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NEW HOME FOR SALVATION ARMY

Brick Front Building to Replace No. 1 Barrrcks

MAY BE A NEW SITE PURCHASED

Building Also in Other Parts of the Provinces — Adjt. Thompson to Leave Shelter Next Week After Successfully Starting It.

The Salvation Army in St. John propose in the spring to start building a new headquarters for No. 1 corps. It has not been decided just where the headquarters will be built but the present plans call for a brick building with a three story front. There will be halls for both the junior and senior work and accommodation for the headquarters provincial offices.

Adjutant Thompson will remove next Friday from the oversight of the shelter which he so successfully opened last year, and take up his new duties of financial secretary at headquarters. He will be succeeded in the shelter by Ensign Bowering, of Springhill.

The adjutant said yesterday that the Salvation Army has been continually forging ahead in St. John as well as elsewhere, not only in the number of soldiers joining the ranks but in the amount of work done. Last winter the army sheltered almost 8,000 men in their shelter building here. They also supplied in round numbers 11,000 cheap meals. One secret of the phenomenal success of the army, the adjutant thought, was that they made no difference in their treatment of a man because of his creed. They looked simply on a man in need as a man to be helped and they went after him and helped him. As a matter of fact, he continued, they had had all classes and denominations of people in their shelter except their own. The shelters were kept up for the use of other people than their own soldiers.

The reason there is some doubt of the exact site of the new building for No. 1 is that the army has had an offer to buy the present lot and building in Charlotte street. In the meantime they have an eye on another piece of land in a central location. If they secure this land they will sell the property in Charlotte street; if not they will tear down the present No. 1 barracks and erect the new building.

Ensign Bowering, who is to succeed Adjutant Thompson in the oversight of the shelter, has been in charge of district work in Cape Breton. The work will be new to him but it is felt at local headquarters that he will be a worthy successor to Adjutant Thompson. The former, as noted, will assume charge at the local headquarters of the financial secretaryship next Friday. The duties of his new office will entail a great deal of traveling on business with the various centres of the army's activities in the maritime provinces.

Besides the building work in St. John there are to be new buildings erected in Yarmouth, Woodstock and North Sydney.

HORRIBLE DEATHS OF AMERICAN MISSIONARIES

Hong Kong, Nov. 9—Dr. Machle, the American missionary who escaped the massacre at Lien Chow, confirming the previous accounts of the outbreak, adds horrifying details of the acts committed on the American women. When the disturbances commenced the mob seized Miss Chestnut and Mrs. Machle and exposed them to public view in the Chinese temple. Amy Machle, a ten-year-old child, was carried off and flung alive into the river. The rioters stripped Miss Chestnut naked and flung her into the river. While the two were struggling in the water, the Chinamen speared them with tridents. Miss Chestnut's body and Amy Machle's head were pierced. Mrs. Machle appealed to the rioters, but they stoned her brains out, stripped the body and flung it into the river. The mob then captured Mr. and Mrs. Peale, stripped them naked, exposed them for fifteen minutes, clubbed Mr. Peale to death in his wife's presence, and subsequently killed Mrs. Peale in the same brutal fashion.

James Curren, a seaman of the bark Egeria, fell into the water yesterday morning. A fellow seaman named Alex. Stuart kept him above water till he was rescued. Curren was not much the worse of his bath.

Rev. G. Osborne Troop, of Montreal, will conduct a parochial mission in St. Paul's (Valley) church, commencing Sunday, the 19th inst.

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Weddings.

Lamb-Allan.

A pretty wedding took place at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning in St. James church when Rev. A. D. Dewdney united in marriage Margaret R. Allan, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Allan, of 81 Queen street, to James L. Lamb, an employe of the James Pender Company.

The bride, who was becomingly attired in a travelling suit of navy blue, with hat to match, was attended by Miss Lottie Lamb, sister of the groom, while W. Burt supported the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamb left by the I. C. R. for a wedding trip to Chipman, and on their return will reside at the residence of John Allan, Queen street.

Many handsome presents were received by the happy couple, among them a set of silver knives, spoons and forks, from the employes of the James Pender Company.

Thompson-Sharkey.

Miss May Josephine Sharkey, daughter of Peter C. Sharkey, of the I. C. R., was married in the Cathedral Wednesday morning to Dr. Robert G. Thompson, of Woodstock. Rev. A. W. Meahan performed the ceremony in the presence of a large number of intimate friends of the contracting parties. The bride was dressed in a brown travelling suit with a white picture hat. After a wedding breakfast in the home of the bride's father, Dr. and Mrs. Thompson left on a trip through the provinces before taking up their residence in Woodstock. Dr. Thompson is a graduate of Philadelphia Dental College. The groom's present to the bride was a handsome set of mink furs.

Purdy-Springer.

Miss Maud L. Springer, daughter of the late Rev. G. W. Springer, was married Wednesday morning to Calvin Purdy. The ceremony, which was performed at the residence of Rev. John R. Hughes, was performed at 6 o'clock. Mr. Hughes was the officiating clergyman. Mr. and Mrs. Purdy left on the steamer May Queen for Jemseg where they will reside. Mr. Purdy was for some time in the employ of the street railway here.

Hutchinson Powell.

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 8—(Special—Geo. A. Hutchinson, barrister, of the firm of Carter & Hutchinson, of Richibucto, was married here this morning to Miss Sarah Powell, youngest daughter of William Powell, foreman of the I. C. R. lumber yard. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Bonaccord street, at nine o'clock, being performed by Rev. E. B. Hooper, rector of St. George's church. Only a few immediate friends were present. After a wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson left for Halifax on a wedding trip. On their return they will reside at Richibucto.

Griffin-Ritchie.

Miss Mary. G. Ritchie, daughter of the late M. F. Ritchie, of 90 Exmouth street, was married on Wednesday in the Cathedral, to D. F. Griffin, of the Canada Saw Company. Rev. A. W. Meahan performed the ceremony in the presence of friends of the contracting parties.

Kelly-McCarron.

Miss Mary McCarron, of Hampton, was married Wednesday morning in the Cathedral to George L. Kelly, also of Hampton. Rev. W. J. Holland officiated. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party drove to the residence of the groom's sister, Mrs. G. Henry, 56 Adelaide street, where a wedding breakfast was partaken of.

McLellan-Little.

A very quiet wedding took place in St. Mary's church Thursday, when Miss Alice Little, daughter of the late Thomas Little, of Halifax, was married to William L. McLellan, of No. 4 hose company. There were no attendants. Mr. and Mrs. McLellan will leave on the steamer Calvin Austin this morning for a short visit to Boston. On their return they will live at No. 76 City Road.

Appleby-Smith

An interesting event will take place at Carpenter's Settlement, near Wickham, this evening, when Miss Ino Smith, of Carpenter's Settlement, will be married to Allan Appleby, of St. John (West). A number of guests will leave by this evening's trip of the Elaine, and the ceremony will take place shortly after her arrival at Wickham.—(Times Thursday.)

MAY BE SOME MORE BIG LUMBER DEALS

Report That Options on Other New Brunswick Properties Are Sought.

That American capitalists like New Brunswick as a profitable place to invest their money continues to be shown by their readiness to invest large sums in the province when opportunity is afforded.

On the North Shore a number of large deals have taken place, such as the buying of the Richards Lumber Company by some American capitalists under the name of the Miramichi Lumber Company; then it was reported yesterday that John McKane will purchase the Sinclair Lumber Company property, and a Telegraph reporter was informed yesterday by a prominent North Shore lumberman that a number of other large deals are now in view and that American capitalists are trying to get an option on all the lumber lands they can on the Miramichi.

ACCIDENT DELAYED ST. GEORGE WEDDING

William Southard of St. George, was married to Miss L. Lake, at the Episcopal church St. George last week. The ceremony was to have taken place at 7 o'clock in the evening but on account of an accident to the groom it did not take place until after 11. Mr. Southard was obliged to drive 3 miles to the church and on his way was thrown from his carriage. He was quite seriously injured. Mr. Southard being unable to stand up the ceremony was performed while he was seated on a chair.—(Times.)

Doukhobor Starved Himself to Death.

Ottawa, Nov. 9—Inspector Genereaux, of the mounted police, reports to the department here the death by starvation at Prince Albert of Alex. Pansmaroff, one of the Doukhobors who was out on the recent pilgrimage and who was put in jail. The greatest care was taken of him and food forced upon him. The verdict of the jury was death from starvation.

ATTEMPTED BLACKMAIL CHARGE DISMISSED

Justice Morrison Decides That Scott Act Informant Babkirk is Not Guilty—An Appeal to Be Taken.

Sussex, Nov. 9.—Wm. Babkirk, charged with blackmailing Wm. J. McEwen, was put on trial on Wednesday morning before Justice Morrison. H. A. Powell, K. C., and Ora P. King for the defence.

Mr. McEwen himself was first called, and told of hearing from E. Kyle and Thos. Barden that Mr. Babkirk was willing for $300 to withdraw himself from the position of a witness against these men. On the night of October 26 these three men, Evans Kyle and Thos. Brown, met at the cheese factory, and the defendant then offered to "get out and stay for three or four months" for the sum of $300. Witness refused. Examined by Mr. Fairweather, witness said the defendant had been serving other summonses and gave the witness the impression that he would bring on still other cases against him.

Questioned by Mr. King, witness said he did not know Wm. McArthur was charged.

"Did you know there were any cases against Brown?" said Mr. King.

Mr. Fairweather objected to this, and some argument ensued.

Witness then stated that Wm. McArthur was taken along as a witness, from which Mr. King inferred a plot against Mr. Babkirk. Witness replied in the affirmative. Mr. King asked if he (the witness) had sold liquor to accused on the 24th of Sept. last. Mr. Fairweather objected. Witness didn't remember whether he did or not. After a number of questions from Mr. King to the witness as to his selling liquor on different dates, the court adjourned at 12.

Mr. King stated to Mr. Fairweather's objections that he wished to prove the witness to have been breaking the law.

In the afternoon witness admitted having said to Mr. Babkirk: "I have sold only $35 worth of liquor, and it cost me $125." No offer, he said, was made.

Thos. Barden, sworn, said Evans Kyle had told him Mr. Babkirk had authorized him to make the $300 offer. Cross-examined by Mr. King, witness said he would not have accepted if Mr. Babkirk had offered to withdraw for $10.

The court then adjourned, to meet on Thursday at 10 a. m. Mr. Babkirk gave personal bonds o'r $200, and Mr. Ora P. King for the same amount.

The Babkirk blackmail case is to go to a higher court. This morning Stipendiary Morrison dismissed the case on the ground that malice had not been shown.

He declared that the meeting between both sides at the rear of the butter factory had been pre-arranged and intimated that one side was as bad as the other. Ora P. King, M. P. P., representing the defendant, addressed the court at length, previous to the decision being rendered. F. L. Fairweather, for McEwen, the plaintiff, replied, and when the decision was rendered gave notice that he would appeal the case to the January sitting of the supreme court. McEwen was bound over in the sum of $500 to appear at the court when the case comes up for a hearing.

SEVEN CANDIDATES AFTER VACANCY IN AMHERST COUNCIL

Amherst, Nov. 9—The honor of representing Amherst at the council board seems to be attracting an unusually large number. Councillor Ackles resigned, causing a vacancy. Yesterday was nomination day and the following nominations were filed: James C. Carter, Elisha F. Coates, W. S. Tait, Bernard B. Black, Chandler C. Hewson, Isaac J. Sheply, Henry Davis.

Mayor Lowther, president of the Highland View Hospital board, has issued an appeal to the pastors of the different churches in the county for a special collection in aid of the funds of this institution. The third Sunday in November has been set apart as hospital Sunday.

Sackville News.

Sackville, Nov. 9.—The death of Melbourne, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Amos, of Great Shemogue, occurred on Saturday after a short illness of pneumonia. Deceased was nineteen years of age.

The annual meeting of the Bible Society was held at Upper Sackville Methodist church last evening. Excellent addresses were given by Rev. Dr. Stewart, Rev. E. L. Steeves and Rev. Geo. Steel.

A successful harvest supper was held at Baie Verte on Tuesday evening. Fifty dollars was netted for the funds of the Methodist church.

Robert Hicks, Midgic, shot a deer on Monday.

The death of Mrs. Orewiler occurred recently at Portland, Oregon. Deceased was a native of Point de Bute. Her maiden name was Fanny Cleveland. A husband and two sons survive her.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Nichols left yesterday for their future home in Winnipeg, after a brief visit here with Mrs. Nichol's parents, Senator and Mrs. Wood. Upon their arrival at Winnipeg Mr. Nichols will assume the presidency of the Winnipeg Telegram Publishing Co. and the editorship of that paper. He was formerly editor of the Toronto World.

Havelock News.

Havelock, N. B., Nov. 9.—Mrs. Albert Taylor, aged 53 years, died at her home at Harewood, Westmoreland county, (N. B.), on Tuesday, the 7th inst., of catarrh of the stomach. Mrs. Taylor was a daughter of the late Isaac Bonnell, of Kings county (N. B.) She leaves besides a husband, five daughters and three sons. The daughters are Mrs. Hubert Jarvis, Mrs. Wm. Chapman, Mrs. George Balser, of Moncton, Misses Media and Myrtle at home. The sons are William of Hillsboro, Bliss and Raydon at home. Mrs. Taylor was an industrious woman and a good neighbor. She was very much devoted to her family and her death will be a great blow to them. Harewood is situated in the north of the parish of Salisbury at the west of Fredericton road.

At Victoria Mills on the 6th inst. there was held a basket social and entertainment in the Orange Hall. After the contents of the baskets were seen to the meeting was called to order and readings, recitations and songs were then given. All seemed to enjoy themselves immensely. More than $45 clear of expenses were realized, which will go towards finishing the Orange Hall. The entertainment was under the auspices of L. O. L. No. 135.

It is estimated that the cost to the city of the case of the Winnie Lawry smallpox case brought here from St. Martins will be more than $400.

OBITUARY

Mrs. George W. Ketchum.

Mrs. Mary E. Ketchum, wife of Geo. W. Ketchum, died Tuesday afternoon after a lengthy illness, at her home in Garden street. The announcement will call forth many expressions of sympathy for the bereaved family. Besides her husband, Mrs. Ketchum is survived by two daughters at home; one sister, Mrs. R. S. Sheraton, and two brothers, Dr. W. A. Fairweather, of Rothesay, and E. K. Fairweather, of this city.

Crane Bennett.

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 7—(Special)—Mrs. J. P. Delahunt, this city, received a telephone message from Hopewell Cape today informing her of the death of her brother, Crane Bennett, a well-known young farmer of the Cape.

Mr. Bennett has been ailing for the past year, but was not considered to be serious as he was able to be around and of late had been feeling much improved. News of his sudden death therefore came as a surprise and shock to friends, who had no intimation of his illness.

Deceased was about forty-one years old and leaves a wife and one child. He was a brother of A. W. Bennett, the well-known Sackville barrister, of Powell, Bennett & Harrison. A brother and two sisters live in New York.

Nelson Boyer.

Nelson Boyer, one of the oldest residents of East Florenceville, died on the 7th inst., after an illness of some weeks. He was seventy-nine years of age and was a son of the late Charles Boyer, one of the first settlers in the upper part of this county. He leaves a wife, and two sons, George H., of Bristol, and Oakman, of Red Rapids, Victoria county, and one daughter, Mrs. Joel Hartley, of East Florenceville. Two brothers and three sisters also survive him. The funeral services will be held on Friday, and will be under the auspices of the Loyal Orange Association, of which deceased has been an honored member for more than fifty years.

E. R. O'Brien.

E. R. O'Brien, for a number of years postmaster and Western Union telegraph operator at St. George, died there on Wednesday night. He had the reputation of an efficient servant of the public. He was of a very obliging disposition and he will be missed not only by his immediate friends but by the general public. A brother of deceased is James O'Brien, formerly M. P. P. for Charlotte. His wife, five daughters and four brothers survive.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Sprague.

Elizabeth A Sprague, wife of Wilfred Sprague, died Thursday after more than two years of tedious illness, borne with Christian resignation. She was aged 52 years. She had been to the hospital where she underwent an operation. Besides her husband, a daughter is left at their home, 304 Union street.

Michael Burchill.

Michael Burchill, one of the oldest and best known residents of St. Martins, died there on Wednesday last, aged 79 years. In his younger years Mr. Burchill was actively engaged in the shipbuilding and lumbering industries. He was also a very large farmer. His death removes one who helped to build up the little community by the sea and he was respected by all there. Five children survive him. Two of the sons and three of the daughters live at home and the other son and daughter are in Boston.

2,000,000 BUSHELS OF WHEAT ALL-RAIL TO ST. JOHN BY C. P. R.

Winnipeg, Nov. 9—The Canadian Pacific Railway will forward 2,000,000 bushels of wheat from Fort William to St. John (N. B.), by the all rail route and operations on this project have already commenced. There are now being shipped fifty cars of wheat a day for the long haul. It is unusual at this season of the year to take wheat by the all-rail route, but this is being done now by the Canadian Pacific to furnish ballast for the company's transatlantic boats on the first winter sailing from St. John. The company will forward the wheat over the line from Fort William at a low rate, and thus keep the business for Canadians.

D. Richards, of North Shore, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Richards is one of the largest lumbermen of that section. Speaking to a Telegraph reporter last evening he said, that the prospects for the lumber cut this year are good, but not as good as they would be if men were more plentiful. When asked what wages are being given he said that from $22 to $40 a month was being paid. For the average man about $28; cook, $40.

A STRONG HEART AND STEADY NERVES

Very important it is in this age of competition to have a clear cool head, a strong heart and steady nerves.

Too much rush and bustle, work and worry, fall to the lot of the average business man—his heart and nerve system will not stand it—he gives them too much work to do. Women also are doing the same thing attending to their household duties and looking after their social obligations. The constant strain under which they have to continue day in and day out, the irregularities of habits and loss of rest will soon shatter the strongest system. Before long you become nervous, starting at the least sudden sound, the heart flutters and palpitates, some float before the eyes, the pulse becomes weak and irregular, you have faint and dizzy spells, lack of self-confidence, rush of blood to the head, irritability of temper, shortness of breath, starting in sleep, pulsation of pins and needles, sleeplessness, restlessness and finally physical breakdown or nervous prostration.

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BULLET THROUGH HEAD; SUICIDE WHILE DESPONDENT

Hopeless Love for Brother's Wife Alleged Cause of His Act

HENRY ALLEN TEED FOUND IN OLD HOUSE

Springfield, Carleton County, Has a Sensation--Inquest Held Last Night -- Unfortunate Affection for Brother's Spouse Intimated in the Evidence.

The body of Henry Allen Teed, shot through the head, was found yesterday morning lying in an old unoccupied log house at Springfield, four miles from Meductic, Carleton county. Death by his own hand was the verdict of a coroner's jury at an inquest held by Coroner W. W. Hay, of Woodstock, last night. Hopeless love for his brother's wife was hinted at in the evidence as the cause.

Teed was a laboring man, aged about thirty or thirty-five years. His brother, Fraser, a younger man, also a laborer, was married two or three years ago to a Canterbury young woman and all lived in the house where the body was found today. A message to The Telegraph last night stated that at the inquest evidence was given to show that there had be n trouble in the household because of the brother's regard for his sister-in-law and that a couple of months ago Fraser Teed and his wife left for Plaster Rock and the loghouse was deserted; since then it has been unoccupied.

Henry A. Teed also went to Plaster Rock, it was asserted, but returned to Springfield about a week ago, but he had not been seen around since.

The Body Found.

This morning Alexander Rogers, farmer, went to the old log house for the purpose of procuring some leather and it was he who discovered the body. A revolver bullet had pierced the head.

Mr. Rogers notified the authorities and an inquest was held in the evening. Among the witnesses were the mother and brother-in-law of deceased, and Mr. Rogers. The evidence went to show that there had been trouble, as referred to, and that deceased was despondent and finally put a bullet through his head.

LOCALS

F. L. Flewelling has bought a farm at Westfield from Gilbert Willet and will move to it next April.

John Collins, police officer in the I. C. R. station, has returned to duty after a pleasantly spent vacation.

Joseph McCaffrey, who left Monday for California, was made the recipient of a meerschaum pipe by his fellow employes

George Fowler, who resigned as driver of the relief fire engine in No. 1 Hook & Ladder station, has been succeeded by John Jenkins.

Dr. Dickie has had a fifty foot gasolene launch built for himself by W. H. Logan, of the Strait Shore road. It will soon be launched.

Rev. G. A. Seller will succeed Rev. James Strothard in the pastorate of St. Luke's Methodist church, Chatham. Rev. Mr. Seller is at present on Prince Edward Island.

The first snowfall for the year in St. John was yesterday morning. It did not lie long, however. The average temperature of October 1904 and 1905 was the same, but there was not as much rainfall in October, 1905, as in October, 1904.

The longshoremen will meet soon when the question of rates for the coming winter may be talked over. Last season the pay was 30 cents an hour, but since then the rate was advanced ten cents. Of late work has not been very plentiful, and the opening of the winter port season will be welcome.

The cost to the city for the reception to Prince Louis on his recent visit amounted to about $850. At a meeting of the reception committee in the mayor's office yesterday, the financial statement was presented and passed. The committee had authority from the council to spend $800, so that a further vote of $50 or $80 will be necessary.

A report that the Intercolonial Railway elevator here will be used this winter by the C. P. R. has not been confirmed. Supt. Downie, when asked by a Telegraph reporter said he was not aware that it had been decided to use the elevator. He believed that the corporation's own elevator on the west side would be able to handle all the grain without difficulty.

Sergeant James Campbell, who was injured while the Irish Guards' Band was here, went on duty last night for the first time since his accident. He is on extra night duty and will act as call man. During fifteen years of police duty this is the first time that Sergeant Campbell has been compelled to give up duty on account of illness or accident. Although on duty, Sergt. Campbell is not quite fully recovered, but he will probably be in about a week.

A sailor fell overboard in the harbor yesterday afternoon, and was rescued with but little difficulty, after which he was conveyed in the ambulance to the hospital. It was reported on Central police station books that he was refused admittance to the hospital. The resident physician was asked by a reporter concerning the report, and he said the sailor was brought to the hospital and examined, but he was simply drunk, and the hospital, said the doctor, was no place for him, so he was returned to his ship.

The sloop yacht Louvima, owned by Messrs. Likely, Dunn & Kimball, has been hauled out of the water at Millidgeville, and is now in winter quarters back of the club house. She is the last of the R. K. Y. C. fleet to leave the water, and now the club-house is practically deserted. A prominent member of the yachting organization says several new yachts will be built this winter for local parties, and one citizen—already a club member—has commissioned a friend to buy him a speedy single-sticker. Gasoline craft will take a great boom during the cold weather, and next May it is anticipated the flotilla of motor craft will be doubled.

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MONCTON SONS OF ENGLAND CELEBRATE KING'S BIRTHDAY

Social and Entertainment Attended by Many—Methodist S. S. and Epworth League Meeting.

Moncton, Nov. 9—(Special) — Lodge Shaftesbury, No. 208, Sons of England, celebrated the king's birthday with an entertainment and social in their hall this evening. Ald. E. A. Fryers, worthy president, presided and about 150 of the members and lady friends were present. The hall was appropriately decorated with the Union Jack and the programme included an address by Deputy G. H. Pick on The Aims and Objects of the Order. Instrumental music by Prof. Perry, solos by Miss O'Brien, A. J. Tingley, Miss Davidson; readings by Miss Nellie Forbes, Mrs. I. Malcolm, Miss Boyd, followed. Considerable enthusiasm was manifested and every number was encored. At the close the members and friends partook of refreshments and spent a social hour.

A meeting in the interests of Sunday school and Epworth League work in connection with Methodist church, Sackville district, was held in Central Methodist church this afternoon and evening. Among those present were Rev. Geo. Steel, chairman of the district; Rev. Mr. Bell, Petitcodiac; Rev. W. Penna, Shediac; Revs. McConnell and Thomas.

In the evening addresses were delivered by Rev. Dr. Crews, secretary of Methodist Sundy school and Epworth League work, and Dr. Stevens, secretary of forward movement for missions.

An Epworth League association was formed with the following officers: Rev. Geo. Steel, chairman of the district, hon. president; Rev. H. E. Thomas, president; Geo. H. Moore, first vice-president; Rev. J. W. McConnell, second vice-president; W. A. Trenholm, secretary-treasurer; superintendent of junior work, Chester Buck.

ANNAPOLIS VALLEY BOY DISAPPEARS

Twelve-year-old Chester Hayes, of Port George, Left Home Monday

Digby, N. S., Nov. 9—(Special)—A mystery surrounds the disappearance of little Chester Hayes, who until Monday last resided with his grandfather, John Hayes, at the mountain, near Port George.

Monday morning the lad went to Middleton and after securing $10 of his own money, which he had on deposit in that town, purchased a ticket for Yarmouth via the D. A. R. The conductor says he returned to Digby via Tuesday's express but since then he has entirely disappeared.

His guardian, a Mr. Elliott, who resides in the Annapolis Valley, telephoned Chief of Police Bowles at Digby, who gave your reporter the following description: "A small boy, 12 years old, when last seen was dressed in blue overalls, dark coat and cap, blue eyes, brown hair."

He has not been seen here or in Bear River and Chief of Police Bowles thinks that he again boarded Tuesday's train as there was no boat to St. John that day.

The boys parents are dead. It is said he has not been ill used and the cause of his running away is a mystery. A reward will likely be offered for his recovery.

McKENZIE & MANN'S BIG RAILWAY PLANS

Toronto, Nov. 9—The railway commissioners closed their business here yesterday afternoon and left for Montreal, where they will sit tomorrow. That the Mackenzie & Mann interests now hold charters covering the territory east from Toronto to Ottawa, and that the James Bay railway, another Mackenzie & Mann project, is to be connected with the Canadian Northern at Port Arthur were statements made by Solicitor Ruel, of the James Bay railway before the board yesterday.

He further intimated that the line eastward from Toronto would be constructed in the near future. This intimation was made in the course of an argument in favor of the James Bay railway company being authorized to construct an independent entrance into the city. Decision was reserved.

There is prospect of a settlement of the H. R. Barber trouble in the near future. One of the civil suits has been withdrawn and a postponement has been granted on the other.

C. P. R. PROTEST OVER GIVING LONG MAIL CONTRACT TO ALLANS

Declare They Are Going to Make Faster Time on Atlantic and Pacific, and Want a Chance to Develop Trade.

Ottawa, Nov. 9—The Canadian Pacific Company is protesting vigorously against the Allan's request for a ten-year Atlantic mail contract. The Canadian Pacific has informed members of the government that the length of such a contract to the Allans will seriously interefere with transportation plans the C. P. R. is perefecting. The C. P. R. declares that they are going to so improve their service on the Atlantic, across Canada and on the Pacific, that they will divert the whole Oriental mail and passenger business centering at Hong Kong to the Canadian route.

It is planned to reduce the voyage from Hong Kong to Vancouver from 21 to 16 days by increasing the speed of the Pacific steamers from 12 knots to 16 knots, The time across the continent is to be cut from six to four days by increasing the average train speed from 30 to 45 miles an hour. The boats which are under contract and which are planned for the Atlantic service are expected to get mails and passengers across in from five and six days. To carry out this programme of the C. P. R. will entail a large expenditure and the company feel that the government should give them all the assistance in their power. They want the Atlantic subsidy for their boats, and say they should at least have the opportunity of tendering for the performance of the service when the Allan contract expires this year.

THE FALLS POWER

Project Being Taken Up and Communication is Sent to Mayor.

At the meeting of the board of works yesterday the the mayor mentioned that he had received a communication from the board of trade with reference to the development of the water power at the falls.

The board of trade have received estimates and considerable data from engineers and experts, and the communication in question placed the situation before the council in order to ascertain if the city would be willing to bear the expense of the report from an engineer on the practicability of the enterprise.

The members of the board not having control of the city's finances are not, it is claimed, in a position to do more than advance matters to a certain stage. It is urged, however, that it would be in the interests of the city to have the water power question properly investigated, that in the event of the report proving satisfactory it would eventually lead to the formation of a company who would pay a rental for the right to utilize the falls, and refund the cost of the preliminary investigation.

The only risk involved on behalf of the city is said to be the possibility of the failure of the enterprise to secure financial support.

The Military Veterans.

The following item from last Friday's Montreal Star was read and discussed at the meeting of the New Brunswick Military Veterans Thureday night:

"Land grants was the subject discussed at a mass meeting of the Veterans last night. It was one of the most representative and enthusiastic meetings they have ever held, and more than 200 old soldiers were gathered together in the drill hall. The unanimous opinion of those present was that they should agitate strenuously for the proposed grants, and as a step in this direction should hold a grand mass meeting of delegates from all the veterans' associations of the province, which was fixed for the first Thursday in December. The French-Canadian Veterans' Association has promised support, and steps will be taken to have certain members of parliament draw up a bill and push it through at the next session, granting each veteran a plot of land.

Captain C. E. A. Patterson, J. P., presided over the meeting, with A. Mackay, vice-president, and Secretary F. W. Walker present. Major W. S. Maclaren, ex-M. P., of the 50th Regiment, representing the veterans of Huntington county, was present as a guest.

Secretary James Hunter was instructed to correspond with Capt. Patterson to ascertain particulars of the proposed mass meeting.

The management of the School for the Deaf and Dumb have written to acknowledge the kindness of the ladies committee at the recent Fair of Nations in giving the children an opportunity to visit the fair and for their entertainment that was provided for their benefit.

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