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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 1922

RATES THE SAME AS LAST YEAR

Estimated Surplus of \$20,000 in Water Department—Police to Retire After 50 Years.

The water rates for the city of St. John and for the parishes of Lancaster and Simonds will remain at the same figure this year as they were last year, according to a resolution passed yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the city council and Councillors O'Brien and Golding, of Lancaster, and Councillor Dean of Simonds.

In presenting his motion, Mr. Jones submitted a comparative table of receipts and expenditures for 1921 and the estimated receipts and expenditures for the current year. The extra charges arising out of the Spruce Lake main were: Increase in interest, \$22,104; increase in sinking fund, \$3,988.73; and loss on sale of bonds, \$6,101, making a total of \$32,193.73. His total estimated revenue of \$243,000 for the current year was \$10,500 more than the receipts of last year. He expected to be able to effect a cut of \$8,000 this year on last year's expenditure for general maintenance. (The estimated expenditure for this year was \$229,555.85. Mr. Jones said that at the close of each year he had been able to show a substantial surplus and he would endeavor to pursue this same policy in future.)

The comparative table follows:

	1921	1922 Estimated
Receipts	\$232,546.73	\$243,000.00
Expenditures	\$200,415.69	\$229,555.85
Surplus	\$32,181.03	\$32,181.03

Estimated surplus of receipts:

East side	\$198,000
Simonds	5,000
Carleton	25,000
Lancaster	22,000
Total	\$250,000

George Corbet, for more than fifty years a member of the police and fire departments, of the former city of Portland and the present city of St. John, was voted six months' full pay to be remitted to him following his resignation from the police force in April. He is now on a six months' leave of absence with half pay.

S. C. Tippet, of Fairville, was heard in regard to the purchase of a lot in the town planning area in Lancaster. Mr. Tippet wished to purchase a lot adjoining in the rear of a lot already owned by him and for which L. W. Simms has already made application. On suggestion of the mayor the matter was left for the time being to see whether a settlement agreeable to both parties could be worked out through the offices of Commissioner Bullock.

A communication was read from the city engineer relative to the proposed bridge over the railway tracks at the Douglas avenue crossing.

BILIOUS FOLKS RETURN TO MEALS

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The Last Word in Autos

will find fullest expression at the approaching Motor Show at the Armories from Monday, April 3, to Saturday, April 8.

In the number of exhibits, variety of new and up-to-date cars, in programme and general arrangements, this year's Motor Show will exceed, by far, anything of the kind yet attempted in Eastern Canada. Every car owner and motor enthusiast should, therefore, attend the

MOTOR SHOW APRIL 3 to 8

at the Armories where the programme will include choice musical selections by Jones' Orchestra, Short Talks on Live Topics by some of New Brunswick's finest speakers, and other special features.

Admission—Gentlemen, 50c; Ladies, 25c. Arranged by the St. John Automobile Trade Association, Limited, under the Management of the Commercial Club, St. John.

ACIDS IN STOMACH CAUSE INDIGESTION

Create Gas, Sourness and Pain How to Treat.

Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach and not as some believe to a lack of digestive juices. The delicate stomach lining is irritated, digestion is delayed and food souring, causing the disagreeable symptoms which every stomach sufferer knows so well.

Artificial digestants are not needed in such cases and may do real harm. Try laying aside all digestive aids and instead get from any druggist a few ounces of Bismarck Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This sweetens the stomach, prevents the formation of excess acid and there is no sourness, gas or pain. Bismarck Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and is the most efficient form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.

MRS. FENWICK WILLIAMS COLLABORATES IN PLAY

(Montreal Gazette.) "Anne Proposes," and "First Aid to the Wounded," played by local amateurs, will be the bill offered at the benefit to be given by the Captain Fryatt Chapter, I. O. D. E., in aid of the Children's Bureau, on Monday, April 3, at the New Empire Theatre.

"Anne Proposes," which will be presented for the first time on any stage, is the work of two Canadian writers, Mrs. Fenwick Williams, of Montreal, and Miss Catherine Robertson, of Toronto, and New York. The plot is founded on a smart set story by Mrs. Williams, and Miss Robertson has supplied the dramatic setting. The play concerns the tribulations of a mischievous young woman who, desiring to get material for a book that she is writing, proposes to three young men in the first to see what they say to her. What they do say surprises her considerably. The ending is, of course, happy, but Anne passes through many vicissitudes before she and the hero come to an understanding.

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TURGEON WANTS I. C. R. RETURNED

Ottawa, March 21.—Onesiphore Turgeon (Liberal, Gloucester), a war member, in the commons today spoke of the affection of the Acadian soldiers for Lord Byng whom they regarded as their hero. He spoke of the importance of the ports of the maritime provinces in Canadian nationality and as the great outlet to the markets of the world. The Intercolonial railway, he said, should be run in the interests of the maritime provinces. "It is conducted under the act of Confederation and no order-in-council or act of parliament can change it. The three provinces will fight any change in the constitution, and feeling is strong on the point. It is a selfish motive, for the maritime people want to see the whole dominion prosper, knowing that they, too, will share when others are prosperous."

RETIRE AFTER 42 YEARS' SERVICE

Following the comparatively recent retirement of John Coffey, Martin Daley, Albert J. Welling and other Canadian National Railways conductors under the provisions of the provident fund, after a service of many years, Willard L. Broad, one of the best known conductors of that system has also quit railroading and will live on his country place near Moncton. Mr. Broad formally retired on Monday. He entered the railroad service forty-two years ago, his brother Norman going to the railroad list at about the same time. Both were St. John boys and joined the service in this city. About forty years ago Norman having become wedged in one of the old time man-killing frogs in the rear of a bucking train.

BURIED YESTERDAY

Service in connection with the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Hatfield was conducted at her late residence, 32 Celebration street, on Tuesday afternoon at half-past two o'clock, by Rev. Mr. Bone of the Central Baptist church, and Rev. Dr. Hutchinson of Main street Baptist church. The burial took place in Fernhill. Many beautiful floral wreaths attested the sympathy and deep respect of her many friends.

All This Year's New Models

Including several cars never before seen here, will be on exhibit, with a complete showing of all the latest accessories.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MAR. 22.

High Tide... 7.18 Low Tide... 1.80

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Yesterday.

Str. Erholm, 749, Johannessen, from Norfolk.

Arrived Today.

Str. Canadian Raider, 2052, Sears, from London.

Str. Canadian Otter, 1887, from Glasgow.

Str. Canadian Logger, from Barbados.

Str. Comino, 2932, Nuttall, from London.

Coastwise—Tug Wason, 33, Lipsett, from St. Martin's.

Cleared Today.

Coastwise—Star Breeze, 612, MacDonald, for Digby; sch. General George C. Hogg, 407, Haughn, for Liverpool.

Sailed Yesterday.

Str. Holbrook, 4155, Murray, for London and Rotterdam via Halifax.

Sailed Today.

Str. Sicilian, 5442, Henderson, for Kingston and Havana, via Boston.

Str. West Lashaway, 3376, Farrow, for Valencia, Spain.

MARINE NOTES.

The West Lashaway sailed at ten o'clock this morning for French, Spanish and Italian ports, with a cargo of sugar.

The Canadian Raider arrived in port this morning from London, and docked at No. 16, Sand Point, where she is discharging explosives destined for Quebec. She will finish discharging at Long wharf.

The Canadian Otter arrived this morning from Glasgow and docked at Long wharf.

The Canadian Trooper shifted this morning from Long wharf to Pettingill wharf, where she will finish loading for Liverpool. She will sail on Saturday.

The Canadian Logger arrived this afternoon from Barbados with a full cargo of sugar and molasses. One thousand tons of the sugar is for the refinery and the rest for Montreal.

The Canadian Rancher, from London, reported 150 miles east of Sable Island last night. She will arrive in port on Friday morning.

The Manchester Hero is due from Manchester on Friday morning for St. John.

The Times is due tomorrow from San Domingo with a cargo of sugar.

The Comino arrived this morning from London and anchored in the stream.

The Bretland is due from San Domingo with sugar the first of the week.

The R. M. S. P. Chaudre will leave Bermuda on Friday morning for St. John with passengers, mails and general cargo.

The Lakonia was reported 14 miles east of Cape Sable at eight o'clock last night. She will arrive tomorrow morning.

The Sicilian sailed early this morning for Cuba and Mexico. She carried one of the largest cargoes of potatoes ever exported from this port and most of them are New Brunswick stock. The Sicilian also carried considerable other freight.

The Dunbridge sailed last night for London, with general cargo.

The Erholm arrived last night from Hampton Roads with a cargo of coal, and docked at No. 15, Sand Point.

The Bengala arrived at Delagoa Bay from St. John on Sunday.

The Ramore Head arrived at Queens-town from St. John on Monday.

The Grey Gull will leave for Portland tomorrow morning to complete cargo for Bordeaux and Havre.

The Kenbane Head will sail the last of the week for the port of Spain.

The Lakonia is due from Avonmouth on Friday or Saturday to load for Avonmouth and Glasgow.

REST IN JAIL TO AWAIT VESSEL

Three Newfoundland Seamen in Montreal Charged With Stealing Ride on Train.

Quebec, March 22.—(Canadian Press)—"We wanted to get to Montreal which we have seen advertised as the greatest port in Canada," was the excuse given in court yesterday by three young Newfoundlanders charged with stealing a ride on a Canadian National Railway train.

The young men, who gave their names as William Falls, Arthur Armstrong and Wm. Anderson, said that they were seized and were trying to get to Montreal to secure work.

As the trio showed signs of having suffered considerable hardships, Judge Choquette thought it better to provide them with shelter here and sent them to the Quebec jail for one month, telling them they would possibly be released to secure work on a ship in this port at the expiration of their terms.

LEAGUE COUNCIL IN PARIS ON FRIDAY

Geneva, March 22.—The council of the League of Nations has been called to meet for a brief session in Paris on Friday of this week at the request of Great Britain and France which have presented for discussion four questions: The league's relations with the Geneva conference; the possible participation of the league's technical staffs in preparation for the Geneva meeting; the problem of Russian refugees and the nomination of additional members of the league committee for the reduction of armaments.

MEANS A BIG CUT IN THE INDIAN BUDGET.

Delhi, India, March 22.—The legislative assembly, by a vote of 68 to 30, yesterday declined to agree to the raising of the import duty on cotton from 11 to 15 per cent ad valorem. The reduction of the increase in the cotton entails a loss of 841 lakhs to the budget.

I. O. G. T. BOWLERS.

In the I. O. G. T. bowling league this evening, Dominion and District lodge teams will play on the Victoria alleys, and No. 10 Surrender and Thorne Lodge on Black's alleys. Thorne Lodge and No. 10 Surrender are tie for first place.

BASKETBALL.

The Celtic Y. basketball team from Moncton are expected in the city tonight to play the Y. M. C. A. intermediates. Other games scheduled for the evening are a girls' game between the Sparks and the Y. M. C. A. Young Ladies' League, and a special High School game in which the present team will be met by a picked team from among the old boys of the school. The probable line-up for the old boys will be Maloia, Kerr, Nixon, Robertson and Millidge.



WARM PRAISE FOR POLICIES OF GOVERNMENT

Fredericton, March 21.—In the course of the budget debate today, R. T. Hayes, M.P., of St. John, in a spirited and logical fashion praised the government's policies and expressed the wish that the hydro-electric power, the development of which has been so well begun, could be expedited to the most remote farm. Mr. Hayes referred to the benefits of the health act and to the improvement in the roads of the province, pointing out that before being too critical of expenditures one should consider what was secured in return. He was warmly congratulated on his fair-minded speech.

Mr. Hayes said there had been too much pessimism on the opposite side of the house. He had every faith in the future of the province under the present administration. He touched on the matter of railway freight rates and said the present high rates were a burden on the commerce of the province. The province was entitled to a square deal.

The next speaker was A. C. Fawcett, of Westmorland, who, during the course of his remarks, said his party was not trying to put the present administration out of power and would support the government if it lived within its estimates.

During the afternoon session Hon. Dr. J. E. Hetherington, provincial secretary, of Westmorland, who had been through illness, took his seat for the first time this session. He was heartily greeted by both sides of the house.

When the house resumed in the evening the debate was continued by F. L. Estabrooks, who ably upheld the policies of the government. He spoke in favor of the government sending trade agents to the West Indies to aid in the expansion of trade with those islands.

S. B. B. of York, while lauding some departments of the government, criticized others.

A petition was presented by Mr. Hayes asking leave to introduce a bill to amend the St. John City Assessment Act of 1918 Section six of the act would be amended by adding a paragraph to the effect that when, by any agreement or device the profit on goods sold by a resident of the city is not receivable by him or is not payable to him, and which profit would be assessable under the act, in such case the income tax shall be such amount as, in the judgment of the assessors would be the ordinary profit on such goods and shall be assessed against the person who sells or otherwise deals with such goods.

The act also is amended to permit the service of tax bills by mailing them.

The section in regard to assessment of profits is amended so that outside companies that have branches in St. John, but which branches, according to the way the books are kept, do not show any profits on the business transacted in the city.

Y. W. C. A. DIRECTORS

The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Y. W. C. A. was held yesterday afternoon with Mrs. James P. Robertson, president, presiding. Mrs. H. A. Goodwin reported that there were 120 sustaining members and other special members. Mrs. T. H. Sommerville gave the report of the finance committee and funds were found to be very low. Mrs. J. D. Hunter read the girls' work committee report. The report of the Travelers' Aid committee, read by Mrs. Jas. P. Robertson, told of a great deal of good work done by this branch; 291 trains and twenty-three boats were met, fifty-seven people were taken to the transient home, 116 given help at the station, and employment found for five.

Mrs. E. C. Weyman presented the report of the physical committee. Mrs. W. H. Luggs gave the report of the residence committee. The committee of 4018 meals were served through the month. Reports from the tea and sale held showed a sum of \$202 realized. It was decided to hold a rummage sale.



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LOCAL NEWS

A painful illness characterized by temperature, cramps and vomiting is known to have attacked about twenty-five children suddenly on Monday and yesterday. Unclean milk is set down as the cause of the illness in view of the fact that all the children attacked belong to families that are customers of the same milkman. The first cases occurred on Monday and were reported to the board of health and yesterday morning an inspector confiscated the remaining part of the milkman's supply, while he was making his rounds. The board will make an investigation and samples of the milk are now being analyzed. Meanwhile the dealer has been prohibited from bringing any more milk into the city until the investigation has been completed.

The C. G. I. T. of St. David's church gave a much enjoyed entertainment last night. The stage was arranged to represent an out-of-door scene. The committee in charge consisted of Miss Jean Sommerville, Mrs. J. S. Malcolm, and Mrs. J. W. Brittain and the accompanist of the evening was Miss Louise Malcolm. Rev. J. A. MacDonald was chairman. The first part of the programme consisted of musical numbers and readings and the second part was the presentation of the playlet, "The Torch." Those who took part were Misses Eleanor Holder, Edith Clark, Marjorie Cameron, Jean Aird, Flora MacDonald, Bernice Sommerville, Oleone Sprague, Ethel Campbell, Bernice McPherson, Edna Sage Helen Clark, Helen McGowan, Ruth

Collins, Elsie Moore, Doris Mayes, Marjorie Doig Kathleen Roden and Willa Woodley.

CONVICT LONGS FOR FRANCE. Lustgarten Asks Parole Board to Let Him Go Abroad.

Ossining, N. Y., March 22.—William Lustgarten, paroled from Sing Sing, where he was serving a sentence for defrauding investors of thousands of dollars by means of a tax lien company in New York City, has applied for permission to go to Europe to live. He wishes to settle in France and has asked prison officials to waive the provision of his parole, which requires that he remain in New York State.

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