

ANNIVERSARY SEES I. O. D. E. IN ST JOHN STRONG

Order Organized in Canada
Twenty-five Years Ago
Today

12 CITY CHAPTERS;
SOME 500 MEMBERS

New Brunswick Has 29 Or-
ganizations—Much Has
Been Accomplished.

Twenty-five years ago today the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire in Canada was begun, and Mrs. Clark Murray of Montreal, who was its first leader and chief worker in its formation, today can look with pride on the glorious achievements of an organization with branches throughout the Dominion. Throughout the Dominion the various chapters will commemorate the anniversary.

New Brunswick now has 29 chapters, and St. John has 12 with between 400 and 500 members.

N. B. Chapter Leader.

The Fredericton branch was a vigorous one and became the corner stone of the Order, because its success encouraged the chief movers for the I. O. D. E., to renew their efforts when lack of interest elsewhere had very nearly caused the abandonment of the project.

It was only the thriving sturdy branch in New Brunswick which brought new hope and spurred them to renewed effort, and resulted in the now flourishing organization reaching from coast to coast, with many thousands of members working devotedly with the motto "One Flag, One Throne, One Empire," and extending their activities into every realm of patriotic, philanthropic and educational endeavor. The purposes and aspirations of the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire are to encourage and develop a spirit of patriotism, to furnish a bond of union amongst the women and children of the Empire; to strengthen the ties between the Dominions and the Motherland; to provide an organization ready for national emergencies; to care for the dependents of our soldiers and sailors; to keep alive the memory of brave and heroic deeds; to promote a higher citizenship amongst all our people; British and foreign-born, and to supplement where possible the patriotic efforts of the provincial departments of education.

Raised \$5,500,000.

During the war the Order raised \$5,500,000 for war purposes and assisted in every campaign for national appeals such as the Red Cross and Serbian, Belgian and Armenian Relief. It also equipped and furnished annexes to the Maple Leaf Club in London, and financed an I. O. D. E. club for nurses; presented an X-ray hospital to the I. O. D. E. Hospital in London; donated ambulances, motor trucks, machine guns, automobiles and field kitchens, and endowed or equipped nearly 1,000 cots in military hospitals; maintained nurses at the front; subscribed large sums for prisoners of war and sent enormous quantities of comforts to the soldiers.

The I. O. D. E. is striving to make its work after the war worthy of its magnificent war record and, in addition to the continuation of its pre-war activities, has assumed responsibility for an I. O. D. E. War Memorial, and its members are pledged to raise \$500,000 for this cause.

Educational Efforts.

Other work which is engaging the attention of I. O. D. E. members in post-war days includes such educational effort as providing secondary education for soldiers' children; the Canadianization of the foreign born; distribution of patriotic pictures and libraries; publication of pamphlets, arrangement of essay and historical competitions and supplementary patriotic work in public schools. Care of returned men, public health work especially child welfare in all its branches, and local war memorials are some others of the post-war activities.

There are now about 700 chapters of the Order in Canada, two in India, and very many in the United States. The chapters in the United States are not under the jurisdiction of the Canadian National chapter, but are in affiliation.

The national president is Mrs. E. P. Doolittle.

The officers of the New Brunswick Provincial branch are as follows: Honorary president, Mrs. W. F. Todd, St. Stephen; president, Mrs. H. F. MacLeod, Fredericton; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Robert FitzRandolph, Fredericton; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. G. Heber Vroom, St. John; secretary, Mrs. Havelock Coy, Fredericton; treasurer, Mrs. E. Allison MacKay, Fredericton; organizing secretary, Mrs. F. R. Taylor, St. John; educational secretary, Mrs. K. I. Campbell, St. John; Echoes secretary, Mrs. M. G. Siddall, Port Elgin; standard bearer, Mrs. W. Stewart Logie, Chatham.

Insurance executive says Kellogg's ALL-BRAN is "Conqueror of Constipation"

Former addict to pills and drugs says ALL-BRAN restored youthful vim.

Here is a most remarkable tribute to Kellogg's ALL-BRAN: "For more than one-third of a century, I was an addict to all kinds of pills, drugs and cathartics to alleviate the tortures resulting from constipation. Then I tried Kellogg's ALL-BRAN, and as a result I have a new birth of freedom from the terrible foe of the race. I am again in the pink of condition, the personality even of youthful vigor in my advancing years. Truly, Mr. W. E. Kellogg's ALL-BRAN is the conqueror of constipation."

Gratefully yours,
(Signed) A. E. SWENSTEN.
(Address on request).

Weddings

Lentell-Armstrong.

PERTH, Feb. 13.—A wedding of much interest to Perth people took place at Boston on Feb. 6, when Miss Sarah Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Armstrong, was united in marriage to Mr. B. Russell Lentell. Mr. and Mrs. Lentell arrived in town on Saturday and will spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong. They will be at home to their friends at York street, Canton, Mass. Best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Lentell.

Deaths

Mrs. Howard Eagles.

Very many friends will deeply regret the death of Mrs. Margaret E. L. Eagles, widow of Howard Eagles, which occurred yesterday at her residence 126 Bridge street, after a short illness. Mrs. Eagles was a daughter of the late Robert Robertson, a prominent business man of the North End in years past. She had a host of friends and was held in very high esteem. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved. Two sons and one daughter survive. The sons are Arthur H. of Leithbridge, Alta., and Harry C. at home, and the daughter is Miss Blanche at home. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from her residence. The service will be at 2:30.

WILL GIVE MEDALS TO KING'S DEBATORS

Awards to University Men Taking Part in Contest With Acadia.

UNIVERSITY OF KING'S COLLEGE, Halifax, Feb. 11.—Friday evening the University of the Quincentennial Debating Society in the lecture room. It was unanimously carried that medals be given to those representing the University in the debating team. A debate followed on the question, "Resolved, that the British Empire is in the interests of the British people." The affirmative was supported by Messrs. Mosher (leader), T. Bennett and R. Anderson; the negative was supported by Messrs. Ross (leader), Byron and Cooper. At the conclusion of the debate the audience voted unanimously for the negative. L. A. Forsyth, coach, met the debaters after the debate and gave some very helpful advice.

Halifax Club.

The Haliburton Club met in Commemorative Hall on Saturday evening, with the first vice-president, Rev. Prof. A. Stanley Walker, in the chair. A fine programme was enjoyed and a good attendance was present. Among those taking part were: A. S. Coster, M. A.; A. E. Coleman, T. Turner, and G. F. Edsforth, M. A. In addition there were vocal and piano solos by Prof. Walker, D. Cooper and C. LeRoy Moores. Messrs. DuVernet and Parlee accompanied. At the conclusion of the programme, refreshments were served and toasts were drunk, the following speaking: Mr. Elliston, Prof. MacDonald, Mr. Mielke, Mr. G. Moore, Mr. Peaver, Mr. McClean, Mr. Kingsbury, Mr. Hudson, Mr. Parlee, Mr. Teed, Mr. Coleman, Mr. C. Jones and Mr. G. Nelson. The house lights were not out until late in the evening. The evening was most enjoyable.

Again Offers Prize.

The president announced today that Dr. M. A. B. Smith (King's '81) will again offer a prize of \$20 for liturgical reading. The contest will be held in the chapel, April 2.

PLEASANT EVENING

High School Alumnae Meets at Home of Mrs. John Leonard.

The St. John High School Alumnae at its meeting at the residence of Mrs. Jack Leonard in Germain street, last night thoroughly enjoyed an entertaining programme appropriated to St. Valentine's Day. Mrs. Margaret Lawrence, president, was in the chair and there was large attendance of members. Miss Barbara Dobson read a paper dealing with St. Valentine's Day and the legends associated with it. Miss Mildred Bustin gave two pleasing solos, "Heigh Ho for a Husband" and "Whoop." Miss Marjorie Johnson contributed two much enjoyed readings, "My Courier" and "Job's Warts." A competition in composing poetry aroused much interest and no prize winners were Miss Barbara Dobson and Miss Muriel Fajoy. Letters in connection with the bridge to be held in aid of the funds of the National Council of Women and in connection with kindergarten work in St. John were read at the meeting.

OILER ON WEST MADAKET GETS 5 KNIFE WOUNDS

Peter Cleary Is Stabbed in
Row on Ship at Sand
Point

HARVEY DEMARY IS
PUT UNDER ARREST

Night Session of Court Held
as Vessel Is Ready
for Sea.

Peter Cleary, a young man who has been engaged as an oiler on the steamship West Madaket, docked at No. 4 berth, Sand Point, is lying in the General Public Hospital suffering from five severe wounds said to have been received from a knife in the hands of another young oiler, Harvey Demary, who is under arrest and charged with assault and causing grievous bodily harm. Cleary received two gashes on the left arm, one on the chest, one on the groin and one on the left side, and his escape from death is said to be miraculous.

The trouble on the ship was said to have been the result of the men concerned being under the influence of liquor. Police Sergeant Fred O'Neill, of the western division, was notified of the fight shortly after it happened and rushed to the ship, placed Demary under arrest and had Cleary, the wounded man, sent to the General Public Hospital in the city ambulance.

Owing to the fact that the steamship West Madaket was scheduled to sail from port to Liverpool at last midnight, Magistrate Henry held a special session of the police court at 7:45 o'clock last night.

Evidence Given.

John Maclean, a young fellow, who said that he was a petty officers' messman on board the ship, was called as a witness. He testified that he belonged to Boston and had been a member of the crew on board the ship for the last three months. He had never seen any trouble before between Demary and Cleary. Yesterday afternoon the two men went ashore at No. 4 berth, Sand Point, and returned about 4:20 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Cleary and Demary both were under the influence of liquor, witness said. The first that witness knew of any trouble was when the two men got into an argument. Cleary gave Demary a shove and at the same time said, "Go into your room where you belong." Demary then said, "Come in here if you want to fight." Cleary then jumped into the room and as Demary was sitting on the bench Cleary was punching him. Demary then took a large jackknife from his pocket and with his right hand stabbed Cleary on the side and arm with short stubs.

Police Sergeant O'Neill produced the knife, which was identified by the witness as the one which Demary used on Cleary.

Witness told the court that he jumped to the assistance of Cleary, who was bleeding freely from his wounds. Demary left the room and witness took him as the hallway outside the room, where the man collapsed and fell on the deck. Witness then notified the chief mate and the chief steward.

Demary was asked by the magistrate if he wished to ask the witness any questions and the accused said that he did not know what the witness was talking about so he would not ask questions.

Demary was then remanded to jail and the witness returned to his ship.

GENERAL ELECTRIC WILL BE PROBED

Anglo-American Tobacco Monopoly Also to be Investigated.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The Senate mapped out a pretty comprehensive "trust busting" programme for the Federal Trade Commission when it directed that organization to make an investigation of the control exercised over public utilities and power companies by the General Electric Company and its stockholders, and also to delve into allegations that the American Tobacco Company and the Imperial Tobacco Company of Great Britain had entered into an agreement, in violation of law, operative associations formed by tobacco producers.

AGED TWINS TAKE LONG WALKS DAILY

Brighton's Pair Recently Celebrated Their Ninety-second Birthday.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Brighton's twins, Mathew and Mark Gunn, who are the oldest male twins in the country, celebrated their 92nd birthday a few days ago. Mark lives in Hanover terrace with his son, who is 72, and Mathew lives with a stepson in St. Nicholas-road. The brothers, who enjoy good health, meet daily for a four or five-mile walk. "When we were boys a doctor told us that neither of us would live very long, but here we are," Mark says. He is still fond of dancing. "But," he added, "of course I do not go in for all this fancy jazz stuff. It makes me go giddy."

A Canine Speedometer.
The city motorist was indignant. "How do you know I was not driving the speed limit when you haven't a watch or anything?" he demanded.
"Well, ye see that yaller dog a-chasing ye, didn't ye?" inquired the rural constable. "When that dog can't keep up with a feller I know that feller's goin' more'n thirty miles an hour, 'kesh?"

PRIEST TELLS STORY OF PRISON BRIBES

Ex-Chaplain at Atlanta Testifies Against Deposed Warden, Deputy and Accomplish.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 13.—A story charging bribery in connection with the sale of "soft jobs" at the Atlanta Federal Penitentiary was told from the witness stand in the United States District Court by Father Thomas P. Hayden, former Catholic Chaplain at the institution, in the trial of A. E. Sartin and L. J. Fletcher, deposed Warden and Deputy, respectively, of the prison, and Laurence (Heinie) Rhile, Columbus, Ohio.

The indictments against Sartin, Fletcher and Rhile charge conspiracy and bribery.

Admits Participation.
Freely admitting his participation in the alleged conspiracy with Sartin, Fletcher and Rhile, the priest gave his testimony calmly through a long direct cross examination, except when he hastily replied to several questions asked by the prosecution.

After the "rum ring" exposure in Savannah in 1924, the priest said, Fletcher told him that some of the convicted men had offered to pay for special privileges and that the money should be kept from "outsiders."

The next development was a conference in an Atlanta hotel between Graham Baughn, Willie Haar, C. C. Tuten, Richard Bailey and himself, the witness related, adding that at this time it was agreed \$10,000 would be paid for the "easy" assignments when these persons entered the prison.

They will be tabled tomorrow," was the reply.

GIVES UP EMPIRE TALKS FOR WHILE

Miss Hubbell, Who was in St. John, Finds Time is Not Opportune.

In a chatty letter received from Miss Marguerite Hubbell from her home address in Winnipeg, this lady Wembley lecturer intimates that she is abandoning her British Empire talks for the time being as conditions in nearly every city and town that she had visited across Canada to date are not up to normal and folks are more particularly engaged, mentally at any rate, with serious economic problems at hand.

Spoke Here.

Miss Hubbell lectured here last fall on the Wembley exhibition as a symposium of everything for which the British Empire stands. Her task was self-imposed, and after collecting data during her visit in England she started at the most easterly point of arrival, the new pulp and paper cities of Newfoundland, and proposed journeying across Canada, thence to Australia and around the Empire. She was an enter-

INTENDS TO TABLE ESTIMATES MONDAY

Premier King Makes Announcement in House of Commons.

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RUSSIAN PRINCE TRIMMED IN PARIS

Pays 28,000 Francs Advance on Flat But Finds Lodgings do Not Exist.

PARIS, Feb. 13.—Prince Youssoff, a vastly rich Russian, now in Paris, is today the poorer by 28,000 francs. He has a sumptuous flat outside the city, but advertised for a flat in the heart of Paris, "rental no object." A spruce-looking Russian yesterday called and told the prince that he had a superb flat in the best quarter of Paris, only 100,000 francs a year. The prince paid one quarter's rent, with notary fees, 28,000 francs, and took a "dead" in return.

Half an hour after the prince went to inspect his new apartment. There was no flat to be let. The police are seeking the rogue with the 28,000 francs.

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Stores open 9 a.m.; Close 6 p.m., daily.

Manchester Robertson Allison Limited

KING STREET GERMAIN STREET MARKET SQUARE

Here and There Around The Store

Cut Velvets In Beautiful Patterns

These are showing in lengths of 3 1/2 yds—just enough for one evening dress. Only one length in each pattern. You may choose from handsome combinations of tangerine and brown, fallow and navy, grey and rose, as well as all black. 36 in. wide.

See these in silk dept. (2nd floor.)

Frilled Curtains In Brossbar Marquisette

A very dainty curtain, hemmed ready for rod. Tie-backs included with curtains. 2 1/4 yds long. Extra value... \$2.25 pr

Colored Madras

In combinations of blue and gold, rose and blue, and gold and blue. Heavy Chinese pattern. 50 in. wide.

\$4.85 and \$5 yd (Curtain Dept., Germain street entrance.)

Lustre Flower Bowls

In very attractive colors and shapes—very distinctive for gift giving. One of these pretty bowls would be appreciated in any modern home.

\$4 to \$8.25 ea

Chinese Vases

The shapes, colors and patterns bring them out-of-the-ordinary and make them of more than usual interest. Not high priced.

\$1.50 to \$6.25 ea

See Special Line Of Lustre Tea Sets At \$9 (Art Dept., Germain street entrance.)

Materials For Making Turkish Rugs

Including canvases in sizes 22x34 in., 27x45 in., 30x54 in. and wools in all wanted colors; also books of instructions, hooks and gauge for cutting wool. (Art Needlework, ground floor.)

Chamoisette Gloves With Fancy Wrists

A new and stylish glove in shades of fawn, grey, black and white. Notice the very moderate price.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 pr

Chamois Gloves, Special Value

These have the fashionable gauntlet wrist. All sizes \$1.50 pr.

New Crepe Handkerchiefs

Very fashionable just now. Showing in a variety of new printed patterns, combinations of black and white and an assortment of pretty plain colors. 25c to 85c each (Ground floor.)

Shaker Blankets—Extra Large Size

In white only with pink or blue borders. Very seldom you have an opportunity to buy blankets of this size and quality at such a low price. For Saturday only—

\$2.95 Pr (Housefurnishings, 2nd floor.)

Boys' Blouses

A fine assortment of them in fabrics, colors and styles to please every boy and every boy's mother. Among them are broadcloths, Bombay cord and Potter's prints—any of these materials are an assurance of service. In stripes, figures and the fashionable plain colors.

Men's and Boys' Caps

We have just received a large assortment of Spring Caps in newest shapes and colors. You'll like the new overblends and mixtures in fawn and grey shades. Come in and let us show you.

(Men's and boys' shop, 2nd floor.)

Princess May Golf Yarn Special Value

12 colors; 1 oz. balls 10c ball

Many other plain and fancy yarns, also instruction books, hooks and needles in all wanted kinds.

(Yarn Dept., Ground Floor.)

Furniture Sale Still Going On

If you have neglected looking into the bargains now available in our furniture store, you should make a visit there tomorrow. Suites and separate pieces offer many very unusual buying opportunities.

(Furniture store, Market square.)