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In Memoriam

THE LATE MRS. J. W. HODGSON

The death occurred at the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Sunday morning of Eliza J. Hodgson, widow of the late J. W. Hodgson of H.M. Customs.

The deceased who was a daughter of the late John and Mary A. Currie was born in this city 73 years ago and although of a rather retiring and quiet disposition enjoyed the friendship of many citizens who will be grieved to hear of her passing.

She was a life-long and faithful member of Trinity United Church (formerly the Methodist) from where the funeral will be held at 2.30 on Thursday, subject to the arrival of her son Edward from New Haven.

The late Mrs. Hodgson leaves five sons who will long cherish the memory of a kind and loving mother, viz: Stainforth, Winnipeg; Edward, New Haven, Conn.; Albert, Swift Current, Sask.; Leith, Accountant of the Bank of Montreal, city, and Clarence of the Canadian National Express staff, also of this city.

One brother, Mr. John Currie of Halifax and a sister Mrs. James Stewart, city, survive.

Mrs. Hodgson's husband pre-deceased her about four years ago.

To the family and relatives of the deceased The Guardian extends heartfelt sympathy.

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WESTERN GUARDIAN

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BURNS

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Prince Street School Concert will recall how well she can do it. She was accompanied on the violin by Miss Kathleen Hornby, with Mr. Fletcher at the piano. Miss Hornby later gave a lovely violin solo "The Blue Bells of Scotland" (theme and variations). Miss Hornby's violin playing is remarkable for the delicacy of her bowing, and the purity of her tone production.

A delightfully humorous reading "Angus MacVicar's Visit" was next given by Dr. Green. This was the best and most original selection which the writer has ever heard Dr. Green read—and he has heard him read some excellent things. It is to be hoped he will see fit to repeat it at other concerts in the near future. Later, he sang "Bairnies Cuddie Doon," a charming Scottish dialect piece.

The Celtic dance "Seann Truibhas" was next most beautifully danced by Miss Helen Macdonald. The dance is a most graceful one—quite belying its name which, in the language of the Sassenach, means "Old Pants!"

The well known and spirited solo "The March of the Cameron Men," was next sung by Mr. Ben Acorn with true martial vigour—and of course with the purity of tone production for which Mr. Acorn is so favorably known.

Then came the concluding number by MacFadyen's Gaelic Quartette. It consisted of two Gaelic songs, which were splendidly rendered and heartily enjoyed by the audience, whether they understood Gaelic or not. The first number, the writer did not recognize and the names were not printed on the programme, but the second was the popular number "Fhir na Bhata."

Nearly every number on the programme was heartily encored.

It only remains to pay a tribute of praise to Mr. W. E. Fletcher, the well known and most capable organist of Trinity Church, to whom in large measure the success of the concert was due.

Captain MacDougall, too, is deserving of great credit for the splendid bagpipe accompaniments he furnished for the dancers.

The performance will be repeated tonight.

BOWLING CHALLENGE

We the undersigned team from P. J. MacDonald's do hereby challenge any team in the commercial league to a game on the Charlottetown Bowling Alleys any night next week except Monday.

Please accept challenge through this paper.

F. McDONALD, Capt.

Central Guardian

BROOKFIELD—The only service in the Brookfield congregation on Sunday, January 27th will be at Hunter River at 7 p. m.

MAID OF DUNDEE.—Mrs. F. Nash who sill sing the "Maid of Dundee" at Burns' concert needs no commendation to a Charlottetown audience. Hear her tonight and Friday. 4092

CLYDE RIVER on Sunday, Jan. 27th there will be Sunday School in the Presbyterian Church at Clyde River at 10 a. m. and Young Peoples meeting at 11 a. m.

"HORSE RACES at Avondale "O.Keffes Lake" Saturday Jan. 26th. If not fine the following Wed." 4185-1-28-1i

BRADALBANE—On Sunday, Jan. 27th there will be service in the Presbyterian Church Bradalbane at 3 p. m.

THE GAELIC SONGS by Macfadyen's quartette will delight all lovers of the ancient Celtic tongue. "She'll be spoke in Paradise in tays o' auld lang syne." Burns Anniversary tonight and Friday. 4193-1i

FUNERAL NOTICE— Funeral of the late Mr. Richard Stead will take place on Saturday, January 26th at 1.30 p. m. from the residence of Mr. Henry McQuarrie, Winsloe.

OUR OLD FRIEND Mr. Martin Power, will be with us again this year. Mr. Power is a host in himself—and that's that. Burns anniversary tonight and Friday. 4194

TRYON—There will be service in the Presbyterian Church North Tryon on Sunday, Jan. 27th at 11 a. m.

IF, AS SHAKESPEARE SAYS, good wine needs no bush, it is no less true that Mr. Ben Acorn needs no advertisement. Hear him sing "The March of the Cameron Men" again tonight at Burns' Concert. 4195-1i

THE POLICE COURT—At the police court yesterday morning a customs and excise case was dismissed. A man charged with indecent exposure was given six months in jail with orders to leave the Province when released, as he is not a native of it.

THE CHARLOTTETOWN FOLLIES—An entire change of programme took place last night in the popular "Charlottetown Follies'. In the new show, solos and Scottish dances are pictured. Miss Mabel Lynds and Mr. Frank Lynds took part most acceptably in a scene from Ramona, their fine voices blending excellently in a duet. Miss Dorothy Kirkwood danced several Scottish dances most gracefully and beautifully.

Abbies and Vics Tonight

Tonight at the local Arena the Abbies and Vics meet in the last game of the first section of the Prince Edward Island Hockey League.

From all reports the game tonight will be fast and spectacular throughout with the Vics trying to redeem themselves from their first game with the Abegweits, and the Abbies determined not to let them do so. So with a hard sheet of ice promised and both teams waiting for the word the fans are in for a little more than their money's worth.

Tonight also, the Intermediates get under way when the 2nd Abbies meet the 2nd Vics. This game also will be a humdinger as both teams are very evenly matched.

Dying from a mysterious disease, sparrows, which once were plentiful on Fair Isle, in the North of Scotland, have practically disappeared.

Curling

The East and West will resume activities tomorrow afternoon and evening and will celebrate the happy occasion by a supper to which every member is invited. This is the second clash between these teams and it is hoped that the players will be well enough to be out in full force and that the East will show the West some fine points of the game.

It is expected that arrangements will be made for the Bonspiel, possibly next Thursday, which will include both Montague and Summerside. This meet will be held to decide the future holder of the Gaboury and McArthur cups, and will undoubtedly be one of the finest bonspiels of the season.

Tomorrow will be an excellent chance to practice up for these big events.

BIRTHS

BOISNER.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boisner, Edward Street, on Jan. 22nd, 1929, twins, (boy and girl.) Stillborn.

DEATHS

TRAINOR — At Auburn, Jan. 24th, 1929, Katherine Trainor, daughter of the late James Trainor. Funeral Saturday morning at 9 o'clock to Fort Augustus cemetery.

WOOD—At Alexandra, Jan. 4th 1929, Anita Joyce, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wood. Funeral Friday at 2 p. m.

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MALLET IS ACQUITTED

Jury Brought in Verdict Yesterday After One and a Half Hours Deliberation.

At the Supreme Court yesterday the Jury, after deliberating for one and a half hours, found Emmanuel Mallet the prisoner accused of stealing foxes from the ranch of Jas. E. Simms at French River, "Not Guilty."

The Court resumed at 11 a. m. when **His Lordship Chief Justice Mathieson** delivered his charge to the jury. He spoke in part as follows:

The Crown has done its part in this case, and the defence has been put in. Both sides of the case have been conducted with zeal and ability. Now comes the duty which the court has to perform, and then that which the jury has to do.

The crime with which the prisoner in the dock is charged is a serious one. It is that on or about the 4th day of June, 1928 the prisoner did break and enter the Fox Ranch of James E. Sims at French River stealing therefrom six live foxes.

Now it has been conclusively proven that the fox ranch of James E. Sims was broken into that night, and that the foxes were stolen. From midnight until the next day the events with which you are concerned occurred. That same day of June 5th in a place remote from the scene of the theft at Ram Island, six young foxes were found and delivered up to the officers of the law, and that evening they were back with their mothers in the pen at Mr. Sim's ranch.

The principal facts are attested to by uncontradicted evidence—the stealing, the breaking, and the finding of the foxes on the Mallett ranch.

The action of the aofficers of the law was swift and sure. They followed up the theft with such certainty and swiftness that the crime was made useless by the foxes being quickly restored to their owner.

Constable Biggar was called from Charlottetown that morning, and the same evening the foxes were back in the hands of their rightful possessors. In this Constable Biggar also took part. Yet while their action was quick and efective, through inexperience the double object in view was not quite attained.

Unfortunately, while they recovered the foxes, their action toward the accused was such that the Court must rule out part of the evidence. Confessions must be made freely and voluntarily—and the proper precautions were not taken in this case.

So officers of the law in future should remember that when such crime is committed they have two objects in view—first the recovery of the stolen property, and secondly, and most important, the detection and apprehension of the criminals.

Any evidence as to irregularity of procedure, arresting without warrants, etc., must be dismissed from your minds as totally irrelevant.

In this case there were three Mallets named; one of them: John, has disappeared, the second, Frank, was tried and acquitted, and the third is before you in the dock. There is a fourth man, Louis Binns, who touched those foxes. He has turned King's evidence, and he tells who were concerned in the crime.

He says that John Mallett drove into the ranch where he (Binns) was working on the evening of the fourth of June. Mallett asked himself and the prisoner to go for a drive with him. Then they went to a house near Hamilton where they got two or three rounds of beer, then to Kensington where witness was absent for about one hour in a drug store. Jack Mallet got a can of beer. Then they went down to French River, drove into a lane, where they all three got out of the car. John, with rubber boots crossed a pond which lay in their path direct. The prisoner and he went up the brook by a roundabout route. When he and the prisoner reached the top of the bank John Mallet was in a pen taking out foxes. The foxes made a noise, one of them barked like a dog, and a woman in white appeared.

The witness says they went for foxes, and they came away with six foxes, in two bags. Then they went to Ram Island. John and the prisoner and Binns went into the house there when Frank Mallett appeared.

The prisoner said that he had a ranch of his own, and that he did not want the foxes in his own ranch.

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Next morning the witness woke up at Travellers Rest. He was there in the car asleep.

Now, if you can believe this story, you know who took the foxes. Binns states that he and the prisoner did not touch them. But the evidence as to their association with the man who took the foxes is enough to cause you to hold the prisoner and Binns, if he were being tried, equally guilty with the man who did so. He who aids and abets a crime is just as guilty as the man who commits it.

And my charge to you is this, that the evidence of Binns involves the prisoner as much in the commission of the crime as if he placed his hands in the pen and took out the foxes.

There is another point of importance. If the evidence of Binns stands alone, and he is an accomplice, he does not come into court under very favourable circumstances.

The evidence of an accomplice is to be regarded by the court properly with suspicion, and while the Jury may in their discretion, convict on the evidence of an accomplice alone, it is not a safe thing to do. The jury may accept the evidence; but the court would fail in its duty if it did not warn the jury to be careful of the evidence of one who comes into court with such a blot on his escutcheon.

If you believe the evidence of Binns alone, the facts would be sufficient to enable you to find a verdict, but, if not, then you will enquire if there is other evidence in corroboration, and if so, if it is sufficient to enable you to arrive at a decision. There is the evidence of Sims for you to consider. Here His Lordship read extracts from the evidence of James E. Sims, relating to the theft of the foxes. He pointed out that Sims described three men who he saw making away from his ranch. This evidence corroborates that of Binns on this point, also his statement with regard to the large feet of one and the rubber boots of another. Then he testifies that at the Lealand Rranch, Biggar and the prisoner had a conversations behind the barn. That conversation you cannot know; but as a result of that conversation, the prisoner guided Biggar to where the stolen foxes were. Hence the prisoner must have known where they were concealed.

They drove away in a car, and returned about 5 o'clock from the place to which the prisoner guided them with six foxes in the back of the car. Then Sims describes how these foxes were received by their mothers as belonging to the family.

His Lordship next read extracts from the evidence of Constable Biggar.

That is practically the evidence. You have to take it all, and if, after having considered it, you are unable to arrive at a satisfactory conclusion, you are to give the prisoner the benefit of the doubt.

But it must be a reasonable one—one such as men sworn to do their duty, as you have been, must consider.

You have a heavy burden upon you. On the one hand, you must give the prisoner the benefit of every legitimate doubt.

On the other hand, it is the duty of the jury to convict where the evidence calls for a conviction. Your responsibility for the peace and welfare of the country demands that this be done. Were it not so; were juries to fail of their duty in this regard, the evil effects would all too soon become apparent in a decay of that respect for law and order which is the foundation of our civilization.

The jury retired at 12.50 p. m. At 2.20 p. m. they returned with a verdict of acquittal.

In the afternoon, the case of Mrs. Cousins vs. the Sheriff of Queens County was headed before Mr. Justice Hazard and a jury:

This is an action for trespass to goods, arising from an execution levied by the Sheriff against the goods of James Dixon. Mrs. Cousins is a sister of the defendant, and she claims that four sheep seized under the execution are her property.

Bentley, K. C., for plaintiff.

Stewart, K. C., and J. A. Macdonald for defendant.

The court adjourned at 5 p. m. to meet today at 10.30 a. m.

Franchise to be Transferre

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, Jan. 24—President Frank Ahearn, of the Ottawa Hockey Association, has formally notified Frank Calder, president of the National Hockey League, that it is his intention to transfer the franchise of the Ottawa club to another city, next season a.hTeeteaoinetaoletaonetim seasen. The team will play in an American city, not yet decided on, thus leaving only two Canadian cities, with three teams, Toronto, Montreal and Canadiens, represented in the league.

In a recent overcrowding census in Hackney, England, one case of nine persons living in a room was shown, and 24,859 of two [illegible] has become acute.

Annual Meeting

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kindness of the ladies of the church societies, to supply a number of children with clothing, shoes, etc., thus giving them the chance to attend school and helping out their parents who for the most part have a rather difficult problem to deal with.

By visiting the schools daily, I can keep in touch with the teachers and through them find out cases of absence from school, etc., on the part of the children, and by visiting the homes of such children induce and encourage the parents to keep their children more regularly in school.

During the past year I made 297 visits to such homes and find conditions for the most part much better than they have been, still, however, there is ample room in a great many instances for improvement.

Very respectfully, submitted

L. E. SHAW

Agent Children's Aid Society

Rev. H. D. Raymond and Mr. John McKenna, spoke in very commendatory terms of Mr. Shaw's work.

The President, Dr. MacMillan, referring to the presence of Miss Charlotte E. Whitton, M. A., Executive Secretary of the Canadian Council on Child Welfare, said he had here a lady long sought. We had postponed the meeting several times in order to have her with us.

In the nineteen years of the Society's existence we had made wards of about 100 children, and placed most of them in foster homes which after careful investigation we had found fit. In only one or two instances had we found it necessary to withdraw children from the homes in which they had originally been placed.

The Society was under a great debt of gratitude to the orphanages, which took the children off our hands until suitable homes are found for them.

We have found Mr. Shaw a capable and good official. Truancy and delinquency are diminishing. Conditions in the city are improving. We find a few unfortunate, neglected and misguided children, but very few really vicious ones. But there is much work to be done.

I wish to pay a tribute to one of the old veterans, the stalwarts of this Society, the late Mr. W. L. Cotton. He was with the Society at its inception and remained with it till his death. One of the last wishes he expressed was that this Society might flourish.

I hope the time will come when the Society will be adequately supported by the Government and City. In every other Province when a child is turned over to the Children's Aid Society by the proper tribunal, the Government becomes automatically responsible for a weekly payment for its support. This Society is doing the Government's work. In the enforcement of the law, the Government makes work for us by taking the father or mother, or sometimes both parents, and committing them to prison. I am not blaming the Government, but I say that no Government or police force has a right to take the last parent to prison and leave depending children without providing for them.

A nominating committee, consisting of Rev. H. D. Raymond, Mrs. Murphy, and Mrs. Cotton, reported, nominating for re-election the officers of last year, except those who had removed or were about to remove from the city. The following officers were accordingly elected:

President, Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan.

Vice Presidents, Monsignor McDonald and Rev. Dr. Ramsay.

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Major T. E. McNutt.

Hon. Solicitor, Mr. Donald McKinnon, K. C.

Board of Management: Rev. H. D. Raymond, Rev. Father McIntyre, Rev. Father McMahon, Rev. Canon Malone, Rev. W.B. Muir, Rev. Scott Fulton, His Worship the Mayor, Mr. William Moran, Mr. John McKenna, Prof. Blanchard, Mrs. Ledwell, Mrs. McCready, Mrs S.R. Jenkins, Mrs. Bearsto, Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Casey, Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. Cotton, Mrs. W.S. Stewart, Mrs. Trainor, Mrs. A. Henry, Mrs. Henderson, Miss Amy Earl.

Auditor: Mrs. L. B. Miller.

Miss Whitton expressed her pleasure as being in Charlottetown again, though her visit was somewhat belated owing to pressing engagements in Manitoba. She proposed to speak on the subject of child care and protection.

The family is the finest and best part of our civilization. We have thrown about it all the safeguards of church and state. We have given large sanctions to the marriage relationship, and there results a community obligation to the child born of this union. The family is exposed to certain hazards.

1. The pressure of economic forces—poverty.

2. Soscial forces, human frailties, viciousness, cruelty.

3. Moral evil, incorrigibility, delinquency.

Being a child is a most dangerous adventure. Then there is the special problem of the broken arc in family relationship—the unmarried parent.

These difficulties press in upon the child in city and country. Isolation often brings about more terrible conditions than does the congregation of the great cities.

The true line of good social work is that of reconstruction.

The Canadian provinces have tried by legislation to cope with the destructive forces that bear upon the child.

1. Guardianship laws. Ontario and the western provinces have provided by statute for the equal guardianship of both parents for persons under 21 years of age. In this province of Prince Edward Island the father is the sole guardian.

Where one parent is removed from any home by the arm of the law, some constructive work needs to be done. It will not do to wait until the other parent is taken too. The effort must be to remove the course of the trouble instead of depending upon remedial measures when the situation has become acute.

poverty is extreme, the proper course is not to remove the child from that home, but to deal with the economic cause of the child's need by family relief measures. A highly specialized form of social work is that of providing allowances. Draw on city relief or private charity to prevent the breaking up of the home.

3. All the provinces have done much to help the child of unmarried parents. The Prince Edward Island legislation on this subject is not excelled in any province in Canada.

4. Where the child's troubles arise from his own delinquency we try also to remove the course. The effect of the Delinquent Children's Acts when proclaimed in force in any territory, is to restrict the operation of the Criminal Code and the laws of evidence and procedure that would otherwise apply. The Court deals with the care as a social problem. In most of the provinces we seek to have the methods of the Juvenille Court apply also in cases under the other statutes relating to social welfare, so beneficient have those methods proven.

Constant efforts are being made to amend these Acts relating to the care and protection of children. The definition of "neglect" in the statute has been repeatedly amended.

When the child is in danger of growing up to be a menace to society the state must step in with preventive measures. It has called to its aid the Children's Aid Society. In eight provinces laws are in force giving to these Societies the powers of guardianship. When duly incorporated, the Society has large powers. Its agent may take a child into custody without a warrant. The child is brought before the Court, which may return it to its home or deliver it to the guardianship of the Society, which finds for it a substitute home.

Often the desire is expressed that the Government should bear all the cost of this work. If this were done, the Government would establish a department to do the work which voluntary societies are now doing; and this would be open to grave objections. The temporary care of neglected or delinquent children, the field work, the seeking out of cases, ought to be done by volunteer effort assisted by Government grants.

But when the child has been made a ward of any organization by action of a court or by virtue of a statute, then the municipality or the Government should bear the expense. This is done in the other provinces.

In this province, when a child is removed from its own home the Society has the co-operation of the orphanages. It is the duty of the Society to place the child as soon as possible in a normal family, the most suitable substitute for its own wealthy home. One must judge what is a good home in relation to the child. The Society must by its field work follow the child into its foster home. The attractive child is readily adopted. For the child not adopted a suitable home should be found and means provided to pay for the child's maintenance there.

In Prince Edward Island the Act relating to adoption of children does not provide for adoption in the true sense. It does not divert the parental rights, and it does not give the child the right of inheritance. The Society should take up the matter of securing a legal adoption Act like that of Ontario or Alberta.

Miss Whitton suggested a comprehensive plan for more adequately caring for neglected and delinquent children in this Province, and closed with an impressive appeal for better supervision of those who need in childhood the protection and care that curcumstances have cheated them in their own homes.

Rev. Mr. Eaton, Dr. H. D. Johnson, Rev. Father McMahon, and Dr. Creelman all spoke to a motion for a vote of thanks, expressing their high appreciation of her address, and pledging their support to the course of child welfare.

The President expressed the thanks of the Society to the Press for their generous assistance by way of publicity for the work of the Society, and to Rev. Mr. Raymond and the officers of St. Paul's Parish for the use of the Hall.

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THE CAR FERRY

Yesterday the car ferry left Borden at 9.05 a. m. arriving at Tormentine at 10.25 a. m. with mails and passengers. In the afternoon she left Tormentine at 3.00 p. m. arriving at Borden at 4.30 p. m., allowing the mails and passengers to reach the city by train at 6.00 p.m. —only 20 minutes late. She also made a freight trip from Tormentine to Borden and return between her two passenger trips on nearly schedule time.

The ice has now loosened up a great deal and conditions are reported much easier.

THE AEROPLANE

The weather being very fine yesterday, two return trips were made by the Fairchild aeroplane, the Pitcairn aeroplane now being removed from the service.

On the first trip, the plane left Moncton at 9 a. m., calling first at Charlottetown, where she arrived at 10 o'clock, landing off the Esplanade, and after putting off three bags of letter mail, left immediately for Summerside, and then returned to Moncton. On the second trip, she left Moncton at 12.05, this time going direct to Summerside, where a delay of 25 minutes took place in the transfer of mails. As a result, she did not reach Charlottetown until 1.35. She left on return for Moncton at 1.50.

On her second trip, she brought over 15 sacks and 5 letter bags—a total weight of 400 lbs. and she carried away from here 11 sacks and 4 locked bags. This included all mail for places outside the province, received by the morning trains from points east, west and south. The train from Tignish arrives in the city at 12.45 p. m. and it is necessary that the aeroplane should leave on her return trip not later than 1.20 in order to connect with the westbound Ocean Limited at Moncton. On the second trip of the plane yesterday, the pilot took over to Moncton with him Mr. Joseph Deagan, one of the postal officials. He will return on the first trip of the aeroplane tomorrow morning.

C.G.S. STANLEY AND S.S. "TERNE"

The following telegrams received by Messrs Buntain, Bell and Co. yesterday, speak for themselves:

From S. S. "Terne"

Jan. 24th, 1929

No change. Surplus coal 37 tons; food about 10 day. Fresh water very low.

(Sgd.) BJORSET (Master)

From Dartmouth, N. S., Jan. 24th, '29

Ice breaker "Stanley" under instructions to relieve Steamer "Terne" is detained at Strait of Canso by heavy rafted ice making progress past Mulgrave impossible, until change of wind to southward. The Master of the Stanley will do all possible to reach the "Terne."

(Sgd.) C. H. HARVEY,

(Mr. Harvey is the Marine Department representative at Halifax.)

Sydney, N. S. Jan. 24

Montcalm now breaking ice in Sydney Harbour, where two steamers are now loading and not expected to be released before Saturday at the earliest.

(Sgd.) MURPHY

The Georgetown-Pictou Route

A prominent shipper, who returned to this city from Georgetown today said that he agreed with the position taken in the Guardian Editorials on this question, believing that it would be in the best interests of the province at this season of the year, to have the two best ships available run from Georgetown to Pictou. He reports that Georgetown Harbour was free from ice yesterday, the channel being open right up to the railway wharf.

He called attention to the injury that may result to the shippers of smelts and eels, if it is attempted to operate a service at the capes by the Stanley. He is of the opinion that the ship could not keep up communication there; might be seriously injured in attempting to do so, thus preventing us from having any freight service at all.

Loading facilities for such [illegible] er as the Stanley are only [illegible] at the capes, whereas at [illegible] they are of the best.

He expressed the opinion [illegible] two steamers (Stanley and Minto) should be put on the Georgetown-Pictou route as soon as possible, and the car ferry taken to Halifax, so that she would be able to take up with certainty the heavy movement of potatoes which we are sure to have in March and April, and which the other ships could not deal with at all.

By leaving these two vessels together on the eastern route, they will probably be able to take care of the situation for the next four or five weeks, if necessary.

He emphasized the uncertainty of the present situation, whereby embargoes were continually being put on and taken off freight movement. It was impossible for shippers to do business in the circumstances, particularly if they dealt in perishable goods.

Death of Lady Van Horne

(Canadian Press)

MONTREAL, Jan. 24— The death occurred at her residence, 513 Sherbrooke Street, here this afternoon, of Lady Van Horne, widow of Sir William Van Horne, a former president of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Lady Van Horne is survived by a son R. B. Van Horne, a daughter, Adeline and a grandson, W. C. Van Horne.

Trawler Missing

(Canadian Press)

BOSTON, Jan. 24 — Coastguard craft along the Newfoundland coast was ordered today, to search for the steam trawler Seiner, from which no word has been received since Jan. 10. The vessel owned by the Portland Trawler Co. of Groton, Conn., sailed out of New London, and when last sighted was bound for Georges Banks. She carries a crew of 20.

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JANE WELSH AND JANE CARLYLE by Elizabeth Drew.
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