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GYROS NAME H. E. MAGNUSSON AS PRESIDENT

Annual Meeting Hears Review of Work Done During 1926

Harry E. Magnusson was elected president of the Saint John Gyro Club for 1927 at the annual meeting of the club held at the Admiral Beatty Hotel last evening.

The general business was preceded by a banquet at which the retiring president, Donald W. Armstrong, presided. The retiring president submitted a report in which he said that the past year had been marked with great success. Among the results achieved had been the founding and installation of a flourishing club at Moncton while clubs had also been formed at Fredericton and Woodstock. These installations would shortly be held.

The club had committed itself, Mr. Armstrong went on to the building of a fresh air camp for children and a considerable amount had been raised toward the project. The closing of the year was marked with the appreciation of the co-operation of the club members in the year just closed.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mr. Magnusson; vice-president, Joseph B. Hamm; secretary, W. Harry MacFarlane (re-elected); treasurer, Ralph S. Stephenson; directors, W. H. Donovan, Robert B. McDade, Lloyd Ryan, Donald W. Armstrong and James Robinson.

A motion of thanks to the newspapers of the city for their help in placing the aims of Gyro before the public was passed.

Gyro President



HARRY E. MAGNUSSON
Who was last evening elected head of the local organization at its annual meeting.

Local News

WINS RANGE

F. Donovan, of Murray street, was the lucky winner of the electric range drawn for at St. Peter's weekly card party last evening.

CARD PARTY

The Men's Society of St. John the Baptist Church held a card party after their regular meeting, last evening, when fifteen tables were present. Prizes were won by George Secord and Joseph McCarthy. It is the intention of the society to hold these card parties weekly after the regular meeting.

COMMITTEE MEETS

A committee appointed by the Board of Trade to study the report of the Citizens Research Institute of Canada on civic administration and accounts, met last evening at 8 o'clock in the board room of the city hall. F. Burditt was chairman. A Times-Star reporter was informed after the meeting that there was nothing for publication.

WANT MORE WHARFAGE

A communication from the Crystal Steamship Company, asking for construction of additional wharf loading and unloading facilities in connection with the city wharf at Fredericton, was received by the city council last evening. The company has referred to a committee of the Fredericton Council for consideration. The company stated their willingness to pay an additional rental for such accommodation.

SALMON PACK GOOD

A definite statement of the pack of Salmon of the Gose Packing Co. for 1926 places it at 450,000 cases. This is in advance of the record for the previous year and with the increase in prices for salmon it is certain that the company's earnings will show a considerable advance. It is now estimated that after preferred dividends there will be \$10 and \$12 a share.

GOVERNMENT MAKES TWO APPOINTMENTS

J. G. Hart Given Place on Canteen Fund Board of Trustees

The appointment of Harris G. Penney, of Fredericton, as Clerk of the York County Circuit Court in place of J. D. Sharkey, deceased, and appointment of Major J. Gilbert Hart to the board of trustees of the canteen fund for New Brunswick, in place of Lieut. Col. Alex. MacMillan, resigned, was announced by Premier J. B. MacBride last evening at the close of the evening session of the Provincial Government here.

The resignation of Col. MacMillan was tendered to the government and accepted, to take effect Dec. 31, 1926. The resignation of the names of Major J. G. Hart and Major J. Gale were agreed to by the local command in connection with the appointment of Major Hart followed.

During the evening session a delegation from the Saint John Exhibition, headed by E. J. Terry, waited on the government in connection with a grant for the coming year. The matter was taken under consideration by the government.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said The Times-Star reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, "there is a couplet from an Irish poet that comes to me sometimes with striking force:

"There is nothing sweet in the city
"But the patient lives
"Of the poor."
"What sort you thinking on it this morning, Mr. Hiram."
"The story of a family," said the reporter, "is dead and the father in poor health. One son, a young man, is the real father of the family, although two sisters help as best they can. There are other children, at school. The young man gladly gives his small earnings. The home is kept as neat as a new pin—and no money is frittered away. Always on the edge of want, there is no railing at fate, but a strong will to hold the family together. It means sacrifice. It means self-denial. It means courage. It means patience—the patient lives of the poor." Is it not beautiful?"

"Mister," said Hiram, "you said it. We don't none of us know what some poor souls that's better'n we be he to put up with—an' we don't care half enough. 'The rewards of this life don't seem to find the right folks sometimes—no, sir—they do not."

BAXTER LODGE CELEBRATES ON 16TH BIRTHDAY

Open Meeting of Fairville Organization Held, With Good Program

Baxter Lodge L. O. B. A. celebrated the 16th anniversary of its organization last evening by holding an open meeting in the Orange Hall, Fairville. Representatives were present from other L. O. B. A. lodges and also many residents of the community.

Robert Catherwood, honorary member of the lodge, was the chairman and an excellent program was given as follows: Selection by an orchestra, composed of Mrs. James Spilane, Burton Ring, and Harry Brownell; sketch, "Love and Doughnuts," by Mrs. G. C. Lawrence, Mrs. Harry Brownell, Miss Alice Sweet, and Miss Rita Wilson; solo, W. C. Parker; accompanied by Miss K. Fox; sketch, "The Tea Party," Mrs. B. Ring, Mrs. G. C. Lawrence, Mrs. William McAllister, Mrs. James Spilane; musical selection by an orchestra, composed of B. Ring, C. Kain, Heath Jennings and Gerald Kain; sketch, "The Village Gossip," Mrs. W. E. Hamm, Mrs. Ring, Mrs. H. Brownell, Mrs. W. Brownell, Mrs. Olive Simpson, Mrs. A. Craig, Mrs. J. Spilane and Miss Blanche Smullin.

During the intermission candy was sold and at the close of the evening the ladies of Baxter Lodge served refreshments.

16 YEARS OLD

Baxter Lodge was organized 16 years ago and is named after the present premier, Hon. J. B. Baxter. Nine of the charter members are still living. During the years the lodge has greatly increased in membership. Mrs. Burton Ring is its present worthy mistress. Baxter Lodge has a very energetic sewing circle with Miss Blanche Smullin as president, which has greatly assisted the lodge in giving clothing and money donations to the New Brunswick Protestant Orphanage and has also assisted in sending out Christmas cheer during the Christmas season.

R. L. BERRINGER IS NEW CHIEF RANGER

Elected Head of Court Log Cabin, Independent Order of Foresters

Court Log Cabin, I. O. F., met last evening in their hall, Market building, with a good attendance. Officers were elected as follows: H. C. Martin, court deputy; Dr. E. A. Lodge, court physician; R. L. Berringer, chief ranger; Mrs. M. P. Ward, vice-chief ranger; G. A. Biddiscombe, recording secretary; E. J. Todd, financial secretary; J. J. Satchell, treasurer; W. C. Brown, orator; Mrs. E. Paxton, senior woodward; H. B. McAloney, junior woodward; Harry Kain, senior leader; W. H. McBride, junior leader; W. C. Brown and H. B. McAloney, finance committee; Mrs. Florence L. Berringer and W. H. McBride, trustees; R. L. Berringer, superintendent of junior courts.

The officers elect were appointed a committee to arrange for a public installation of the officers at the February meeting.

MISS KATHERINE E. CONWAY DIES AT 74

Prominent in Newspaper and Church Work—Former Boston Pilot Editor

Miss Katherine E. Conway, former editor of the Boston Pilot in the John Boyle O'Reilly regime, author and teacher for many years and regarded as one of the most brilliant women of New England during the past 40 years, died this week in Roxbury, Mass., at the age of 74.

She was an outstanding figure in newspaper and Catholic church work in Boston and elsewhere, and in 1912 was honored by the Pope, who presented to her the Cross Pro Ecclesia et Pontificio, at the time when she was professor of English at St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Indiana. She was a member of several organizations, including the Third Order of St. Francis.

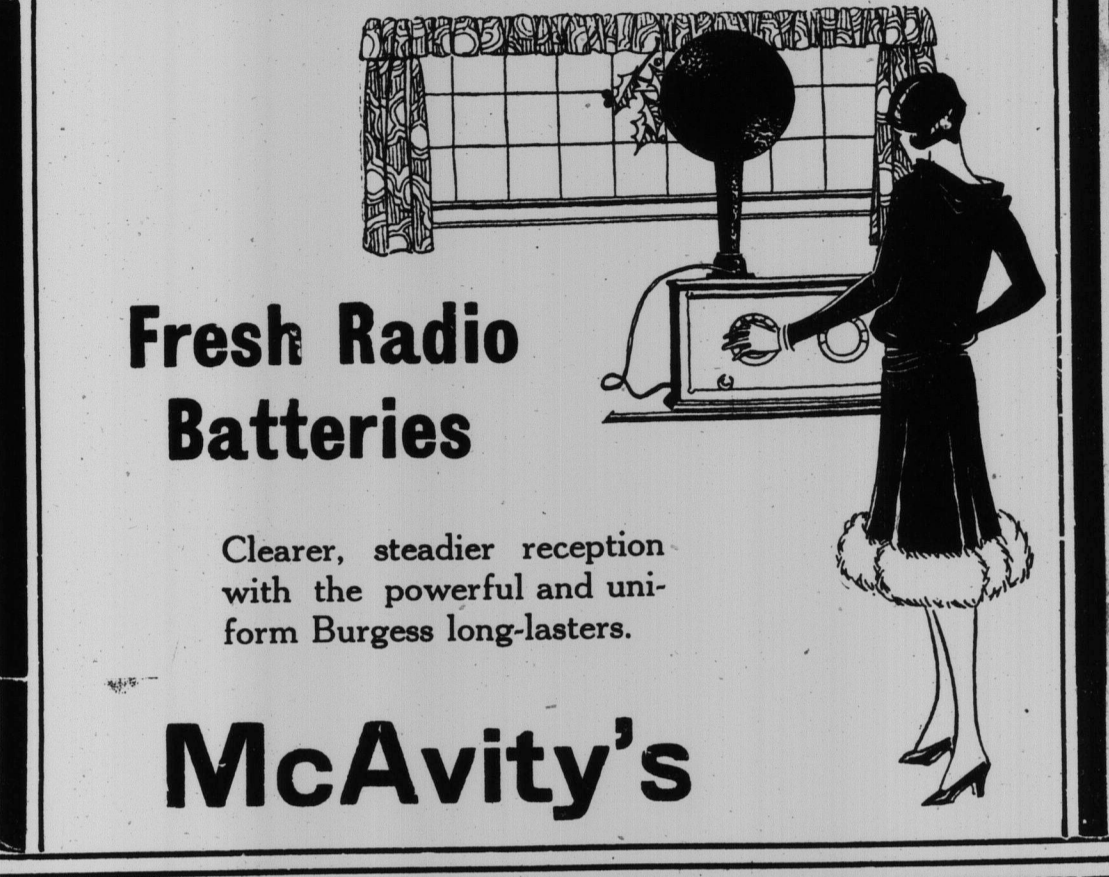
Program Given At Municipal Home

A group of Salvation Army members last night visited the Municipal Home and gave a very fine concert and entertainment program that greatly delighted their large audience. About 200 of the residents in the home attended and enjoyed to the full the excellently rendered numbers of the varied program, which included vocal and instrumental music, recitations and readings.

The children in the Home contributed three songs and Mrs. Askenstrom, of Boston, niece of Mrs. Wood, the matron of the Home, gave very pleasing vocal selections, furnishing her own accompaniment. After the program, Santa Claus appeared and distributed fruit and candy to all the inmates. Mrs. Major Knight was the chairman for the evening and the commissioner very cordially thanked the visitors and assured them that their contribution had been very much appreciated.

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SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE.

The motion picture entertainment for the evening, which was given last night at the Seamen's Institute, was greatly enjoyed and was attended by 150. These entertainments are to be held each Tuesday evening of the winter port season and have already proved their great popularity with the sailors. The ship's concert to be given on Thursday night of this week, believed, will be one of the big attractions of the season and preparations are being made for a bumper house.

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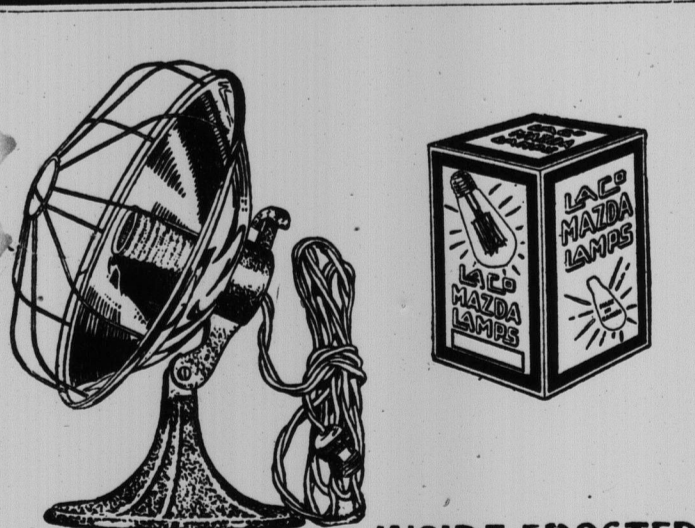
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GIVES ORPHANAGE PROPERTY HE WON

Liale Isaacs Returns Deeds—Valuable Fox Also to Swell Revenue

Gifts of money and of goods for the New Brunswick Protestant Orphanage, which have always been received in large quantity in the month of December, were last December more lavish and more generous than in any previous year, it was reported at the meeting of the directors held yesterday afternoon in the Pythian Castle, and very hearty thanks were extended to all the donors.

Among the gifts received was a valuable female fox, presented by a lady. The fox is now being cared for by W. T. Chapman & Son, fox rancher of Salisbury, Westmorland county, who has agreed to give to the orphanage one-quarter of the value of the litter. Should anything happen to the animal the orphanage will have the value of the pet, estimated at \$500.

Another very generous gift received was from Liale Isaacs, 21 Orange street, who had decided back to the Orphanage the lots in Millidgewillie which he had won at the drawing held in connection with the recent fair. These lots are a valuable property, and F. A. Kinneer and W. A. Sleiper were appointed a committee to arrange for their sale or other disposal for the Orphanage advantage.

W. M. Campbell, third vice-president, was in the chair for the opening of the meeting and J. W. Brittain, first vice-president, was chairman during the remainder of the session. There were 17 members present.

Reports showed that the health of the 210 children under the care of the Orphanage was very good. The last school term and the closing exercises were reported to have been eminently pleasing and the Christmas celebrations in both Homes had far eclipsed those of other years.

The directorate endorsed the project of a survey of welfare work of the city and county by the Board of Trade and appointed H. Usher Miller to represent the Orphanage at any meetings to be held in this connection. C. H. Smythe was named director, succeeding H. J. Evans, resigned. It was decided to hold the monthly meeting for the next four months on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock instead of in the afternoon.

Many Attend Week Of Prayer Services

"The Church's Resources," was the theme for the Week of Prayer services held by the various uniting Protestant churches last evening, and at each of the six centres there was a large attendance.

The services were characterised by earnestness and devotion, and were full of inspiration and helpfulness. Tonight the theme will be, "The Church and the Home," and the annual meeting of the West Saint John Bible Society will be held in connection with the services.

The Bible Society meeting will convene in St. George's church, at which the congregations of the fifth group of churches will attend.