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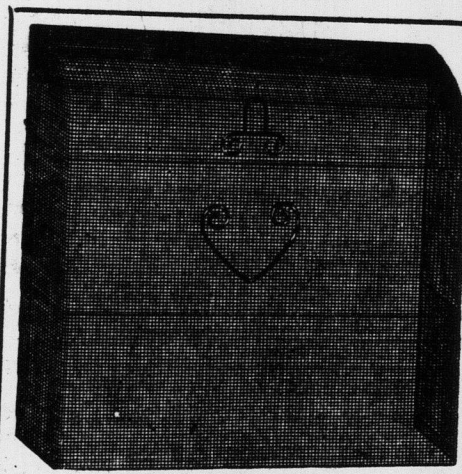
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### SEES RESULT IF DEMAND IS MADE

**Acting Mayor Speaks of Acquiring of Rifle Range Property**

**Action Now Possible if North End People Press For it**

Acting Mayor Frink, when asked this morning if any developments had taken place in regard to the city acquiring the rifle range property, North End, said that while nothing definite had been done, he thought there might be a prospect of action providing the citizens of the North End took the matter up energetically enough.

The acting mayor said he understood that at least two sites were available at points near the city which could be used for a rifle range and which could be purchased for much less than the amount which the council had authorized for the purchase of the present rifle range.

He said the council had, some years ago, authorized the Commission on Public Works to buy this property, and the government had been offered an advance of about \$7,000 over the price they paid for it.

Dr. Frink said he thought if the residents of North End, who would benefit most by the development of this area as a home site, were to get busy and demand action, something might be accomplished now.

### NURSES' DANCE AND BRIDGE SUCCESS

**Function Held in Pythian Castle Last Evening Proves Delightful Event**

The annual dance and bridge, under the auspices of the Saint John Chapter, New Brunswick Association, Graduate Nurses, was held in the Pythian Castle last evening. Many attended the delightful event. The guests were received by Miss Ella McGuffigan, the president, and Mrs. Thomas Reynolds. An orchestra supplied excellent music for the dancing, which took place in the large ballroom. For those who preferred bridge, tables were arranged in the lodge room, downstairs, and at 11 o'clock a delicious supper was served. The table was artistically arranged with pale yellow chrysanthemums and red tulips in the centre and had potted ferns and red candles on either side. The following ladies made up the efficient committees who had charge of the entertainment and who were largely responsible for its success: Miss Ella McGuffigan and Mrs. C. Reynolds, reception; Miss Margaret Murdoch, bridge; Mrs. J. Morgan and Mrs. J. Howard, refreshments; Miss Martina Wallace, Miss Agnes Sutherland and Miss Martha Fraser, the ticket committee. The beautiful flowers used in the decorations were taken to the Home for Incubated today.

The fortunate prize winners for bridge were Miss Geraldine Melick, Mrs. P. J. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Daley and Mr. McKay.

### SUPPER AND FAIR VERY SUCCESSFUL

**Roxborough Lodge Conducts Event in 'Prentice Boys' Hall, West End**

Roxborough Lodge, No. 82 L. O. B. A., held a very successful supper and fair last evening in the 'Prentice Boys' Hall, West End. A good sum was realized for lodge purposes. Mrs. A. W. Evans, W. M., was general convener. The convener of the tables were Mrs. P. Bosence, and Mrs. George Magee. Mrs. J. Donner, Mrs. H. Jennings, Mrs. E. Garey, Mrs. W. Ring, Mrs. J. Carl, Mrs. G. Merryweather, Mrs. B. A. Edwards, Mrs. A. Boyden, Mrs. J. McMan, Mrs. Spinney, Mrs. S. McAllister, Mrs. R. Wilson, Mrs. F. Blizard, Mrs. W. Myles, Mrs. I. Campbell, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. H. Robson, Mrs. J. Hersey, Mrs. V. Pitt, Mrs. E. Milton and Mrs. J. Maxwell. Mrs. H. V. Currie looked after the carving and Mrs. C. Coey and Mrs. W. H. Euler, served the jellies. The convener was Mrs. L. Melvin.

The door prize, an electric boudoir lamp, was won by Ticket No. 90. Mrs. M. L. Patriquin was the winner of a pair of linen towels, which were drawn by Ticket 104. The ladies' bean board prize, a buffet set, was won by Mrs. J. Donner and the gentlemen's bean board prize, a half dozen silver teaspoons, by B. A. Edwards. A fish pond was in charge of Mrs. J. Fillmore; home-cooking table, Mrs. C. Price and William Lord and Mrs. S. Carvell; fancy work table, Mrs. W. B. Nice; tickets, Mrs. J. Taylor and Mrs. William McCallum. The evening closed with a dance for which Ross Melvin furnished music.

### FRATERNAL EVENT

**Oliver Lodge, Odd Fellows, Hosts to Members of A. O. H.**

Oliver Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., were hosts on Monday evening to members of Division No. 1, A. O. H., at their hall, Market building, and a most enjoyable time was had by those present. The visitors were welcomed by Arthur Boyer, noble grand of Oliver Lodge. Short addresses were given by William Williams, president, and W. J. McNulty, vice-president of Division No. 1; cards were played and a singing was led by Robert Harris, with Harry Beaman at the piano, enjoyed. Refreshments were served by a committee from Oliver Lodge.

### ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, FEB 3

A.M. P.M.  
High Tide ..... 2:08 High Tide ..... 8:27  
Low Tide ..... 2:23 Low Tide ..... 8:40  
Sun Rises ..... 7:44 Sun Sets ..... 5:32

### Local News

**TWO TODAY**

Two were in the toils this morning on charges of having been found drunk in the streets. The usual fine of \$8 was imposed.

### BLESSING OF THROATS.

This being the Feast of Saint Blasius, the ceremony of the blessing of throats was carried out in the Catholic churches of the city at stated times throughout the day and very large numbers attended at the hour arranged. Many more, unable to attend, participated this evening.

### VALENTINE SOCIAL

The Silver Cross Circle of The King's Daughters held a Valentine social in the Guild rooms last evening. A musical program was enjoyed, with solos by Misses Audrey Hunter and Annie Tait, and a piano solo by Miss Dorothy Knight. Games were played and refreshments were served. The president, Miss E. Lawrenson led in the games and contests.

### WINS PRIZE AND RETURNS IT.

The Hebrew Ladies' Aid met at the Synagogue, Carleton street, on Monday evening with Mrs. M. Sorelsky, the president, in the chair. After a business session, a drawing for a silver dish took place. It was won by Mr. Hoffman, and he kindly returned it to the members for a further drawing. His thoughtfulness was much appreciated.

### REACH INDIA SAFELY

Mrs. Irene Osborne, Sydney street, received a cable this morning from her daughter Mrs. G. R. Turner, announcing the safe arrival of herself and son Malcolm at Karachi, India. Mrs. Turner met by her husband, Major Turner, and after two or three days spent there they will proceed to Quetta, India, where they will make their home for the next year.

### CHARACTER ANALYSIS CLUB

There was a good attendance of members of the Saint John Character Analysis Club at a meeting held last evening at the home of J. King Kelly, K. C. It was decided to hold the meetings each Tuesday night in future. Clarence Taylor gave an interesting talk on the lesson of the evening. In the absence of the president, Mrs. E. B. Sprague, the chair was occupied by Rupert Taylor.

### PLAN CARD PARTY.

Baxter Lodge, L. O. B. A., met last night in the Orange Hall, Fairville. Mrs. Burton Ring, the W. M., presided. Three members were initiated. Visitors were present from Dominion and Culture Lodges. Plans were made for a card party in Orange Hall at the end of the month. The committee in charge of the auxiliary concert reported a satisfactory sum realized. At the close of the meeting a committee of ladies served refreshments.

### MRS. N. PETERSON DEAD

The death of Mrs. Neil Peterson, who died last night, will be heard with regret by her large circle of friends. She is survived by her husband and five children, her parents, one sister, Mrs. Corrycenter, and two brothers, Robert H. Carlin, John H. Carlin, Percy G. Carlin and William L. Carlin, all of this city. The funeral will be held tomorrow from her late home, 79 Broad street.

### ON WAY TO HONG KONG

Charles J. Nahas arrived here yesterday on the S. S. Metagama from Liverpool and passed through to Montreal on his way to Vancouver where he will sail on the Empress of Asia for Hong Kong. Mr. Nahas is a representative of a Chinese firm of diamond merchants and has been on a business trip to Europe. He reports conditions bad in China with commitments so much unsettled and import duties so high that merchants are finding it almost impossible to carry on business.

### ENTERTAINED AT PARSONAGE

The Helping Hand Society of St. Philip's church entertained last night at the parsonage by Mrs. C. W. Morgan and the members did much quilting. Those present were Mrs. G. Dixon, Mrs. C. Stewart, Mrs. C. Edson, Mrs. F. Leslie, Mrs. A. Simms, Mrs. A. Carty, Mrs. W. McAleer, Mrs. V. Stevens and Mrs. R. Riches. Plans were made for presenting the play "The New Minister" in the spring. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The pastor, Rev. C. W. Morgan, is making satisfactory recovery from injury received in a railway accident and he hopes to be fully recovered in a few days.

### W. M. S. PROGRAM

An interesting program was given at a meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Coburg street Christian church last evening at the residence of Mrs. Ralph Thorne, 11 Celebration street. Mrs. W. J. Johnston, president, was in the chair for the business session. Mrs. E. B. Sprague had charge of the program, which included an address on missionary work in Cuba given by Mrs. William Lesky, and an address by Mrs. Sprague on missions in Jamaica. A pleasing duet was sung by Mrs. E. N. Stockford and Mrs. W. J. Johnston. Those who took part in a circle of prayer were Mrs. J. J. Gillis, Mrs. J. S. Flagg and Mrs. F. G. Coggins. An applicant for membership was welcomed. The hostess served delicious refreshments. Ten modern commandments were read by Mrs. Jennie Chariton.

### FAIRVILLE LADIES' AID.

The Ladies' Aid of Fairville United church met last evening in the form of a social at the home of Mrs. Edward Kirkpatrick, Harding street. The time was busily spent in sewing on a layette for the V. O. N. The hostess was assisted in serving dainty refreshments by Mrs. E. L. Kirkpatrick, Misses Stella and Muriel Kirkpatrick and Miss Betty Sandall. Those present were: Mrs. S. A. Worlde president; Mrs. O. D. Hanson, Mrs. S. H. Hobart, Mrs. G. Morrison, Mrs. A. Scott, Mrs. S. T. Cogle, Mrs. Margaret, Mrs. Arthur McColgan, Mrs. P. L. Burgess, Mrs. Arthur Sweet, Mrs. W. Lester, Mrs. William Purcell, Mrs. R. MacKenzie, Mrs. B. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. D. Campbell, Mrs. Dave Crosby and Miss Betty Campbell.

### DIRECTORS CHOSEN

The board of directors elected was as follows: Mrs. H. Deamer, Mrs. Alice Eagles, H. G. Harrison, A. B. Farmer, J. B. Eagles, H. Usher Miller and F. W. Munro. The officers elected were: J. B. Eagles, president; F. W. Munro, secretary; H. Usher Miller, treasurer. Mrs. M. Kirkpatrick was re-appointed librarian.

### Hampton Curlers Play Local Clubs

At a meeting of the Hampton Curling Club held last night at their rink the skips were elected for the home games with the Thistles, St. Andrews and Carleton curling clubs of this city. The match with the Thistles is being carried out this afternoon and evening and those with the other clubs will be later. The skips for the Thistle match are Charles Coster, R. M. Hallett, F. F. Giggey, R. Z. Fleming; for the St. Andrews match, F. F. Giggey, James Ross, Allan Coster and James Sproul; for the Carleton match, Charles Coster, F. F. Giggey, R. Z. Fleming and James Ross.

### 10 TAKE CATTLE HERE THIS MONTH

**Sailings for United Kingdom From Saint John Announced.**

**Halifax to Have Two and Two May Be From Halifax or Portland**

Fifteen cattle sailings for the United Kingdom have been arranged for February, as compared with 17 last month and 17 in December.

Of these 10 are to be from Saint John, two from Halifax and two from either Portland or Halifax. The ports at which these cattle are to be landed in Great Britain are Glasgow, to which seven vessels are to sail; Manchester, which is to be the destination of four, and Liverpool, also four.

### LIST OF VESSELS.

The dates of sailing, as announced, may have to be changed slightly owing to the rough weather on the Atlantic having delayed the arrival of several and apt to delay others.

The Movers, of the Donaldson Line, is due to sail tomorrow from Saint John for Glasgow, and the Partonias of the same line, is expected to take her departure from the same port for Glasgow on Friday. On February 9 the Manchester Corporation, of the Manchester Line, is to sail from Saint John for Manchester, on the 7th the Winona County, Oriole Lines, from Saint John for Glasgow; on the 8th the Manchester City, Manchester Line, from Halifax to Manchester; on the 18th the Turcoman, White Star Line, from Portland or Halifax for Liverpool; on the 14th the Bellhaven, Oriole Lines, from Saint John for Glasgow; on the 18th the Salscia, Donaldson Line, from Saint John for Liverpool; on the 19th the Gracia, Donaldson Line, from Saint John for Glasgow; on the 20th the Cornishman, White Star Line, from Portland or Halifax for Liverpool; on the 20th the Kastalia, Donaldson Line, from Saint John for Liverpool or Glasgow; on the 20th the Manchester Brigade, Manchester Line, from Saint John for Manchester; on the 20th the Cornishman, White Star Line, from Saint John for Glasgow; on the 27th the Welshman, White Star Line, from Portland or Halifax for Liverpool; and again on the 27th, the Manchester Commerce, Manchester Line, from Halifax for Manchester.

### EAST SAINT JOHN CONCERT ENJOYED

**Nice Program is Given by Courtenay Bay and Fairmount Lodges**

A very successful concert, under the auspices of Courtenay Bay L. O. L. and Fairmount L. O. B. A., was held last evening in the United Church hall, East Saint John. L. McFarlane, county master east, was the chairman, and there was an appreciative audience. The program included several selections by an orchestra composed of Miss Marjorie Smith, J. F. Munro and R. J. Carr; several readings and musical selections contributed by D. J. Johnston, and three amusing sketches, in which George Gordon, W. L. Wood, H. A. Copley, C. E. Logan and Joseph Mackenzie took part. The entertainment was of two and a half hours' duration.

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**UNION HALL SHOWS BALANCE OF \$565**

**J. B. Eagles Elected President of Corporation—Small Deficit in Library**

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Union Hall Corporation was held yesterday afternoon in Union Hall, Main street and the report submitted showed a good balance on hand. The North End Public Library had a deficit of \$14.22 for the year and a sum to meet this was transferred from the hall account. A dividend of 1 per cent was declared on the stock.

The financial report of the hall showed receipts of \$1,625.17 and expenditures of \$1,059.81, leaving a balance of \$565.36. The financial report of the library showed receipts of \$1,271.12 and expenditures of \$1,419.44.

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