

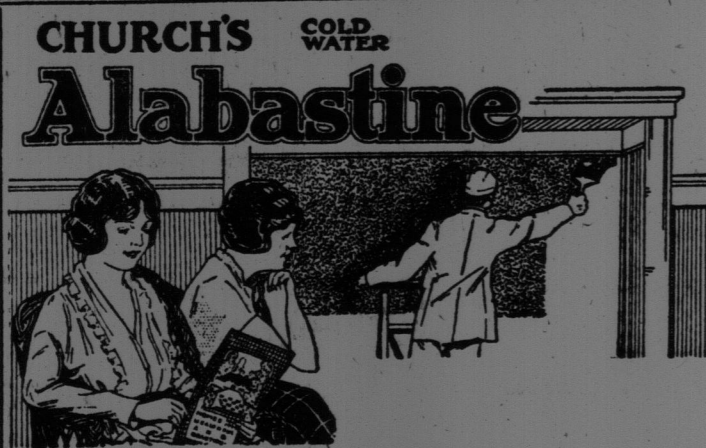
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WAS A VETERAN OF TWO WARS

Judson Robar Dead in South Africa—Was Engaged in Diamond Mining—Children in Fredericton.

(By Canadian Press) Fredericton, N. B., March 20—A cablegram received by Mrs. Herbert Hearne announced the death of her brother, Judson Robar, in Spring Kells Sanatorium, Morderfontein, South Africa, on Friday last at the age of 47 years. Mr. Robar was a native of Annapolis, N. S., and at the outbreak of the Boer war sailed with the First Canadian Contingent to South Africa. After the war he joined the South African Constabulary and married. He retired from the constabulary some years later and took up diamond mining which he carried on until the great war broke out in 1914 when he enlisted with the British forces and served in German West Africa. He later was sent to France where he served until the signing of the armistice. While he was in France his wife died. He returned to South Africa and took up diamond mining again at Brakton and remained there until the riots about two years ago. His health gave out and he went to the Spring Kells Sanatorium where he remained until his death. His four children arrived in Fredericton February 8.

Temperance People Gather At Capital

Delegation of One Hundred Will Discuss Prohibition Matters With Legislators.

Fredericton, N. B., Mar. 20—Members of the delegation of one hundred who are to appear in the Provincial Legislature tomorrow to discuss prohibition matters commenced to arrive in the city last night and this afternoon some of the leaders met to discuss their programme. It was learned today that R. T. Hayes, M. L. A., for St. John City, will introduce the delegation and the speakers will be Donald Fraser, president of the N. B. Temperance Alliance; His Lordship Bishop Richardson and Dr. J. M. Palmer, principal of Mount Allison Academy, and Dr. J. P. Premier Venket is expected to make a reply.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

The following real estate transfers have been recorded recently: A. W. Bent to R. N. Anderson, property in Lancaster. J. D. Colwell, et al, to Edna L. Colwell, property in York. John Thornton, E. Murray Olive, chairman of the board of assessors, and ex-Mayor R. T. Hayes, M. P., left this morning for Fredericton to present at a meeting of the Municipalities Committee when bills respecting the City of St. John come up. Mr. Hayes is chairman of the Municipalities Committee. Among the bills with which the city is concerned are those respecting taxation of persons living in the county and working in the city on the steam railways; fixed valuation bills for C. H. Peters Sons, The James Pender Company and The Canada Brush Company; and a bill having to do with the closing of certain shops at specified hours. County bills will come up later.

Chancery Court

At the opening of the Chancery court this morning Mr. Justice Grimmer presiding, the case of Franklin vs. Ingraham was taken up. The parties reside in Grand Manan and the matter in dispute relates to property, the deeds of which are held by the defendant. The property is subject to a mortgage and the action is brought to determine certain matters at issue between the parties in connection with the land. Several witnesses are here from Grand Manan to give evidence. E. B. Smith appears for the plaintiff and N. M. Mills, K. C., for the defendant. The case of the Workmen's Compensation Board vs. the Bathurst Lumber Co., Ltd., will probably be heard this afternoon. This is a claim in connection with moneys alleged to be due under the regulations of the board from the company. Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., appears for the plaintiff and M. G. Teed, K. C., and Geo. Gilbert of Bathurst for the defendant. The rest of the docket is as follows: Security Export Co. vs. A. A. Wilson, high sheriff. Attorney General vs. the C. P. R. C. E. Magnusson vs. Joseph Roderick.

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ST. MARY'S CHOIR

The choir members of St. Mary's Anglican church, Waterloo street, will make their first appearance on Easter Sunday in their new vestments. St. Mary's church at present possesses an excellent choir membership of thirty-five. There are eighteen boys and the balance are mixed voices, ladies and men. The choir is hard at work rehearsing Tozer's "Way of the Cross," which they propose to sing in the church on Tuesday evening in holy week and will be assisted by some local talent and an orchestra of eight pieces from St. Mary's Band.

LOCAL NEWS

DEATH OF CHILD. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Roberts of 64 Waterloo street, will sympathize with them in the loss of their three-months-old child, Alice Pearl, who died on Sunday. The funeral was held this afternoon.

MEETING POSTPONED. Because of the absence of Commissioner Thornton, who is in Fredericton, no meeting of the Common Council will meet tomorrow afternoon at three.

UNDERWENT OPERATION. Frederick J. Hamilton, 60 Harrison street, underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Lancaster Hospital yesterday and is reported today to be doing nicely.

CITY PAY DAY. Today was semi-monthly pay day at City Hall, and the following amounts were disbursed: Police, \$3,469.72; ferry, \$1,402.80; sundry official, \$1,260.16; official, \$2,185.86; fire, \$2,679.70; market, \$270.80; total, \$11,598.54.

A RARE INCIDENT. H. E. Wardroper, Common Clerk, is still ill at his home, King street east. One of the city commissioners, speaking of him this morning, said that in all Mr. Wardroper's forty-five years of service at City Hall it was a very rare thing for him to miss a day through illness. His many friends are hoping for a speedy recovery.

JEAN WILKINS. The sudden death of Jean Wilkins occurred on March 19 at 223 Prince street, the home of her uncle. She leaves to mourn her father, mother and two aunts, Mrs. James Dempster and Mrs. Harry Dempster; three uncles, Roy Crawford, James Dempster, and Harry Dempster. Her grandfather, Ezra Crawford, also survives. All the relatives reside in St. John.

PLAYED IN FREDERICTON. The cast of "Bought and Paid For" returned home from Fredericton today where they presented the drama last evening under the auspices of the A. O. H. The company was directed by R. McLeod and was composed of the following members: Mrs. Arthur S. Godsoe, Loyola Duffy, Mildred Brennan, James Duffy, J. W. E. Gale and John C. Mackenzie. They said the play had attracted a capacity house.

ASSAULT CASE. Hearing of an assault charge against Maurice Watson, alleged to have beaten his step-mother in their home in Prince Edward street, was resumed this morning. Mr. Scott, for the defence, pleaded for a reconciliation of the parties involved. He said that the father of the boy was willing to have him go back to the home again. The magistrate was of the opinion that the son should leave the home entirely. He was not inclined to let the defendant Mr. Scott ordered evidence for the defence in which he sought to prove that the complainant was as much to blame as the boy. The magistrate reserved judgment and had Watson remanded to jail.

AWAY TO FREDERICTON. Commissioner John Thornton, E. Murray Olive, chairman of the board of assessors, and ex-Mayor R. T. Hayes, M. P., left this morning for Fredericton to present at a meeting of the Municipalities Committee when bills respecting the City of St. John come up. Mr. Hayes is chairman of the Municipalities Committee. Among the bills with which the city is concerned are those respecting taxation of persons living in the county and working in the city on the steam railways; fixed valuation bills for C. H. Peters Sons, The James Pender Company and The Canada Brush Company; and a bill having to do with the closing of certain shops at specified hours. County bills will come up later.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of James Gorman was held at 8:45 o'clock this morning from the residence of John McCourt, Adelaide street, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass by Rev. Dennis Coll, C. S. S. R. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery. A great many spiritual offerings were received. The funeral of Mrs. Arthur J. Fitzgerald was held at 9 o'clock this morning from the residence of her brother-in-law, J. J. Mitchell, 3 Alma street, to the Cathedral for requiem high mass by Rev. D. O'Keefe, brother of the deceased, assisted by Rev. C. P. Carleton, deacon, Rev. F. Cronin, subdeacon, and Rev. W. M. Duke, master of ceremonies. The Rev. E. A. LeBlanc gave the final absolution. Rev. J. J. McDermott, Rev. H. Ramage, Rev. R. McCarthy, Rev. E. Reynolds, Rev. R. Nugent and Rev. S. O'Ryan were in the sanctuary. Relatives were pallbearers and interment was in Holy Cross. The funeral of Mrs. Martha A. Henderson was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence, Rothesay, to Gondola Point for interment. Service was conducted by Rev. Canon A. W. Daulton.

BUILDING IS ON INCREASE

February Reports Better Than January and Also February, 1922.

(By Canadian Press) Ottawa, March 20—The value of building authorized throughout Canada was held in this country, and was higher than for the month of January and also higher than for February of last year. According to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, fifty-six cities making returns issued permits during February valued at \$4,744,478 compared with \$3,705,286 in January, and with \$4,201,955 in February of last year.

U. S. NAVY MANOEUVRES. Panama Bay, March 20.—Two super-dreadnoughts were theoretically put out of action during each phase of two destroyer attacks on the Pacific fleet here yesterday.

ST. JOHN BILLS IN COMMITTEE

Decision to Report Three Covering Fixed Valuations

Reasons for Concessions are Questioned—Bill Covering Second-hand Dealers Considered—Municipal Home Act.

(Special to The Times.) Fredericton, March 20—Bills that would authorize the City of St. John to fix the assessment valuation of the real property of the Canada Brush Company Ltd., for ten years from January 1, 1923, at \$100,000; of James Pender and Co. Ltd., at \$100,000 for five years in the town of St. Andrews to be at \$60,000 for ten years, all these being extensions of time for present assessment valuations, were reported by the municipalities committee of the legislature at its organization meeting this morning. The exemptions do not apply to income, school taxes or water rates in any of these cases. Another bill to amend the police act of 1865 so as to permit St. John second-hand stores to remain open until ten o'clock each week day evening instead of nine o'clock Monday to Friday and ten on Saturdays as at present, was also reported. R. T. Hayes, St. John, was chosen chairman of the committee. (Official Report.)

Committee Room, House of Assembly, Fredericton, March 20—The committee on municipalities met for the first time this morning and organized. Mr. Hayes was elected chairman and J. P. McPeake secretary. The committee decided to report a bill to enable the town of St. Andrews to borrow additional money for sewerage purposes and to issue debentures; a bill to fix the valuation for assessment purposes in the City of St. John on the Canada Brush Company Ltd.; a bill to fix valuation in the City of St. John on James Pender and Co. Ltd.; and to fix valuation on C. H. Peters Sons, Ltd.

Purpose Questioned. Mr. Smith (Albert) asked why it was necessary for St. John to grant these concessions. Commissioner Thornton said that if concessions were not granted the city might lose the industry. Mr. Flewelling said the principle of granting concessions was wrong but until there could be a general Provincial act preventing it, it would be done. Mr. Hayes said that a Dominion act would be necessary to cover all provinces.

St. John Police Act. The committee considered a bill to amend the Police Act of the city of St. John. L. P. D. Tilley appearing in support of the bill said the purpose was to amend the Police Act which was enacted in 1863 by increasing the hours during which second-hand shops could legally remain open for business one hour each night, except Saturday. Commissioner Thornton said that the common council was not objecting to the bill. Second-hand shops were under police supervision because of the possibility of stolen goods being disposed of there. Mr. Scully said that he had received by telephone an objection from a resident of the North End. Mr. Hayes said that the objection was on the ground that these second-hand shops also dealt in ordinary goods, and in that way compelled with ordinary businesses which had fixed closing hour for the benefit of the clerk.

Municipal Home Bill. The committee also reported a bill to enable the Municipal Home Commissioners of the towns of Marysville and Devon to have powers similar to those given the Children's Aid Society by legislative enactment. Mr. Scully said that the powers given by this bill could well be applied to the city of St. John.

TWO WOMEN PERISH IN FIRE IN DALHOUSIE

Mrs. Wadsworth Good Dies in Unsuccessful Attempt to Save Life of Aunt—House Destroyed.

(Special to The Times.) Dalhousie, March 20—A terrible calamity occurred here this morning when two women lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the home of Wadsworth Good. Mrs. Good was in the barn at the time making the cow when she noticed smoke coming from the direction of the house. She dashed into the burning building to save her aunt, Mrs. Douglas. Before help could reach them the women perished in the flames. The family was well known in the neighborhood and their untimely deaths caused widespread regret as well as sympathy for the bereaved husband. The fire completely destroyed the home.

TORONTO REDUCES TAX RATE 15 CENTS

Toronto, March 20.—After talking the clock around its twelve hour circuit, the Toronto City Council at four o'clock this morning finally struck the tax rate for 1923 at \$3.08 on every \$100 of assessment. Last year's rate was \$3.23 1/2 to the

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