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COMMON COUNCIL IN SHORT SESSION

Scribner's Corner Building Matter Discussed—Report on Some Signs

Changes in the taxi by-laws, the matter of the Watson building at Scribner's corner, and the question of signs were among the matters discussed at a short session of the City Council this morning. The meeting was presided over by Mayor Potts, and all the members were present, except Commissioner Wigmore, who, it was explained by Commissioner Harding, had been detained in Fredericton on business.

Mayor Potts asked if the committee appointed to deal with the question of signs had any report to make. Commissioner Bullock said there had never been a meeting of the committee, but he would try to see that one was held, as he felt the matter should be dealt with one way or another.

Commissioner Frink reported that the city engineer and the city electrician had examined the premises of Morris Jacobson and found that he did not have any electric sign out and there was no infringement of the city by-law. The report was filed.

Commissioner Harding said he had had the chief of police examine a sign in Douglas avenue, placed on private property, which had been referred to by Commissioner Wigmore as being dangerous. The chief had reported that the sign was in safe condition and well secured.

Taxi By-Laws.

Commissioner Harding said he had been having some trouble with the taxi by-law because of the interpretation put on it by some of the taxi men, and he would like to have the co-operation of the Mayor in getting matters cleared up. He thought that as the Mayor had the license to issue to the men it would be well for him to have the whole matter under his charge. His Worship said he was quite willing to do all he could to make matters run smoothly. It was said by Commissioner Harding that the city solicitor was now engaged in drafting some amendments to the by-law which would make its meaning clearer.

NO ACTION YET

Mayor Speaks of War Memorial Site—W. C. T. U. Position.

No action was taken by the city council this morning in connection with the site for the Soldiers Memorial but after the meeting Mayor Potts, when asked about this matter, replied that he thought the committee desired to unveil the memorial on May 18 they should get busy and decide to erect it either in the plot opposite the Admiral Beatty hotel or in the triangle to the north of the centre walk, and in front of P. W. Daniel & Company's store.

W. C. T. U. Position.

Mrs. Hope Thomson, president of the Saint John Union of the W. C. T. U., last night said that the vote of the meeting on Tuesday, which was against the moving of the Memorial Fountain to the site, was given as formal permission had already been given and the motion was out of order. L. F. D. Miller said if the evening that he would be perfectly willing to have the monument erected to the memory of his father moved to some other location if such action were desired in order to give the soldier memorial the best location in the city.

C. P. R. TOURNAMENT

Bowlers Plan Big Night on Next Monday, East vs. West on Alleys.

On Monday night, April 20th, will be C. P. R. night on the Imperial Bowling Alleys when about 40 employees will take part in a company tournament. The affair will be conducted in the nature of a contest between employees on the eastern side of the harbor and employees on the western side. Suitable prizes will be awarded for records. A large number of employees, who will not be able to take part in the bowling, will be on hand to root for their favorites. The tournament will be held from 7 until 9 o'clock and the eight alleys will be used.

Leaves Daughter And Sister Here

The death of Francis L. Legere occurred on Wednesday at his home at Dorchester Crossing, N. B., after illness of two months in his 63rd year. Mr. Legere was an employee of the C. N. R. at Moncton. He is survived by his wife, four sons and six daughters. One of the daughters is Sister Honorine of St. Patrick's Industrial School at Silver Falls. He also leaves a brother and five sisters. One of the latter is Mrs. John Morrissey of Saint John. The funeral will be held on Friday morning to St. James church, Soudou.

Local News

BANK CLEARINGS

Saint John bank clearings for the week ending today were \$2,173,101; last year, \$2,623,697; in 1923, \$2,658,654. Halifax clearings this week were \$2,169,604. In Moncton the clearings were \$622,044.

IN SAINT JOHN TODAY.

W. H. Wallace, Ronald Alexander and John Taylor, of Campbellton, passed through the city today en route to their homes. They have been in Fredericton in connection with an application for a school in Ward 10, Campbellton. On the way home they will make a stay in Sussex and inspect the dairy establishments there.

AVENUE WORK

Commissioner Frink said this morning that he had been giving consideration to the matter of paving Douglas avenue from the end of the present pavement to the highway bridge over the Falls and would soon bring in a report. He would lay both the proposition to pave the street and that to construct an overhead bridge across the railway tracks before the council, but would probably recommend the paving of the street.

BRIDGE PARTY.

A bridge party was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. C. W. Ellsworth, 82 Dufferin avenue. Among those present were Mrs. W. H. Anderson, Mrs. J. Armour, Mrs. P. H. Butler, Mrs. J. Brown, Mrs. Z. Brown, Mrs. J. Kinney, Mrs. Louise Hawker, Mrs. Holy Lingley, Miss Greta Lingley, Mrs. J. Stephenson, Mrs. Thurber and Mrs. Leslie Waters. Mrs. J. Brown and Mrs. Thurber were the winners.

MRS. MAE RICKER DEAD

After a severe illness, Mrs. Mae Ricker, widow of Lloyd Ricker, of West Caledonia, Queens county, N. S., who was receiving treatment at the Saint John Infirmary, died there today. She leaves her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Judge, of West Caledonia and four brothers, Joseph and Albert, of Ontario, and William and Maurick, at home. The funeral will be held at West Caledonia on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

AUTO TRUCK.

One of the trucks of the Canadian Oil Companies, Ltd., narrowly escaped destruction last evening about 8:30, when it was struck by a shunting engine of the Canadian National Railway. The truck was leaving from the plant of the company and the driver did not see the train coming from the direction of the engine. The truck, fortunately, was not moving very fast and the truck was nearly over the track before it was struck. The truck was a little but was not damaged.

EASTER MEETING.

The Easter vestry meeting of the Church of England in the Parish of St. Andrew, was held on Monday at the home of W. De Wolfe, at Black River. The pastor, Rev. C. W. Follett, was chairman. The following church officers were elected: Church Warden, R. J. Moore and W. T. Boyle; vestrymen, A. R. Moore, Austin Moore, J. Leachery, W. De Wolfe, W. Thorpe, B. F. Lewis, D. Godwin, W. Almon, W. Douglas, Joseph Jones, James Kenney and T. J. Jordan. The latter is vestry clerk.

EASTER W. M. S. SERVICE.

Mrs. Walter Small, returned missionary from West China, gave an inspiring address in the vestry parlour last evening when the public Easter service of the W. M. S. was held, with Mrs. Robert G. Fulton, president, in the chair. The following sang a devotional service and the little Misses Allison and Jean Austin sang a duet. The choir, under the direction of Miss Laura Baxter, superintendent of the King's Messenger Band, eight of the children gave a very pretty Easter exercise. Miss Margaret Evans gave a reading. A generous offering was received in the envelopes.

FLORAL TRIBUTES.

Beautiful flowers were sent by relatives and friends at the funeral of Mrs. Henry Appleby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Appleby, held on Wednesday afternoon, as a mark of respect for her memory. The tributes included a broken circle from her mother and brother Harry, cross from Aunt Maggie Seale and family, bouquets from Mr. and Mrs. James Searle, wreath from Ralph McCormick, spray from Mrs. Ina Donovan, spray from Mrs. and Mrs. Pearl McKemie, bouquet from Mr. and Mrs. George Hazelwood, and sprays from Percy Dalton, D. Girvan and Mrs. W. Haines and family.

HAVE TEA AND SALE

Church of England Institute Ladies in Charge of Event Today.

The Church of England Institute prepared to enter to a large number of patrons this afternoon, when the ladies of the institution, under the general co-operation of Mrs. Norman Gregory, will hold a tea and sale. Mrs. F. J. G. Knowlton assisted Mrs. Gregory. Mrs. E. Allan Schofield, president, will receive the guests. Mrs. C. Gordon Lawrence and Mrs. E. T. Sturdee are to preside and the following will assist in various ways: Mrs. H. Russell Sturdee and Miss Kathleen Sturdee, replenishers; Mrs. William McAvity, Mrs. W. Douglas, Mrs. H. Frank and Mrs. W. F. Menton, fume cooking table; Miss Doreen McAvity, Miss E. Gilbert, Miss Eleanor Day, Miss Elizabeth Foster, Miss Marjorie Pearce, Miss B. Pearce, Miss Zela Lamoureux, Miss Ruth Clarke, Miss E. St. John, Miss Elizabeth Armstrong, Miss Grace Estey, Miss Anne Armstrong, Pussycat and Miss M. St. John. The sale will be held on Friday morning to St. James church, Soudou.

EASTER PAGEANT IN NORTH END CHURCH

Presented by Jessie Chipman Mission Circle of Portland Methodist.

An Easter pageant, "The Spirit of Easter," was given by the Jessie Chipman Mission Circle of the Portland Methodist church last evening at the public Easter meeting of the W. M. S. The successful entertainment was under the direction of Mrs. George Hartshorn and Miss Etta Bell. Mrs. H. A. Goodwin, wife of the pastor, led the devotional service, and Mrs. Allan Lingley gave the Easter lesson. Mrs. Charles Cowan gave a reading, and the choir of the church sang an anthem.

The pageant depicted the story of hope, light, love, life, joy and peace that Easter brings. The soloists were Miss Elsie Spencer, Miss Cora Carr, Mrs. Robert McConnell and Mrs. Hartshorn. Miss Annie Calhoun was accompanist. Those taking part and the countries and characters they represented were: Miss Etta Bell, herald; Miss Ollie Maxwell, India; Miss Marie Chown, child widow; Mrs. Walter Vincent, Mexico; Miss Doris Bromfield, Turkey; Miss Lucilla Sargent, North American Indian; Miss Greta Robinson, Mohammedan; Miss Anna Ally, Siam; Miss Harriet Wright, Japan; Miss Rose Rowley, Korea; Miss Maria Tower, China; Miss Elsie Wilson, Italy; Miss May Corbett, Africa; Miss Laura Fanjoo, Spirit of Easter; her attendants, light, love, life, joy, hope and peace, Miss Nan McDougall, Miss Emma Chown, Miss Elizabeth Kennedy, Miss Elsie Spencer, Miss Lucilla Bromfield.

C. W. L. HAS BRIDGE

Many Enjoy Pleasant Function Held in Knights of Columbus Rooms.

One hundred tables of bridge and forty-five were enjoyed at the Knights of Columbus' rooms last evening, under the auspices of the Cathedral Division of the Saint John Catholic Women's League. Mrs. P. P. Brennan was general convenor for the function, which was an unqualified success. Those winning prizes at bridge were Mrs. Fred Conroy, Miss Helen Corbery, and Messrs. J. T. Mc Givern and Frank McManus. The winners at forty-fives were Mrs. Eben Wallace and F. Conroy. The money raised will be for the gymnasium for girls, conducted by the league in St. Vincent's school. There was a large committee, assisting in entertaining the many patrons last evening.

WAS MILLINER HERE

Mrs. L. B. Carroll, formerly in business in Saint John, is dead.

Many in Saint John will be sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. L. B. Carroll, which occurred on last Sunday in Summerside, P. E. I. Mrs. Carroll was very well known in Saint John some 30 years ago when she conducted a millinery store in Union street in the building then owned and occupied by the late Dr. H. G. Addy, near the corner of Charlotte street. Of recent years she had been living in the United States, chiefly in Seattle, Washington. She was 84 years old.

Mrs. Carroll is survived by one son, John, whose home is in New York; one brother, Michael L. May, of this city, and one sister, Mrs. A. Carr, of Santa Cruz, California. Interment took place at Summerside.

Wireless Carries Iceberg Reports

The Signal Service at Saint John has received the following reports:—
47.36 N. 57-17 W. to Lat. 47.40 N. Long. 59.58 W. a few scattered growlers; from last position, 47.50 N. 60.05 W. heavy close packed ice.
St. Paul Island—packed ice to south-east.
Fame Point—no ice in sight.
Grindstone, Pleasant Bay and Magdalen Island—no ice in sight.
Ice Breaker "Milkula" passed Fame Point at 6:30 a.m. (P. E. S. T.), bound out on ice patrol in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Position 8 a.m., six miles north of Cape De Rozé. No ice from Montreal to last position.
Cape Race, April 14—Patrol ship in 48.45 N. 49.25 W., lying alongside berg with five growlers in vicinity. Sarg. 48.50 N. 49.45 W.

As Hiram Sees It

"Well, sir," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to The Times reporter, "I thought a feller that went fer a fifty cent dinner an' et up two dollars' wuth o' grub was in a class by himself—but I guess he ain't."

"He has imitations, no doubt," said the reporter.

"Yes, sir," said Hiram, "but he's got some o' em kin put him under the table. Now you see the folks that pays fer a dollar's wuth o' music—mebbe two dollars' wuth-an' then keeps on applaudin' till they git about ten dollars' wuth. If they was relyin' on the singers an' players how much they thought of 'em it 'ud be all right—but the way they git wuth it, they work the poor things to death so they kin git more'n their money's wuth. It ain't right. The sassy fer the prevention o' crookery orto be notified an' have a p'liceman right there on the job—yes, sir."

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