

Latest Important Reading Matter Selected from This Week's News for the Guardian's Saturday Subscribers

WEDNESDAY

UNDERWENT OPERATION.—The many friends of Mrs. J. R. Dennis will be sorry to learn that she is in the P. E. Island Hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis last Sunday. It is gratifying to know that her condition is regarded as satisfactory.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER.—A very pleasant event took place last evening at the home of Mrs. M. MacKenzie, 46 Reserve St., when a miscellaneous shower was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Edwin Patt. The many beautiful and useful gifts received testified to the popularity of the young couple. The evening was pleasantly spent in music and games, after which refreshments were served.

The large audience which attended the concert in aid of the Charlottetown Hospital at the Strand Theatre of last night enjoyed an evening of brilliant entertainment. The talented performers who assisted in the success of the concert, which was under the auspices of the St. Charles Auxiliary Society, are to be warmly commended for their efforts. The appreciation of the audience was expressed by enthusiastic applause and encores were repeatedly called for. Every number of the program was splendidly rendered and the performance would be highly creditable to any body of entertainers.

Following the overture by the Casino Orchestra came a most enjoyable performance, "Leap Year Dance" by eight lads, and sixteen lassies, who showed natural talent and thorough training. Vocal solos by Miss Agnes Flynn, Mr. Geo. Beers, Miss Lucy Blanchard, Mr. Frank McDonald, Mr. J. Austin Trainor, and Mrs. Francis Holl Trainor were received with applause and warmly encoered. The program also included a well rendered duet by Miss Lucy Blanchard and Mr. Albert Blanchard, a violin duet by two pupils of Miss Stultz, Miss Helen McDonald and Mr. Alfred McKeamey, a cornet solo by Mr. Urban Pineau, two splendid solos by the Orpheus Eight under the direction of Prof. Ball, Scottish dances by Miss Anna McRae, readings by Miss Gladys McCormac and Mr. Geo. Beers, and a novelty Indian Club act by Mr. W. E. Scantlebury. These numbers also elicited enthusiastic expressions of approval and encores being the order of the evening.

The Casino Orchestra played during the intermission and rendered material assistance throughout the performance. The entertainment was brought to a close with the National Anthem.

THURSDAY

Yesterday being nomination day for the civic elections, the following candidates nominated: For Mayor—John McKenna, P. S. Brown. For Water Commissioners—J. A. Webster, L. B. Miller, H. C. Craswell, H. Connors, Peter McQuaid. For Councillors—Ward One—Patrick Dennis, Bruce Taylor. Ward Two—William Moran. Ward Three—R. B. Rattray. Ward Four—Dr. I. J. Yeo, F. P. Hennessey, E. A. Foster. Ward Five—T. W. L. Prowse, G. W. MacLeod, W. A. Stewart, Dr. Buchanan.

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ISLAND NURSE PROMOTED.—Miss Ethel Oliver, R. N., graduate of Worcester State Hospital Training School, class 21, who has recently been chosen as Assistant to the Supt. of nurses there. Miss Oliver comes from Alberton, P. E. I., and is a young woman of unusual ability. In her work she will be associated with Florence M. Woodbridge, R. N., who is superintendent of nurses in the hospital. Miss Woodbridge comes from Cove Head Road, P. E. Island.

The Diamond Jubilee or Sixtieth Anniversary of the founding of the order of Knights of Pythias will be celebrated throughout the Supreme Domain this year, beginning Sunday the 17th day of February and continuing throughout the week, which will be known as a "Jubilee Week."

The Supreme Chancellor, Hon. George C. Cabell, who will be remembered by a large number of our citizens, when he gave a banquet in Victoria Hotel last August, has prepared a special jubilee ritualistic service for general use by Subordinate Lodges throughout the Supreme Domain. This ritual will be used at a public lodge service to be given by Empire Lodge, No. 19 in their Castle Hall on Thursday evening the 21st of February.

The programme for Jubilee Week is as follows: Sunday, February 17th, 7:00 p. m., a special church service at the Central Christian Church, when a special sermon for the occasion will be preached by (Knight) Rev. Dr. Genge.

Monday 18th, Theatre. Tuesday, 19th, Theatre. Thursday, 21st, Special lodge service. Friday, 22nd, Social function in Castle Hall.

The Agricultural short courses are meeting with splendid success throughout the Province. This week the courses are being held at Georgetown and Montague. Next week they will be at Emerald and Bedouque.

The following expression of appreciation from the people of the Belfast district for the services rendered by the Provincial Department of Agriculture in holding the short courses, speaks for itself: Newtown Cross, P. E. I., Feb. 5, 1924.

Hon. J. H. Myers, Commissioner of Agriculture, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Dear Sir:

As chairman and secretary-treasurer of the Short Course in Agriculture held at Eldon I am instructed to convey to you the following resolution moved by J. J. MacDonald and seconded by S. D. Murchison and carried unanimously: Resolved that:—Whereas the people of the Belfast District wish to extend to the Department of Agriculture and to the lecturers in particular, their entire appreciation of the Short Course in Agriculture held at Eldon during the week beginning Jan. 28th; the interests in our business have been quickened and we have derived much valuable knowledge and instruction in the various lines of farming discussed;

And whereas the gist of several of the lectures emphasized the great need now of uniformity in farm products; And whereas it is our opinion that while we do not wish to depreciate in the least the value of agricultural education along productive lines, yet we feel that at the present time the greatest needs in our business is more instruction confronting us in grading and marketing our products;

Therefore be it resolved that we respectfully suggest to the Department of Agriculture that more thought and work be devoted to this phase of agriculture in P. E. I. Respectfully submitted, E. S. REEVES, Chairman.

—OFFICERS ELECTED.—At a meeting of the Alberton Board of Trade held recently the following officers were elected: President F. L. Rogers (re-elected); Vice-President S. R. Bourke (re-elected); Secretary James E. Birch, (re-elected); Council, Herbert Clark, Alberton; J. A. Waugh, Alberton; John Myrick, Tignish; J. Bernard, Tignish; George Sheehan and C. Matheson, O'Leary.

The Annual Meeting of Queen's County Orange Lodge was held on Tuesday at Clyde River in Hamilton L. O. L. No. 1366 hall.

The Lodge opened at 11 o'clock with County Master J. J. MacLeod in the chair. There was a very large attendance, larger than for some years showing that interest is increasing in the work of the Order.

The reports of the different District Lodges were very encouraging, every lodge in the county making splendid progress.

After the regular business was finished the election of officers for the incoming year was proceeded with and resulted as follows:

County Master—F. C. Dollar, New Wiltshire. Dep. Master—John A. Murray, Clyde River. Chaplain—Rev. M. J. McPherson, Hampton. Rec. Sec.—N. D. MacLean, Charlottetown. Fin. Sec.—Colin MacPhail, Clyde River. Treas.—C. E. MacKenzie, Milton. Lecturer—Dougald MacKinnon, DeSable. Dep. Lect.—S. Tanton, Bunbury. 2nd Dep. Lect.—S. Sherrin, Cra-paud. Marshal—Fred Sherrin, Cra-paud. Auditors—Geo. Brady, Charlottetown, R. MacKay.

The Officers were then installed by Past County Master C. E. MacKenzie.

I was decided to hold the next Annual Meeting at Kingston in King William Lodge.

Arrangements were made for Fraternal Visits between the different Lodges of the County during the coming year, in order that the Lodges may help one another and promote the Fraternal Spirit among the Brethren.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed and extended to the members of Hamilton Lodge for the way they received and entertained the visiting Brethren.

—WILL VISIT LOUISIANA ACAD- IANS.—Mr. Justice A. E. Arsenault of P. E. Island left yesterday for New York, where he will meet Rev. A. D. Cormier and when he will proceed with him to Louisiana, where they will visit the cities, towns and villages, where there is an Acadian population. They will be joined later by Mr. Clarence Cormier, an officer of the Montreal Mutual Society of the Assomption, the head office of which is in Moncton and the Acadian trio which is composed of Mr. LeBlanc, the violinist, Mr. Desire Bourque and Miss Deshaets. Judge Arsenault is the president of the National Assomption Society, and Father Cormier is a national figure in these provinces. The object of their visit to Louisiana is to get acquainted with the Acadians of Louisiana and establish closer relations between them and their fellow countrymen of the Maritime Provinces. Some well informed students of history claim that there are over a quarter of a million French Acadians in that State. They have adhered to their customs, their religion, and their position in the legislative bodies of their adopted land.—Moncton Times.

At Charlottetown on Jan. 28th there passed peacefully to rest Mrs. Peter Corish in the 41st year of her age. The deceased whose maiden name was Mary Dowling had been enjoying splendid health during her life until about two weeks before her death when she became suddenly ill. All that medical attention and the care of a loving family and kind friends could do, failed to stay the messenger of death and after being consoled and sanctified by the last sacred rites of the Catholic church her spirit fled to the Great Beyond. She was a woman of a pleasant and cheerful disposition and was ever devoted to her home and family. Her gaining ways and pleasing personality won the respect and esteem of all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. A sorrowful husband, two sons, and four daughters are left to mourn the loss of a devoted wife and loving mother. There are also left to mourn three brothers, Dennis Dowling and Edward Dowling of this city and William Dow-

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FRIDAY

SIDEWALK ACCIDENT.—Mrs. E. H. Norton, 3 King Square, met with a painful accident last Tuesday by slipping and falling on the icy sidewalk and badly spraining her wrist. She will be confined to her house for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wolfe of Boston who have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conrad, Georgetown, arrived in the city yesterday on a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Conrad before leaving for Boston. They were accompanied to the city by Mr. Frank Conrad.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Greenan are pleased to learn that their little daughter Dorothy who has been very ill is doing nicely under the skillful treatment of Doctor Dalton who has recently moved to Emerald where he intends to practice. His many friends wish him success.

RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP.—The many friends of Mr. John A. MacLeod, will be pleased to hear that he has been awarded the Robert Bruce Scholarship in Arts at the University of Manitoba, Winnipeg. Mr. MacLeod is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander J. MacLeod, MacLeod's Mills, Montague, and has many acquaintances in Charlottetown.

PAINFUL INJURY.—While on his way to church Sunday evening Mr. Rowland Meikle was knocked down on Grafton St. near Prince, by a team which came from behind. He received a bad cut over his eye which required several stitches, and was badly shaken up, his ribs hurt, besides having his clothes torn. Mr. Vickerson who was near by kindly came to his assistance, took him to a Doctor and then home. The unknown driver, who had no bells and driving very fast never stopped to see what damage he had done.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. John S. Garlick, whose death occurred at her home 234 Hillboro Street yesterday afternoon, after a short illness which despite the best medical aid and loving nursing proved fatal. Deceased who was 67 years of age was a fine christian mother who ruled her home with love and devotion and her death is a severe shock to her family. Two daughters and two sons survive, Miss Myrtle at home and Mrs. Clifford Rose of New Glasgow, N. S., who came home during her mother's illness. William, plumber of this city and John of the Car Ferry to whom sincerest sympathy is extended. The funeral takes place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock to the Peoples Cemetery, Rev. George Taylor officiating.

There passed peacefully away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. McCordie, St. John, on Jan. 21st, Sarah, widow of Francis Callaghan, Dromore, aged 82. Deceased had been in failing health for some time, but despite all that medical skill could do proved of no avail, her spirit passed, away fortified by the last rights of the Catholic Church, of which she was a devout member.

Her remains were brought to Prince Edward Island where she was laid to rest by the side of her husband, who predeceased her six months ago. She leaves to mourn, two sons and five daughters, John F. and Hugh A. of Dromore, Mrs. Michael O'Brien, Morell, Mrs. Eugene Murray, Cambridge, Mass; Mrs. James Smitherman, East Boston, Mass; Mrs. Thomas Manning, North Andover, Mass; Mrs. Robert McCordie, St. John; also one sister Mrs. Hall, New Hampshire and one brother, Thomas Murray, North Andover, Mass. Her funeral took place to St. Patrick's church, Fort Augustus, where a requiem high mass was said by her pastor Rev. A. J. McDonald. The pall-bearers were: Philip Coyle, Patrick Kelly, Charles Barrett, William O'Brien, John Callaghan, James Curley. May her soul rest in peace.

The many friends in city and country were saddened on Jan. 11th, when it became known that Mrs. Gillmore Jardine, Florence McLean, of Lake Verde had passed away, after two weeks illness. Although not just feeling the best it was not realized that there was anything serious. Friday evening she was apparently in the best of health, when about three o'clock she said to her husband she thought she was going to have a nice rest she turned on her side and when he spoke to her she had passed away, to be with her Maker whom she dearly loved. She was a loving mother and kind friend, always ready to help those who were in trouble. Her home was always open to the stranger and it may well be said of her she had many friends and no enemies. She was born at Keppoch 39 years ago. When but a young girl, she followed in her mother's footsteps and was baptised in the Hazelbrook Baptist Church and since that time has been a member of that church.

There are left to mourn besides a sorrowful husband, a little infant baby three weeks and James William, Austin and Alma, all at home, also the following brothers and sisters:—Mrs. Earl Acorn, Lake Verde; Mrs. R. E. Williams, Mount Edward Road; Edythe of Truro, N. S.; Walter, George, Russell Hebert, all of Western Canada. This family has been doubly bereaved lately when only a short time ago their father Mr. James McLean passed away. The funeral was held on Sunday, and was largely attended friends from far and near, coming to pay their respects to one who was dearly loved by all. The funeral services at the house and grave were held by her pastor Rev. R. W. Lindsay, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Curley.

The pall bearers were: Messrs. Owen Callaghan, Joseph Redmond, John Baylin, Earl Jenkins, William McEachern, Joseph Baillem.