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EARLY MONDAY MORNING FIRE DID CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE

Robertson Store, Corner Douglas Avenue and Main Street, Gutted, With Heavy Damage to Stock and Furnishings by Smoke and Water—Mystery Fire in Purdy Storehouse Saturday.

The North End firemen had a busy week-end, two fires doing damage to the extent of over \$12,000. The first was on Saturday evening, in the warehouse of D. J. Purdy, but was soon put out, the damage in this case not being very great. The second occurred at an early hour yesterday morning, and gave the fire fighters a hard battle before it was subdued.

This was in the building at the corner of Main Street and Douglas Avenue owned by E. R. Robertson, and occupied by himself, the Provincial Bank, Dr. J. C. Doore and Dr. F. A. Almsworth. The damage done by the second blaze will be between \$10,000 and \$12,000, and one young lady had a narrow escape from death by suffocation.

Early Saturday evening an alarm was rung in from box 125 for a fire in the warehouse of D. J. Purdy, Main Street. The fire was quickly extinguished, but about half an hour's work had the blaze subdued. The fire started in the hay loft and its origin is a mystery, as there was no fire near the place. The damage will amount to about \$500, covered by insurance.

Yesterday morning about 1 o'clock an alarm from the same box called out the fire ladders, and this time a more serious task faced them. The blaze was in the basement of the building at the corner of Main Street and Douglas Avenue, owned by E. R. Robertson, and occupied by himself, the Provincial Bank, Dr. J. C. Doore and Dr. F. A. Almsworth. The fire was discovered by Dr. H. S. Clarke, across the street. In the excitement of the moment, the maid was for a time forgotten, and when they went to awaken her she was found to be nearly suffocated by the smoke, but came around in a short time. She was brought out by Sergeant Sullivan and Officer Killen.

The blaze was burning so fiercely

that it was found impossible to get into the cellar to fight it, and the floors had to be chopped through. The smoke and heat interfered greatly with the work of the firemen and it was three hours before the men were able to call it a job.

The stock of Mr. Robertson was practically ruined by water and smoke and his loss on stock and building he estimated at about \$10,000. The bank floor was badly out up, but their loss will not be heavy, as the furniture was not badly damaged and the vault was not injured at all. Dr. Almsworth suffered quite a loss. The floor of the reception hall had to be torn up and the carpets were badly torn. This, together with the damage from water and smoke, will make his loss about \$3,000.

It was rather a strenuous opening of the year 1922 for the North End boys, who were quite tired for the holiday festivities.

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INSURANCE THAT INSURES

Mystery Fire To Be Investigated At Sydney, N. S.

Provincial Fire Marshal Called Upon to Act — Insurance Companies Threaten to Withdraw.

Sydney, N. S., Jan. 2.—Major John A. Rodland, provincial fire marshal, will be asked to make an enquiry into the circumstances surrounding the \$75,000 fire which on New Year's Eve destroyed three large buildings here, local insurance men declared tonight.

During Christmas week-end three other fires burned property valued at over \$35,000 and continued heavy losses have caused some insurance companies to threaten to withdraw altogether from the territory unless drastic action to improve conditions is forthcoming.

Although the exact amount of the insurance which was carried on these properties is not known here, local underwriters say that it is totally inadequate to cover the loss.

Nash, McDonald and Kehon, three firemen injured by falling debris during the Purdy street fire, New Year's Eve, have been taken to their homes, as their wounds are not serious.

Fire Destroys Home At Devon

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Jan. 2.—The new year began most unpleasantly for one family in Devon. Mrs. Sarah Hazlett and her family being burned out in a fire which was first noticed at 6 a. m. Sunday. Members of the family were aroused by smoke entering their bedrooms from the rear of the house. They had barely time to dress and escape. Some of the household effects were saved by neighbors and friends, but the greater part was destroyed. Much clothing also was lost. The origin of the fire is unknown. The rear of the house, which was located in Nell street, was completely destroyed, and the main house was gutted. Charles Dunphy, of Devon, is the owner.

GOOD CONCERT TROUPE

The concert troupe of the C. P. O. S. Minnedosa were the guests of the Garrison Sergeant's Mess at the armory last night. The steward of the Minnedosa, Adam Palmer, a former sergeant of the 26th Battalion, presided, and a very enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Obituary

Donald McIntosh.

The death occurred early Sunday morning, at Quispamsis, N. B., of Donald McIntosh, a well known and highly respected citizen of this city. The deceased met with an accident, about nine weeks ago, when he fell and injured himself at Quispamsis. He has been at his son's residence ever since.

The late Mr. McIntosh was a well known florist, having his place of business on Robbsey Avenue. He was eighty years of age and has been in business here since 1875, coming to this city from Scotland when he was thirty years old.

He leaves three sons and two daughters. The sons are: Dr. William McIntosh, curator of the Natural History Society in this city; Andrew L. of Quispamsis, and Philip J. R. of Quispamsis. The daughters are Mrs. William McCallum, of this city, and Mrs. Charles F. B. Rowe, of Toronto. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon from the residence of his son, Dr. William McIntosh, 72 Union street, the service beginning at 1 o'clock. Interment will be made in Fernhill cemetery.

JOE LYNCH KNOCKS OUT AL WALKER

New York, Jan. 2.—Joe Lynch, former bantamweight champion, knocked out Al Walker, of San Francisco, in the first round of their fight here this afternoon. A terrific right hand blow to the chin felled Walker after one minute and twenty seconds of fighting. Walker weighed 122 pounds and Lynch 118.

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When you don't know whether it's going to stay down or come up, when you look like thirty cents, and feel even worse, what you need is twenty drops of Nervin, in sweetened water. Almost like magic is the change you experience. Those feelings of vomiting disappear. Thousands of homes rely on Nervin in case of sour stomach, sea-sickness, motion sickness, and other conditions. Get it today, large 35c. bottles sold by all dealers.

A dollar is now estimated to be worth 66 2/3 cents in wholesale buying power, as compared with 36 1/2 cents in May, 1920, when prices were at their peak.

There are 171 colleges and universities in the United States and Canada offering courses in Journalism.

Garrison Officers Held A Reception

At Home to Their Friends Yesterday at Noon — Had Many Callers.

The officers of the Garrison Mess held their New Year's reception in the Armoury, yesterday, from twelve o'clock noon until one. The reception was for the officers of the active militia, ex-officers of the C. E. F., and officers on the reserve. Between 75 and 100 called and the guests were received by the president, Major N. P. McLeod and his committee.

The rooms were decorated in a manner befitting the occasion and the officers and their guests thoroughly enjoyed the reception. Refreshments were served and the affair partook of the nature of a New Year's reunion. Among those calling were Brig.-Gen. A. H. Macdonnell and his staff, The Mayor and Commissioners, Premier Foster, Judge J. R. Armstrong, Magistrate R. J. Ritchie, Senator Daniel, Senator Thorne and others.

Vancouver Won From Seattle

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—By the same score with which they defeated Metropolitan in Seattle last Wednesday, the Vancouver Millionaires triumphed over Seattle here today, 6 to 0, and brought themselves within half a game of Seattle's leadership of the Pacific Coast League. The lineup:

Vancouver Goal. Lehnman. Defense. Cook. Duncan. Forward. Mackay. Walker. Adams. Skinner. Substitutes. Harris. Parkes. Tobin. Goal. Holmes. Defense. Rowe. Fraser. Forward. Walker. Foyston. Morris. Substitutes. Riley. Briden.

First period—1, Vancouver, Harris, from Mackay, 7:22.

Second period—2, Vancouver, Arkes, from Mackay, 4:31; 3, Vancouver, Parkes, 13:24.

Third period—4, Vancouver, Mackay, 7:45; 5, Vancouver, Harris, from Adams, 9:45.

PRESENTATION BY ST. MARY'S BAND

As a token of their appreciation of his eighteen years service with them, the members of St. Mary's Band, through their president H. W. Barty, took occasion to present G. Leonard Dunlop, of 107 George street with a handsome pipe, case and pouch of tobacco yesterday.

Mr. Dunlop who is one of Manchester, Robertson and Allison's staff of travelling salesmen is leaving the city shortly to locate in Charlottetown, P. E. I.

HELD ON THEFT CHARGE

Ernest Northrup was arrested on Saturday, charged on suspicion with stealing clothing, viz., overcoats and suits to the value of \$100, the property of Murray Jarvis from the latter's residence, 74 Prince William street between December 18 and 31 last. Four professionalists sought shelter in the central police station on Saturday night.

HAD BAD COUGH AND SORE THROAT

Never neglect a cough or cold however slight. If you do it can have but one result; it leaves the throat or lungs, or both, affected. A single dose of

DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP

will help to stop the cough, soothe the throat, and if the cough or cold has become settled on the lungs the healing virtues of the Norway pine tree along with the soothing and expectorant properties of other excellent herbs, roots and barks promptly eradicate the bad effects, and the persistent use cannot but help to bring about relief.

Mr. Albert Marsh, Lower L'Ardoise, N. S., writes:—"About a year ago I contracted a cold accompanied by a very bad cough and sore throat. I sent for the doctor, but what he prescribed did me so little good I began to get discouraged. A friend came to see me and asked me if I had ever used Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I told him I had not and sent him right away to get me a bottle. I started using it, and after a couple of days I found I was getting relief, and after taking two bottles the soreness in my throat seemed to continue its use, and after I had used five bottles both my sore throat and cough were gone. I would not be without 'Dr. Wood's' for any money."

Price, 50c. and 1.00 a bottle; put up only by The T. Milligan Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Presented With A Life Saving Medal

Soldier at East St. John Honored by City for Deed of Bravery.

A pleasing presentation took place on Sunday at the East St. John County Hospital, when His Worship Mayor Schofield, on behalf of the City presented a medal for life saving to Harry Finley. The Mayor in making the presentation made a short address in which he spoke about the bravery of Mr. Finley. Commissioner Bullock, who is also Warden of the County also made a brief address. The engraving on the medal is as follows:

"For Life Saving, presented to the City of Saint John to Harry Finley for rescuing from drowning July 30, 1918, Arthur Riecker. The hero received the gift with a few words of thanks."

Prize Fighting In Havana Prohibited

Havana, Jan. 2.—Prize fighting in Havana is prohibited under a decree issued today by Mayor De Villegas.

The decree characterizes prize fighting as brutal and dangerous, and points out that the law, which provides for fines and imprisonment for those exchanging fistcliffs on the street, "cannot sanction such proceedings even when the participants are isolated in a roped enclosure and batter each other under slight restrictions for the amusement of a crowd."

THE MAN WHO WORKS HARD SHOULD FOLLOW THIS ADVICE.

Persistence and "will power" he should have, but whether he has strength and vigor is another question. Hard working men often have headaches and suffer from biliousness. The occasional use of Dr. Hamilton's Pills keeps a man feeling fit and fine, keeps him always at his best. Headaches, indigestion, poor color are quickly remedied by Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Dr. Hamilton's Pills keep the system clean and pure, tone up the blood, drive away tiredness and lassitude. No medicine for men is better than Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. all dealers or The Catarrhoxone Co., Montreal.

Common Council Decides On Work

Will Install Two New Water Mains and a Number of Sewers in Various Streets.

The common council on Saturday authorized the renewal of several sewers and the laying of a couple of new water mains to provide work for those out of a job, the cost of the whole \$33,350, to be paid for by bond issue. It was decided not to renew the main in Carmarthen street, but at present on account of danger from freezing.

Following is a list of the work to be undertaken:

Street	Length	Cost
Broad	250	\$1,300.00
St. James	600	2,800.00
Moore	600	2,500.00
Union	250	1,200.00
St. James	600	2,500.00
Spring	450	2,500.00
St. Paul	350	1,700.00
Celebration	650	4,200.00
Sheffield	450	2,500.00
		\$21,300.00
Moore	550	\$4,000.00
King (B)	550	7,650.00
		\$12,650.00

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At all drug stores—50c, 70c, \$1.00.

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Good Curling At St. Andrew's Rink

Ten Rinks a Side Curled Yesterday Morning and Afternoon—President Defeated Vice-President.

Ten rinks a side curled yesterday morning and afternoon on St. Andrew's ice in the first match of the season. President and Vice President. The President was good and the curlers enjoyed the game. The President won by a score of 107 to 15. The score by rink follows:

Morning Game	
President: Skip-4.	Vice President: Skip-10.
H. H. Harvey	C. F. Sanford
C. H. Peters	G. M. Robertson
J. C. Eadie	W. J. Wetmore
C. H. Ferguson	A. R. Everett
H. Arscott	F. C. Crosby
G. A. McAl. Blizard	J. A. McAvity
Skip-6.	Skip-6.
P. C. Bentley	P. A. Clarke
A. H. Merrill	M. M. Munro
J. H. Benkison	R. K. Jones
F. T. Barbour	D. Chipman
A. E. Cunningham	T. H. Estabrook
Skip-11.	Skip-5.
W. K. Haley	G. A. Kimball
H. C. McEwen	A. P. Patterson
W. R. Hing	Isaac Murray
Glenrist	R. St. C. Hayes
Skip-10.	Skip-5.
M. Macdonald	Roy Gregory
Skip-10.	Skip-4.
M. Macdonald	C. H. McDonald
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W. R. Stewart	H. A. Allison
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S. B. Smith	W. J. Mahoney
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