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LOCAL NEWS

MAILS FOR MAGDALENES
Postmaster Sears has received word that the steamer Stanley will leave Halifax on March 29 for the Magdalen Islands. Mails will close here on the 28th.

THE CHIEF'S CAR
Fire Chief Blake's car has just been thoroughly overhauled and painted. It is now working excellently. The bright red color with silver hubs and the word "Chief" done likewise makes the car very attractive.

FEAST OF ANNUNCIATION
This is the Feast of the Annunciation, of the Blessed Virgin Mary, in the Catholic churches. No special services were held to mark the feast but there was a large number of communions with the various masses in all the churches this morning.

THE POLICE
Commissioner Thornton hopes by today to have all the lists filed by the policemen relative to back pay. He said this morning that the matter would likely come before the common council this week for consideration.

BACK TO NEW BRUNSWICK
Allan Christie, a St. John boy, connected with the film business, who was for two years with the Perkins Electric Co., Montreal, is now attached to the road staff of the Allen interests, Toronto, handling a routed attraction. Mrs. Christie and child are in the city at present.

BRASS TOKENS FOR FARES
Some of the Boston Elevated Railway's brass fare coins have reached the city and are considered quite a novelty, although the idea is not altogether new. The tokens resemble Chinese coins with the letter "B" pierced out of the brass and the name of the company and signature of an official stamped around about the edge. These coins are purchased in lieu of tickets and obviate the necessity of making copper change.

THE HARBOR
Mayor Hayes said this morning that no time has been definitely fixed for an auditor to arrive from Ottawa to check up the expenditures made on the city's wharves. He added that he was assured of his coming. In answer to a question, the mayor said that in all probability the auditor would have to go back over a period of twenty-five years and check up the expenditures made. He anticipates very little difficulty in the work.

TOLD OF MISSIONARY WORK
Edson Merrill, who has been a missionary among the Eskimos for some years, gave a very interesting lecture to the members of the Young People's Society of the Exmouth street Methodist church last evening. He described his travels in order to reach the natives. A number of people assembled to hear the interesting lecture. Vocal solos were rendered by Miss Greta Love and Miss Mabelle Shaw. Miss M. G. Myles, president of the society, was in the chair.

'PRENTICE BOYS' FAIR
The 'Prentice Boys' fair continued in their hall in Guilford street, West St. John, last evening with a very large attendance as the fair is proving very popular. The following prize winners were announced for last evening: Door prize, serving tray, William Lanyon; bean board, silver coffee pot, Roy Campbell; air gun, electric shaver, C. K. Seelye; silver salt and pepper shaker, F. Ferguson; bagatelle, oil stove, W. Hammond; ten pins, rifle, F. Ferguson and nine pins, silver dish, H. Daley.

ST. JOHN CHILD BURIED IN KENTUCKY
The burial of Margaret Louise, sixteen-year-old child of Rev. J. C. B. and Mrs. Appel of Victoria street, North End, took place in the family lot of the little girl's grandparents, Lexington, Ky., on the afternoon of the 18th, the same day as the Douglas Ave. Christian church pastor arrived there with the body. Services were conducted by Rev. I. J. Spencer, pastor of one of the Christian churches in Lexington, who was the incumbent in that charge when Rev. Mr. Appel lived in their home city. Rev. Mark Collis, pastor of the Broadway Christian church and Rev. Prof. De Weese of the College of the Bible, Lexington, the Disciples of Christ Institute, where Rev. Mr. Appel studied, and Rev. Mr. Appel returned to St. John in about a week. He is taking a sorely-needed rest.

FURTHER REMOVAL OF WAR TIME RESTRICTIONS
The special licenses required under the War Measures' Act for voyages of Canadian registered sailing vessels have been dispensed with according to word received by the local collector of customs. An order-in-council has been passed rescinding that of last May which provided that no sailing vessel registered in Canada should proceed on any voyage other than a voyage from one Canadian port to another unless a license was granted. Under "Notice to Mariners" advice has also been received stating that the public traffic regulations for the ports of Halifax and Sydney necessitated by the war are no longer in force. Notice of the removal of both war time restrictions has been received by the local Board of Trade.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers of property for the week have been recorded as follows:
St. John County,
T. C. Brown to D. J. Owens, property in Queen street.
Alice J. Russell to W. B. Purdy, property in Clarendon street.
C. F. Sanford to G. O. Catler, property St. John river.
Mary A. Vanwart to Harry Duxton, property in Douglas avenue, Kings County.
Ellen D. Healey, per master supreme court, to M. J. Tierney, property at Havelock.
H. D. Kinnear to R. A. Stockton, property at Cardwell.
MILITARY.
The following officers have been placed on the reserve of officers: Lieut. J. D. MacLean, M. C., Lieut. H. W. S. Allingham and Lieut. P. W. Vanwart. Matron J. Baldwin Graham, C. A. M. C., has been temporarily detailed as matron of the New Brunswick military hospital at Fredericton.

SAY TROJA HARD VESSEL TO STEER

Inquiry Into Stranding of Ship on Old Proprietor

Captain and Others Give Evidence at Inquiry Begun Here This Morning—No Apparent Sign of Negligence

An inquiry into the loss of the S. S. Troja on the Old Proprietor Ledge was held this morning in the board of trade rooms. Captain H. St. George Lindsay, R. D. R. N. R., presided and associated with him were Captain Gillies of the C. P. O. S. liner Metagama and Captain Hodder of the C. P. O. S. liner Tunisian. Fred R. Taylor was present on behalf of the Shipping Federation.

Captain Kane, who was in command of the steamer, was the first witness. He was followed by Second Officer Percy E. Ferguson, Robert Medore, who was at the wheel when the steamer struck Amos W. Simonds, who was on the lookout, and George Stevens, chief engineer, who was on duty at the time of the mishap.

After the evidence had been taken the court adjourned until this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The evidence did not bring out any apparent negligence, but all were unanimous in saying that the steamer was hard to steer and that on the morning she struck it was thick.

After she struck he ordered the boats ready and they got the launch together on the bridge and sounded it for assistance. They remained on the ship all day and at night with the seas breaking over her.

The life saving boat appeared about noon that day. The men were landed at White Head, Grand Manan. When he left the ship she was partially submerged and was breaking up. Before they left the weather cleared and he saw the buoys, etc. They landed at Littlewood Light, but were unable to get back to the ship again owing to the rough weather.

In answer to Captain Gillies, he said he tried to keep off from the Lurcher as far as possible because he had been warned not to put too much dependence on the light, which was said to be bad. He said he was handicapped by not having a tube for sounding. He said she was a very high ship and caught the wind.

HARRY McCLASKEY'S NEW VENTURE

Harry McClaskey, formerly of this city, who has attained fame and fortune as a vocalist, chiefly under the nom de talking machine "Henry Burr" and "Irving Gillette," has gone into the song publishing business with Lieut. Gillette, a Canadian composer under the name of the Henry Burr Publishing Co. The new firm have already set New York talking with their initial publications, two of which are "Burnish Moon" and "When Doughty Jack Met Doughtnut Jill." Mrs. F. C. Macneil of this city, who is visiting her brother, Mr. McClaskey, says the new firm are doing excellently. The noted St. John singer, is still making records for the machines.

DEATH OF JOHN WATTERS
The death of John Watters occurred today at his residence, 56 St. Patrick street. He was a well known resident and was highly respected by a large circle of friends. He was eighty-five years of age and leaves two daughters and three sons. The daughters are Mrs. Sarah Kane and Mrs. M. J. McCarthy and the sons, James, John and Frederick, all of St. John. The funeral arrangements have been made for Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence.

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