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MARITIMERS IN MONTREAL DOING HELPFUL WORK

Maritime Provinces Club of Montreal reviews activities of the past year at their annual meeting — Tourist and Welfare work get much attention

At the annual meeting of the Maritime Provinces Club of Montreal held in their headquarters in the Windsor Hotel a few days ago the retiring president, Claude S. Richardson, presented the report of the executive showing the varied activities of the organisation.

In addition to a program of social functions that were well attended the club maintained its lounge and reading room in the Windsor Hotel and it is of interest to record that 370 visitors placed their names on the club register during the year.

Appreciation was expressed to publishers of many periodicals and newspaper published in the Maritime Provinces for their continued donations of newspapers. These 'home' papers are greatly esteemed by members and visitors of the club.

TOURISTS ASSISTED

Over four thousand pamphlets and maps giving information with respect to tourist possibilities in the Maritime Provinces were distributed by the Club during the past year. The Secretary has been available for and has given information to persons contemplating visits to the Maritime Provinces and while it is impossible to give an accurate estimate of the number of tourist parties directed by the Club to the Maritime Provinces this past summer it is known that over forty tourists parties which went to the Maritime Provinces this year secured information and help in connection with their trip from the Club.

Naturally many unemployed former residents, of the Maritimes have sought help from the Club in endeavouring to find employment. While the Club has not the facilities to be of much help in this matter temporary assistance has been given on many occasions and useful advice and counsel has always been available for those who found themselves out of work.

Besides a small financial contribution made by the Club for welfare work it has in other ways come to the assistance of families in need. In particular the Secretary was able on several occasions, to make adjustments with landlords of needy families and to furnish used school books, clothing and other supplies to those in want. It was ascertained that a family which left Montreal in the Summer of 1932 to go on a farm in New Brunswick was in destitute circumstances. Clothing and money was collected from Club friends and forwarded to Mr W. H. Golding of St. John, who at great inconvenience to himself on Xmas Eve, 1932, delivered the welcome articles to the family.

Some 25 families in Montreal were assisted with Christmas parcels last year and it is suggested that during the coming year one or more of the monthly programs be set aside for the purpose of raising funds or procuring articles with which to help needy families making demands upon the Club.

TRADE RELATIONS

While the Club is not particularly equipped for trade purposes, it has been able to establish useful trade contracts between persons or firms in Montreal and residents of the Maritime Provinces. It has also encouraged and looked after the sale of Nova Scotian apples to members and friends of the club.

Seven issues of "The Maritimer", the official organ of the Club, were published during the year and distributed without cost to the Club or to its members.

While the report showed a slight decrease in the membership the president explained that this was partly due to business conditions and the many pressing calls on the incomes of individuals. Changing of the club year from April to October had also affected the financial statement but the club was able to show a small balance on the credit side. "With the hoped for improvement in business affairs", said the president, "the Club may reasonably expect to add to its membership during the coming year. The membership of a club such as ours is increased largely through the efforts of its members who should constitute themselves missionaries for proclaiming the work of the Club and the benefits which will accrue to former Maritimers in Montreal and present residents of the Maritime Provinces by reason of the continued existence of the Club. In one sense membership in the Club is not a business proposition and in some cases it may be true that the membership fee outweighs the direct compensation received by the member. In the broader sense, however, through the deeper contacts made by and between its members and the general assistance that the Club may be not only to Maritimers in Montreal but to residents in the Maritime Provinces the amount of the membership fee is a small premium for patriotic, socail and business nsurance that gives more than adequate returns."

A GENEROUS DONATION

Appreciation of the club was expressed to Senator W. H. Dennis of Halifax, N. S. who contributed $250. to the club and who has been made a life member. There are now four life members of the club, the others being Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor, C. S. Stairs, K.C. and Sir James Dunn.

The report recorded with deep regret the loss of a valued member in the death of Mr George Henderson a former vice president.

The newly elected president is Mr H. H. Melanson, former vice president in charge of traffic on the C. N. R. and the vice presidents are: G. Ross Marshall, B. D. Rogers and H. C. Atkinson. These officers and other members of the executive are now engaged in plans for activities of the coming year.

PERSONALS

—Miss Dorothy L. Boone, whose marriage takes place in the near future left on Saturday for her home in Oak Bay. Miss Boone has been a popular member of the office staff of Fraser Companies, Limited, for several years.

—Mrs M. C. Kennedy entertained at bridge on Wednesday evening, for the pleasure of her guest Miss Cliff, of Woodstock. The guests included Miss Cliff, Mrs Gus Dore, Mrs W. A. Deachman, Mrs Gordon Kennedy, Miss Lillian Dunn, Miss Bernadine Bohan, and Miss Germaine Comeau. Prize was won by Miss Comeau.

—Miss Doris Batt spent the week-end at her home in Fredericton.

—Mrs R. S. White entertained a number of the friends of her son Robert, on Monday afternoon, in honor of his ninth birthday. The guests were Jimmy Reith, Fraser MacKenzie, Robert Murchie, Hubert Seely, Graham Clarke, Murray McAlary, Bruce Berry, Jr, and John Lockhart.

—Mr and Mrs E. E. Stevenson spent the week-end in Fredericton where they attended the funeral of Mr Stevenson's mother, the late Mrs Robert Stevenson.

"The Contractors" met with Mrs Walter B. Morton on Friday evening when Mrs H. C. Noseworthy was a guest of the Club. The prize was won by Mrs R. S. Waite.

—Miss Judy Colquhon, who has been visiting Miss Grace Stevens for the past two months, returned to Montreal on Friday.

—Miss Emily Babin entertained the members of her bridge club on Wednesday afternoon. The members are Mrs P. H. Laporte, Mrs John M. Stevens, Mrs William Matheson, Mrs Robert England, Mrs Frank S. Murchie Mrs Douglas Stevens, Mrs R. V. McCabe, Mrs F. O. White, Mrs N. Franchetti, Miss Emily Babin, and Miss Agnes Hebert. The substitutes were Mrs Joseph Breau and Mrs John E. Cade. Prize was won by Mrs William Matheson.

—Among those who motored to Campbellton on Saturday afternoon to take part in the Badminton Tournament, were Mr. and Mrs T. M. Barry, Mr and Mrs H. C. Noseworthy, Mr and Mrs Anderw Patterson, Mr and Mrs Leslie Mavor, Jr., Miss Grace Stevens, Miss Edna Hutchison, Miss Jessie Hutchison, Miss Muriel Morton, Messrs. Ronald Reside, Myles Amos, George Mavor, Donald Adams, William Miller, and Walter Morton. The Tournament resulted in a tie score, 7-7.

—Miss Gladys Horton entertained a few friends informally on Tuesday evening. Those present were Miss Fernande Cormier, Miss Muriel Morton, Miss Alice Matheson, Miss Rita Michaud, Miss Patty Clarke, Messrs Eugene Abbis, Keith Scott, Dayton Hammond, Archie Young, Floyd Reid, and Sarto Goldie.

—Mrs L. M. Sherwood entertained some of the friends of her daughters Betty and Barbara on Tuesday evening. The table was attractively decorated in keeping with the spirit of Hallowe'en. The guests included Miss Virginia White, Miss Miriam McAlary, Miss Carol Horton, Miss Florence Aube, Master Jimmie Fraser and Master Murray McAlary.

Mr and Mrs J. P. Dooley have returned from Chicago and have taken their residence on Queen St.

—Ronald D. Baird spent several days with friends in Montreal, recently.

—J. M. Saur of Montreal was a recent visitor in town.

—Mrs D. A. Fraser is visiting friends in Montreal.

—E. W. Ross of Montreal is spending a few days in town.

Fraser Junior Executive Club elects New Officers

The regular monthly meeting of the Fraser Junior Executive Club was held on Saturday evening, October 28th, when the following officers were installed for the ensuing year.

President, E. L. Perkins; Vice President, F. O. White; Secretary, S. A. Watters; Treasurer, O. E. Horton; Chairman, Membership Committe, Samuel Barber; Chairman, Programme Committee, Edward Ethier.

N. H. L. HOCKEY BROADCASTS

First broadcast will be on Nov. 11th when New York Rangers meet Toronto Maple Leafs.

First of the General Motors Hockey Broadcasts on a National network is announced for November 11th, when New York Rangers meet the Toronto Maple Leafs in a National League game at the Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto. From that date until the close of the regular season on March 17, there will be a similar broadcast carried each Saturday night, from coast-to-coast. It is announced that, from time to time, one of the Montreal Maroons home games will be carried on the National network instead of a game from the Maple Leaf Gardens. Stations, more than 20 in number, that are to carry these broadcasts, are to be definitely listed within a few days.

Besides the coast-to-coast hockey broadcasts, General Motors have arranged regional broadcasts for the Province of Quebec and for Central Ontario National League games will be broadcast from the Montreal Forum each Saturday night, to a regional network, the first game being between Boston and Maroons. Broadcasts from the Forum will be in the French language when Canadians are playing. For the Central Ontario region, there will be week-night broadcasts from Maple Leaf Gardens in addition to the National network broadcasts on Saturday nights.

Foster Hewitt, who pleased a vast audience of arm-chair hockey fans last year, will again be announcer on network broadcasts from Toronto and will be assisted by Gordon Castle.

Madawaska, Me

—Alphy Cyr of Van Buren was a business caller in town recently.

—Fred Goodwin, U. S. Custom Officer from Grand Isle was a business caller in town recently.

—Miss Edna Sirois daughter of Mr and Mrs Willie Sirois of Keegan was married to Mr Donat Ouellet, son of Mr Pierre Ouellet of Lille. The wedding took place in the St. Remie Church in Keegan.

—Levite B. C. of North Van Buren was calling on relatives and friends in town Monday.

—Miss Mathie Beaulieu and Arthur Cyr, jr. were married at 8:00 Tuesday morning in the St. Gerard Church in Grand Isle. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. Charette.

The bride wore a brown coat with a brown and white hat and carried a large bouquet of white roses.

Mrs Cyr is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Fred Beaulieu and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs Arthur Cyr. Mrs Cyr is a prominent young girl and has been a school teacher for the last five years; while Mr Cyr is a prominent farmer of Grand Isle.

Following the ceremony an informal reception was held at the home of the bridegroom, where dainty refreshments were served.

After a few week's vacation to Boston and vicinity they will make their home in Grand Isle.

Mr and Mrs Cyr were the recipients of many beautiful gifts. The young people have many friends who joined in offering best wishes.

—Mrs Assad Cannan, Gracie Theriault, Claudia Cannan of Fort Kent and Bea David of Edmundston motored to Fort Fairfield recently.

—Mr and Mrs Sid Gillis recently returned from a few weeks honey moon through Montreal and Niagara Falls. Before her marriage, Mrs Gillis was the daughter of Mrs Jos N. Thibault of Edmundston. Mr Gillis is the son of Mr and Mrs Edward Gillis of St John, N.B.

—Mr and Mrs Gillis are now making their home at the National Cafe.

—Mr and Mrs Isaie L. Cyr and family motored to Caribou recently where they called on relatives and friends.

—Superintendent of Schools, Albert D. Martin of Frenchville was in town on business Tuesday.

—Frietnds and relatives of Mr Maurice Frechette are glad to hear that he is well enough now to walk around in the house.

—Dr I. R. Cyr has his main office with Dr Poirier of Fort Kent now.

—Dr Frank Nadeau of Fort Kent wa sin town on business for a few days this week.

—Friends of Miss Mary Crowley are glad to hear that she is still working for the Henry's Wedding play and is now located in Montpelier, Vermont where she will stage another play November 1st and 2nd.

—Vital Ouellette, now employed in Millinocket was calling on his family over the week end.

—The Assumption Society will hold a business meeting and election of new officers on Monday evening. All members are urged to be present.

—Paul McDermott, U. S. Custom Officer, left Saturday for a week's vacation to Portland.

—Miss Ann Vermette of Grand Isle, a graduate from St. Joseph's Academy in Portland and New Rochelle College in New Rochelle, New York is now teaching school at the Convent in St. Agatha.

—Miss Corinne Thibodeau spent the week-end with her parents Mr and Mrs Joe Thibodeau of Fort Kent.

—Alex Doucette, agent for the Swift Co from Fort Kent was a business caller in town recently.

—A Shower was tendered to Miss Mathie Beaulieu at the home of Mrs Arthur Cyr of Grand Isle in honor of her marriage to Arthur Cyr, Jr. on Tuesday October 24th. Part of the evening entertainment was the Mock-Wedding presented by the Misses Cecile Daigle as the groom, Rose Martin her mother, Muriel Albert the bride and Irene H. Cyr her father. Those present were the Misses: Cecile Daigle, Muriel Albert, Rolande and Lucie Guerrette, Florina Dufour, Madeleine Albert, Laura Beaulieu, Rose D. Martin, Marie-May and Yvette Martin, Irene, Emelia, Yvonne, Catherine and Alice Cyr, Blanche Theriault, Irene Lavigne, Therese Donne, Jeannette Soucy, Marie Anne Dionne, Corinne Thibodeau, Helen Moneault, Mabel Byran, Simone Collin, Bertha Sirois, Cecile R. Daigle, Eva Beaulieu, Azilda Chassé, Cecile Beaulieu, Isabelle Vaillancourt, Cecile Robert, Aurore Lauzier, Rolande Lizotte, Anne Marie Robert, Clothilde Beaulieu, Jeannette Fournier, Cecile Crobin, Dorella Lauzier, Agathe Cyr, Leanna Theriault, Gertrude Lauzier, Jeanne Sirois, Lena Cyr, Bertha Beaupre, Bernadette Charette, Aline Levesque, Ann Vermette, Blanche Beaulieu, Beatrice Beaulieu, Ida Cyr, Nelida Corbin and Corinne Beaulieu. The party left at a late hour after the delicious lunch was served, all joining to offer their best wishes. Miss Beaulieu was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

—Pat D. Martin and Gilbert Beaupré returned Saturday from a few week's vacation to Boston.

—Among those from town who arrives Saturday from St. Joseph's College in St. Joseph N.B. which was destroyed by fire Friday, are: Leonide and Rene Albert, Joffre Daigle, from Frenchville, Boss Michaud Marc Frank, Patrick Babin and Louis & Raoul Bourgoin.

Here and There

ARCTIC RAILWAY LAID ON ICE

Winnipeg, Man. — Running for many miles over bottomless swamps and an impenetrable ice cap lying just a few feet below the muskeg on the surface, the building of the Hudson Bay Railway presented railway construction engineers with many problems. Starting from The Pas, Manitoba, where it joins the Canadian National System, the line Hudson Bay. To cross the swamps runs for 510 miles to Churchill, on the railways track was built on rafts and the ice cap was crossed when the musker was frozen during the winter season. Ballast could only be put under the track when the surface thawed. The building of the telegraph line, which runs alongside the railway, also presented problems to the engineers and instead of poles, the wires were carried on tripods. It was only this year that tourists were allowed to visit Churchill. Previous to that special permission had been necessary to travel over the line to that new seaport. Already a considerable number of tourists have to that new seaport. Already a considerable number of tourists have visited this interesting town which is a seaport in the making. Hotel facilities, however, are not yet equal to taking care of any great numbers and doubtless more accomodation will be provided as time goes on. In a special excursion operated by the Canadian National Railways from Winnipeg to Churchill recently the passengers slept and ate in the cars.

INTERESTING LINK WITH SLAVE DAYS

Efforts are being made to preserve the old King's House, in Spanish Town, Jamaica, an object of interest to the many Canadian visitors by Canadian National liners, as a monument to the freeing of slaves in the British West Indies, about 100 years ago. The structure was badly damaged by fire some years ago. From its steps was read the Royal Proclamation of Freedom, by which the plantation workers were given their liberty.

COMMEMORATES AMERICA'S FIRST SUBMARINE CABLE

Charlottetown, P.E.I. — A tablet was recently unveiled in Charlottetown commemorating the laying of the first submarine cable in America on November 22, 1852. It was laid across the Strait of Northumberland, P.E.I., to what is now known as Borden from Cape Tormentine, N.B., but was then known as Carleton Head. It consisted of a single trand of copper wire encased in rubber with an armored covering, the whole being approximately one-half inch in diameter, and was laid by the Anglo-American Cable Company. Today a more modern cable, which forms part of the telegraphic communication systems of the Canadian National Telegraphs, successor to the Anglo-American Company in the cable, replaces this first submarine telegraph cable and, in addition, there is a four-conductor cable connecting Prince Edward Island with the mainland.

FRENCH TRAVEL TO CANADA

Montreal, Que — anada and the West Indies are being linked together as travel objectives in France, according to local agents who have received several examples of French travel literature. One tour greatly advertized in France starts from Havre October 25 by the liner 'Colombie' and changes to the Canadian National liner 'Lady Hawkins' at Trinidad, November 6. Thence it leads to Boston via Bermuda and the Lesser Antilles Islands, aboard the 'Lady Hawkins', and from Boston to Quebec and Montreal by Canadian National rail route, thence to New York t osail back for France on the 'Champlain' December 2.

GOOD YEAR FOR POTATOES

Moncton, N.B. — There is every indication that this year's Maritime potato crop will find ready markets and bring satisfactory prices, stated F. W. Walsh, Superintendent of Agriculture for the Canadian National Railways System, who arrived in Moncton recently on the Ocean Limited from Montreal on departmental business. 'Already,' Mr Walsh continued, 'Maritime potatoes are being readily disposed of in Ontario and they are finding a market in Michigan, U.S.A.' Short potato crops elsewhere have brought about a good demand for Maritime potatoes, Mr Walsh said. It is quite possible, he remarked, there will be a heavy demand for seed potatoes from the Latin-American republics.

FACTS AND FANCIES

Economy Salad Dressing

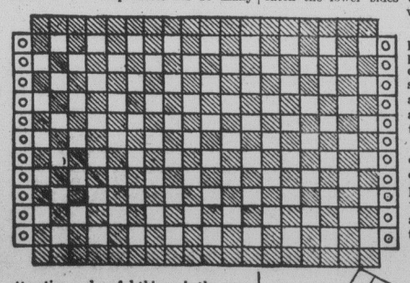
Mix one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon sugar, pepper to suit taste; beat well with one tablespoon lemon juice. Beat in two tablespoons vinegar. When smooth, add one cup sour cream. Keep cold until needed. This is especially good with vegetable salad.

Fruit Cookies

One and one-half cups sugar, two cups thick sour cream, one cup raisins, one cup nutmeats, one-half cup currants (you may use different kinds of fruits), one-half cup coconut, three cups rolled oatmeal, two and one-half cups flour, three eggs, one and one-half teaspoons soda, one-half teaspoon salt, one teaspoon cinnamon, nutmeg, one-half teaspoon allspice. Sift flour, spices, salt and soda together. Beat together sugar, eggs and cream next. Then add flour, fruit, nuts and rolled oats. Drop batter from spoon and bake in a moderate oven until brown.

Cellophane Handbag made at Home

ONE of the newest articles resulting from the popular modern handcraft work which has its basis in the braiding of narrow strips of transparent material and which is now responsible for so many attractive and useful things, is the envelope handbag. "Cellophane," which is the material used, is first cut into strips 10 inches long and four inches wide, doubled so as to be half inch wide. These are tacked side by side on a board (ironing, or bread, or cardboard is a good support). Be sure the strips are folded and tacked straight and that they are very close together.



Then cut 18 strips 6 inches by 4 inches wide and fold in the same manner as the 10-inch strip. Interlace them over and under the vertical strips. Keep pushing each weaving strip tightly upward so the bag will be firm. After weaving, remove the tacks. Affix a strip of gummed tape the entire length of the outside strip on each of the four sides. Turn the loose ends over these strips and fasten them tightly. Coloured strips woven in at top and bottom add to the attractiveness of the finished handbag.

Then sew in a lining, bend the woven strip up from the bottom and down from the top until it resembles an envelope and catch the lower sides with stitches of white silk.

The plain transparent "Cellophane" can be easily secured by saving wrappers as so many articles now reach the buyer in a "Cellophane" cover. Rolls of coloured "Cellophane", to add variety and attractiveness to the purse, can be secured at stationery, department and chain stores.

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