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## BUILD CHURCH AT QUISPAMIS

Matter Reported on at Meeting of Presbytery in Saint John

Rolls Revised—Reports on Missions and Other Subjects Are Gone Into

The Saint John Presbytery of the United Church met this morning in Glad Tidings Hall. The meeting opened with devotion led by Rev. R. G. Fulton, Rev. F. D. Dawson and Rev. C. R. F. MacLennan. The business discussed included revision of rolls, report of commission on church union and home missions. When the meeting adjourned at noon the maintenance and extension fund report was being discussed.

### REPORT ON ALLOCATION.

The report of the fund from the Western section of the Presbytery showed that some \$4,980 of the allocated \$7,200 had been already collected and members of that section gave it as their opinion that the allocation would be exceeded in that section.

The revision of the rolls was the striking off of names of former members who have definitely resigned from the Presbytery and the addition of those who have joined since the last quarterly meeting.

A letter from Rev. Harold Thompson, of McAdam in reference to the work there was read.

### FOR NEW CHURCH.

Rev. C. A. M. Earle gave a report on the situation at Quispamis, in which he stated that he had been successful in securing a very good location for a church for \$180 and that ground had been broken last Saturday the congregation had every hope of starting to build in the spring. He considered the outlook there very promising. By an unanimous vote, Rev. W. McN. Matthews was awarded the same salary for his duties as secretary, \$150 as had been given to the former clerk of the Saint John Presbytery.

### HOME MISSIONS.

On home missions, reports from summer field work were read and showed that in the majority of cases, the expenses were more than met by the funds without assistance from the Presbytery.

Those at the meeting this morning were: Rev. R. G. Fulton in the chair; Rev. W. McN. Matthews, secretary; and Rev. Messrs. Harry Harrison, C. A. M. Earle, G. A. Ross, J. H. McLean, Peter Jackson, F. A. Nickerson, W. A. Wood, Wm. Swan, R. H. Scott, F. T. Bertram, A. D. MacLeod, W. Bevis, E. E. Styles, J. J. Plunkerton, H. A. Goodwin, H. C. Rice, Hugh Miller (St. David's), Geo. Orman, Hugh Miller (Silver Falls), F. W. Archibald, G. F. Dawson, A. V. Morash, J. Heaney, C. R. F. MacLennan, C. L. Blanchard, L. J. Watson and R. S. Crisp, and the following lay representatives: Messrs. John Jameson, A. F. Bentley, James Myles, Hon. J. G. Forbes, T. R. Speedy, E. R. Macdonald, J. Hunter White, Peter Campbell and T. H. Somerville.

## NEW MUSICAL CLUB HAS FIRST PROGRAM

Meeting and Several Numbers in Georgian Room at Beatty Today

More than 100 joined the Ladies' Morning Musical Club, which held its first regular meeting this morning at the Admiral Beatty Hotel in the Georgian Ball Room. Mrs. Franklin J. Hodgson, president, was in charge. The secretary announced several recommendations from an executive meeting, giving names of executive officers and program committee to be voted on. The additional executive members agreed upon were Mrs. F. A. Godsoe, Mrs. L. M. Curran, Mrs. S. Kent Scovill, Mrs. L. V. Lingley, Mrs. J. M. Barnes, Mrs. R. Taylor McKim.

The program committee was reported as composed of Miss Beryl Blanchard, Mrs. Blane McLean, Mrs. F. G. Spencer, Miss Pauline Biederman, Mrs. J. Shoyko, Miss Alice G. Hea, Mrs. J. E. Archibald, Miss Josephine Lynch, Mrs. Douglas Fritz, Miss Louise Knight, Miss Eileen Gillis and Miss Homer. On account of the Gyo Club meeting every Tuesday in the ball room, the meeting day had to be changed to Wednesday morning at 10:30. The next meeting will be held on December 16.

### TODAY'S PROGRAM

In the program today Mrs. Miller explained her songs, giving the first instructional number, setting forth the important object of the club. The program follows:—

Piano solos: (a) Ave Maria (Hensel); (b) Etude F Sharp Major (Arensky).—Mrs. S. Kent Scovill.

Songs: (a) Si mes vers avaient des Ailes (Reynaldo Hahn); (b) Ho meso nuove corde (Gounod); (c) Deep River (Negro Spiritual).—(Fisher).—Mrs. Hugh Miller.

Violin solos: (a) Allegro Brillante (Ten Have); (b) Country Dance (Bridge).—Miss Gwyneth Hodgson.

Songs: (a) Could I (Twist); (b) Elgie (Massenet).—Miss Blenda S. Thomson.

Two pianos: (a) Improvviso Rocco (Schubert); (b) In the Forest (Whitely).—Mrs. S. Kent Scovill, Miss Beryl Blanchard.

Accompanists—Mrs. J. M. Barnes, Mrs. F. J. Hodgson.

God Save the King.

### ROSALIE JUNCTION ROUTING

The Board of Trade has word that the Maritime Transportation Right Committee has asked the Board of Railway Commissioners to order the C. N. R. to restore the alternative routing of lumber for upper Canadian points via Saint John and Rosalie Junctions. This alternative routing was discontinued some days ago.

### BUSIER IN PORT

The season of 1925-26 is starting off well in the harbor. This morning there were nine vessels in port and more are expected tonight and tomorrow.

## ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, DEC. 1.

A.M.	P.M.
High Tide..... 0.04	High Tide..... 12.16
Low Tide..... 6.14	Low Tide..... 6.14
Sun Rises..... 7.42	Sun Sets..... 4.44

## Local News

### PLAY IS REHEARSED

Dominion Lodge No. 445 I. O. G. T. met in their hall in Murray street, last evening with G. P. Kelly, C. T., in the chair. A rehearsal of the play "The Village Lawyer," which will be presented in the near future was held.

### HELD RUMMAGE SALE

A successful rummage sale, under auspices of the City Union of the King's Daughters, was held this morning in the lobby of the Queen Square Theatre. The proceeds will be used for the philanthropic work of the Union.

### Y. P. S. MEETING.

At a meeting of the Young Peoples' Society of the United Church, West Saint John, last night, Clarence Beatty presided. Rev. F. T. Bertram gave an address. Miss Marion Alliman gave the current events, and Arthur Long contributed a solo. Miss Marguerite Barrett was the pianist.

### RECEIVES SAD NEWS.

Mrs. J. Lowe of this city received word this morning of the sudden death of her sister, Miss Jennie O'Leary, at her home in Richibucto. She was the eldest daughter of the late Daniel and Catherine O'Leary, and is survived by her sister, Mrs. Lowe, and three brothers, George and Henry at home and John, of Barre, Vermont.

### AT ROSARY HALL.

There was a large attendance at the weekly card party of the Catholic Women's Guild social committee at Rosary Hall last evening, twelve tables being required. Mrs. David Corkery was the general convener. The prize winners were Miss Katherine Lawlor and Mrs. W. P. McDonald.

### BANQUET POSTPONED.

It was announced this morning that the banquet to the Water Department baseball team, Maritime champions, originally set for Wednesday night has been postponed until Friday night of this week. The postponement has been caused by the non-arrival of the championship medals which are to be presented.

### PLAYED AT 89 TABLES.

There were 89 tables of cards in the hall of the Bricklayers' Union, Saint John, last evening. Mrs. M. Atkinson was the general convener. Prizes were won by the following: first, Mrs. William Stack; second, Mrs. W. O. Sulis; consolation, Mrs. John Garey; gentlemen, first, Ed-ward J. E. Ryan; consolation, W. Winchester.

### CRADLE ROLL TEA.

No. 3 Corps, Brindley street, held a very successful cradle roll tea last evening. Mrs. Graham, cradle roll sergeant, was in charge and had the assistance of Mrs. Howard Whitteet, Mrs. Harlow and others. A delightful time was spent with the children and the visiting mothers were Major Thomas A. Burton, divisional commander of the Salvation Army headquarters, and Mrs. Burton.

### IS WELCOMED

Fred Scourrah of Boston, a former member, was welcomed at a meeting of the Bricklayers' Union, Saint John, local No. 1, held last night in the Bank of Montreal building. Mr. Scourrah is the deputy of Local No. 3 of Boston and he spoke of the conditions in the building trade in that city and of the general prosperity. Robert Harris, president, was in the chair.

### WERE AFIRE AGAIN

Chief Vaughan of the fire department, with the chemical engine from No. 1 station, King street east, responded to a call yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock for a blaze in some bags in the warehouse occupied by the Apex Bag and Bagging Company near the corner of Smythe and Pond streets. This is where a fire caused considerable damage on last Thursday night. After the firemen extinguished the blaze Chief Vaughan ordered that all the bags in the building be removed and spread out to prevent further outbreak.

### WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Friends assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dannels, Sand Cove road, last evening, and pleasantly surprised them on the 25th anniversary of their marriage. After congratulations had been extended, David Linton, on behalf of those present, presented to Mr. and Mrs. Dannels gifts of silver and cut glass. The recipients thanked their friends in appropriate terms. An enjoyable evening was spent. Frank Arthur gave a recitation and John Dannels a reading. Bridge was enjoyed and the prize winners were Mrs. Josephine Lynch and Mrs. S. T. Conigie won first prize, and William Dunham, the second. Miss Jennie Chambers and Miss Alice Dannels assisted the hostess in serving dainty refreshments.

### As Hiram Sees It

TORONTO.—Well, sir—I run agin Senator MacArthur agin last night the other night. He hed bean down to Niagara an' was goin' somewheres else. I guess I did tell you how he tried to git me into a dance with the hotel one night. I callate them Otto-funks folks 'll see some Summers and 'll ups an' kicks an' glides when the Senator goes up there this winter. They jist grabbed hold of him here one night at a swell dance they hed in the hotel. I will say fer him that he's most as good a dancer as I be myself. He aint as good lookin'—but he has a way o' gittin' round that I haint got. I guess 'll never git to be a senator—but it's all right. Mac says he's gonto stand up fer the Maritimes—an' I told him that's how hed make a hit with the folks down home. An' they aint no mistake about that—nuthin'.

—HIRAM.

## ACCOMMODATION HERE APPROVED

Mr. Appleton of C. N. R. Inspects New Warehouse at Saint John

Says P. E. I. Shipments Make Record in More Than 1,000,000 Bushels

W. U. Appleton, Moncton, general manager of the Atlantic region of the Canada National Railways, who was in Saint John today, along with other officers, made an inspection of the new potato warehouse at the new pier here and he expressed himself as well satisfied with the accommodation provided and the hope that the warehouse would be kept fully occupied this winter.

There was no grain in the elevator at present, he said, but they had in transit about half a million bushels booked for shipment.

### P. E. I. RECORD.

A great business in potatoes from Prince Edward Island was reported by Mr. Appleton, who said that during November there were moved from the Island 600 car loads of potatoes by the car ferry. This, he said, constituted a record for one month. During the season the C. N. R. had handled more than 1,000 cars of potatoes from the Island, in addition to this 600,000 bushels of potatoes had been shipped by water from the Island. In all they have shipped more than 1,000,000 bushels this season.

## 2 JUDGMENTS GIVEN IN COUNTY COURT

One is Action Over Salary—Second Arises From Auto Accident

In the County Court Chambers this morning, His Honor Judge J. A. Barry delivered judgments in two cases which were tried in October. In the case of Leo J. Gallagher vs. the General Accident Assurance Company, an action for the recovery of three months' salary in lieu of notice on dismissal under a hiring contract, judgment was entered for the plaintiff, the latter agreeing to waive the right to ask for costs. W. R. Scott appeared for the plaintiff and C. J. Mellyday for the defendant.

### AUTO ACCIDENT CASE.

Judgment for the plaintiff to the amount of \$102.03 was awarded in the case of Robert E. Wilson vs. E. J. McLaughlin, an action for \$48 damages arising out of an automobile accident in Rockland Road last summer. The plaintiff claimed negligence and the defendant contended that the accident was unavoidable. The judge found that the defendant's car was traveling faster than the narrowness of the street warranted and that a div by-law had been broken while turning. He gave judgment for the plaintiff with costs. D. King Hazen appeared for the plaintiff and W. M. Ryan for the defendant.

## AVOIDING TROUBLE

Christmas Tree Vendors Each to Have Allotted Space in King Square

Stakes driven into the outer edges of King Square on the southeast and northern sides have been existing the past few days for some days. These posts have been numbered and are in regular numerical order. The truth of the matter is they are Christmas tree locations for dealers who will in a few days be bringing trees and other greenery to town for the Yuletide trade. In the past there has been considerable argument and trouble over encroachments upon one another's locations so now the city authorities are allocating the stands by number. It is hoped this will prevent all complaints of mixed-up stocks, etc.

### DIED THIS MORNING.

Many friends will be sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Sarah Ann Wilson, wife of Alfred J. Wilson, which took place after a short illness, at her residence, 68 Stanley street, early this morning. Mrs. Wilson is survived by her husband, one son, John S. Short of Halifax, one daughter, Mrs. H. C. Hoyt of this city, and two brothers, S. L. Gorbell of Toronto, and George Gorbell of Boston. Eight nieces and nephews also survive. The funeral will be held from her late residence on Thursday afternoon.

### DENTISTS MEET

The monthly meeting of the Saint John Dental Society took place last evening following dinner at the Admiral Beatty Hotel. Dr. John F. Edgecombe, the president, was in the chair. Dr. Hugh A. Farris, medical superintendent of the Saint John County Hospital, read an interesting paper on "Focal Infection in Its Relation to Tuberculosis," which was afterwards discussed by members of the society. Routine business followed. It was reported that the bowling team recently formed in the society would be captained by Dr. J. A. Coughlan and Dr. Frank D. Boyaner.

### NEW HOUSE AFIRE.

The new house of B. J. Currie, at the corner of Seelye and Goodrich streets, as yet unfinished, was damaged considerably about 6 p.m. yesterday, a large hole being burnt in the side of the building. An alarm was sent in from Box 238.

### TRAVELERS' REUNION

At a meeting of the commercial travelers of Moncton, it was decided to inaugurate an annual get-together. The first event of this kind will be a banquet at the Brunswick on the evening of December 21.

### MR. SCLANDERS INVITED

F. MacLure Schlanders, commissioner of the Saint John Board of Trade, has received an invitation to attend the meeting of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Waterways Congress to be held in Minneapolis January 5 and 6.

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