

MAYOR HOLDS TO STAND TAKEN ON MEMORIAL SITE

Delegation Hearing Feature
of Council Meeting This
Afternoon

FIRE CHIEF ISSUE
MAY BE FORCED

Chief Executive Says He Has
Plan in Mind to End
Deadlock

Mayor Potts said this morning that the delegation from the War Memorial committee would be heard this afternoon in regard to the site for the monument. He indicated that so far as he was concerned the council had finished with the matter, but as a matter of courtesy and delegation desiring a hearing at city hall would be heard.

In August of last year the sub-committee of the memorial committee met the members of the council and discussed the matter of site. At that time they asked for the site at the head of King street, where the memorial fountain stands, but objection to this was voiced by some members of the council, and at a second meeting of the council and the sub-committee they asked for a place in the triangular plot opposite the Admiral Beatty hotel and this was granted by the council.

Early in April the exact spot for the location of the monument was staked out, and then opposition arose to placing it there, and again a demand was made for the site where the fountain stands.

Delegation Heard

Later a large delegation of citizens, numbering 100, called at city hall and presented their claim for the removal of the memorial fountain, backed by permission for the removal from the W. C. T. U. who were responsible for its erection.

Some days after this delegation had met the council the matter was again taken up and the council adopted a resolution that the Memorial Committee could have any site in the King Square not now occupied by a monument.

Following this action by the council, a meeting of the memorial committee was held in the Board of Trade rooms and it was decided to approach the council again and ask for a reconsideration of this resolution and the granting of the site occupied by the fountain.

Fire Chief

Another matter to come up this afternoon is the appointment of a fire chief. His Worship said this morning that he had discussed the matter with the members of the council and told them that a chief had to be appointed today. He did not say just what course he would pursue, but did say that he had a plan in mind to break the existing deadlock. It was said he had in mind the exercising of the power of the council to elect another ballot in the case of a tie vote.

Improvements At Public Hospital

Improvements are under way, inside and outside, at the General Public Hospital.

The walls were tiled half way up before it was found that no paint or wall finish would well withstand the heat and steam of the cooking. The new tiles are being carried right up to the ceiling so that there will be no paint to peel off. The tiling on one wall has been finished already.

Outdoor Work

The outside improvements have included the seeding of a lawn and the lower terrace in front of the hospital where the row of silver poplars was planted last fall. Every one of the trees has come through the winter without mishap and they are all budding nicely. The garden has the flower beds all in readiness for planting and the whole appearance of the grounds is very attractive.

CABLE TRANSFER.

MONTREAL, May 5.—Cable transfer 485-9-8.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

BIRTHS

HARNED—On May 4, at the Evangeline Maternity Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Harned, a son, Edward Maurice.

COLGAN—To Mr. and Mrs. David Colgan, at their residence, 65 Parks street, on May 4, a son.

DEATHS

SPRAGUE—At 75 Thorne avenue, on May 4, 1925, Rhona Maude, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sprague, leaving behind her parents, her brother to marry, and her sister, a son, Rhona Maude, aged 2 years, leaving his wife to mourn.

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IN MEMORIAM

SMITH—In sad and loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Smith, who departed this life May 2, 1922. Gone, but not forgotten.

SUN AND DAUGHTERS.

Want Earlier Shad Fishing

ACTING at the request of local fishermen, J. Fred Belyea, West Saint John, telegraphed this morning to Hon. P. J. Gardin, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, requesting that the season for shad open on May 9, and not on May 16 as it stands at present. The reason for this is that shad are now making their appearance in the harbor waters, and the local fishermen are desirous of losing no time in their catches. A reply from the minister is being awaited with a good deal of interest by the fishermen here.

C. N. R. OFFICIAL DIES ON WAY TO FUNERAL

Owen Cameron, 70, Succumbs
Soon After Collapsing on
Moncton Tracks.

MONTCTON, May 5.—While on his way to attend the funeral of Robert Murphy this morning, Owen Cameron, an official of the C. N. R. here, met sudden death. Mr. Cameron had gone to his office apparently in his usual good health and was walking along the track when he collapsed about 3.30 o'clock. He was picked up, and Dr. H. H. Coleman summoned. Mr. Cameron lived only a few minutes. Death was attributed to heart failure.

The late Mr. Cameron was about 70 years of age and a native of Halifax. He had lived in this city about 50 years and had been in the employ of the Government Railway system about 50 years, having entered the employ of the old European and North American Railway in Halifax.

Mr. Cameron was well known in Saint John. He was here only a week ago and was warmly greeted by friends. He was one of the oldest employees of the C. N. R. and was considered an expert in freight matters. He expected that several of the C. N. R. officials from here will go to Moncton to attend the funeral.

Canadian Canoeist Is At Tiber's Mouth

ROME, May 5.—George S. Smyth, Canadian canoeist, now on the last lap of his paddling trip from London to Rome, reached Fiumicino, on the mouth of the Tiber, last evening, and was given a great welcome by Roman canoeists. Smyth probably will leave Fiumicino early Wednesday and arrive in the Italian capital late afternoon.

SEES CO-OPERATION AS ONE-SIDED PLAN

Financial Times Thinks C. N. R.
Would Benefit More Than C.P.
Under Thornton Idea.

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, May 5.—The Financial Times, a morning paper, Independent, alluding to suggestions made by Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railway, for co-operation between the government-owned railway and the Canadian Pacific Railway, with a view to eliminating some of the unnecessary and costly competition between the two lines, says it is plain that any such action, if it led to any material saving in expenditure, would be much more beneficial to the National Railway than to the C. P. R., "which the stockholders of the latter may be pardoned for regarding as a one-sided proposition."

Freights Particularly.

The Financial Times says further: "In this connection it is significant that a well-informed section of the Canadian public is coming round to the opinion that the government contemplates something in the nature of freeing out the C. P. R. The suggestion to embrace only the passenger traffic in the co-operation scheme strikes the Financial Times as farcical, since there is more room for economy in the freight department."

Hold Bootleg Profits Not Subject to Tax

OTTAWA, May 5.—The Supreme Court of Canada today gave a unanimous judgment allowing the appeal of Cecil Smith of Windsor, Ont., against the judgment of the Exchequer Court, which ruled that his profits from bootlegging were subject to income tax.

RECEIVER NAMED

LONDON, May 5.—A receiver was appointed today for Gould Steamships and Industries, Limited, shipbuilders, ship owners, and iron workers, with capital of £2,000,000.

EMIGRE KILLED

SOFIA, May 5.—Newspaper dispatches today report one Bulgarian emigre killed and another severely wounded in a fight near the Bulgarian-Yugoslav border between emigres and Bulgarian troops.

THE DOLLAR TODAY

NEW YORK, May 5.—Sterling exchange firm, Great Britain 48½; France 524; Italy 410¼; Germany 23.80. Canadian dollars 1-32 of one cent, premium.

MONTREAL, May 4.—Leonidas

Herbert Davidson, chancellor of the Anglican diocese of Montreal, and the older member of the Montreal bar died at his home here last evening in his 83rd year. Mr. Davidson was born in Toronto.

IN DEATH GRIP PLUNGE IN AUTO OVER BRIDGE

Pair Struggling in Auto as
It Falls From
Viaduct

BRITISH VETERAN
ONE OF VICTIMS

Attacks Driver of Car in Re-
venge for Fancied
Grievance

NEW YORK, May 5.—While two men struggled for life in a big touring car on the Central Bridge over Harlem River, the automobile plunged off the bridge and crashed to the pavement below, killing both occupants. The tragedy happened at 156th street, just west of the bridge proper. The speeding machine dashed off 12 feet of double guard rail at the viaduct's edge, leaped four and fell 65 feet through a fence, 16 feet high, around a coal yard.

William C. Swenk, athlete, who was driving the car, as carried with it and was instantly killed when it crashed. William Ashworth, of West 164th street, a British war veteran, four times decorated for valor, who attacked the driver, was crushed to death as the motor smashed through the guard rail. Pantus Lyons, of West 162nd street, companion of Ashworth, was detained by the police for interrogation.

Out of the conflicting statements came the single agreement that Ashworth, while intoxicated, leaped on the running board of Swenk's machine, and without warning or reason struck him and tried to pull him out of the car. Swenk fought to free himself and lost control of the car, which swerved and ripped through the guard rail. According to one story Ashworth is said to have been under the impression that the car was the same one which just previously had struck him as it passed at a high rate of speed, and he was seeking revenge when he jumped on the running board.

POWER CO. BOARD SAME AS LAST YEAR

Directors Are Re-elected at
Annual Meeting—Report on
Services Submitted.

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Power Company was held yesterday afternoon, and directors were re-elected as follows: Walter C. Allison, president; J. L. L. Allison, vice-president; Richard Sullivan, E. N. Sanderson, president of the Federal Light and Traction Company of New York; J. C. Gerry of Providence, R. I., and M. A. Foster, Mr. Sanderson was elected president; M. A. Foster, vice-president and general manager, and John Oliver, secretary-treasurer.

Following routine business, the general manager reported to the board that for this year the company had 200 light customers over the corresponding period in 1924; also that the gas output of the plant for the year was 1,000,000 cubic feet, and that the power station output was greater so far this year than it was up to this date last year.

He also said that good progress was being made with the improvements to the gas plant, and that new rails were on hand for much of the new track work which had been authorized. This work is to start in the near future.

TELLS OF OFFERS OF FREE MEDICINE

Testimony Resumed in Murder
Trial of William D. Sheppard
in Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Testimony that William D. Sheppard, charged with the murder of William J. McKinley, his millionaire ward, went about offering free medicine from a box, carried in his clothing, was heard yesterday at the coroner's inquest. The testimony was given by Mrs. Maude Eaton Walker, of Ottumwa, Iowa, a cousin of young McKinley.

Dr. Charles Krusenacker, Mrs. McKinley's physician, testified he never prescribed mercury for Mrs. McKinley. A coroner's analysis showed mercury in deadly quantities in Mrs. McKinley's organs, a coroner's chemist had testified.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Dancing, Rockwood Park tonight. Parking space. 17383-5-6

FOR

Men's and boys' suits you can save money at Basen's, 17-19 Charlotte St.

COURT LOG CABIN 1761 I. O. F. Members are requested to meet this evening at 8 o'clock sharp in Orange Hall, Market Building, E. J. Todd, Secretary Hall Committee. 17383-5-6

Dance (old time) Victoria Hall Wednesday. 17345-5-6

ATTENTION LOCAL 1039 I. L. A. Regular meeting Wednesday, May 6, 8 p.m. Business of importance. By order, President. 17362-5-7

BLINDS AND CURTAINS

And all your shopping for less money.—At Basen's, Ltd., 17-19 Charlotte St.

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More Grain Out in April

ACCORDING to an official report from the C. P. R., there was more grain handled here during April, this year, than in the corresponding month in 1924. There were 2,197,208 bushels sent forward from their elevators in West Saint John, while last year 1,772,692 bushels were shipped. The total amount of grain shipped from their two elevators last season was 15,004,023, while this year 10,642,593 bushels were sent forward. There are 437,920 bushels still in the elevators, while at this time last year both were cleaned out.

HEAVY RAIN AT NOON

Wind Comes at 31 Miles an
Hour—Schools Have One
Session.

A driving rainstorm which set in with special velocity at noon today just as work people were starting for home in general from Montreal down through Quebec including all Maritime points. School children in this city were held over until one o'clock and dismissed for the day. There was a great scurrying of the juveniles to escape a drenching on their way home.

The weather bureau, Douglas avenue, reports the wind at 22 miles an hour during the early forenoon but it jumped to 31 miles between 12 and 1 o'clock, lashing the outer harbor and Courtenay Bay into a white rage. The wind blew southeast dashed the high tide over the wharves.

The bluster puffed down chimney, and did some havoc with open fire places and stoves. Aside from being a beneficial spring rain the sweeping sheets of water, blown by the high wind, had the effect of washing streets and flushing gutters.

PEACE STAGE IS SET

Nova Scotia Body Ready to
Hear Arbitration Views Aired
by Parties.

HALIFAX, May 4.—The stage was set tonight for the public hearing to be accorded the industrial peace bill, involving a form of compulsory arbitration in the settlement of labor disputes, before the Laws and Privileges Committee of the House of Assembly tomorrow.

But Premier Armstrong stated tonight that he had the been advised as to whether or not either party to the wage struggle in the Nova Scotia pulp industry would accept the bill. Premier added that he knew of no new development in the situation.

Local News

CHIMNEY FIRE

The North End fire department was given a run this afternoon for a chimney fire at the corner of Bentley street and Douglas avenue. The alarm was rung in from Box 127 about 1.30 but on arriving at the scene the men found their services were not needed.

WM. CHITICK SEEN.

William Chitick, the 66-year old man who left the Municipal Home recently, was seen by an automobile driver on the Musquash road on Sunday afternoon. He said he was going to Little River to visit relatives there and the motorist gave him a lift part of the way.

THEIR CHILD DEAD.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sprague, of 79 Thorne avenue, were shocked yesterday to mourn the loss of their infant daughter, Rhona Maude. Besides the parents there is one brother. The funeral was held this afternoon, with interment in the Methodist burying ground.

CASE STANDS.

A case against Charles Kelly, reported by City Constable J. J. Merryfield for speeding, came before Magistrate Henderson in the police court yesterday afternoon and after evidence was given, the report was allowed to stand. There was considerable contradictory evidence given. E. J. Henneberry appeared for the man reported.

ST. JOHN SHOPPING PUBLIC.

Lovely New Spring Things; \$1.00 to \$2.50 Saved on Every \$10.00 Purchase!

Wonderful new merchandise is here for you at a saving of 10 per cent to 25 per cent on every purchase during this year's 30th anniversary.

This is your opportunity; but there are only four more days to take advantage of it, as the event closes on Saturday.

The newest coats, suits, dresses, home furnishings and all other necessities all included in special anniversary prices this week. F. W. DANIEL & CO. London House.

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SERIOUS RESULTS NOT ANTICIPATED

Seven Year Old Clara Hawker,
Horsfield Street, Struck by
Automobile.

Clara Hawker, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hawker, 24 Horsfield street, was hurt yesterday afternoon, when an auto, driven by William Trentowsky, struck her and knocked her down at the corner of Charlotte and Princess streets. It was said the driver was not to blame, as he was not going fast and did not see the little girl, who ran in front of the car. She was conveyed to the General Public Hospital for treatment. A report last night was that she was not seriously injured, although she suffered severely from shock.

At noon today she was resting comfortably as could be expected and no serious results were expected, as no indication of internal injury could be found.

THREE SALES HELD

Ladies Busy at Rummage Events
For Several Good
Objects.

Holy Trinity ladies had a unique experience after announcing their rummage sale for today at the corner of Brunswick and Prince Edward streets. While there arranging their goods yesterday the crowds surged into the store and business began long before the allotted time. All yesterday afternoon and again today the ladies were busy. The workers were conveyed by Mrs. J. H. Cavanaugh and Mrs. J. V. Taylor, assisted by Mrs. P. Foster, Mrs. T. C. Fox, Mrs. John E. Owens, Mrs. D. Galloway, Mrs. P. McCarthy, Mrs. M. Peters, Mrs. P. Graman, Miss Gertrude McManus, Miss M. Doherty, Miss M. Sullivan, Mrs. James A. Donovan, Mrs. J. Yarde, Miss M. Conlin, Mrs. James Burke.

Royal Arms Chapter.

Queen Square Theatre lobby was the centre of a successful rummage sale this morning, under the auspices of the Royal Arms Chapter, I. O. D. E., with Mrs. W. E. Keay as general convener. She was assisted by Mrs. Fred Z. Fowler, Mrs. William Taylor, Miss Daisy Stephenson, Mrs. W. H. Anderson, Mrs. John McConnell. The patronage was good.

Mission Church.

Miss Lillian Hazen convoked a rummage sale held this afternoon in the Mission church school room. A committee of ladies from the Animal Rescue League, under whose auspices the sale was held, assisted. The money raised will be used for the work of the league.

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The fight against Pyorrhea is a fight against the most common and most dangerous of all dental diseases. It is a disease that attacks 4 out of 5 people at one time or another. It is a disease that is often overlooked until it is too late. It is a disease that can be prevented by the use of Forhan's.

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Examinations In Teacher Training

The Y. P. A. of the Carleton Methodist church met in the class room last evening with Clarence Beattie, president, in the chair, and Miss Marguerite Barrett at the piano. In the absence of the secretary Miss Abbie Mason called the roll.

The following took the examinations for the teachers' training class conducted by their pastor, Rev. Mr. Beattie, president, in the chair, and Miss Marguerite Barrett at the piano. In the absence of the secretary Miss Abbie Mason called the roll.

Misses M. Barrett, Abbie Mason, Gertrude and Ruth Ferguson, Hilda Tippet, Eva Adams, Margaret Henderson, Florence Riggs, Arthur and Charlie Long, Eldon Fletcher, Leonard Riggs, George Warden, Clarence Beattie, Edwin Williams.

Seats Go Quickly For "Charm School"

Those who are intending to secure good seats for "The Charm School," to be staged in St. Vincent's Auditorium on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, are advised to secure them today, as the advance sale has been very busy. The play will be in aid of St. John's church at East Saint John.

Go to Ceremonial At Annapolis Royal

A. G. Burnham will leave tomorrow for Annapolis Royal to represent the New Brunswick Historical Society at the unveiling of an oil painting of the late General Sir Frederick Williams, a famous British general who was born there. The ceremony will take place there tomorrow and an elaborate programme has been drawn up.

PERSONALS

Mrs. William Pugsley is opening her Rotherham home this week to take up residence there for the summer. She is somewhat improved in health.

Mrs. H. B. Peck of East Saint John, has gone to Washington, D. C., to attend the meetings of the quinquennial of the International Council of Women.

The Countess of Ashburnham, Fredericton, has almost completely recovered from her recent illness, and is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McLellan, of Fredericton, who arrived in London recently from France, will sail on Wednesday of this week on the Celtic for Boston, en route home, accompanied by their daughter, Mr. McLellan's health has improved considerably.

Miss Besse Seymour of Fredericton, came to Saint John this week to take a position here. A farewell party for her was given at the home of her mother, Mrs. William Seymour.

Mrs. Vernon Johnson of Grand Manan, is visiting here with her daughter, Mrs. Sydney Bishop, St. James street.

Mrs. Harold Maher, who underwent an operation last Monday, is reported to be improving rapidly in the General Public Hospital.

Funerals

Mrs. Catherine Murphy.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Murphy, widow of James Murphy, was held this morning from her late residence, 81 Brittain street, to St. John's Baptist Church for high mass of requiem sung by Rev. Arthur Kinsella at 9 o'clock. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery. The floral tributes were numerous and the spiritual offerings were very pretty.

Guy Clifford Wannamaker.

The funeral of Guy Clifford Wannamaker was held this afternoon from his late residence at Nauwigewauk, to Hampton Station, for interment in the cemetery there. Service was conducted by Rev. W. J. Johnston, pastor of the Coburg street Christian Church. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

Mrs. Thomas Butler.

The funeral of Mrs. Emily Butler, wife of Thomas Butler, was held today from 186 Metcalf street, to St. Peter's Church where high mass of requiem was sung by her nephew, Rev. Joseph Butler, Rev. Francis Hill, C. S. R., was deacon and Rev. T. O'Sullivan, C. S. R., sub-deacon. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery. Four brothers and two brothers-in-law of Mrs. Butler were pall bearers.

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