

THE GUARDIAN LOCAL NEWS

Reporters and Correspondents Everywhere.

THERE was no movement of the Minto yesterday.

The Stanley could be seen from Souris yesterday afternoon about four o'clock.

Don't forget St. Peter's concert to-night. It will certainly be one of the best this season.

HERBERT HOLL has severed his connection with the firm of Carvell, Rattenbury & Messervy.

THERE are no criminal cases on the docket of the Supreme Court at Georgetown this term.

The foreign mail to cross at the Capes today will likely reach here early tomorrow morning.

At the special service in Zion Church last night an eloquent address was given by Rev. G. R. White.

JOHN MCKANE at one time in the Royal Bank here has made a fortune in Rossland in a Nevada gold mine.

AMONG the most enjoyable social festivities at Mount Allison this year are the skating parties given in the new rink.

The February Teachers Institute published in New York, Chicago, and Boston contains an interesting geography lesson on P. E. I. with map.

The Laborers Protection Union have challenged the Empires for a return hockey match and the first and second Empires have challenged the Northern Stars.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island will be held in St. James Hall on Tuesday next, March 7th at 11 a.m.—T. C. James, Clerk.

The Knights of Columbus will formally open their new hall in the Connolly Block, Queen Street with a whist party and social on Monday evening next.

Six Government ice boats will cross from the mainland today and five will remain at Tormentine till to-morrow. There will be no crossing from the Is and today as no boats are on this side.

The marriage took place at St. Dunstan's Cathedral yesterday morning of John Doolan and Miss Mary Murphy, both of this City. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Morrison.

LADIES and gentlemen who have not procured their tickets for the whist party tonight can procure them at Reddin Bros. drug-store and at the door. Tickets \$1.00 a couple, ladies' single tickets 50c.

COURIER McNEVIN left Bonshaw at 11 yesterday morning and reached the city about four in the afternoon with about twelve bags of old paper mail. He left again last night at seven o'clock.

DURING one of the cold nights recently a water pipe five feet in the ground leading from the street to the Charlottetown Foundry & Machine Co. works was frozen. Workmen were excavating yesterday to repair the break.

Few horses were taken across from Southport yesterday and those that were brought over had great difficulty in making the passage. The ice is in a terrible state and the slush is almost sufficient to completely envelop the animals.

OWING to the imprecendent amount of snow on the railway line and the necessity of more appliances for fighting the drifts a new snow plough has been built at the Railway workshops and will be given a preliminary test by Conductor Hibbett east of Royalty today.

PRINCE EDWARD Division S. O. T. have changed their night of meeting from Tuesday to Thursday nights and will in future hold sessions in Wright's Hall. Next Thursday evening a number of initiations will be made and a visitation is expected from members of Victoria Division.

The funeral of John Collings, North River, took place Monday afternoon from his home to St. Dunstan's Cathedral and thence to the R. C. Cemetery. There was quite a number present notwithstanding the bad state of the road and the storm.

ALL lovers of Dr. W. H. Drummond, the talented Canadian author, will be pleased to hear that a "Drummond evening" will be given on Thursday March 16th, under the auspices of the Local Council of Women in Prince of Wales College Hall. The readings will be given by Charles P. Clarke, the well known commercial man.

A NUMBER of Commercial men who have been detained in town some days left yesterday for the Cape. They included John J. Mahar, representing the Canadian Furnishing Co. Toronto; D. Rutherford, of J. & M. Murphy & Sons, Halifax; R. A. Loudon, of the Kilgour Mfg. Co. Toronto; G. J. Wilson, of William Cumming, Son & Co. Truro; W. J. Wetmore, of W. H. Warwick Co. Toronto; R. E. Lyons, of The Ottawa Surgical Lens Co. and John Homuth, Toronto.

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Paton & Co. will put on sale at 10 o'clock this morning 50 sample pieces of tapestry carpet, pretty patterns, 1 1/2 yards long for 35 cents each. Come early and secure the snap of the season. i d r.

A VALUABLE Newfoundland dog owned by John Parkman was poisoned Monday forenoon. The parties who committed the deed are known and Mr. Parkman intends punishing them.

A TELEPHONE message from George town yesterday reported open water as far as the eye can reach. Cape Bear also reported that there was very heavy ice off that section of the Island.

The Stanley went out yesterday morning as far as Cape Bear and returned to Georgetown in the afternoon about five o'clock. There were on board W. W. Jenkins, D. W. Morrissey, Georgetown and Leith Poole, Nathaniel McLaren and Mr. Carruthers, Montague. The ice was reported very heavy off Cape Bear.

H. R. MOASE left yesterday afternoon at one o'clock with a large mail consisting of 18 bags for Kensington and other distributing post-offices along the line. Mr. Moase has made excellent trips since the railway line was blocked and his appearance in the city after some of the big storms has surprised his friends. He leaves Kensington for the city today.

YESTERDAY over eighty people in all including boatmen crossed from Cape Traverse to the mainland by the ice boats. This is the largest number to make the crossing from one side in the remembrance of residents of Cape Traverse. At one time several winters ago there were 113 people on the Straits at once but this was going both ways.

SLOW progress was made on the rail way line yesterday and none of the trains out made more than one or two miles. Cond. Kelly had gone from Winsloe to Loyalist, Brakeman Martin from Wellington to Port Hill; Conductor Cox coming from Souris was between St. Charles and Selkirk. Cond. Gillis coming to Emerald from Cape Traverse was near Albany, Cond. Stetson going from Kensington had reached New Amara and Conductor McKenna had reached Summerside at 2.40 from Kensington.

ARTHUR A. SULLIVAN and Edward Ryan leave this morning by team for Georgetown where they will be admitted to the Bar of Prince Edward Island at the opening of the Supreme Court there tomorrow. Both gentlemen who have recently passed their final law examinations with high marks leave in a short time for Western Canada where they will take up their future residence. Mr. Sullivan has returned recently from London, England, where he has been studying law for the past two years. Previous to that time he was a student at St. Dunstan's and Loyola College, Quebec, where he completed his French education. He holds a brilliant college course. In Western Canada the careers of both Messrs. Sullivan and Ryan will be watched with interest by many friends who will wish them much success.

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NELSON Rattenbury is in Souris. SOURIS has only three mails in the whole of February.

The regular monthly meeting of the Caledonian Club was held last evening.

MAILS were yesterday sent to Souris by Large Bros. taking in all distributing offices en route.

The Trustees who are inspecting the Public Schools expect to conclude their work this week.

The ice at French River is said to be impassable in many places. The weight of snow making it sink.

The funeral of the late Ronald McDonald, Souris took place Monday, Rev. Father McDonald officiating.

EIGHTY snow shovellers were working at the Cape Traverse branch yesterday. The train was still near Albany.

ST. JOHN has a new chemical fire engine and the Fire Underwriters have granted 15 cents rebate on insurance.

HON. S. E. REID, Commissioner of Agriculture drove to the city from Tryon yesterday. The trip took 6 1/2 hours.

It was reported from Picton last night that if the weather is fine today the Minto will make an effort to cross to Georgetown.

The tunnel under the Detroit river will be of two steel tubes built side by side, of steel reinforced and strengthened by cement inside.

At the market yesterday the first load of hay weighed on the scales since the 23rd was sold by Herbert Love, Royalty, to Thomas Handrahan.

DURING the many storms of February the Consolidated school vans of Tryon were prevented from reaching the school on thirteen occasions. The trouble was frequently caused by the narrow road which prevented the team going abreast. This will be remedied by adopting the tandem system.

The sales of Swift & Co, the big Chicago pork packers last year amounted to over \$2,000,000 with average daily shipments of 350 car loads. In one day the Company in their seven plants slaughtered 11,575 cattle, 16,583 sheep and 34,582 hogs and over 8,250,000 head of live stock were slaughtered during the year.

THE Y. M. C. A. and the P. W. C. are going to play a game of basket ball in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium a week from next Friday evening. Two junior teams will also be placed on the floor if arrangements can be made and it is anticipated that competition will be very keen in both matches for the teams are very evenly matched.

The funeral of Bernard Hughes, St. Mary's Road, father of John M. Hughes of the Post Office, took place last Saturday to Sturgeon, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. Father Phelan. Mr. Hughes who had only been ill for three days of pneumonia was sixty-six years of age, and leaves besides a widow, four sons, one of whom is still on the homestead, and two daughters also at home.

If the President of the Victoria Hockey Club would consult with the other members of the executive of the same club he would ascertain that they have for some weeks been endeavoring to arrange for a "play off" with the Abegweit. No doubt the executive would also explain to him how the Abegweit and Victorias are tied for the championship and why the "play off," that they have been endeavoring to arrange if necessary.

THE MAILS AND BOATS.—Yesterday a special courier left Charlottetown with mails for all points on the Souris branch. This morning at 9 o'clock a courier will leave for the same route and another for Montague, Cardigan, Georgetown and all points in Southern Kings. Mr. Moase the Kensington courier will arrive this afternoon and will return on Thursday morning. If the weather is fine today six boats will leave Tormentine for this side with a mail made up principally of letters. Yesterday 11 boats crossed from this side with 90 bags of mail and made a very favorable crossing.

The concluding lecture of Rev. T. F. Fullerton on the Russo-Japanese war was given last evening in St. James Hall. The immense commercial importance to Britain, her Colonies and the United States of the open door in China, which Russia seeks to close was the first point touched upon. Then the progress of the war after the battle of Liao Yang was rapidly sketched and a graphic account given of the long and tremendous conflict next to the siege of Port Arthur the story of the siege of nearly eleven months was told, special and vivid details being given of the successive attacks upon and final capture of 23rd Metre Hill and the final surrender of the great Russian stronghold. An able and informing review of the troubles in Russia closed the lecture, after which the National Anthem was sung. The number of leading citizens who have followed this series of superbly illustrated lectures on the war have found them intensely interesting and instructive.

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