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LOCAL NEWS

SAVINGS BANK. The Dominion Savings Bank reports deposits for February of \$40,941.58, and withdrawals of \$38,788.54.

PRESENTATION. Last evening a few friends called at the home of Miss Annie Burbridge, East St. John, and tendered her surprise party at which a presentation was made and games and music were enjoyed by all. Miss Burbridge will leave for Ottawa in a few days.

TAKING EXAMINATIONS. The first examinations of the New Brunswick Optometric Society are being held in the Board of Trade rooms today and tomorrow. Fifteen candidates are taking the examinations, of whom twelve are from points in the province outside the city.

THE BOSTON BOAT. It is reported that the Eastern Steamships Lines, Inc. will resume operations on the international division about the first Monday in May. This line operates steamers between Boston, Eastport and St. John. The Governor Dingley, now running between Boston and Portland, will be withdrawn about the first of April to be overhauled for the St. John service.

MRS. SARAH KENNEDY. The death of Mrs. Sarah Kennedy, widow of Thomas Kennedy, occurred this morning in the Mater Misericordiae Home. She formerly resided in Rexton, N. B., and leaves one son, Joseph Kennedy, of Quebec, and one brother, Francis P. Crocker, of Newport News, Va. The funeral will take place at 2.30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the home.

TUNISIAN IN. The Canadian Pacific Steamships Ltd. liner Tunisian arrived in port this morning from Glasgow and docked at No. 3 berth, Sand Point, at 11.25 a.m. She had on board 105 cabin and 118 third class passengers, in addition to 500 tons of general cargo and about 800 bags of Royal mail. Owing to the lateness of her arrival the passengers remained on the steamer for lunch.

HEAVY GRAIN SHIPMENTS. During the last three weeks grain shipments from this port have been very heavy. In ten days the C. N. R. elevator has delivered three quarters of a million bushels to steamers. They have at present approximately 600,000 bushels in the elevator and about 200,000 on the tracks, while 750 cars are enroute from Montreal. The demand is expected to continue quite heavy until the close of the season.

THE SOUTH END RINK. At a meeting of the rink committee of the South End Improvement League it was decided to keep the skating rink open as long as possible. There is a small deficit, as the cost of keeping the rink in good condition and building a checking room was greater than the receipts from check-in. It is hoped most of this will be wiped out by the end of the season. The rink has been a great boon to the people, old as well as young, of the south end, all through the winter.

DRIVE AND DANCE. The annual drive and dinner of the staff of the local branch of the International Harvester Co. was held last evening in the Manor House. A. S. Allan, branch manager, presided and the chaplains were Mr. and Mrs. Allan and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Burditt. After dinner a short programme of musical numbers and readings was carried out and dancing was enjoyed until about midnight. The affair was voted a complete success.

COUNTY COURT. The cases against William Truffin charged with theft of several chickens were continued in County Court this morning. Several witnesses were examined. The defence is seeking to show that Truffin did not commit the theft although the goods were found under a mattress in his room, but that the guilty one is a witness who gave evidence for the prosecution. The case may reach the jury this afternoon. W. M. Ryan appears for the prosecution and J. P. H. Teed for the defence.

LOCAL CUSTOMS GAIN. The St. John customs returns for February show a gain of \$344,316.83 over the same month in 1921. The figures are as follows: February, 1922, customs duty, \$586,078.94; sundry cash, \$846.62; excise tax, \$27,047.06; excise duty, \$2,966.31; St. John pilotage fund, \$5,799.99; steamship inspection, \$310.00; marine dues, \$2,793.68; total, \$596,126.68; February, 1921, customs duty, \$299,384.64; sundry cash, \$554.92; excise tax, \$26,052.94; sales tax, \$7,925.00; St. John pilotage fund, \$4,831.25; steamship inspection, \$370.00; marine dues, \$2,744.00; total, \$321,909.85.

L. ARCHIBALD REICKER. Many friends will regret to hear of the death of L. Archibald Reicker, which occurred early this morning at the residence of his uncle, Louis P. Logan, 55 Kennedy Place. He was twenty-six years of age and was employed for some years with Vassie & Co. He was a member of the Mission Church of St. John Baptist. Mr. Reicker was the only child of the late John and Emma Reicker and the only grandchild of the late Charles and Elizabeth Logan. Besides his uncle, he leaves three aunts, Mrs. Logan, and Misses Clara and Bertha Logan.

SOCIAL EVENING. A successful social was held last evening in Thorne Lodge Hall, I. O. G. T., by members and friends of the lodge. A programme was given as follows: Piano solo, Miss Mary Owens; reading, Geo. Boyd; solo, Henry McEachern; reading, Miss Marion Brown; solo, John McEachern; piano solo, Alex. Brown; solo, Peter Murray; solo, Wm. McEachern. A tidy sum was realized for the lodge hall fund. The national anthem brought a pleasant evening to close. E. N. Stockford presided, and gave a short address. Miss Mary Owens was accompanist.

SOME HYDRO FIGURES. The mayor had before him this morning some figures presented by the Toronto Star on the operation of the Niagara hydro development. The plant cost \$6,500,000, on which the interest charges were \$300,000, or about \$44 a horsepower on the 2,000 h. p. now being delivered to Port Arthur. The municipality, however, is paying only \$21 to \$22 a horsepower, the loss being added to the capital cost. The present capacity of the plant is 2,500 h. p., and the ultimate will be 75,000. When the whole of the present capacity is being operated it is expected that the cost will be reduced to \$18 and \$19, and still lower when the 75,000 is developed.

IN TROUBLE IN BAY OF FUNDY

Canadian Navigator Disabled on Way to Halifax—Digby Reports Distress Signals.

Word was received at the local office of the C. G. M. M. late last night that the steamer Canadian Navigator was disabled off Bour's Head, about half way between this port and Yarmouth. The Navigator sailed from here early yesterday morning on a special permit to proceed to Halifax for inspection. The message stated that her engines were disabled and that the C. P. S. freighter Bothwell, bound here, was standing by for the night. The tug Gopher was at once dispatched to the scene, with the intention of towing the disabled steamer back to St. John if it was possible. The Canadian Navigator is a vessel of 1,929 tons and is commanded by Captain Gilbert. She arrived here from London early on Friday morning.

Digby, N. S., March 1. — A large steamer unknown to those on shore is in the Bay of Fundy, three miles above Tiverton and half a mile off shore, flying signals of distress. She is apparently helpless, and the sea is breaking right over her. Another large steamer, standing by her since daylight, endeavored to put hawsers, but evidently failed, as a short time ago she left the scene and is now steaming up the shore towards Digby. Both steamers appear to be deeply loaded, and both are bound up the bay. Neither is known on shore.

SAY FAREWELL TO WM. GASKIN

Presentation by Vassie & Co. Staff as He Enters Business for Himself.

After more than eighteen years faithful service, during which he enjoyed the highest esteem of his employers and the general goodwill of the firm's customers, William Gaskin yesterday severed his connection with Vassie & Co. to take the reins of his own business in Main street, until recently operated by C. J. Eagles & Co. This is one of the oldest firms in the North End, and has been in existence for between forty and fifty years. Mr. Gaskin's many friends will wish him every success in his new venture.

Last evening he was the guest of honor at a dinner given in Bond's by his fellow employees in the Vassie establishment. A. R. McLevan was in the chair and on behalf of those present presented to Mr. Gaskin a valuable gold watch, suitably engraved, together with the best wishes of all his co-workers. Mr. Gaskin responded feelingly. A programme of speeches and musical and literary numbers was carried out.

H. R. McLELLAN FOR MAYORALTY

Gives Confirmation of Report of His Candidature for Position.

Increased interest in the approaching civic elections is created today by announcement that H. R. McLevan would be a candidate for the mayoralty next month. Mr. McLevan confirmed a report that has been in circulation to the effect by definitely saying that he was in the field after giving consideration for several days to the request of a petition presented to him. In saying that he would be a candidate Mr. McLevan admitted that he was in favor of harbor commission and hydro—provided in each case that the public received value.

AGED NINETY-FOUR

Death of Mrs. Rebecca Willis, Next to Eldest Member of St. Mary's Congregation.

Mrs. Rebecca Willis, widow of William Willis, and one of the oldest residents of the city, passed away at her home, 117 Thorne avenue, early this morning, after a brief illness. She was ninety-four years of age and was a life long resident of St. John.

Mrs. Willis was ill only four days and retained all her faculties right to the end. She had a wonderful memory and could recall with precision events which transpired during the early part of the city's history. She was next to the oldest member of the congregation of St. Mary's church and the oldest member of the Trinity Church Mothers' Association. She always took a keen interest in the work of St. Mary's and will be missed by a great many friends. She is survived by three sons, all residing in the city—Samuel, James and Charles. The funeral will take place from St. Mary's church on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

RESOLUTION ON PROHIBITION IN NEW BRUNSWICK

A special meeting of the Methodist Ministerial Association of St. John was held in Centenary church this morning, with the Rev. H. B. Clarke in the chair. Those present were Rev. Messrs. Clarke, Neil MacLachlan, H. E. Thomas, J. Heaney, E. E. Styles and J. M. Rice. The purpose of the meeting was to consider the whole temperance situation in New Brunswick.

The discussion was introduced by Rev. Mr. Thomas, and all the ministers present took part. On motion of the Rev. Mr. MacLachlan, seconded by Rev. Mr. Thomas, the following resolution was passed:—

Inasmuch as there are grave apprehensions that during the next session of the New Brunswick legislature an attempt will be made to introduce an amendment tending to weaken the provisions of the present Prohibition Act, therefore be it resolved, that we, the St. John Methodist Ministerial Association, do solemnly and emphatically protest against any change in the said act, except such changes as may tend to strengthen its present position and to render more efficient its enforcement.

In St. John Institution. James H. Holland of Fredericton, registrar of probate, came to St. John Monday to enter the Home for Incurables. Mr. Holland has suffered from serious illness for some time.

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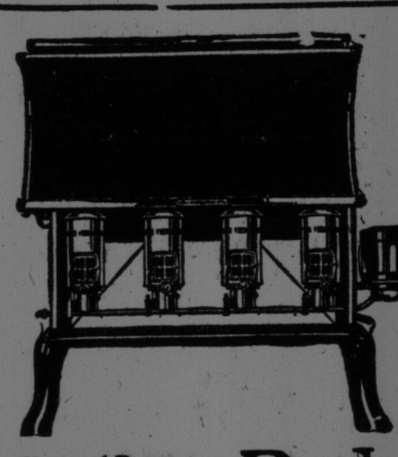
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