

A RAILWAY LINE FROM NORTON THROUGH SALT SPRINGS, FRENCH VILLAGE AND LOCH LOMOND TO CITY

New Road May Be Built Soon—C. P. R. Reported Interested—Would Open Up a Fine District and Be an Important Connecting Link.

For many years there has been talk of the construction of a railway line from some part of the parish of Ephraim, Kings county, through Loch Lomond to St. John, and now it is believed that this long talked of railway may become a reality before very long. Surveys which have been made in the past years through Barnsville, French Village and Loch Lomond showed that the project was entirely feasible and that an excellent grade could be found on this route. Although there seems to be excellent evidence to believe that the Canadian Pacific Company, in their search for the best site for their million dollar plant have found Salt Springs the most desirable location on account of the presence of the materials they need of the proper quality and in sufficient quantities. As this district is not served directly by any railway the construction of the new line would be mutually advantageous.

It is also said that the district through which the line would pass has rich deposits of salt, coal, oil and, possibly, other minerals which would make it attractive to the railway company.

Residents of Norton and French Village now say that the plans for the construction of such a line are taking definite form and that their consumption appears more probable, because of the fact that the C. P. R. is interested in the matter. The report is that C. P. R. officials have been investigating the possibility of this proposed line with a view to securing independent connection between Norton and St. John.

With the construction of the Central Railway, which is now nearing completion and the lease of the Central Railway, which the C. P. R. has secured for a long term, the big corporation approaches to within a comparatively short distance of St. John on the eastern side. The construction of this last link would give them a complete loop line in a large circle, giving connection between St. John and Fredericton in both directions and opening up a large stretch of new territory.

by Rev. R. A. Armstrong, and the interment will take place in Fredericton on the arrival of the morning train from St. John.

Sime Mabey.
Monday, Sept. 16.
The death of Sime Mabey occurred yesterday afternoon at his residence, Elm street, after a short illness. Mr. Mabey had been employed with Horton & Son, and had enjoyed the esteem and friendship of all persons with whom he came in contact. Besides his wife, he leaves four sisters, Mrs. Ernest Handren, of this city, and Miss Annie and Miss Florence Mabey at home. One half-sister and one half-brother also survive.

Mrs. Charles McAllister.
Monday, Sept. 15.
The death of Mrs. Charles McAllister, aged 78 years, occurred Friday, Sept. 13, at her home, 140 Partridge row, resulting from an attack of heart failure. She was stricken with paralysis on Thursday and lingered unconscious until the next day at 10 o'clock. She was the widow of Charles McAllister, and had a family of nine children, of whom the survivors are: Wilfred C. and Charles D. McAllister, of Sacramento, Cal.; Mary McAllister, nurse in St. John; and Mrs. J. D. Patten at home. She was a consistent member of the Main Street U. B. church of Sussex, and will be buried by many friends.

Fred Howe.
Fred Howe, for years an employee of the L. C. R. at Newcastle, who underwent an operation in Montreal Hospital a few days ago, died this morning. Mr. Howe was about forty-eight years of age, and was a son of William Howe of Essequash. He is survived by his wife, and four children, Miss Annie, Miss Marie, Miss Margaret, and Miss Elizabeth. The funeral will be held at his late residence, 180 Partridge row, tomorrow afternoon.

William G. Crabb.
St. Alban's, Vt., Sept. 16. (Special.)—William G. Crabb, auditor of the Central Vermont railway, died at his home here tonight. He was 62 years old. Mr. Crabb's death is a great loss to the railway. He was born at Sumner, Vt., and his wife and two daughters survive.

Frederick G. Hunter.
Monday, Sept. 14.—Frederick G. Hunter, former well known J. C. R. master mechanic, who returned from the service about a year ago on account of illness, passed away this evening after a tedious illness. Deceased was a native of St. John, being a son of the late John Hunter, contractor, and was 58 years old. He had been a resident of Moncton 40 years, being connected with the L. C. R. all that time.

Miss Marie Amiro Had Not Been Well, But No One Suspected Death Was Near—Found Dead in Her Room Early Sunday.
While in the city attending the fall military convocation, Miss Marie Amiro, aged 24 of Low Pubnico, Yarmouth county (N. S.), died some time early Sunday morning. When persons went to her room at the lodging house of Mrs. W. S. May, 19 Hornet street, yesterday morning she was found dead in bed.

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The death of Robert McCastlin, son of the late Robert McCastlin, took place early Sunday afternoon at the residence of his brother, Thomas O'Neill, 270 Chesley street. Although he had been ill for some time, his death came unexpectedly and the news was heard with regret by a large circle of friends. He leaves no family. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning.

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residence, 9 North street, after a painful illness of several months. Mrs. Sullivan was of a quiet, retiring disposition and held the esteem of a large number of friends. Her funeral will be held at the bereaved family. She was a daughter of the late John Magher of Hampton, and leaves besides her husband, four sons and two daughters, Mr. Michael Magher, section foreman of the C. P. R. Telegraph Company, Moncton, is a brother, and Mrs. Murphy, of City Brookline, Miss Agnes Magher, in the city, are sisters. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 8.30 o'clock.

James T. Carpenter.
Monday, Sept. 15.
The many friends of James T. Carpenter, the well known city dealer, with places of business in Main and Stanley streets, will regret to hear of his death, which occurred suddenly Sunday morning at his residence, 140 Partridge row, resulting from an attack of heart failure. Mr. Carpenter returned home from business Saturday night about 11 o'clock and retired, apparently in good health. About 3 o'clock however, he suffered an attack of heart trouble, and Dr. Barry was called in. It was then thought that Mr. Carpenter's illness was not serious, but he passed away about 6 o'clock Sunday morning.

McClannan-Croby.
A wedding of much interest to people in the North End took place in Boston on Wednesday morning, when Miss Bertha McClannan, daughter of William Croby, of 271 Main street, was married to Harry R. McClannan, who formerly lived in the North End and was in the employ of the City of St. John. The bride was dressed in cream, and the groom wore a dark suit. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Desjardis. The bride's bridesmaids were Misses Mary Ryan, of Boston, and formerly of St. John, who was bridesmaid, and wore a white dress. The groom's best man was Mr. J. H. Phillips, of Boston. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at 798 East 81st street, South Boston, where Mr. and Mrs. McClannan will reside.

Garnett-Warren.
At the residence of Mr. Benj. Land, 850 Duke street, West, on Sept. 10, her daughter, Mrs. Ethel Maud Warren was married to James Garnett, both of this city. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. B. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Garnett will reside at 850 Duke street, West.

Springer-Driscoll.
The wedding of Arthur James Springer and Miss Helen Louise Driscoll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy E. Driscoll, took place Thursday morning in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, St. John, N. B. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Annie Driscoll, as bridesmaid, and little Miss Madeline Driscoll as flower girl. The groom was the groomsmen, Mr. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Springer will reside at 71 High street.

Elliot-Tippet.
Monday, Sept. 15.
The marriage of Miss Edith S. Tippet, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vivian W. Tippet, to Harry E. Elliot, took place quietly at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon in Trinity church, where the chancel was decorated with palms, white flowers and garlands. The bride wore a gown of white tulle with a train and carried a bouquet of pink roses, and wore large black hats with plumes, and carried bouquets of pink asters.

McFarlane-McArthur.
The marriage of Lorne Charles Macfarlane to Miss Flora C. E. McArthur, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McArthur, was celebrated on Sept. 6 at Medicine Hat (Alta.), by Rev. C. J. Wilson. The bride, who left St. John quite recently for the west, was accompanied in this city and Mr. Macfarlane, formerly in St. John, is also well known here.

Bangor-Cugan.
Bangor-Cugan, died at her home, 189 Grove street on Tuesday afternoon, after a lingering illness. The surviving relatives, besides her husband and six daughters, are: Mrs. Harvey J. Driscoll of Bangor; two sisters, Misses Belle and Kate Travist; St. John, N. B., and three brothers, residing in New Brunswick. The many friends of the deceased will share with deep regret of her passing. The funeral will be held at 9 a. m. Friday at St. John's Catholic church.

There were twenty births registered with Registrar Jones in the city last week, eight boys and four girls. There were twelve deaths made in the city last week, but there was delay by many of the clergy in transmitting previous returns to the registrar.

Robert Boland, superintendent of the Dominion government dam at West Quaco, has begun work on the foundations.

SEES GREAT FUTURE FOR COPPER INDUSTRY IN KINGS COUNTY

Warden J. E. McAuley Believes Ore is of Very High Class and in Large Quantity—Operators at Work.

That the vicinity of Scotch Settlement in Kings county is likely to be richly productive of copper ore has now become a practical certainty, was a statement made by Warden John E. McAuley, who has spent his entire life in the mining business in Nevada. He understands that they have now come to stay for good in Kings county after devoting the summer months of the last three years to prospecting for copper.

Their work, he said, has proved so satisfactory that they now intend to establish permanent camps to operate the mines which they have shown to contain a very high class of ore. Three years ago the miners obtained a searchers lease of a portion of land ten miles square, but they have this year confined their operations to an area of one square mile which covers the warden's property and of which they have obtained a miner's lease.

They have not yet purchased any land but have expressed their intention of buying the square mile which they are working through. Of this they will have one-half to a joint stock company and themselves work the remainder.

At present the two miners are carrying on their operations on a small scale and with small capital, being assisted only by two other men. Their work consists of boring different places throughout the section and is for the time being merely prospective and done with a view to finding out the exact location of the veins of ore. In most places they have struck the mineral four feet from the surface.

Warden McAuley is convinced that within a few years an important mining town will have sprung up in the district.

HOW TO TREAT ALL SKIN TROUBLE

Greasy Ointments No Use—Must Be Cured Through the Blood

It is not a good thing for people with a tendency to have pimples and a blotchy complexion to smear themselves with greasy ointments. In fact they couldn't do anything worse, because the grease clogs the pores of the skin, making the disease worse. When there is an irritating rash a soothing, astringent wash may help allay the pain or itching, but of course it doesn't cure the trouble. Skin complaints arise from an impure condition of the blood and will persist until the blood is purified. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured many cases of eczema and skin diseases because they make new, rich blood that drives out the impurities, cleans the skin and imparts a glow of health. The following proof is offered. Mrs. Fred Tremblay, Gaspere, Ont., says: "For many years I was steadily afflicted with skin trouble, but they did not do me a particle of good. I was told Dr. Williams' Pink Pills would cure the trouble, and I began taking them. I took the pills steadily for six or eight weeks and they completely cured the trouble. This was several years ago and I have never been bothered with it since."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

CONDENSED NEWS; LOCAL AND GENERAL

It is reported that native farmers are beginning to appreciate the advantages held out for them under the new farm settlement act. As a result of a campaign of education among the farmers of the province by members of the board, a deeper interest is being taken into the working of the act.

J. D. McKenna, of the Sussex Record, was in the city Friday. Mr. McKenna is a most enthusiastic New Brunswick booster and predicts great development during the next few years. Speaking of Sussex, he says they have not a vacant house in the town and there is probably \$150,000 worth of building going on there this summer.

Gleaner—The Gibson and Minto and Central Railways from Gibsons to Norton will be managed from Fredericton when the period of their operation by the C. P. R. commences. A. Sheppard, who has been manager of the Central Railway, has been here looking for residence in Fredericton preparatory to taking up his new duties with headquarters in this city.

There were twenty deaths recorded at the board of health office last week from the following causes:—Phthisis, four; inanition, two; carcinoma of uterus, one; heart disease, two; uterine fibroid tumor, senility, diphtheria, one; meningitis, peritonitis, suffocation, chronic bronchitis, cardiac failure, accident (falling from scow), and carcinoma of stomach, each one.

The following real estate transfers in St. John are recorded:—J. F. Monahan to Harold Chadwick, property in Duke street. E. M. Smith to W. L. Doherty, property in Mount Pleasant avenue. H. G. Smith to Mrs. J. T. Wilcox, property in City Line road, Carleton Place. John R. Street to Dominion Express Company, property on Carleton street.

A Good Suggestion. (Prince Albert Times). The city would be better today and for many days to come if every man and every woman too, would register a vote to taboo absolutely the use of two phrases for even a single month—annual striping and money tightness. They are being repeated with such a rot-like frequency by some people that the sound and sight of them is getting positively abhorrent.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE YEAR

Women's Foreign and Home Missionary Society at Charlottetown

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Sept. 11.—At this morning's session of the W. F. & H. M. S., Mrs. Jamieson, of Halifax, gave an interesting Bible reading on consecration.

Greetings were read from the Boards of Women's Home Missionary Society, western division, and the Women's Missionary Society of Quebec.

The president spoke briefly to the board which had meant the development of more sympathetic feeling on the part of the members.

Mrs. J. H. Thomson spoke on the Toronto congress, referring to the conference of the Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the western division. Miss Falconer expounded the main object of working of the World's Missionary conference, which has a summer school under the auspices of the united boards of the evangelical churches of Canada and the United States, the Canadian council directing affairs in Canada. She recommended the representative of the W. F. & H. M. S. who attended the Foreign Mission committee get in touch with this school.

Mrs. J. H. Thomson also spoke on the Toronto congress, dealing with the basis of the union adopted in the amalgamation of the Presbyterian and Methodist societies of the western division. This basis is sent to the members of the eastern societies for their consideration and study, so that it could be dealt with next year. A number of members expressed sympathy with the resolution on this matter passed by the synod last year.

Mrs. McNab gave notice of a resolution which was tabled, requesting the name of the society be changed to W. M. S. of the eastern division.

Mrs. Cruikshank's Report. At the afternoon session Mrs. Cruikshank, of St. John Young People's society, submitted her report. It was very encouraging. There were thirty-three new or organized bands during the year, and seventy-eight more members, although the secretary of fourteen bands suggested to state the membership of the Presbyterian and Methodist societies. The amount raised for foreign missions, and an increase of \$184.54 for home missions. There were ninety-one new life members, a gain of nine over last year, and ninety-five thank offering services.

The following statement was then submitted showing the respective names of the various churches and societies, and amounts raised for missionary purposes.

Church	Bands	Members	Amount
St. John	1	8	\$1,201.04
Pictou	55	1,838	1,896.40
P. E. Island	28	680	682.80
Windsor	28	655	492.68
Halifax	30	542	442.75
Winnipeg	20	341	445.41
Bydney	11	522	407.68
Lambton	10	168	271.23
Amount raised for foreign missions			\$4,906.00
Amount raised for home missions			\$1,456.88

Yarmouth held their own in membership; Miramichi, St. John and Prince Edward Island lost slightly, and Halifax and Sydney gained. Efforts were made to grade the bands and there were 48 seniors, 160 junior and 53 juniors.

Mrs. Cruikshank then gave suggestions for the various reports for the guidance of band leaders. Afterwards Mrs. Gordon Dickie, of St. John, took a class of delegates, teaching the gospel on the subject of the study book on "Korea in Transit" at Trinidad.

Miss Archibald, head of the school for girls at Trinidad, delivered an address on her work. The school cost \$105 a month to maintain and there were 39 girls, so the average expense was only \$2.69 per head for board, furnishings, doctors' bills, etc.

Miss Archibald dwelt on the great need of the work, as the women are uneducated, ignorant of the gospel and in a transition stage. The women are getting a larger measure of freedom, and if they are not Christian they are not in a position to use that freedom. She gave some illustrations of how the work had helped certain individuals and dwell on the value of girls to the home and the community. A training school for teachers is being considered. The time has come when the work must be pushed, or it will not keep pace with the work among them.

The balance of \$11,218 on hand was allocated by the meeting as follows:—Korean schools \$700, here schools \$1,000, teacher training in British Guiana \$500, medical missionary in Song of Gung \$618.80. The \$900 voted last year for a lady medical missionary and not used was voted this year for a lady evangelist missionary. \$75 was voted for the work of the board.

Officers Elected. The election of officers resulted as follows:—Honorary presidents, Mrs. R. E. Burns, London (Eng.); Mrs. John McArthur, Trinidad. President, Mrs. A. W. Thompson, Vice-presidents, Mrs. G. Michael, New Glasgow; Mrs. J. H. Thomson, St. John; Mrs. Powers, Lunenburg; Mrs. Bayne, Mahout; Mrs. H. V. Kent, Truro; Mrs. Rogers, Charlottetown; Mrs. Baxter, Halifax; Mrs. L. A. Moore, North Sydney. Corresponding secretary, Miss Elizabeth Cruikshank, St. John; Mrs. Forbes, New Glasgow. Mrs. Carr Harris, Bathurst; Mrs. A. Forbes, Windsor; secretary, Mrs. Susie Fraser, Halifax; distributor, Miss Sarah Scott, Bathurst; Miss Elizabeth Stewart, board of management, the officers, editors of Message, and the ten presidents of the presbyterial.

OBITUARY

James Taylor.
Friday, Sept. 12.
When neighbors, missing him from about the premises, entered the home of James Taylor, at 602 Main street, where he had been living alone for some time, they found him lying dead upon the floor. He had not been well of late, and it is supposed that he had arisen to get a drink of water. J. E. Quinn, who keeps a store across the street, when he had not seen the old man about for a couple of days, grew anxious concerning him, and with a policeman and Mrs. Ernest Latham, who lives downstairs in the house, occupied by Mr. Taylor, went to the latter's home.

Gaining an entrance, they found him dead on the floor about 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Coroner W. F. Roberts gave permission for removal of the body. The coroner said he had been dead more than forty-eight hours. He had not been seen about the house for at least two days. The body was taken to Filpatrick's undertaking parlors in Waterloo street, where the funeral will be held today. Mr. Taylor, who was about sixty years of age, was married, leaves no relatives except his nephew, Mathew Cavanaugh, of the North End fire department. He was a shoe-cutter by trade, and for years had been employed in Hurley's shoe factory.

Ford Keast.
Friday, Sept. 12.
The death of Ford Abner Keast, a well known young man of North End, occurred Wednesday evening at the home of his mother, Mrs. Emma L. Keast, Prospect Point road, after an illness lasting for some time from tuberculosis. He was about twenty-two years of age and popular with many friends. About two years ago he went to Boston to work but returned early last spring, not being in good health. Besides his mother, he is survived by his young wife, to whom he had been married just a little more than a year, and by one child. He also leaves a younger brother, Rupert. The funeral service will be this evening at 8 o'clock at St. John's home, after which the body will be taken to the morgue.

Mrs. Charles Dalton.
Newcastle, Sept. 12.—The death of Mattie, nee Tennant, wife of Charles B. Dalton, of Nelson, took place after a three weeks' illness at noon yesterday. Mrs. Dalton was only twenty-five years of age and her early and unexpected death has cast a gloom over this community and Chatham, in both of which she was well known, as well as over her home town.

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