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PAARDEBERG DAY RECALLED AT DINNER

Soldiers Who Helped in Cronje's Capture Dined Together Tuesday Night

Speech of the Evening by Hon. R. J. Ritchie, Who Was Guest of the Soldiers--Special Train Took the Party to Torryburn and Back.

The anniversary of the Paardeberg surrender was celebrated at the Clairmont House, Torryburn, Tuesday evening by the members of the South African Veterans' Association. Hon. R. J. Ritchie was the guest of honor, and about forty-two soldier boys were present. A special train was chartered and left the station at 8.30. The various contingents were well represented. Mr. Newcombe ably upheld his reputation as a host.

Capt. F. Cavenhill Jones presided, and at his left was Hon. R. J. Ritchie; the vice chair was taken by Corp. Frederick Coombs, and the two other vice chairs were taken by Wm. Donohue and Walter Irvine.

In responding to the toast of Our Guest, Hon. Mr. Ritchie said he felt honored in being the guest of the evening. He related an amusing story, well fitted to the occasion.

He thought of the eventful day five years ago, when the empire was stirred by the momentous happenings between Feb. 18 and 27. They were remarkable days not only in the history of Canada but in the history of every portion of the world paying allegiance to Great Britain.

He recalled the great unanimity distinguishing the young men of New Brunswick when a call was made for volunteers to uphold the supremacy of British arms. They flocked to the flag, and had the great good fortune and glory to play a leading part in one of the greatest engagements of the war—an engagement which practically was the turning point in the war.

The Canadian troops enjoyed the privilege of being associated with excellent company—the Gordon Highlanders, the Cornwalls and Shropshires—historic regiments.

No more effective means could have been employed to cement the mother land and colonies than the sending to the seat of war the several contingents. All of those who went had not returned, but they had died glorious, honorable deaths. He mentioned the names of Capt. Arnold, Corp. Withers, Privates McCreary, Scott and others.

In conclusion, he proposed the Royal Canadian Regiment, coupling with the toast the names of Capt. Jones and Corp. Coombs, who gave several entertaining recollections of life at the front. The former expatiated upon the strong bonds formed between men while on active service, and the latter made particular reference to the heroism of John Scott during the morning of General Cronje's surrender.

Wm. Snyder, late of the Second C. M. R., responded to the toast to the mounted men. His address was waggish and witty, and what he had to tell was thoroughly enjoyed.

Mr. Anslow, a former member of "G" company, spoke, also Capt. Jones, who responded to the toast to the Nineteenth Brigade.

Songs were given, with Walter Harney playing the piano accompaniments.

There were the usual cheers preparatory to adjournment, and the return to the city was made about 11.30 o'clock.

The members of the association feel indebted to L. R. Ross, the I. C. R. terminal superintendent. His exertions in securing a special train at a time when unusual conditions prevailing on the road were just being straightened out, were greatly appreciated.

CATTLE IN KINGS AND QUEENS COUNTIES SUFFER

G. G. Scovil, M. P. P., Tells of Serious Conditions Caused by Storm. Supplies Being Cut Off.

G. G. Scovil, M. P. P., for Kings county, was in the city today. Talking with the Globe, Mr. Scovil said people in St. John had no idea of the trouble and inconvenience the heavy snow falls were causing those living in the country. The railroad from Norton to Chipman is blocked, but forty men are at work and it is hoped to soon get it open. Large quantities of supplies are detained at Norton awaiting shipment to points along the line. Farmers and lumbermen are badly in need of these, but the roads are so blocked that it is impossible to drive to Norton and haul them back. Mr. Scovil said he knew one farmer who was carrying hay on his back for three miles to feed his cattle, and he knew of many others whose stock is suffering for food. There are no oats, he said, for the horses working in the woods, so it has been found necessary to suspend operations. Bad as are the conditions in his section, Mr. Scovil thinks they must be much worse in districts of Queens county, and said he would not be surprised to hear that stock in some places is actually suffering for food. The men at work on the railroad will get it open in a few days if there are no more storms, and then the car loads of oats, hay and other supplies that are at Norton will be rushed along the line so as to relieve the distress that is prevailing.—Globe.

Personal Intelligence.

Rev. A. McIntosh, who has been pastor of the Pugwash Presbyterian church since 1895, has resigned and accepted a call from the congregation of Little Harbor and Fisher's Grant, Pictou county.—Amherst Telegram.

Allison Wishart is reported seriously ill in Sydney (C. B.)

A memorial will shortly be presented to the provincial government re temperance legislation in New Brunswick. Memorials will also be presented to the federal government in regard to the prevention of gambling at race courses and the enforcement of a Sunday law. Both will be by the N. B. and P. E. Island branch of the temperance and moral reform committee of the Methodist church.

$200,000 SYDNEY NAIL COMPANY

E. LeRoi Willis and Edwin E. Shaw Among Principal Stockholders

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 28—(Special)—The following were nominated today for the mayoralty of this city: W. A. Richardson, the present mayor; J. A. Gillies, K. C., ex-M. P.; O. P. Fullerton and Colin McKinnon, ex-mayor. There will be a contest in all the wards, except one. The election will be held next Tuesday.

The Dominion Coal Company will have a fleet of ten chartered boats, besides five steamers of the own engaged in carrying coal to the St. Lawrence markets during the coming season. This will be the largest fleet yet had by the company in the trade. One of the steamers will be the James Ross, called after the president of the company. She is now in course of construction at Middleboro, England, and will be ready in time for this season's shipping. She will have a carrying capacity of 7,000 tons.

The Canada Nail & Wire Company, Ltd., has been organized here with a capital of $200,000 for manufacturing nails and kindred lines and all varieties of wire goods. Edwin E. Shaw, T. P. Mason and E. LeRoi Willis are among the principal men behind the project. The company will start construction operations early in the spring.

I. C. R. DEFICIT NEARLY $1,000,000 LAST YEAR

Minister of Railways Says Increased Wages and Betterments Are Largely Responsible--The Outlook Bad for Present Year.

Ottawa, March 1—(Special)—Hon. H. R. Emmerson delivered his statement today in parliament on the Intercolonial. The showing for the year ending June 30 last was a deficit of $900,751. Of the increase, $506,972 was caused by the raise in wages of the engineers, firemen, trackmen, station masters, operators and mechanics. There were also large increases in repairs.

Mr. Emmerson said that the Intercolonial could not at present raise rates as a private railway could to meet increased expenditure. He quoted returns for eighteen years previous to 1896, with those for the eight years since, showing that the average deficits had been $50,000 per annum less during the latter period than the former.

The wages of the staff and operating employes had increased from $255,412 in 1895 to $497,753 in 1902. There was better service to travelling public, more luxurious passenger cars, and improved service, etc.

Up to Dec. 31 last the earnings were $3,621,236, a deficit of $482,239, compared with the cost of operation. The revenue increased $226,629 and the operating expenses $412,572.

The minister was unable to predict anything but a large deficit for the current year. The expenses this winter were high.

St. Martins News.

St. Martins, March 2—Snow and bad roads prevail everywhere. The lumbermen are out of the woods, although a little hauling is still done off the yards. Traveling after night is fast going out of fashion and a person who leaves home with a team in daylight finds it necessary to take a shovel along in a great many cases.

The mail contractor between St. John and St. Martins is earning his salary this winter. This carrier has three different routes to supply with a mail daily each way between St. John and St. Martins. At the foot of Loch Lomond the three routes diverge. The shore route via Black River and Ten Mile Creek follows the bay shore for part of the way. On this route lumber roads are utilized with good effect and as their route is through the woods, snow drifts are thereby avoided and good time generally made. On the middle road a great many snow drifts have been encountered and in some places the fields have to be resorted to, while the upper road via the head of Loch Lomond has been blocked completely for the past five or six weeks. Several attempts have been made to open the central part but so far without success.

The post offices supplied by this carrier are Lake Wood, Ben Lomond, Garnett's, Black River, Gardner's Creek, Ten Mile Creek, Willow Grove, Rowley's, Fairfield, Porter's, Upper Loch Lomond, Quaco Road, Shanklin and West Quaco.

F. M. Cochran, one of the present councillors for St. Martins, has issued his card to the electors for so far he is the only one who has taken that mode of asking the support of the people and at the present time it is the only way they can be reached unless he used snowshoes.

Gagetown Notes.

Gagetown, Feb. 27—Hon. G. H. V. Bulyea and wife arrived yesterday and are guests of Mr. Bulyea's sister, Mrs. R. T. Babbitt. Mr. Bulyea has been in Ottawa for some weeks in the interest of the Northwest autonomy bill. Mr. and Mrs. Bulyea's friends regret their stay will be short at their old home, as they leave on Wednesday, returning to Ottawa for a few days, thence to Regina.

Another big snow storm. About a foot fell last night and a strong wind is scattering it hither and thither.

It is estimated and said by those having knowledge of it that there is fully four feet of snow in the woods beyond the village.

We get mails twice a week from Westfield and since Feb. 10 the Welsford carrier has made two trips.

Hay is getting so scarce with some of the farmers because of the impossibility of hauling any that some will have to kill or sell some of their stock.

The Roman Catholic church now boasts 2,000 churches and chapels in England and Scotland. The total number of clergy is 2,794. Thirty-two Roman Catholic peers have votes in the house of lords, and to the house of commons England sends five and Ireland seventy-one Roman Catholic members.

TWO WOMEN AND THREE CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

Mothers Rushed Up Stairs to Save Little Ones and Perished With Them.

Salisbury, N. B., Feb. 24—The Salisbury relatives, of Mr. and Mrs. James Crandall, whose home is near Houlton (Me.), received the news on Tuesday, that on Saturday last two of Mr. and Mrs. Crandall's daughters, young married women, with three of their little children lost their lives in a fire.

It appears that the two women occupied the same house for the winter, their husbands being absent at the time. The fire occurred early in the morning while the children were still asleep in the upper flat of the building.

It is supposed that the mothers made an heroic effort to extinguish the flames, and, failing in this they rushed up stairs to save the children, but too late, as they all perished in the flames.

Mrs. Crandall, mother of the unfortunate young woman, was formerly a Miss Brown, of Moncton. She and Mrs. Crandall, who was formerly a Salisbury woman, made a visit about a year and a half ago to relatives in Moncton and Salisbury. Much sympathy is felt here for the surviving members of the family.

Think Mothers Perished Trying to Save Little Ones.

A Houlton (Me.), despatch further says: A horrible catastrophe occurred at Howe Brook Saturday morning. Samuel Antworth built a fire in his dwelling about 5.30 o'clock and returning a few minutes later found the house in flames.

The inmates of the house with the exception of the old lady were all burned to death. When Mr. Antworth left the house Mrs. Antworth and Mrs. John Shorey had arisen. It will never be known how the fire originated.

It is thought that when the women occupants discovered the house on fire they rushed up stairs to save the children. The house not being plastered and only papered the fire spread so rapidly that the dwelling was a mass of flames before the women had time to get the children out.

One old lady, Mrs. Shorey, did not go up stairs and consequently the neighbors were able to get her out through a window.

The bodies, burned beyond all recognition, were found in the kitchen near the door. It is thought they tried to escape through the door, but it being fastened with a spring lock, escape was impossible.

The dead are Mrs. Samuel Antworth, aged about 25 years and her two children, a girl of three and a boy one year of age, Mrs. John Shorey of Oakfield, aged about 25, and her little girl of five years.

ELDON L. O. L. DEALS WITH SCHOOL QUESTION

Passes Resolution in Favor of New Provinces Dealing With Matter Themselves.

Eldon Lodge, No. 2, L. O. A., is the first announced in the maritime provinces as entering a protest against the proposal of the government regarding schools in the new Northwest provinces. Tuesday night, at the regular meeting of the lodge, the subject was brought up, and a resolution was moved by George A. Blair to the effect that, in the opinion of the meeting, the new provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta should be permitted to manage their own schools. This was adopted unanimously, and the resolution will be forwarded to Dr. Daniel, M. P., and Dr. Stockton, M. P.

Shipping Notes.

The following charters have been announced: Steamer Leuctra, Savannah to U. K. or continent, cotton, etc., p. t., March; barques Skoda, Apalachicola to Buenos Ayres, lumber, $10; Hamburg, Pensacola to Montevideo, lumber, p. t.; Athena, Buenos Ayres to Boston, hides, $3,335; Hillside, Rosario to New York, hides, $3,200; schr. Helen Stewart, New York to Cayenne, general, p. t.

MODERN GUNS FOR ARTILLERY

More Camp Grounds and Ranges to Be Provided This Season

Ottawa, Feb. 28—(Special)—The annual meeting of the Dominion Artillery Association was held this forenoon in one of the committee rooms of the house of commons. Among those present were Sir Frederick Borden, Lord Aylmer, General Lake, Lieut.-Colonel King, of St. Catharines, who presided, and a number of senators and members of parliament.

Sir Frederick Borden, in response to a vote of thanks for the interest he took in the work of the association, said that it was an easy matter for him to attend their annual meeting, but it was not so easy for them to come as far as they did. He wanted to hear from them the needs of the association. What was absolutely necessary was to have camp grounds and suitable artillery ranges. It was not altogether his fault that these were not provided before now. There was some difficulty in securing the grounds for a range. Just as soon as the snow was off the ground his officers, accompanied by Gen. Lake, would once more look over the grounds and have this important matter definitely fixed. Then there was need for adequate accommodation for stores. Within four or five years there would be suitable buildings all over Canada for the housing of valuable stores.

To Take Over Fortresses July 1.

Sir Frederick then referred to the work of reorganization which had been going on at the militia department for some time past, and which had been carried on on the same lines as the British system. In this connection he paid a high compliment to General Lake, the chief of staff, and other officers. The militia council had worked well.

The minister spoke of the transfer of the fortresses at Halifax and Esquimault. Great Britain had graciously accepted Canada's offer and, although it might at first be somewhat difficult for Canada to find all the engineers and artillerymen required, still they would find sufficient to take over the fortresses on July 1 next.

General Lake, in his address, spoke of the great advance made in artillery practice during the past few years, giving an account of operations witnessed. In Canada the artillery arm of the force had been much handicapped by want of material. He promised a good land range for the coming summer and he hoped the garrisons at Halifax and Esquimault would soon be able to use their guns in practice under service conditions. This would result in increased efficiency.

Lord Aylmer, inspector-general, was in favor of giving the artillery a better chance. The purpose of the artillery was to hit hard and effectively, and he hoped the Canadian force would be made capable of doing so.

Modern Guns Promised.

Colonel Cotton, master of ordinance, said a new branch was to be added, and in future there would be light, heavy and garrison artillery, the intermediate branch being the one added. Modern guns were promised for the field force, and this was received with applause. Four days extra drill will also be given the force. Special pay will be granted specialists, such as range men and gun layers, and they will be induced to remain in the service. The policy of supplying Canada with arms and ammunition was being successfully carried out, and he could see the time coming when all Canadian needs in this direction would be supplied at home. The ammunition now being made in Canada was very satisfactory.

The old officers were re-elected.

Indian Island News.

Indian Island, Charlotte Co., March 1—James Hurley, of Leonardville (D. I.), who has been visiting his mother during the last week, returned to his home Sunday.

Halbert C. Dixon, who has been visiting relatives on Deer Island, returned home Saturday.

Dr. H. V. Jonah, of Eastport (Me.), called on Willie Dixon Sunday. We are glad to report that Mr. Dixon is improving in health.

Mrs. Herbert N. Chaffey, of Eastport (Me.), who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dixon, returned to her home yesterday.

Hal. Bowden, of Eastport (Me.) visited friends here Sunday.

Owing to the deep snow and blustery weather our school was not opened Monday.

After such bad storms as we have had lately it is no wonder that the hens have taken to the water to commit suicide. Such was the case with a flock belonging to one of our prominent citizens the other day. Three or four of them had got into the water and were blowing off shore, but were rescued from a watery grave by the owner, who procured a boathook and hooked them ashore, much to the merriment of the onlookers.

An oyster stew given by the young men of the island was held in the school house one evening last week. A very enjoyable time was reported by all.

Gaspereaux Station Notes

Gaspereaux Station, March 2—Frank Crosby, of Fort Fairfield (Me.), accompanied by Mrs. Crosby, is here visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Crosby was formerly Miss Annie Hoyt, daughter of Councillor Joseph Hoyt, of Clarendon, Charlotte county.

Mrs. Chloe Webb and her grandson, Frank Webb, who have been spending the winter in Oldtown (Me.) are expected home in a few days.

Mrs. Joseph Hoyt is quite ill with a severe attack of rheumatism. Her friends are glad to note an improvement lately.

Miss Vestena Perkins has been spending several weeks in St. John. She is expected home quite soon.

Endorse Subsidy for Fast Line.

North Sydney, N. S., March 2—(Special)—The North Sydney board of trade has decided to unite with the Halifax board in asking the federal government to grant subsidies to Atlantic steamship lines without specifying the particular maritime winter port to be used as their Canadian terminus.

PROVINCIALISTS IN REUNION AT WORCESTER

Daughter of Thos. Hetherington of Queens County One of the Speakers.

Large Gathering at Annual Banquet -- Familiar Names in the List of Those Who Attended--A Good Programme of Speeches, Music and Recitations.

One hundred and fifty maritime province people who make their homes in Worcester (Mass.) attended the 18th annual re-union and banquet of the Maritime Provinces Association there last Monday night.

Thomas Hetherington, emigration agent of Boston, was to speak on "The homeland," but on acount of sickness, was represented by his daughter, Mrs. C. O. Underwood, who spoke briefly of her father's work among the Canadian people, referring to the wonderful possibilities of the far West.

T. F. Masters, president of the Canadian club, Boston, spoke, Miss Esther Bergstrom recited, there were selections by the Loreli ladies' orchestra, Miss Grace Darling leader.

Master F. Paul Whitaker gave a recitation, Rev. Dr. Willard Scott a speech, Miss A. Pearl Proffit sang to piano accompaniment by Mrs. Jeannie Knollin.

City Solicitor Arthur P. Rugg spoke to the toast, "The legal profession." Mayor Blodgett gave an address and Henry E. Townsend spoke for the ladies. The committee of arrangements was J.P. Kingston, A. F. Roach, J. B. Coulson, T. H. Gilliatt, G. F. Young, W. P. Cantwell; reception committee, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Good, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knollin, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. George Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Townsend, J. D. Collins, Mrs. J. P. Kingston, Ella J. Donald.

Those present were President J. Howard Joynes, Rev. F. L. Church, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Willard Scott, Mayor W. H. Blodgett, City Solicitor Arthur P. Rugg, Toastmaster J. B. Coulson, H. J. McInnes, J. W. Waye, W. B. Gain, J. S. Murphy, Mrs. W. R. Fountain, Miss Emma L. Craft, Winnifred Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hubley, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Church, Gordon H. Hubley, Z. A. Hubley, H. L. Cutting, W. H. Thompson, Mrs. B. A. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Craft, Mrs. Herbert J. Hale, George C. Montague, Edith S. Roswell, Ella L. Carr, Charles Carr, Mrs. Richard C. Walls, Herbert H. Walls, E. J. Cairns, D. S. Gordon, Miss Clara Milligan, Robert Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Good, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Higman, Mrs. M. Donaldson, C. D. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Roach, Mrs. Farr, Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Chaffin, Miss Ethel Morse, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Townsend, Mrs. C. S. M. Harwood, T. F. Masters, president of the Canadian club, Boston; E. L. Bergstrom, Mrs. J. B. Coulson, Miss Ella J. Donald, J. W. McKenzie, George F. Young, Cora B. Young, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Young, Jessie M. Morton, W. E. Young, G. A. Ramey, F. M. Young, R. H. Morton, Carrie B. Mason, Hattie A. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Conrad, J. O. Young, M. M. Mosher, George W. Kreger, George L. Downes, Violet E. Lohnes, Laura E. Kingston, W. W. Kingston, Laura Lohnes, James D. Collins, Asa E. Brown, C. H. Dixon, Charles N. Marling, L. H. Mader, A. Wagner, J. C. Mader, Lyle S. Proffit, Annie I. Coughlin, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gosline, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knollin, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armur, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gordon, Miss E. M. Gordon, T. Baldwin, A. D. McNutt, Mrs. J. G. Gallagher, Miss M. McNutt, Mr. and Mrs. William MacKay, Mr. and Mrs. Foster M. Keirstead, Mrs. Willard Scott, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Crerie, Miss A. Pearl Proffit, F. Paul Whitaker, Mrs. Ida Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. George Kingston, William P. Cantwell, Miss Etta Kane, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Kirkpatrick, A. T. Parks, John Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joynes, Mr. and Mrs. James Cameron, Leslie Phillips, Lafayette C. Hamill, W. R. Hamill, J. A. C. Hamill, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Griffin, N. Florence Taber, J. P. Taber, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Kingston, Mrs. Josephine C. Ellis, Mrs. E. W. Wheeler, Mrs. Henry W. Rockwell, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rockwell, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Middlemas.

OBITUARY

Adjt. John Hunter, Salvation Army.

The Boston express brought to the city Tuesday the body of Adjutant John Hunter, a Salvation Army officer, who died at Touson, Arizona, on the 19th inst. The body was taken on the express at noon to Windsor (N.S.), for burial.

George Moore.

George Moore, 27 years old, died Monday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. Crawford, Queen street. Death was due to pneumonia. Mr. Moore had been driver for John McDonald, Brussels street. The body will be taken to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore, Willow Grove, for interment. Deceased was well known to a large circle of friends among whom he was esteemed for his amiability.

Mrs. John Hill.

The death of Mrs. John Hill took place in Boston Sunday after a lengthy illness. She was a daughter of the late Peter Nowlan, of this city, and had been residing in Boston for a number of years. One sister is Mrs. D. O'Rourke, Brussels street.

Mrs. Gertrude Brown.

Moncton, Feb. 28—Mrs. Gertrude Brown, wife of Smith Brown, jr., Mountain road, died this morning, aged twenty-seven, leaving a husband and three children. She was ill ten days of acute Bright's disease. Mrs. Brown was a daughter of William Lutz. Two sisters and two brothers also survive.

David Yeomans.

Sussex, Feb. 26—David Yeomans, of Penobsquis, died on Friday, aged seventy years. The funeral took place this afternoon. The roads were so bad that Undertaker Hallet, of this place, was unable to attend with the hearse. The casket was sent to Penobsquis by train. Rev. Mr. Comp conducted the service.

Mrs. Mary Barnes.

Fredericton, Feb. 28—Mrs. Mary Barnes died this morning, aged 70, leaving a family of nine.

Rev. Dr. Chisholm.

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 28—(Special)—Rev. Dr. Chisholm, parish priest of St. Joseph's church, North Sydney, died this afternoon. He was 45 years of age and a man of marked scholarly attainments. He was for some time rector of St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish. Ill health compelled him to resign about six years ago since which he has been pastor of St. Joseph church.

Joseph Armstrong.

The news of the death of Joseph Armstrong, of Victoria street, Tuesday, will come as a shock to his friends, as his death was sudden and unexpected. Before the tea hour last evening, Mr. Armstrong walked to Dr. Christie's office in Main street to have a sore on his lip attended to. On his way home he felt himself getting weaker. This feeling grew and at 10 o'clock death took place from paralysis of the brain.

Mr. Aumstrong was well known in the North End. He leaves a grown-up family. Two of his sons are in the employ of T. H. Estabrooks, one of whom, Louis C., is a traveler with the firm.

James Logan, Formerly of St. John.

The Telegram, of Portland (Ore.), Feb. 20, records the death of James Logan, formerly of the grocery firm of Logan & Lindsay, of this city. He died of paralysis, from which he had been suffering several years. With his wife, he had made his home in Portland for four years.

Mr. Logan was born in Ireland seventy-five years ago, and came to New Brunswick when quite a young man. For years he was senior partner in Logan & Lindsay, and fifteen years ago retired on a competency. Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter, Mrs. H. R. Robertson. He also leaves four sons, W. J., Alex. and Charles, in Chicago, and Robert, in Brooklyn (N. Y.) Mrs. Alex. Stewart, of this city, is a sister of deceased, and James Logan and Mrs. Hugh Finley are nephew and niece.

The paper pronounces a long eulogy on Mr. Logan's many good qualities. Many friends of deceased in this city will hear of his death with deep regret.

John Calder.

Wilson's Beach, Feb. 27—John Calder, an aged and respected resident of Wilson's Beach, passed away on Wednesday, 22nd inst., at the advanced age of 75 years. He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Galba Brown and Mrs. Beverly Lank, both residing here, three grandchildren and one great-grandchild, besides numerous other friends to mourn their sad loss.

John Crawford.

John Crawford, aged 51 years, died Thursday at the residence of John Kerr, No. 74 Camden street. He was a brother of Mrs. Kerr, who died only a few days ago. Deceased, who was unmarried, was a ship joiner by trade, and about 25 years ago removed to Perth Amboy (N. J.), where he did contracting work. For the last three years he was in poor health and last January came to his sister's home here. He was a member of Raritan Lodge, F & A. M., of Perth Amboy. A brother, Frederick M., resides in Tacoma.

Miss Hattie Thomas.

Miss Hattie Thomas, eldest daughter of the late Jas. U. Thomas, died Thursday morning. Deceased, who was a very estimable lady, had a wide circle of friends who will hear of her death with deep regret.

Mrs. Phoebe Taylor.

Harvey Station, March 2—Mrs. Phoebe Taylor, widow of John Taylor, died at her home here on Wednesday after an illness of about two months. She had been somewhat delicate in health for some years but was stricken down with bronchitis at New Year's, immediately after her return from Moncton, where she spent the summer with her sister, Mrs. Lutz. She was the second daughter of the late David Hartt, of Fredericton Junction, and was 64 years of age. She is survived by two sisters—Mrs. M. V. Smith, of Plymouth (N. H.), and Mrs. Lutz, of Moncton. The late D. T. Hartt, of Fredericton Junction, was a brother. She had a large circle of friends who will regret to hear of her death.

James Little.

Truro, March 2.—James Little, for 25 years principal of Truro Academy, and for about 50 years connected with the teaching staff of Truro's public schools, died this morning, aged 70 years.

Alexander Block.

Fredericton, N. B., March 2.—Alexander Block died at his residence at an early hour this morning at the age of 65. He had been in ill health for a long time past. He is survived by six daughters, Mrs. Plant, of Edmundston; Mrs. Redfern, the well known nurse; Kate, Martha, Alice and Ella, and one son, Hugh. The deceased was Fredericton's oldest mason.

Michael Tole, Formerly of St. John.

Michael Tole, formerly a resident of St. John, died Monday in Boston, and his funeral was held there Thursday. For some years Mr. Tole conducted a brass foundry off Sydney street but removed to the States several years ago. He is survived by one son, who is in Boston. Patrick Tole, clerk in the Provincial Hospital, is a brother of deceased.

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