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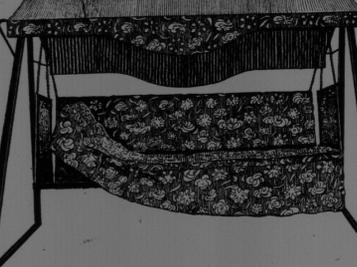
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P. J. LEGGE GIVES UP M.P.A.A. POSITION

Differences with A.W. Covey and Pressure of Business Given as Causes.

Giving personal differences with A. W. Covey, president of the M. P. B. A. A. I. of Canada, and business reasons as his grounds, P. J. Legge, secretary-treasurer of the Maritime branch, announced his resignation here today. The exact nature of these differences with the amateur head, Mr. Legge declines to divulge but added that they were of recent origin. It is understood on good authority they arose in connection with the Maritime boxing and wrestling meet.

Mr. Legge, who was first elected to the position of secretary-treasurer at the annual meeting of the branch in Truro in October, 1922 and who was re-elected by the narrow margin of one vote at the Moncton meeting last fall, said he would not have stood for election again this year and had every intention of resigning at the coming annual meeting, when these differences arose. Another important factor, he said, that impelled him to take this step was the growing demands of his position made on his time from his work and otherwise.

"Since the work of the office practically has been doubled," said Mr. Legge, "with the various Olympic trials I feel I can no longer spare the time from my work. I was trying to carry on, however, as best I could, and I am sorry I have been obliged to make this decision. My resignation will take effect at once."

Will Be Accepted, Says Covey

Mr. Covey, who is in Fredericton today with G. P. Bolton, of Sussex, member of the Maritime selection committee, to interview the Provincial Government regarding a grant to the Canadian Olympic fund, said over the long distance telephone at noon today that Mr. Legge's resignation would be accepted and that a new secretary-treasurer will be appointed at a meeting of the branch executive in Moncton this Saturday. The executive will attend the final track and field try-outs at Moncton on Saturday and afterwards will select the men who are to go to Montreal and also deal with Mr. Legge's resignation. The secretary pointed at Moncton will act until the annual meeting next October.

Asked regarding Mr. Legge's sudden resignation, Mr. Covey declined to make any comment. He said he was very busy attending to details in connection with the Government meeting and expressed confidence that their reception. Mr. Covey and Mr. Bolton to meet the Government this afternoon. Mr. Covey announced he was sending an automobile to Burt's Corner for Eric Snow, Trojok, C. boxer, and he thought it probable that Snow would arrive in the city late tonight and in plenty of time to appear in the programme at the arena tomorrow night.

The retiring secretary-treasurer, Mr. Legge, has been actively engaged in amateur sport here for the last ten years and more. He was Boys' Work secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in 1914-15, resigning that position to enter the employ of T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd., with whom he has been connected since then. He was largely responsible for the organization of the St. George's A. C. three years ago and was president of the intermediate league that flourished two years ago and was elected to the club changed its name to the Loyalist A. C. several months ago but owing to lack of support, the promoters were compelled to wind up its affairs.

Mr. Legge says it was largely as a personal matter that he gave up his position of secretary-treasurer at the meeting of the branch last fall. He felt then that the duties of the position were encroaching too much on his time. W. E. Stirling was nominated along with Mr. Legge, the latter winning by one vote. Mr. Legge says that he is resigning from office, he has by no means lost interest in the amateur game and will continue to help as best he can to further the good of the cause.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JUNE 4.

A.M. P.M.
 High Tide..... 6:58 High Tide..... 1:15
 Low Tide..... 6:58 Low Tide..... 1:15
 Sun Rises..... 4:29 Sun Sets..... 8:05

LOCAL NEWS

DOG LICENSES.
There had been 886 dog licenses issued to noon today it was reported by the Mayor's clerk this morning.

IS FINED \$200.
Thomas Mullet was fined \$200 by Magistrate Henderson in the Police Court this morning on a charge of having liquor in his beer shop in Prince Edward street. William M. Ryan appeared for the prosecution.

SWORN IN AS CONSTABLE.
Arthur York was sworn in by Magistrate Henderson in the Police Court this morning as a special constable to do wharf patrol duty for the local agency of the Marine and Fisheries Department.

THE COURT HOUSE.
A meeting of the municipal buildings committee was called for this afternoon at 2:30 to receive the report of the architect on the rebuilding of the old court house.

TRADE REQUEST.
The Board of Trade this morning received from a Sydney, Australia firm, a request for the names of exporters of hides and furs. The matter has been called to the attention of the local firms engaged in these lines.

HAD GOOD CATCH.
D. T. Thompson, of the Customs House staff, spent the holiday at Annapolis in search of funny beauties and was well rewarded. On his return to the city he shared up with his brother officers at the Customs House and they were not slow in expressing their appreciation.

HOME AFTER MEETING.
Mrs. Joseph Taylor and Mrs. L. Melvin, delegates to the Supreme Grand Lodge of North America, L. O. B. A., which met at St. Sault Marie, returned home yesterday and they report having had a very pleasant trip.

GIVEN SHELTER.
Three men, who said they were out of employment, appeared at night headquarters last evening to request to be allowed to spend the night there. Their request was granted and they were allowed to sleep on some of the cell cots.

HALIFAX BOXER HERE.
Walter Ferguson of Halifax, reported in the city this morning and is to participate in the 118 pound class event in the Olympic trials being held at the arena and tomorrow night at the arena. He will be pitted against the champion, Cavanaugh, and his friends expect that he will have a good chance to win.

MAYOR WILL OFFICIATE.
Mayor Potts this morning received an invitation from the executive of the Clerical Bowling League to attend their annual dinner at the Hotel Dunlop on Thursday, June 12, and present the new Brunswick Telephone Co. cup to the winners, the team of the house.

FOUR OVER HOLIDAY.
Four men were gathered in by the police over the holiday as a result of having inebriated too freely. Two were placed in the Hotel Dunlop on Thursday, June 12, and the other two faced Magistrate Henderson in the police court this morning and were fined a similar amount. If they fail to pay they are to be kept in jail for two months.

ATHLETIC EVENTS.
The annual Tuxis and Trail Rangers athletic contest will take place this evening on the Y. M. C. A. grounds at 7 o'clock. It was announced this afternoon that Classes 3, 4 and 5 will compete tonight and will complete the Tuxis Boys and Trail Rangers who weigh over 95 pounds and are 14 years of age or older. The younger groups will compete tomorrow night. More than 80 entries have been received.

GETS REPLY ON AUDIT.
Mayor Potts said this morning that he had received word from Messrs. Price Waterhouse and Co. advising the terms on which they would be prepared to undertake an audit of the books of the Civic Power Commission and make suggestions as to possible changes in the accounting system but he had not yet decided whether they would be engaged or not.

DANGEROUS PRACTICE.
Herbert Lee, Robert Lee, Ronald Hughton and Howard Hartshorn were reported by P. P. police constables for walking along a trestle near Acadia street. Robert Lee and Howard Hartshorn appeared in the police court this morning and pleaded guilty and were fined \$5. Magistrate Henderson pointed out the danger to citizens walking on railway property and said it was for their own protection that the law was being so rigidly enforced.

METHODIST DISTRICT.
The Methodist district meeting will convene today in the Carmichael street Methodist church and continue tomorrow. Today will be devoted to a ministers' conference and tomorrow the lay delegates will be in attendance. The first session today will be at 2:30 this afternoon and there will be another session in the evening. The Ladies' Aid of the church will be hostesses to the ministers at tea, which will be served at the church. Delegates will be present from all the churches in St. John county and part of Kings county, the district extending as far as Sussex and the Long Reach.

CHOIR OUTING.
A pleasant outing was held by the Baptist church yesterday at Pandanac, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Neal. About 30 members of the choir and music committee of the church were present. Games of various kinds were indulged in and during the afternoon a game of "ball" was played. One team was captained by Fred McAlary and the other by Mr. Neal. Before leaving for the train the thanks of the company was extended to the host and hostess by Rev. Dr. Hutchinson.

DINGLEY IS AWAY WITH SEVENTY-FIVE

Officers Look for a Busy Summer in Tourist Travel.

With ideal weather conditions prevailing the Eastern Steamship liner, Governor Dingley, sailed this morning for Boston with approximately 75 passengers and a large general cargo. Among the passengers was one bridal couple, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Howard, on their honeymoon trip to Boston and New York.

Other passengers en route to various points in the United States were—Mrs. C. Steadman Richards, and little daughter, who is going to New York to meet her husband, who is in command of a large schooner, James W. Howard; Clinton Stockley, who was in the city on a short visit, is returning to his home in Pittsburg; Miss Nellie Scott going to Revere Beach, Mass., to visit her sister, Mrs. Delano; Mr. and Mrs. Norman J. Speer, on a pleasure trip to Boston and other cities.

Officers on the liner said they were looking forward to an exceptionally heavy tourist travel this year on the Governor Dingley. They were well booked for their return trip to St. John next Saturday and had also bookings for Tuesday, June 10. The freights were also picking up and it was expected that as the season advanced they would steadily increase.

ATHLETES TO END ROTHESAY WORK TOMORROW

The Olympic training camp at Rothesay will be closed after a final workout tomorrow afternoon according to an announcement made today by Coach Johnny Dee.

The athletes are now in as good condition as it is possible to get them in, said Coach Dee. "Any interested are invited to visit the Rothesay Collegiate campus tomorrow afternoon when they will be 'put through their paces'."

Coach Dee will accompany the winners of the various events to Montreal to continue his good work of conditioning them for the final Canadian trials to be held there later this month.

BUSINESS ON THE FERRY IS LESS

The report for the month of May shows that there was a big falling off in the number of passengers and teams carried and in the amount of revenue received. It also shows a big decrease in the number of passengers and teams for the year to date as compared with 1923.

Following are the figures: May, 1923—Passengers, 156,211; revenue, \$2,589.10; May, 1924—172,670; revenue, \$2,072.52. Decrease in passengers, 38,541; decrease in revenue, \$516.58.

Teams, 8,167; revenue, \$794.25; May, 1924—Teams, 8,220; teams, 548; decrease in revenue, \$66.81. Total decrease in revenue, \$583.39.

The total number of passengers to date for 1924 is 858,049 as compared with 827,841 for the same period of 1923, a decrease of 30,208. The number of teams carried to date this year is 51,383 and for 1923 the number of 56,005 was carried, this showing a decrease of 4,622 in the number of teams.

CHURCHES UNITE FOR SUMMERTIME

During the next three months the congregations of St. David's and St. Andrew's Presbyterian churches and the Central Baptist church will be amalgamated and all prayer services will be held in the central church rooms. The first service will be held this evening under the new arrangement. This at least one practical demonstration of church union in St. John.

In July and August Central Baptist and St. David's will unite for preaching services, as do also Centenary and Queen Square Methodist churches, and St. Andrew's Presbyterian and German street Baptist.

OF INTEREST TO POTATO SHIPPERS

With respect to a suggestion of a trade commission to assist in marketing maritime province agricultural interests, the Minister of Trade and Commerce has advised the St. John Board of Trade that his department is making arrangements to have the Canadian Trade Commissioner in Jamaica spend some time in Cuba each year previous to the date of marketing of the maritime potato crop. Mr. Cornach is the name of the new trade commissioner at Jamaica. A commissioner has also been appointed for Trinidad.

As Hiram Sees It

"I see," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to The Times reporter, "they found a bishop guilty of heresy over in the States."

"They did," said the reporter.

"An' down in Florida they grabbed two colored boys an' hung 'em—an' shot 'em—an' dragged the bodies through the streets—an' he'd a real fine time of it without ever stoppin' to hev a trial."

"They did," said the reporter.

"I was thinkin'," said Hiram, "that if the old bishop aint fit to practise his religion where he is now he might be sent down to try it out where the other kind seems to hev fell down some."

"Hiram," said the reporter, "this theme is too profound for an unregenerate old bayseed like you. How is the weather?"

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