

ITEMS FROM DUNDAS.

Albion Lodge, No. 63, I. O. G. T. is still booming. Since the arrival of winter the membership has been largely increased. We understand that they are to pay a fraternal visit to Orient Lodge very soon. We are sorry to learn that Rev. A. McLeod, returned missionary from India, is again about to take his departure for that far-off land, after spending several months at his native home. We wish him every success.

Mr. H. Hiltz and family left for the United States on New Year's day. They will be very much missed by their many friends, especially by the members of the Methodist Church and the I. O. G. T. Lodges, of which both Mr. and Mrs. Hiltz were members.

Mr. J. Nicholson's new residence at Bridgetown is nearly completed.

On Christmas Eve a gloom was cast over this vicinity by the death of Daniel A. Gay, aged 18 years, son of Mr. Abner Gay. Daniel, although not very strong, was in his usual health up to the Monday previous to his death. On that day he was noticed to have a slight cold, which seemed to be gradually growing worse. Everything that human skill could do for him was done, but to no avail, and on Friday it was plainly seen that his time on earth was getting very short.

After helping to sing "The Hour of my Departure's Come," "I'm going home to die," and several other hymns, he bade farewell to each member of the family and many others who were present, and after admonishing them all to meet him at the "Foot of the Cross," he fell "asleep in Jesus." The many who saw him the day of his death can never forget the joy and peace that marked his every word and action, and those who knew him from a child will always hold in their hearts loving remembrances of him. Although the family cannot but feel a vacancy in their hearts and home which nothing can fill, still the knowledge that he is at rest with Jesus is, we are sure, a great consolation for them in their sorrow.

The funeral took place on Monday, at 10 a. m., Rev. J. Heaney officiating, and from the many who were present on the occasion some idea can be had of the estimation in which the deceased was held by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. The bereaved family have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community.

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PERSONAL.

Sir Charles Tupper is at Ottawa, on the way to Montreal.

Mr. Louis G. Whear arrived this afternoon from Toronto. He comes to attend the funeral of his mother.

Premier Murray and Attorney-General Longley, of Nova Scotia, left Ottawa on the 12th. They have pressed the claims of the province for the amount of subsidy, \$600,000, given to the Eastern Extension Railway, now part of the Government railway system.

It is pleasing to hear that Mr. Thomas Flynn, son of Mr. Thomas E. Flynn, of the Customs Department, who left here for New York about two months ago, has obtained a position as conductor on the cable cars in that city. Before obtaining the position Mr. Flynn had to pass a rigid examination.

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A GOOD-SIZED FAMILY.

The human family living on earth today consists of about 1,450,000,000 souls; not less, probably more. These are distributed literally all over the earth's surface, there being no considerable spot on the globe where man has not found a foothold. In Asia, the so-called "cradle of the human race," there are now about 800,000,000 people, densely crowded, on an average about 120 to every square mile. In Europe there are 320,000,000, averaging 100 to the square mile, not so crowded as Asia, but everywhere dense and in many places overpopulated. In Africa there are, approximately, 210,000,000, and in the Americas—North, South and Central—110,000,000; these latter, of course, relatively thinly scattered over broad areas. On the islands, large and small, there are probably 10,000,000 more. The extremes of the blacks and the whites are as five to three; the remaining 700,000,000 intermediate brown, yellow and tawny in color. Of the entire race, 500,000,000 are well clothed—that is, they wear garments of some kind that will cover nakedness; 550,000,000 habitually go naked, and 700,000,000 only cover the middle parts of their body; 500,000,000 live in houses; 700,000,000 in huts and caves, the remaining 250,000,000 virtually having no place to lay their heads.

THINGS TO MAKE A NOTE OF.

I. O. O. F.—Wilkey Lodge No. 27 meets tonight. Degree work.

C. O. F.—Regular meeting of Court Charlottetown tonight at 8 o'clock in Wright's Hall. Installation of officers and other important business.

MARY QUEEN OF SCOTS.—Rev. Mr. Fullerton gives his interesting lecture on Mary Queen of Scots in the Methodist Church, next Thursday evening, the 20th inst. An interesting subject in the hands of one who can do it just, being personally familiar with not only the details of history but every inch of these historical grounds. Do not fail to hear him.

Half of proceeds of the magic lantern entertainment in Kensington Hall on Friday, January 14th, at 7 o'clock, go to P. E. Island Hospital. You should attend by all means. The majority of the views shown bear upon New York city life, and will be fully explained by A. D. Gillis, who understands the subject. The views are excellent. Bring the little ones, I have something to amuse them. Reserved seats for the ladies 10 cts. Admits to all children 5 cts.

Jan. 10th. A. D. GILLIS, Charlottetown

THE YOUNG PEOPLE of the First Methodist Church will give a concert and candy sale at Heartz's Hall on Tuesday evening, January 18th. A good programme is prepared, and some of Charlottetown's best talent will be present. Admission 10 cents. Concert at 8 o'clock.

Go.—Fine play, fine concert, fine box of candy at Heartz's Hall on Tuesday evening. Admission 10c.

ORIENT DIVISION, S. of T., will meet this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock, in their rooms, Masonic Temple, for the installation of officers and a reunion of its members. A good attendance is requested. By order of the W. P.

A DREAM INTERPRETED.—According to an exchange a laborer of Dundee, Scotland, lately told his wife, on awakening, a curious dream which he had during the night. He dreamed that he saw coming toward him, in order, four rats. The first one was very fat, and was followed by two lean rats, the rear rat being blind. The dreamer was greatly perplexed as to what evil might follow, as if he had been understood that to dream of rats denotes calamity. He appealed to his wife concerning this, but she, poor woman, could not help him. His son, a sharp lad who heard his father tell the story, volunteered to be the interpreter. "The fat rat," he said, "is the man who keeps the public house, that ye gang till see often, and the two lean ones are me and my mother, and the blind one is myself, Father."

A NOVEL ROCKER.—An exchange states that a traveller going through a sparsely settled section of Canada came to a lonely cabin and, finding the door open, went in. Nobody was in sight, but in the centre of the room he saw a cradle with a baby lying in it fast asleep. The cradle was rocked back and forth with great regularity, and he was puzzled to know what kept it in motion. On examination, he found a stout cord attached to a nail driven in the side of the cradle and passed through an auger hole in the side of the house. He took up the trail, which led him into a ravine where a donkey was standing and switching his tail. The mystery was explained. The other end of the cord was attached to the donkey's tail, and the constant switching kept the cradle in motion. It was an ingenious device on the part of the mother to keep her baby asleep while she went off for a time.

One of our seven first prizes taken at the Provincial Exhibition was for the Sovereign Flavouring Extracts. They win on their merits.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Rye flour for sale at Beer & Goff's 10 2i

Only 100 tickets so if you want to see the greatest game of Hockey from the gallery get a ticket. Tickets for sale at A. W. Reddin's, Johnson & Johnsons and Reddin Bros.

TO LET.—House on lower Spring Park Road (with or without barn) containing eight large and well finished rooms. Frost proof cellar. Possession 1st of Dec. Apply S. G. Thorne Revere Hotel, nov27 11

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

THE WEATHER.—Fair and cold.

THE TEMPERATURE.—Ten above zero last night; fifteen above at nine this morning.

THEATRICAL.—The Boston Comedy Company are playing an engagement in Newoundland.

LAI'D TO REST.—The funeral of the late Mrs. John Whear took place this afternoon and the attendance was large.

DEEP SNOW.—A report from the Upper St. John states that the snow in the woods is four or five feet deep and that lumber operations are greatly impeded.

THE CATHEDRAL SOLD.—The old St. Dunstan's Cathedral was sold at auction this afternoon by Mr. Bearsto. It brought \$225. Mr. Angus DeRoche was the purchaser.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The Ladies of St. Vincent De Paul's sewing circle have received from the trustees of the will of the late Bridget Lantry the sum of fifty dollars, bequeathed to that society for clothing the poor. To the last Miss Lantry was mindful of those among whom her life was spent—the poor.

PASSED THE CENTURY MARK.—Mrs. Jane Murphy died at the Government Poor House on Wednesday at the advanced age of 110 years and 9 months. Owen Murphy, her husband, died in the Poor House on the 5th April 1882, at the age of 90. They were natives of Ireland. Owen was a weaver, and brought his loom from Ireland when he emigrated.

THE STANLEY did not cross from Pictou to Georgetown last evening as was expected. She crossed this forenoon, however, arriving in Georgetown about eleven o'clock. She will not leave for Pictou again until tomorrow morning. The mails and passengers by the Stanley reached Charlottetown about one o'clock this afternoon.

ELLIOT LODGE, No 81, I. O. G. T., purpose giving a grand concert and entertainment in Afton Hall, Fairview, on Saturday, Jan 22nd, at 7 o'clock, p. m. Elliot Lodge has become famous for their entertainments, and we trust a full house will greet them on the 22nd. A small admission fee will be charged. Nothing will be left undone to make this entertainment a success.

POLICE COURT.—This forenoon Francis Beegan was arraigned on a charge of stealing two empty kerosene oil casks the property of Patrick Monaghan. After hearing several witnesses the prisoner was remanded for eight days. Mary Power, a countrywoman, charged with drunkenness was released upon her promise to leave the city in the afternoon. Henry Welsh, also charged with drunkenness, was fined \$5 or 30 days.

HERD OF SHEEP LOST.—A report from Saa Antonio, Tex., says that M. O. Murphy, one of the biggest sheep men in Texas, was recently moving a herd of 10,000 sheep out of Schleicher county to New Range when a dense fog settled over the country. The Mexican herders became bewildered, and the entire herd of sheep was lost and has not yet been found. One of the herders wandered away and perished in a norther which followed the lifting of the fog. At last reports a number of searching parties were out hunting for the 10,000 sheep.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.—At the half yearly business meeting of the Y.P.S.C.E. of the Christian Church, Upper Great George St, held an evening or two ago, the following officers were elected:

- President—Lemuel W. Harris.
- Vice President—Miss Vaughan.
- Secretary—Miss Ethel McGregor.
- Treasurer—Mrs Hamill.
- Prayer meeting—Lemuel W. Harris.
- Sunday School—J Hamill.
- Goal-kill—M Stevenson.
- Look out—Miss Eva Harris.
- Social—Miss Gertrude Boyver.
- Visiting—Mrs M Stevenson.
- Dissonary—Miss Fannie Stevenson.
- Music—Mr. Lemuel W Harris.

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List of Ratepayers for the City of Charlottetown

In default for Assessment due on Real Property, for the year ending 31st December, 1897, containing names of all such defaulters, and the amount due from them respectively, with a statement of the Number of the town Lot, Water Lot and Common Lot upon which or any part thereof such assessment is in default.

Name of Ratepayer in Default.	Statement or Description of Property upon which Assessment is made.	Amount of Assessment due & unpaid.
McArthur, Sarah	House & Land on Common Lot No. 22,	\$ 4.50
Birch, John,	House & Land on Town Lot No 72, 3rd hun,	3.37
Coyle, Stephen,	House & Land on Town Lot No 3, 2nd hun,	5.25
Carmichael, Est. of Jas	House & Land on Town Lot No 73, 3rd hun,	10.12
Cameron, Edmund,	Vacant Land on Town Lot No 72 & 73, 2nd hun,	6.25
Dockendorf, Chas. & Jas	Vacant Land on Town Lot No 88, 1st hun,	1.75
Griffith, John A.	House & Land on Town Lot No 64, 1st hun,	7.87
"	House & Land on Town Lot No 85, 1st hun,	10.12
Hollman, John,	House & Land on Town Lot No 91, 3rd hun,	12.60
"	House & Land on Common Lot No 21,	10.12
Hughes, Peter,	House & Land on Common Lot No 22,	6.75
Hughes, Bridget,	House & Land on Common Lot No 23,	4.50
Lowe, Walter,	House & Land on Town Lots No 5 & 6, 4th hun,	1.37
"	House & Land on Town Lot 49, 4th hun,	6.90
"	House & Land on Town Lot 98, 4th hun,	5.90
"	Vacant Land on Common Lot No 31	2.90
McNeill, Duncan,	House and Land on Common Lot No 22,	6.64
"	Vacant Land on Common Lot No 22,	1.87
Purdie, Jane, Estate of, W. A. O. Morrison and Leslie S. McNair, Trustees,	House & Land on Town Lots No 97 and 98, 1st hun	33.75
McQuaid, Dennis,	Vacant Land on Town Lot 100, 1st hun,	1.12
Reid, Richard B.	House & Land on Town Lot No 95, 2nd hun,	7.50
Steel, Robert,	House & Land on Town Lot No 20, 3rd hun,	8.40
Trainor, Patrick,	House & Land on Town Lot No 83, 2nd hun,	6.75
Turbull, Estate Andrew	House & Land on Town Lot 55, 4th hun,	3.37
Thorne, Charles E.	Small house & Land \$300, Vacant Land Corner Lot, \$300, on Common Lot 23,	6.75
Thorne, Charles E.	House and Land on Common Lot 23,	1.12
Thorne, R. & Geo. S.	Large House & Land on Common Lot No 23,	16.57
Williams, John,	House & Land on Common Lot No 24,	2.25
"	Vacant Land on Common Lot No 27,	4.90
Ward, Estate Robert	House and Land on Common Lot No 25,	6.62

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the Statute 51 Victoria Cap. 12, Section 91, after 30 days publication of the above list, being a list of the Ratepayers of the City of Charlottetown who have failed to pay within the time prescribed the Assessment severally levied upon their Real Property in said City, I will make an application to His Honor, the Stipendiary Magistrate of said City, for Judgment against each and all of the lands above described, for the respective amounts so levied against them, and then unpaid, and that upon such judgment being duly entered, I will further apply for a warrant for the sale of such lands.

Dated this 28th day of December, A. D. 1897.

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