

News Briefs

MARYSVILLE ELECTIONS

The annual elections for Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Marysville will be held on January 29. The nominations will be on January 22.

ELECTED MAYOR

Mayor W. E. McMonagle the well known Moncton barrister was re-elected Mayor of Moncton on Saturday by a majority of eight hundred over his opponent A. J. Taylor.

STILL ALARM

The Fire Department answered a still alarm to the home of Mrs. Robert Phillips at about three o'clock yesterday morning, when a chimney fire was in progress. The blaze was quickly extinguished and no damage was done.

UNDERWENT OPERATION

Miss Eva Albright of the Public Works Department, daughter of Mrs. Lillian Albright, Albright's Corner, Sunbury county, underwent a minor operation at her home, York Street, Saturday. Reports today state that she is resting quite comfortably.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society is being held at 4.30 o'clock this afternoon in the Council Chambers of the City Hall. Rev. Dr. W. C. Kierstead, president of the Society, will be in the chair. The meeting will feature the submission of the reports of Rev. Dr. Kierstead, the matron of the Children's Home, and Miss Jane Cooper, agent of the society. The election of officers for the coming year will also take place.

CAME BY PLANE

J. C. Folkins, of Woodstock, N. B., pilot of the plane owned by Hon. F. W. Pirie, Minister of Lands and Mines, landed in Fredericton Sunday afternoon and picked up Miss Betty Pirie, who had been visiting Miss Frances Kitchen. Miss Pirie proceeded on to Netherwood School for Girls at Rothesay, which opens there today. Miss Pirie was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Pirie, and her sister, Miss Dawn Pirie, and by Mrs. A. S. Ferguson as passengers. When the party left Grand Falls Sunday it was 22 below zero. Mrs. Pirie will return to Grand Falls.

WAS 97 ON SATURDAY

Mrs. Elizabeth Rossborough, widow of former Alderman William Rossborough, who in his day was one of New Brunswick's best known Orangemen, observed her 97th birthday at her home on Shore St. on Saturday. She has five children living, Mrs. Oliver Smith, Mrs. J. M. Chappelle, Miss Ella Rossborough and Mrs. G. B. Chappelle, Fredericton, and R. B. Rossborough, Campbellton, beside many grandchildren, several great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Rossborough has been confined to her bed for the last 16 months. She is the oldest member of St. Paul's United Church in this city.

DIED AT TRACY

The death occurred on Saturday afternoon at his home, Tracy, of John James Sanderson, aged 76 years, well known resident of Tracy. The deceased, who was well known and highly respected was born in Fredericton and resided in Tracy for 53 years. He is survived by two sons, Harry W., of South Devon, and Arthur R., of Tracy; two daughters, Mrs. Fred Seymour of Brewer, Me., and Mrs. Lorne Nason of Tracy. The funeral service will take place at the home at 2 p.m., Tuesday, with services conducted by Rev. Mr. Haviland. Interment will be made at Tracy. The deceased had been in failing health for the past year.

DIED AT WINNIPEG

A telegram received this morning from Winnipeg by Mrs. J. L. Neville announces the death at that place of her brother-in-law D. J. Leger. Mr. Leger who was formerly Chief Accountant of the C.N.R. Region from Winnipeg to the Coast retired from the service about six months ago. Previous to going to Winnipeg in 1916 Mr. Leger was for several years in the Accounting Department of the Intercolonial Railway which later became the C.N.R. at Moncton. His official duties frequently brought him back to this province and has been a visitor to Fredericton at different times. Mr. Leger is a native of Westmorland County and his wife was formerly Miss Nora Bourque, sister of Mrs. J. L. Neville of this city. Mrs. Leger survives as do also four sons and four daughters residing in the West.

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CITY COUNCIL IN SESSION TONITE TO PASS BY-LAW

Special Meeting Of Body Re Law On Zoning

No Objections

Ald. W. R. Crewdson To Reappoint Five New Members

The City Council will meet in a special session this afternoon to pass the zoning by-law which was drawn up some time ago by the Town Planning Commission and W. J. West, legal advisor of the commission.

The by-law was prepared some time ago and approved by the old council but according to law it had to be advertised for a period of eight weeks for the receipt of any objections to it which citizens of the City cared to submit. Although the period was up on Dec. 27, it was decided to leave the matter to the new council since only a few weeks remained for the old council to be in office.

Following the passing of the law by the council this evening, it will be submitted to the legislative assembly for approval and passing before it becomes law.

There is little doubt that the law will be approved by the assembly since only one objection to the law was tendered, that of W. E. Vaughan, concerning the erection of service stations on Campbell Street, and the law was later changed to comply with Mr. Vaughan's application to erect a service station and seaplane base on Campbell Street.

Alderman W. R. Crewdson, chairman of the commission today stated that five new members will be appointed to replace those who have resigned for various reasons. The names of those resigning have not been released excepting Robert Fitz Randolph who resigned because of ill health.

Although his term of office as chairman has expired, Alderman Crewdson has been asked to accept the chairmanship again and will do so this evening. He stated today that the membership of the commission is going to be increased but that this will not take place until next month.

Well Known N. B. Sportsman Passes At Fort Fairfield, Me.

Sportsmen and others in Fredericton and the province generally will learn with deepest regret of the death of one of New Brunswick's best known and popular sportsmen Claude H. J. Knapp, of Andover, N. B. The death occurred in the Community Hospital at Fort Fairfield, Maine, early yesterday morning after a brief illness. He was well known in this city as an ardent follower of fishing, golfing, and hunting. Many members of the local golf club will remember him as the one handed golfer who went around the course on par with the best of them. He was also interested in badminton and tennis.

He was a member of the Masonic Order and the Anglican Church. The Trinity Church Hall at Andover is a monument of his generosity, being freely donated by him. For years he was manager of the Micmac Fishing Club and was interested in other fishing rights on the Kedgwick. He also had shooting rights at Ennisville, and interests in the Lakeside Pavilion at Gillespie Settlement on the Maine-N. B. border. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Edith and Dorothy.

Funeral Of Late Harry H. Pickard Largely Attended

Friends from all walks of life in large numbers attended the funeral of the late Harry H. Pickard which took place in Devon yesterday afternoon. A former Mayor of the Town of Devon and one of the members of the first Town Council, the deceased was well known and highly respected by all who knew him and the many beautiful floral tributes were evidence of this esteem.

Fitting tribute was paid the deceased for his many sterling qualities in the funeral service which was conducted by Rev. W. A. Burge at 2.30 o'clock at the home of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank Miles, South Devon. Interment was made at Sunnybank cemetery.

Mourners were Tartelov A. Pickard, Harold H. Pickard, J. Douglas Pickard, Harry M. Pickard, Tartelov Pickard Jr., T. H. Donnelly, H. B. McKell, Frank Miles, Mayor A. J. McEvoy, S. Dow Simmons, J. T. North, Mr. Justice C. D. Richards, W. Bruce Dayton, Robert Dayton, Henry Pickard, John Pickard, Chester Pickard, G. Fred Pond, Harry Pond, Harry Pond Jr., Charles Sloat, Frank Sloat, Fred Sloat, Frank Burnett, Charles Burnett, Donald Burnett, Lloyd Burnett, Roy Burnett, Leslie Burnett,

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ANGLICAN CHURCH DOCTRINE SEEN AS POSSIBLE STRENGTHENING AGENT BY ARCHBISHOP

His Grace Archbishop Richardson, Head of Fredericton Diocese Comments on Effect of Adoption of Report Prepared Under Leadership Archbishop of York

The possibility that the report of the Committee on Doctrine of the Church of England in Britain, headed by the Archbishop of York, may have the effect of strengthening the Anglican Church by gaining the respect of many now indifferent was expressed today by His Grace Archbishop Richardson, head of the Fredericton diocese.

After examining a synopsis of the report he stated that he could find little, if anything, that would be likely to alarm many thoughtful members of the Church. "It is hardly safe," he cautioned, however, "to make positive comments upon a synopsis of a document of such great importance, for it is not impossible that an examination of the complete text of the document might cause one to modify some of one's first impressions."

The committee, working since 1922, included 21 prominent churchmen. Their report, made public Friday, states that the historical evidence is inconclusive concerning the virgin birth of Christ. Other features of the report are the rejection of the view that all parts of the Bible stand on the same spiritual level, and that tradition of lack of error of the Bible cannot be maintained in the light of modern knowledge.

Evolution

The Biblical account of creation provides no objection to theories of evolution, it states. The Commission disclaimed the definition of doctrine permissible in the church, and emphatically pointed out that the universe depends on the creative will of God.

The following statement was issued by His Grace:

"When the Report states that the historical evidence in support of the doctrine of the Virgin Birth of Jesus Christ is inconclusive, it is not implied, I am sure, that the doctrine is not to be held with the Church of England in the sense that it is to be held with other branches of the Catholic Church. All that the Report implies that there may be room for difference of opinion as to the historical evidence, which is a very different thing from repudiating the doctrine. The faith of the Church of England in that regard remains what it has always been."

"So far as other statements are concerned, it would be difficult to find many Anglican theologians, I think, to question their accuracy. Few thoughtful persons, for example, take the view that all parts of the Bible stand upon the same spiritual level, although that is not at all the same thing as saying that all parts of the Bible are not inspired. Nor, I think, will the Report be seriously challenged when it affirms that the Biblical account of the creation does not necessitate the rejection of the theory of evolution. The Church retains unimpaired, however, its firm belief that the universe depends upon the creative will of God."

"I am asked: (1) Do I think that one feature of the Report is its honesty in advocating a certain tolerance in regard to existing opinion in and out of the Church. I suppose that might fairly be said, although such an answer must not be understood as admitting that there has been heretofore any dishonesty in that regard. (2) Do I think that the Report is likely to strengthen the Church, perhaps, by gaining the respect of many now indifferent? Yes, I fancy that there is some ground for that idea. (3) Will the Church in Canada accept the report? That is a question that can only be answered by the General Synod of the Church of England in Canada. It is impossible to tell, however, whether the Report will be brought officially before the General Synod. (4) Is the Canadian Church more conservative than the Church in Great Britain? Yes, on the whole, most decidedly, I should think it may be suggested however, that the greater conservatism of the Church in Canada means little more than that it is always inclined to be more cautious than the Mother Church. It is a characteristic, moreover, that is not unlikely to find correction in course of time."

"JOHN FREDERICTON."

ABLE TO BE DOWNSTAIRS
Many friends will be pleased to learn that W. W. Hubbard, former president of the Fredericton Board of Trade, who has been confined to his home, Burton, with pneumonia for the past month, was able to come down stairs for a short time yesterday. The first time he has been able to be around the house, it was stated from his home today, that he is much improved.

Ashley Burnett, Fred Trail and Bruce Simmons.
Palbearers were Gilbert Henry, Albert J. Miles, H. B. Dobie, Rowley Manzer, Arthur Sewell, Walter Long.

WELL KNOWN LUMBERMAN DIED HERE SUNDAY

James A. Patterson Passes At Home In 93rd Year

Many friends all over the Province will regret to learn of the death of James Alexander Patterson, which occurred at his home, 55 Saunders street, yesterday. The deceased, who was in his 93rd year, was well known as one of the leading New Brunswick lumbermen of his time. Born at Snyder Mountain, he had large lumber interests in Restigouche county and was associated with lumbering operations through all his working years.

For a time he operated at Salmon River in Victoria county. He later had interests in various lumber enterprises in Kings and Queens counties as well as Bonaventure and Gaspé counties in Quebec. He retired from active life about ten years ago.

Twice married, his first wife was Miss Annie Snyder, of Snyder Mountain. His second wife, by whom he is survived, was Miss Phoebe Norseworthy, of Grand Falls; also surviving are four sons, George H., of Gaspé and Campbellton; Harry A., of Gaspé, Que.; Ralph C., of Dalhousie, and Howard A., of Fredericton; also one daughter, Miss Annie Patterson, this city, and four grand-children.

The funeral will take place from the late home, Saunders street, with service there tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, with Rev. Dr. N. A. McNeill, supplying-minister of Brunswick Street Baptist church, officiating. Interment will be made at the Rural Cemetery extension.

IN CITY TODAY

Major W. C. Lawson, M.L.A., Minto is in the city today on business. Major Lawson is counsel for Charles Lunigan Jr., Minto, in a counter-suit against a suit to be brought before York County Court tomorrow by the Coburn Lumber Co., for the collection of an account. The court will merely meet and set the case over to a future date, it was stated this morning. E. C. Atkinson is representing the lumber company.

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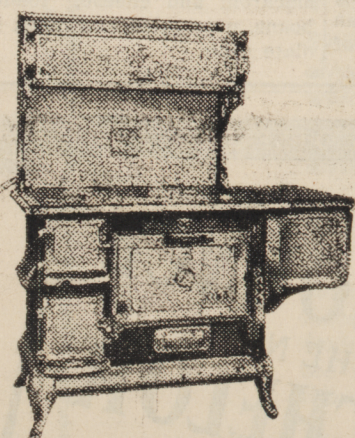
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DEVON GIRL NOT HEARD OF SINCE FRIDAY MORN

Mounted Police Search For Miss Eileen Bolster

Employed Here

Left For Work Friday Morning; Not Seen Since

Where is Eileen Bolster? The Royal Canadian Mounted Police are searching for the popular 22 year old Devon girl who left home on Friday morning for her work in a local restaurant and has not been seen since.

The daughter of Mrs. Jennie Bolster, it was stated by the Police this morning that no information had been gained since her disappearance. It was at first thought that she had possibly gone to Moncton or Saint John, but investigation by police there offered no results.

At her home no information was available to the press today, her mother declining to discuss the matter.

It was stated by the Mounted Police that everything possible is being done, and reports that a note had been left to the effect that the girl 'would never be seen again,' were discredited, it being stated that they knew of no such angle in the case.

Miss Bolster is well known in this city especially among the younger people. The search was still being carried on at press time.

Application Made For Change Venue In Phillips Case

Application was made this morning before Mr. Justice C. D. Richards in the Supreme Court Chambers for a change of venue in the case of The King vs. Wilfred Phillips, charged with bigamy. Judgement will be handed down in open court tomorrow morning, it was stated by Justice Richards.

The application, which was made by W. J. West and Horace A. Hanson of Hanson, Dougherty and West, asks for a change of trial from the York County Circuit Court beginning tomorrow, to the next sitting of the Carleton County Court. Grounds for the application are being withheld until tomorrow. The Department of the Attorney General was represented by E. B. McLatchey and A. R. Murray, clerk of the peace.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING

The annual meeting of the York-Sunbury Historical Society Ltd., will be held on Wednesday evening at the Post Office building at eight o'clock.

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