

DEATH CLAIMS MICHAEL COLL AT HOME HERE

Prominent Citizen Was 36 Years Member of School Board

HAD FILLED MANY OFFICES OF TRUST

Retired From Active Business Life About 12 Years Ago

Michael Coll, successful business man of the city of Saint John and prominent in many branches of public life, passed away at his residence in Douglas avenue yesterday at about 1.30 p.m. and his death will be very keenly regretted.

AILING FOR SOME TIME

He had been in failing health for some little time but his fatal illness lasted only about two months. Up to within about one year ago Mr. Coll was an active and alert member of the Board of School Trustees.

36 YEARS SCHOOL TRUSTEE

He was for 36 years a school trustee and resigned from that appointment only about one year ago. For several years he was a Committeeman of the Municipal Board and for about 10 years was a Liquor Commissioner under the former Liquor Act.

HAD PROGRESSIVE POLICY

Throughout his tenure of office as chairman of the buildings committee a progressive policy was followed and the city schools were well maintained. The value of school buildings and buildings at the time of Mr. Coll's retirement from the board, was estimated at \$1,000,000 and while no exact record of the value of the buildings in 1890 can be found the insurance carried at that date was \$60,000 on buildings and \$20,000 on furniture and apparatus.

THOSE ASSOCIATED WITH HIM

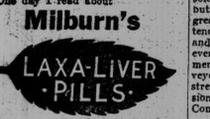
There were associated with Mr. Coll on the school board in 1890 the following trustees appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, Hon. John Boyd, chairman, Silas Alward, J. MacGregor, G. H. R. Ritchie, M. P. P., Edwin Fisher, John Tapley and Richard Farmer and the following trustees appointed by the City Council, J. V. Ellis, M. P., Edwin J. Wetmore, Dr. Thomas Travers, Henry J. Thorne, Boyle W. Peters, Thomas E. Milligan, James Wilson and Thomas McElroy.

HIS FAMILY

Besides his wife, Mr. Coll is survived by six of their nine children. The three-oldest children died previously. The children are Maurice D. Coll, manager of the Saint John branch of the Goodyear Tire Co.; Joseph L. Coll, Maritime representative of the Chrysler Motor Co., Ltd., of Windsor, Ont.; Mrs. L. Buck, of New York; Mrs. James Pierce, of Houlton, Me.; and the Misses Margaret and Geraldine at home.

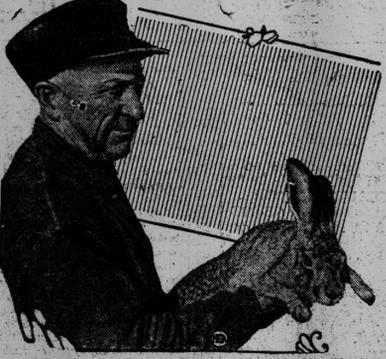
Her Liver Was Bad And She Felt Tired and Depressed

Mrs. M. Siefert, Grosvenor, Sask., writes: "I was greatly disturbed with pains in my liver, and felt tired and depressed most of the time. One day I read about



and the next time I went to town I bought four boxes of them. I have used them regularly, and after two months, use I feel like an entirely different woman. Now, I always recommend them to any of my friends who are troubled as I was."

HE'S WORLD "RABBIT KING"



P. P. Oza of Norwich, Kas., might be called the world rabbit king; at least, he expects to sell about 20,000 rabbits this year. He sells jack rabbits to race course promoters and cottontails to game preserves, and has \$5,000 invested in traps and nets to catch them.

James Keenan Is Appointed Engineer of New Vocational School; Janitor Deferred

Matter of Salary For New Appointee and Date of Taking Over Duties Left With Dr. Curran and John MacKinnon—Previous Experience

THE VOCATIONAL COMMITTEE at a special meeting yesterday afternoon appointed James Keenan as engineer of the new vocational school and decided to postpone the appointment of janitor until Tuesday evening's meeting when tenders for the equipment for the vocational school will be dealt with.

The meeting received word of the death of Michael Coll, former school trustee, and the members expressed deep sympathy with the bereaved and a great sense of loss in his passing.

It was decided to ask the Board of School Trustees to approve the payment of \$300 for vocational education expenses in March.

The meeting looked into the qualifications of the six applicants for the position of engineer of the vocational school, who had been considered desirable when the entire list of applicants had been gone over at a previous meeting.

A selection was made by balloting and James Keenan was appointed. The matter of arranging salary and the date on which Mr. Keenan enters on his duties was left with Dr. Curran and Mr. MacKinnon to report back.

Mr. Keenan was for seven years, from 1916 to 1923, engineer of the New Brunswick Power Co. Ltd., and for some time was employed as engineer of the Saint John Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Company, Limited. He also worked with L. W. Rothery, of the Canadian Westinghouse, installing the Nashua Pulp and Paper Company's generator and was requested by the chief engineer to instruct the company's operating engineers.

He also operated the turbine at the pulp plant on the night shift. At the present time, Mr. Keenan is an engineer in the St. John's (St. John's) church, where he assisted in installing the steam plant.

LOCAL ELKS HAVE NICE CARD PARTY

A greatly enjoyed card party was held in the Pythian Castle last night under the auspices of the Saint John Lodge, No. 78, B. F. O. Elks. The party was well attended and the fortunate prize winners were as follows: Bridge, ladies, first, Mrs. F. J. Knodell; second, Mrs. E. P. Plummer; gentlemen, first, L. Boyaner; second, E. R. Hagerman; forty-fives, ladies, first, Miss Gladys McNutt; second, Mrs. Fred Delgi; gentlemen, first, W. Daley; second, M. F. Leighton. Delicious refreshments were served by an efficient committee convened by Mrs. E. A. Westrup and Mrs. H. V. MacGillivray.

The visit of the grand master, J. Starr Tall, made the meeting of True Blue Lodge, No. 11, L. O. L., in Prentice Boys' Hall, West Saint John, last night especially interesting. The grand master gave a helpful address that will be long remembered by those present.

There was a large number of members as well as many visitors from sister lodges. Short addresses were given by various members of the lodge and David Hipwell made an earnest plea for support of the New Brunswick Protestant Orphanage. W. C. Williams, W. M., was in the chair.

BAND GIVES PROGRAM

St. Mary's Band journeyed out to the boys' industrial home last evening and gave a varied program which was greatly enjoyed by the boys. Mrs. H. G. Flewelling rendered several vocal solos and Miss Thelma Parlee contributed piano selections, which were also greatly enjoyed. At the close Superintendent Parker thanked the musicians and the two ladies for the splendid evening's entertainment. Light refreshments were served. The band was conveyed to East Saint John in a special street car, donated free for the occasion by the New Brunswick Power Company.

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB

The regular Fortnightly Club meeting of St. David's church took the form of a bowling tournament last evening on Victoria alleys. After this the party, numbering about 20, went to the home of J. E. Howard, 114 Mecklenburg street, where a pleasant evening was spent in various card games. Before the party dispersed dainty refreshments were served.

Six Men Arrested At Championship Game

MONTREAL, Q., March 25.—Three men were arrested just before the start of the Ottawa-Montreal game tonight and were later charged with trafficking in tickets. Three other men were arrested on following charges.

The ticket scalpers attempted to sell special constables tickets at treble their value.

GORDON LEROY MCKENZIE

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. W. Roy McKenzie, 28 Harding street, Fairville, on the death of their only son, Gordon LeRoy, aged 34, which occurred yesterday. Besides his parents he leaves one sister, Marjorie. The funeral service will be held at the home of his parents this evening at 8 o'clock and the body will be taken to Nerepis tomorrow for interment.

PLAN FOR BANQUET

Loyalist Temple, No. 18, Pythian Sisters, at its regular meeting yesterday evening in Temple Hall made further arrangements for the sixth anniversary banquet which will be held on April 19 at the Admiral Beatty Hotel. Mrs. George Gray, M. E. C., presided and the meeting was largely attended. Plans were made for holding an initiation at the next meeting.

Passes



MICHAEL COLL, prominent Saint John citizen, who died at his home in Douglas avenue yesterday.

MAN IS HUNTED FOR SHOOTING HIS WIFE

Poses Fire Into Bushes as They Search Near Barrington, N. J.

CAMDEN, N. J., March 25.—Poses with shotguns and State troopers are searching the woods between Barrington and Lawnside, about six miles from here, for William Monroe, who shot and seriously wounded his wife in their home at Barrington according to the police.

The volunteer fire department of Barrington sounded the fire alarm siren and the fire companies of surrounding towns joined in the hunt. Shots were fired into every clump of bushes in the woods by indignant citizens who believe Monroe, a former ship yard worker, is in hiding and still in possession of the pistol with which he is said to have shot his wife. The couple had been separated, the police declared.

Mrs. Monroe was sent to the West Jersey Homeopathic Hospital in Camden. At noon when she went to the cellar, she said she saw her husband crouched in a corner, pistol in hand.

CHURCH PLANNED AT ROME AS MEMORIAL

ROME, March 25.—A subscription has been opened to build in Rome a memorial to commemorate the Ecumenical Congress to be held in Chicago in June. The memorial will take the form of a new church in honor of St. Juliana Falconieri, founder of the Congregation of Nuns. The church will be erected on the north slope of the Vatican Hill, so that the Pope will be able to see it from the Vatican garden.

POLICE SLAYER SOUGHT

BOSTON, March 25.—The entire city police force today was seeking the murderer of Patrolman Frank J. Conneau who was slain last night by one of three motor car thieves who fired a bullet into the officer's abdomen as he approached their stalled machine. All three then fled into a crowd of Lenten worshippers which was pouring out of a church entrance less than 200 feet distant.

PLANS N. Y. PARIS FLIGHT

PARIS, March 25.—Captain René Fonck, France's foremost ace of the World War, announced today that he would attempt a non-stop flight from New York to Paris, but probably not before next year. He said he would sell for New York at the end of April to study possibilities and probably would remain in the United States two or three months.

Recent experiments indicate that birds have a sense of taste, though not acute.

45 READY TO MIGRATE

LONDON, March 25.—The first batch of the prospective migrants who had been on the dole and have just finished a period of agricultural training at Claydon, comprising 45 men, specially selected for migration to Canada, will leave for Ontario tomorrow. They will sail on the Albatross.

STORES OPEN 9 A.M. CLOSE 6 P.M. DAILY FRIDAY, MARCH 26.

Advertisement for 'Sale Remnants of Wash Goods' featuring various fabrics and patterns.

Advertisement for 'New Spring Hats Outstanding Values' featuring various hat styles.

Advertisement for 'Hosiery and Gloves For Saturday' featuring various hosiery and glove styles.

Advertisement for 'OPEN WATER SEEN AT WESTFIELD' regarding signs of spring break-up.

Advertisement for 'New Broadcloth Dresses' featuring various dress styles.

Advertisement for 'Glove Specials' featuring various glove styles.

Advertisement for 'Something New The Broadway Smock' featuring a new smock design.

Advertisement for 'Easter Suits and Topcoats For Men and Boys' featuring various suit and topcoat styles.

Advertisement for 'Boys' Easter Togs' featuring various boys' clothing styles.

Advertisement for 'Weddings' featuring wedding services and attire.

Advertisement for 'Men's Neckties' featuring various necktie styles.

Advertisement for 'Always Popular Easter Gifts' featuring various gift ideas.

Advertisement for 'Don't Spoil Your Child's Hair By Washing It' featuring hair care products.

Advertisement for 'Men's Suits, Society Brand' featuring various suit styles.

Advertisement for 'Men's Topcoats, Society Brand' featuring various topcoat styles.

Advertisement for 'Manchester Robertson Allison Limited' featuring various clothing and accessories.