

MUNICIPAL BY-ELECTION DECEMBER 27

TO FILL VACANCY
IN MARYSVILLE

Nominations Close on Monday
Next—No Candidates Yet—
Vacancy by Death of
D. E. Pickard.

The bye-election in the Town of Marysville to fill the vacancy in the Municipal Council of York County caused by the death of Coun. Daniel E. Pickard is to be held Friday, December 27th. Proclamation to that effect will be made shortly.

Nominations on 17th.

Nominations will close at 6 p. m. Monday the 17th inst. So far no nominations have been made but in the week which will elapse before the close of the period it is expected that interest in the matter will grow. Ex-Coun. J. Walter Walker is mentioned as a possibility and also Mr. G. R. Sloat, ex-Town Treasurer.

Meeting January 7th.

The annual meeting of the Municipal Council will begin Tuesday January 7th, the opening date in 1919 falling as late in the month as it can. A warden will be elected at this session the term of Warden Alex. Brewer expiring. The death of Coun. D. E. Pickard made several vacancies in the council's committees and was greatly regretted by his fellow councillors.

New Brunswick Regt.

The London Gazette notes these appointments: To be Act. Capt.: Temp. Lt. J. G. Leighton, M. C. Temp. Maj. A. McMillan, D. S. O., is seconded for duty as staff learner Temp. Capt. W. C. Lawson, M. C., to be Adj.

Weekly Roll-Off

The weekly roll-off takes place at the Palace Bowling Alleys this evening with forty-five names entered. The prize is a thermos bottle. Ten names are down already for the Christmas Turkey competition.

Absent Without Leave

A returned soldier named Harris was arrested on Saturday night at Marysville and lodged in a cell in the Fredericton Police Station over night for being absent without leave. He was released on Sunday morning.

Bible Society Collection

The Fredericton Branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society will begin collecting tomorrow. This collection is annual. It will be carried on by wards. Bible Sunday was observed in the churches of the city yesterday.

Registered in London

Among recent visitors at the office of the Agent-General for New Brunswick in London have been Lt. R. L. Brewer, 26th Batt., Fredericton; Lt. A. H. Tweedie, 26th Batt., Fredericton; Capt. W. M. McKee, 2nd Tank Batt., Moncton.

Going to Brownville

Mr. Moody H. Wright for some time chief operator at the Fredericton office of the C. P. R. Telegraph Company leaves this evening for Brownville, Me., where he will take a position with the C. P. R. He will be succeeded in the Fredericton office by Mr. Norman Goodine.

Increase Church Revenue

The Brunswick Street Baptists are starting today to make a collection for increasing the revenue of the Church. Ten pairs of canvassers are starting out with \$1000 for their objective but hoping to reach \$2000. On account of the prevailing sickness it has been hard to obtain canvassers but the vacancies will be filled in later in the week.

Called to Ottawa

Sir J. D. Hazen will leave St. John for Ottawa this evening, being called there as chairman of a New Brunswick committee to act in co-operation with committees from other provinces regarding the issuance and contribution of savings and thrift stamps. Sir Douglas said last night that he had no very definite information yet regarding the matter, but he expected to receive instructions at the capital.

Death on Saturday

The death occurred on Saturday afternoon of Henry Williams after a short illness of pneumonia. The deceased was fifty-four years of age and is survived by one brother Charles of this city, and one sister Elizabeth, who is doing Salvation Army work. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon, interment being made at the Rural Cemetery. Captain Miller of the Salvation Army conducted the service.

Late W. Thomas Murray

The death occurred on Saturday afternoon at his home on Aberdeen Street of William Thomas Murray aged eighty-three years, after a lingering illness. The deceased is survived by one son, G. Alexander Murray of the Fredericton Police Force, by one brother George of St. John and by one sister Mrs. George Stratton. The late Coun. John Murray was a brother of the deceased. E. Raney Murray and the late W. H. Murray of St. John were cousins. Recorder T. H. Colter of this city is a brother-in-law. The funeral took place this afternoon, service being held at the house at two o'clock. Interment was made at the Rural Cemetery. Rev. G. M. Young assisted by Rev. J. J. Colter conducted the service.

ASSOCIATED KIN OF C. E. F. HEAD NOW IN CITY

MR. G. WRIGHT, LONDON,
ONT., ORGANIZING

Aims of Organization Pointed
Out—Instances Given of
Good Done on Various
Occasions.

Mr. Gordon Wright president and founder of the Associated Kin of Canadian Expeditionary Forces Incorporated is in the city today, registered at the Queen Hotel. Mr. Wright is accompanied by his wife who is the National President of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Wright is not here in her official capacity but is acting as secretary to her husband. The society's desire is to remember the relatives of those who have fallen and those who are overseas, and to protect their families during their absence. Mr. Wright's visit to this section of the country is with the idea of organizing all eastern divisions in this association.

Society's Aims

The aims of the society are:
To secure recruits so long as they are required.

To keep informed as to the condition under which the men are enlisted trained and equipped for the field, and in the field.

To encourage and expedite everything tending towards efficiency in or tributary to the service.

To assist within civilian scope the military authorities.

To aid the conditions for the forces under all circumstances.

To protect the home interests of every allied soldier.

To secure for every trained soldier employment, as he may best be adapted to.

To assist in bringing about all prompt payments of legitimate insurance and pension claims for soldiers.

To assist in the detection of all fraudulent claims for insurance or assistance.

To pay fitting tribute to the memory of those who have fallen on the field of honor, and safeguard the men who return, and especially to honor the "mothers" of those who have fallen.

Good Work Done

As in the cases of many of the soldiers the wives and children are left unprotected and in some cases no assigned pay or separation allowances have been received. The Association takes up matters like the one quoted and sees that restitution is made. Again there are disputed insurance claims which have appeared from time

RED TRIANGLE CLUB FORMALLY OPENED SAT.

T. A. McDONALD, M. M., IS
SECRETARY IN CHARGE

Addresses by Mayor Hanson,
Major R. M. Luton, M. C.,
and Lieut. Col. W. J.
Osborne.

The formal opening of the Red Triangle Club in this city took place on Saturday evening in the new club rooms, Queen Street. The rooms have been donated by Mr. Arthur M. Gibson and are about in the centre of the city. They presented a very homelike appearance, their attractiveness owing largely to the efforts of the ladies in charge.

Opening Address

Mayor Hanson on behalf of the local Y. M. C. A. committee formally opened the rooms and handed them over to the military authorities. Lt. Col. W. J. Osborne in replying to the address of the mayor thanked the ladies for the interest they had taken in the returned soldiers by providing and decorating such pleasant rooms. Col. Osborne also spoke of the great work of the Y. M. C. A. in France.

Major R. M. Luton, on behalf of the soldiers at the Military Hospital, complimented the ladies on the fine appearance of the rooms. He said he felt sure they would be most popular with the soldiers.

Mrs. G. A. Kuhring of St. John then spoke a few words about the work of the Red Triangle Club in London.

Musical Program

A short musical program was carried out consisting of vocal solos by Mrs. Montgomery and Miss Edna Baird, and piano selections by Miss Helen Richardson.

During the evening delicious refreshments were served and smokes were provided for the men by Mayor Hanson.

The ladies who helped to make the club such a success are Mrs. A. M. Gibson, Mrs. Harry Walker, Mrs. Havelock Coy, Mrs. A. B. Kitchen, Miss Morgan, Mrs. Charles McGibbon, Mrs. Arthur R. Slipp, Mrs. W. J. Osborne and Mrs. George Taylor. These ladies were assisted in serving by

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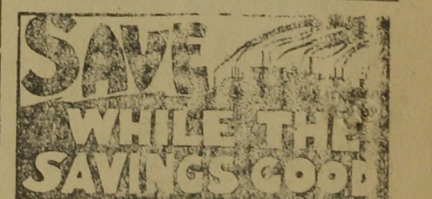
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