

THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, SAINT JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 1926

H. W. MURCHIE IS
NEW GOVERNOR
OF ROTARY NO. 32

St. Stephen Man Unanimous
Choice of Conference Today

SPEAKS OF PLANS

Newfoundland Club Makes Surprise Gift To Saint John Rotary

THE feature of this morning's session of the annual spring conference of the thirty-second Rotary District, being held in the Admiral Beatty Hotel, was the unanimous election of Howard Murchie, of the St. Stephen-Milltown club, as district governor for the coming year. Mr. Murchie is a prominent in the insurance business there. He is a member of the Canadian Advisory Board of Rotary and a past president of the club on the border.

It was learned on good authority that the next conference would probably be at St. John's, N.S. This question will be decided this afternoon.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

At the question this morning John Young, the outgoing district governor, presided. Rev. J. S. Bonnell, pastor of St. Andrew's Kirk, opened the session with invocation.

The report of the resolutions committee was read by George H. Clark, of Fredericton, was adopted. It included thanks to the Saint John club, one of appreciation of the courtesies extended by the Mayor and Corporation of the City of Saint John, one of appreciation of the work of the press, one of appreciation of the honor of the presence of Arthur H. Sapp, international vice-president, and Henry Williams, governor of the thirty-seventh district, and also of the Rotarians from Maine, one of sympathy to those who suffer by loss through death of Rotarians during the last year and also one of sympathy for Rotarians unable to attend the conference owing to illness.

ATTENDANCE 463.

The report of the registration committee, presented by Frank T. Lewis, chairman, showed that from the district, 138 Rotarians, 150 ladies, 6 guests; from outside the district, twenty-one Rotarians, 25 ladies. The total registration was 219 Rotarians, 178 ladies and 6 guests, making a total of 463 attendees.

Dr. J. H. Barton read a paper on "Membership and Classification," and Karl Baker, of Yarmouth, spoke on "Making a Classification Survey."

Chairman Young read a telegram from Premier Baxter, regretting his inability to be present. He presented a paper on "Business Methods" and W. M. Rowe of Charlottetown, read a paper on "Business Methods."

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

BIRTHS

SCOTT—On April 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott, 3 Dufferin row, West Saint John, a daughter.

DEATHS

COX—At his residence, 73 Queen street, West William J. Cox, in his 71st year, leaving to mourn his wife, one son and one daughter.

WERNERS—In this city, West Side, on the 22nd inst., after a brief illness, Anstis, widow of C. Werners, an eldest daughter of the late Samuel and Isabella Hayes, leaving three sisters to mourn.

Funeral from her late residence, 88 Middle street, West, Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Funeral home, 211 Sydney street.

STEEVES—In this city, April 22, 1926, Anna A. Steeves, widow of Wm. W. Steeves, in the 87th year of her age, leaving two sons and one daughter. Interment at Five Points cemetery, Albert Co., on Saturday. No flowers, please.

ALWARD—Suddenly at her home, 211 Sydney street, on April 22, 1926, Etta May Alward, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Alward, aged 18 years, leaving her parents, seven sisters and three brothers to mourn.

Funeral on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 from her parents' residence, 211 Sydney street.

CORMIER—At the Saint John Infirmary, on April 22, 1926, Joseph F., age 4 months, infant child of Bert and Madeline Cormier, 221 Prince street, West. Body will be taken to Adamsville, Kent Co., on the early train Saturday morning.

ENFEE—At her residence, 22 Fredericton street, on April 22, 1926, Mrs. Georgiana Sneed, widow of J. Sneed, leaving to mourn one daughter.

Funeral Monday at 3 o'clock.

WERNERS—After a brief illness, at his brother's residence, Barnsville, April 20, John Duncan, leaving one sister and brother.

Funeral services Friday at 3 p. m. in Barnsville cemetery.

LOCKE—At Gordon Point, on April 21, 1926, Mrs. Ervin Acker, leaving her husband, one daughter, four sons, mother and three brothers.

Funeral Saturday at 1 o'clock.

WARREN—Entered into rest at the Presbyterian Hospital, New York City, on April 22, 1926, Agnes Warren, daughter of Mrs. D. B. and the late General Warren.

Notice of funeral later.

MAGA—At the General Public Hospital on April 22, 1926, Mrs. John Maga, age 44, leaving her husband, five daughters and one son.

(Halifax papers please copy.)

Funeral at Quebec.

IN MEMORIAM

FRENCH—In loving memory of our dear mother, Edna French, who departed this life April 22, 1926. Asleep in Jesus.

HUBBARD AND FAMILY.

N. W. Brennan & Sons
FUNERAL DIRECTORS

After April 1st will be located at 111 PARADISE ROW (Cor. Harris St.)

Death Claims Miss Agnes L. Warner of Great War Fame

Miss Agnes Louise Warner, nurse in the Great War, and daughter of the late General D. B. Warner and Mrs. Warner of 11 Pagan Place, this city, died in the Presbyterian Hospital, New York, her nursing Alma Mater, this morning after a long illness which entered its most serious phase some weeks ago, at which time she went to the States for treatment.

Besides her mother Miss Warner leaves two sisters, Mrs. Charles J. Cosser of this city and Miss Mary Warner of Detroit, with her sister at her death. Another brother is John B. Warner of this city.

IN GREAT WAR
Miss Warner had a record of notable service as a nurse in the Great War and won the grateful thanks of the French government and the award of the Médaille Militaire in bronze, the Médaille Epidémique in gold and the Croix de Guerre in gold as the rank of major.

Miss Warner was a graduate of McGill. She received her nursing training in the Presbyterian Hospital, New York. She was traveling in France when the war broke out and entered hospital service as a Red Cross volunteer. She was to rise to the command of a military hospital. Her book "My Beloved Paul" was written to obtain funds to carry on the humanitarian work in which she was engaged.

On her return to Saint John after the war Miss Warner was given a public reception.

ON PILGRIMAGE MISSION.

Rev. J. A. Brown led today for Halifax and will preach in St. Mary's Cathedral on Sunday. He will also visit Sydney, Glace Bay, Chatham, Fredericton and Newcastle in connection with the pilgrimage to the Eucharistic Congress.

INTO DRY DOCK

The steamer Concordia will enter the drydock at Courtenay Bay tomorrow morning to have a new rudder stalk put in. The work will take about two days.

Arthur H. Sapp, of Huntington, Ind., spoke on this subject.

A paper was by Wild Graham, of the St. Stephen-Milltown Club, on "Urban and Rural Relationship."

After a short sing-song under the direction of Dr. H. L. Spangler, with M. C. Ewing at the piano the report of the credentials committee was presented by R. P. Dickson, of Moncton. It showed the following voting delegates present: Halifax, 9; Saint John, 14; Charlottetown, 2; Sydney, 2; Moncton, 1; St. Stephen-Milltown, 2; Fredericton, 2; Yarmouth, 2; Kentville, 1; New Glasgow, 2; Campbellton, 1; Truro, 1; St. John's, Nfld., 2. Every club in the district was represented.

NEW GOVERNOR.

Nominations for the office of district governor were next called for and the name of Howard Murchie, of the St. Stephen-Milltown club, was placed in nomination by the St. John's, Nfld. club. This was seconded by the Halifax club and carried unanimously.

Rotarian Murchie was heartily cheered and conducted to the platform amid great applause. He said he realized the responsibility of the position and hoped he would do as well as his predecessor. He outlined what the district would try to accomplish during the coming year. He intended going to the International Convention at Denver, late in June, and to the Chicago conference afterwards. On his return the presidents and secretaries of the various clubs would be called together at St. Stephen in September and plans outlined.

The Sydney delegates had to leave at noon. H. P. S. Paisley, of that club, took the opportunity of expressing the pride of his club in the outgoing governor, John Young.

SURPRISE EVENT

The members of the St. John's, Nfld. Rotary club sprung a surprise on the local club at luncheon today, when they presented a handsome silver carillon, mounted on an ebony base with a suitably engraved plate attached.

The presentation was made by James S. Ayre, president of the St. John's club, as a mark of appreciation for aid given by the latter club when St. John's was starting out in Rotary.

The gift was accepted by E. Palmer Kinsman, president of the Saint John club, who made a suitable reply.

It was announced at the luncheon that the St. John's, Nfld. club won the trophy for the largest percentage of attendance at the conference. It was presented on behalf of the local club by A. L. Foster to James Ayre, president of the winning club.

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DELEGATION AT OTTAWA ON AUTO TARIFF MATTER

Dies in New York

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will refer the entire matter to the tariff board which you are set up in order that all interests affected may have the fullest opportunity of presenting their views to the said board, so that it may effectively acquaint itself with the entire setting of the industry and have in its possession expert knowledge as to what effect the proposed legislation would have on the development of our Dominion.

"In conclusion, we are not appealing for the welfare of any individual or company, but for the life and future of our communities and in accordance with the best traditions of British fair play and justice, respectfully ask that an opportunity be given to submit all evidence before a final decision is rendered.

"All of which is respectfully submitted."

GIVES NARRATIVE OF JUTLAND BATTLE

H. E. Thompson Heard By Sons of England—Was There Himself

At a meeting of Marlborough Lodge, Sons of England, meeting in the Odd-fellow's Hall last evening, Worshipful president H. E. Thompson was in the chair and Warshipful President H. Van Wert, of Portland Lodge, occupied a seat on the platform. About 100 members and their wives were present.

In honor of St. George's Day an account of the battle of Jutland was given by the president, who took part in the battle. Mr. Thompson gave a vivid account of the great naval engagement, telling of the events leading up to it, the manoeuvres of the fleets during the action, and the subsequent flight of the Germans leaving the British in command of the North Sea.

He said that the naval authorities had only recently carried out the battle of Trafalgar, and there was no doubt that the execution of Jellicoe's turning movement at Jutland would be the theme of discussion for many years to come.

Past President W. Roberts then took the chair and a vote of thanks was tendered the speaker on motion of R. A. Clark, seconded by R. Lockett. At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served.

Motion Refused In Havelock St. Case

In Supreme Court Chambers yesterday afternoon, Mr. Justice LeBlanc refused a motion of the plaintiff in the case of Charles M. Kelly vs. Maritime Construction Co. and Garritte Co. to have the defence of the first named defendant struck out on the ground that E. C. Manning, a former employe of the company, did not appear to give evidence on examination for discovery, as ordered by Judge Crockett. The case is an action for damages for injuries sustained as the result of the alleged negligence of the defendants in piling tar barrels in Havelock street, with which the plaintiff collided. A Gilbert appeared for the plaintiff, G. Earle Logan for the Maritime Construction Co., and C. F. Inches, K. C., for Garritte Co. The matter will be tried at the present sitting of the Circuit Court.

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Local News

DOG KILLED.

A pointer dog was killed by an automobile in Prince Edward street yesterday afternoon to shoot a horse for George C. S. R. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

SHOOT'S HORSE.

Detective Biddiscombe was called to a barn at the rear of 89 Brin street yesterday afternoon to shoot a horse for George C. S. R. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

BOYS DISORDERLY.

Publicly, a group of boys who were acting in disorderly manner in Prince Edward street last evening.

AWAY TONIGHT.

Mrs. H. L. Biagonis will be officially turned over to her owners, the D. A. R., this evening and will leave for George C. S. R. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

GUILD RE-ORGANIZES.

The Church of the Good Shepherd Guild has re-organized after the winter. Mrs. Madley McKel vice-president, and Mrs. Rudolph Phillips, secretary-treasurer, are planning a busy season.

CHILD IS DEAD.