mills are not anxious to sell, owing to the great shortage of the wheat crop, large shipments having been made to the United States. Ontario wheat in particular is reported as being very scarce, and the farmers are not willing to part with what they have, preferring to wait for higher prices. There is not enough Manitoba wheat in Ontario to put the millers through until the opening of navigation in spring. He expressed the opinion that wheat would advance to \$1.50. A telegram received by one of the local sugar dealers, stated that large sales of raw sugar were being made from Cuba to the New York refineries at 0 1/2 New York. This is an advance of an 1/2 cent on the price previously reported.

THE special came to the city last night at nine o'clock and left again about a quarter to ten. There were only two or three passengers.

THERE are, within fifty miles of Boston according to the latest census, no less than 158,806 people born in Canada, and Newfoundland, and 73,481 born in Great Britain, all speaking the English tongue:  
Natives of Great Britain, 73,481  
Natives of Nova Scotia, 46,380  
Natives of New Brunswick, 19,244  
Natives of P. E. Island, 10,421  
Natives of Ontario, 13,721  
Natives of Quebec, 79,571  
Natives of Newfoundland, 3,371

## THE CRYSTALS REFUSE TO PLAY

The Crystals-Pioneers have refused further to contest in the hockey league series until their protest against the Victorias being given the game played in Summerside has been satisfactorily settled.

The protest was made by the Crystals-Pioneers after the game played in Summerside in which they were defeated by the Victorias 0 to 5. The ground of the protest was that the Victoria Empire had money staked on the game and had awarded a goal to the Victorias, while the puck really had not gone inside the net. The Empire admitted having made a bet, but said he was betting for another member of the club. He, of course, emphatically denied he had wrongly awarded a goal.

The Victorias on the other hand contended that two goals had been awarded to the Crystals-Pioneers while as a matter of fact they were not really scored. When a vote was taken at the recent meeting the result was three to three each of the two directly interested clubs, delegates voting for their respective contentions. The three Abegweit delegates did not vote mainly because they were not sufficiently informed in the case to give an intelligent decision.

There is no rule in the P. E. I. Hockey League bearing on the point but the unwritten law has always been that one who has staked money shall not act as Umpire.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County, ss.  
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**MAD MULLAH MASTER.**  
LONDON, Jan. 16.—The Daily Express publishes the following:—After a series of campaigns extending, roughly over a period of four years, involving a loss of over 350 killed and about 250 wounded, and costing, it is estimated, £2,000,000, the British Government has, it is understood, finally abandoned any intention of bringing the Mad Mullah to book, and has left him master of the situation.  
Italy, through its agents, Signor Pestozzi, Consul-General at Aden, and Signor Senare, the well-known African explorer, has concluded, with the tacit cooperation of Britain, an agreement with Mahomed Abuballa, the so-called Mad Mullah, whereby, in return for a guarantee of immunity from attack, the latter agrees to respect the territory over which Italy exercises a protectorate.  
The Mullah thus gains all he has been fighting for—practically undisturbed dominion over the Soudan interior and its numerous so-called friendly tribes, who are now to be left to their own resources.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liment to keep the joints limber and muscles in trim.

**DIED.**  
At the residence of Chas. Newson, Rockey Point on January 13, 1905, Catherine, daughter of the late Angus McFadyen, Banockburn, aged 70.  
(Funeral will take place today, Thursday, at one o'clock)

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\$ 7.00 " " " "	\$3.50
\$10.00 " " " "	\$5.00
\$15.00 " " " "	\$7.50

## Moore & McLeod

### SUPREME COURT

Murdock McLeod vs. Donald McHae action for negligently setting fire to plaintiff's woods. The evidence in this case was concluded yesterday afternoon. At 10:30 this morning counsel will begin their closing addresses to the jury. Before Mr. Justice Hodgson and a Jury.  
Stewart K. C. for Plaintiff,  
A. J. B. McIllich for Defendant.

### HOCKEY CHALLENGE.

We, the B. V. Hockey Club do hereby challenge Dry-goods Grocery, Hardware or anything that ever wore skates to play a friendly game of hockey in Hillsboro Rink.  
The winner to play the Ramblers of N. S. or the Klondyke 7.  
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## Gratitude

Is a virtue we should cultivate. As a consequence we wish to thank our numerous customers, for their generous patronage extended to us during this memorable year, 1904. And as the New Year, just about to pay us a flying visit, and we are perfect strangers, yet when we get acquainted, we will more than likely develop something that may be more than of passing interest to our numerous customers and friends. In the meantime we wish you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

**JOHN T. MCKENZIE,**  
tts & wgm THE TAILOR.

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