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LOCAL NEWS

TEN DEATHS. Ten burial permits were issued by the board of health during the last week. The causes of death were as follows: Peritonitis, appendicitis, endocarditis, gastric enteritis, gastric ulcer, heart disease, pulmonary hemorrhage, congestion of lungs, laryngeal diphtheria and epithelium of neck.

BLOOD POISONING. A wedding of interest to many West Side residents, took place on February 11 at the parsonage of the Charlotte street Baptist church, the principals being Joseph Robicheau and Miss Mary Harris. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. A. J. Archibald, pastor of the church, in the presence of friends and relatives. The contracting parties, who warmly congratulated them and wished them much happiness in their future.

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TO BOX IN BOSTON. It is likely that St. John will be represented at the amateur boxing championship which are to be held in Boston during May. For the last year or so representatives have gone from this city but have not made extra good showings. This year, however, the city will be represented by Tom Barrett, a husky East St. John boy. Barrett has made quite a name for himself in local boxing circles, and only recently scored a win over Beth McLeod. If he goes to Boston he will probably enter in the 145 pound class.

PRESENTATION. A pleasing event took place on Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Hogan, 99 Sherill street, when friends of Mrs. Arthur Storey gathered. The evening was pleasantly spent with games and music, after which supper was served. Before the gathering broke up, Miss Amy Roberts, on behalf of the company, presented to Mrs. Storey a cut glass berry set. Mrs. Storey, who has been visiting her brother, Bruce Mackinnon, for the last two months, will leave on Sunday evening for her home in Young, Saskatchewan.

BECOMES CANADIAN CITIZEN. An Eastport letter says:—F. P. McColl, who was the manager of the Seacoast Canning Company in this city for several years, and took an active part in the politics of Washington county and who went to Chamcook, N. B., two years ago, to assume the management of the Canadian Sardine Company at that place, has not only given up business in this city, but this week took out naturalization papers to become a full fledged Canadian. While located in this city, McColl maintained his residence at St. Andrews, N. B. It is rumored that several other former residents of this city are to be initiated in the footsteps of Mr. McColl and renounce their allegiance to Uncle Sam.

PRESENTATION TO WIFE OF PASTOR. The members of the Senior Mission Band of Calvin Presbyterian church last evening spent a very enjoyable time at the home of Mrs. Frank Neason, 238 Waterloo street. During the evening there was made to Mrs. L. A. Leane, president, a presentation of a handsome silver casket, presented on behalf of the band by Miss Alice McFried, president, who had addressed expressing regret at her departure and speaking of the excellent manner in which she had co-operated with her husband, the pastor of the church, Rev. L. A. McLean, in the duties connected with his office. Full appreciation was voiced concerning her able services, and success, and God's blessing hoped for in her new field. Rev. Mr. McLean and Mrs. Leane will leave about the latter end of the month for Quebec.

THE POLICE COURT. Two prisoners charged with drunkenness, were arraigned in the police court this morning and were each fined \$4 or ten days in jail. John Quinn, charged with vagrancy was remanded to jail, and will probably be sent to the Municipal Home. Hearing in the case of Joseph Stewart, charged with bigamy, was to have continued this morning, but was further adjourned until Monday afternoon at two o'clock. George Duffy, arrested a few days ago on charge of using profane language, was further remanded. James McLeod, charged with assaulting an unknown man in view of the police on the North Side of King Square last night, pleaded not guilty. Francis Kerr appeared for the prisoner. Policeman O'Leary told of seeing McLeod striking a man twice. The prisoner said that he was only fooling with a friend and had not struck him. John McDermott said he was with McLeod at the time the latter was arrested. He had been fooling with McLeod and the latter made several swings at him. McLeod did not strike the witness. The matter was adjourned until Monday afternoon for other witnesses. McLeod was allowed out on a deposit.

WINTERPORT NOTES. The S. S. Empress of Ireland, which sailed from here last Friday, arrived in Liverpool this morning. The S. S. Empress of Britain, from Liverpool left Halifax this morning at eleven o'clock and is due here late tonight. The S. S. Grampian is due at Halifax tomorrow on her way here. The S. S. Saturnia left Glasgow this morning for St. John. The S. S. Whakanae will sail tonight for Australian ports. The C. P. R. liner Montfort is due to arrive the first of next week. The Donaldson liner, Athena, which touched the foil ground yesterday sustained no damage whatever. She is now unloading cargo at West St. John.

Church vs. Theatre in Montreal. Montreal, Feb. 15.—Hostility to the proposal that Mrs. Clara Butt, the English contralto, and her husband, Kenerley Rumford, should give a concert in St. James' Methodist church, has arisen in the ranks of theatre managers, who object to this competition from a church. The city has also notified the church authorities that if they desire to hold the concert they must become licensed like a theatre, at a cost of \$500 per annum.

HALIFAX MAN AND WIFE IN CENTRE OF MEXICAN TROUBLES

Anxiety For These and Other Canadians is Felt by Relatives

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 15.—Great anxiety for the safety of the Canadians who are now in or near Mexico City, is being felt by their friends and relatives here. Some of them are known to have been near the centre of activity in the recent revolution, some on business or as representatives of Canadian business houses, and others as Mr. Crombie, Montreal; Mr. Weldon and Mr. Mowat, all of the Bank of Montreal; Montreal; Harry Greenfield, Mexican Light and Power Company, Montreal; Mr. Sharpe, Quebec City; Bank of Montreal; D. Muirhead, Toronto, assistant manager of Bank of Commerce; Wm. Hogg, Toronto, temporary manager Bank of Commerce; Dr. Archibald Lawson, medical director Confederation Life, Halifax; Mrs. Lawson; F. V. Green, Winnipeg, manager of Confederation Life, Toronto; Mrs. Green; Gerald Stannan, secretary, Confederation Life Assurance Co., Toronto; Mrs. Stannan; Miss Stewart, a sister of Mrs. Stannan. At Acapulco, a day's journey from Mexico City, three other Canadians are located—Wm. Harris, manager of the Bank of Ontario; Mrs. Burns and Miss Margaret Burns, all of Toronto.

LOOKS LIKE A MAINE AND NEW BRUNSWICK LEAGUE

Although spring is near at hand, the baseball situation in St. John and vicinity is not cleared away. The big leaguers in the states are hiring themselves to their spring training quarters, and baseball is again the chief topic of conversation. Here no definite arrangements have as yet been made regarding the plans for the coming season, and the fans are anxiously waiting for some word from headquarters. The Northeastern League project, so far as St. John is concerned, seems to have died a natural death, although it is just possible that the local team may be entered in that organization if it is formed. The possibilities of the New Brunswick and Maine League being referred to for the season looks brighter, especially as the Woodstock, St. John and St. Stephen and Calais with one team. Doubtless this would prove as good a drawing card as last year's league did. A meeting of the executive of the league will likely be held at an early date, although the secretary, D. S. Donald is still confined to his hotel on account of sickness. It will be another meeting of the executive of the Northeastern League in the latter part of this month, or the first part of next, and then the local managers will have to decide whether or not they will enter their team. The warm weather is coming thick and fast, and it is time that something was moving. Joe Pace, who managed the team a while last year, and who represented the local owners at the meeting of the delegates when the Northeastern League was organized, arrived in the city yesterday. He said that as far as he knew there was nothing new regarding the local situation.

MR. TILTON LIKELY TO CONTINUE POSTMASTER

No Change in Fairville is Report on Good Authority

There have been some rumors of a change in the office of postmaster in Fairville when the new post office, which is now ready, is opened for business. The present postmaster, C. F. Tilton, has held the position while running a general store, and has had the office in his store. It was believed in some quarters that his business would prevent him taking charge of the new building, and several eminent Conservatives were discovered willing to sacrifice themselves for the good of the community by accepting the position. However, to be quite willing to continue as postmaster, and so far there has been no evidence of any desire on the part of those who control the patronage to displace him, and it is now generally believed there will be no change. There is good authority for believing this correct.

ROBERT R. BOYER DEAD

Born, Lived and Died in Exmouth Street House — A Respected Citizen

The death of a highly respected citizen, Robert R. Boyer, occurred this morning at his home 29 Exmouth street, after an illness dating back to about New Year. He was seventy-nine years of age, and an interesting feature concerning him was that he spent practically all his life in this city, where he was born. The house in which he was born seventy-nine years ago is the one in which he had since resided, and in which he died this morning. Two years ago he was a member of the old No. 2 hand engine company and was active in the early days of this department. For a time he kept a bicycle repair and skate sharpening shop in Sydney street. His wife and one son, A. F. Boyer survive, with one brother, John, in Sussex, and one sister, Mrs. Annie Lyman, of this city. The funeral will be held on Monday from his home in Exmouth street.

COLDER, SAYS THE WEATHER MAN TODAY

This has been almost like a day of spring with the mercury up to 37 and with 21 the lowest point touched. The probability is in for some snow and then colder again.

VITAL STATISTICS

Sixteen births were recorded during the week. The girls numbered ten and the boys six. Six marriages were also registered.

Store open tonight till 11 o'clock. Come Here Tonight For Bargains in Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings. CLOTHING: Men's Suits, in fancy Tweeds and Worsteds, special prices \$4.95 to \$16.45; Men's Overcoats, special prices \$7.45 to \$15.25; Boys' Overcoats, special prices \$3.25 to \$9.85; Boys' Two-piece Suits, special prices \$1.98 to \$5.45; Boys' Three-piece Suits, special prices \$3.98 to \$7.65. FURNISHINGS: Men's Plain Wool Underwear, special price 39c. garment; Men's heavy Rib Wool Underwear, special price 63c. garment; Men's Sweater Coats, special price 81c. each; Men's Cardigans, special price 61c. each; Men's heavy Leather Working Mitts, special price 43c. pair; We have reduced the prices on all our Men's Trousers. H. N. DeMILLE & CO. 199 to 201 Union Street Opera House Block

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Exceptional Week-End Values in Men's Shirts. Almost any sort of shirt that a man can require. All new and fresh; just made; the new fabrics for 1913. They are fabrics printed by the non-fade process. Colors are guaranteed by the makers to be absolutely fast, they will not change color from perspiration nor be affected by any proper hand or steam laundry process. These shirts are made by one of the best makers in Canada, and are good value at \$1.25 each. We place them on sale for Friday and Saturday at 90c each. All sizes from 14 to 16 1-2. When you see them you will order by the half-dozen. KING STREET COR. GERMAIN GREATER OAK HALL SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED, St. John, N. B.

Clothing Bargains. The TWO LAST DAYS of clothing bargains at our old stand (opposite our new store). We have already moved our furnishing stock to our new store (opposite our old stand). On Monday we will move our clothing department. Our clothing manager has marked down AWAY DOWN, all Overcoats, Suits and Pants, Men's and Boys', for the two last days Friday and Saturday. COME FOR CLOTHING BARGAINS. FRASER FRASER & CO. 26 and 28 Charlotte Street CLOTHING BARGAINS. CLOTHING BARGAINS.

Fur Coats Reduced. This is ideal fur coat weather and we are offering all Fur Coats in stock at such reductions in price that if you are thinking of buying a coat our prices will interest you. 1 Persian Lamb Coat, 52 inches long, \$300.00, was \$350.00. 1 Blended Rat Coat, \$90.00, was \$110.00. Blended Rat Coats, \$80.00, were \$100.00. Near Seal Coats, \$70.00, were \$90.00. Near Seal Coats, \$60.00, were \$75.00. 2 Greenland Seal Coats, \$50.00, were \$75.00. D. MAGEE'S SONS, Ltd. Manuf'g. Furriers 63 King St.