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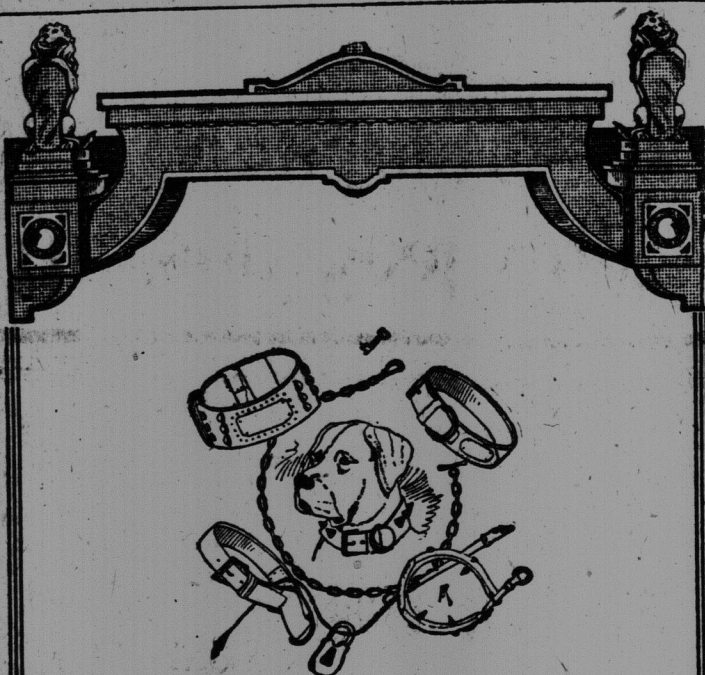
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## HON. MR. VENIOT SUGGESTS BOARD MEET IN MONCTON

Communicates With Premier  
King on C. N. R.  
Matter

Would Have Management  
Board Hold Session in the  
Railway Town to Consider  
Claims of Maritime  
Provinces re Division Extension.

Moncton, N. B., Feb. 27.—F. E. Denison, president of the Moncton Board of Trade, was this morning in communication with Premier Veniot over the long distance telephone in connection with the boundaries of the eastern division of the C. N. R. The Premier informed Mr. Denison that he had already wired Premier Mackenzie King relative to the matter and asked him if it would be possible to have a meeting of the board of management of the C. N. R. held in Moncton at an early date to consider the claims of the maritime provinces to have their division extended to Montreal.

Premier Veniot emphasized the fact that the rights of the maritime provinces must be respected and he was assured by Premier King that such would be the case. Mr. Veniot is now in Fredericton and it is business possible for him to be able to leave there by the Transcontinental on Friday morning and reach Amherst in time for the Board of Trade meeting on Friday afternoon.

## YOUTHS CAUGHT; GET AWAY AGAIN

Boys From Industrial Home  
Taken at Harvey Station,  
But Regain Freedom.

Superintendent Parker of the Boys' Industrial Home received word last night that John Cunningham, who escaped from the home on Thursday night had been captured at Harvey Station. Arrangements for sending someone to get them were well under way when there came the intelligence that they had again escaped and at the time of going to press were still at large. They are thought to be heading for McAdam where the McAdam police have been warned to be on the look out for them. Cunningham belongs to Chatham and McFarland to St. Andrews.

## SUMMER GAME IN AMHERST TONIGHT

U. N. B. vs. Kings, With  
Twaddle Referee—The  
Maritime Championship.

Amherst, N. S., Feb. 27.—U. N. B. and Kings hockeyists are in town and both teams are in good shape for tonight's game for the Maritime trophy which will start at 8:15.

Jack Twaddle will handle the game. Twaddle has been given a lot of attention to games in the N. B. and P. E. I. League this winter and the fans and players have been well pleased with his work.

Following the game there will be a dance for the college players and followers at the rose and gray.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 27.—The trustees of the Maritime provinces hockey championship, are said to be considering an extension from March 8 to 16 of the time limit in which the games may be played. This is thought to be due to complaints from those interested who do not think the play-off can be accomplished before March 8. No decision has been arrived at yet.

## REAL ESTATE NEWS

The following real estate transfers have been recorded recently:

F. A. Cunningham and others to Florence A. Cunningham, property in Lancaster.

H. C. Chadwick to F. H. Huckle, property in Lancaster.

Lizzie S. Johnston to W. H. Laskey, property in Spring street.

J. J. Maynes to G. W. Morrell, property in City road.

Amelia Reid and husband to Millie Isaacs, property in Orange street.

**Kings County.**

Elizabeth Brown to J. W. Smith, property in Hampton.

Canadian Credit Men's Trust Association to R. H. Gifford, property in Cardwell.

W. W. Carmichael to Marion Carmichael, property in Clifton.

Vassie & Co. to W. G. Husley, property in Cardwell.

**PREMIER HOME.**

Hon. W. E. Foster returned from Ottawa yesterday. He was a member of the city delegation which went to urge upon the government the need for the extension of the Negro Train Breakwater and additional grain handling facilities. He said yesterday that success would depend upon the demands which would be made when the supplementary estimates were brought down. During his visit in Toronto Mr. Foster met Premier Drury and talked over with him matters of common interest. Premier Veniot and Mr. Foster interviewed Premier King with reference to the government taking over the Valley Railway.

## LOCAL NEWS

### READY AGAIN

The city ambulance, which has been laid up since Saturday having the engine overhauled and other repairs made will be ready to go into commission again tonight.

### WELCOMED BACK

Sergeant-Detective John T. Power received a warm welcome back to the police station this morning after a brief illness brought on by a heavy cold.

### TWO HOURS LATE

The Boston train was reported running two hours late today. The delay was said to have been occasioned on the Maine Central.

### TRADE INQUIRY.

An inquiry was received by the local Board of Trade this morning from a prominent export firm in Liverpool wishing a list of our principal importers. This list is being forwarded.

### YOUNG SON DEAD

The sympathy of friends will be extended to Mrs. and Mrs. John Leyden, 41 Hillyard street, in the death of their three-year-old son, Harold M., which occurred yesterday. Besides his parents he leaves four brothers.

### THEIR CHILD DEAD.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Stackhouse, 192 Canterbury street, will sympathize with them in the death of their little daughter, Evelyn E., aged fifteen months. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

### SERIOUS ACCIDENTS

Frederick Gleaner.—Miss Helen Crockett, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Crockett suffered the fracture of both bones of one leg while coasting on College Hill. Miss Doris Bait, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bait, Brunswick street, fell and fractured her leg while skating on Saturday afternoon.

### SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

A special meeting of the Municipal Council is called for tomorrow afternoon at 8:30 o'clock to deal with reports of the bills and by-laws committee and the committee of finance and accounts. The principal item of business is the consideration of a proposed bill calling for the appointment of a permanent committee for the Board of Assessors for St. John county.

### MRS. W. L. MAGEE.

Many friends will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Marion E. Magee, wife of William L. Magee, which occurred this morning at her residence, 68 Elliott Row, after a lingering illness. Besides her husband she leaves two sons, Frederick and Charles, of Walkerville, Ont., and one sister, Mrs. H. Duchamp, of New Brunswick. The funeral will take place at Middleton, N. S.

### MRS. CHARLES McBETH

The death of Mrs. Annie McBeth, wife of Charles McBeth, occurred this morning at her home, Public Landing. Besides her husband she is survived by one brother, Richard Leonard, of Wexford. The funeral will be held on Wednesday at 1 p.m. from her late residence. Many friends will regret to learn of her death.

### FROM WEST INDIES.

The R. M. S. P. Chaudiere arrived last night from Bermuda and the British West Indies and docked this morning at 8:30 o'clock at the Pictouville wharf. She carried a fairly large cargo of general merchandise and molasses, as well as 1,000 tons of raw sugar. Twenty-eight passengers, eleven first, eleven second and six third class, arrived. This number included four for Newfoundland, two for London and five Chinese en route to Hong Kong under escort. The bodies of two dead were also brought here for burial. The trip was uneventful.

### BOSTON AND MAINE

## TRAIN DERAILED

### Cars Down Bank to River

Ice—Mail Clerks Reported  
Seriously Hurt.

Orange, Mass., Feb. 27.—The Boston and Maine passenger train between Greenfield and Boston, leaving Greenfield about 6 a.m., left the track here this morning and the passenger coaches went down the bank into Miller's river. The engine and tender remained on the track at 1 p.m. from where they derailed. It is understood that no lives were lost, but some passengers were injured. The accident is said to be due to spreading rails.

Two mail clerks, the conductor and the baggage-master were injured, the mail clerks seriously, according to word received at the railroad offices here.

Rounding a curve a quarter mile west of the railroad station, the engine safely passed a switch leading to a spur track, but the tender wheels left the rails, broke away from the engine and, taking the cars with them, went down the fifteen foot embankment to the ice of the river. When the derailed cars stopped two were resting on the ice and the third, the day coach was on the bank. The ice was thick enough to support the cars until all their occupants escaped.

## Across Ocean For 104th Time

### North Sydney Man Has Missed Only One Trip in 53 Years.

North Sydney, N. S., Feb. 27.—Making his 104th trip across the Atlantic, Thomas Voight, head of the Voight Bros., North Sydney, sailed from Halifax yesterday for England on the Ausonia. Mr. Voight came to Canada from England fifty-three years ago and since that time has missed only one yearly visit, in 1917, when during the submarine campaign, the sailing for which he had engaged passage was cancelled. Mr. Voight is 75 years of age. Day in and day out he rises at 6 o'clock and, except on holidays, is actively at work in the firm's department store at seven o'clock. He will visit a brother and sister in England while on his present buying trip.

## CANADIAN ORDER OF UNITED EMPIRE

Count de Fronsac in St John  
Today Tells of Meeting  
Here in March.

Count de Fronsac is in the city today en route from Nova Scotia to Toronto, in connection with the plan to reorganize the Canadian Order of the United Empire. He gave the Times the following information regarding the matter of great interest to United Empire Loyalists:—

"There will be an assembly of the families of the United Empire Loyalists in St. John the last of March, of which definite notice will be given later. The purpose of this assembly is to constitute in St. John the headquarters for the Maritime Provinces of the Canadian Order of the United Empire for the descendants of the said Loyalist families, under the original commission granted by the British Commander-in-Chief in America in 1776 (Gen. Sir Henry Clinton), in the name of His Majesty, King George III, to associate together for mutual defense of their chartered rights and privileges under the Crown, of the Loyalist Gentry and Yeomanry of the American Provinces who had rallied to the Royal Standard and had stood for Unity of Empire in America." In 1789, at Quebec, Baron Dorchester, Gov.-Gen. of British America, passed an Order-in-Council granting to these Loyalist Gentry and Yeomanry "a Mark of Honour" and a Registry for its transmission to the end that their descendants be distinguished from other settlers.

"Lord Dorchester, while Gov. as Sir Guy Carleton, in 1784, commanded the Registry to be taken of the Noblesse in the Province of Quebec, with their titles, feudal and armorial distinctions (a copy of which was sent to the British Government) he thus honorably carried out the provision in the Treaty of Montreal of 1760 (Art. 49), 'that the Registers of the Seigneurial Jurisdiction of Canada, with the papers attesting the race, rank and arms of families shall be maintained in the department to which those papers belong.' As these families, united with those of the Loyalist Registry of the Gentry and Yeomanry, constitute the Noblesse, and as they had a corporate right to organize for their continuance as an Order under the Crown in Canada, for the 'preservation of their chartered rights and privileges,' their various Orders have united the collection of their Registers, which is termed 'The College of Arms of the Noblesse in Canada.'"

"The family of Baron Dorchester in England, desirous to assist and encourage as much as possible in the maintenance of these legal rights, has given a fund for the manufacture of a decoration which is to go with the diploma attesting the title and feudal rank and loyalist degree of families registered under the provision of the Treaty of 1760 and the Order-in-Council of 1786 in The College of Arms of the Noblesse."

"This decoration was approved by Sir A. Scott Gatty, Garter-King of Arms in 1909 and the dies were made by the Royal Jeweler, Maker to the King and to the Order of the Garter. This decoration will be exhibited at the March assembly, and those entitled to it will be instructed how to proceed to obtain it. The dies are in charge of the Herald-Marshal and Registrar-General of the College of Arms of the Noblesse."

"The Canadian Pacific steamship Minnedosa arrived off the Island early this afternoon from Havre, Antwerp and Southampton and was expected to dock at No. 3 and 4 piers at St. John between three and four o'clock. She brought 187 cabin and 464 third class passengers in addition to 1,800 packages of mail and parcel post and over 1,700 tons of general cargo. One of the most prominent passengers on board was Lady Curzon Howe, who is enroute to Montreal to attend the wedding of her son. The passengers will be taken forward this evening to their destinations in two special trains."

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## Former St. John Man Dead in China

Frederick A. Belyea, 72 Prince street, West St. John, has received a cablegram from Shanghai, China, announcing the death there yesterday of his brother, Alexander U. Belyea. Mr. Belyea was a native of St. John, a son of the late Uriah Belyea, for many years a letter carrier in the city. He left here twenty-seven years ago for China and had been in business there ever since. He was fifty-two years of age, and was survived by his wife and one child, residing in Shanghai; one brother in West St. John, and three sisters, residing in the United States. Mr. Belyea was a member of the Masonic order.

## SENT UP FOR TRIAL

Arthur Connors, charged with fraudulent conversion and theft was this morning committed to stand trial. The alleged theft was in connection with a number of raincoats which it is said the accused took, promising to return the coats or to the money for them. He is alleged to have failed to do either. Hugh Mason pleaded in the police court this morning to charges of being drunk and assaulting John Mitchell. When asked where he got the liquor he said Mitchell got it for him. He was remanded.

George O'Dell pleaded guilty to being drunk and said he had no recollection of having used threatening language when this charge was put to him. He also was remanded.

## "NICKY" IS FREED

New York, Feb. 27.—Jules W. (Nicky) Arnstein, and four of the five men who were arrested with him on Friday on suspicion of having received stolen bonds were discharged by Magistrate Levine yesterday when assistant District Attorney Wilson admitted he had no evidence against them.

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