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KINGS COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICE COUNCIL

Holds Annual Meeting and Elects Officers—Makes Preparations for Aggressive Work

The annual meeting of the Social Service Council of Kings County was held on Tuesday afternoon at Kentville. Vice President, Mr. W. E. Porter, convened the meeting which the president, Mr. S. B. Chute, who entered shortly after, presided over. Mr. Chute has recently returned from spending the winter in Florida, and received a warm welcome from the members present.

After prayer by Rev. G. D. Hudson, of Canard, and the reading of the minutes of the last meeting by the secretary, Rev. G. A. Logan, the financial statement for the year was presented by the treasurer, Mr. R. H. Lamont. This showed that the allotment of \$1000 for the year 1923, made upon the county, had not been fully met. Some sections had responded generously to the claims of the work while from other places no returns had been received. This was not regarded as due to any lack of interest on the part of the churches but rather to the fact that in most sections no definite canvass had been made and that the financial needs of the Council had never been properly presented. It was decided to hold meetings during the coming season in various sections of the county in order that this condition of affairs might be corrected.

The following officers and committees were appointed for the current year: President—S. B. Chute, Berwick. Vice President—N. W. Eaton, Canine. Secretary—Rev. G. A. Logan, Canard.

Treasurer—R. H. Lamont, Kentville. Finance Committee—John M. Chute, B. O. Davidson, C. C. H. Eaton, C. A. Campbell, W. E. Porter, Mrs. J. R. Webster and Mrs. Ambrose Palmer.

Temperance—Rev. G. W. Schurman, D. McIvor, E. B. Newcombe, Mrs. I. W. Turner, J. D. Chambers. Child Welfare—Miss A. M. Stuart, Mrs. A. A. Ward, Mrs. F. Crighton and H. Stairs.

Sunday Observance—Rev. Mr. Reynolds, H. G. Harris, Rev. G. D. Hudson, Dr. W. L. Arnold, R. W. North, F. H. Northup and M. L. Nichols.

Rev. H. R. Grant, provincial secretary of the Social Service Council, was present and gave a most forceful and informing address, during which he explained conditions with respect to the work of Social Service in the province and various matters which have come before the legislature regarding the work during the life session. Dr. Grant has rendered Nova Scotia in most valiant and valuable service in the least of temperance and moral reform and enjoys and deserves the support of all who think people in his laudable efforts to provide better social conditions.

The need of a better observance of the Sabbath was emphasized by a number of speakers and strong resolutions were passed which it is hoped may stress this most important matter and tend to safeguard this bulwark of Christian living.

A resolution expressing appreciation of and sympathy for Dr. Everett W. Sawyer, of Woodstock, Ont., a veteran of the work in this county, who made great sacrifices because of his devotion to right principles, and who is now ill at home, was carried by a standing vote and a copy was ordered to be transmitted to him.

A resolution of sympathy to Mr. Herbert Stairs, one of the most faithful and highly esteemed social workers of the county, who has been called upon to pass through sore bereavement, was unanimously passed.

Considering the busy season there was a good attendance representing different parts of the county, and the discussion of the various matters presented was timely and interesting.

The "B" Word Puzzle Contest recently concluded by the publishers of The Morning Chronicle and The Evening Echo, of Halifax, proved to be a great success. The winner of the first prize was Clifford L. Baker, a patient at the N. S. Sanatorium, Kentville, who received the sum of \$1500. In all a total of \$2901 was distributed among the competitors. On another page in this issue will be found the announcement of another such contest.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Colds.

WILL GO TO GENEVA



Hon. W. R. Craig, Attorney-General for Manitoba, has received notice of his appointment as one of the technical advisers to the Dominion Government at the International Labor Conference to be held at Geneva this summer.

TOWN GOVERNMENT

Held Meeting on Wednesday Evening—Names of Delinquent Tax Payers to be Published

The regular monthly meeting of the Council was held on Wednesday evening with Mayor Chambers and all the board present except Couns. Reid, Coun. Mitchell, who has been confined to his home by illness for some weeks, was in his place and received congratulations on his progress towards recovery.

Town Manager Stairs reported regarding several matters referred to committees. In the matter of the removal of trees on Prospect street the committee has acceded to the request made and the work has been attended to. The request of local teamsters that a tax be imposed upon outside competitors is under consideration. Regarding the proposed new street connecting Highland and Gaspareau avenues and the extension of Central avenue to Peasant street a full survey has been made and a conference with the property owners will soon be held.

The financial statement for the four months which ended on April 30th, approved by the auditors, was presented. This showed that the expenditures had been as follows: Streets, \$903.13; Water, \$86.92; Sewers, \$109.35; Poor, \$57.33; Contingent, \$225.75. There had been expended for labor during April, on Streets, \$267.85; Water, \$8.75; Sewers, \$6.75; Fire, \$25.10.

The report of the Finance Committee showed that the receipts during April were \$1293.16, and the expenditures \$3169.35, the debit balance at the bank at the end of April being \$12,989.44. Mr. Stairs reported on proposed sewer work at the West end of the town. The estimate for the work including a deep sewer, was \$5000. New plans had been made by which this work might be done so as to serve all except Mr. Whidden's property for \$2400, and this latter might later be provided for if necessary at an expenditure of \$1000. The committee had decided not to proceed with the deep sewer as no need existed. A letter was read from Dr. Eagar's solicitors in Halifax threatening that the offer of \$500 would be withdrawn unless work was proceeded with at once. The solicitor was instructed to reply.

The Fire Committee reported recommending that E. W. Eagle's bill of \$632.50 for work on the new engine house be paid. This includes the contract price of \$560 and \$72.50 for extras. The bill was ordered paid.

The following accounts were recommended for payment and ordered paid: Dom. Road Machine Co., \$275.75; H. M. Hopper, 22.00; King's Printer Co. Ltd., 9.00; Jas. Robertson Co. Ltd., 185.00; J. D. Harris, 54.95; E. R. Wickwire, 55.21; J. H. Baltzkr, 12.30; McAvity & Sons, 15.00; W. Sawyer, 1.40; Davidson Bros., 5.75; Copeland & Chatterton, 38.15; Workman's Comp. Board, 110.00; N. S. Hospital, 627.55.

A bill for \$40 from the Legislative Council for fees in connection with the town acts passed at the present session was presented and referred to the solicitor, who stated that no provision was made for such a charge.

Third Quarterly Examinations

Wolfville Public School, 1924

Name	GRADE IX					Aggregate	Average					
	English Grammar	Algebra	Latin	French	Drawing							
Barteaux, E.	74	52	73	80	71	85	84	711	79			
Boates, H.	28	37	—	—	—	49	68	90	357.5	47.2		
Burgher, R.	72	30	—	—	—	70	84	60	520	65		
Cohen, E.	62	74	—	—	—	70	80	60	559	69.8		
Colborn, E.	74	41	26	66	39	65	70	79	506	56.2		
Coldwell, V.	78	72	—	—	—	66	79	82	70	583	72.9	
Coldwell, V.	63	78	—	—	—	69	81	85	90	591	73.9	
Cox, A.	67	90	58	53	65	70	83	71	60	631	72.3	
Doyle, E.	53	68	51	72	70	72	82	91	60	619	68.8	
Fitch, A.	74	83	58	76	80	74	80	88	80	693	77	
Gue, W.	45	56	36	47	71	24	70	79	100	528.5	58.7	
Herbin, R.	86	100	84	93	85	83	95	95	100	821	91.2	
Johnson, G.	51	49	42	45	78	28	71	71	50	485	53.9	
Northover, J.	55	5	—	—	—	33	50	59	54	406	50.8	
Northover, J.	63	78	46	61	75	68	85	85	100	682	75.8	
Patriquin, F.	92	99	95	98	69	86	94	95	100	825	91.7	
Pick, A.	93	99	95	98	69	86	94	95	100	825	91.7	
Sanford, F.	92	99	91	94	79	86	94	95	100	831.5	92.4	
Shaw, J.	78	65	64	80	70	80	87	100	704	75.2		
Stackhouse, W.	82	38	74	70	85	76	83	86	89	680	78.6	
Stewart, J.	61	18	—	—	—	45	65	80	78	525.5	65.7	
Tedford, M.	47	16	—	—	—	71	64	49	72	60	470	58.7
Woodman, A.	65	55	54	50	69	69	72	80	564	62.7		
Smith, K.	55	54	—	—	—	58	80	70	71	509	72.7	
Woodworth, F.	61	31	—	—	—	45	38	84	79	40	378	54

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

The regular monthly School Board meeting was held at the Council Chamber on Monday evening with Couns. Roach (chairman) and Balcom, and Commissioners Vaughn and Parsons present, as was also Principal Silver. Permission was granted to Mrs. Dexter, teacher of Grade IV, who is obliged to give up teaching at the end of the present month on account of ill-health, to supply a substitute.

It was decided to take immediate steps to have the fence dividing the school grounds from the property of Mr. N. H. Parsons, on Acadia street, put in proper repair, with a wire screening to protect the foot-path through the school grounds.

A number of additional applications from those desiring positions on the teaching staff were read and discussed, and new appointments made.

The full list of teachers for the ensuing year now stands as follows: Mr. B. C. Silver, Principal. Miss Ella Warren, Vice Principal. Miss Grace A. Porter, 3rd teacher H. S. Miss Marion L. Troop, Grade VIII. Miss Muriel Westover, Grade VII. Miss Gladys J. West, Grade VI. Mrs. E. J. Everett, Grade V. Miss Myrtle Ritchie, Grade IV. Miss Olive Wickwire, Grade III. Miss Susie A. Baxter, Grade II. Miss Helen Locke, Grade I-b. Miss Gladys Newcombe, Grade I-a.

You never see a good store clerk standing at the door or leaning over one of the counters watching the clock, who is interested in his stock, because the salesman who has succeeded in the past, and those who will progress in the future, are the people who are constantly rearranging their merchandise in a careful, painstaking way, familiarizing themselves with each article in the store. It makes selling a joy in being able to step right over to the merchandise required for the trade.

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Dr. W. Grant	5.65
Frank Angus	46.25
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Petty Cash	40.32

A letter was read from Porter Bros. requesting that the new sidewalks be extended to include their property. This was referred to the Streets Committee.

A communication was read from the secretary of the Union of N. S. Municipalities, respecting a bill now before the legislature to amend "The Constables Act", whereby provision is sought to prevent any town from dismissing from office the Chief of Police or Inspector under the N. S. Temperance Act unless and until such dismissal is approved by the Governor-in-Council, and which is regarded by the Union as an unwarranted interference in municipal affairs on the part of the government. The Council, by motion, placed itself on record as opposed to the proposed measure and the Clerk was directed to reply to that effect.

The clerk was instructed to publish the names of those who are delinquent in the payment of taxes in order to comply with the law and provide for such means as are necessary to collect such taxes.

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GRAND PRE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The May meeting of the Grand Pre Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. A. H. Patterson with the president in the chair. A letter from Miss Macdougall regarding the annual convention was read and Miss Clara Vaughn was appointed a delegate, with Mrs. Alden Harris as substitute.

The proceeds from the Shadow Sale held in the vestry were \$16.65. \$7.20 dollars have been spent to purchase material, which is ready for distribution.

On May 22, Mrs. J. O. Harris assisted by Mrs. Alden Harris and Mrs. Evans will hold a Fifteen Cent Tea, the proceeds of which will go to the Bazaar Fund. All members are cordially invited to attend and take their friends.

Several donations, in response to the cards, have been received. The program this month was furnished by the Health Committee. Health mottoes were distributed for roll call response. Mrs. R. W. Woodman read the opening poem, "The Bumps and Bruises Doctor".

Misses Dorothy Kinnie, Dorothy Trenholm, Ruby Wilkins and Lillian Bentley sang four Health Choruses and read a Health Dialogue. The Tiny Tots recited some Nursery Health Rhymes. Miss Laura Trenholm, gave a reading and Miss Ida Mitchell a paper on Health topics.

During the week Dr. G. K. Smith, resident physician, visited the school and examined the pupils, as the County Nurse has been recalled. Owing to lack of time Dr. Smith was unable to examine all the scholars but he gave a splendid report of those examined, also an address on the ill effects of diseased tonsils and adenoids and the seriousness of delaying operations. The community is grateful to Dr. Smith for his services.

The June meeting will be at the home of Mrs. F. F. Mitchell.

GEORGE ARLISS IN A NEW PHOToplay

Famous Star's Latest Picture, "The Man Who Played God"

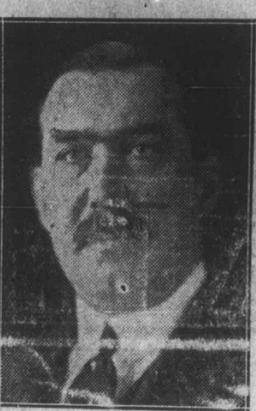
Almost any report of the doings of George Arliss, noted screen and stage star, is interesting, but the announcement that his latest photoplay, "The Man Who Played God", in which he has the star role, and in which he again proves his astounding versatility as an actor, constitutes real news for the motion picture theatre-goers of this town.

Admirers of Mr. Arliss and his splendid artistry have seen him previously in the role of the designing, scheming and crafty cynic; as the statesman and the diplomatist, and as the high class comedian. In "The Man Who Played God" they will see him in still another role—that of the romantic lover in a highly emotional picture.

Mr. Arliss is supported by a cast of exceptional strength. Ann Forrest, one of the most popular women of the screen, has the leading feminine role, with Edie Shannon, Edward Earle, Ivan Simpson, Mary Astor, Margaret Seidman and J. B. Walsh also in the list of players. Little Miriam Battista and "Mickey" Bennett also are among the players, playing the roles of waifs toward whom the embittered musician plays God.

Admirers of Mr. Arliss are going to like him better than ever in this picture", says the manager of the Orpheum Theatre. "It is his best; with a wonderful story, a splendid cast, remarkable direction, beautiful sets and the best of photography."

TO ORGANIZE NEW GERMAN BANK



Sir Robert Kindersley, well known British financier, who is to organize the new German bank recommended in the Dawes Reparation Report. He is a chairman of Lazard Brothers, one of the most important private banking firms in England. He was knighted in 1917 for his war work.

THE HALF HOLIDAY

Featured a Fine Beginning at the Tourist Camp Site

Wednesday began the series of weekly half-holidays for the summer and was fully observed. The day was an ideal one—the first real summer day of the season. Many business men took advantage of it to take motor drives or fishing trips, and a number took in the ball-game, but the most important activity so far as Wolfville is concerned was the beginning of the work on the tourist camp site on Willow avenue.

Enterprising and public spirited citizens gathered at the grounds early in the afternoon, armed with axes and other necessary appliances, and which nightfall had worked a wonderful transformation. Mayor Chambers and Town Manager Stairs, with Mr. Edson Graham, president of the Board of Trade, were on hand to direct operations, and a number of boys rendered valuable assistance.

Those who were before unfamiliar with this piece of town property were surprised at its dimensions and charmed with the possibilities which it affords. The situation is ideal for a camping ground and when improved as it will be in coming days will become a beautiful spot and credit to the town.

The present plans will include the thorough clearing up of the premises, the placing of a rustic bridge across the brook, the erection of such conveniences as will be required by tourists, the installation of light and water, etc.

It is proposed that the work be continued next Wednesday afternoon and until sufficient progress has been made to carry out at least some of the plans made, and in the meantime citizens will do well to inspect the possibilities of this town asset and do all in their power to develop its attractions.

ACADIA UNIVERSITY

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Patterson gave a very enjoyable party on Friday evening last to the senior class of the college. Games of various sorts were participated in during the evening, after which refreshments were served. With Acadia songs and college and class yells the party broke up.

The Freshman class of the College held a picnic to the "Ridge" on Saturday afternoon. The party "hiked" to the chosen spot where refreshments were served. Games and songs were given around the campfire and the class started for home after giving the college and class yells. Prof. and Mrs. Bancroft and Prof. and Mrs. Perry were chaperones.

The final examinations of the college year will take place from May 12th to 24th. Nominations for the student council have been filed and posted. Those candidates for the presidency are R. A. Thorne and A. A. MacLeod.

SPLENDID ENTERTAINMENT

Given by Boy Scouts at the Orpheum Monday Night

The 13th annual entertainment of the Wolfville Boy Scouts was presented to the public at the Orpheum Monday evening, May 5th, and was one of the best entertainments ever put on by that association. A full house greeted the boys who acquitted themselves in a most satisfactory manner doing full credit to their Scoutmaster, Mr. E. Percy Brown, whose steady persistence and good thought for the boys have resulted in the fine Scouts and tenacious Wolf Cubs composing the Wolfville Boy Scouts.

The Boy Scout Band, under the efficient leadership of Maurice Haycock, rendered a delightful programme of music, and Miriam Coit in her usual splendid manner acted as accompanist. The following programme was presented:

1. Overture—Scout Band.
2. Boy Scout Salute and Promise. The Doxology. God Save the King. O Canada.
3. Scout Marching Song, "Be Prepared"
4. Demonstration of Scout Craft a. Artist Badge—Reg Northover b. Airman Badge—Horace Brown. c. Fire without Matches—George McKenna.
5. Character Song, "The Boy who Stuttered and the Girl who Lipped"—Gordon Manany, Alan Pick.
6. Lantern Slides.
7. Character Song, "Mrs. Enry 'Awkins"—John Eaton, Ron. Smith.
8. Illustrated talk, "A Yachting Cruise along the South Shore"—Claire McKenna, Ronald Prescott.
9. Song—"When Father laid the Carpet on the Stairs"—Max Sanford, Neil Sanford, Boyd Barteaux, Jack Harris.
10. Band.
11. Wolf Cubs—Grand Howl and Taped Tests—Exp. by Bryce Hatfield.
12. Presentation of Gilt Cross.
13. 1st Star Tests—exp. by Sydney Wheelock.
14. 2nd Star Tests—exp. by Lloyd McPherson.
15. Band.
16. Humorous Sketch, "Scenes in the Union Depot".

Special mention must be made of several numbers which were of a very high order. The demonstration of Scout Craft work evoked much applause and gave the public some idea of the thoroughness of Mr. Brown's training.

The character song, "The Boy who Stuttered and the Girl who Lipped", gave their young performers the thanks of a well pleased audience, and the 7th number, another character song, "Mrs. Enry 'Awkins", would do credit to a high class vaudeville show. John Eaton, and Ron Smith's make-up, their singing and stage manner, left nothing to be desired.

In the quartette, "When Father laid the Carpet on the Stairs", Boyd Barteaux deserves special mention. With the presentation to Bryce Hatfield of the Gilt Cross, and the humorous sketch, "Scenes in the Union Depot", where good make-up and breezy comedy depicted real life, the programme ended.

In Mr. E. Percy Brown the town has a man of outstanding worth, and every Boy Scout a sincere friend, who will deserve the hearty support of every citizen of the town in his work.

CROP REPORT

The monthly crop report issued by the Bank of Montreal states the following under date of May 1st: The season is from 10 to 15 days to two weeks late all over the Dominion except in British Columbia. Work was well advanced last Autumn, however, and seeding has been commenced under favourable conditions in the Prairie Provinces, Ontario and British Columbia. In the Maritime Provinces little work has been started to date but this is largely offset by heavy Autumn ploughing.

Conditions in the Maritime Provinces are given as follows: The Spring is late and practically no work has been started, but much ploughing was done in the Autumn which was mild and open. The snow is not yet all gone but there is little frost. Apparently there is sufficient moisture for the crops in general. Apple trees have wintered well and increased acreage of potatoes has been planned in New Brunswick.

Hon. C. W. Robinson, of Moncton, has received an appointment to the Senate.

ACADIA NIGHT

ORPHEUM THEATRE

FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1924

at 8 p. m.

Through the generosity of Mr. N. Evans the total gross proceeds will go toward the New College Building Fund.

George Arliss in the great play

The Man Who Played God

Big Picture, Big Specialties, Pep Speech, Vocal Solos Seminary Orchestra.

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One price to all, 50 cents.

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybodys Tongue

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More Cake To Calgary

They know what they want, out there on the prairies, and are willing to send several thousand miles to make sure that they get it.

Witness another good order for Moir's Cakes, just shipped more than half way across Canada—past Montreal—past Toronto, past Winnipeg, all of which have a bakery or so.

And here's Montreal sending another order for around a thousand pounds. A feature is the fact that they started with Moir's Montana and Plain Pound, and are now regularly sending for the Cherry and Genoa as well.

HIGH GRADE GOODS

AT MARKED DOWN PRICES

Men's high grade soft shirts, regular \$2.25 value, for only \$1.45.

"Eastern" Pongee shirts, only \$2.25.

Also every day shirts at 95 cents.

Balbriggan combination suits, only \$1.25.

We have also received a big stock of ladies' silk hosiery, going at 50 and 69 cts. per pair.

Special price on all Gingham, 27 in. 18c., 30 in. 22c., 32 in. 28c. Voile and Oriental Crape, only 35c. per yard.

Factory Cotton, 18c. per yard.

Ladies', Men's and Children's Shoes. Shipment of Sneakers just arrived.

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