

Inquest Into Death Alexander McLean

Various Witnesses Gave Evidence After Which Hearing Was Adjourned to April 15th.

The inquest into the death of Alexander McLean, a young lad of nineteen, who was a seaman on board the S. S. Manchester, and was so badly crushed between two derricks that he died in the General Public Hospital shortly after, was held last evening in the court rooms, Gormain street. The following jury was empaneled by Coroner Horace A. Porter: Ernest J. Todd, (foreman), Frank S. Alward, James E. Arthur, Frederick Bryden, David J. Stoddard, William W. Hyslop, J. Norwood Barre, Gordon C. Allen and Chester N. Jones.

The first witness called was Dr. A. E. McAuley, who testified that he first saw McLean at the General Public Hospital and that he, McLean, was complaining of severe pains in the abdomen and asked for something which would ease his suffering. After a consultation with doctors Addy and White, it was decided to perform an operation immediately, as it was evident that the man was dying. He was removed to the operating room, where the abdomen was opened and found to be filled with blood. A mesentery of a small intestine was found to be torn about three inches. The abdomen was closed, after which the patient was returned to the ward about 2:15 where he died about one hour later. Dr. McAuley said that the crush between the two derricks was sufficient to cause a rupture of the stomach, which resulted in the young man's death.

The next witness to give evidence was Claude H. Lemesurier, superintendent for the Furness Withy and Company, steamship agents. He stated that he was on the deck of the steamer Manchester, when the accident occurred, and about 10:45 o'clock he heard someone shout: "Look out." When he turned around he saw some of the steamen on board the steamer pick McLean up from the deck, and when he asked what had happened, one of the crew told him that when lowering the offshore derrick near No. 4 hatch, the man who was holding the guy rope to keep the derrick from swinging too far in shore had slipped and in trying to save himself from falling had let go of the guy rope, letting the boom swing towards the other boom on the opposite side, and McLean, who was standing on the hatch between the two booms was on the inside guy rope when the boom struck him across the abdomen, jamming him between the two derricks.

Mr. Lemesurier also said that he saw the deceased's body lying on the deck but did not go near it. One of the ship's stewards was then taking care of McLean until the arrival of the ambulance. McLean was brought into the hospital about 11:45 o'clock. Although there was a list of about two degrees towards the port side it was not sufficient to be the cause of the man holding the guy rope slipping, but there was a small amount of ice on the deck of the steamer at the time which might have been the cause of the man losing his footing.

This was all the evidence taken as the steamer is now at Halifax en route to England, and the inquest was adjourned until the vessel returns which will be about the 15th of next month.

TURKEY STRIPPED OF VIRTUALLY ALL HER TERRITORY

Thrace Has Been Awarded to Greece, But Turkey Will Keep Control of the Sacred Places.

London, March 4.—Turkey is stripped of virtually all her territory in Europe but retains the sacred places by the Treaty now being completed by the conference of foreign ministers and ambassadors, it became known today. Thrace has been awarded to Greece by the Peace Conference, but the present conference is charged with the task of working out plans whereby the Turks will keep control of the sacred places. Adrianople and Smyrna will be placed under Greek control.

GIVE STOMACH WHAT IT NEEDS

The Alkaline Effect of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Usually Corrects the Stomach Faults that Provoke Attacks of Indigestion or Dyspepsia.

To stiff back after a good meal and know there is not going to be sour risings, gas, drowsiness and discomfort is the logical result of using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets immediately after eating. Most people believe they can trace each attack of indigestion to the something they ate and can still "taste." And it surprises them, invariably, to note how quickly relief comes after using one or two of these tablets. Whether it is highly seasoned food, rich pastry, the heavy, hearty foods, or some one particular offender, the relief comes just the same. Those who are susceptible to attacks of indigestion or dyspepsia should try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets as they supply the stomach with an alkaline effect just as it does naturally when it is working in a perfectly healthy condition.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are so widely known and used that you can find them in any drug store in the United States and Canada at 30 cents a box.

EXCELLENT ADDRESS

The Men's Bible Class of St. Luke's Church listened last evening to an excellent address delivered by Rev. M. E. Conron. He spoke on the Church as an important factor in the reconstruction of the world, and gave many interesting illustrations from his experience in France and Italy. Willard A. Smith presided, and there was a large attendance of members.

A New, Harmless Way To Banish Hairy Growth

(Beauty Topics) By following this suggestion any woman can, in the privacy of her own home, remove every trace of hair from her face. With powdered talcum and water mix enough paste to cover the spot wanted; apply and in 2 or 3 minutes rub off and wash the skin. This method is un-failing, harmless and quick in results, but care should be employed to get the genuine de-talon.

Sackville

Sackville, March 4.—M. Don Richardson of Mount Allison University, spent the week end at his home in Sackville.

Mrs. Mott, who has been visiting here, guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, left Monday for her home in Campbellton, N. B.

Dr. and Mrs. Morton, who are at present staying in Toronto, expect to return to Sackville about the end of April.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert M. Wood spent Wednesday in Moncton.

Mr. George E. Ford, left Tuesday for St. John where he will attend the millinery opening.

Mr. Harvey Clow, who has been visiting here, guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palmer, left Saturday for his home in West Sackville.

Miss Jean Carrier left last week for St. John where she will attend the millinery opening.

At the regular meeting of the Women's Civic Council held on Wednesday evening February 25th the following resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Resolved, that should the Sackville Cottage Hospital become a certainty that the Women's Civic Council pledge themselves to give five hundred dollars to be used towards furnishing a room as a memorial to the soldiers.

Also resolved that should Sackville have a Community House that the Women's Civic Council pledge themselves to the hundred dollars to be used according to the best judgment.

Despite the extremely disagreeable weather, there was a fairly good attendance at the skating rink which was held in the curling rink Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Sackville Citizens' Band. The ice was in good shape for skating, and the young folks thoroughly enjoyed this healthful pastime. The array of fancy costumes presented a picturesque scene, and the touches of sweet harmony to the whole affair. The sum of thirty dollars was paid out in prizes.

Operator P. A. Gillis of Sackville has accepted the position of swing truck despatcher at Moncton and left Monday to take up his duties in that city.

Mr. W. A. Scott, of Little Shemogue, and his two daughters, who have been spending the winter with him, were in town last week, en route to Washington, U. S. A., where they expect to reside for some time at least.

Mr. A. C. Ford, president of the Sackville Hockey and Skating Club, entertained the members of the Sackville Hockey team at the Ford Hotel, Saturday evening. About a dozen of the boys gathered at a well-prepared table and did justice to a substantial supper. There was a lively buzz of conversation as the various members of the team vied with each other in relating the various stunts that had been pulled off. After replenishing the "mer man's" executive met and discussed the matter of arranging for outside games for the balance of the season. Among those present at the supper were: N. Peters, T. Pickard, E. Threlkeld, Fisher, Dixon, Elliott, T. Horalier, W. C. Murray, F. J. Burns, J. Sheldon.

Miss Vessie Taylor, assistant vocal teacher at Mount Allison Conservatory of Music, spent the week-end at her home in Shemogue.

Conference On Daylight Saving

To be Held at City Hall on Monday Morning When All Classes of Citizens Are Invited to Express Their Views.

The question of daylight saving will be discussed at a meeting at City Hall on Monday at 11 a. m., when representatives of the Board of Trade, the Retail Merchants, the Commercial Club and the labor organizations have been invited to attend and state their views. There is a strong feeling among the professional classes and merchants in favor of the adoption of daylight saving for the summer months whether or not it is adopted by the railways, whose course will depend upon the action of the American roads, which, in view of President Wilson's decision, will, doubtless, hold to old time. The adoption of daylight saving would not, however, be of great advantage to the suburban train service, and this matter will be taken up with the railways, if the result of the meeting on Monday is favorable to daylight saving.

MAINE DEPRIVED OF SOME LIQUOR

Thirteen Barrels of Thirst Quenchers, Consigned to Keegan, Me., Seized at Edmundston—Now in City.

This last week of blue skies and sunny days reminds one that the maple sugar season is at hand. To all appearance the thirteen sugar barrels which were being routed from Edmundston via St. Leonard's to Keegan, Maine, were merely to aid in the sugaring work there.

The prohibition authorities in Edmundston had their eyes on the barrels, and seized the "sugar," however, and seized the lot. They arrived in St. John on the Meadon train last night, and filled the train with a most molasses aroma which would have brought a wistful glance from many. Inspectors Merryfield and Kerr were on hand, and the booze was loaded on a motor car and taken to the government rooms on Prince William street for safe keeping.

There was a decided heft to each barrel, which must have been noticed by some one who had been in the vicinity of the "sugar," however, and seized the lot. They arrived in St. John on the Meadon train last night, and filled the train with a most molasses aroma which would have brought a wistful glance from many. Inspectors Merryfield and Kerr were on hand, and the booze was loaded on a motor car and taken to the government rooms on Prince William street for safe keeping.

System Cracking

The present times are far too threatening to justify attempts to play old time political games in the old time ways. Professional practical politicians are denying this by both action and word. To hear and see them one would suppose that the war cataclysm had no effect on Canada; and that we can begin just where we left off five years ago. These exhibitions of old time political games are painful and discouraging to thoughtful and patriotic men.

The whole social system is cracking and crumbling under our eyes in this Dominion, and it has done and is doing in nearly every other civilized country. Old party lines are as badly shattered here as in Britain, and there is as little prospect of their recovery in our Dominion, organized for war purposes, are in power in both countries. Similar cries and charges are being raised and made against each.

The main accusations are that they are policyless and inactive. These are the "left overs" of the old party warfare. They are as absurd as they are out of date. How could administrations with their minds and their hands so full of the business of waging and winding up such a war be expected to give definite policy for a future as full of uncertainty and menace? As to the complaint of inaction, surely our administrators were kept busy enough during the war, and have had enough to do in the matter of settlement in the year, since the close.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets). It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. E. V. GROVES' signature on each box, 30c.

ST. JOHN REPRESENTED. Officers elected at the annual meeting of the St. John Ambrance Association held at Ottawa yesterday include: President, Mr. Justice Orde, Toronto; Members of the Council: Lady Tilley, St. John, and Mrs. William Dennis, Halifax, N. S.

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Just as soon as you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapesin all the dyspepsia, indigestion and stomach distress caused by acidity ends. These tablets never fail to neutralize the harmful stomach acids and make you feel fine at once, and they cost so little at drug stores.

ENJOYABLE EVE. AT BOYS' CLUB

Varied Programme Contributed to a Most Delightful and Enjoyable Affair.

Members of the Boys' Club were delightfully entertained last evening at their club rooms, when P. Wood, president of the Y. M. C. A., showed a number of lantern pictures. These included views of England and France, a number of cartoons and Bible scenes. Two of the boys, Raymond Bolyea and John Steele gave recitations. Captain A. J. Mulcahy told a story of the sea, and Peter Sharkey gave an interesting five-minute talk on a visit to the Island of Grenada. Percy Reed gave several mandolin selections, Miss Alberta Stark acting as the accompanist. Mrs. W. C. Hood presided and was assisted by Harry Scott and Lionel Narrowsy. Mrs. Mulcahy was an interested visitor.

FUNERALS

The funeral of George Demeau took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, from his parents' residence, 112 Rockland Road. The Rev. H. L. Elsener officiated and interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

The funeral of James F. Mitchell was held yesterday morning at 9:15 o'clock, from his late residence, 217 Waterloo street, to the Cathedral, where requiem high mass was celebrated by the Rev. D. S. O'Keefe, with Rev. A. P. Allen as deacon and Rev. W. L. Moore, sub-deacon. Rev. W. M. Duise acted as master of ceremonies and other clergy in the sanctuary were Rev. Simon O'ran and Rev. A. J. O'Neill. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc gave the final absolution and interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

The body of Mrs. Jennie Perry was taken to Brown's Flats on Wednesday, on the Valley train, for burial services were conducted at the house, Victoria street, Tuesday evening by the Rev. G. D. Hudson.

The funeral of Penwick W. Tapley was held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from his late residence, 134 Douglas avenue, the Rev. R. P. McKim officiating. A large number of beautiful floral tributes were received including the square and compass member of the Masonic Order from the New Brunswick Lodge, No. 22. A. F. and A. M., whose members attended the funeral of their late brother. Interment in Fernhill cemetery.

Be Careful What You Wash Your Hair With

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle. The best thing to use is Mulsified coconut oil shampoo, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap and beats anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, free, looking bright, fluffy, wavy, and easy to handle! Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

A DANGEROUS WARNING — BLEEDING GUMS

Are your gums tender? Do they bleed when brushed? If so—watch out for Pyorrhoea.

This disease of the gums, which afflicts four out of five people over forty, not only destroys the teeth, but often wrecks the health.

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CHARLES W. DICKENSON

Many friends in St. John and elsewhere in the Province will regret to learn of the death of Charles W. Dickenson which took place at his home in the Lansdowne House, King Square, on Wednesday, March 4, 1920. He leaves a wife, one son, Maurice E. Dickenson of Presque Isle, and two daughters, Mrs. E. LeRoy A. M. King, and Miss Pauline Dickenson of this city. Three brothers also survive, Hadnuth and Percy, of Windsor, N. S., and Norman of Houlton, Maine, and two sisters Mrs. Mariah Kenley of Mapleton, Maine, and Mrs. Thomas Hallett, Windsor, N. S.

Mr. Dickenson was aged sixty-nine years and was born at Victoria, Cornwall, Ontario. He has resided in St. John for the last ten years, one of the proprietors of the Lansdowne House, King Square. For many years he lived at Debec Junction. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge at Woodstock and of the Orange Lodge and a faithful attendant at the Queen Square Methodist Church.

Of a very kindly disposition and sterling upright character, a very large circle of friends throughout the Province will mourn his loss and much sympathy will be extended to his sorrowing relatives.

Interment will be made at Benton on Saturday.

DIED

DICKINSON—At St. John, N. B., the 4th inst., Charles W. Dickenson, formerly of Debec Junction, leaving a wife, one son and two daughters. Interment Saturday at Benton, N. B.

KELLEY—In this city on March 3rd, William Henry Kelley, of heart failure, son of the late John and Mary Dunbar Kelley, leaving two brothers and two sisters to mourn.

Funeral from his late residence, 86 Burpee avenue, on Saturday at 2:30 p. m.

DOUGAN—At Trinity Hospital, Toronto, Saturday, February 28th, Basile, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Dougan, of Hampstead, Queen county.

Funeral from her father's residence on Friday, at 1 p. m.

MASONIC NOTICE

Members of Hibernia Lodge No. 3, F. and A. M., are requested to meet at 86 Burpee avenue, Saturday afternoon, March 6, at 2:30 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother,

WILLIAM HENRY KELLEY, without regret.

By order W. M. ROBERT CLERKE, Secretary. FUNERAL NOTICE.

The members of St. John Typographical Union No. 85, are requested to meet at 86 Burpee avenue, Saturday afternoon, March 6, at 2:30 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother,

WILLIAM HENRY KELLEY, F. W. STANTON, Secretary.

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Spring Suits and Overcoats of very distinctive styling; just the lively ultra-fashion things that the young fellows are seeking. Collars, lapels, shoulders, waist, hips, skirts, all drawn in smart, expressive curved lines.

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SUGAR WORKERS MEET

A meeting of the Sugar Workers' Union was held last evening in their hall, Waterloo street. Acting President Collins was in the chair, and the usual routine of business was transacted.

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