

## WILLIAM A. ERB PASSES AWAY

Prominent Kings Co. Man  
Related to Gov. Ganong  
and G. B. Jones, M. P.

Apohaqui, Feb. 28.—William Abner Erb passed away at his home, Belleisle Bay, on Feb. 25, after a protracted illness. Mr. Erb was the last surviving member of a family of nine sons and daughters, born to the late Seth and Mary Ann Ganong Erb, who were pioneer settlers of the beautiful countryside surrounding the Belleisle Bay, the mother having been a direct descendant of the late Thomas W. Ganong and an aunt of the late Hon. G. W. Ganong, former Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick.

He was a man of sterling character and during his years of business activities was looked up to as one in whom might be placed every confidence in his integrity, and as a resident of this village for many years will be remembered as one who was always willing to work in the interests of every worthy cause.

In religion he was a Baptist, and while he deeply loved the church of his choice, he had a broad vision of spiritual things, and was ever pleased to take a part in any religious work.

In his prime he possessed a wonderful tenor voice and his talent of song was a source of much pleasure to himself as well as his hearers.

Mr. Erb was born in 1846, in the "old Erb homestead" several miles from his late home, near Long Point on the Belleisle Bay. When a young man he went to St. John and served as apprentice in steel and iron work, and later located in Apohaqui where he was the senior member of the firm of Erb & Abrams, machinists, who also carried on mill operations.

Burned out Twice.

After years of successful business, fire destroyed their plant, which was rebuilt only to be consumed by fire a second time. Mr. Erb, at this time, severed his connection with his partner and sought his fortune in the American Middle West, residing in Chicago for several years, where he was employed with bridge contractors. About 22 years ago he retired from business and returned to his native province, purchasing a property overlooking Belleisle Bay and opposite Hatfield's Point, where he had since made his home.



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Mr. Erb was twice married, his first wife being Miss Fannie Hatfield, who passed away in June, 1911. Several years later he married Mrs. Jessie Case, of Hatfield's Point, whose companionship and kind care greatly brightened his declining years. Besides his wife, the nearest of kin are nieces and nephews, there having been no family born to Mr. Erb. Of the brothers and sisters, all of whom have passed away, the late Mrs. Stephen Jones, of this village, was a sister, and thus, W. A. Jones, Geo. B. Jones, M.P., Herbert S. Jones and Harley S. Jones, of this place, are nephews. Mrs. Nell Johnson, also of Apohaqui, is a niece as well as Mrs. A. B. Gameter, of Bridgewater, N. S.

The late G. W. Ganong, ex-Governor of the province, and Dr. E. Miles Kierstead, professor of systematic theology in McMaster University, Toronto, were first cousins of the late Mr. Erb.

The funeral, which took place at 10.30 on Wednesday morning, was attended by a very large number. Rev. C. Saunders Young, of Norton, conducted the funeral services at the house and church. The body was born to the family cemetery, not far from the church, and nearer the waters of the picturesque bay—a fitting resting place among the scenes of his youth.

HEAD OF RUSSIAN CHURCH BETTER

Moscow, Feb. 28.—The condition of the patriarch Tikhon, who suffered a stroke last Saturday, is reported to be not so serious as at first thought.

Mr. McGarvey was born in this city on Aug. 14, 1861, the son of Roman Catholic parents. When a young man he was ordained priest in the Episcopal church and resolved to devote his life to working among the poor. He held several curacies, and eventually became head of the Episcopal monastic order of the Companions of the Most Holy Saviour, the headquarters of which was at the clergy house connected with St. Elizabeth's church, Philadelphia. About a dozen celibate priests were associated with him in the order.

Father McGarvey, who was a powerful preacher, conducted missions in many Episcopal churches of the United States and Canada, and wrote many books and pamphlets upholding the Catholic position of the Church of England and the Episcopal church in this country.

About 15 years ago the general triennial convention of the Episcopal church adopted a canon permitting clergymen not of the church to speak from Episcopal pulpits upon written consent of the bishop of the diocese. The entire Catholic party in the church fought against the innovation, particularly as it permitted Unitarians to come within the law, with the Episcopal consent. The upshot of a bitter controversy over the issue resulted in Father McGarvey, most of his associates, and other clergymen—about 25 in all—abandoning the Episcopal church and going over to the Roman Catholic communion.

Father McGarvey continued his missionary activities in the latter church, and in 1921 the late Pope Benedict appointed him a domestic prelate. While in the Episcopal church he was offered a bishopric several times in high church dioceses of the west, but declined.

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## THOMAS H. BROWN OF SUSSEX DEAD

Had Been Member of Council and a Business Man

Sussex, Feb. 28.—Thomas H. Brown, one of Sussex' oldest and most respected citizens passed away this afternoon after a lingering illness. Mr. Brown, who conducted a grocery store and restaurant, retired from business about two years ago on account of ill health. He always took an active interest in everything pertaining to the welfare of the town and was for several years a member of the town council.

Mr. Brown was 70 years of age and is survived by his wife, three sons and three daughters. The sons are Walter H., of Sussex; Stanley, of Moncton, and Gordon, of Winnipeg. The daughters are Mrs. R. U. Noyes, of Haverhill, Mass.; Mrs. G. M. White, of Winnipeg, and Miss Myrtle, at home. Elijah Brown, of 12 Wright street, St. John, is a brother and Mrs. Charles Harris of Groveland, Mass., a sister.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, Main street, on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, at which Rev. D. J. McPherson will officiate. Interment will be in Kirk Hill Cemetery.

## NOTED CATHOLIC PRELATE IS DEAD

Mgr. McGarvey Headed Episcopal Monastery Before Bitter Fight

Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—The death is announced in San Diego, Calif., of Rt. Rev. Dr. William McGarvey, D.D., widely known in the Roman Catholic and Episcopal churches of the United States and Canada. Mgr. McGarvey died on Wednesday night, of heart trouble, from which he had suffered since he went from his home in Philadelphia to California last fall. The body will be brought here for interment.

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## DEATHS

Mrs. John McWilliams.

St. Stephen, Feb. 28.—(Special)—At the residence of Collector and Mrs. Walter Grant, Union street, this morning, Mrs. John McWilliams, passed away. Mrs. McWilliams was 75 years of age and several weeks ago got a bad fall breaking some bones which confined her to her bed. Double pneumonia then set in resulting fatally. Besides Mrs. Grant she leaves four daughters, Mrs. Hugh Pike of this town, Mrs. Hickey and Mrs. Chapman Morrell of Calais and Mrs. Briley of Eureka. The funeral service will be held Saturday afternoon.

W. Delancy Allen.

Fredericton, Feb. 28.—William Delancy Allen, Kingsclear, died at an early hour this morning, aged 87 years. Mr. Allen was one of the oldest residents and one of the best known farmers. He was born at Kingsclear, a son of the late Colonel John Allen, and a descendant of other United Empire Loyalists who came from New Jersey to Nova Scotia many years ago and settled, afterwards coming to Kingsclear. His mother, before marriage, was Miss Lydia Vail. Mr. Allen was twice married. His first wife was Miss Aida Prink, who died some years ago, and his second wife, Miss Isabelle McKay, also predeceased him. He is survived by three sons, William Delancy and John B., at home, and Frank P., a school by Col. A. B. Snowball, St. John, director of cadet corps and physical training services. They will probably be completed by Saturday. Sgt. Major W. A. Oliver, physical training instructor at the Normal School, is assisting.

TEACHERS' EXAMS. ARE BEING HELD

Fredericton, Feb. 28.—Examination of the candidates for first class teaching licenses in physical training was commenced this morning at the Normal School by Col. A. B. Snowball, St. John, director of cadet corps and physical training services. They will probably be completed by Saturday. Sgt. Major W. A. Oliver, physical training instructor at the Normal School, is assisting.

ST. JUDE'S W. A. MEETS.

There was a record attendance at St. Jude's W. A. on Tuesday, when they met to sew in the church parlor. Much work was accomplished in quilting and sewing. Fees were paid by the members, which realized a good sum to add to the treasury. Those present were Mrs. J. H. Harris, wife of the Rev. Mr. W. I. Fenton, Mrs. E. R. Taylor, Mrs. Fred Cunningham, Mrs. Harvey Ring, Mrs. J. B. Spence, Mrs. Charles James, Mrs. E. Ralston, Mrs. G. G. Hare, Mrs. George Scott, Mrs. T. Dean, Mrs. Fred deVeber, Mrs. John Carleton, Mrs. Horace Tapley, Miss Jennie Clark, Mrs. A. B. Edwards, Mrs. P. Nichols, Mrs. J. W. Carleton, Mrs. Herbert W. Watmore, Mrs. T. Murphy, Mrs. William Geary, Mrs. F. Griffith, Mrs. E. Ross, Mrs. George N. Pitt, Mrs. F. R. Weston, Mrs. A. V. Wright, Mrs. Mary T. Dean, Mrs. J. Anderson, Miss Emma Thurnott, Mrs. Charles Brennan and Mrs. Christie Belyea.

The next picture which Ben Turpin will be seen in a parody on "The Virginian." It is to be a cross-eyed version of the part made famous by Dustin Farnum.

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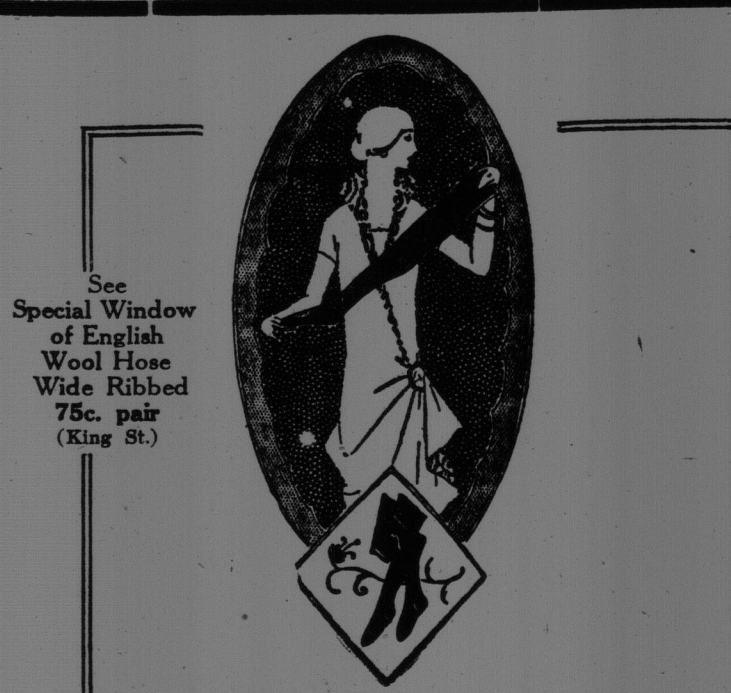
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## Hats--New and Becoming And Moderately Priced

There are many unexpected and delightful style innovations in the new hats for spring. Soft crepe-de-chines and lustrous satins are combined in many cases with new silk straws. It is difficult to do justice to this very lovely collection of new millinery by merely saying that the hats are new and attractive. There are so many fresh, rich colors, becoming shapes and fascinating trimmings, you really should see them for yourself.

Small close fitting shapes smart veils, pointed brims, flat flowers and chenille fringes are all new and jaunty style features. Hats are just the types you'll appreciate for present wear.

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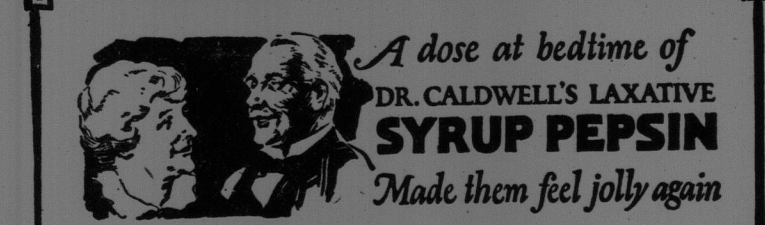
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