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and is supposed to have ended her days in Charlottetown. We shall be glad of any information that may be sent in.

The next article on our Prince Edward Island militia will take up the history of the Charlottetown Engineers since the formation of that corps, and will be written by Major Weeks.

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In the next number of THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND MAGAZINE will appear an interesting account of the early history of Alberton written by Mr Allen F. Matthews, and illustrated from photographs.

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The series of articles on the Lord Selkirk Settlers, begun in this issue of the PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND MAGAZINE, should interest a good many of the inhabitants of this province. We feel it our duty to point out that our readers do not avail themselves of the pages of the magazine to the extent we should be willing to allow in regard to publishing many of the interesting family details of early days. Such matter makes history and the preservation if it can be accomplished if those in possessson of information will kindly communicate with the editor of the magazine. Our contributor "M. A. C." hopes in this way to secure much additional matter to that which he has already in hand jand we ask our readers to assist, to the end that the early settlers, their names and the facts connected with the making of their homes, may be preserved, in detail. Our contributor is in some doubt as to the names of the two vessels which accompanied the Polly. Can any of our readers enlighten him.

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Those settlers in Belfast brought with them "the Gaelic," in its full purity and power. As it is very likely that some of those who still know that language may read this page, we insert for their study a paragraph copied from the Toronto *Globe*. If any person will kindly send us a translation we will be pleased to reproduce it. It is the message, sent from the summit of Ben Nevis, by a company of Highlanders to King Edward VII., on the day of his coronation:—

Chum a Mhoralachd An Righ Luchairt Bhuckingham, Lunnainn Cruinn 'an Ceann a cheile air muilach na beinn a's airde 'san Rioghachd so agus air Lach' aghmhor a Chrunaidh, tha Ceannard agus Luchd riaghlaidh Gearasdan Uilleaim le cuid eile de Luchdaiteachaidh Lochabair, gu h-iriosal a' tairgse ceud mile failte agus le mordhurachd a' guidhe gu'n eealbhaich 'ur moralachd re' lomadh