

Prominent Business Man Passes at His Home Here

Fredericton and district lost one of its finest citizens this morning in the passing of William B. Johnston, general manager of the General Dairies, Limited, which occurred at the family residence, 124 St. John street. Although he had been in ill-health for several months his death was not expected and came as a severe shock to his relatives and friends.

The deceased, who was 50 years of age, was a native of St. Stephen. He came to Fredericton at an early age and has since resided here. Mr. Johnston was actively affiliated with the commercial progress of the city for the past several years and was held in the highest respect by his business associates and citizens in general. A man of questionable integrity and fine moral character, Mr. Johnston was respected and admired by all who knew him.

During his lifetime in Fredericton, he was actively associated with all projects for the material or moral advancement of the community. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias, and also took an active interest in musical affairs. In the latter connection he was a member of the Marysville Brass Band and also the Fredericton City Band.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Annie B. Johnston, two sons, Charles at home, and George, a student at the University of Toronto, both very prominent in musical circles, also survive. Others surviving are three sisters, Mrs. G. Frank MacLean, of Jamaica Plains, Mass., Miss Eleanor Johnston, of Chestnut Hill, Mass., and Mrs. Wheaton Caldwell of Framington, Mass., one brother, George, of New Haven, and one grandson, Bobbie Johnston.

The funeral will be held on Thursday at 2 p.m., from his late home or 124 St. John street, conducted by Rev. J. W. Bartlett. Interment will be made at Wilmet section of the Rural cemetery.

Of all the people in the world 400,000,000 speak Chinese, half that number speak English, 140,000,000 speak Russian, 80,000,000 speak German, and only 50,000,000 or so speak Italian.

HISTORICAL

The regular monthly meeting of the Historical Society will be held THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 8 p.m. in the Post Office Building. Rev. Dr. J. H. Milligan will address the meeting on "St. Patrick and Ireland." Public cordially invited.

BURDEN NOTES

Rev. Mr. Killam and Mrs. Killam and son Harvey were the guests of Mrs. Lewis Jewett Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Martha Kelly spent a day recently with Mrs. Huntley Crewdson. Miss Espey Moore spent Saturday with Mrs. Murray Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tapley spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Otis Niles, of Long's Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Ensley Crewdson and little son are spending a few days with Mrs. Robert Crewdson.

Friends of Thomas Evans are glad to hear that he is able to be around again after his recent illness.

Roy Tapley and Eldon Jewett are busily engaged in hauling wood from Pond's Mill.

Friends of R. B. Crewdson are sorry to hear that he is confined to his home with the grippe.

Hazen McKay was calling on friends in this place today.

Miss Myra Long spent Saturday in Fredericton.

Harold Kitchen is engaged in sawing wood at Long's Creek.

Murray Kelly has finished trucking gravel from Wheeler Island for finishing up of the hard surfacing of the trans-Canada Highway.

Dow Moore made a business trip to Boyce's Mill at Magundy.

Waldon Scott and William Gunn of Dummerston spent Saturday in this place on business.

Advocates

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In Arrears

The agriculture official further explained that a large number of farms are in arrears in payments and that every effort is being made, without inflicting too much hardship on the farmers, to bring the payments up to date.

There was open discussion on the Farm Loan scheme, the members expressing themselves as being wholeheartedly in favor of the plan. Edwin Melville, M.L.A., (Conservative, Carleton County), said he favored a policy of placing settlers on lands, and moved a resolution that the government be asked to re-establish the Farm Settlement Board. The chairman was in accord with the opinion expressed by Mr. Melville, and suggested that the matter be referred to the agriculture committee for consideration.

Various sections of the annual statement of receipts were then considered by the committee. There were no contentious items. Mr. Melville asked several questions regarding accounts of certain departments and these were satisfactorily answered by the chairman.

Dragonflies fly backwards and sideways without altering the position of their bodies.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Entertains for Miss MacLaren

Mrs. Barker, wife of Major T. C. Barker, A.D.C. to His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Col. Murray MacLaren, was hostess at a four-table dinner-bridge at her home last evening. The charmingly arranged function was in honor of Miss Margaret MacLaren. The floral decorations that adorned the tables were in keeping with St. Patrick's Day, the place cards being dainty Irish colleens. The prize winners were Mrs. George Hooper of Ottawa and Miss Helen Crockett.

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Luncheon Hostess

Mrs. W. E. Foster, wife of the Speaker of the Senate, will entertain at luncheon on Thursday.—Ottawa Journal.

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Pythian Sisters Have Meeting

Celestial Temple No. 19, Pythian Sisters, held a meeting last evening at Castle Hall. This took the place of the regular meeting which should have been held on March 8th. There was only a fair attendance of members because of so much illness. After the reports from the various committees were heard, Mrs. B. A. Walling who is leaving to reside in Moncton, was presented with a pierced silver cake plate, the presentation being made by the presiding officer, Mrs. Walter Howell. At the close of the meeting an interesting and instructive address by Past Grand Chancellor E. C. Atkinson on his trip abroad was heard. Mr. Atkinson is a charter member of this temple. A mystery box donated by Mrs. Frank Van Stone was won by Mrs. Charles Hashey. A social hour during which refreshments were served closed the evening.

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The King and Queen gave an afternoon party today at Buckingham Palace in London. There were 450 guests.

Many Mourn Death Of Esteemed Lady

Many friends in this city were shocked to learn of the passing of Mrs. Florence Maude Coe, wife of James E. Coe, whose death occurred yesterday morning in the family residence on Westmorland street. The deceased had been ill for only a few weeks and until a few days ago strong hopes were held for her recovery. Although her condition had been critical for the past week and her passing was not entirely unexpected it came as a severe shock to her family and friends.

Mrs. Coe, who was a native of England, resided here for the past several years. She was well known in the community and enjoyed the esteem and friendship of a wide circle of friends. Possessing a pleasing personality and sterling qualities of heart and mind, the deceased, by her life, exemplified the noble virtues of true Christian womanhood. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, and the local chapter of the Daughters of England, and was actively interested in the work of both organizations.

She is survived by her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. Healey of London, England; her husband James Coe, one son James R. Arthur. A brother and sister are also left to mourn.

The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Archdeacon S. C. Grey at Christchurch Parish church at 3.30 on Thursday afternoon. Interment will be made at Forest Hill cemetery.

Insurance Bill

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The new Act, if passed by the House, will repeal the following Acts and amendments thereto: The Accident Insurance Act; Respecting Taxes of Life Insurance Agents; an Act Respecting Insurance Agents; The Fire Insurance Policy Act; The Automobile Insurance Act, and The Life Insurance Act.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. R. B. Dayton and Mrs. Roland Staples who spent the week-end in Calais, Maine, returned home yesterday.

The total world output of diamonds is estimated at 12,000,000 pounds a year. Since 1870 South Africa has been the centre of the diamond industry, and the mines there supply most of the stones that are placed upon the world's markets.

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CECILIAN SINGERS TO ENTER COMING MUSICAL FESTIVAL

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One of the most delightful social evenings which the Cecilian Singers have enjoyed was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hodge, Brunswick Street. The courtesy of the host and hostess in opening their home to the group for this rehearsal was greatly appreciated. The following ladies served: Mrs. Charles Fleet, Miss Ann Sypher, Miss Dorothy Hickson and Miss Ferguson in the absence of Mary MacVey.

After rehearsal, during which several new works were studied under Mr. Bayley's direction, the group heard a most informative and amusingly delightful talk by Oscar Harris on "Nursery Rhymes and their Historical Significance" in which the speaker spoke of the origin of many of the most familiar Mother Goose tunes.

The guest soloist was Mrs. John Copp, who delighted her hearers in her interpretation of Shakespeare's poem "Orpheus With His Lute" by four composers, Carl Busch, Charles Fonteyn Manney, Vaughan-Williams and Sir Arthur Sullivan.

During the evening it was decided that the singers would enter the competitive Musical Festival to be held in Saint John in May provided that the Festival Committee could arrange a suitable hour for their appearance. It was decided also that the group, in response to request, will give another concert, possibly during Coronation Week.

The following ladies have been added to the chorus by the director, Mrs. Oliver, Marysville, and Miss Marie Lister, Fredericton, first sopranos; Mrs. Roy Eldridge, Devon, and Mrs. James Badcock, second sopranos; Miss Margaret Elliott and Mrs. Fred Segee, first alto, and Miss Beryl Dean, second alto. The chorus now consists of twenty-six members.

New species of fish are constantly being identified, so there is no accurate and complete list of all the salt and fresh water fish in the world.

DELEGATES ARRIVE

Headed by His Worship Mayor Almain, Dalhousie, a delegation comprising civic officials of the 'Paper Town' arrived here today. They are to appear before the government in connection with a bill relative to the taxation of the International Paper mill at Dalhousie. The delegates are registered at the Queen Hotel.

NOTICE OF SALE

To Mary E. O'Brien of the City of Fredericton, in the County of York and Province of New Brunswick, Widow and to Margaret E. Connolly of Portland in the State of Maine, Widow and to all others whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage bearing date the 19th day of April, A.D. 1929, registered in Book 207 of the York County Records at pages 545 to 547 as No. 81570 made between Mary E. O'Brien as mortgagor and Sarah E. Aiken as mortgagee, there will, for the purpose of satisfying the monies secured by the said mortgage, default having been made in the payment thereof, be sold at public auction in front of the post office on Saturday, the 3rd day of April, A.D. 1937 at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, the lands and premises described in the said mortgage, as follows: "All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Fredericton, in the County and Province aforesaid and bounded as follows: On the front by Regent Street, on the lower side by lands leased to Andrew Ryan and on the upper side by lands leased to Patrick Hurley having a frontage of fifty-four feet on Regent Street and running back one hundred feet, being the same lands leased by A. M. J. Shore and Rev. W. H. Shore to James O'Brien, now deceased and later deeded to the said Johanna O'Brien by deed dated the nineteenth day of September A. D. 1888, and recorded in the York County Records in Book H-4, pages 313 and 314."

Together with the buildings and improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereto appertaining. Dated this 26th day of February A.D. 1937.

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