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LOCAL NEWS

LOCAL AIRMAN HOME
Lieutenant Royden Foley, son of Mrs. James Foley, of East St. John, arrived at the city at noon today from Texas, where he has taken a course in flying.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.
A birthday party was held at the home of Mrs. H. Livingston, 88 St. James street, yesterday in honor of her little son, Stephen. The time was pleasantly spent in games.

ACADIAS CHALLENGE ROSES
Mr. Pine, manager of the Acadia bowling team, wishes to challenge the Roses, champions of the Y. M. C. I. Junior league, to a match game to be played on the "Vic" alleys next Tuesday night. Arrangements can be made with Mr. Steen of the alleys or through The Times. An immediate answer is requested.

WOMEN'S COUNCIL
The annual meeting of the St. John Council of Women is being held this afternoon in the Natural History Society rooms, Union street. Delegates from twenty-eight women's organizations are present. Reports from officers of the council and standing committees, also from affiliated societies, giving details of the year's work are featured. The election of officers for the ensuing year was also to take place this afternoon.

LAURENCE KELLY
Many will learn with regret of the death of Laurence Kelly, a well known resident of Pleasant Point, which occurred this morning at his residence after a very short illness. He was eighty years old and leaves three sons, John, Michael and William, all of Pleasant Point; two daughters, Mrs. Catherine Leonard, of this city, and Mrs. Morris, of Fairville, and one sister, Mrs. Margaret Doyle, of Brooklyn, Mass.

THE LATE WILLIAM DEBOO
The funeral of William DeBoo took place from his residence, Goshen Corner, on Monday, April 8. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Barrett. There was a very large attendance, many from outside points, St. John, Moncton, Petitcodiac, and Forestville. The funeral tributes were beautiful. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family. Mr. DeBoo leaves to mourn his loss his wife, three daughters, and two sons. The daughters are Misses Nettie and Carrie, of St. John, and Miss Beatrice at home. The sons are Douglas and Hallie, at home.

FAIRVILLE WELL REPRESENTED.
The very lively interest taken in Fairville over the N. B. Power Company controversy was again manifested by the delegation of citizens that went to Fredericton yesterday. The two Fairville citizens who spoke before the house, Rev. Thomas Marshall and L. W. Simms, both laid stress on the kind of service which Fairville has been compelled to endure all winter. The men arrived home last evening on the late train. Among those who went to Fredericton were L. W. Simms, Rev. Thomas Marshall, Rev. W. McN. Townsend, F. V. Hamm, W. J. Linton, Samuel Linton, H. C. Beveridge, J. Stout, J. J. Hennessey, O. D. Hanson, Benjamin L. Wood, Daniel Campbell and Councillors Wm. Golding and John O'Brien.

COUNCIL TO DECIDE ON MONDAY AS TO PLEBISCITE ON HARBOR COMMISSION

(Special to Times.)
Fredericton, N. B., April 12—Mayor Hayes, who is in the capital looking after St. John interests in the legislative committee, said today that the question of taking a plebiscite to ascertain whether the citizens wished to place the St. John harbor in the hands of a federal commission would be discussed by the common council on next Monday. If they decide in favor of a plebiscite it would be taken at the final civic elections next week.

FAIRVILLE NAME IN CASUALTY LIST INFANTRY

Presumed to Have Died.
F. S. Linton, Fairville, N. B. Wounded.

P. T. Chapman, Amherst, N. S.; R. MacKay, Halifax; G. R. Carr, Fall River, N. S.; S. J. Warren, Lunenburg, N. S.

MEDICAL SERVICES.
Died.
S. Tomer, Woodstock, N. B.

SERVICES.
III. Lieut. G. R. Leslie, Halifax.

RAILWAY TROOPS.
III. W. Sharpe, Kentville, N. S.

No such soldier as F. S. Linton is apparently known in Fairville. Frank Linton, son of Mrs. John Linton, Old Station street, was reported missing more than a year ago, and this may be the official notification of his present death. Frank Linton went overseas with the 24th Battalion and was in due course sent to the immediate scene of fighting. He was last seen just before a high explosive shell burst about where he had been standing and he was never found afterwards nor was his body recovered. Consequently he was just reported missing. There is certainly no F. S. Linton now known to be among the Fairville boys overseas.

PROBATE COURT

In the matter of the estate of Martin Mulhally, letters of administration have been granted to Agnes McElwaine. W. J. Mahoney is proctor.

In the matter of the estate of Frederick H. C. Miles, letters of administration were granted in common form, and letters testamentary granted to The Eastern Trust Company. S. W. Palmer is proctor.

In the matter of the estate of Margaret T. Cole, the will has been proved in common form, and letters testamentary granted to Herbert C. Creighton and Samuel L. Gregory. C. H. Ferguson is proctor.

In the matter of the estate of Mrs. Sarah Parren, widow, the will has been proved in common form, and letters testamentary granted to Sarah E. M. Lowry and George C. M. Farren. MacRae, Sinclair & MacTae are proctors.

ASSESSMENT ACT

THIS AFTERNOON

Objections To Some Sections Are Presented

ST. JOHN MEN ON HAND

Dalhousie Bill Occupies Municipalities Committee During Morning—Story of a Political Tangle is Told

(Special to Times.)

Fredericton, April 12—As the entire morning was devoted to consideration of a Dalhousie bill and an exhaustive review of a municipal political tangle in that town, the municipalities committee of the legislature did not have time this morning to take up the St. John assessment act and this will come before the committee at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Mayor Hayes and Commissioners Fisher and McMillan were on hand to support the bill and this morning a conference was held at which they and Dr. J. B. M. Baxter and Dr. J. Roy Campbell were present and at which objections to various sections were considered. F. R. Taylor, K. C., asked reconsideration of some sections relating to banks, the C. E. R. and the N. B. Power Company and representatives of mercantile interests spoke on assessment of stocks in trade. Representatives of business houses present included Charles Coster, of T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd., A. P. Paterson, of Baird & Peters; R. H. Hooper for M. R. A., Ltd., and J. A. McLean for Scovill Bros. & Co., Ltd. T. P. Regan also is in Fredericton to oppose sections relating to the motion picture theatres. J. L. Sogruie and J. E. Tighe are representing the labor interests in support of the bill.

B. L. Gerow and W. E. Scully are here in the interests of St. John county bills which may come up.

It is also possible that this committee will deal with the St. John bill relating to the double tracking of Union street. When the committee met at 10 o'clock Mr. LeBlanc presiding, bills relating to Dalhousie were considered. The purpose of one is to empower the town to borrow up to \$20,000 from time to time for increasing the water supply or improving the water, sewerage and electric light system. The other would empower the town to grant to the F. Q. Lumber Company a free site not exceeding \$5,000 in cost and a fixed valuation of \$5,000 for all town assessments except school rates and to offer similar concessions for other industries.

E. Rene Richard appeared as solicitor for the town in support of the bills. He said that the legislation regarding the lumber company was required to authorize an agreement made by the town council and approved by vote of the ratepayers. H. A. Towler, K. C., of St. John, appeared in support of an adverse petition signed by forty-one names including, he said, almost all the large ratepayers.

He said that the town's public service assets were valued at \$180,000 with a bonded indebtedness of \$118,000. Mr. Powell said that the town also has a deficit of \$20,000 and, adding the \$28,000 for a free site and water service extensions, would make a total debt of \$266,000 against a real estate assessment of only \$346,000. Mr. Powell alleged that the town was being used to promote private interests. He said that at the last election by a miscarriage of justice ballots were improperly rejected and Mayor Montgomery and his supporters were returned to office against the will of the majority of the people.

This led to a lively discussion over the civic political mixup which followed a report and second declaration resulting in the declaration of three of Mayor Montgomery's supporters and five opponents. A supplementary election followed when a solid Montgomery council was elected by acclamation. This followed the purchase of land for a mill site from Mr. Montgomery. The revelations regarding the Dalhousie methods of running elections, discarding and recounting ballots, supplementary declarations and extra elections seemed to fascinate the politicians present who may have been anxious to pick up a few suggestions.

IS WOUNDED AGAIN

Acting Corporal H. M. Adams, M. M., D. C. M., Receives Gunshot in Hip

Acting Corporal Harry Melbourne Adams, M. M., D. C. M., has again been wounded, according to an official report received by his father, David H. Adams, of 280 Main street. The telegram said that he had been officially reported admitted to No. 46 Field Ambulance on April 11 suffering from a gunshot wound in the hip.

Corporal Adams was wounded three times and gassed once. For gallantry displayed in action he was awarded a military medal and a distinguished conduct medal. He crossed overseas with a signal corps under command of Major Powers and has since been serving in France.

UTILITIES COMMISSION CONSIDERING REPORTS ON POWER COMPANY PROPERTY

Original appraisals of all three branches of the affairs of the New Brunswick Power Company were considered before a meeting of the Public Utilities Commission this morning in the government rooms, and the business meeting of the commission was adjourned until April 24. The reports being considered are by E. H. Waterman's two reports on the gas and on the electric lighting and power, and the report on the original cost of the street railway by Sloan, Huddle, Fuestel and Freeman, consulting engineers of Boston. G. O. Dickson City president. The reports were under the consideration of the commissioners all this morning and this afternoon.

WAGES INCREASED.
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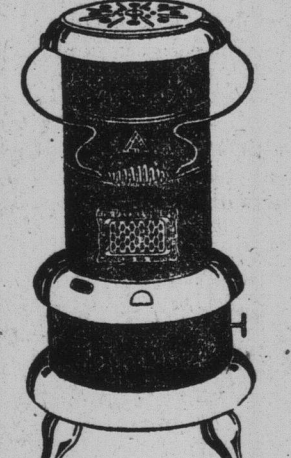
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