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HUGH CANNELL IS PRESIDENT

Elected by N. B. Branch of Life Underwriters' Association

Annual Meeting, at Admiral Beatty Hotel, Plans For Educational Congress

The New Brunswick Branch of the Life Underwriters' Association of Canada held a luncheon on Saturday afternoon in the Admiral Beatty Hotel, followed by the annual meeting, at which officers were elected for the coming year.

In addition to the local members, there were several from outside the city, amongst whom were Messrs. Carlisle and Doucet of the head office staff of the Manufacturers' Life and G. C. Jordan of Montreal, former prominent insurance man of this city. The meeting was presided over by the president, John J. Murray, and reports were submitted by himself and by Secretary-Treasurer E. A. Whitebone. The reports showed that the association had a good year and was in excellent financial condition. Then followed a few remarks by the members and visitors, and the election of officers took place. This resulted in the following being chosen:

THESE ARE OFFICERS.

Hugh Cannell of Mutual Life of Canada, president; F. O. Conlon, manager of Mutual Life of New York, vice-president; E. A. Whitebone, re-elected secretary-treasurer. An executive committee was elected, consisting of John McKinnon of Canada Life, L. M. McPhail of Imperial Life, John Machum of Manufacturers' Life, John J. Murray of Dominion Life, Roy Shanklin of the Sun Life, and Marlin Merritt of the Great West Life. The election of the standing committees was deferred until a meeting of the executive committee.

TO HAVE CONGRESS.

It was decided that an educational congress be held in the province during the coming winter, and plans for the same were stated. After the meeting, a delegation of the members of the association attended the funeral of Mayor Frank L. Fotts.

SAINT JOHN TYPOS ELECT G. B. LEMMON

Annual Meeting of Union Held—Officers and Committees For 1926 Chosen

George B. Lemmon was installed as president of the Saint John Typographical Union, No. 85, at the annual meeting held Saturday night in their hall, Market building. There was a good attendance of the members and the reports submitted were encouraging. The other officers installed were: James A. Gaulton, vice president; Frank W. Stanton, recording secretary; Herman T. Campbell, secretary-treasurer; Hamilton Patterson, sergeant at arms; George Maxwell, E. L. Sage and E. H. Toole, trustees; F. E. Morley, A. Petch and D. McKen, I. T. U. audit committee; George Maxwell, J. M. Thompson, E. L. Sage, E. H. Toole, A. T. Finnamore and Miss M. L. Long, executive committee; H. Barton, R. G. Lees and H. McEachern, sanitary committee; F. W. Stanton, journal correspondent.

DEATH WAS SUDDEN

Mrs. William Stewart Passed Away at Home of Daughter, Mrs. Philip Nase

Many friends in Saint John and throughout the Maritime Provinces will be shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Amelia P. Stewart, wife of William Stewart, which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Philip Nase, 161 Germain street, late last evening. Mrs. Stewart had not been in her usual health since New Year's day, but her condition became serious last evening, and death resulted from a heart attack. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Nase. A private funeral service was conducted at her daughter's home today by Rev. J. S. Bonnell, of Saint Andrew's Kirk, and the body will be taken tomorrow morning to Summerside, P. E. I., for interment there on Wednesday. Mrs. Nase's many Saint John friends extend their sympathy to her and to Mr. Stewart in their bereavement.

Entertainment Given At Municipal Home

On Friday evening of last week the Salvation Army, comprising representatives from Corps Nos. 1, 2 and 3 as well as from the Evangeline Home visited the Municipal Home and entertained those there with a musical program, after which they made distribution of candy and fruit to all present. The program was: Opening song; remarks from chairman; selection, Bandsmen; duet, Ensign Mosher and Captain Coley; song, "I've got the Mumps"; drill and march, Evangeline Home Nurses; quartette, "Gospel Song" No. 3 Corps; dialogue, "The New Ticket Agent" No. 2 Corps; song, Ensign Hart; selection, Bandsmen; enter "Santa" and "Spark Plug." Other entertainments of similar character are to be given by representatives of city churches, as well as concerts by the St. Mary's and City Cornet bands during the winter season.

NOT HARRIERS

It was wrongly reported this morning that the R. C. N. V. R. team had defeated the Harriers in the Y. M. C. A. Saturday by a 59 to 35 score. The manager of the Harriers in the Intermediate League said this morning that it was only a picked-up team and not the Harriers that played against the sailors.

ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, JAN 11.

A.M. P.M.
High Tide.... 9.08 High Tide.... 9.33
Low Tide.... 2.17 Low Tide.... 2.30
Sun Rises!... 8.01 Sun Sets!... 4.56

Local News

MOTHER IS ILL

Mrs. A. E. Kierstead of Manag-onish road left today for Blaine, Me., having been called there on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Richard Kierstead.

BRINGING 343

The C. P. R. liner Montclair left Liverpool on Friday for this port via Belfast and Greenock. She has 37 cabins and 276 third class passengers. She will arrive over this coming week-end.

WILL BE REPLACED

The light on the gas and bell buoy at L'Etete is not burning. It was announced at the Marine and Fisheries Department office this morning. It was said this buoy will be replaced by the C. G. S. Dollard at the first opportunity.

LATEST WORD.

The C. P. S. liner Montclair will arrive about 10 o'clock tonight and dock at Nos. 2 and 3. She is from Liverpool, according to the latest advice received at the local steamship headquarters. The passengers will not disembark until between 8 and 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

VESSELS REPORTED.

The wireless station at Red Head reports the following steamer movements: 8.30 a. m., Hesperides, 220 miles south, bound for Saint John via Boston; 2.30 p. m., Montclair, about 150 miles distant, due at 9 o'clock tonight; 11.40 a. m., Tevot, 150 miles south Cape Sable, due noon tomorrow.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Very Rev. Dean Scovell Neales, of Fredericton, who is ill at the Deanery, has been granted three weeks' leave of absence from his duties in connection with the Cathedral congregation. Rev. George Larder, of Sussex, a retired clergyman, will arrive here next Wednesday to assist the Bishop during the period of Dean Neales' leave of absence. The position of curate of the Cathedral is vacant since the departure of Rev. F. M. Sherlock.

LITTLE FLOWER CIRCLE

The Little Flower Sewing Circle of Holy Trinity Sunday School has elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Miss Agatha Kelly; secretary, Mrs. Mamie O'Neill; treasurer, Mrs. Vina Graham; members of executive, Misses Vesta Gillis, Evelyn Graham, Elizabeth Sullivan, Gertrude McManus, Ruth Cathness and Ray Sullivan.

AT ST. ANDREW'S KIRK

The third annual service of "The Prodigal Son" was held in St. Andrew's Kirk last evening. There was a very large attendance. Rev. J. S. Bonnell gave four separate pictures of the prodigal's life as portrayed by Jesus, and each section of the sermon was illustrated by old, familiar and well-loved hymns. The congregation was deeply affected and impressed by the service. The minister announced that, commencing on next Sunday evening, he will begin a series of sermons on evolution. This series will deal with such questions as Evolution and the Bible, Evolution and the World, and Evolution and the Origin of Man. He said that this series has grown out of the desire of people for information on these vital themes.

E. A. SCHOFIELD IS NOT FOR MAYORALTY

Speaks of Report in Connection With Vacancy—Names Heard For County

E. A. Schofield, whose name has been mentioned as a possible candidate for the mayoralty this spring, when asked about the matter this morning said he had no intention of entering the civic arena at this time. The name of H. R. McEldan has also been mentioned as a candidate but as he was out of the city it was not possible to get a statement from him. Among those mentioned as possible candidates for the vacancy in Saint John county are Dr. J. H. Barton, E. Claude Seeley, Thomas Nagle and Dr. L. M. Curren.

MAY DISCUSS SAINT JOHN BY-ELECTION

Government to Meet in Fredericton Tomorrow; Perhaps Here on Thursday

Routine business is expected to bulk largely on the agenda for the January meeting of the Provincial Government in Fredericton tomorrow, Premier Baxter said this morning. The question of opening the Saint John county constituency and arrangements for the opening of the Legislature might come before the meeting, the Premier said. It was possible, he added, that the government meeting would be resumed in Saint John on Thursday.

ST. MARY'S W. A.

At a meeting of St. Mary's W. A. prayers were led by the president, Mrs. W. J. Alexander. Supper was served in the Sunday school with the rectors, Rev. R. T. McKim and 80 W. A. members attending. Mrs. T. Needham, Mrs. H. McCurdy and Mrs. Yeomans, were in charge of the supper, assisted by Miss Iva Alexander. Credit is given the W. A. ladies who furnished the refreshments and those who looked after the serving.

DIED ON SUNDAY.

The death of Isaac U. Phillips occurred Sunday at his home, 46 Harding street, Fairville, at the age of 70 years. He is survived by one son, Charles, of North End, and one daughter, Mrs. Carl Cunningham, Fairville. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Sterling exchange firm. Great Britain 48 1/2; Germany 23.80; Canadian dollars 8-16 of one per cent. discount.

GATHER HERE IN SKATING WEEK

State Deputies, Knights of Columbus, Hold First Saint John Meeting

Large Assemblage of Knights From Maritimes and Maine Will be in City

One of the big events of the winter skating meet in Saint John will be a convention of the state deputies of the Knights of Columbus in Canada, in connection with which, and with special activities of the order in honor of their coming, there is expected to be a large assemblage of Knights from the Maritime Provinces and the State of Maine.

FIRST OCCASION.

This will be the first time that the Saint John Council, No. 887, will have the honor of entertaining the Canadian State deputies. Among the prominent men who will be here are Hon. George H. Bolvin, Minister of Customs in the Mackenzie King Government, who is a member of the supreme board of directors of the order. Up to today James L. Sugrue, Grand Knight of Saint John Council, had received word from all the state deputies stating that they would be here for the convention, except the representative of Saskatchewan, and there is no reason to believe that he will not be here.

Invitations to participate in the major degree work and other features planned for the big occasion in Columbian circles have been sent to all the councils in the Maritimes and in Maine and, taken in connection with the attraction of the world meet at Lily Lake it is the belief that there will be a large gathering of visiting knights.

CONVENTION DATES.

The state deputies' convention will meet on the morning of Jan. 26. In the afternoon all will go to the skating meet. There will be a major degree exemplification in the evening in the K. C. hall at 8 o'clock. On Wednesday morning, the 27th, the state deputies will continue their meeting. That afternoon also will be spent at the Lily Lake races, and in the evening there will be a complimentary banquet tendered the visitors at the Admiral Beatty Hotel.

The local council is planning to make every moment of the visitors' stay pleasant and committees, under the direction of Grand Knight Sugrue, have been at work for some time on the details of arrangements.

COUNTY INSPECTOR ASKED TO RESIGN

John Hunter Gets Notice—One City Man Had Resigned at Noon

The resignation of John Hunter, sub-inspector under the Prohibition Act for Saint John County, has been asked for by W. L. McFarlane, chief inspector, according to information received today. This request was made by the chief prior to his departure on Saturday afternoon for Fredericton. The resignations in city and county were asked for to be effective at once, but so far as could be learned Hilton Belyea was the only one of the sub-inspectors who to noon today had complied with the chief's request by tendering his resignation. It was said that Chief McFarlane will make his recommendations for appointments to the Government at the meeting to be held at Fredericton this week. The local inspectors who were asked for their resignations are Alexander Crawford, Fred Killen, Frank Garnett and Hilton Belyea. Sub-inspectors Charles Gorman and George Armstrong were not asked for their resignations.

DRIVERS OF AUTOS WILL BE REPORTED

Time's up, Says Inspector Ingram, in Matter of 1926 Licenses

That sufficient leeway had been given the owners of automobiles and from this date the law with regard to license tags would be strictly carried out was the statement made this morning by G. L. Ingram, provincial license inspector. He said that on Saturday the chief of police had been requested to notify his men to report all automobiles on the street with a 1925 tag and that they would be dealt with in the police court. There had been a falling off the last few days in the number of applications received, he said, but quite a number of citizens who had applied for the tags had not yet taken delivery of them.

DIES AT AGE OF 87

Mrs. Anna M. Baird Succumbs After Two Weeks' Illness in West Saint John

The death of Mrs. Anna M. Baird, an aged residence of Lorneville, N. B., occurred at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. Smith, 350 Dorchester street, West Saint John on Sunday morning at 5.30 o'clock, following a two weeks' illness. Mrs. Baird, who had reached the advanced age of 87 years, was the widow of Henry Baird. She is survived by four daughters, one son, two brothers, a sister and 14 grandchildren. The daughters are Mrs. A. J. Moore and Mrs. C. Smith of West Saint John, Mrs. W. V. Turnbull of Montreal, and Mrs. J. J. Callaghan of Boston, and the son R. Baird of West Saint John. The sister is Mrs. Walter Watson of Brookline, Mass. and the brothers are Samuel Ewart of West Saint John, and William Ewart of Lorneville. The funeral will be held from her daughter's home on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with services by Rev. Dr. J. A. Morison. Interment will take place in Cedar Hills.

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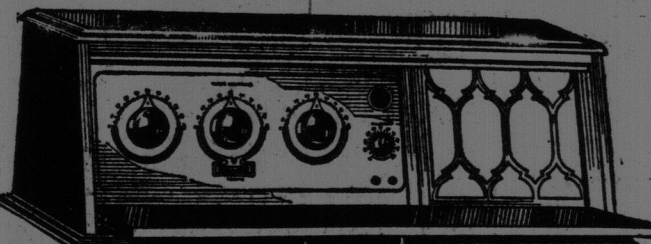
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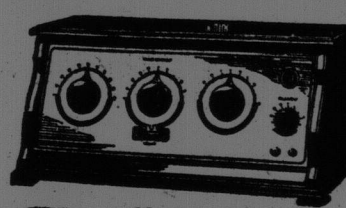
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