

NASHWAAK CO. WINS AT OTTAWA

Appeal in New Brunswick Case Before Supreme Court.

W. H. Harrison, K. C. returned today from Ottawa where he has been in connection with the case of King vs. Nashwaak Pulp and Paper Co., Ltd., before the Supreme Court of Canada on appeal from the decision of the Exchequer Court in Fredericton two years ago.

FIRE LOSSES ARE REPORTED ON

Prevention Board Meets—Contract for Text Book is Awarded.

The fire loss for Moncton for the ten months ended October 31, totalled \$169,880, according to a report by H. McLeish, provincial fire marshal, presented to the monthly meeting of the New Brunswick Fire Prevention Board yesterday afternoon with the president, Col. M. B. Edwards, in the chair.

The New Brunswick property loss through fire for the 10 months amounts to \$1,600,000, which is about \$100,000 less than for the same period last year.

Beginning of work on the new trunk sewer through the Carleton Mill Pond will be made tomorrow when the engineer and his staff will commence laying out the grade for the sewer. It was said this morning by Commissioner Wigmore.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

BIRTHS WRIGHT—On Nov. 7 to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wright, 142 Market Place, West, a son, Ralph Donald.

MARRIAGES BENNETT—On Nov. 6, 1924, at Trinity church, James T. Bennett of this city, to Mrs. Mary Beers of Upper River, Kent County, by the Rev. Mr. Markham.

DEATHS SIMPSON—Suddenly, on Nov. 6, 1924, Robt. W. Simpson, of Barneville, Kings Co., N. B., leaving a wife, two sons and one sister to mourn.

IN MEMORIAM SAUNDERS—In loving memory of Una Grace Saunders, died Nov. 7, 1919, age 4. Gone, but not forgotten.

GREEN'S DINING HALL King Square BREAKFAST A la Carte DINNER 65c SUPPER 55c Noon 12-2.30 P.M. 5-8 12-27-1924

PREMIER CRITICIZED FOR SIDETRACKING SIR ROBERT HORNE

(Continued from page 1) admitting this, regrets the decision of so many former office holders.

The appointment of Winston Churchill to such a dominant post as that of Chancellor of the Exchequer has naturally attracted the attention of the commentators, who remark upon the courage and independence shown by the Premier in disregarding the inevitable hostility which the selection will provoke among a considerable section of the Conservative ranks.

Some misgivings, however, are expressed as to the propriety of the Premier's selection in all sections of the party under cooperation of the ultra-Conservative Morning Post "hesitates to applaud" the appointment saying that although Mr. Churchill is a brilliant debater and orator, "socialism and the revolutionary spirit can only be fought by constructive statesmanship based on such qualities as honesty of character and sympathetic understanding."

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The exclusion of Sir Robert Horne is regretted by many of the Premier's supporters, who regard him as a man of high character and ability, and who believe that his exclusion is a serious loss to the Government.

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ARE SELECTING RHODES SCHOLAR: SIX NAMES IN

A meeting of the Rhodes scholarship committee for New Brunswick was held this morning in the office of the chairman, Sir J. Douglas Hazen, and after considering the names of six applicants, adjournment was made until this afternoon.

The names of the six applicants are: Mr. J. B. McNeil, Fredericton; Mr. J. B. McNeil, Fredericton; Mr. J. B. McNeil, Fredericton; Mr. J. B. McNeil, Fredericton; Mr. J. B. McNeil, Fredericton; Mr. J. B. McNeil, Fredericton.

COURT DECLINES \$10 AND GETS \$15

Fines on Charge of Violation of By-Law, and Cruelty.

Magistrate Henderson was not in a bargaining mood while presiding in the police court this morning. Myre Parshank, who was reported for allowing his horse to stand in Union street without a footstrap, and unattended, also for alleged cruelty to poultry, he was adjudged guilty and a fine of \$15 was struck.

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GALLANT DRIVER IS LAID AT REST

An Impressive Ceremonial Marks Funeral of George Parks, North End.

Firemen, policemen and many citizens, in addition to relatives, assembled this morning to pay respect to the memory of George F. Parks, fireman, who gave his life in the performance of his duty on last Tuesday evening. The funeral took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the residence of his sister Mrs. Patrick Mullaly, 86 Clarendon street, to St. Peter's church, where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. T. O'Sullivan, with Rev. F. Mullins, deacon, and Rev. E. Meahan, sub-deacon. Robert Butler sang "Weaver, My God, These" while the body was being taken down the aisle. Members of the fire department acted as pall-bearers. They were: John Cunningham, Michael Finnegan, M. Colwell, John Connell, Sanford Speight and Shirley Taylor.

The funeral procession left the church at 9:45 o'clock, headed by a band containing numerous beautiful floral offerings. Members of the local police department, led by Inspector Caples, followed, then came St. Mary's Band and members of the Salvage Corps and the fire department.

Just in front of No. 5 hose wagon, which was draped in black and on which rested the casket, came Mayor Potts, Commissioner Harding, Chief Blake, William Brown, captain No. 2 Salvage Corps, and K. J. MacRae, captain No. 1 Salvage Corps, and district fire chiefs. The hose wagon was driven by a horse which Mr. Parks often used to drive, led by William White and Alexander Day of No. 5 Company, with Harding Gillen in the driver's seat.

Following, came a long line of citizens who took this opportunity to pay tribute to the gallant fireman. Among the mourners were: Messrs. J. S. Smith, W. H. Gardner, Lancaster street, and Mrs. J. H. Gardner, Lancaster street. The guests of honor received pretty and useful gifts. Among those present were: Messrs. C. H. Belyea, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Covey, Mr. and Mrs. L. Sewell and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Brown.

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LOCAL NEWS

CAUSE OF SHUTOFF. The Hydro current will be shut off for half an hour on Sunday morning, from 6 to 6:30 o'clock, to allow for some adjustments to the switching equipment at the sub-station.

K—Important for—Page 2 The C. N. R. radio broadcasting station, CNRA, Moncton, will broadcast tonight on wave length 435 metres instead of 313 metres as was announced.

NEW SCOUT TROOPS. Harry Lister, field organizer for the Boy Scouts, left this afternoon for Sussex, where he plans to organize a troop this evening among the boys of the Church of England. He was at Rothery yesterday afternoon and evening in connection with the troop at the Rothery Collegiate School. He also said that he hoped to be able to form a troop at Kingston in the near future.

ST. JOHN MAN IN SOUTH. In a recent issue of the Miami Tribune a picture of Arthur Walsh of this city appears. He is a member of the Temple Players, who opened for a season's run at the leading theatre there. The play being presented at the time was "The Canadian." Mr. Walsh was one of the most popular amateur actors appearing on the St. John stage and his progress with the Miami theatrical troupe will be watched with interest.

THIEF CHARGE GONE INTO. A case against Fred Pearce, charged with the theft of \$250, was begun this morning in the County Court before His Honor Judge Barry. The evidence of the complainant, Morrell, was taken, and the defence had opened its case, the accused being on the stand when court adjourned until this afternoon. W. M. Ryan appeared for the Crown, and E. J. Henneberry for the defendant.

GIVEN SHOWER. Friends of Greta and Mrs. F. Landowne Belyea tendered them a shower last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Gardner, Lancaster street, and Mrs. J. H. Gardner, Lancaster street. The guests of honor received pretty and useful gifts. Among those present were: Messrs. C. H. Belyea, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Covey, Mr. and Mrs. L. Sewell and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Brown.

DIED IN MONTREAL. Friends in this city will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Katherine Wheeler, widow of William Wheeler, in Montreal last Wednesday morning. The funeral was to be held this afternoon there. Mrs. Wheeler was formerly Miss Katherine Hall of this city. She removed a few years ago to Montreal. Two sons, Roy and Ralph, survive, as also one sister, Mrs. G. F. A. Anderson, St. John.

EAST ST. JOHN FIRE. On Wednesday morning, between 2:30 and 3 o'clock, a fire broke out in the dwelling occupied and occupied by Ambrose G. Pelkey, Green street, East St. John. Mr. Pelkey was awakened by the smell of smoke and the reflection of a fire, which started in a small storage room off the kitchen. He aroused his family and hurried them to a place of safety. Mrs. Pelkey was cared for by Mrs. George Sage and Mrs. Thomas Henderson.

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Noted Anti-Liquor Speaker Here Towards End of November.

"Pussyfoot" Johnston, a noted prohibition propagandist and lecturer, will speak in St. John the latter part of this month. Imperial Theatre has been engaged for the occasion. A local committee of the temperance forces in this province has made the arrangements and much preparation is going on for the coming of the international figure. Mr. Johnston is supposed to be on the ocean at the present time. He is to speak in Sydney, N. S., soon, en route towards St. John, where he is to speak at frequent intervals. Previous to coming to St. John he is to address a gathering in Sackville.

The world-renowned anti-liquor speaker and organizer has for a considerable period been in Great Britain and on the European continent. His latest work has been in France. The English papers have of late been giving him considerable space. On the other side "Pussyfoot" is a spectacular figure. It was in England at a student gathering, he received injuries to an eye that caused it to be removed and a glass optic substituted.

Mr. Johnston is reputed to be a forcible speaker, a genial personality and one who deals with the temperance question in its largest aspects. He speaks nationally, even internationally. He has become a commutator in a trans-oceanic and transatlantic way in the interests of the cause he has espoused. His coming to St. John will add to the local roster of speakers another famous personality in the trend of world events.

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Friends in this city will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Katherine Wheeler, widow of William Wheeler, in Montreal last Wednesday morning. The funeral was to be held this afternoon there. Mrs.