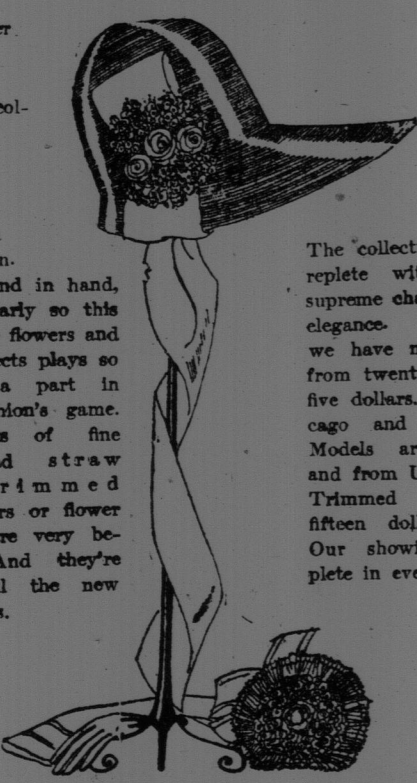


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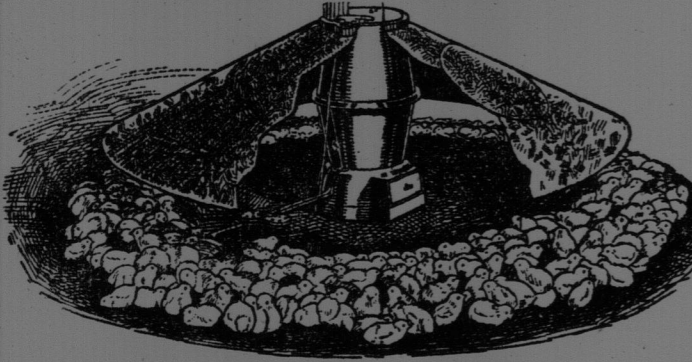
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DEAD AT AGE OF 97: WAS MARRIED BY FATHER OF LATE BONAR LAW

David Lawson, of Collins Street, Fairville, Leaves 51 Descendants.

David Lawson, a respected resident of Fairville, died at his home in Collins street, Fairville, at two o'clock this morning at the advanced age of 97 years. He had been receiving medical treatment for a few months, but was confined to his bed only during the last three weeks. He is the last surviving member of a family of nine. He was born at Maine River, Kent county, N. B., in 1827 of Scotch parentage. He spent his early manhood in farming and lumbering. He came to Fairville on May 24, 1882, and has resided there ever since. His first wife was a Miss Sarah Thompson of Bass River, Kent county, to whom he was married in 1854 by Rev. James Law, a Presbyterian minister, and father of Bonar Law, who resided within a few miles of Mr. Lawson's home on Maine River, and of whose church he was a member. By this marriage he leaves five daughters and four sons. The daughters are Mrs. J. W. Bronnell of Moncton, Mrs. C. L. Galloway of Boston, E. M. Sears of Boston, Mrs. Elmer Penley of California and Mrs. James Lowell of Fairville. The sons are Robert of Fairville, William of St. John, David of Boston and Ernest of California. There are also 26 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren. He is also survived and mourned by his second wife, who was Miss Matilda Ray of Rolling Dam, Charlotte county.

Mr. Lawson was remarkably young looking for his years, and retained all his faculties until within a few hours of his death. His passing removes the oldest resident of Fairville. He will be missed by a large circle of friends. He was an adherent of St. Columba Presbyterian church of Fairville. On the morning of his death his last words were: "I know in whom I have believed."

The funeral will take place from his late residence, Collins street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 to Greenwood cemetery. The services will be conducted by Rev. Wm. Townsend and Rev. J. M. Rice.

VOTERS HAVE TEN DAYS TO QUALIFY

Four Candidates for Mayor, 5 for Commissioner, Already in Field.

Those who wish to exercise their franchise in the coming civic election must see to it that their names are on or before Saturday March 22, at the latest day under the law on which they can qualify as a voter. Under the Commission Act taxes must be paid at least ten days before the date of the primary election and as this would fall on Sunday, March 23, it will be necessary to pay on Saturday.

Nine Candidates Out. Nomination day is Monday, April 1 and the primary election will be held on Monday, April 15. The first four for commissioner and the first two for Mayor will then be voted for in the final, which will be two weeks later, on Monday, April 28. The winners in the final will take office on May 1.

At the present time four candidates are in the field for Mayor: G. Fred Fisher, the present incumbent, who has been in office since November, 1923; R. A. McAvity, H. R. McLellan and F. L. Potts.

For the commissions five candidates are already in the field and it is expected more will come. Commissioners Thornton and Prink are offering for re-election and the other candidates are R. G. McInerney, "Sandy" Corbet and James Sprout.

PROPERTY SALES

The following real estate transfers have been recorded recently:—J. E. Evans to Emma A. Brayley, property in Lancasterside and husband to Gertrude E. J. Porter, property in Lancasterside.

Turnbull Real Estate Co. to A. Scott, property in Main street, Kings County.

Percy Cowan to M. W. McKnight, property in Hampton.

Heirs of W. J. Keith to C. N. Wilson, property in Havlock.

J. M. March to Ada B. March, property in Hampton.

C. T. Nevins to W. W. Hatfield, property in Westfield.

SOME BEER SHOPS FORCED TO CLOSE

Following the recent activities of the local staff of inspectors in rounding up a number of beer shops that have been selling whiskey and brandy in beer bottles, Inspector Crawford called on the proprietors of those which have been found guilty and ordered them to close up or take the penalty of selling beer without a license. In consequence of this action the number of beer shops is somewhat less than it was a few days ago.

EPWORTH LEAGUE MEETS. The Epworth League of Fairville Methodist church met last night in the vestry of the church. It was missionary night and under the direction of their leader, Miss Eva Taylor, interesting papers were given. Those taking part were Miss Taylor, Miss Stella Kirkpatrick, Misses Hazel and Lottie Kelly. An address on the topic of the evening was given by Rev. J. M. Rice. At the close of this meeting a short business session was held and arrangements made for a playlet which will take place in the near future.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MARCH 11.

A.M. P.M.
High Tide..... 8.32 High Tide..... 8.54
Low Tide..... 9.48 Low Tide..... 10.10
Sun Rises..... 6.44 Sun Sets..... 6.24

LOCAL NEWS

PRIZES TO BE PRESENTED. It was announced today that the presentation of prizes won at the recent Maritime skating meet and also at the schoolboys' skating meet would be presented on Thursday evening at Y. M. C. I.

PLEASANT EVENING PASSED. The members of the St. John Power Boat Club are to be entertained tomorrow evening by the concert party of the Montrose and preparations are under way by the club members to give the visitors a right royal good time.

PRESENTATION TODAY. It was said this morning by Mayor Fisher that he expected the presentation of the gifts from the city to Charles Gorman and William Logan, in recognition of their accomplishments at the skating meets will be winter, would be made at three o'clock this afternoon at City Hall and that a number of interested citizens had been asked to be present.

THE OVERHEAD BRIDGE. Mayor Fisher said this morning that he had not as yet received any information from the C. N. R. authorities regarding the estimated cost of the overhead bridge on Mill street. He had written the Montreal office for further information and hoped to hear from them in a few days. In his communication he called attention to the wish of the city to have the work started this summer if at all possible.

HYDRO REPORTS. The amount of energy generated at the Musquash plant for the week ending Saturday was 191,260 k.w.h.; the peak load was 2,700 kilowatts and average load was 1,340 kilowatts, making the load factor 50 per cent. It was reported at the office of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission. The Civic Power Commission this morning reported that 3,046 meters had been installed to date.

ORDERS AIR COMPRESSOR. The N. B. Power Company placed an order today for a large portable air compressor. It will be mounted on an auto truck and will be used by the company in its various construction work. This compressor will be equipped with drills, paving breakers, trench diggers, etc., and will be used this year in excavating for new gas mains which the company proposes laying, and also in the reconstruction of its street railway track system.

THOS. L. McMANUS DEAD. The death occurred at an early hour this morning of Thomas L. McManus, one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Pleasant Point, after an illness lasting only a few days. He is survived by his wife, one son, John, and two daughters, Miss Alice, graduate nurse, and Miss Stella, all at home; two brothers, John of New York and Edward of Boston, and one sister, Mrs. Mary Quinn, of Milford. The funeral will take place on Thursday morning at 7.30 o'clock to St. Rose's church.

COUNTY COURT HEARING. Judge J. A. Barry, in the County Court this morning, heard evidence in a suit brought by Beverly S. Earle against Sarah Senor for \$48.62, an alleged balance due on account of some carpenter work done for the defendant in her home in the Manawagish road. The evidence on both sides was heard and the case was adjourned until this afternoon to hear testimony in rebuttal. The claim is denied by the defendant, who alleges that she paid the account in full. M. B. Innes appeared for Mr. Earle, and E. J. Henchery and P. C. Quinn for Mrs. Senor.

KING'S DAUGHTERS MEET. The Good Cheer Circle of the King's Daughters met last evening at the home of Mrs. E. Clinton Brown, 60 Meckenburg street. Miss Alice G. Hising, who presided, conducted the session which followed. At the close of the meeting a social hour was held and a delightful program was carried out. The numbers included a recital of the experiences of three pioneer lady missionaries, entitled "Westward Ho in China," given by Miss Hising. Mrs. J. Currie and Miss Hising were heard in delightful piano solos, while readings, given by Mrs. George A. Horton, MacGowan gave a pleasing vocal solo. The guest of the evening was Mrs. W. H. Robertson, president of the City Union, who spoke kind words of appreciation of the entertainment given. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Brown.

As Hiram Sees It

"Well, sir," said Mr. Hiram Hornbush to The Times reporter, "I had a talk this mornin' with a feller that took his family to the States last fall, lookin' fer good times an' big pay. He's back now, an' he says he's seen the States an' he says they wasn't the only ones come back—an' the more 'ud like to come. He's lookin' fer work—an' when he gets settled down agin he won't never leave old New Brunswick. Workin' in the States aint like workin' here, he says, an' the feller that don't get a steady job is wuss off than he'd be here. I guess if we knowed all the truth about it we'd see the States was places than right here in this town. It may be all right for a single young feller that's full o' grit an' kin stan' a pinch if he has to. He'll git onto his feet all right in time—but onless a feller with a family knows just what he's gonto do when he gets there an' knows there aint no doubt about it—he'd better stay right here an' do the best he kin until times is better. Say, Mister, if we could do somethin' to stir things up an' make plenty 'o' work you'd see folks comin' back on the run. I see Hance Logan poked 'em up at Ottaway yesterday. They need it—but we got to poke ourselves up a little, too—by Heav'n!"

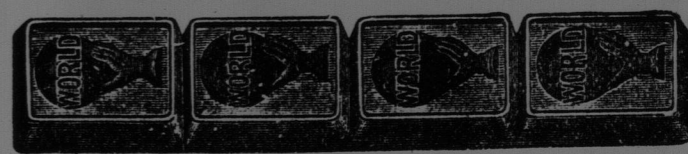
DEATH OF YOUTH.

The death of Harold Fleming at the age of 18 years, which occurred this morning at 28 Coburg street, will be heard of with regret by a very large circle of friends. The young man had been ill for some time with heart disease but had been confined to his bed only since Saturday. He is survived by his father, Stephen Fleming, his mother, three brothers, Charles, Archie and Jack; two sisters, Mary and Marguerite, all at home; and one uncle, Arthur Fleming of Pithsburg, Mass. The funeral will take place on Thursday morning at 9.30 o'clock to the Cathedral for requiem high mass.

ST. JUDE'S BADMINTON.

The first tournament of the St. Jude's Badminton Club was finished last night. In the men's singles L. Harding won from L. J. Maxwell. In the mixed doubles Miss E. Wilson and A. Wright won from L. Harding and Miss M. Wilcox in straight sets. In the ladies' singles after strenuous competition Miss V. Wilson beat Miss M. Wilcox. The men's doubles will be played later.

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