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Misses Mary and Susie Hemphill, Montague, spent the week end at their home in Georgetown.

Mr. H. F. MacPhee, Charlotteville, recently visited Georgetown, the guest of his parents, Capt and Mrs. H. MacPhee.

Mr. A. MacPhee, Boston, arrived in Georgetown, being called home on account of the illness of his father, J. W. MacPhee.

The many friends of Mrs. Laura Murray are sorry to hear she had the misfortune to fall and break her wrist. All wish her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Mooney, Souris, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Murphy, Georgetown.

Miss Margaret Loft, Health Centre, recently examined the Georgetown school.

Miss Fannie DeLave, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. Fynn, Charlottetown, returned home.

Miss Helen Donovan, Georgetown, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Weir, Charlottetown.

Rev. Canon Malone, Charlottetown, was a recent visitor to Georgetown.

Mr. George MacDonald, Borden, is visiting his home in Georgetown.

Mrs. Gay and little son, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch McLean, returned to their home in Montague.

Mr. Edmund MacDonald, Panmure Island, recently visited Georgetown.

Mr. Aloysius MacDonald, Panmure Island, was a recent visitor to Georgetown.

Inspector H. Hynes, Montague, was a recent visitor to Georgetown.

At time of writing, Georgetown harbor is as open as the summer. Motor boats are still plying between Boughton Island, Panmure Island

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

ARENA, skating this afternoon, 2.30 to 4.30. 388-11

PANTRY SALE tonight, Rochford Square School, 7.30 to 10. 397-11

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SERVICES in York Pastoral Charge, Sunday, Jan. 31, will be York, 11 a. m., Brackley 3 p. m.; Central Church 7 p. m. G. A. Christie, pastor.

ARENA, skating this afternoon, 2.30 to 4.30. 388-11

CHOCOLATE BARS—Two dozen, 5 cent chocolate bars for 40c at P. J. MacDonald's. 299-11

CHURCH NOTICE—The United Church of Canada, Belle River and Belfast. Services Sunday, 31st: Belle River at 11 a. m. and Eldon at 3 p. m., subject, "The moral value of prayer." J. R. Skinner, Pastor.

A MEETING OF THE GRADUATE Nurses' Association will be held at the Charlottetown Hospital on Monday, Feb. 1st at 8 p. m. 394-11

and Sturgeon. The S. S. Montague, Capt. N. Fairchild, is still running between Lower Montague and Georgetown and the S. S. Newport between Georgetown and Newport.

Mr. Webster McNeill, New Perth, recently visited Georgetown.

An interesting game of hockey was witnessed by quite a few spectators in the Georgetown rink between the Maple Leafs of Georgetown and the Bloodhounds of Mt. Stewart. The score ended 5-11 in favor of Maple Leafs. The Maple Leafs intend playing Mt. Stewart in their own rink shortly.—A.

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GAUTHIER—At City Hospital, Jan. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gauthier, City, a son.

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CARMODY—At City Hospital, Jan. 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. James Carmody, City, a son.

BINNS—At City Hospital, Jan. 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Binns, City, a daughter.

MCMANUS—At City Hospital, Jan. 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. William McManus, City, a daughter.

DEATHS

HOULE—At 5 Kent Street, Friday, Jan. 29, Mrs. Harry Houle. Funeral notice later.

PETERS—At North Rustico Jan. 29, 1932, Joseph Howard Peters, aged 15 years.

COOK—At Newtown Cross Jan. 29, 1932, David Cook, age 68. Funeral Sunday 31st at 2.30 to Orwell cemetery.

DARRACH—At Cance Cove on Friday, Jan. 29, Duncan Darrach, aged 47 years. Funeral from his late residence, Monday, Feb. 1, service starting at 1 o'clock. Interment Cance Cove Cemetery.

Miscellaneous

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IN QUEST CONCLUDED YESTERDAY

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WEEKS' STATEMENT

Testimony was given by Edward Weeks, a prisoner in the jail, that at about 8.15 on Wednesday night he had been downstairs and on his way to his room upstairs, in the prisoners' corridor, he saw Richard Keefe and Christopher Keefe passing matches into Mr. Coles' cell. The matches were not lighted. Witness was in his room about two minutes when he heard someone shouting "Fire." He went downstairs and saw Mr. Coles' cell in flames. At that time there were no prisoners in the corridor. He shouted to McCloskey and the latter kicked at the door opening into the jailor's part of the building.

Edward Power, another prisoner, went with the attendants Roberts and Sherrin from the front lobby into the prisoners' corridor to see what the uproar was about, and saw the Coles cell on fire. Witness got the key of the cell from Sherrin and tried to open the door, but could not do so. The flames were coming through the door. Barney McCloskey took the key from witness and succeeded after two unsuccessful attempts, in opening it and getting Mr. Coles out of the cell. The victim appeared very badly burned, but was conscious. Witness heard Sherrin asking Mr. Coles "who gave him the matches." Mr. Coles would not tell. The Coroner: "Did you hear anyone say who gave him the matches?"

Witness: "No."

Witness had been in the room outside the corridor about ten minutes before he heard the alarm of fire. The assistant jailor Roberts at that time was letting some visitors out. Roberts, Sherrin and witness were together when they heard the alarm.

Witness did not believe there was anything wrong with the lock on the cell door. The difficulty in opening it was due, he thought, to expansion caused by the heat of the flames, or to the paint having melted.

Dr. D. G. Clark, assistant superintendent at Falconwood, stated he had been in attendance on the patients in the jail for some time on Wednesday night, while at the Infirmary, he received a message from the Jailor, Mr. Bruce Taylor,

informing him of the accident, and he and Dr. McLaughlin drove out to the jail. When they arrived Mr. Coles had been removed to the Charlottetown Hospital. They went to the hospital and saw him. Mr. Coles was conscious; he was talking to Rev. Mr. Raymond when they came in. Later they conversed with the patient. An account of the conversation was written down at the time in the presence of the witness, Dr. McLaughlin, Dr. Ledwell and Rev. Mr. Raymond.

Attorney General: "Before reading the statement, Doctor, can you answer this question: Could he (Mr. Coles) have signed the statement?"

Witness: "I do not think so."

Dr. Ledwell: "He was burned so extensively that he could not handle a pen?"

VICTIM'S STATEMENT

Witness then read the following statement of the conversation which took place with the deceased on Wednesday night in the hospital:

Dr. Ledwell said: "Were you in bed when the fire started?" Mr. Coles: "I was in bed." Dr. Ledwell asked if he had his clothes off. Mr. Coles said his clothes were off but he was in his underwear. Dr. Ledwell: "Did any person throw matches in to you?" Mr. Coles: "Yes, a dozen times, we couldn't put it out; the bedding burned and I got a bad scorching." Dr. McLaughlin: "Did you see matches thrown in?" Mr. Coles: "Yes; Sherran wasn't there." Dr. McLaughlin: "Did you see the person?" Mr. Coles: "Yes, I saw the man. He was one of the prisoners."

The Attorney General pointed out that the evidential value of the document was doubtful, inasmuch as questions were put which suggested their own answers, especially to a man in Mr. Coles' condition.

Witness said he thought Mr. Coles knew what he was saying.

The Attorney General: "Do you think he was in a rational state of mind to make a statement?"

Witness: "I could not say on my oath that he was, but I felt at the time that he was."

Bernard McCloskey testified to having kicked at the corridor door to warn the jailors of the fire. Assistant Jailor Roberts came to the door; witness shouted there was a fire and said "Get the key." Roberts, Sherran and the prisoner Power came into the corridor. Sherran went down to the toilet room, at the end of the corridor, for water. He (Sherran) had the key and witness shouted to him to come back and open the door. Some one came back with the key and they finally succeeded in opening the door. Witness did not hear any one say how the fire started.

Q.—What else did you hear?
A.—Somebody sang out "The Key!" Roberts had the key before that a long time, and I forgot about him giving it to me. When they hollered "key" I put my hand on it and gave them the key.
Q.—Whom did you give it to?
A.—I think it was Ted Power. It wouldn't be any more than about two or three seconds.
Q.—Then you went down to get some water?
A.—Yes.
Q.—And when you came back to the cell door—
A.—They were just getting it opened then, as far as I remember; because they had me all excited.
Q.—Was anything said about how the fire started?
A.—Just what the old man told me when I was working over him.
Q.—That was before the doctor came?
A.—Yes.
Q.—What did he say?
A.—I asked him who started the fire; did he see anybody start it? He said "that would be telling." I said, "tell me." He said, "They threw the fire in the door."
Q.—He didn't say "matches," he said "fire"?
A.—Yes.
Q.—Did you ask him who threw the fire?
A.—He wouldn't tell. He said "that would be telling." I knew he couldn't start the fire; the man had no matches.
Q.—At twenty minutes to eight had you been to his cell?
A.—Yes; I told him to pile the mattress stuff up in the corner. I passed along the corridor and was talking to him.
Q.—You didn't go in?
A.—No, but you can see right in.
Q.—What instructions did you give him about the mattress?
A.—I told him to pile it up in the corner.
Q.—Did you notice at the time whether he was dressed?
A.—Yes, he had his pants on, and shirt.
Q.—Had you gone through the cell from 6 o'clock on?
A.—I have been all through it.
Q.—Were you sure that he had no matches at that time?
A.—I am positive.
Q.—Did you go through his pockets?
A.—Oh no, but where would he get the matches?
A.—He might have got them during the day?
A.—He might have.
Q.—But you hadn't gone through his pockets?
A.—No. There was no matches in his pockets. His pants are there yet. The pockets were stogged up with this excelsior.
Q.—But you are not sure at twenty minutes to eight whether he had matches or not?
Q.—No, I know I never gave him matches.
Q.—(Mr. Farmer): Did you see anybody near the door when you went in the corridor the last time?
A.—No, not last time. The first time I went in there was, between seven and six. There was somebody playing cards. (Witness named a number of prisoners, who later, he said, went down to the kitchen.)
Q.—There was nobody left in the corridor then?
A.—Not that I know of.
Q.—Was there anybody near the cell?
A.—Not when I came out.
Q.—When was this mattress torn up?
Q.—He had the top torn off it he morning I went off duty?
A.—You mean the covering?
A.—Yes, part of the covering was torn off.
Q.—When you came on in the evening in what condition was it?
A.—He had it piled up in the corner.
Q.—(Attorney General) Why didn't you take it out when you found it destroyed?
A.—Well, I intended to take it out. I had no keys to put out the stuff, and Roberts was busy at the time.
Continuing, witness said he was relieved Wednesday morning by two day men, Albert Woods and Peter Cameron.
Q.—Was there anything said that this excelsior should be removed?
A.—Yes, I told the day fellows that that mattress should be removed.
Q.—They evidently did not do it?
A.—It was not gone, no.
Witness further stated that the lock on the Coles cell was in good condition. The heat had evidently expanded it, or the burning paint had caused it to stick. The fire had evidently just started when the alarm was given, as not half of the excelsior in the cell had been burned. Witness knew Mr. Coles very well, and felt sure he had not started the fire himself. "He was not that kind. He would sometimes get violent and would tear up his clothes and mattress, but he never lit a fire, and he had a better chance to get matches in the Falconwood institution than he had here."

Q.—When they found him," witness added, "he (Mr. Coles) was standing as far from the fire as he could get—in the corner."
Q.—Was it possible for a butt of a cigarette to get beneath the cell door?
A.—It would take a long time before that would start in flames. The trousers worn by the deceased patient were produced, and showed bad burns in front and not in the rear. Dr. Goodwill stated that the patient was extensively burned on the back. Torn pieces of mattress covering and excelsior were found stuffed in the pockets.
Evidence of other witnesses examined revealed that Mr. Coles, when rescued from his cell, had no clothes on him.

Keefe Brothers Examined

The witnesses examined included Christopher and Richard Keefe. Both denied having given matches to the patient, though their stories as to their whereabouts immediately after the fire were contradictory. Richard Keefe maintained that about twenty minutes before the fire he and his brother had gone down to the kitchen, that they remained there until the alarm was given, that they then rushed upstairs with the other prisoners and found McCloskey in the act of rescuing Mr. Coles from the burning cell. Christopher Keefe stated that when he came on the scene from the kitchen Doctors McLaughlin and Clark had arrived. Previous testimony showed that this would be about half an hour after the fire. Witness offered no explanation of what he was doing during this period.

Q.—(By a juror) Before you went down to the kitchen how long did you stand talking to Coles?
A.—I was not talking to him at all.
Q.—You are positive of that?
A.—Yes.
Q.—You were not in the corridor where Coles cell was for half an hour before you heard the alarm?
A.—No.
Q.—You started upstairs when you heard the alarm and yet it was half an hour later when you got up? (Witness did not answer).
On previous occasions, witness said, he had stopped to talk to Mr. Coles.
Q.—On the day on which the fire occurred, did you stop to talk to him?
A.—I could not say for sure.
Q.—(Dr. McLaughlin.) When he asked you for the matches did he say what he wanted to do with them?
A.—He never asked me for matches.
After further examination by jurors the following statement was made by witness:
Q.—Before you heard the alarm, was your brother in the kitchen ahead of you, or did he come down after you?
A.—I couldn't say for sure.
Q.—You didn't notice him?
A.—No.
Q.—Did you not come up from the upper corridor and go down to the kitchen about two minutes before you heard the alarm for fire?
A.—Yes, I was up there a short time before.
Q.—When you were coming down did you notice the cell of Mr. Coles at all?
A.—I seen the cell, yes.
Q.—Did you notice anything wrong?
A.—No.
Q.—Where was Mr. Coles at that time?
A.—He was in the cell.
Q.—What was he doing?
A.—He was standing up.
Q.—Did you speak to him at all?
A.—No.
Q.—How could you tell he was standing up? Did you go up and take a look through the bars?
A.—I seen him when I was passing.
Q.—Was there anybody in the corridor at that time but yourself?
A.—I am not sure whether there was or not.
Q.—Did you notice whether he had any excelsior on his head or shoulders, or anything amiss about him?
A.—I never noticed it.
Q.—(Dr. McLaughlin.) Someone heard you talking to Mr. Coles. Do you remember just what you said to him?
A.—I don't remember.
Q.—(A juror): Did you speak to him?
A.—I was not talking at all.
Q.—You did stop at Mr. Coles' cell about a minute before you went downstairs. We have evidence that you did. What did you say to him?
A.—I don't remember talking to him.
The jury after hearing other evidence, returned the verdict given above.

SPRINGFIELD

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10.00 A. M.—Prayer Meeting.
11.00 A. M.—Public Worship.
11.30 A. M.—Junior Congregation.
Sermon—"Thy Kingdom Come" Dr. Ramsay
Anthem—"The Lord is My Shepherd" Macfarren

7.00 P. M.—Public Worship.
Sermon—"An Ensign for the Kingdom"
Rev. C. N. Brown, M. A.
Anthem—"Oh! For a Closer Walk with God"
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11.00 A. M.—Subject—"True Companionship."
2.30 P. M.—Sabbath School and Bible Classes.
Anthem—"How Long Will Thou Forget Me, O Lord"
—Pfleger.

Mrs. Jas. McMillan and Choir.

EVENING WORSHIP

Anthem—"Gentle, Holy Saviour" Gounod
The Choir.

Quartette—Selected.
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7.00 P. M.—Service of Sacred Songs.
7.15 P. M.—Subject—"The Purpose of Christ's Coming."
"O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt His name together."

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MORNING

Anthem—"The King of Love My Shepherd Is" (Shelley)

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EVENING

Anthem—"Come Now and Let Us Reason Together" (Briant)

Soloist—Mr. Arthur Bruce.

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St. Paul's Church

SEXAGESIMA

11.00 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Sexagesima Message.
2.30 P. M.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7.00 P. M.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.
Anthem—"Abide With Me" Schaecker

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