

BREAKWATER MAY BE WET GO FURTHER DOWN, SAYS HEAD OF CONSTRUCTION CO.

Mr. Burton-Stewart Tells Telegraph That He Will Be Greatly Disappointed if Change is Not Made—Likely to Be Subject to Contractors—Says St. John May Well Take a Lesson from Vancouver in Regard to Its Streets.

Monday, May 6. Although it was announced some days ago that the breakwater enclosing the harbor at Courtenay Bay would be built just below the Municipal Home, as shown on the original plan, the matter does not yet appear to be definitely settled, as W. Burton-Stewart, managing director of the Canadian Norton Griffiths organization, told the Telegraph yesterday morning, on his return to Montreal, that he still hoped to see the breakwater go farther down.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Robert Evans. Friday, May 3. Mrs. Robert Evans, of Lorneville, who died in the Evangelical Hospital Wednesday, was in the 26th year of her age. She leaves her husband and four children.

Levi Truck. Gagetown, April 30. The death of Levi Truck occurred at his home here at 10 o'clock. Mr. Truck was in his 84th year, and had been in failing health for some time, although he was able to be about up to a fortnight previous to his death.

Monday, May 6. Jarvis Edwin Peer passed away Friday evening at his home in Prince street, West St. John, after a lingering illness. He was in his 24th year, and survived by his father, Jarvis Peer, one sister, Mrs. Wm. Dunham, of Sand Cove, and one brother, Clarence, of the west side.

Charles W. Ford. Sackville, N. B., May 5 (Special).—The death took place at his home here at 6 o'clock this morning of Charles W. Ford, North ward in Sackville town council, of Brights disease. He was the youngest son of the late Andrew Ford and Marie Wood-Ford, and leaves one sister, Mrs. Wood-Ford, and a nephew, Mr. J. H. Smith, of Sackville.

Mrs. John Belyea. Mrs. John Belyea died at her home, Cambridge, on Saturday morning, April 30. Her illness had continued some months, and was borne with Christian fortitude. She was a life long member of the Church of England.

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MEDICINE WANTS

Board of Trade Meeting Concludes Woodstock's Request for Valley Railroad Ceremonies, and Will Press for Recognition—Bound to Have It

Medicine, N. B., May 4.—This enterprising place has taken off its coat to secure what it regards as justice in the matter of the turning of the first sod of the Valley railway.

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JUDGMENT FOR

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Century Old Hulk in Middle of Sheepdy Marsh. The "Second Betsy" Made Many Trips and Dollars for Owner, Captain Dudgeon—News of Hopewell Hill.

Hopewell Hill, May 6.—Alfred Barbour, son of Howard Barbour, of Waterford, with a serious accident on Friday while driving with a double team. One of the horses starting suddenly the wagon, on which he was riding, one of the wheels passing over his head. Dr. Carvath, of Riverdale, was summoned, and attended the injured young man, who was found to be badly hurt, though likely to recover.

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WINTER PORT SEASON IS PRACTICALLY CLOSED

Great Increase in Business—Returns Are Most Encouraging, and Prospects Are That Next Season Will Smash All Records—The Last Passenger Boats.

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THE BANK MERGERS

Doctors Acted Promptly and There is No Danger

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LOCAL NEWS

Monday, May 6. The board of health office records show ten deaths during the week, one from each of the following diseases: Diphtheria, scarlet fever, pneumonia, rheumatism, heart disease, cardiac dropsy, whooping cough, cancer of stomach, pulmonary tuberculosis and congestion of lungs.

Monday, May 6. An announcement that will interest many friends is that Mrs. Harry I. Bridges, formerly of this city, was granted a divorce from Harry I. Bridges on the same house in Lowell (Mass.), as H. first Tuesday of April by the justice of the superior court at Portland (Me.), with an order allowing her to resume her maiden name. Miss Flessing is now in Vancouver.

Monday, May 6. E. J. Kingsley, who has been leader of the Citizens' Band, and organist and choirman of the Methodist church in Cornwall (Ont.), for some time, is coming to St. John with Mrs. Kingsley and family to assume his new duties as paymaster in the Cornwall and York Mills here. He has been employed in the office of the Dominion Cotton Mill in Cornwall for several years.

Monday, May 6. Frank P. Payson, of Westport (N. S.), was in the city a few days last week. Some forty years ago he was employed by L. Spencer, of the West Side, and occupied a seat at the same desk in the correspondence department. Mr. Spencer and Mr. Payson spent several hours on Thursday in pleasant reminiscence. Mr. Payson and a sister occupy the old homestead at Westport and be returned there Friday night.

Monday, May 6. Instead of having two separate divisions of the militia camp at Sussex as was the case last year, there are rumors that only one camp will be held this summer. It is said that the plan is to put into effect the camp will

Monday, May 6. Reports showing a very successful year's work were presented at the annual meeting of the W. F. M. S. of St. David's Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon and plans for the coming year were discussed. The officers elected were: Mrs. G. O. Hannah, president; Mrs. A. Morrison, first vice-president; Mrs. A. Watson, second vice-president; Mrs. Petch, secretary; and Mrs. D. Willet, treasurer. A life membership certificate was presented to Mrs. Hannah, who was re-elected president.

Monday, May 6. A subscriber writing from Newtown, Kings county, and referring to the investigation of the death of the Magee children in Prince Edward Island, expresses the opinion that the attorney-general of N. B. Brunswick should have continued his investigation of the case of William Byker, who was shot in the back of the head at White's Mountain. This subscriber says that many living in that vicinity firmly believe in the view of Drs. Thorne and Burns, who testified at the inquest that the wounds which killed Byker could not possibly have been self-inflicted. The subscriber says those who have devoted attention to the case, and who have been over the ground, are not at all satisfied with the course of the provincial government in allowing the case to drop.

Monday, May 6. THAT "PLOT" (New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin). What if we "plotted" to remove all duties from agricultural products? Would Great Britain object that it meant the absorption of the splendid Dominion of which she is so proud? This "plot" has something of the aspect of a mare's nest from the American point of view.

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Heartless Action Noble Couple

Titanic Sailor Tells Story of the Duff Gordons

Says They Objected Boat Returning to Pick Struggling Victims Although the Boat Was Not Loaded—Gave Boat £5 Each Afterwards.

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