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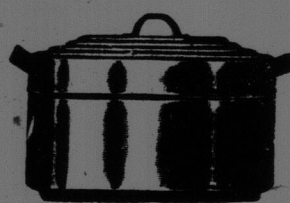
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MARITIME CASE BASIS AGREED ON AT TRADE BOARD

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NOT SEEKING ALMS BUT DEBT PAYMENT

Economic Readjustment Committee Hears Detail From W. F. Burditt

The committee of the Board of Trade which is studying the question of the readjustment of the economic status of the Maritime Provinces in the Dominion met last evening at the Board of Trade and gave careful consideration to the material prepared by W. F. Burditt, chairman of the committee, and decided on the basis of their claim.

BASIS AGREED ON.

Mr. Burditt made an exhaustive research into the history of the entry of these provinces into Confederation. After going over this material the committee decided that the basis of their claim for consideration at the hands of the Dominion should be the figures quoted by J. D. McKenna at Moncton when he produced evidence that, so far from these provinces being indebted to the rest of the Dominion, Canada was deeply in the debt of these provinces.

It was felt that the committee had a strong case and could prove that so far from going to the Parliament of Canada as a suppliant for alms when they asked for development of Maritime ports and an opportunity to trade on equal terms with manufacturers in Central Canada, they were merely asking the repayment of a just debt.

TO PREPARE REPORT.

The committee have sent a request to Mr. McKenna for copies of his address at the Moncton meeting and will meet again soon to prepare their report for the Charlottetown conference, to be held November 4 and 5.

ORGANIZE CENTRAL BAPTIST SOCIETY

B. Y. P. U. Being Formed and Tentative List of Officers Named.

Rev. James Dunlop, pastor of the Central Baptist Church, presided last evening at an organization meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union, held in the church hall. Officers were appointed temporarily for November only, until further plans can be developed. A program for meetings for November was outlined. The tentative officers are president, Clarence McCully; vice-president, Mrs. G. W. Stegman; secretary-treasurer, Charles Denton; registrar, Miss Mona Allard. Meetings are to be held every Monday evening except Thanksgiving. The first meeting, Nov. 23, Literary, Paul Prebble, and Nov. 30, social, Miss Laura Kelly. The prospects are very bright for a successful union, the president reports, the attendance for the initial venture being most encouraging.

TO NEW PASTORATE

Rev. J. A. Swetnam Accepts Call to Church in New Hampshire.

The many friends of Rev. John A. Swetnam, a former pastor of Waterloo street Baptist church here and Baptist chaplain at the General Public Hospital, will be pleased to learn that he has accepted an unanimous call of the Park street United Baptist church of Pittsfield, N. H., to become their pastor. This church has a good standing in the New Hampshire Baptist convention. It has a large membership with splendid church and parsonage property and is located in one of New Hampshire's progressive towns. Mr. Swetnam will commence his labors in Pittsfield on Nov. 15, with the best wishes of many friends.

TO BE FAREWELLED

Adjutant and Mrs. Wright to be Honored This Evening—Go to Toronto.

Major T. A. Burton, commandant of the Saint John division of the Salvation Army, will preside this evening at No. 1 Citadel, Charlotte street, when the combined corps of the city will bid farewell to Adjutant and Mrs. Wright, who have been here since last September, and who are taking up larger responsibilities in Montreal as divisional secretaries of young people's work. The Salvation Army band will furnish music. Adjutant and Mrs. Wright and their two daughters will leave the city on Thursday.

SAINT JOHN MEN SPEAK.

Two branches of the Laymen's Association of the Church of England were formed in Fredericton on Sunday. At the morning service at Christ Church Cathedral, Col. Beverly Armstrong of Saint John addressed the congregation on the Laymen's Work. In the evening C. C. Kirby of Saint John, district engineer of the C. P. R., spoke from the chancel steps on the work of the laymen.

ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, OCT. 27.

A.M. High Tide..... 8.03 P.M. High Tide..... 8.03

Low Tide..... 1.22 Low Tide..... 1.23

Sun Rises..... 6.56 Sun Sets..... 6.21

Local News

WAS TAKEN ILL.
James Merritt, 184 Canterbury street, was taken suddenly ill in Prince Edward street last evening about 11.30 o'clock and he was taken to the General Public Hospital. He was later able to be removed to his home.

WAS SUCCESSFUL.
A rummage sale held by the Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. O. E., this morning in the lobby of the Queen Square theatre was very successful, the sum of \$88 being taken within a short time after the goods were displayed. Mrs. F. J. G. Knowlton, vice regent, was in charge and the ladies of the chapter assisted.

JESSIE CHIPMAN CIRCLE.
The Jessie Chipman Circle of Portland United Church, held a parlor Baskin, 193 Paradise Row, last evening. Mrs. John Stephenson had charge of a devotional service. A social time was enjoyed and refreshments assisted by Mrs. F. Orr and Mrs. Jack Gilchrist.

MEDAL FOR SCOUT.
The second Boy Scout medal for life saving to be awarded in New Brunswick goes to Jack Fowler, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Fowler, of Fredericton, in recognition of his plucky act in rescuing Rena Bennett, eight-year-old daughter of the late Albert Bennett, from a watery grave in the St. John river last summer.

ENJOYED CARDS SOCIAL.
Royal Arcanum members here enjoyed a cards social last evening with about 40 members and their wives present. The ladies' prizes were won by Mrs. G. Carson and Miss Gladys Martin, while H. A. Porter and F. E. Wetmore won the men's prizes. A musical program was enjoyed, followed by the serving of refreshments.

DENTAL SOCIETY MEETS.
The monthly meeting of the Saint John Dental Society, held last evening at the Hotel St. John, was largely attended for several years and much enthusiasm was displayed. The meeting opened with a banquet at the Admiral Beatty hotel at 6.30, at which the president, Dr. J. F. Edgecombe, presided. A business meeting was begun at 8 o'clock. An interesting paper was given by Dr. J. B. Gosnell and discussed by the members.

HONORED AT SHOWER.
Mrs. C. R. G. Allaway and Mrs. N. L. Ford were business last evening at the latter's residence, 5 Hawthorne avenue, when the lady members of the staff of the Bank of Montreal gave a kitchen shower in honor of Miss A. O. Lamb, one of the staff, who is leaving to be married next month. The bride-elect was the recipient of a varied selection of many useful gifts.

SINGER IS ILL.
Miss Edith Shaw, who made her first general public appearance in the Imperial last evening his contracted a severe attack of laryngitis and will be unable to complete her engagement this week. Dr. W. E. Rowley is in attendance. The promising young vocalist had been suffering from cold for several days and a kitchen shower in her concert work last evening.

CARLETON Y. P. S.
The Y. P. S. of the Carleton United Church met last evening in the church hall and were led in devotional service by Miss Marguerite Barrett. Miss Eva Adams presented the topics of the day. Clarence Bestwick, president, took charge of the meeting and Rev. F. T. Bertram, pastor, gave a Bible study talk on "The Altar and its Offerings." Miss Helen Harrison, evangelist, presented plans were made to hold a social evening in two weeks.

GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY.
About 80 friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Sprague, members of Coburg street Christian church, called last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sprague, 26 Paradise Row, and tendered them a surprise party in honor of their recent marriage. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the guests of honor. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Sprague, who was assisted in serving by little Misses Freda and Florence Sprague, cousins of the young couple. Mrs. H. B. Sprague and Miss Muriel Leonard.

FAIRVILLE Y. P. S.
The Y. P. S. of the Fairville United Church held a successful meeting last evening in their church hall, with H. C. L. Sweet, in the chair. Rev. J. J. Pinkerton provided information on the work of the Christian Endeavor department to the respective members. It was decided to hold a play in the near future. A Halloween social will be the feature at next Monday's meeting and a supper and sale will be held in November. The young people also decided to form a badminton club.

As Hiram Sees It

TORONTO — Me an' the Dook o' Portlan' an' the big C. P. R. fellers in Saint John an' then up here to Toronto that somebody called him the Dook o' Portlan'—an' it stuck. Dan Steel he's the King o' Sherbrooke—so he's one lap ahead. Well, sir, they tell a great story about the Dook. He was showin' some big Grand Trunk feller round Portlan' one time when they met a little colored boy. The Dook he says: "Now we'll see what this kid he's to say." So he patted the boy on the head an' says: "Well, my little feller—an' what's your name?" They was a flash o' white teeth in that chony face an' the boy says, says he: "Me name is Clancy." The Dook haint got over it yet. An' that aint a George Ham story—nuther.

HIRAM.

VETERAN ACTOR REVISITS CITY

Thomas E. Shea Talks of Other Days in Theatricals

Recalls Lanergan — Says Saint John Won Good Name in U. S.

Cordially welcomed by many of a generation ago, Thomas E. Shea, one of the best known character actors in the United States and for the last five years a headliner in Keith vaudeville, arrived here yesterday to take the part of Cardinal Mercier in "Fires of Passion" at the Opera House next week.

"My last visit to Saint John was in 1913 or thereabouts when I brought my own company here, during which stay we played 'The Belle' and 'Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde,' said Mr. Shea this morning in an interview, "and I note many changes here, particularly your fine new hotel."

SPEAKS OF LANERGAN.
"My first visit to Saint John was more than 80 years ago and we played in the present Opera House. In those days this city had a most enviable reputation in the theatrical world and, in fact, it was a man who conducted stock companies here for many years who finally induced me when a lad to take up dramatics as a life profession. His name was James Lanergan and I know many of the older folk here will remember him well."

One of the first calls the veteran actor made was on A. O. Skinner, prominent King street merchant, to renew a friendship instituted many years ago when Mr. Skinner was interested in the Opera House. "It was men like Mr. Skinner," Mr. Shea remarked, "who helped build Saint John's great name. They were not satisfied unless they had the very best and when it was given them they patronized it loyally. In fact, this one of the outstanding characteristics, it seems to me, of the Canadian theatre-going public. They appreciate and recognize merit of the outstanding type and it used to be one of the joys and privileges of both my wife and myself to have an engagement in this city. It was largely because of this very warm personal regard I have for Saint John and other Canadian cities that I came down here to enact this part."

Leaving here, Mr. and Mrs. Shea will return to the Keith circuit and expect to be in the Southern States for the winter months.

MELITA CAPTAIN WELL KNOWN HERE

Capt. A. Freer, Successor to Captain-Clews, Often at This Port.

Captain A. Freer, who succeeds the late Captain A. H. Clews in command of the U. S. S. Albatross, which is off the Albatross when the war broke out, and was appointed first lieutenant when the liner was taken over by the Admiralty and made the flagship of the cruiser squadron in the North Sea. He was later given an executive position under three successive admirals who occupied this ship during the fleet's lonely vigil in the North Sea and while she was escorting convoys from America to England.

Captain Freer has seen service in the Allan Line and the Canadian Pacific for the last 24 years, during which time he has sailed as chief officer on the Laurentian, Pretorian, Ionian, Corsican, Victorian and Albatross. He has been in command of the Monmouth, Sicilian, Metagama, Pretorian, Tunisian and Montreal.

Captain Freer is well known in Saint John as he has been coming here each winter for many years in the company's steamers.

SAINT JOHN MAN IS RESCUED IN FIRE

P. A. McNeil Hangs to High Window Ledge Till Firemen Reach Him.

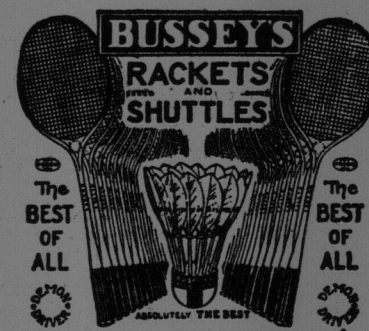
On October 23, in Detroit, Michigan, according to The Times newspaper of that city, a Saint John man, P. A. McNeil, performed a brave act by lowering himself by his hands from the ledge of a fourth floor window of a burning hotel and hanging there until firemen brought a ladder to relieve him from his perilous position. The Hotel Modicum was afire. One man was burned to death and many of the patrons were for a considerable time in danger of perishing also. People leaped from windows into rescue nets and it was a spectacular and melodramatic blaze in every way. Aside from the mention of McNeil's name in the paper received in this city, no news of P. A. McNeil could be gleaned here.

Several Sales Of Property Announced

The following real estate transfers are announced:
J. B. Beesley to Emma J. Weeks, property Winter street.
City of Saint John to Ellen Taylor, property Lancaster.
J. Hargrove to D. Belding, property Musquash.
A. G. McAvity to Imperial Oil Ltd., property Union and Prince Edward streets.
Executor of Irene M. Simonds to F. Hector, property Spar Cove road.

IS ADVANCING.

It will be gratifying intelligence to the friends of Arthur Walsh of North End to learn that he is now with one of the first companies presenting the popular piece "Rose Marie" in Philadelphia for a protracted run. At present he is understudying one of the principal roles, that of Sergeant Malone, and has been promised this characterization in a very few weeks, so marked has been his ability in the part.



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