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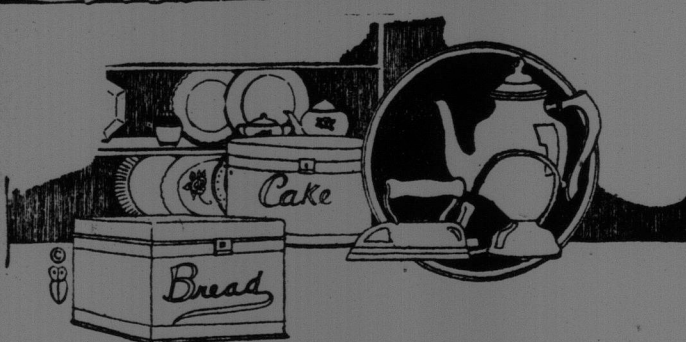
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# IS PRESIDENT OF LOCAL ROTARY

### H. Mont Jones is Popular Member and Prominent Business Man.

H. Mont Jones, who was on Monday elected president of the Rotary Club, has been for some years a member of the executive and always active in the club's work. He has always been found ready to do personal work to make whatever the club undertakes a success, and his geniality and bright humor have made him generally popular.

Mr. Jones is a native of Hatley, Quebec, near Sherbrooke, in the Eastern Townships. It is a section which was formerly English but is now overwhelmingly French-Canadian. Mr. Jones says there has been a remarkable change in that respect since the days of his boyhood.

The new president of Rotary is a successful King street merchant and a member of the Retail Merchants' Association. He came to St. John with Dunlap, Cooke & Co. some fourteen years ago, and in 1912 entered into business for himself. Not only has he attained business success, but he has made warm personal friends in the city of his adoption.

"Monty" of the minstrels is now president of Rotary.

# FIRE MARSHAL SPEAKS AT BORDER

### Attends Firemen's Banquet—Investigation is On at Minto.

Hugh H. McLellan, provincial fire marshal, returned last evening from St. Stephen, where he attended a banquet given by the chief of the St. Stephen fire department to the firemen, in connection with fire prevention week activities. Mr. McLellan addressed the gathering on the importance of fire prevention and the necessity for co-operation on the part of everybody in the community.

Included among the guests at the banquet were the mayors and fire chiefs of the four border towns, St. Stephen, Calais and the two Milltowns. J. M. Vroom, town clerk of St. Stephen, gave an interesting history of the development of the fire departments at the border up to the present time. The function was a most enjoyable one.

Investigating Minto Fire.  
Charles Robinson, secretary of the N. B. Fire Prevention Board, is in Minto investigating the fire which last week destroyed or damaged several buildings in the main section of the town. He is expected to return in a day or two.

# RED STUART WAS IN ST. JOHN TODAY

### Noted Hockey Player is Sought by the Montreal Canadiens.

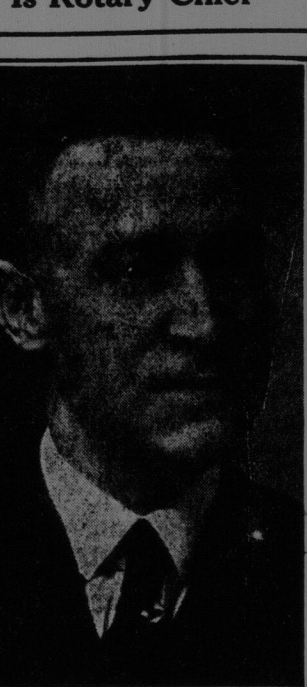
William R. Stuart, star defense player for the St. Pat's, professional hockey team in Toronto, was in the city today. He is returning to Toronto to take a position with a large sporting goods establishment after remaining at his home in Amherst for some weeks. Stuart has not signed a hockey contract as yet for next season, but he expects to remain with the Toronto club.

According to a despatch from Amherst it has been rumored that Leo Dandurand, of the Montreal Canadiens, has been angling for Stuart to pair up with Sprague Cleghorn on the defence, and he is reported to have offered St. Pat's \$2,000 for the fiery thatched defence man.

**MRS. GEORGE REICKER DEAD.**  
Death came suddenly on Friday, April 25, to Mrs. George Reicker at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arnold Urquhart, Kars, Kings county, at the age of 76 years. She had enjoyed usual health until Friday noon, when she took suddenly ill and passed away about eleven o'clock that night. She was a lifelong resident of Kars. She was dearly beloved in the community and her hospitality was extended to all who came in contact with her. She leaves beside her husband, six sons and four daughters—William of St. John, James of Gondola Point, George and Daniel of Hatfield's Point, Guilford of Kars and Manfred at home; Mrs. Roland Huxley of Boston, Mrs. Raglan Amos of Little Shemogue, N. B., Mrs. John Urquhart and Mrs. Arnold Urquhart of Kars. She is also survived by one sister, Mrs. J. H. Scribner of St. John, and three half-sisters, Mrs. Ida Caswell, Mrs. Damaris Waldron and Mrs. Loretta Palmer, all of New Bedford, Mass., thirty grandchildren and seventeen great grandchildren. The funeral service, which was attended by many, was held on Sunday afternoon in the Star United Baptist church of Kars, of which she was a member, and was conducted by Rev. C. S. Young. Interment took place in the Orange cemetery, at Kars.

**RECEIVES MASONIC PIN.**  
Friends gathered at the home of George Todd, 246 King St., West St. John, last evening in honor of Elynn De Venne who is to leave for New York where he has accepted a position. The evening was spent pleasantly in games and music. Mr. Todd in a few fitting remarks presented to Mr. De Venne a Masonic tie pin on behalf of the company. Mr. De Venne responded in pleasing manner. Delicious refreshments were served and the evening was brought to a close by all joining hands and singing "He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

# Is Rotary Chief



H. MONT JONES

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MAY 1.

High Tide..... 10.34 P.M.  
Low Tide..... 4.33 A.M.  
Sun Rises..... 5.12 Sun Sets..... 7.30

# LOCAL NEWS

## BANK CLEARINGS.

St. John bank clearings for the week ending today were \$2,559,673; last year \$2,481,520; in 1922, \$2,904,939. Halifax clearings this week were \$2,467.81.

## CHILD IS DEAD.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Rogers of 177 Winslow street, West St. John, have the sympathy of many friends in the death of their little son, Edwin Bruce McAfee, which occurred on April 30.

## IN NEW ONES ON SUNDAY.

The new uniforms for the members of the city police force have been received by Chief of Police Smith and if weather conditions are favorable next Sunday they will appear in them. They are of the same color and design as worn last year.

## HERE NEXT WEEK.

Rev. H. R. Boyer, executive secretary for the Maritime Baptist convention, is expected in the city on next Tuesday from Halifax. He is moving to St. John from Halifax where he has been stationed for several years. Formerly, he was stationed at the Fairville Baptist church.

## WILL GO ON SLIPWAY.

The Norwegian steamer M. H. Kongshavn will not be placed in the dry dock proper for repairs, but will be hauled up on the marine slipway, where it is expected damage to her after parts can be repaired. This will be the largest job of its kind done on the slipway since the dock was opened. If it is expected the steamer will be hauled up either tomorrow or Saturday.

## COMMISSIONER SAYS NO.

"Nothing to it so far as I know at present," said Commissioner Frink when asked this morning about a report that he was likely to ask to be made head of the Safety department to leave Public Works for the new commissioner, W. L. Harding. "I am well satisfied with my one month and have no intention of making any change."

## THREE WERE TAKEN IN.

Three men were taken into custody last night as a result of imbibing too freely. Two were strong enough financially to make deposits of \$8 and when they were given their freedom they temporarily returned to jail and appeared before Magistrate Henderson this morning and was fined \$8 and in default of payment two months in jail.

## CHURCH HISTORY.

One of an interesting series of lectures on the history of religion was delivered last evening in Knox church by the minister, Rev. R. Moorhead Legate, before a large audience. The lecture was illustrated with lantern slides. It concerned the story of the Church of Scotland. Rev. Mr. Legate will conclude the series with one more lecture.

## NEW POLICE MATRON.

Mrs. Annie Adams took over the duties as police matron and secretary of the chief of police this morning. She is replacing Miss Margaret Boyle, who was appointed to fill the position temporarily after the resignation of Miss Christine Ross. Mrs. Adams has not been sworn in as yet. She was formerly in the employ of George A. Knodell.

## GOING TO ENGLAND.

Harmon J. Evans of the Robert Reford Co. will be one of the St. John citizens who will visit the British Empire Exhibition. Mr. and Mrs. Evans are to leave on next Thursday for Montreal and will sail from that port on the Athenia for London. They expect to spend about three weeks in England and will return home about the last of June.

## CUSTOMS REVENUE LESS.

Customs receipts here for April, 1924, show a decrease of \$56,934.46 from the same month last year, according to figures given out at the customs house this morning. Last year the receipts amounted to \$495,964.03, while this year the figure is \$439,029.57. The sum is made up as follows: Import duty, \$287,241.75; excise duty, \$86,283.85; excise tax, \$5,460.61; collections, \$2,020.02; pilotage, \$4,968.25; steamship inspection, \$570; marine dues, \$2,355.08.

## PLANS INDEFINITE.

Col. Commandant J. Houlston, D. S. O., retiring head of Military District No. 7, said this morning that his plans regarding leaving St. John and relinquishing command of the district were indefinite at present. He said he would continue as officer commanding for an indefinite period as yet and then Lt.-Col. H. C. Sparling would carry on in charge of the district. Colonel Sparling at present is in Sackville conducting final examinations of the Mount Allison University Officers' Training Corps and is expected back Friday.

# FRUZZETTI MAY TRAIN BOXERS

### Plans to Give Maritime Lads Good Show are on Foot.

In order that Olympic prospects from the Maritime Provinces may be given every opportunity to get into first class condition President A. W. Covey, of the Maritime Province branch of the A. A. U. of C. is mapping out plans for a place where they will be able to train and for competent instructors to teach them some fine points. Just how elaborate these plans will be will depend on the success of the tag day here on Saturday. A good sum will be necessary to make it so that the returns on Saturday will be sufficiently large.

There are seven boxers in the Maritime Provinces who have proven qualified to participate in the Canadian Olympic trials in Toronto. They are Louis Donovan, of this city, 129 pound Maritime champion; Raymond "Nixey" Kennedy of Halifax, 133 pound Maritime champion; William Cavanaugh of Westville, N. S., 118 pound Maritime champion; George Wright of Westville, McLean of Sydney, Eric Snow of St. John and Daniel Nolan of Glace Bay. President Covey is figuring on securing a professional boxer to train these boys and it is hoped that they will win a place on the Canadian team. Jimmy Fruzzetti of Boston has been highly recommended as a competent man for this position, and he will be favorably considered.

As soon as the tag day returns are all in a meeting of the executive will be held in Amherst, when final arrangements will be made for the instruction and training of the athletes.

## DOG AMBULANCE

### Figures in a Nice Kindness to Animals St. John Story.

A kind-hearted crowd of men, women and children who gathered about a little black dog in the vestibule of a Charlotte street store a few days ago will be glad to know that the only injury the patient canine suffers is a crushed paw. It was pinched by tiny girl playmate, the child's mother and baby carriage in which the family baby reclined.

The Syrian mother and little girl could make themselves plainly understood to the people who offered suggestions as to how to treat the injured dog. A man wanted a policeman to take it away and shoot it, a thought that brought a flood of tears from the little girl whose hand the dog licked affectionately. A woman shopper handled the dog and discovered the injury to be in the foot only and offered a unique plan of relief.

Finding it difficult to make the mother understand, she acted out her plan by taking the baby out of the carriage, placing it in the mother's arms and then cosily tucking the injured canine in the carriage, where it lay down contentedly. The little girl then wheeled her pet off home happily. Before the extraordinary "Blue Cross" ambulance and a precious burden left the crowd of onlookers a lady introducing herself as a member of the Animal Rescue League offered to take the David's street where the dog's injury might be treated or if the injury was internal where the animal might be lethally.

However, the dog was taken to its own home and is now recovering nicely. It lives in Brunswick street.

## THE BOSTON SERVICE.

A. C. Currie, local agent for the Eben Steamship Co. returned from Montreal today. He said there was not anything definite yet regarding two steamers for the St. John-Boston route. He reported a trial trip was made recently of the new steamer "Boston." He said delivery of this steamer is expected about the first week in June.

## As Hiram Sees It

"How much rent he's been payin' house was burnt?" asked Mr. Hiram Hornbeam of The Times reporter.  
"If you had it you could buy another farm," said the reporter.  
"I was thinkin' that," said Hiram.  
"You might be able to stock a farm," said the reporter.  
"I was thinkin' that, too," said Hiram. "An' you ain't a-goin' to get a new buildin' after all."  
"It so appears," said the reporter.  
"Might as well a-fixed the old one in the first place," said Hiram.  
"Quite so," said the reporter.  
"An' saved the rent," said Hiram.  
"That," said the reporter, "is a minor consideration. We must have time to make up our minds. The great uncharted future lies before us. We must deliberate. What are a few paltry thousands more or less when we are planning for posterity and chewing the rag?"  
"It goes on the tax bill—don't it?" said Hiram.  
"For that we were born," said the reporter. "It is a privilege to pay while great minds ponder."  
"Blah," said Hiram.

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