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PROMINENT MEN FIGURE HERE IN CHANCERY CASE

Hon. A. B. Copp Brings Action Over Sackville Will

RECEIPT BY FORMER GOVERNOR FEATURE

Hon. Josiah Wood in Action Over Allison Estabrooks Matter

In Chancery Court Chambers this morning, before Mr. Justice Grimmer, argument was heard in the matter of an action commenced by originating summons, following an application by the plaintiff to the court for a decision in the case of Hon. A. B. Copp, Secretary of State for Canada, as executor under the will of Allison Estabrooks of Sackville, vs. Hon. Josiah Wood et al. The hearing is being continued this afternoon. A. B. Gilbert of Saint John and R. P. Cahill of Sackville appeared for the plaintiff, and James Friel, K. C., of Moncton, and R. Trites of Sackville for the defendants.

Receipt Figures.

The case involves a question as to the proper disposal of a sum of money at present in the hands of the Hon. Mr. Wood, who formerly was Governor of New Brunswick, and received from the late Mr. Estabrooks. A receipt for the money, it was set out, was given by Mr. Wood and signed by him, in which was stated, apart from the ordinary recitals of such an instrument, that in the event of the death of Mr. Estabrooks the money was to be divided equally among three of the latter's children. Several years prior to this event, the deceased had made a will in which he disposed of all his property equally among his seven children.

Points at Issue.

In the present action, the executor under the will is asking that the money in question be ordered paid into the estate for distribution as set out in the will. The defence is that Mr. Wood is holding the money in trust and is not justified in disposing of it in any way without a decision of the court.

TWENTY TO ONE SHOT WINS SPRING CUP

Paddy, Purple Shade and Heliaster Get Places—Tapin Out of it.

NEWBURY, Eng., April 2.—Paddy, by Golden Sun, out of Shanogue, owned by Lady Bradford, won the spring cup of £1,500, run here today.

Mrs. J. Bancroft's Purple Shade was second, and Sir Wm. Cook's Heliaster third. Twenty-two ran. The French horse Tapin, which won the Lincolnshire handicap, was not placed. Paddy won by a short head, while a neck separated Purple Shade and Heliaster. The betting was: Paddy 20 to 1 against; Purple Shade 100 to 12 and Heliaster 20 to 1 against.

WILL CONTINUE MEETINGS.

Rev. W. M. Townshend, of St. Colomba Presbyterian church, preached at the united services in Fairville last evening in the Methodist church, and was assisted in the service by Rev. J. M. Rice, Rev. C. T. Clark and William Stymist. Miss Sadie Cougle and her brother, Purdy Cougle, sang a duet. Rev. Mr. Clark will speak this evening. The meetings will be continued another week.

HERE FOR PRISONER.

Police Constable Jefferson, of Amherst, N. S., arrived here today and will return this evening with Edgar Cormier, wanted in Amherst in connection with a theft charge. Cormier was arrested here yesterday by Sergt. Rankine.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

DEATHS

THORNE—At his residence, 100 Carmarthen street, Wednesday, April 1, 1925, Stephen S. Thorne, leaving to mourn four sisters and one brother. Funeral on Saturday afternoon. Service at the house, 100 Carmarthen street, at 2.30.

McGOURTY—In this city on April 1, 1925, Peter McGourty, leaving his wife, three sons and three daughters to mourn.

Funeral from his late residence, 140 Elliott row, Saturday morning at 9.30 to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem. Friends invited.

LUNNEY—After a short illness, at her residence, Kingsville, on April 1, 1925, Bridget, widow of Daniel Lunney, leaving four sons, three daughters, one sister, 31 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren to mourn.

Funeral on Friday morning at 7.30 to St. Rose's church for requiem high mass. Friends invited.

JOHNSTON—In this city on April 1, 1925, Margaret Johnston, aged 27 years, leaving her parents, one sister and three brothers.

Funeral Friday, at 2.30 p. m., from her residence, 28 Marsh street. Interment at Fernhill.

FERRIS—Suddenly, at his home, on April 1, William S. Ferris, leaving to mourn, one son, one grandson, two sisters and two brothers.

Funeral Friday afternoon from his late residence, 70 Main street.

IN MEMORIAM

KELEHER—In loving memory of Mrs. Margaret Keleher.

All tears are vain, we cannot now recall
thee;
Gone is thy loving voice and kindly
face—
Gone from the home where we so dearly
loved thee,
Where none can ever fiyy thy vacant
place.
There came a mist and a weeping rain,
And life is never the same again.
Her daughter, MRS MARY MANSON.

Saint John and Province of N. B. Show $4,000,000 Gain In Year

Figures just received by the Board of Trade show that in the Province of New Brunswick the imports and exports for the fiscal year, which closed March 31, were larger than for the previous year, the exports by over $4,000,000 and the imports by about half a million dollars. In Saint John the exports increased by more than $2,000,000 and the imports decreased by about $50,000.

Following are the figures for the various ports of entry in the province:

	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
Bathurst	$193,750	$272,993	$493,721	$643,597
Campbellton	2,621,937	93,552	1,718,832	102,362
Chatham	978,932	226,258	1,452,374	214,543
Fredericton		1,999,973		2,139,589
McAdam Junction	13,185,277	63,634	16,119,970	126,568
Moncton	417,766	1,560,322	249,316	1,802,428
Newcastle	1,071,771	49,356	1,130,111	35,588
Sackville		102,374	4,610	111,584
St. Andrews	378,896	152,034	399,574	169,612
Saint John	55,127,568	20,678,800	57,326,588	20,622,683
St. Stephen	225,988	1,767,104	270,154	1,624,799
Woodstock	2,318,294	598,968	3,173,284	419,766
	76,516,179	$27,574,668	$82,338,534	$28,016,523

FERRY RECEIPTS IN MARCH SHOW GAIN

Increase in Teams Offsets Decrease in Number of Passengers Carried.

A net increase of some $80 is reported in the ferry receipts for March, as compared with 1924. The number of passengers fell off but the number of teams increased. There is also shown a decrease of $3,000 in the expenditures for the three months of this year as compared with the first three months of 1924.

Following are the figures:—

PASSENGERS:—1924, Receipts, $3,409.64; 1925, receipts, $3,306.71; decrease in passengers, 3,346; decrease in revenue, $102.93.

TEAMS:—1924, Receipts, $1,045.21; 1925, receipts, $1,231.03; increase in teams, 842; increase in revenue, $185.82.

Net increase in revenue, $82.89. Expenditures to date, 1924, $23,726.30; 1925, $20,463.43.

DEFER ACTION ON HANSON CHARGES

Barristers' Society Awaits Action Regarding New Trial Before Investigating.

Special to Times-Star.

FREDERICTON, April 2.—There will be no action by the New Brunswick Barristers' Society on the charges of unprofessional conduct preferred by Dr. T. Carleton Allen, Registrar of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, against R. B. Hanson, K. C., M. P., for York-Sunbury, until the middle of May.

The Society has deferred action until it is determined if Mr. Hanson proposes to ask for a new trial in the libel suit against The Gleaner, Limited, of Fredericton. The next sitting of the court here is in April.

New Trial Ordered.

After the jury in the first trial had returned a verdict against The Gleaner, the defendant newspaper appealed the decision, and a new trial was ordered. The Gleaner then republished the alleged libellous article, and now the Barristers' Society feels that ample time should be given Mr. Hanson to proceed with a new trial if he so desires, before taking a definite stand on the Allen charges.

GREAT LOSS MET ON WAY TO NEW HOME

Family of John Rigby, Passengers on Marloch, Bereaved by His Death.

John Rigby of Scotland, who arrived here on the S. S. Marloch, was taken to the General Public Hospital, as he had been suffering from jaundice on the trip across. Last night he died. He was accompanied to Canada by his daughter and three sons, and all were enroute to British Columbia. The sons and daughter are registered at the Dufferin Hotel, West Saint John. The notice of the funeral will be given later by the grieving family, who have met such a sad experience on their arrival in Canada, where they purpose to make their home.

WILL SAIL TOMORROW.

Percy Hutchison, English actor manager, and his theatrical company, will sail for Liverpool from Saint John on Friday, on the Canadian Pacific liner Marloch. Lord Lyvendon, who played the retired admiral in The Luck of the Navy, was last here with the British Parliamentary party in 1904. During the war, like Mr. Hutchison, he served in the R. N. V. R., and was a lieutenant commander stationed at Southampton, and afterwards at Gibraltar in charge of transport service.

Funerals

Mrs. Hugh Rennick.

The funeral of Mrs. Anna Rennick, widow of Hugh Rennick, was held this afternoon from her late residence, 68 Wright street, to Fernhill. Rev. E. E. Styles, of Exmouth street Methodist church, conducted service at 2.30 o'clock.

Alexander Morrison.

The funeral of Alexander Morrison was held this afternoon from Chamberlain's undertaking rooms, Mill street, to Greenwood, with Rev. Hugh Miller, of St. David's church, conducting service.

MEANS EXPENDITURE OF LARGE SUM HERE

Pork Packing Plant and Abattoir Proposal is Before Governors.

A new industry for Saint John is forecast in the announcement from Fredericton that W. I. Fenton, of Saint John, and Capt. P. M. Starley, of Yorkshire, England, have proposed the establishment of a pork packing plant and abattoir here. The scheme as placed before the Provincial Government, it is said, calls for the expenditure of $250,000, and it is understood that the Government has been asked to guarantee a portion of the company's bonds.

Capt. Starley represents British capital to the extent of $250,000 and is eager to invest this money in a New Brunswick enterprise. He said last night that the project to establish a pork packing plant and abattoir in Saint John looked very promising and instead of going to Calgary, where he has some other interests, he remained in Saint John to look into the proposition which was submitted to the Government today.

He arrived from England two weeks ago, docking at Halifax and later came to Saint John where he met Mr. Fenton and was at once attracted by the possibilities of the enterprise now under consideration.

Mr. Fenton is expected home from Fredericton tonight.

CHURCH DEBT CUT $180,000 DURING 1924

Presbyterian Treasurer Gives Out Figures—Expenditures Reduced.

TORONTO, Ont., April 2.—Rev. Robert Laird, treasurer of the Presbyterian Church, announced today that the budget revenue of the church for 1924 totalled $1,498,475, which was sufficient to meet expenditures, and to reduce the indebtedness of the church by $180,000. The indebtedness now is $149,974.

Expenses Cut.

The disbursements were $112,262 less than in 1923. The givings of congregations have been well maintained, being only $28,806 less than in 1923. The revenue from all sources was $32,358 in advance of the previous year.

On December 31, 1924, the receipts for the Forward Movement peace thank offering of the Presbyterian church totaled $4,198,213. The Maritime Provinces contributed $498,519.

CAPTAIN THOMAS LEONARD.

Captain Thomas Leonard died at his home at Long Point on Monday, March 30, aged 78 years. He had followed the sea in his younger days, and was widely known and highly respected as a seaman and citizen. He is survived by one son, Charles S. Leonard, and a nephew, B. A. Leonard, of Elmshurst. His wife, who was Miss Hattie McLeod, died four years ago.

DELEGATION ON WAR MEMORIAL MATTER HEARD

(Continued from page 1.)

this matter of cost of removal of the fountain should enter into the discussion at all. It was too small a matter.

R. E. Armstrong said the Navy League was in sympathy with the movement to have the memorial placed at the head of King street.

Mayor Potts said there was nothing too good for the boys who had served and come home and the city could not do too much in memory of those who did not come home. He felt, however, that the blame for the present situation did not rest on the council.

The committee in charge had not gone to the council for approval of a site until last August. Dealing with the moving of the fountain His Worship said this was also a memorial, given to the city by the provincial W. C. T. U. in 1893 to hold in sacred trust and he viewed it as such.

He also said that the site asked for was right in the middle of the walk and not where it was possible for persons to walk round and view it in comfort.

F. B. Ellis interjected that the cenotaph in London was placed in the middle of a street.

His Worship said that might be so and yet not a good example to follow here. He said the council would give the matter due consideration.

MR. TILLEY

L. P. D. Tilley said he had not been convinced by the arguments advanced by His Worship. It was no dishonor to the Loyalists to move the fountain and it would be easy to place the memorial in such a position that people could walk around it. He felt it was up to the city to pay the cost of moving the fountain and surely the council was not going to defy the will of the people. They did not intend that it should go anywhere but at the head of King street and they did not want to have to hold another meeting of protest and send another delegation to city hall.

MAYOR RESENTS.

Mayor Potts said there was nothing to be gained by any person telling the council they must do certain things and he resented such tactics. So far as contributions were concerned he would give as much as Mr. Tilley, and Mr. Tilley could do as he liked with his money.

Mr. Tilley: "Mine was given long ago."

Mr. Machum said he was sorry to see that a certain antagonism had crept into the matter, and he thought the time at which the committee had approached the council was too small a matter to quibble over.

Commissioner Wigmore said the council had never refused any site to the committee, and said he would vote for the head of King street.

Commissioner Frink said the matter seemed to be settled last August and had been revived only a few days ago when the exact site was staked out, but he did not propose to enter into any discussion at the present time.

Commissioner Bullock said he was favorable to the head of King street.

Mayor Potts said he thought there should be something in writing from the W. C. T. U. to show they were not opposed to moving the fountain.

Colonel Sturdee thanked the members of the council for their kindness in hearing the delegation and asked for action at an early date so that preparations for the unveiling on May 18 might proceed.

Maggie Miller And Hampton To Start

The ferry steamer Maggie Miller will make her first trip on the Millidgeville, Summerville and Bayswater route on Saturday. She will be taken to Millidgeville tomorrow evening so as to be ready to inaugurate the service the following morning.

It was announced this afternoon that the steamer Hampton will make her first trip of the season on the Saint John River on Saturday, leaving Indiantown at 11 o'clock and going as far as Wickham.

Local News

ENGINEERS RETURN

Saint John engineers who were in attendance at the meeting of the Engineering Institute of Canada, New Brunswick branch, at the University of New Brunswick buildings in Fredericton last evening, returned to the city on the Boston express at noon today.

DEPOSIT FORFEITED.

Charles Noddin, arrested by Sergt. Rankine and Policeman McFarlane on a charge of being drunk and assaulting John Nye, failed to show up in the police court this morning and his deposit of $28 aws forfeited.

FLOUR PRICE DOWN

Flour dropped 30 cents per barrel in wholesale price on Saturday here, and now sells wholesale at $11 a barrel and $5.85 a half-barrel. This cut is said to be due to the recent slumps in the wheat markets. A cut of 30 cents a barrel was made by Calgary millers on last Tuesday, the price there now being $9.40 a barrel, the same figure that obtained on Dec. 15, 1924.

HYDRO LEGISLATION

F. S. A. McMullen, chairman of the Civic Power Commission, Commissioner Harding and A. M. Rowan, accompanied by C. F. Sanford, K. C., went to Fredericton this morning to consult with the government in regard to legislation which it is proposed to ask for to enable the commission to function to better advantage here.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Dupuy, Sydney street, returned today from Montreal, where they have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Angus, Montreal west.

J. H. Marr returned yesterday from Montreal.

Mrs. H. A. Lutes and her two children, Marion and Kathleen, who were visiting Mrs. Lutes' mother, Mrs. J. W. Stevens, of Prospect street, Fairville, have returned home to Barry's Mills.

Mrs. J. J. Dwyer arrived from Montreal today and is at her home, 18 Garden street, where she will remain for a short time, after which she will return to Montreal. Mrs. Dwyer said that her daughter Miss Madelon Dwyer was happily situated in the office of the Ronald Advertising agency.

Chamber Orders Investigation

PARIS, April 2.—The Chamber of Deputies yesterday by a vote of 180 to 178 ordered an open investigation into the electioneering practices of Baron Maurice De Rothschild, member of the Chamber for the Department of Hautes-Alpes and one of the richest men in France.

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ENGINEERS HOLD SESSION AT CAPITAL

Saint John and Fredericton Members and U. N. B. Students Hold Joint Meeting.

(Special to The Times-Star.)

FREDERICTON, April 2.—The Saint John branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada met here last night with the Fredericton members of the branch and the engineering undergraduates of the U. N. B. C. F. Sanford, K.C., of Saint John, who was a guest, in an address complimented the university upon its improved equipment.

The visiting engineers were E. G. Evans, Moncton; C. C. Kirby, W. R. Pearce, C. L. Roach, G. G. Hare, Alex. Gray, G. Stead, J. D. Garey, J. R. Freeman, G. G. Murdoch, H. G. Evans, E. G. Grant, J. S. Parker, J. L. Holman, E. J. Owens, A. R. Crookshank, J. A. W. Waring, W. J. Johnston, Saint John.

Addresses Delivered.

E. G. Evans, M. E. I. C., Moncton, addressed the meeting on the teredo. He had an opportunity of studying the ravages of this borer in timber work in salt water on the C. N. R. between Cape Tormentine and Bathurst. Samples of the damage done and lantern slides were shown.

L. L. Theriault, M. E. I. C., of Fredericton, spoke on the development of roads in New Brunswick from 1895 to the present type of gravel roads and of bridges from the earlier timber type to the present steel type. Mr. Theriault is engineer in the provincial highway service. Lantern slides were used in illustration.

C. L. Roach, Jr., M. E. I. C., of Saint John, spoke on electrolytic action on lead cable sheath and its mitigation.

SAILINGS 35 MORE THAN LAST SEASON

Activity of Port of Saint John Referred to at City Hall Meeting.

Commissioner Frink asked at a committee meeting of the council today about a report that 35 more sailings had been made from this port this season than last.

Commissioner Bullock said he was not sure but was inclined to think it was correct. The increase, he said, would come from the activities in the sugar business and additional shipments of potatoes.

On motion of Commissioner Bullock the tender of the Union Foundry and Machine Company of 85 cents per pound for 800 condensor tubes, being the lowest, was accepted.

TURKS ADVANCE

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 2—The Turkish troops are reported to have pushed their advance to the centre of the territory affected by the Kurdish insurrection.

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The appearance of Althouse, Middleton and Marshall, April 15, is arousing tremendous interest. A leading citizen, with musical knowledge and very well traveled, accosted a Rotarian yesterday with expression of incredulous surprise at the fact of Althouse and party singing here at prices from 50c. to $1.50.

"Best on Continent."

'Absolutely the best tenor on this continent," he explained, going on to tell the number of times he had heard him sing at the Metropolitan. The Rotarian explained the community idea, which was working out so delightfully. The citizen gulped, then said "Oh!" and followed with an enthusiastic expression of approval.

Prospective patrons are reminded that orchestra exchange tickets are in the hands of Rotarians for sale, and $1.75 exchange tickets; also 50c. gallery tickets are on sale at the Phonograph Salon, Roche's and Nelson's. No ticket tax. Seat sale starts at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, the 11th inst. The Imperial capacity will be inadequate for this great event, so tickets should be called for promptly.

NEXT WEEK'S MYSTICS.

Three times daily, at 3.45 in the afternoon, 8.30 and 10.15 in the evening, the Oriental mystics, Jovedah de Rajah and Prinoess Alga will appear at the Imperial week of April 6 and demonstrate their occult sciences and what Jovedah de Rajah terms his "sixth sense" on behalf of those who have troubles and questions to clear up. Throughout their long career, these mystics have been giving their seances freely to people seriously minded, and it is expected Saint John people will avail themselves of this opportunity in large numbers. Years ago when Anna Eva Fay gave readings in St. John a veritable furore was created by her disclosures.

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FARRAR'S MANAGER DENIES SEIZURE

Customs Agents Claim to Have Taken Liquor From Singer's Private Car.

NEW YORK, April 2.—While Geraldine Farrar, former Metropolitan singer, has not made any statement regarding the reported seizure of champagne and other liquors on her private car by customs agents at Rouse's Point, N. Y., yesterday, her manager has denied the seizure.

Four deputies said they found about 40 bottles of champagne, whiskey and beer.

RUTLAND, Vermont, April 2.—It was "near beer" and not champagne that customs agents seized in the private car of Geraldine Farrar, members of the singer's party said today. Her manager said it would be absurd to smuggle champagne into the United States, where liquor was easily obtainable.

BIRTHDAY OF TWINS

A very enjoyable evening was passed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William V. Beatty, of Hampton Village, on Monday evening with the celebration of the birthday of their twin children, Miss Edna and Master Edison. Friends gathered for the happy event. Supper was served and games enjoyed afterwards. The twins received many nice gifts.

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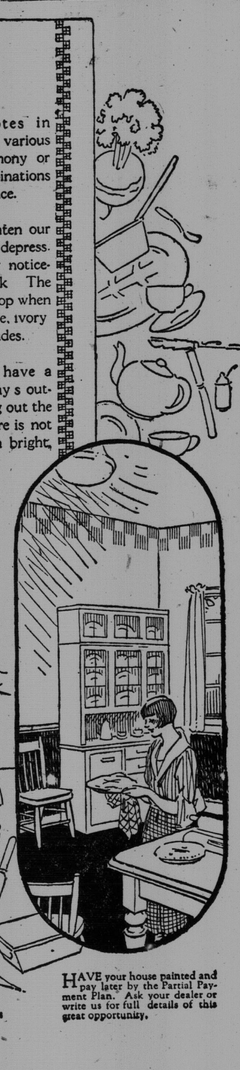

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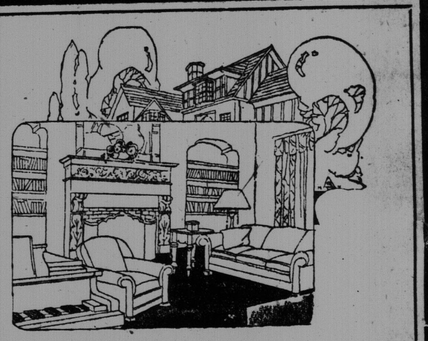

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