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**THE GUARDIAN LOCAL NEWS**

Reporters and Correspondents Everywhere.

The Union Commercial College opens this morning.

The Abegweits have hockey practice to-night at 7.30, the Victorias at 9.

The January number of the Canadian Magazine contains an excellent photograph of Hon. Arthur Peters.

Rev. Jas McDougall will preach (D. V.) on Sabbath, the 8th inst., at DeSable 10.30, Canoe Cove at 3 and at Argyle Shore at 6.30.

A pretty calendar printed in colors and representing "A Promising Bite" has been received from H. M. Rogers & Co., wholesale commission dealers in all kinds of fresh fish, Fu ton Market, New York.

A BOX SLEIGH driven by three young lads named Martin, Arbing and Currie was upset at the corner of Prince and Grafton Streets last night and the occupants thrown out. There was no serious damage.

At the present time there is a difference of nearly two minutes between town and railway time. The latter is ahead and it is frequently the experience of one hurrying to catch a train to see it pulling out of the station before the town clock strikes the hour for its departure.

A LOCAL reproduced in the Guardian from the St. John Telegraph yesterday might convey the impression that A. A. Bartlett had retired from the insurance business. Mr. Bartlett still represents the Imperial Life Assurance Co., and his trip to England is merely for a holiday.

BEFORE George Parker, Michael Heslan and A. D. McPhee, Georgetown, several days ago John Gormley for using abusive language towards and cutting the door and breaking a window in the house of John Springeour, Cardigan, Nov. 25th last, was fined \$10 and costs. Allen Shaw on the same charge was dismissed yesterday.

The Klondike Hockey Club is en route from Dawson for Ottawa, for the purpose of capturing the Stanley cup. In order to get in good condition the members of the team are walking over ice and snow a distance of four hundred miles from Dawson to White Horse. On December 29 they sailed from Skagway, arriving at Vancouver today, and Ottawa on the 8th. The men who left are: A. Forest, J. K. Johnson, W. C. Young, L. Bunway, D. R. McLennan, N. A. Watt, George Kennedy, H. S. Smith and A. Martin, spare man.

CHURCH of England services in Georgetown, Cherry Valley and Murray River, will be D. V. as follows:—

Jan. 6th, Feast of the Epiphany, Cherry Valley, Holy Communion 10.30 a. m.

Sunday Jan. 8th, Cherry Valley, Holy Communion 9 a. m., Morning Prayer (children's service) 10.30 a. m.

Jan. 15th, Georgetown, Holy Communion 8 a. m., Morning Prayer 11 a. m., Cherry Valley, Evening 7 p. m.

Jan. 22nd, Cherry Valley, Holy Communion 10.30 a. m., Georgetown Evening 7 p. m.

Jan. 29th, Georgetown, Holy Communion, 11 a. m., Cherry Valley Evening 7 p. m.

PRINCE EDWARD Div. No 1 S of T. met last night and installed the following officers for ensuing quarter:

W. P.—M. R. Bethune

W. A.—R. C. Mutch

S. Y. P. W.—Annie Ferguson

F. S.—Jane E. Taylor

Treas.—M. P. Kennedy

R. S.—Chas. A. Ward

A. R. S.—Mrs. Chas. A. Ward

Chap.—D. Small

Con.—A. A. Wadman

A. C.—A. W. Tanton

I. S.—S. Roper

O. S.—D. McInnis

P. W. P.—R. Meikle

Organist—Mrs. Clarke

D. G. W. P.—S. F. Hodgson

The Guardian regrets to hear of the illness of John McPhail.

W. G. CRAIG, brother of Capt. Craig of the City of London, is a candidate for mayoralty in Kingston, Ont.

A FEW days ago Seymour McLennan, Alexandria, shot a jack snipe at a spring near his residence. The bird is a large and very rare specimen.

The Minto reached Pictou yesterday morning at 10.30. Her cargo included 350 dressed hogs, 300 boxes smelts, 3 horses and sundries.

The special from Georgetown with mails and passengers also brought four cars of freight to the city yesterday afternoon reaching here at 1.30 o'clock.

HEDLEY V. HORNE, Oyster Bed Bridge is the owner of a beautiful Brazilian colt, aged 2½ years, which has shown wonderful speed for his age and has every indication of making a fast horse.

ALBERT TAYLOR, son of Officer Taylor, has been appointed in West Kent to the position held by Rohan Cameron, resigned, and Miss Mary Cornfoot to the position held by Vernon Crockett who has been promoted to the department of A. D. McArthur, resigned. The new teachers took charge yesterday.

A service of song will be given by the choir of St. John's Church, Crapaud, next Sunday evening at 6.30, when the Cantata, "Bethlehem" will be sung. The soloists are: Mrs. W. H. Collett, the Misses Mary Inman, V. Lea, L. Robertson, with Brent McIntosh, and the Rev. C. R. Cumming. Miss Ethel Inman, Organist. Silver collection.

MASONIC NEW YEAR SERVICE—On Sunday evening Jan. 1st, the members of the Crapaud Masonic Lodge assembled in the hall at Hampton, and forming in procession marched in a body to the Presbyterian Church where they were met and welcomed by the pastor, Rev. A. D. McDonald, who is himself a member of the order. A special service was held, an appropriate and impressive sermon being preached from Micah 6:8 "He hath showed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God." There was a large congregation present.

JAMES CUSHING who has been in the employ of Bruce Stewart & Co., for some time left last night for Sydney where he has obtained an excellent position with the Steel Company. Mr. Cushing was captain of the Crystal Pioneers last year and this year was playing with the Abegweits. He is the second member of the latter club that has been secured by Nova Scotian hockeyists—this winter James Williams having accepted a position in New Glasgow, N. S. a short time ago. It would appear that the amateur (hockey) clubs of Nova Scotia are fast becoming Americanized and are no mean exponents of the Pittsburg Act.

**Your Doctor**

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The meeting in connection with the week of prayer tonight will be held in Zion church. This is the regular night for the mid-week prayer-meeting and it is hoped that the church will be filled.

The Levee given at Government House on New Year's Day was largely attended. The visitors expressed themselves as delighted with the reception which was conducted by Lieutenant Governor McKinnon with all the dignity befitting his position.

Queen—D. P. Irving, Vernon River; Jas. McDougall, Bangor; A. McDonald, Pointe Prime; E. D. Murchison, do; J. H. Irving, do; Albion; R. E. Wedlock, Stanley; Ethel Wedlock, do; D. A. Welllock, do; Celia Parker, Glenalade; D. C. Morson, Cardigan; Thos. Wilkinson, Alberton.

The funeral of the late Benj. Bryant of Brackley Point Road took place yesterday afternoon to Sherwood Cemetery. The very large attendance testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. The services were conducted by Rev. G. F. Dawson assisted by Rev. F. Frizzle.

The schooner Ella B., the last vessel with produce from Prince Edward Island to arrive here this season, reached port yesterday, having been towed around from Big Bras d'Or. The vessel left Georgetown two weeks ago and had a very rough passage.—North Sydney, Ex.

The death of Arthur Gay occurred on Saturday morning at his home, 95 Main street. Mr. Gay was in his eighty-second year. He was a native of P. E. Island and came to New Brunswick in 1863. In 1866 he enlisted among those who volunteered for the Fenian raid and accompanied the St. John men to St. Andrews. He returned to P. E. Island a few years afterwards and remained there until four or five years ago, when he again came to St. John to reside with his son, A. W. Gay. Mr. Gay leaves a widow and the following children: Mrs. James Buchanan, Nelson Gay in the Northwest; A. W. Gay, Main street, St. John; Alexander and William of Boston, and George A. of St. Stephen, who is now in this city.—St. John Sun.

The Clyde River Baptist church was filled with an attentive and intelligent audience and the church was handsomely decorated on Xmas eve. The Xmas tree was loaded with everything imaginable and R. A. McPhail presided. The program consisting of readings, recitations, and music by the children, and was well rendered. The scholars were remembered by the teachers and the teachers by the scholars. The organist Miss Kate Ramsay richly deserved the sum of money she was presented with. Each of the scholars received a handsome present from Mrs. George Reid of Chicago. The Sabbath School is in a flourishing condition, and enters upon the New Year under favorable conditions.

The Executive Committee of the Local Council of Women held their first meeting yesterday morning in the Council Chamber, which has been so graciously put at their disposal by His Worship the Mayor and City Councilors. After the usual preliminaries the chairwoman, Mrs. Bayfield, proposed that before proceeding with the regular business of the meeting, they pass a resolution thanking Mayor Kelly and Councilors for their kindness in recording them the use of the Council Chamber. The motion was put to the meeting and confirmed unanimously by a standing vote. Arrangements for the Annual Meeting were discussed and it was decided to hold it on the 28th of January at a quarter to three in the Council Chamber. It was also decided to hold a special meeting of Executive on Tuesday the 24th of January at Miss Mary Palmer's residence, Weymouth Street, at 11 o'clock in the morning.

In another column will be found a notice of the death of Ewen A. the youngest son of John McQuarrie, Esq. of Bonshaw, which sad event took place on the 24th of November 1901. Although he was called away in the spring-time of life, his influence will long be felt in the community in which he lived, especially among his friends and associates. His life was characterized by high ability, devotion to the Saviour, and unflinching trust in God; and during his last illness he showed that endurance and patience which none but the Christian can manifest. As his life was an example of the result of Christian influence, so also his death was an evidence of the power of the Saviour's love in alluring the soul from earth to heaven and giving us an earnest of eternal glory. When the hour of his departure had come, he had farewells to his friends and relatives present and peacefully passed away to join forever the Heavenly choir around the throne above in praising the Lamb who had redeemed him by His blood. He leaves to mourn besides his father already mentioned, four brothers and one sister in the United States, one brother in California, and a large number of friends and acquaintances. To the bereaved The Guardian offers its heartfelt sympathy.

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**MOORE & MCLEOD**

D. A. McDonald, Editor, writing to The Guardian under date, January 2nd states that he heard the noise distinctly of the ton of powder that exploded near Halifax that day week. At first he thought it was a cannon or thunder. Some of his neighbors also heard the noise of the explosion.

The death took place yesterday of one of Charlottetown's oldest citizens in the person of Philip Coyle, Sr., at the advanced age of ninety-three years. Mr. Coyle was for a long time engaged in the manufacturing of tobacco, from which he retired some twenty-five years ago. He leaves a family of four sons all residing in this city, Philip Coyle, contractor and builder; Thomas, Stephen and Owen, and four daughters also in the city—Mrs. Michael Duffy, Mrs. Patrick Duffy and Anne and Nellie at home.

The officers of the P. E. I. Hockey League for the present winter are as follows:—  
President—H. M. Baker, Summerside.  
Vice Pres.—H. S. McLeod, Vics.  
Secy-Treas.—James McMillan, Abegs.  
Committee—W. B. Prowse and C. McQuillan, Vics; L. B. McMillan and J. R. Darke, Abegs.; Creel McArthur and T. P. Grady, Summerside.  
The schedule arranged for the present season is as follows:—  
Jan. 6th—Abegweits vs. Crystals at Summerside.  
Jan. 20th—Abegweits vs. Crystals at Charlottetown.  
Jan. 27th—Abegweits vs. Victorias.  
Feb. 3rd—Abegweits vs. Crystals at Summerside.  
Feb. 10th—Victorias vs. Crystals at Charlottetown.

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The monthly meeting of the W. F. M. S. of Zion church, will be held this afternoon at the usual hour.

Horse at Auction.—Benj. Carter & Co. will sell by auction on the Market Square on Friday, January 6th, at one o'clock a fine horse, weight 1360 lbs, suitable for heavy hauling or express work. Ad.

Regular meeting of the C. M. B. A. this Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Installation of officers. Full attendance of members particularly desired.

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