

FROM CHOSEN TO ACT UNTIL GENERAL VOTE

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forwarded to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor in Council, asking that an order in council may be passed.

(1) To relieve the City of Saint John from the necessity of holding a special election to fill the vacancy in the office of Mayor for the unexpired term.

(2) To allow the Common Council to appoint one member thereof to act as Mayor until another Mayor is elected.

(3) To declare that for the issue of debentures where a unanimous vote of all the members of the Common Council is required, until the new council is organized in May next, the unanimous vote of the remaining four members shall be sufficient.

(4) Agreeing to support legislation at the coming session of the house to make valid and ratify anything done under any or all of the foregoing suggestions.

On motion of Commissioner Wigmore, seconded by Commissioner Harding, Commissioner Frink was chosen as acting Mayor and Commissioner of Finance and Public Affairs.

NOT HALF-HOLIDAY
Commissioner Frink announced there would not be any general half-holiday on Saturday, but the civic employees would be given a half-holiday to enable them to attend the funeral of His Worship.

Commissioner Wigmore, warden of the Municipal Council, said a special meeting of the Municipal Council would be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock to pass a resolution of sympathy and attend the funeral of Mayor Potts.

MAYORS' SYMPATHY
All day yesterday and today messages of sympathy from outside points were coming to the home of the late Mayor Potts. Among those which had arrived up to noon today were telegrams from F. L. Anderson, Mayor of Digby; W. D. Belyea, Mayor of Woodstock; and J. McConnell, Mayor of Sydney.

MERCHANTS' SYMPATHY
The Saint John branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada met in special session this morning and passed the following resolution:

"Resolved, that it is with the deepest regret that we have learned of the death of His Worship Mayor P. L. Potts. The city and community at large sustains a severe loss in his passing, and it leaves a vacancy not easily filled.

"Further resolved, that we wish to extend our sympathy to Mrs. Potts, and her son, in their bereavement; also to the Common Council for the loss they have sustained.

"And further resolved, that we will observe a day of mourning for the late Mayor Potts."

Prices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

BIRTHS
ANGLIN—On Jan. 7, 1926, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Arthur L. Anglin, 68 Orange street, a daughter, Patricia Leslie.

YOUNG—On Jan. 7, 1926, to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Young, a daughter, Mary Elizabeth.

GALBRAITH—On Jan. 7, 1926, to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Galbraith, 11 Olive street, West Saint John, a son.

MARRIAGES
ROSE-LANTON—On Nov. 6, 1925, at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Clifford T. Clark, Frances W. Lanton to G. Everett Rose.

DEATHS
POTTS—At his residence, 174 Duke street, on Jan. 7, 1926, Joseph Potts, second son of the late Joseph Potts, 68th year of his age, leaving his wife, one son, four brothers and six sisters to mourn.

Funeral on Saturday afternoon. Service at his late residence at 2 p. m. Service at Queen Square United Church at 2.30 p. m.

DUPRETT—At his parents' residence, 241 Ladlow street, West End, on Jan. 7, 1926, Marjorie Eleanor Duprett, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Duprett, aged 18 months.

Funeral on Sunday afternoon. Service at his parents' residence, 108 Rotheray avenue, on Jan. 7, 1926, Roy Robert, child of Roy and Greta Fudeo, aged six weeks, leaving his parents and one sister to mourn.

Funeral today (Friday) at 2.30 o'clock. Service at his parents' residence, 145 Pinar street, on Jan. 7, 1926, Matilda J. McAlpine, leaving one brother and three sisters to mourn.

Funeral Saturday from her sister's residence. Service at 3.30 o'clock.

THORNE—At the residence of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Fowles, in Havelock street, on Thursday evening, Jan. 7, 1926, Elizabeth A. widow of the late Dr. H. S. Thorne.

Funeral from her residence 3 p. m. Saturday.

CARD OF THANKS
Mrs. Edwin C. Moran wishes to thank her many friends for their sympathy and flowers during her recent bereavement.

FUNERAL NOTICES
The members of York L. O. L. No. 8, are requested to meet at Grand Lodge, German street, on Saturday afternoon at 1.30 p. m. for the funeral of their late brother.

His Worship Mayor F. L. Potts, M. L. A. ELECT.
States lodges invited to attend. Ordinary dress. No rosaries. By order of the W. M. J. McHEPPARD, Sec. Secretary.

All Prentice Boys are requested to meet at Queen Square Methodist Church at 2.30 Saturday, the 9th, for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late brother.

FRANK LESLIE POTTS.
Ordinary dress.
By order of Grand Master.

The members of Portland Lodge, No. 148, S. O. E. B. S., are requested to meet at 2.30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Queen Square United Church for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late brother.

FRANK L. POTTS.
Members of "officiate" have respectfully invited to attend.
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Five Estates Dealt With By Probates Judge McInerney

Five estates have been probated before Judge H. O. McInerney in the Probate Court. Letters of administration were granted to Miss Abbie Colgan in the matter of the estate of Margaret Thornton, who left personally valued at \$5,482.26. J. J. Stothart was executor.

Letters of administration with the will annexed have been granted to D. R. Smith in the estate of David Smith. The value of the property was \$2,609.18, representing \$2,000 was realty. Dr. J. R. Campbell, K. C., was probator.

send a copy of this resolution to Mrs. Potts, and to the Common Council."

FUNERAL PLANS
Arrangements for the funeral of the late Mayor Potts have been about completed.

At 2 p. m. a short service will be held at the home, 174 Duke street, to which friends are invited, though it is intended for the immediate circle of relatives and household callers. Rev. H. C. Rice of Queen Square United Church will officiate, assisted by Rev. R. G. Fulton of Centenary.

The funeral party will then proceed to Queen Square church where the following will be the order of service: Hymn, "Peace, Perfect Peace."

Scripture reading, Prayer, Rev. R. G. Fulton. Address, Rev. H. C. Rice. Hymn, "Abide With Me."

Special seating arrangements have been made for the fraternal bodies, the Common Council and civic employees delegations and other representative groups.

After the ceremonies in the church the Knights of Pythias, under the direction of W. A. Coleman, Chancellor of the Union Lodge No. 2, will take official charge of the funeral. The order of procession has not been finally decided upon, but it is understood Mounted Police Officer Harry Bette will act as grand marshal, and that the first body to march as a unit will be the representatives of the four Pythian lodges, New Brunswick No. 1, Union No. 2, Saint John (N. E.) No. 30, and Carleton Tower. The Knights will wear their mourning badges.

PALL-BEARERS
The following Past Chancellors of Union Lodge will be pall-bearers: Leonard W. Wetmore, George W. Currie, John A. McKay, Frederick B. Dolis, Walter C. Peters and Dr. F. A. Gossage. The K. P. order will be represented in the Maritime Provincial service by Grand Chancellor Capt. Arnold Mowbray, Deputy Grand A. E. Prince and Union Lodge will recite the Pythian ritual in the Mortuary Chapel in Fernhill.

After the prelate's address to the dead each Pythian Knight will remove from his mourning band the evergreen sprig he wears and drop it on the body in pledge to keep forever green the memory of the departed.

The Masonic fraternity, Orangemen, United Brethren, Elks, Sons of England and other organizations will be formally represented at the obsequies.

Chief of Police William Smith said this morning that as many members of the Police Force as could be spared from duty would attend the funeral.

This morning the doorway at City Hall was draped in black and the late Mayor's chair and desk were draped. A large wreath was placed on His Worship's desk and will remain for some days.

POSTPONEMENT
Owing to the death of Mayor Potts, the regular meeting of the City Power Commission scheduled for this afternoon was postponed until next week. It will be held on Monday, Jan. 11, at 2 p. m. in the City Hall.

SCOTLAND YARD AND PRINCE
Scotland Yard, the London police headquarters, received a visit recently from the Prince of Wales, who is much interested in criminology, says The London Mail. The Prince went to the "Yard" in a purely private capacity to inspect the famous Black Museum, the fingerprint department, and other sections of particular interest.

While most of the officials were unaware that he was coming, as it was desired to keep the visit secret, the principal officers had been informed, and when the Prince arrived shortly after 3 o'clock, he was welcomed by Sir William Horwood, the Commissioner, and Sir James Olive, the Deputy Commissioner, who was formerly a constable.

In the Black Museum, where he stayed nearly an hour, the Prince saw many grim relics of famous crimes, including a piece of the clothing worn by Belle Elmore, which helped to bring Crippen to the scaffold; a finger lost by a burglar while climbing over a wall; and the bath in which John Smith drowned one of his brides.

During his visit to the finger prints department, the Prince was shown how a man may be identified in ten minutes, and in order to understand the process thoroughly he had his own finger-prints taken.

STERLING EXCHANGE.
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Sterling exchange steady. Great Britain 494 3/4; France 889 1/4; Italy 408 1/4; Germany 25.80. Canadian dollars 5-52 of one per cent. discount.

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GLEN FALLS CLUB IS RE-ORGANIZED

Herbert Nixon is Elected President—Open Air Rink Being Considered

At a re-organization meeting of the Glen Falls Community Club this week, the following were elected to the board of directors: George Simpson, Mrs. William Osborne, H. Shortell, Arthur Boyle, Percy Williams, James Scott, Herbert Nixon, Mrs. J. T. Sheehan, Edward Dalton, Mrs. George Buckle, A. Patterson, Mrs. Hall. The directors elected the following officers: President, Herbert Nixon; vice-president, Percy Williams; treasurer, Mrs. William Osborne; secretary, Mrs. J. T. Sheehan.

Plans for an open air rink were discussed and it was announced the club would put on an entertainment in conjunction with the Thorne Lodge next week. The directors are to meet every Wednesday and the club as a whole are to meet every second week. A membership committee was appointed and vigorous efforts in the direction of community effort will be made.

SUSTAINED DAMAGE
The steamship Fantes, which arrived in the harbor yesterday afternoon, had one of her life boats smashed, a derrick wrecked and part of her bridge damaged in a blow. She will dock at No. 14, Sand Point, to commence loading for South African ports. J. T. Knight and Co. are her local agents. Captain Crapper is in command.

RETURNS TO PORT
The steamship Valfortia, which sailed yesterday for Italian ports with a large general cargo, returned on account of trouble which developed to her steering gear during a storm. She arrived off Partridge Island about 5 o'clock this morning and came into the harbor today at noon and anchored in the stream. Repairs will be carried out at once. McLean-Kennedy are local agents for the steamer.

BUSINESS LOCALS
12 bands tonight South End rink.
Band tonight, Carleton Rink.
Cards at St. John the Baptist Hall, tonight.
Band and good ice at Lily Lake, tonight.
Stag party at "Prentice Boys' Hall" has been postponed.
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Tonight, 12 bands, perfect ice.
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DANCING, RITZ
Special ritzy dance, tonight. Six piece orchestra. Courteous treatment and a good time assured. W. B. Stearns, floor manager.
Good tobogganing at Lily Lake tonight.
A special meeting of Union Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias, will be held at Castle Hall, Saturday evening, Jan. 9th inst. at 7.30 o'clock, to receive reports, etc. By order W. A. Coleman, C. C.

ELKS.
All Elks are requested to meet at the club room at 1.30 p. m. tomorrow to attend the funeral of our late brother.
MAYOR F. L. POTTS.
E. A. WESTRUP, Exalted Ruler.

SHIP'S CARPENTER ROBBED.
HALIFAX, N. B., Jan. 8.—E. V. Atwood, ship's carpenter of the Canadian steamer Trianon was found at the ocean terminals this morning in a semi-conscious condition. It is believed he was robbed of \$40. He was taken to hospital.

READ OUR BEST AND LATE BOOKS
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9 WELLINGTON ROW.
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Shipping
PORT OF SAINT JOHN
Arrived Thursday, Jan. 7.
Stmr. Fantes, 3537, from Liverpool, Friday, Jan. 8.
Stmr. Valfortia, 3105, from London via Halifax.
Coastwise—Stmr. Empress, 612, MacDonald, for Digby.
Cleared Friday, Jan. 8.
Stmr. Kastalia, 2886, Cameron, for Glasgow and Avonmouth.
Stmr. Valfortia, 3105, For, for London via Halifax.
Sailed Thursday, Jan. 7.
Stmr. Thorgerd, 1454, Anderson, for Havana and Avonmouth.
Stmr. Kinghorn, 3990, Monsen, for Genoa.
Friday, Jan. 8.
Stmr. Metagama, 7483, Griffiths, for Liverpool to load for South African ports.
MARINE NOTES.
The steamer Thorgerd sailed last night for Havana with potatoes. The Laurepark is expected to leave the dry dock on Tuesday to commence loading potatoes for Havana. The Kalford is expected over the week-end from Cuba with raw sugar. The Fantes arrived yesterday from Liverpool to load for South African ports. The Schouwen will dock at No. 1, Sand Point, on Sunday to load for New Zealand and ports. The Yellavia will sail this evening for London via Halifax with general cargo. The Kastalia will sail early tomorrow morning for Glasgow with a shipment of cattle and will then proceed to Avonmouth to discharge her general cargo. The Emperor of Port McNicol will sail over the week-end for Havana with potatoes and general cargo. The Gracia will shift tomorrow to No. 4 berth to load for Glasgow. The Metagama sailed this afternoon for Liverpool. The Canadian Settler is expected over the week-end from Antwerp direct with general cargo. The Metagama will sail this afternoon for Glasgow with cattle and general cargo.

CANADA DEBT CUT
Is \$36,000,000 Less Than in 1925, Says Department of Finance
Canadian Press.
OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—The National debt is \$36,000,000 less this year than last, according to a statement issued by the Department of Finance. The total net debt at December 31, was \$2,381,735,027 compared with \$2,417,735,000 at December 31, 1925. During December there was a decrease of \$861,856 while in the corresponding month last year, there was an increase of nearly \$6,000,000.

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