

LOCAL BRIEFS

THE express arrived in the city at 11.30 last night.

I. O. F.—Wildley Lodge, No. 27, meets tonight at 8 o'clock. General business.

THE Princess was five hours in crossing from Pictou yesterday, owing to the storm.

TODAY the S. S. City of Ghent will take from this port as part of her cargo some 300 barrels of potatoes for Havana.

THE Halifax Chronicle of Nov. 2nd says: Tonight "La Grande Duchesse" will be the bill and a crowded house is anticipated.

SHIPPING at Montague Bridge is beginning in earnest. Yesterday 15 vessels were at their berths loading with produce for the different markets. Potatoes were exchanging hands at 17 cents and oats 30c.

Two Beautiful Oil Paintings.—Two of the finest life size oil paintings ever put on exhibition in this town, were exhibited in the window of D. A. McLellan's furniture store. They were pictures of Mr. and Mrs. H. Murray, of the Norfolk House, and were painted by Mrs. Murray's niece, Miss Margaret Chisholm, Charlottetown daughter of Mr. Daniel Chisholm, and sister of Prof. C. L. Chisholm, of this town. They are finely executed; the touch of a skillful artist, who is already well known by her proficiency in the art. We might say that these paintings were copied from likenesses taken some fifteen or twenty years ago; and Mr. and Mrs. Murray were totally unaware that they were the subjects of the brush until the paintings were presented to them on Wednesday of last week, the twentieth anniversary of their marriage.—New Glasgow Chronicle.

THE annual social for all members of the congregation of St. Peter's Cathedral, and any friends wishing to attend, was held in St. Peter's Hall, when a goodly number were present and an enjoyable evening was spent. Games were provided for the younger people, while their elders were occupied in conversation. The lady Presidents of the various societies were the hostesses and provided refreshments. All seemed to enjoy themselves, and the social was evidently successful in accomplishing its object of drawing together in social intercourse all members of the congregation. During the week, in connection with the feast of "All Saints" services are held each morning for the various societies in the church and annual meetings for business and discussion of the year's work. Yesterday morning the service was in memory of the first Priest Incumbent, and of departed members of the congregation, and was preceded the evening before by a memorial service with sermon upon the Dead in Christ.

ONE of socials of the season took place last evening in the Baptist school-room. The hall was filled to its utmost capacity. All present were delighted with the pleasant hour spent. The programme was well rendered and the different performers were vigorously applauded. The following was the programme:
 Opened by prayer, Rev. G. P. Raymond.
 I. Chorus by Choir.
 II. Gramophone Selections.
 III. Recitation, Miss Stentford.
 IV. Solo, Miss Amy Earle.
 V. Cornet Solo, Miss Gwendoline Welsh, accompanied by Mr. Wm. McKie.
 VI. Recitation, James McLeod.
 VII. Gramophone Selections.
 Refreshments—Coffee and Cake.
 Social time spent.
 Gramophone Selections.
 Mr. S. N. Earle acted as accompanist.

GRAVEYARD OF THE ATLANTIC.

Canadian Government to Take Steps to Protect Commerce Passing Sable Island.

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Lieutenant Colonel Anderson, chief engineer of the Department of Marine of Canada, is engaged on a report of a survey made of the island this year and it is understood will have important recommendations to submit.

Any plan that may be adopted for saving Sable Island will go into the mill. The island is about twenty-one miles long and averages about eight or nine miles across. The shallows forming by the washings of the shores and changing sand bars already extend out into the ocean five or six miles and are constantly spreading. Lights and fog signals close to the water advantageously situated for warning steamers that get out of their course of their dangerous neighborhood are liable to be found far inland and practically useless for protective purposes in a few years, unless something is done to stop the ceaseless destructive work of wind and waves. The survey will determine to begin with the best points for lighting and signaling, with reference to measures for preserving these at least from further encroachments by sea.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. McLeod, Dawson City, was in the city yesterday.
 Mr. A. McKinnon, Coleman arrived in the city last night.
 Dr. Honeywell, Hunter River, was in the city yesterday.
 Mrs. Jas. Beale was a passenger by the express last night.
 Mr. T. J. Dillon arrived in the city last night from the mainland.
 Mrs. Geo. Dixon was a passenger by the Princess yesterday evening.
 Mr. Robert Cameron, who has been ill in Moncton, was a passenger by the express last night.
 Rev. McLean Sinclair, was a passenger by the Princess yesterday evening.

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HOTEL DAVIES.
 Thursday, Nov. 2.—W. H. Holmes, Halifax; J. A. Clark, do; E. A. Saunders, do; R. A. March, Hampton; A. E. Massey, Fredericton; W. Fonunarel, Hunter River; J. W. Hibbet and wife, Georgetown; M. A. Lord, Victoria; W. A. Fanning, Summerside; J. P. Mason, St. John N. B.; A. L. Mankesaf, Halifax; Mrs. Fraser, Pictou.

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BORN.

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MARRIED.

Sept. 15th. 1899 by A. E. Chapman, assisted by Rev. E. Slackford, at residence of bride's father, George O'Lea of Albarton to Sarah Alice Gonill of Lot 8.

At the Methodist parsonage, Souris, on the 1st inst. by Rev. S. H. Rice, Mr. James Stewart to Mrs. Martha Burke, both of King's Co. P. E. Island.

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DIED FROM LOVE OF SWEETS.

Morgue Keeper Could not Stop his Consumption of Sugar.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—For three years Henry B. Cunningham was in the habit of placing corpses on slabs in the Morgue. That was part of his duty as a keeper. Yesterday his own body lay on a piece of marble there waiting for his mother to claim it. "Candy" was the sentimental utterance of a brother keeper, when an outsider asked as to the cause of death. "Candy?" "Sure. That man loved candy he'd eat a pound a day. When he didn't have candy he'd swap his solid meat in the hospital cining room for somebody else's dessert, as long as it was sweet. He'd give up a big sirloin for a handful of sugar. Well there he is." Cunningham was warned by Dr. Richards of Bellevue three months ago to beware of eating saccharine and starchy foods. A rigid diet was prescribed. He went back to his sweets. He lost fifty pounds in weight in the last year. Diabetes killed him.

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