

**MILITARY INSTITUTE.**

Capital Paper by Surgeon-Major Warburton Read, and Discussed.

There was a fairly well attended meeting of the Military Institute on Thursday evening. After routine business was finished, a very interesting and instructive paper on the medical department of the militia service and the need of having a Bearer Company in connection with the district, was read by Surgeon-Major Warburton. He contrasted the departments in the Crimea, and in the late South African campaign, showing the perfecting of the organization and the beneficial results during the latter campaign. He showed how the formation of Ambulance Corps, or a Bearer Company in this District would be of general benefit to the militia by teaching them the necessary elements of "First Aid to the Injured" and how to relieve wounded comrades.

After the paper was read, quite a discussion took place, and some other valuable hints were given by the different speakers, among whom were Lt-Col Moore, Lt-Col Longworth, Surg-Major Jenkins, Surg-Capt Johnson, Major Davidson and Stewart and Lieut. Grey, after which a vote of thanks was tendered to Surg-Major Warburton for his lecture.

The next meeting of the Institute will be held in Artillery Orderly Rooms, Thursday evening, April 6th, when another suitable paper will be read, or a discussion on some important military topic will be held.

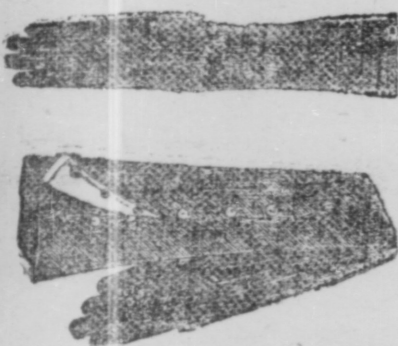
All military men and their friends who are interested will be welcome.

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Finest French Kids in Black and all colors.

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**THE GOVERNORSHIP**

Sir,—I must say that I am much surprised that some of our young politicians who are friends of the government now in power do not take hold, and push home the fact to Sir L. H. Davies, that the Hon. D. Farquharson is not the man suited for the governorship, as the Patriot has been advocating of late. Mr. Farquharson probably has friends; but still to be appointed to the highest office of our Province, to represent Her Most Gracious Majesty, surely we want a man who is more in touch with all classes of the community than Mr. Farquharson. Senator Yeo or Hon. Wm. Welsh would make a good governor, and have first right before all others, (according to politics) Hon. D. Davies having declined to accept. Hon. Benj. Rogers would make an excellent governor, Mr. Rogers has always been a strong supporter of the Liberal party, and I believe would fill the office to the satisfaction of the public and with honor to himself. I would also suggest Mr. Fred. W. Hyndman, "an old navy man," as a gentleman who would fill the office to perfection. Mr. Hyndman has no claim, as a politician, but it does not always follow that a politician must have the office. There are other just as good supporters of the party who do not seek political honors.

I would like to see the Liberals make an appointment, so that Government House will be made use of, as it was in the olden days, and I believe, sir, you will agree with me in this.

OLD LIBERAL.

**Things to Make a Note of.**

If you care to be comfortable tonight at the hockey match, invest 15 cents in a reserve seat at C. D. Rankin's.

Last hockey of the season tonight. Don't miss it. You will long for hockey in July and must be able to have it, so come and see these last two matches.

I. O. O. F.—Wildy Lodge, No. 27, meets to-night. Initiation. Visiting brethren welcome.

The Rev. Marcell Conran will hold special services in St. Peter's Cathedral during Holy Week. He will give a spiritual instruction daily at 7.25 a. m., an address to girls and young women every afternoon at 4 o'clock, and a sermon nightly.

**Cure a Cold in a Day**

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to relieve. 32c.

The words of praise bestowed upon Hood's Sarsaparilla by those who have taken it prove the merit of the medicine.

**BORN.**

At Spring Valley, March 14th, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Profit, a son.

**DIED.**

At South Rustico, P. E. I., on March 23rd, 1899, Mrs. John Buntain, aged 64 years. [Funeral tomorrow (Saturday) a 2 p. m.]

At Brighton, Thursday, March 23rd, 1899, Annie Sophia McFadyen in the 19th year of her age.

[Funeral at 10.30 a. m., on Saturday, March 25th, from the residence of Rev. John Goodwill.]

Great Bargains at our clearance sale of Boots and Shoes. W. H. Stewart & Co.

Read Ramsay's waterproof coat ad.

See our new hats and caps R. H. Ramsay & Co.

**That Comfortable Blucher Shoe**

Is still to be found in our stock.—We could not get along without it.

Every lady who wears those shoes is loud in her praises of them. Are you looking for comfort and wear combined in a ladies' shoe?—Its here.—We've proven it.

**\$1.85**

a pair, and good value at that. Try a pair if you want lots of comfort.

**R. K. JOST**

STAMPER'S CORNER

**CONCERTS LAST EVENING.**

At Pownal, East Royalty and Cornwall.

A delightful moonlight drive, an excellent programme, a thoroughly enjoyable evening, were the rewards of the many who attended the concert given in Pownal hall by the Baptist choir, under Mr. Earle's direction, last evening. The hall was completely filled with people from the city and from various neighbouring sections of the country. We need hardly say that the programme was first-rate; to mention the names of the performers is sufficient evidence. The soloists were Miss Amy Earle, Miss Yeo, Mr. Cecil McNeill, Mr. E. W. Martin, Mr. E. H. Mitchell, and Mr. Chas. Earle. Miss Stentford, Miss May Stentford, and Mr. W. W. Hatfield, delighted the audience with well chosen, and well rendered recitations. There were also a trio by the Misses Earle and Prof. Earle, and an extremely pretty duet by Miss Amy Earle and Mr. Charles Earle. While a most inviting to go into particulars, perhaps the most popular item on the programme were the songs with choruses and banjo accompaniment by Mr. C. Earle and Mr. Hatfield. The latter embodied a good many ingenious local acts. The banjo accompanists were Messrs. J. A. Webster, E. W. Bowles, Martin, Yeo, Duffy and McNeill. Among these many performers, familiar to Charlottetown concert goers, we were pleased to observe several new ones, notably, Messrs. E. W. Bowles and J. A. Webster. Mr. G. E. Hughes occupied the chair. The proceeds of the entertainment, we understand, were between \$25 and \$30. After the concert a large number remained for a time at the Compton House, where an excellent repast was served. Then a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Hughes for his able conduct in the chair, which was followed by a chorus by the choir and the singing of "He is a jolly good fellow." Mr. Hughes made a fitting acknowledgment, and three hearty cheers and a tiger were given for him.

There was a large attendance at the Concert in Heartz's Hall last night, and the choice programme prepared for the occasion was carried out to the satisfaction of everyone. The programme was as follows:—

- Auld Lang Syne, Audience
- Trombone Solo, Mr. Ernest Hill
- Recitation, Miss James
- Vocal Duet, Misses Campbell and Down
- Recitation, Miss Ethel Tanton
- Solo, Miss Edith Biggs
- Instrumental Solo, Miss Murphy
- Trombone Solo, Mr. Dawson
- Reading, J. H. Ayers
- Vocal & Whistling Solo, Master R. Hogg
- Vocal Solo, Mr. Charles Curtis

During the intermission home-made candy was served, and at the close of the proceedings a vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Heartz for the use of the hall and other kindnesses. The proceeds amounted to \$32. Rev. W. J. Kirby presided.

The choir of the First Methodist Church, assisted by the Sabbath School orchestra, gave a Sacred Concert in the Cornwall Methodist Church last evening, which was largely attended and proved most successful in every particular. The choice programme, which was rendered with much skill and was greatly appreciated, included two orchestra marches, four choruses, a clarinet solo by Prof. Watts, a cornet solo by Mr. W. Cook, vocal solos by Miss Temple, Mrs. H. Large, Mr. J. R. Davison, Miss H. Collings, Mrs. Watts and Mr. F. H. Beer, a reading by Miss Amy Munn, and a solo and chorus by Mr. L. W. Cook and choir, closing with the singing of the National Anthem. Prof. Watts was musical director and Mrs. Geo. Stanley accompanist, and each gave the fullest satisfaction.

**PERSONAL.**

Mrs. A. C. McDonald, Montague, came to town to-day.

Hon. William Richards returned to Bideford this morning.

Mr. Robert Lamont, of New London, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Robert Fennell returned to town this morning by the western train.

Mrs. Strang and Muncy of Cape Traverse, came to town on the mail special to-day.

The many friends of Judge Alley are glad to see him about again after his severe illness.

Call John, at Mr. S. N. Earle's grand concert and entertainment on Easter Monday evening.

Mr. W. L. Waring, inspector of steamboat machinery, is here on official business. He is a guest at the Queen Hotel.

Mrs. J. P. Sullivan, St. Peter's Bay, and Mrs. J. A. McDonald, Glenaladale, were passengers to town by the Souris train to-day.

H. M. S. Conus, recently commissioned for services on the North American station, has put into Sheerness with Captain Clifton. The warships will be detained at said port until the captain recovers.

Miss McKeever, of Moore & McLeod's establishment, and Miss Dalton, of Stanley Bros., were among the attendants at the big millinery openings in St. John on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Messrs. M. E. Maloney and W. B. Murdock, two popular commercial travellers, came up from Georgetown in the special yesterday afternoon and are registered at the Hotel Davies.

**DYSPEPSIA** is the cause of untold suffering. By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla the digestive organs are toned and dyspepsia **IS CURED.**

**Local and Other Items**

THE STANLEY IS MOVING AS USUAL TO-DAY.

POLICE COURT.—One drunk—Peter McLeod—figured at the police court this morning. He was fined \$2 or 10 days.

THE WEATHER.—Strong winds or moderate gales, unsettled, at first with some snow or rain, then clearing with westerly winds.

DOMINION DAY.—The Farmer says the Summerside horsemen are talking of holding a race meeting on the Driving Park at that place on Dominion Day.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—Palm Sunday (Mar. 26.) Holy Communion 8 a. m. and 1 p. m., Matins 10.15; evensong 7 p. m. The Rev. Marcell Conran will preach morning and evening.

COMMITTED TO JAIL.—Sarah Ann McIntyre, some time ago convicted of a violation of the Liquor Regulation Act, was last evening committed to jail for two months in default of payment of her fine.

The W. C. T. U. of this city will have a discussion on an interesting subject on Monday the 27th inst. at 3.30, p. m. All the members are especially requested to be present. Others will also be made welcome.

THE MAILS.—Crossing both ways to-day. Thirty-eight bags of mail left Tormentine this morning at twenty minutes to seven. The crossing was a very quick one and the mail special arrived in town at ten minutes after twelve.

LIQUOR REGULATION ACT.—A summons has been served on Elizabeth Waling, charging her with violating the Liquor Regulation Act by selling in a room not properly fitted up. The summons is returnable on Thursday.

BOARDERS WANTED.—We have now, unoccupied four bright, cheery, comfortable well lighted rooms. Can accommodate a few gentlemen boarders, or gentleman and wife. Excellent table. Apply to S. McRae, Kent Street, near Queen.

LOCAL COUNCIL.—The monthly meeting of the L. C. W. takes place next Saturday afternoon, 25th inst., at P. W. College, at 3.30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested. All are invited. 24, 31

THE TRANS.—The Georgetown train did not make connections with the Souris train at Mt. Stewart this morning owing to an accident to a car at Brudenell. Both trains came right through to town, the one from Souris arriving at 11.45, and the Georgetown one at 12.20

JOE MURPHY WINS.—There was a match race on the ice yesterday between Chandler's Barney C. and Hooper's Joe Murphy. The race was keenly contested, and it took five heats to pick a winner. Joe Murphy captured the two first heats and the fifth. The other two were taken by Barney C. There were a great many spectators.

GET ONE.—The Prince Edward Island Magazine is for sale throughout the Island at the following places. Price 5 cents:—Georgetown—Hon. D. Gordon's.

Summer side—Small & Bearisto's and D. K. Currie's.

Souris—D. Sutherland's.

Mt. Stewart—Gordon Douglass's.

Montague—F. S. Macdonald's.

Cardigan—L. H. Owen.

Alberton—G. S. Munn's.

Tignish—J. A. Brennan's.

A MATCH IN PROSPECT.—It is rumored that owing to the committee having decided that the club race on Saturday shall be trotted over a mile course, the owners of the now famous Barney C. will not enter him in the 3 minute-class, but will immediately after that race challenge the winner to a 300 yard dash for \$20.00 a side—best 2 in 3. Should the track be in good condition and the wind favourable "Barney" will likely make it interesting for some of the boys.

Ladies' Dongola laced and buttoned boots at \$1.00 and \$1.25, Snaps. W. H. Stewart & Co

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Ladies and Children who require a gentle laxative occasionally, will find an ideal one in **Everybodys Pills.**

One or two pills at a time is in most cases quite sufficient. They are mild in action, do not gripe, are purely vegetable, and not injurious in any way. Being sugar coated and small in size they are easily swallowed. 32 pills in each. 25c a box. Sold by all druggists.



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In white, cream and fancies—a splendid assortment just received.

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