

Blockhouse Walls To Be Restored On Top Of Fort Howe

Plans Now Being Prepared For Work Which Will Be Done Soon.

A partial restoration of the battlements of the forts which once graced the top of Fort Howe is a possibility of the near future. Back in 1779 there was a fort on the hill, which now dominates the northern portion of Saint John. It was called a blockhouse and it was for the defense of this district. However, it was never used for war purposes and eventually was allowed to fall into ruin and disappear. The clogged well that supplied water to the garrison is still to be seen on top of the hill.

Plans for the fort are being prepared and it is hoped to have the new structure made suitable for a look-out. Three old guns will be mounted on the ramparts and the restoration will be an exact reproduction of a portion of the old fort.

The British-Israel Group Lectures Are Announced

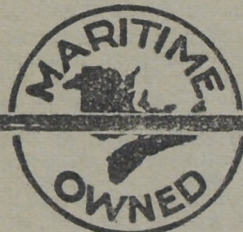
The Prophecy and History of 3,500 Years Will Be Discussed.

Three illustrated lectures under the auspices of the British-Israel World Federation (Canada) will be given in Saint John during the present month. In the Capitol Theatre on Sunday, April 28, at 4.00 p.m., the lecture will be, "The Last Days," which reviews 3,500 years of history and prophesy. In the Central Baptist Church on Monday, April 29, at 8.00 p.m., the subject will be, "The Present World Crisis." On Tuesday, April 30, at 8.00 p.m., the subject of the lecture will be, "The Lord's Near Return." P. J. Perry, who will be the speaker, has travelled extensively in Upper and Lower Egypt and in the near and middle East. He is well informed on ancient Egyptian life and religion and is an exponent of the Great Pyramid structure and symbology.

MARITIME DEATHS

Death Notices—Minimum rate for one insertion, 25 words for 15 cents. Copy must be received not later than Wednesday.

- BOUILLIER—Betty Bouillier, at Halifax, N.S.
- VANWART—James R. VanWart, Saint John, N.B.
- CORBIN—Carey Corbin, at Brookfield, N.S.
- HARPER—Robert Harper, at Chipman, N.B.
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The Viaduct Is Needed

THE QUESTION of a viaduct over the railway tracks in Mill Street is being revived again and members of the City Council have hopes that the project may be carried out in the near future. A few years back the plan was being discussed and the Railway Board of Canada favored the idea but at that time the Board had not sufficient funds to carry on the work. Now it has been learned that the Federal Parliament is granting the sum of \$1,000,000 to the Railway Board for the purpose of eliminating level crossings in Canada.

The Mill Street crossing in Saint John is one of the most dangerous and undesirable in all Canada. Street traffic is delayed at all times of the day and night. Shunting is going on across the street frequently and much valuable time is being lost to the citizens by the delays caused thereby. Besides this there is the menace to the public, which should be eliminated.

Under the proposal of the Railway Board the two railways, the city and the Board would contribute to the construction of the viaduct which would bridge the tracks and allow street traffic all the time. Mill Street is the busiest thoroughfare in Saint John and the viaduct would do away with conditions which are becoming absolutely intolerable.

The City of Saint John should do everything in its power to have this viaduct constructed as soon as possible.

Community Fair Is The Meeting Place For Many People

Saint John People Will Find Fine Entertainment in St. Andrew's Rink.

The Community Spring Fair, sponsored by the Saint John and Carleton Branches of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., the Saint John Gyro Club and the Kinsmen Club opened under favorable conditions on Wednesday evening. Besides the usual games and entertainment features many new ideas are in evidence at the fair and all were well patronized on the opening night in St. Andrew's Rink, Charlotte Street.

One of the new features that attracted unusual attention was the New Brunswick Sportsman's Show, manned by registered guides under the direction of H. H. Richardson. Moving pictures of wild life are being shown each evening and sports lovers will find many entertainment ideas in this exhibit. New automobiles also are being shown with Saint John dealers showing the 1935 models.

Refreshments are being served in a booth operated by the local branch of the Red Cross Society.

The Community Fair is a real exhibition with entertainment features of more than usual interest, and persons visiting St. Andrew's Rink from now until May 4, will be well repaid for their effort. The whole rink has been decorated and transformed and booths for the sale of all sorts of merchandise are being operated.

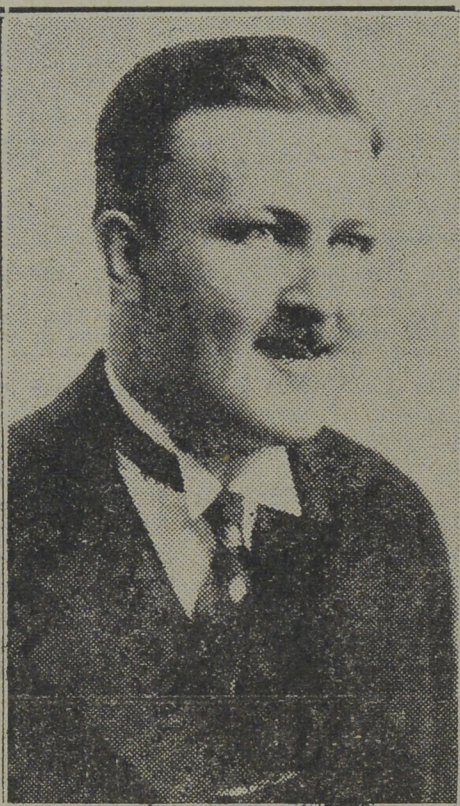
Those who assisted at the opening exercises were Mayor Brittain and city commissioners, Sidney C. Young, president of the Saint John Branch, New Brunswick Fish and Game Protective Association and others.

Roy F. Logan, manager of the fair, said it is the policy of the fair committee to purchase all merchandise used at the fair from local dealers and that no solicitations for donations of any sort are being made. He also announced that the fair's own band would play each evening besides making a public appearance in the city streets twice daily.

The entire proceeds of the fair are used exclusively for charitable purposes. The two branches of the Canadian Legion devote their money to the relief of returned soldiers and dependents. The Gyro Club sponsors the Gyro Fresh Air Camp at Grand Bay for underprivileged children and the Kinsmen Club renders assistance to the blind of the city. All these objectives are worthy of the support of all citizens.

The Community Fair offers a wonderful opportunity for citizens to help the work of these organizations by patronizing the Fair and helping those who need help. There are free door prizes every night and on the last night of the fair three automobiles will be given away.

Honored By Clubs



DR. HUDSON H. SPROUL.

who has been President of the Newcastle branch of the Tilley Club, was honor guest at a party tendered by the combined executives of the Chatham and Newcastle Tilley Clubs on Tuesday night of this week. Dr. Sproul is leaving Canada to take a post in London, England. He was presented a travelling bag, the presentation being made by Harold W. Kinsman, of Saint John. Among the guests at the party were Dr. Frances L. Fish, George M. McDade, M.P., and T. M. Murray.

MASONIC CALENDAR

- ALBION, No. 1—First Friday. Next meeting, May 3. H. I. Knowles, W.M.
- NEW BRUNSWICK, No. 22—Second Thursday. The next meeting, May 9. Ralph H. Gale, W.M.
- HIBERNIA, No. 3—Second Tuesday. Next meeting, May 14. Samuel Smith, W.M.
- ST. JOHN'S, No. 2—First Tuesday. Next meeting, May 7. Robt. Harris, W.M.
- CARLETON UNION, No. 8—First Thursday. Next meeting, May 2. A. C. Smith, Jr., W.M.
- UNION LODGE OF PORTLAND, No. 10—Third Tuesday. Next meeting on May 21. James Little, W.M.
- CARLETON ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER—Third Thursday. The next meeting, May 16. G. M. Leggett, 1st P.Z.
- SANT JOHN COUNCIL R. AND S. M.—Third Monday. Next meeting, May 20. Fred. W. McNichol, T.I.M.
- ST. JOHN De MOLAY PRECEPTORY—Fourth Tuesday. Next meeting on May 28. J. S. Hoyt, P.P.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

- Meetings on Mondays and Wednesdays
- NEW BRUNSWICK, No. 1—Pythian Castle. Next meeting, May 8.
- UNION, No. 2—Pythian Castle. Next meeting, May 1.
- ST. JOHN, No. 30—Temple Building, North End. Next meeting, May 20.
- CARLETON TOWER, No. 37—Prentice Boys' Hall. Next meeting, April 29.
- ADILA, No. 157, D. O. K. K.—Meets second Thursday, in Pythian Castle.
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