

Double Funeral of Mother and Son

Lombard Street Home of J. W. Maber is Robbed of Both By Death

Very sad is the home of J. W. Maber, 47 Lombard street, today, where the family mourn the death of the wife and mother and also that of the eldest son. Mrs. Maber died yesterday, and her eldest son died this morning. Both had suffered a long illness.

LOCAL NEWS

EVERYBODY CLEAN UP. The nine inspectors appointed at the last meeting of the board of health for the annual spring inspection, will commence their work on Monday.

CITY HALL COMMITTEES. The resumption of the daily committee meetings of the city commissioners will be considered at the council meeting on Monday.

PROBABLY ON MONDAY. No report has been submitted yet on the application of the Canada Wire and Nail Company for a lease of the city land on the West Side, but it is expected that the matter will be dealt with at the meeting of the common council on Monday.

HOME FOR BURIAL. The body of Clement A. Rutherford was brought to the city today on the Montreal train from Vancouver, accompanied by his widow, and her brother, A. W. Phillips, who joined her in Montreal. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

THE MARKET. In the country market today there was quite a fair stock of produce. Meats were especially plentiful. Butter and eggs were in fair supply and ranged about the same as last week in price. American vegetables were in stock quite abundantly. There was much spring lamb and veal on hand, selling at about the same as last week, though lamb was a little easier.

ST. JOHN MEN IN IT. Confirmation of the story of a big oil strike near Calgary, which appeared in the local papers, was received by George W. Mullin, of this city, who is interested in the company which has made the strike. A. O. Mabee, another St. John man, is president of the company, and Alderman L. Spear of Calgary, a former Woodstock man, is a director of the company.

SIXTEEN DEATHS. Sixteen burial permits were issued this week by the local board of health, deaths being due to the following causes: Phthisis, two; pneumonia, two; broncho-pneumonia, two; and old age, apoplexy, eclampsia, myocarditis, chronic nephritis, carcinoma of uterus, fracture of spine, ruptured prostate, accidental drowning and periphthritic abscess, one each.

FIRE AT ONTARIO PARK; LOSS ABOUT \$10,000. Rochester, N. Y., May 16.—Fire late last night burned part of the Ontario Beach Park station, an amusement park on the shore of Lake Ontario. The loss is approximately \$10,000.

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NEW HOSPITAL THREE STORIES OF WOOD WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION

Tenders are now being called for the building of the St. John County Hospital for tubercular patients, on the municipal land at East St. John. The specification calls for a three-story wooden frame building on a concrete foundation. As the rock rises to within a few feet of the surface of the ground at the site, the foundations will be laid on solid rock.

GOVERNOR HERE, BUT NO APPOINTMENT YET TO ROYAL COMMISSION

The chairman of the Royal Commission to investigate the Dugal charges has not yet been appointed. Lieutenant Governor Wood said in Fredericton yesterday that he would make the announcement when he arrived in St. John, but when seen this afternoon at the Royal Hotel His Honor said that he was still unable to make the announcement but that he hoped to be able to do so soon.

THE STREETS WILL BE FLUSHED FOR SUNDAY

All the city streets which are covered with hard pavements will be thoroughly flushed and washed down tonight so that they may present a neat and clean appearance on Sunday. This process will be repeated at least once a week and as much oftener as is found necessary in order to keep the streets clean.

THE STEAMERS

R. M. S. P. Liner Caraquez left Bermuda this morning at ten o'clock for St. John. The Manchester Mariner is due to leave Manchester today for St. John. Donaldson Liner Letitia sailed from Montreal for Glasgow this morning. The Starnia, of the Donaldson Line, left Glasgow for Quebec and Montreal this morning.

SHAD FISHING. The harbor fishermen have begun to catch shad in their nets, some of the first being had yesterday. They are plentiful. They were selling today at about 40 cents each.

BIG MEN OF THE COMMERCIAL LIFE OF CANADA HERE

Directors of Standard Clay Products, Ltd., in City After Inspection Trip to New Glasgow

The directors of the Standard Clay Products, Limited, who have been inspecting their plant at New Glasgow, arrived in St. John this morning on their way back to Montreal, highly pleased with the result of their trip. The president of the company, W. C. Trotter, of St. John's, P. Q., remained in New Glasgow, while the other directors, including president Herbert W. Molson, who is also a director of Canadian Cottons, Ltd., and the Windsor Hotel, Montreal; vice-president T. McAvity Stewart of T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd., St. John, and director of John Findlay, Ltd., Montreal; S. H. Ewing, director of Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Ltd., president of Montreal Cottons, vice-president of Molson Bank and of the Sun Life Insurance Company; G. A. Jones, solicitor, Quebec; J. P. L. Stewart, manager Eastern Securities, Ltd., Montreal, and A. W. Stevenson, the auditor of the company, George McAvity, president of T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd., St. John, joined the party here on their way east and returned with them this morning. They had breakfast at the Union Club and were then given an opportunity to see the progress St. John has been making, as the guests of Mr. McAvity and John E. Moore, who took them to the city in their cars and then entertained them at lunch at the Bungalow. They will leave for Montreal on the Pacific express this evening.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS PASTOR OF CHURCH OF ASSUMPTION

Silver Jubilee of Rev. J. J. O'Donovan to be Observed—The Anniversary is May 18

(New Freeman). On Monday, May 18th, Rev. J. J. O'Donovan, the esteemed pastor of the Church of the Assumption, West St. John, will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of his appointment to the parish. The parishioners have decided fittingly recognize the event. On Sunday afternoon the Children of Mary, on behalf of the congregation, will present to Father O'Donovan an address and well-filled purse as a tangible evidence of the warm place he holds in the hearts of his people.

On Monday evening a concert will be given in his honor by the children of the parish, who are being trained for the occasion by the Sisters of St. Joseph's Convent.

Thirty years ago Father O'Donovan was raised to the priesthood by the late Bishop Sweeney. After his ordination Father O'Donovan was stationed at the Cathedral for five years, during which time he also was acting pastor of St. John the Baptist. The executive ability displayed by him in collecting funds and erecting the present edifice in attention of His Lordship the Bishop, and on May 18, 1889, he was appointed to succeed Mr. Connolly as pastor of the Church of the Assumption, of which, for the last twenty-five years, he has been the energetic spiritual head. He has built a beautiful parochial residence and a magnificent stone church which now graces Carlton Heights, a gem of ecclesiastical architecture and a monument to his enterprise and zeal. During his years of priesthood, Father O'Donovan has accomplished much for the spiritual and material upbuilding of those entrusted to his care. He is especially close to the hearts of the people of the Assumption parish, and enjoys in a marked degree the esteem, respect and confidences of all classes and creeds. The New Freeman joins with Father O'Donovan's many friends in wishing him ad multos annos.

PROHIBITION FOR HALIFAX IS BEATEN BY ONE VOTE

Fourteen to Thirteen the Standing—Was Moved by Opposition Leader

By a margin of one vote, 14 to 13, a motion by Mr. Tanner with the object of providing prohibition for the City of Halifax, was defeated in the House of Assembly yesterday afternoon after discussion of about two hours' duration. The bill to amend the Nova Scotia Temperance Act had come up for its third reading and Mr. Tanner moved an amendment that the bill be referred back to the committee of the whole for the purpose of adding to an amendment to make the act apply to Halifax. On Wednesday Mr. Tanner had moved this amendment in the committee of the whole, but it was then defeated. On Thursday he again presented his amendment and spoke briefly in support of it. The premier said that he was opposed to the amendment. He took the ground that prohibition would make conditions worse in Halifax, and he cited an article which had recently appeared in the Presbyterian Witness, entitled, "The Liquor Traffic in Prince Edward Island" and from it drew the conclusion that after seven years' drinking there had considerably increased. Halifax, the premier contended, was not adapted to prohibition. Its location centre it was not so adapted. Other speakers followed the premier, the majority of them in opposition to the amendment. The Becker trial is off until Monday, and will probably be concluded next week.

WELL PLEASED WITH RESULT OF INVESTMENT HERE

Montreal Financier, One of First to Buy Local Suburban Property, is Here Today

S. H. Ewing, a prominent Montreal financier, who is in St. John today with the directors of the Standard Clay Products, Limited, was one of the first large investors in St. John suburban property and is interested in sub-divisions in Lancaster and at Courtenay Bay. He said this morning that he and his associates have been greatly pleased with their investments, which have turned out most satisfactorily. They have sold a large number of lots from both properties and in Lancaster they have built several houses which have sold readily. He said that they were so well satisfied with the result of their sales that they intended to continue the policy of erecting houses to meet the large demand. Mr. Ewing is firmly convinced of the great future ahead of St. John and said that the city could not help growing rapidly in the business world had made so little impression on affairs in this city. J. P. L. Stewart, manager of the Eastern Securities, Limited, Montreal, who arrived in St. John this morning with the other directors of the Standard Clay Products, Limited, spoke optimistically today of the improved financial condition throughout Canada and the prospects for greater improvement. Montreal had not felt the depression so much as some other sections of the country, he said, and he had noticed how little St. John had been affected. Money was easier now than it had been for the last year or two, and confidence was returning. All that was needed now, he added, was a good crop this fall to restore conditions to the normal standard.

LANCASTER BOARD OF TRADE

Letters to Mrs. James Lowell and Saint John Board Secretary

The following letters have been forwarded by committees from the Lancaster Board of Trade and are self-explanatory: Fairville, N. B.

Mrs. James Lowell, Dear Mrs. Lowell—On behalf of Lancaster Board of Trade we desire to express our sympathy to yourself and family in the loss of your husband whose life work as councillor and parliamentarian meant so much to this parish.

It is generally conceded that Mr. Lowell attained an affectionate place in this community, among all classes, that was unique and which we feel can never be filled. Always vigorous in assisting anything that meant for public weal, he encouraged the first effort to promote a board of trade and since its organization, though confined to his residence has taken a keen interest in affairs that come up from time to time. A full life does not necessarily require a long existence and thus reckoning he would seem to have taken every advantage of the period granted to him.

We between the most anxious and friendly aid as complex situations present themselves, but no one can estimate the effect of his example on this community along the lines of unselfish endeavor, and while today we mourn with you over his going we are thankful for his being permitted to dwell amongst us.

Sincerely yours, W. J. LINTON, (President) F. E. FLEWELLING, (Secretary) Committee Lancaster Board of Trade. Fairville, N. B.

Mr. R. E. Armstrong, May 15, 1914 Secty. St. John Board of Trade. Dear Sir—We have much pleasure in acknowledging your favor of the 20th ult., and take present opportunity not only to congratulate you on your appointment but also the St. John Board of Trade in securing the services of such a competent secretary, whose initial programme, along the lines of co-operation with sister boards is most commendable.

As intimated by you we have felt the lack of unity of purpose that should exist between the several boards of trade and realize that the interests and aims of Lancaster and St. John are closely allied if not identical, and because of this it would be to our mutual advantage to work together.

We beg to thank your board for proffered assistance in furthering any projects which our board may have under consideration affecting general welfare, also for your kind invitation to visit your rooms when convenient to our members and trust this will be the starting point of more friendly relations.

W. A. NELSON H. MARSHALL STOUT, Cor. Com. Lancaster Board of Trade.

BUY SOUTH END PROPERTY, TRANSFER THEIR PLANT THERE. A freehold property on the corner of Pitt and Broad streets, consisting of two lots, each 40 by 100 feet, with two buildings, equipped with steam boiler, elevator, etc., owned by George A. Troop and formerly used by him as a vinegar factory, was sold at auction at Chubb's corner at noon today, by R. F. Potts. The property was purchased for \$8,500 by F. C. Woodley and S. B. Lordley of the St. John Desk and Show Case Company. Business street, who will transfer their plant to their new building to secure the additional room which their business requires.

SURPRISE PARTY. About thirty of the little friends of Miss Bessie Tyner called upon her last evening at her home, 185 Victoria street, giving her a very enjoyable surprise. They enjoyed a pleasant time in games and music with refreshments served before that dinner about ten o'clock.

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