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## Local and Other Items

**HOCKEY.**—Victorias practice at 7.30 to-night.

**CHOIR PRACTICE.**—First Methodist choir at 8.30 this evening.

**THE MINTO** left Pictou for Georgetown at two o'clock this afternoon.

**THE PROGS.**—Fresh southwest to south winds; fine and mild. Saturday; fair and mild.

**POLICE COURT.**—Henry Welsh was this morning fined \$8 or 40 days for drunkenness.

**I O O F.**—Wildy Lodge, No 27, met to-night. Installation of officers and regular business.

**CONCERT.**—Don't forget the concert in the A. O. H. Hall on Tuesday 16th, in aid of the City Hospital. Look out for programme. 5, 21.

**L. O. A.**—A special meeting of St. George's Lodge will be held in Mechanics Hall, on Friday, January, 5th, 1900, at 8 o'clock, p. m. Every member must attend.

**P. E. I. HOSPITAL.**—The trustees of the P. E. I. Hospital thankfully acknowledge a donation of \$25 towards current expenditure, from Rev. Dr. R. Brecken, of Sackville, N. B.

**DONATION.**—The treasurer of the Dorcas Society in connection with the First Methodist church of Charlottetown thankfully acknowledges the receipt of a donation of \$25.00 from Rev. Dr. R. Brecken, of Sackville, N. B.

**CHARLOTTETOWN SCHOOL OF MUSIC.**—Lecture to-morrow at 10, a. m. Every student will try and be present. Miss O'cady and Mr. Watts will play a waltz by Loen on two pianos. Winter term commenced January 3rd, 1900.

**HEAVY POKERS.**—Mr. William Matheson, of Oyster Bed Bridge, had the carcasses of two hogs in town to-day which weighed 314 and 360 pounds respectively. They were seven months and sixteen days old. Captain T. G. Taylor was the purchaser.

**OPERA HOUSE.**—The next attraction at Opera House will be the Boston Comedy Company under the management of that old favorite H. Price Webber. The company has been playing to splendid houses in the other provinces, and will, no doubt, do well here. The season opens on Tuesday evening.

**THANKS RETURNED.**—Mr. S. N. Earle returns his sincere thanks to the citizens of Charlottetown for their kind patronage; to Mr. C. P. Fletcher and Messrs. Miller Bros. for their kind use of pianos; to Mr. Vinicombe and all the performers who assisted him in making the concert a success. To Mr. Arthur Peake he wishes to convey special thanks for his clever management of the musical sketch or burlesque.

**RECONCILED.**—A Calgary, N. W. T. dispatch says: A reconciliation has been effected between Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Harris, whose dramatic separation, coupled with the shooting by Harris of his partner, Gouin, was the talk of the town. Although separated for a time after the unpleasant affair Mr. and Mrs. Harris are now living happily together. It is doubtful if there will be anything more heard of the charge against Harris for shooting.

**KNIGHTS ON PYTHIAS.**—The officers of Empire Lodge were last evening installed by Deputy Grand Chancellor A. McBeth, assisted by Past Chancellors J. R. McKim, as Grand Master at Arms, T. A. McLean, Grand Prelate, J. J. Davies, as Grand Vice Chancellor. The officers are:

- C. C.—F. S. Jost.
- V. C.—Arthur G. Peake.
- Prelate—Rev. J. W. McConnell.
- Master of Work—K. Finlayson.
- Keeper of Records and Seals—G. J. Lane.
- Master of Finance—W. W. Clarke.
- Master of Exchequer—J. L. Thomson.
- Master at Arms—Leonard McKay.
- Inner Guard—F. P. Newson.
- Outer Guard—J. N. Sutherland.

The Lodge will meet tonight at eight o'clock in Mechanics' hall, Prowse's block. Hereafter meetings will be held every Friday evening in the same place.

**THE SEIGE RAISED AT ST. DUNSTAN'S COLLEGE.**—Dr. Macleod paid a visit to St. Dunstan's College yesterday, and, in view of the fact that no cases of diphtheria had occurred there for a fortnight, today ordered the students' clothing should be fumigated. He went out accordingly this morning with Dr. Conroy, and superintended the process of fumigation. The rector kindly granted the students a week's holidays, and when they were told that they were released pandemicum reigned for about half an hour. Drum and other instruments, brooms, carpet sweepers and other articles perhaps more useful than ornamental, were in evidence in the procession. Speeches were made by the rector and the doctors in answer to the wild cheering and tigers given by the boys.

**Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.**

Booming—Business is still booming at Prowse Bros. The overcoats, ulsters and fur coats are walking out in good shape. Special prices all this month. 4 31

## THE MINTO

### What Captain Finlayson Says.

This forenoon, Mr. Lord, agent of the Department of Marine in Charlottetown, received a letter from Captain Finlayson explaining why the Minto did not come to this port last evening. In Captain Finlayson's opinion the Minto could not get into Hillsborough Bay because of the ice. Between the block house and the bell buoy there was much thin sheet ice, and from the belle buoy to Point Prim rafted ice was encountered. The steamer with all her power fairly worked through this ice, but on several occasions nearly stopped. After getting to the southward of Point Prim she had drift ice all the way to Wood Islands. He considered the condition of the ice well before deciding to go to Georgetown, and if possible he would have returned to Charlottetown.

## PERSONAL.

Sarah Bernhardt, the great actress, is reported seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bear, of this city, spent New Year's Day in Montreal.

Mr. K. McK. Jenkins, of Sydney, C. B., is registered at the Hotel Davies.

William Waldorf Astor has contributed £1,000 to the Prince of Wales' hospital fund.

The many Charlottetown friends of Mr. S. M. Bent, of the Summerside Journal will hear with regret that he is seriously ill of pneumonia.

Miss Annie McDonald was a passenger by the eastern train this afternoon en route to her home in Dundas. Miss McDonald has just returned from an extended visit to Boston and other points in Massachusetts.

Rev. J. W. Cox, of Pugwash, formerly of St. Peter's Church in this city, has been appointed chaplain of the second contingent for South Africa. Rev. Mr. Lane has also been appointed a chaplain.

## LOCAL NOTICES

Down quilts and down pillows—T. J. Harris, London House.

BURNS' anniversary celebration will be held in the Opera House on Thursday, 25th inst. Make no other arrangements for that evening.

**Graphophones and Graphophone records at Miller Bros.**

For Robes—One Musk Ox worth \$75, will be sold for \$50. A lot of goat robes, \$4.50, \$5, \$6 and \$7. In fact we have the largest stock of robes; we have the best stock of robes; we have the cheapest robes in the city.—Prowse Bros.

Band in the Birk to-morrow, Saturday afternoon. The ice never was better. Every person pleased last night. The managers will spare no pains to make it as pleasant as possible for skaters.

Mr. Charles J. Mitchell has secured the handling of the celebrated Perry Pictures, which may be seen at his store on Queen St. These pictures are especially suitable for mounting in many ways, and when so treated have very pretty effects. They are sold at ridiculously low prices. You are asked to call and see them.

## Scenery That Acts.

Scenery that acts! If Wagner had wrought no other revolution on the operatic stage, he would deserve our gratitude. Take for purpose of comparison the vessel in "L'Africaine" and the ship in the first act of "Tristan and Isolde." The former shows the section of a vessel as neatly divided into various compartments as a box of seed samples. If the scene is well done, if, when the double basses begin to rumble and the ship begins to roll, the women shriek in their compartments, the priests pray in theirs, and the savages whose canoes would surely have been swamped in the storm, supposing they could have been launched at all, climb over the ship's side and massacre everything in sight—well, we see the cleverness of it and are entertained, but hardly horror-stricken or overcome by terror.

On the other hand, the ship's deck in "Tristan" with its group of silent men near the helm and its passion-torn woman in the foreground, the distant horizon line suggesting the sea far more effectively than a whole platoon of mechanically "worked" waves possibly can, creates illusion and atmosphere, and forms as much a component part of the music drama as the singers and orchestra. The ship in "L'Africaine" is a clever bit of stage mechanics; the ship in "Tristan" is scenery that acts.—Gustav Kobbe in Century.

## Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders and patrons of the Dunstaffnage Cheese and Butter Dairying Company, will be held at Marsfield Hall, on Wednesday, the 17th day of January, A. D. 1900, at the hour of one o'clock p. m.

RODERICK, MUNN, BSG., President.  
ANUSIA W. O'LAULY, Secretary.  
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## Local and Other Items.

**DOES NOT FREEZE.**—Lak Salawik, near Dawson City, which is sixty miles broad, is perhaps the only one in the extreme north which does not freeze in the winter.

**NEW YORK GROWING.**—The annual report of the board of health of New York estimates the population of Greater New York at 3,550,000, a gain of about 100,000 over 1893.

**A QUIET TOWN.**—Moncton can fairly lay claim to being the quietest town in the province. Not a single arrest has been made by the city police during the holiday season. This is something remarkable as well as being a record breaker in this line and speaks well for the sobriety of the city.—Moncton Times.

**BYE ELECTIONS.**—Writes for bye-elections for the Dominion House of Commons have been issued. Nominations will take place on the 18th next and elections on the 25th a week later. There are seven elections to be held. They are Winnipeg, West Ontario, Labelle, Champlain and Vercheres, Lotbiniere, Berthier and Sherbrooke.

**FUNERAL YESTERDAY.** The funeral of the late Mrs. John Butler was held yesterday and there was a large attendance of sympathizing citizens. The pall-bearers were T. B. Riley, T. Taylor, J. Mahar, J. A. Griffith, J. Murphy and P. Clarkin. A Mass of Requiem was celebrated in St. Dunstan's Cathedral. The burial was in the Roman Catholic cemetery.

**Y. M. C. A.**—At the meeting yesterday afternoon of the Executive of the Y. M. C. A. the offer of \$10,000 for the building was favorably discussed. It was decided to call a special general meeting of the members who will have the privilege of speaking and voting on this matter. The meeting will be held on January 16th at 8 p. m., in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor.

**THE SOUDAN.**—Mr. T. C. James delivered his highly interesting lecture on the Sudan in Grace church last evening. Colonel Moore presided, and there was a very good audience. The lecture was well delivered and was greatly appreciated. At its close Mr. James was tendered the hearty thanks of the audience. Before dispersing "God Save the Queen" was sung.

**PRIZES AWARDED.**—Commissioner Robertson has awarded prizes offered to boys and girls for a hundred heads of wheat and oats bearing the largest number of seeds. British Columbia took first prize for both wheat and oats. The prizes went to the provinces in the following order: Ontario, 13; B. Columbia, 7; Territories, Manitoba, New Brunswick, 2 each; Nova Scotia and Quebec, 1 each.

**THE HOTEL DAVIES.**—Mr. Doherty, the new proprietor of the Hotel Davies, contemplates making many alterations in this popular hostelry in the spring. Among the changes he proposes to replace the old house on the corner by a modern structure, four stories high, to extend from the western end of the main hotel building. The greater portion of the new building will be set apart for bedrooms. Mr. Doherty is determined to more than sustain the good name of the Hotel Davies.

**AN OLD AND WELL TRIED REMEDY.**—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays the pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. It is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

**SUNDAY SCHOOLS.**—A meeting of Sunday School officers was held in Zion Church last evening to organize a district meeting of Sunday School workers in the city and vicinity. Rev. Mr. Raymond spoke on the branches of the work. Mr. Stanley, Supt. of the First Methodist S. S., was appointed President; Mr. A. W. Sterne, vice President; Mr. E. S. McPhail, Secretary; Rev. G. P. Raymond was appointed leader of the normal class and Mrs. S. Sanderson, Sec'y-Treas. The next meeting will be in Zion Church next Wednesday night.

## Begin the New Year Right

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- Jersey leggins... \$1.00
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