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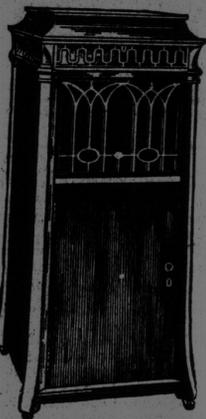
- Corona Hand-Dipped Creams, 50c.
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- Chicken Bones, 49c.
- Pascall Butter Wafers, with Nuts, 80c.
- Neilson Maraschino Cherries, in Creams, 65c.
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W. M. CRAWFORD LEFT ESTATE OF \$173,501

Balance to Relatives After Public Bequests of \$59,500 Made

DR. THOS. WALKER ESTATE \$79,399

All is Left to His Wife—R. H. CUSHING \$10,725

The late William Crawford, whose will has been admitted to probate before Judge McInerney in the Probate Court, left an estate valued at \$173,501 consisting entirely of personal property. In addition to a large number of bequests to relatives, ranging in amounts from \$100 to \$10,000, the will provided for a number of public bequests totalling \$59,500. The bulk of the estate was left to be divided equally among brothers and sisters and children of deceased brothers and sisters. Dr. G. R. J. Crawford and A. A. Wilson, K. C. were named executors, and K. A. Wilson was proctor.

PUBLIC BEQUESTS
The public bequests consisted of the following gifts—Commissioners' General Public Hospital, \$5,000; N. B. Bible Society Auxiliary of Canadian Bible Society, \$7,000; Mount Allison University, \$10,000; Centenary Methodist Church, \$1,000; Y. M. C. A., \$7,000; Protestant Orphanage, \$7,000; Seamen's Mission, \$1,000; Old Ladies' Home, \$1,000; Home for Incubables, \$7,000; Children's Aid Society, \$1,000; Salvation Army, \$1,000; Mission Fund of the Methodist Church, \$7,000; Victorian Order of Nurses, \$500; Marsh Bridge Mission, \$500; and \$500 each to the following Methodist churches—Kamouth street, Zion, Queen Street, Carmarthen street, Portland, Carleton, and Fairville.

DR. WALKER'S WILL

Mrs. Mary R. Walker and Miss Alice K. Walker were granted letters testamentary in the matter of the estate of Dr. Thomas Walker, who left an estate valued at \$78,399.21 of which \$8,000 was realty and the balance personal property. The will devised and bequeathed everything to the wife of the deceased, J. F. H. Teed was proctor.

R. H. CUSHING

Administration of the estate of Engineer Richmond, H. Cushing was granted to Mrs. Emmeline T. Cushing. The property was composed of \$9,500 realty and \$1,229 personalty. Messrs. Kelley & Ross were proctors.

GIFTS PRESENTED AT L. O. B. A. TREAT

Roxborough Lodge Event Last Evening Much Enjoyed—Boxes Sent to Poor

Roxborough Lodge, No. 32, L. O. B. A., held their meeting and also their annual treat last evening. Mrs. A. E. Evans, the W. M., was in the chair. A beautifully decorated tree was in evidence, from which each person present received a candy bag and orange, distributed by Santa Claus. The lodge last evening sent out boxes of provisions to the poor on the West Side, the Boy Scouts of St. Jude's church looking after the delivery.

There was an interchange of gifts between the members. Special gifts were presented to Mrs. Joseph Taylor, the Supreme Grand Chaplain of British North America, and to Mrs. Albert Evans, W. M. of Roxborough Lodge. Mrs. James Brown and Miss Josie Woodland, Grand Lodge officers, also received gifts. Mrs. Burton King, W. M. of Baxter Lodge; Mrs. S. E. Galbraith, W. M. of Potts Lodge; Mrs. J. Chard, W. M. of Fairmount; Mrs. D. Jewett, W. M. of Cullum Lodge; Mrs. Charles Stephens of Johnstone Lodge; and Mrs. Oscar Brentnall, W. M. of Dominion Lodge, also received gifts from the tree. The members of the lodge plan to hold a supper on February 2. Dainty refreshments were served last evening by Group 2, of which Mrs. Taylor is the captain, and Group 5 of which Mrs. P. Bosence is the captain.

SEWING CIRCLE MEETS

The sewing circle of Roxborough Lodge met on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Victor Shonnon, 146 Winalow street, West Saint John. Mrs. W. B. Nice, the president, was in the chair. Much work was accomplished, and the hostess, assisted by Miss Helen Nice, served dainty refreshments. Those present were: Mrs. W. B. Nice, Mrs. A. Evans, Mrs. L. Melvin, Mrs. G. Merryweather, Mrs. J. Carrier, Mrs. F. Bilsard, Mrs. W. Myles, Mrs. T. Meahan, Mrs. George Magee, Mrs. Percy Bosence, Mrs. S. Carvell, Mrs. B. A. Edwards, Mrs. W. H. Fuller, Mrs. H. Donner, Mrs. H. Jennings, Mrs. A. Taylor, Mrs. W. Lord and Miss Rose Neill.

AUTO ACCIDENT

The motor car of Rev. Canon Daniel of Rothesay, was damaged in a collision yesterday afternoon opposite the store of John de Angelis on the Rothesay Road. Canon Daniel was proceeding toward Rothesay and met another car and attempted to turn out of the rut to allow the other car to pass but was unable to do so in time, a collision taking place. His car axle was bent and the auto could not proceed to Rothesay under its own power. Canon Daniel was not injured.

OUT OF DRY DOCK

The steamship Canadian Trapper, this morning left the dry dock, where she has been undergoing a general overhauling, and shifted to the fitting out berth. She is expected to sail next week for London and Antwerp with grain and general cargo.

ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, JAN 15.

A.M. P.M.
High Tide..... 9:12 Fish Tide..... 6:43
Low Tide..... 6:18 Low Tide..... 6:43
Sun Rises..... 8:00 Sun Sets..... 4:59

Local News

CONTRACT AWARDED.

Byrne & McGeouch have been awarded a contract for installing asphalt in the Pine Exchange owned by George A. Cameron.

PAY DAY

Today was the fortnightly pay day at City Hall. The sum of \$8,941.25 was paid out as follows: Public works, \$4,849.45; water and sewerage, \$2,812.58; harbor, \$1,408.90; ferry, \$869.30.

CHILD IS DEAD

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. William C. McKel, 62 1/2 Kennedy street, sympathize with them in the death of their infant daughter, Pauline Shirley, who died last night. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Fifteen children gathered at the home of Mrs. C. G. Ward, 254 Brittain street, on Wednesday afternoon in honor of her little son, Arthur, who celebrated his fourth birthday. They were enjoyed and refreshments served by the hostess.

AT 65 TABLES.

Sixty-five tables of card players topped up in the St. Peter's card tournament last night. The prize winners were: Ladies, first, Miss Margaret Robichaud; second, Mrs. J. L. Hurley; consolation, Miss Alice Allingham; gentlemen, first, Mr. Doucett; second, A. Chip Olive; consolation, James Howard.

DIED THIS MORNING

Friends will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Grant, 80 Dorchester street, in the death of their youngest child, Gordon, age 14 months, which took place this morning at his parents' residence. Besides his parents, a brother and a sister survive. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from 80 Dorchester street.

L. R. ROSS IN BERMUDA

L. R. Ross, former terminal agent of the Canadian National Railways here, is now at Grassmere, near Hamilton, Bermuda, where he will spend some time. It is not known whether he will go any farther south before returning to Saint John. Mr. Ross is accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Ferguson.

BUSY WITH SNOW

Between four and five inches of snow fell in the storm of last night, bringing the total snowfall for the month, to date, up to 14 inches. This morning the public works department were busy with teams removing snow from the intersections of the streets. This afternoon about 80 hired teams were engaged in hauling the snow from the main streets.

ASSOCIATION ELECTS.

The annual meeting of the Saint John branch of the Canadian Building Association was held last evening in the Admiral Beatty Hotel, when officers for the coming year were elected, as follows: President, D. M. Roberts; first vice, F. E. Wetmore; second vice, H. O. Clark; secretary, J. N. Flood; treasurer, Wm. Nonnenman; sergeant-at-arms, G. Flood. Routine business occupied the time of the meeting.

SAINT JOHN MUSICIANS.

The Admiral Beatty Orchestra, under the direction of Bruce Holder, who is also first violinist at the Imperial Theatre, left today for Moncton, where they will broadcast through C.N.R. a specially arranged program of classical and dance numbers, interspersed with instrumental solos by members of the orchestra. Several other local musicians accompanied the orchestra on the trip. Many radio fans have expressed their pleasure at the excellent program arranged for the evening's entertainment, and it is expected that local enthusiasts will be tuning in to enjoy it.

HAD SLEIGH DRIVE.

Pleasant Point, Section No. 10, temperance organization, held an enjoyable sleigh drive on Wednesday evening. Some 45 young people went on an outing with Mr. and Mrs. William McAllister as chaperones. They drove to the Three-Mile House, and returned to the home of Mrs. George Stevens, Connors street, Fairville. Mrs. Stevens and her daughters, Mrs. Edna Stevens, served delicious refreshments. The remainder of the evening was pleasantly spent in games and dancing. Music was furnished by a trio consisting of Miss Edith Stevens, Miss Eldreth Humphrey and John Stevens.

HAD SNOWSHOE TRAMP.

Miss Maude Kierstead entertained a few friends at a snowshoeing party last evening and afterwards at her home, Manawagonish road. The party went on snowshoes from Fairville to Miss Kierstead's home, and, in spite of the inclemency of the weather, enjoyed the invigorating tramp. At the home of the hostess, games and music were enjoyed. A bean supper was served by Miss Kierstead, assisted by the Misses Marian Carvell, Mary and Nellie Kierstead. Among those present were: Miss Grace Parkinson, Miss Maude McBay, Miss P. Tims, H. C. L. Sweet, Ronald Parkinson, Jack Armstrong, Packard Campbell and Bert Parkinson.

Assumption Society Hears Addresses

AUTO ACCIDENT

The Ladies' Society of the Assumption church met last evening in their room in St. Patrick's Hall, West Saint John. Mrs. W. E. Morris, president, in the chair. Gratifying reports were heard from the convents. Addresses were given by Miss Florence Coleman, assistant superintendent of East Saint John Hospital, and Mrs. J. Frank Owens, who is a delegate to the nurses' convention in Finland, very interestingly described her trip from Montreal to Finland, the beautiful scenery in the country and the customs of the natives. Mrs. Owens gave an account of her visit to Hamilton, Ont. Miss M. J. Dolerty moved a vote of thanks to Miss Coleman and Mrs. Owens for their very instructive addresses, seconded by Mrs. M. A. Tobin. The next monthly meeting will be held in February when Mrs. S. B. Donovan will lecture on her trip to Rome.

HALF HOLIDAY FOR SECOND DAY OF SKATE MEET

Council Asks Citizens to Observe Wednesday Afternoon, Jan. 27

CITY HALL HELPS IN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Will Give Trophy to Winner and Entertain Visiting Writers.

The City Council decided this morning to aid in making the World's Skating Championship Meet here January 26-27-28 a success by requesting the citizens to observe a half holiday on Wednesday, January 27 giving a trophy to the one crowned world's champion and by giving a banquet to the visiting newspaper men.

A delegation from the world championship skating executive met the members of the council at a special committee meeting this morning. The delegation was composed of A. P. Peterson, D. J. Corr, P. D. McAvity, Thomas Nagle and C. A. Owens. Mr. Peterson said they had come to see if the council would give a trophy, entertain the outside news men and declare a half holiday.

Discussion followed and it was decided that the city would offer a trophy for the highest point winner, the cost not to exceed \$200.

HALF-HOLIDAY.

Mr. Corr and Mr. Nagle said the proposition for a half-holiday was endorsed by the Retail Merchants' Association, and the Skating Association would like to suggest that if a half-holiday was given that Wednesday be the day chosen.

Acting Mayor Frink said he would not like to declare a half-holiday, but would request the citizens to observe a half-holiday on the second day of the meet.

Mr. McAvity, for the entertainment committee, suggested that the city give a banquet for the visiting newspaper men who would be here representing the biggest papers in America. It was decided that the city should give a dinner for the newspaper men, foreign consuls and officials of the Skating Association.

IS BOOSTING CITY.

Mr. Corr said the prospects for a large attendance from outside points were very bright and the city had received many valuable advertising already because the meet was to be held here.

HAMPTON HOME IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Old Residence of Late Judge Wedderburn Goes up in Flames

One of the landmarks of Hampton Village disappeared when the residence of J. W. Lehrle, better known as the old home of the late Judge Wedderburn, was destroyed by fire which started at an early hour on Wednesday morning. The fire broke out about 1:15 a.m. and is believed to have had its origin in the explosion of a furnace in which soft coal was being burned. The building and its entire contents were a total loss and Mrs. Lehrle and her two small children had a narrow escape, only getting out with very little apparel. The fire was greatly aggravated by a high wind. The house burned very quickly and although a call was made for help, it was not available in time.

The house was set in its own grounds with no others very near so there was little danger of the fire spreading. It was a very beautiful old home with fine grounds and its loss will mean quite a bit to the Village. Mrs. Lehrle was a daughter of the late Judge Wedderburn.

OLD PAPER IS SENT TO ACTING MAYOR

Has Illustrated Story on Visit of Late King Edward to Saint John

An interesting copy of the London Illustrated was received today by Acting Mayor Frink and will probably be placed in the city files. It is dated September 8, 1869 and in it are found articles dealing with the visit of the late King Edward VII. to this city and province.

Mrs. M. Hevenor Is Dead At Age of 86

The death of Mrs. Margaret Hevenor, widow of Benjamin Hevenor, occurred this morning after a short illness, at the residence of Miss Renshaw, Riverside. There survive two brothers, William and Samuel Ramsay, both of San Francisco, and one sister, Mrs. Murray of Kansas City. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock from the residence of William J. Fraser, Brookville. Interment will be in Fernhill.

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