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ALL NEWS OF LOCAL INTEREST

In the report of Hamilton, L. O. L., list of officers the name of the Chaplain, C. D. McLean was inadvertently omitted.

The Princess arrived last night at a quarter to nine and the express at 8.35, the latter not waiting for the C. P. R.

The debate to-night on "Study Travel in the First Methodist Church" will be opened by Miss Annie Mellish and E. T. Higgs.

Recent deaths of P. E. I. people reported in Massachusetts are:—Michael Carroll, in Chelsea, D. C. 6; in Boston, Dec. 1st, John F. McNeill, son of the late Eoderick McNeill.

Owing to unforeseen circumstances it is probable that P. S. Brown will not dispose of his hotel at the present time. As a consequence his agreement with Mr. Doherty of the Divines is also off.

F. P. Armour will cater at the Rink this season. The lunch-room will be enlarged and improved, and probably placed in a new section of the building. Patrons will be well served by Mr. Armour, who thoroughly knows his business.

The tea in the Y.M.C.A. Hall conducted by the ladies of St. Peter's Church, was concluded last evening with another very successful day. On Wednesday evening the employees of Senter, Trainor & Co., were entertained to tea by their employers.

As the buoys indicating the channel on West River have been taken up and stored for the winter, the S. S. City of London will not make any more trips on the route this season. She will however ply to East River ports, Crapaud, Belfast and Orwell as long as possible.

The Meadow Brook shooting case, it is stated, has been taken up by the crowd. The question as to whether the shooting was an accident or was deliberate, seems to be a debatable one. Ernest Green, who did the shooting, says it was an accident, while Mrs. Cushing, the woman who received shot wounds, says she does not know how it happened. Mrs. Cushing is said to be badly wounded and in a critical condition. Dr. Gaudet is in attendance. The boy was not so badly hurt.—Moncton Times.

Rev. J. C. Spruce will preach on Sunday, 13th Dec., at Eldon at 11 a.m., and at Urig, 2.30 p.m. He will also administer the ordinance of baptism at Hazelbrook at the close of the evening service. Evangelist A. F. Baker will preach at Alexandra at 3 p. m. and Hazelbrook at seven.

SEVEN thousand and twenty-seven bushels potatoes, 5,000 bushels oats, 50 bushels of turnips were the receipts from Prince Edward Island yesterday. They arrived in two vessels, the Ulva, Coorad, from Charlottetown, and the Minnie J. Heckman, Nickerson, from Orwell.—Halifax Herald.

The annual meeting of the Maritime Commercial Travelers' Association was held in Halifax Wednesday night. W. B. Arthur, Halifax was re-elected president. Vice-presidents for New Brunswick, G. F. A. Anderson, R. A. Marsh, F. S. Parle, Henry Thomas; treasurer, Wm. Robertson, Halifax.

The Epworth League meeting in the First Methodist Church basement to-night will be very interesting. After the usual service the Debating Club takes charge and every one present is entitled to take a part in the discussion. The topic will be "Which do we learn more by—reading or travel."

At the solicitation of some of the enterprising residents of Albany a telephone station is to be established at that place. The main line from Tryon to Bedeque will be tapped. It is expected that the office will be opened early next week. The people of that locality will greatly appreciate the action of the Company in thus acceding to their requests.

ADMIRERS of the brilliant literary work and the brave and cheerful personality of Robert Louis Stevenson will have a delightful evening at the Baptist School Room to-night. Prof. C. J. MacMillan will read a paper on Stevenson, the man and his work, and among other attractions appear the name of Mrs. Rome and Miss Rattray. Home made candy for sale during the intermission. Admission 10c.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Abegweit hockeyists was held last night. Messrs L. B. McMillan, Joseph Darke and James McMillan were appointed a committee to confer with the Victorias and Crystal Pioneers to arrange matches for the season. Five of the old senior team will be again on the ice, the only two absent ones being Williams and McEaster and probably one of these may appear also.

The annual meeting of Companion Court, Brighton was held last night when the following staff of officers were elected.

- C. R.—Miss Mary A. Chappell.
- V. C. R.—Mrs. Catherine Allen.
- Rec. Secy.—Mrs. M. E. Howatt.
- Fin. Secy.—Miss A. A. Wadman.
- Orator.—Mrs. Edith H. Hodgson.
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- J. W.—Mrs. T. E. Pearson.
- S. B.—Mrs. J. Pickard.
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- Court Dep.—Mrs. M. E. D. Sherrea.
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Rev. W. R. Motley, M. A., will preach his farewell sermon in the Central Christian Church tonight at 8 o'clock. His topic will be "The Passing of the Harvest." Mr. Motley has been conducting Evangelistic services, for the past three weeks, and has endeared himself to many in this city. Any who have not heard him should come tonight and hear this eloquent preacher of the Gospel. There will be special music at this service. Come and hear Mr. Motley preach his closing sermon. A collection will be taken.

The regular meeting of the Charlottetown Teachers' Association was held last evening at 7.30 o'clock in the Queen Square School, President McSwain presiding. After routine business Prof. C. J. MacMillan, M. A. of P. W. C. read a most interesting and instructive paper on English Composition. The discussion following the reading of this paper was general on the part of the teachers. Many difficulties experienced in the effort to successfully teach the subject were spoken of. The thanks of the Institute were given Prof. MacMillan and the meeting adjourned to meet after the Christmas holidays at the call of the executive.

WORD was received in the city yesterday of the death on Wednesday of Patrick McQuaid, son of Hugh McQuaid, St. Theresa's. The deceased left the Island five years ago and by his energy, perseverance, and sterling character fast worked his way to a leading place in railway circles. At his death at the early age of twenty five he occupied the position of Station Agent at North Adams, Mass and was highly esteemed in the service. Some time ago he was taken ill with typhoid fever and ten days ago his father went to his bedside. Since that time, however, he has improved and the news of his demise yesterday came as a sudden shock. By Mr. McQuaid's death sorrowing parents beside brothers and sisters are left to mourn a great loss. The remains are expected to arrive home tonight by the express.

A MEETING of the Board of Education was held yesterday afternoon in conjunction with the meeting of the Executive Council. The question of the introduction of the Ballingall map of P. E. Island into the schools of the province was considered and it was decided that its use be authorized by the Board. The map is now used in the Charlottetown and Summerside schools. A dispute in the Kensington school occasioned by the dismissal of a trustee and the appointment of another in his place by the Inspector, was also considered and a commission composed of Messrs. John F. Wheatley and George W. Simpson with Principal S. N. Robertson were appointed to inquire into the question. A dispute in the Elliotville school district over its division into two school districts was referred back to the district for adjustment by themselves. Other routine business was also disposed of during the session of the Board.

The provincial executive were in session all yesterday afternoon and last evening and will meet again to-day. It is understood that mostly routine business was disposed of. The question of lighting the Argyle by electricity was before the council, plans were submitted, estimates as to cost etc and it was decided to call for tenders for the performance of the work. A deputation also waited upon the government with regard to the claims for losses occasioned to John Wheatley last year by shipments on the Manchester boats which did not fulfil the terms of their agreement with the Dominion Government. Mr. Wheatley is petitioning for compensation for the loss he sustained by the detention of the steamers and the deputation asked that a resolution be passed by the Council endorsing his claim. No action has yet been taken however. A number of other matters relative to the public offices were considered and the Council adjourned about eleven o'clock.

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At the church of the Holy Redeemer, Whitney Pier, C. B. on Nov. 24 by Rev. Neil McDonald, Mary A., daughter of Phillip Curley, formerly of Charlottetown and John J. McDonald of Sydney.

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