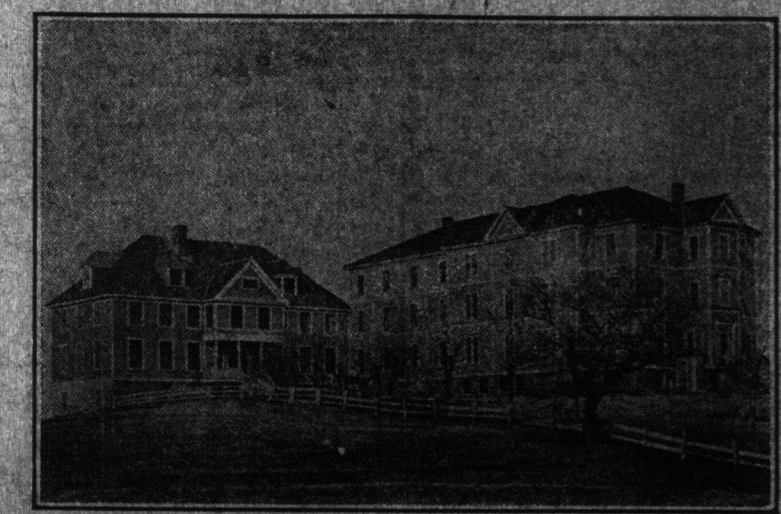


HORTON ACADEMY AND DINING HALL DESTROYED BY FIRE; LOSS \$35,000



HORTON COLLEGIATE ACADEMY (RIGHT), YOUNG HALL (LEFT)

Wolville, N. S., Feb. 5.—Horton Academy building and Edward W. Young Hall were destroyed by fire this morning. The blaze raged for an hour and overcame every effort of the local fire department to extinguish it.

OBITUARY

Joseph Rogers. Tuesday, Feb. 2.—The death of Joseph Rogers, son of Pilot Bart Rogers, occurred yesterday in his 27th year.

Miss Goldie A. Lecky. The death of Miss Goldie A. Lecky occurred at her home in Cumberland Bay (N. B.) on Friday, January 29, after a brief illness.

Mrs. Mary Wright. At the advanced age of ninety years, the death of Mrs. Mary Wright, widow of Sylvester Wright, occurred Sunday at her home, 144 Watson street, West End.

Samuel Snodgrass. Death came suddenly yesterday to Samuel Snodgrass, aged about seventy years, in Waterloo street.

Thomas Ryan. The death occurred yesterday at 120 Victoria street, of Thomas Ryan, in his eighty-third year.

James A. Bayley. Church Hill, N. B., Jan. 30.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

John F. MacDougall. At the Crystal Street Sanitarium, Hot Springs, Ark., S. on January 11, John F. MacDougall, formerly of New Brunswick, died after a lingering illness.

J. Allan Dibble. Woodstock, N. B., Feb. 1.—J. Allan Dibble, of the firm of W. F. Dibble & Son, died at his home yesterday after a few days' illness with Bright's Disease.

Mrs. Stanley Waugh. Andover, N. B., Feb. 1.—The community was shocked on Thursday to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Stanley Waugh, after giving birth to a baby daughter.

Miss Dorothy Graham. Richibucto, Feb. 1.—The death of Miss Dorothy Graham, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, occurred on Friday at the home of her parents, after a three weeks' illness.

WEDDINGS

Brager-Wesley. Wednesday, Feb. 3.—Friends in this city will be interested in a marriage which took place last evening in the Pythian Temple, Portland (Me.).

Thursday, Feb. 4.—A quiet wedding was celebrated in the Victoria street parlour last evening at 8 o'clock.

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Sunday, Feb. 7.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

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Wednesday, Feb. 10.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

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Friday, Feb. 12.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Saturday, Feb. 13.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Sunday, Feb. 14.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Monday, Feb. 15.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Tuesday, Feb. 16.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Wednesday, Feb. 17.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Thursday, Feb. 18.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Friday, Feb. 19.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Saturday, Feb. 20.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Sunday, Feb. 21.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Monday, Feb. 22.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Tuesday, Feb. 23.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Wednesday, Feb. 24.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Thursday, Feb. 25.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Friday, Feb. 26.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Saturday, Feb. 27.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Sunday, Feb. 28.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Monday, Feb. 29.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

Tuesday, Feb. 30.—The many friends of James A. Bayley, who has held the position of collector of taxes in this city, will be grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home at Church Hill, Elgin, on Jan. 14, after being in failing health for about nine months.

WHOLESALE PRICES OF NEW BRUNSWICK PRODUCE IN ST. JOHN MARKETS

Sugar and flour took another advance during the week, the different grades of sugar, per lb., ranging from twenty and thirty cents. It appears that the flour market is most uncertain and advances are taking place daily.

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SWINGING SHIP SHARPLY AROUND IN HALF CIRCLE PREVENTED DISASTER--BRITAIN NOT TO BLOCKADE GERMAN PORTS--GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF FOODSTUFFS ASKED--DEATH OF GERMAN AVIATOR.

Southampton, via London, Feb. 4, 9.55 p. m.—The British hospital ship Asturias, which narrowly escaped being torpedoed by a German submarine off Harve a day or two ago, arrived here this afternoon. It had some wounded aboard.

Members of the crew say that a catastrophe was prevented by the promptitude of the captain, who, observing the white track made by the torpedo, altered the course of his vessel, bringing it sharply around in a half circle. The projectile passed harmlessly astern. The light was good at the time.

London, Feb. 4, 7.30 p. m.—Although the Morning Post and other London daily newspapers repeatedly have urged a blockade of German ports, this cutting off all cotton and foodstuffs, the British Foreign Office repeatedly has made it clear that such a step is not contemplated, and announces that its policy is the same today as in the past.

It is added that the British government has no thought of antagonizing neutral countries, whose shipping would be stopped by the closing of the Baltic sea.

London, Feb. 4, 9.30 p. m.—In view of the increasing cost of food, which is due almost entirely to high freight rates, and the congestion of goods at the docks, the members of the corporations of Glasgow, Liverpool, and other cities in the Kingdom today proposed the passage of resolutions for the framing of a petition to the government in favor of government control of foodstuffs and coal and the shipping services.

While the resolution was defeated, those present at the meeting expressed strong views that immediate action by the government was necessary as wheat, flour and coal are daily increasing in price.

The entire question of food prices will be discussed in the House of Commons next Thursday, when Premier Asquith is expected to speak.

TURK ATTACK ON SUEZ CANAL. (Continued from page 1.) "We have captured from two to three hundred meters of the enemy's trenches near Heburter, north of Albert. Our fire has reached convoys and assembling points.

"By the very efficient shooting of our artillery in the Valley of the Aisne the German batteries were silenced, caissons were blown up, the men engaged in construction work dispersed, and aeroplanes put to flight.

"In front of Verdun we succeeded in bringing down an aeroplane, and taking the aviators prisoner.

"In Alsace a German attack near Uffholtz has failed completely.

RUSSIANS GAIN POINT IN POLAND BATTLES. Petrograd, Feb. 4.—It is announced that the Russian troops on Feb. 3 occupied Volochkowskaja (Wola Wolowicka), to the east of Bialow, Poland.

TURKS ENGAGED LIKELY 12,000. London, Feb. 4, 9.43 p. m.—A special despatch received here from Cairo says that the Turks who were defeated in their operations against the Suez canal numbered 12,000. Although the official report estimates the Turkish forces at 12,000, it is believed here that, in view of the statements that there were numerous deaths among the Suez forces, and that 382 prisoners were taken at Toussoum and Serapeum, 12,000 is the more likely figure.

FRENCH HEMMING IN GERMAN KAMERUNS. Paris, Feb. 4.—After several engagements French troops on Jan. 29 occupied Bertoua, a post situated in the centre of the German colony of Kamerun.

The occupation of this post indicates, according to an official announcement made in Paris today, that the French enveloping movement against the German forces in the Kameruns is being continued.

6,000 GERMANS KILLED IN LAST FOUR DAYS. Petrograd, Feb. 4, via London, 9 p. m.—The last few days have brought about no change of importance in the situation in East Prussia and Poland, where the Russians and Germans are striving for mastery.

CZAR'S PROMPTITUDE ALL THAT SAVED ASTURIAS

London, Feb. 5, 1.59 a. m.—Fishermen have found in the Thames estuary the body of a German aviator, with a shrapnel bullet in the lungs.

It is supposed that he dropped from an aeroplane which was driven off by British gun fire on Christmas day.

Pretext Not Cause. London, Feb. 4.—"Until the revelations were made in the ministerial statement before the Italian parliament the other day, we had no knowledge that Austria-Hungary contemplated hostile action against Serbia in 1914," Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, told the House of Commons today.

The fact that hostile action against Serbia was contemplated in 1913 shows that the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand, which occurred in 1914, was not the cause, though it was made the pretext of the war.

Gathering in Gold. Leipzig, Germany, via London, Feb. 4.—In response to an appeal made by the Leipzig Textile Association, 9,119 persons have brought 1,923,010 marks (\$265,000) in gold to this newspaper to be exchanged for bank notes. The sum was turned over to the Reichsbank.

Honor for Allied Soldiers. Paris, Feb. 4.—The Chamber of Deputies today adopted a bill to confer military medals on soldiers who have been divided in the orders of army corps or divisions, but not otherwise honored.

From German so are still being pushed various points, and days ago.

Another huge segment of foot-hold in the Carpathians has been gained since a severe snow has added them in Vienna, reinforcing losses to the Russian Pass.

From East Prussia the Germans claim a position of hand, but in further Russian on the most severe.

In France and Poland the fighting is without change, for the slightest inch on the part of the British and French a half were their advantage of every inch in the Carpathians.

On the night of Feb. 4, a counter-attack of our companies, and the excavations, which were organized. The German forces were repulsed.

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