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Social Personal and Club News

Board of Trade Commissioner Speaks To Women's Institute; Asks Help For Maritime Unity

F. MacLure Scandlers, commissioner of the Board of Trade, gave a greatly appreciated address before the meeting of the Saint John Women's Institute last evening in the Health Centre, when his subject was "The Line of Least Resistance."

He spoke of the tendency to follow the line of least resistance as affecting all phases of life today, commerce, religion, morals and society. He wondered if it was not affecting women's organizations also and causing them to drop the big issues for the sake of the smaller ones because less effort was required. He pointed out what a tremendous force organized women could be if their efforts were directed toward a common object.

In view of the vitally important issues involved in the Duncan report, he urged the co-operation of the women towards unity of impulse in the Maritime provinces, particularly in this community, so that a strong front might be presented to any opposition to the just claims of the Maritimes.

He expressed the opinion that, because of the inclination to follow the line of least resistance, a great deal of good food was spoiled, a circumstance which, he said, had been strongly impressed upon him during his ten weeks' stay away from home last summer.

Mrs. Scandlers went on to speak of the tendency to follow the line of least resistance as affecting the manners and morals of today and he spoke of finding a want of reverence and religion in the youth of today.

Mrs. T. N. Vincent, president, was in the chair and extended to Mr. Scandlers, the very hearty thanks of his audience which was unanimously given on the motion of Mrs. J. W. V. Lawlor, seconded by Mrs. Richard Hooper.

The meeting pledged to Mr. Scandlers the co-operation of organized women in every effort for the betterment of the community.

BUSINESS DONE

The meeting considered resolutions which had come before the provincial council of women, advocating the establishment of a residence for women students in Fredericton and the having of a uniform ballot for elections.

The matter of a request to the Government that the loan to Normal School students be reestablished was also considered. These three subjects in the form of resolutions will come before the next meeting of the Institute.

Mrs. John Stock gave an excellent address on Home Economics. She spoke of the budget as the foundation of good housekeeping and showed how budgeting could be simply done. She

pointed out that the home was the keystone of the nation's productive and urged the women to look after their particular section of the stone, seeing that their children grew up to be good citizens.

A new committee having been named for the Federated Women's Institutes, Mrs. J. W. V. Lawlor was named as convener of the new committee in the Saint John Women's Institute.

Mrs. Vincent very kindly arranged to give the use of her home and to provide an afternoon tea this week in aid of the funds of the Institute. The money raised will be used for Christmas giving. Mrs. Vincent, Mrs. Richard Hooper and Miss Josephine Durick were appointed a committee to distribute the Christmas gifts to the various charities assisted by the Institute and to the sick members.

Miss H. Vincent appealed for gifts for the children of the Lady Byns Summer Camp at the Christmas season. A number of gifts were promised by the members present.

King's Daughters Prepare Plans For Christmas Giving
In His Name circle of The King's Daughters made plans for Christmas giving at its meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. Guy Smith at Renforth. A number of special guests were present. Mrs. T. B. Mullin, the president, led the opening devotion. Reports of the recent tea showed that it had been most successful. The circle received letters of thanks from those who had assisted recently and decided to give fuel, clothing and groceries to needy cases at Christmas time and also to provide medical care. A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Smith for her hospitality.

Classes For Soldiers' Wives Have Commenced
The first of the soldiers' wives classes of the Red Cross Society for the present season was held last evening in the local Red Cross rooms, when the members worked most industriously at making a quilt. Miss A. Barrington, originator of home nursing classes, addressed the members regarding the formation of a home nursing class after Christmas. At the close of the evening delicious refreshments were served under the convener'ship of Mrs. J. P. Byrne and Mrs. L. Isaacs.

Child Health Posters, Received Here, Are Produced In Canada

The first of the child health posters to be issued by the Canadian Council of Child Welfare is just out and a most attractive poster the first one is. It shows a band of young pirates overhauling a small little pirate ship and has a very appealing verse which it is believed was written by Miss Charlotte Whitton, executive secretary of the Canadian Council of Child Welfare.

It has always been a source of regret that posters previously were always obtained from the United States and now Canada is producing her own. The verse under the picture is as follows:

"Like Peter Pan these pirates hold
Set sail in search of hidden gold,
They sailed to many a foreign land
But found their treasures close at hand.
Pearls they found in the foamy cream,
Gold in the orange, and the bright sunbeam.
The princes were filled with iron strong
And the apples were wealth to the young."

The amber peach and the topaz pear
Were the finest jewels in the pirates' lair.
In these riches they found their wealth,
And that was simply Rollicking Health."

Rev. Brice D. Knott Addresses B. Y. P. U.
Rev. Brice D. Knott, pastor of the Central Baptist church, was the speaker at the meeting of the B. Y. P. U. of the church last night and he gave a very interesting and informative talk on England and Some of Its Customs. Mr. Knott is a native of England and he related in a very entertaining manner some interesting facts concerning the customs of England in the homes, in the church, in the realm of athletics and in many other phases of life.

ST. VINCENT'S ALUMNAE
A very interesting account of the Beaverbrook tour of New Brunswick teachers last summer was given by Miss A. McGuigan at the monthly meeting of St. Vincent's Alumnae held last evening in the Alumnae rooms with Mrs. F. L. Roderick, the president, in the chair. Miss McGuigan showed a number of very fine pictures and gave a graphic description of the pleasures of the trip. Her talk was much enjoyed. During the brief business session, reports of the recent Hal-lows' tea were received and showed that it had realized the very satisfactory sum of \$120. At the close of the evening, refreshments were served under the convener'ship of Mrs. J. P. Byrne and Mrs. L. Isaacs.

General Superintendent, V.O.N. Expected Here For Annual of Local Centre In February

Miss E. Smellie, general superintendent of the Victorian Order of Nurses in Canada, will probably be in Saint John for the annual meeting of the local centre of the Order in February. It was announced at the monthly meeting of the local V. O. N. yesterday afternoon, when Miss Mary E. Stevenson, district superintendent of the Order in Ontario, was present and gave a very interesting address on the work being done by the V. O. N.

Miss Stevenson strongly urged having the annual meeting of the local organization a public gathering when the work accomplished could be brought before the attention of the citizens. L. W. Simms, president, was in the chair and there was practically a full attendance of the members of the board.

MISS MACKAY'S REPORT
The report of the superintendent, Miss H. MacKay, showed that the pre-natal work during the last month had been nearly double the amount done in the corresponding month of the previous year. There were more than 124 visits for prenatal work during November of this year and 35 new infants were cared for. The total number of patients visited was 216.

Social Notes
His Honor the Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick and Mrs. Todd, accompanied by Lt.-Col. George Keefe, A. D. C., have returned from Ottawa, where they were the guests of His Excellency the Governor General and Viscountess Willingdon at Rideau Hall, Ottawa, while attending the opening of the Federal Parliament. Besides attending the opening of the House they were present at the state dinner and reception, were guests at the entertainment given by Major and Mrs. H. Willis O'Connor at the Country Club, and attended the dinner given by the Speaker of the Senate and Mrs. Bostock. Governor and Mrs. Todd passed through the city yesterday afternoon, at a tea held in the Georgian Hall Room of the Admiral Bisset Hotel. Attractive Christmas decorations were used throughout the room and the tea table was artistically arranged with a central decoration of scarlet geraniums. Mrs. Sherwood Skinner and Mrs. Macdonald.

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The members of the Auxiliary of the Retail Druggists Association were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hazen J. Dick, Peter street, on Friday evening. Bridge was enjoyed and prizes were won by Mrs. B. Mahoney, Mrs. E. Clifton Brown, Mr. L. Titus, and Mrs. George Coupe. Mrs. Mahoney and Mr. George Coupe were the winners of the travelling prizes, and Mrs. Andrew Burns was awarded the lucky prize. Delicious refreshments were served during the evening when the hostess was assisted by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Christie. Those who enjoyed Mr. and Mrs. Dick's hospitality were: Mrs. E. Clifton Brown, Mr. and Mrs. George Coupe, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Burns, and their guest Mrs. Bertram Hardwick, of Annapolis Royal, Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. Benoit Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Titus, Mr. and Mrs. Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Roulston, Mr. Guy T. Robinson, Miss Agnes Short, Miss Gabriel and Mr. V. Dill.

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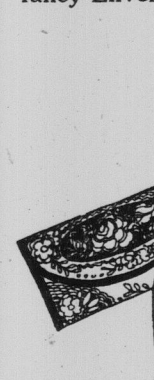


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