

PRESENTATION TO
REV. A. J. O'NEILL
BY HIS PARISHIONERS

Purse of Gold for Silver Falls
Priest on 25th Anniversary
of Ordination.

Sunday School Pupils Also
Remember Popular Rector
of St. Joachim's Church.

On the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood, the Rev. A. J. O'Neill, rector of St. Joachim's church, Silver Falls, was presented with a purse of gold by his parishioners. The presentation was made yesterday morning, following the celebration of the 10 o'clock mass. J. M. Donovan read an address of congratulatory nature on his attainment of a quarter of a century as a priest and expressing the appreciation of the parishioners for the manner in which he had administered to them during the past fifteen years. P. L. Jennings made the presentation.

Rev. Father O'Neill made an appropriate reply. The reverend father had just returned from College Bridge where he had been attending the annual retreat of the priests of the diocese of St. John at St. Joseph's College. During the service yesterday hymns appropriate to the happy occasion were rendered by the choir under the direction of Miss Agnes Moriarty. The church was prettily decorated in honor of the rector's anniversary.

Rev. Father O'Neill was also remembered by the Sunday school classes. Following the presentation by the parishioners he was made the recipient of twenty-five beautiful carnations. The presentation on behalf of the pupils was made by Miss A. Newman.

HOSPITALS SECRETARY
IN CITY YESTERDAY

E. H. Scammell Well Known
Here—En Route to Halifax on Official Business.

St. John had a short visit yesterday from E. H. Scammell, the secretary of the Military Hospitals' Commission. While here Mr. Scammell conferred with Col. Thomas Walker, M. P., the head of the commission in this city. Matters relative to the provincial branches were discussed. Mr. Scammell proceeded to Halifax yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Scammell is one of the busiest officials engaged in war work. He is well known in the city having been in New Brunswick on other occasions in connection with the organization of the peace conference for which he had been the secretary. The outbreak of the war served to upset plans for the celebration of the peace anniversary.

No announcement has yet been made with respect to the opening of the new discharge hospital at the armory. Everything is now in readiness and it is expected that the opening will take place in the early future.

PROV. REPRESENTATIVES
CONFER WITH CONTROLLER

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mines. This has a bearing on the hard coal supply for the Maritime Provinces which is most complicated.

The hard coal operators in the United States have schedule rates running at present about \$10 per ton for rail shipment, but it seems impossible to dealers so far away from the transportation lines interested in the hard coal properties to secure coal at the scheduled rates.

We have placed before you invoices of coal shipped in May and June of this year wherein the prices at the mines are shown at \$6.50 and \$7.25 per ton. This coal was secured through brokers, add to this the rail rate then in force, about \$6.50 per ton, gives the cost and freight price in Halifax of from \$15 to \$17.75 a ton.

This coal comes in open cars, and owing to the fact that there are no facilities at the terminals for dumping it, the cost of handling it into cars and other increased expenses, as well as the delay and demurrage, almost doubles the cost of delivery under ordinary conditions. These factors seem sufficient to account for the high selling price that has recently been prevailing in Halifax.

It is generally known that bottoms are charging between \$5 and \$8 a ton from New York to Halifax. The rate in 1913 was about \$1.00 per ton. The difficulty in shipping by water is that occasionally when a bottom is available no coal can be obtained. A case of this nature came under our observation on Friday last at Halifax. The present water rate from New York is claimed by responsible shippers is in keeping with other water rates under existing conditions. It is our intention to look further into this matter and see if any relief is possible. It seems, however, that the consumers of anthracite in the Maritime Provinces will be forced to substitute to some extent during the coming year soft coal or wood to take the place of some of the anthracite used in former years.

N. B. Representative Talks.

J. H. Frink who represented the New Brunswick government at the conference returned to the city yesterday and when seen by The Standard gave his impressions of the proceedings. He said:

Frink attended all the conferences

between the different interests in Halifax, and have arrived at the conclusion from the evidence so far produced and from all information available that the prospect of cheaper hard coal in St. John or Halifax and the Maritime provinces is not very promising. There appears to be considerable discrepancy between the dealers as to the price of hard coal at the mine and at the water side which will necessitate further enquiry. The question in the main simmers down to the matter of transportation and matters incidental thereto. With a rate of \$1. to \$1.25 in 1914 and an increase to \$5.50 and \$6.00 a ton in June 1917 by water carriage from New York, there does not seem to be much cheer in the outlook, and these rates by sea, so far have been uncontrollable, ships finding ample employment at prices suitable to those controlling them. The only solution of this question that I can see is for the Government to requisition ships for this particular purpose, and an arrangement made with the mine owners or brokers to have coal ready for

loading to avoid demurrage and delay. "Close investigation of the printed statement made by dealers in Halifax and exhibited at meetings held by the Fuel Controller, show clearly that a good profit is obtained, notwithstanding the marked increase in overhead expenses. "The rate by rail from the mines in the United States to St. John, N. B. is \$5.45 per ton, which is about the same as the water rate, and the reason apparently that coal is quoted at \$9.50 per ton at Montreal, as against \$14 or \$15 at St. John is because of the longer haul and the direct communication with railroads which have extensions into Canada from these mines. The rail rate from the mines to Halifax is \$6.50 per ton which should make a difference in favor of points west of Halifax, but quotations by dealers in hard coal are the same as at Halifax and St. John and it is quite clear that further investigation on this point is necessary. I am of the opinion that as a result of the conference with the operators in Nova Scotia the soft coal situation is fairly well in hand, and while they have

not agreed to reduce the price, they have agreed that the price of soft coal shall not exceed that which is submitted in their schedules, and it was apparent that the smaller operators were desirous of meeting the situation. "Many of these galleries are well known to have been unprofitable as far as dividends and earnings are concerned; many of them not having been able to pay a dividend for many years and many have never paid a dividend, but they have expressed a willingness to submit in their report to the Fuel Controller, not to increase the maximum price as established in their memorandum of this date, to which they have affixed their signatures. Their action is commendable and if those persons engaged in the transportation of this commodity showed a like spirit, the necessities of the case would be cut down in some degree. "Mine Workers Will Help. "The mine workers are quite as essential as the mines, and their re-

presentatives at the Conference not only expressed their desire but complete willingness to cooperate and work with the operators for the common good and welfare. "I am of the opinion that the question of supply of soft coal can be dealt with without any increase over present cost. The variations in price given and shown are in excess of the present time governing the price of hard coal at New York for export gives room for much consideration and I am of the opinion that before the investigation is concluded some relief will be given to consumers of hard coal, though to some it may not appear material. "The work of the Fuel Controller has just begun, and from the spirit displayed by all parties interested in the production and sale of coal, leaves a clear impression that they grasp the situation as well as the public, and that their operations and prices will be subject to Fuel Controller, and that opportunity will be offered for the protection of the public by any process of extortion or discrimination."



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HORSE FOR SALE—Apply at 125 Mecklenburg Street.

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TAKE NOTICE, that William H. McQuade, of the City of Saint John, in the County of Saint John, and Province of New Brunswick, Hotel Keeper, in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 141 of the Consolidated Statutes of New Brunswick entitled, "An Act respecting Assignments and Preferences by Insolvent Persons," did on the ninth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, make an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to the undersigned, John A. Barry, Esquire, of the said City of Saint John, in the County of Saint John and Province aforesaid. And also a meeting of the Creditors of the said William H. McQuade will be held at the office of the said John A. Barry, Esquire, Assignee, Chubb's Building, No. 109 Prince William Street, Saint John, N. B., on Monday, the sixteenth day of July, A. D. 1917, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the appointment of inspectors and giving directions with reference to the distribution of the estate, and transaction of such other business as shall legally come before the meeting.

AND NOTICE is further given, that all creditors are required to file their claims, duly proven, with the Assignee within three months from the date of this notice, unless further time be allowed by a Judge of the Supreme or County Courts, and that all claims not filed within the time limited, or such further time, if any, as may be allowed by any such Judge, shall be wholly barred of any right to share in the proceeds of the Estate as if no such claim existed, and without prejudice to the liability of the debtor therefor. Dated at the City of Saint John this tenth day of July, A. D. 1917.

JOHN A. BARRY,
Assignee.

Louisa M. Connor,
Friends will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Louisa M. Connor, of Dufferin Row, yesterday morning. She was 71 years of age, and was the widow of the late Frank Connor. She was a member of St. Jude's church for a number of years and she leaves many friends to mourn her loss.

I.C.R. Unclaimed Freight Sale BY AUCTION
I am instructed by the Freight Claim Agent of the I. C. R. to sell for the benefit of whom it may concern a large quantity of Unclaimed Freight and Merchandise, consisting of all kinds of goods, boxes, barrels, casks, trunks, suit cases, etc., to be sold at L. C. R. Freight Shed No. 1, Long Wharf, on Thursday Morning, July 19th, at 10 o'clock. Conditions of sale made known at time of sale.

ESTATE SALE of Valuable Leasehold Property, Corner Winslow and Union Sts., West St. John, N. B.
BY AUCTION
I am instructed by the administrator to sell by Public Auction at Chubb's Corner, on Wednesday Morning, July 18th, at 11 o'clock, that valuable Tenement House situated on the above address. For further particulars apply to F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer, KENNETH A. WILSON, Esq., Solicitor, 45 Canterbury Street.

Valuable Freehold City Property with Buildings, Green Head Road, N. B.
BY AUCTION
I am instructed by Alderman J. V. Russell, Commissioner of the Green Head Road, known as Duncan and Reeds, having a combined area of about 70 x 75 feet, more or less, together with buildings. For further particulars, plan, etc., apply to F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer, or ALDERMAN J. V. RUSSELL, Commissioner Harbor, Ferry and Public Lands, City Hall.

TIMBER LANDS FOR SALE BY AUCTION
There will be sold at Public Auction at Chubb's Corner, in the City of Saint John, on the 18th day of August, A. D. 1917, at twelve o'clock noon, certain woodlands on the New Canadian River, in Queens County, Lot No. 22, situate in the Parish of Brunswick, on the south side of the New Canadian River, granted to Thomas Hatheway by the Crown on September, A. D. 1861, containing 95 acres more or less.

Also, another Lot on the northern side of the New Canadian River, known as Lot No. 14 south and 15 south, situate in the Parish of Brunswick, granted to Thomas Hatheway by the Crown on September, A. D. 1861, containing 100 acres more or less.

Also, that certain other Lot, situate in the said Parish of Brunswick, on the northern side of the New Canadian River, distinguished as Lot No. 2, granted to Thomas Hatheway by the Crown on the 30th of August, A. D. 1861, containing 110 acres more or less.

Also, a certain other Lot in the Parish of Johnston on the northerly side of the said New Canadian River, distinguished as Lot No. 1 and granted to Thomas Hatheway by the Crown on the 26th of April, A. D. 1852, containing 75 acres more or less.

All the above lands being more particularly described in a Deed of Conveyance from William H. Hatheway to Thomas Hatheway, in the County of Brunswick, dated the 16th of May, A. D. 1878 and afterwards conveyed by the said Thomas Hatheway to the Rev. John A. Clark.

For further particulars, apply to the undersigned Trustee.
Dated the 30th day of June, A. D. 1917.

THE EASTERN TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee of the estate,
Rev. John A. Clark.

Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations.
The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, who was at the commencement of the present war, and has since continued to be a British subject or a subject of an allied or neutral country, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion Land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta.

Applicant must appear in person at Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for District. Entry by proxy may be made on certain conditions. Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of land in each of three years.

In certain districts a homesteader may secure an adjoining quarter-section as pre-emption. Price \$2.00 per acre. Duties—Reside six months in each of three years after earning homesteaded patent and cultivate 50 acres extra. May obtain pre-emption patent as soon as homesteaded patent on certain conditions.

A settler after obtaining homesteaded patent if he cannot secure a pre-emption, may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$2.00 per acre. Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$500.00.

Holders of entries may count time of employment as farm laborers in Canada during 1917, as residence duties under certain conditions.

When Dominion Lands are advertised or posted for entry, returned settlers who have served overseas and have been honorably discharged, receive one day priority in applying for entry at local Agent's Office (but not Sub-Agency). Discharge papers must be presented to Agent.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior,
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