

THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1924

HOSPITAL AID WILL EXTEND WORK TO THE COUNTY HOSPITAL

Decision Reached at Annual Meeting—Officers are Re-elected.

The Women's Hospital Aid in annual session yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms, voted to include the St. John County Hospital as well as the General Public Hospital in the sphere of its activities and made preliminary plans for the weekly visiting at the East St. John Hospital. Mrs. J. Boyle Travers, vice-president-at-large, was in the chair and all the chief officers were re-elected by acclamation. A street canvass tag day was prepared for and a resolution that denominational vice-presidents be elected by their own denominations was not carried, although the meeting approved a suggestion that denominations nominate their own vice-presidents. Excellent reports were presented.

Denominational Reports.

Denominational reports were presented. Mrs. L. A. Conlon, for the Catholics, reported 23 follow-up cases and more than \$200 raised for the denominational follow-up work fund by means of a bridge and dance. It was hoped to organize the new congregation in East St. John.

Mrs. H. E. Thomas, Methodist convener, reported 266 annual members in nine congregations and \$133 contributed in fees. Follow-up cases were cared for and Christmas baskets sent out. For the Anglicans Mrs. G. Fred Fisher reported 285 members and \$142.50 received in fees. She told of special gifts from different congregations.

Mrs. George Ewing reported the Presbyterians had 275 members and members and donors had contributed \$141 and cared for twenty-four follow-up cases. For the Baptists, Mrs. N. C. Scott reported six congregations were organized with 235 members who had contributed \$117.30 in fees. Several follow-up cases were cared for. Miss A. Gilbert spoke for the Hebrews and Mrs. W. J. Johnston for the Christian church. Each of the denominational vice-presidents paid a glowing tribute to Miss Belle Howe, social service worker, and told of gifts sent to the hospital.

House Committee.

Mrs. Ralph Robertson read the house committee report on the absence of Mrs. W. E. Morris, telling of the gifts presented to the General Public Hospital during the year. These included seven dozen pairs of bedroom slippers, one dozen sunbonnets, a wheel chair, an electric fan, and furniture for the nurses' sitting room in the epidemic hospital. The latest request was for two dozen pairs of slippers and two

dozen bathrobes for the children. The report praised the neat and orderly condition of the hospital and congratulated the commissioners on the new out-patient department, and on the new epidemic hospital, and told of Miss Murdoch's expression of the gratitude of the patients for the work of the Aid.

Miss Ella McGaffigan gave the annual report of the weekly visiting which is done by two members from each denomination and told of the gifts taken to the hospital and treats given at various times.

Mrs. Ralph Robertson gave the report of the magazine committee, telling how each of the various denominations provided magazines during two months of each year. She especially thanked C. A. Munro for gifts of magazines.

Follow-up Work.

Mrs. R. S. Sime, for the Cook Book committee, reported that 87 of the 1,000 cook books were still unsold and that 35 had been sold in the last year.

Miss Belle Howe, as Social Service worker, reported 535 visits and 80 cases reported to the denominational follow-up care given and of patients being put in connection with other institutions, and in this regard referred to the limited accommodation in the Home for Incurables, as much to be regretted. Railway fares were procured for many cases. Money expended for cabs to convey patients to their homes totalled \$48.60. She spoke of the benefit she had derived from her three months of training in Montreal.

On motion it was decided to appoint Mrs. George Ewing as general convener to take charge of the work for the East St. John Hospital, and Mrs. T. H. Carter was appointed visiting convener for that hospital this month. Officers Elected.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President—Mrs. E. Atherton Smith. Vice-president at large—Mrs. J. Boyle Travers.

Treasurer—Mrs. Lester Mowry. Secretary—Mrs. L. A. McAlpine. Denominational vice-presidents: Anglican, Mrs. Garfield Stevens; Presbyterian, Mrs. R. A. Watson; Catholic, Mrs. J. H. Dwyer; Baptist, Mrs. N. C. Scott; Methodist, Mrs. James D. Williams; Hebrew, Mrs. J. Goldman; Christian, Mrs. W. J. Johnston; Salvation Army, Mrs. Burrows. Committee conveners: Magazine, Mrs. Ralph Robertson; house, Mrs. W. E. Morris; visiting, Miss Ella McGaffigan; cook book, Mrs. R. S. Sime. Additional members of the executive, Mrs. A. W. Estey, Mrs. A. R. Melrose, Miss Sheraton, Mrs. E. A. Young, Miss Alice Estey, Miss A. Gilbert, Miss M. Addy, Mrs. E. A. Schofield, Miss Annie Tilton, Mrs. George Robertson, Mrs. T. H. Carter, Mrs. George Ewing, Mrs. H. E. Thomas, Miss Lillian Hazen, Miss Grace Leavitt.

HOSSESS AT BRIDGE.

The Misses Winifred and Edna Carick were joint hostesses last evening at their parents' residence, 366 Main street, when bridge was enjoyed. Prizes were won by Miss Irene O'Brien and Miss Winifred Ritchie.

How Absent-Minded!

He was always kicking. One day his wife took him to a restaurant and he immediately proceeded to embarrass her by washing the silver. It was clean, as she assured him, but he washed knife, fork and spoon in his glass of water. "No germs for me," he announced loudly. A minute later he drank the water. —Tit-Bits (London).

Somebody Forgot His Cuel

It was a sleepy sort of day, the class was about half the usual size and the "Prof" was calling the roll in a half-absent manner. To each name someone had answered "here" until the name of Smith was called. Silence reigned for a moment only to be broken by the instructor's voice. "My word! Hasn't Mr. Smith any friends here?"—Humbug.

GLEE CLUB OF '84 RECALLED BY FUNERAL



The late Woodrow Wilson organized the Glee Club of Johns Hopkins University, shown above, in 1884. He was a post-graduate student at the time. One member was Charles H. Levermore, winner of the Bok Peace Prize. Top row, left to right: Louis T. Stevens, deceased; Woodrow Wilson at age of 23; Albert Shaw, editor of Review of Reviews; Richard H. Bayard, Baltimore; James Page, Brownsville, N. Y.; and Benjamin T. Robert of Morgan Park, Ill. Centre row: F. M. Warren of Yale University; E. R. L. Gould, New York; Charles Levermore, Bok Prize winner; David T. Day, Geological Survey. Bottom row: Edward Engle, editor; Burr J. Ramage; Arthur Yager, Governor of Porto Rico under President Wilson.

LARGEST CALIFORNIA BANK TO BE UNDER EMPLOYEES' DIRECTION

Was Started by an Italian in Single Room Twenty Years Ago.

Giannini started the bank 20 years ago as a small one-room affair. Today this San Francisco bank has 75 branches through California, with deposits exceeding \$300,000,000. The bank has 455,000 individual depositors.

San Francisco, Feb. 22—Control of the Bank of Italy, California's largest bank in financial resources and eighth ranking financial institution in the United States, gradually is to be passed to its employees, it was announced recently by A. P. Giannini, the president. This step, he said, would be epoch-making in bank management.

The Bank of Italy has more than 2,000 employees, most of whom now own stock, according to Giannini, but his plan will assist every employee in obtaining additional stock holdings with the definite aim of eventual control passing to these workers. This is declared to be the first time a large banking institution has endeavored to turn over its affairs to employees. Giannini was the first man in America to develop state-wide branch banks.

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ling to a great success. He will retire from the presidency of the bank October 17 next, when he will become chairman of the executive board. His resignation, he said, was to relieve him from banking detail, to "give the younger fellows a chance," and to allow him time to work out the profit-sharing ownership plan.

"I am convinced," he explained, "that the day has come when those who create and uphold an enterprise should own it. My plan is not for the benefit of big executives. It is all for our workers. My plan is for every office boy and junior clerk entering this institution to know it is possible for him to share in all the profits of the bank and for himself to reach the presidency by his own efforts and ability."

In the last year Giannini has given seven of his employees places on the board of directors.

"The worker in a bank more often than not makes a better director than an outside business man," he added. "The worker is in constant touch with the banking situation."

Was Poor Boy. Giannini is 61 years old. He started as a poor boy in California, working his way up from laborer to the ownership of a small commission business. When he was 31 he retired with a fortune, having built up the largest commission house handling produce on the Pacific Coast. He turned over the commission business to the workers who had been associated with him; they were permitted to buy the business through its profits. But the young commission broker did not remain idle for long. Some friends suggested that he start a bank.

Giannini said he always had insisted on having the stock holdings of the Bank of Italy widely distributed. The bank now has more than 14,000 stockholders.

DOESN'T CHEW GUM

Berne, Switzerland.—Susie, here's bad news! All "stenos" are liable to be huntin' other jobs. For a guy over here has invented a typewriter that writes straight from dictation. And it spells right, too, they say. But after all, it's just a machine, and not a pretty rouged-up girl. So maybe, we'll still be safe.

Excellent Propaganda

Congressman Blather was a passenger on the steamship Siever, which was slowly sinking. The passengers were climbing into the lifeboats. "Congressman," suggested a reporter aboard the ill-fated craft, "here's a chance for some publicity. If you cared—"

"You may quote me as saying," replied the statesman, "that I am heart-

ily in favor of a back-to-the-land movement."—American Legion Weekly.

The 20th Century Way

Conscientious Carpenter.—This house won't last, Boss, if we rush it through like this.

Builder.—I'm not building it to last, I'm building it to sell.—New York Sun and Globe.



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Mrs. J. Charbonneau, 3410 Adam, Montreal, recommends Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepsin to all her friends, and Mrs. Henry Joyce, Croton, Ont. says it is the best remedy for constipation she ever used.

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THE MONTREAL STANDARD received the news one minute after Ex-President Wilson had breathed his last, and within a short time a host of newsboys had received their copies and were giving the news to Standard readers and advertising patrons.

THE MONTREAL STANDARD has completed arrangements for the purchase of many new features for the year 1924. The latest and most interesting coloured Comics have been secured, new photographic agencies, both on this continent and in Europe, will be employed; new writers will publish their contributions, and artists and cartoonists, the most famous and entertaining in the world, will give their services.

Literary Programme for 1924 World-Famous Writers Engaged

THE STANDARD has completed arrangements for an elaborate literary programme for the year 1924, and has pleasure in announcing to its readers that articles from the pens of the following talented authors will appear every week commencing issue of February 16.

PACKARD

A novelist and short story writer whose works have grown more and more popular during the past few years. Our friends in the United States claim Frank L. Packard as an American, but in reality he is a Canadian of Canadians, and resides at Lachine. His work will appear in THE STANDARD.

(Illustrated)

LEACOCK

Professor Stephen Leacock's work is known throughout the world. Mr. Leacock has been called "the chief humorist" in the broad sense, of English speaking people. His articles appearing in THE STANDARD will be welcomed by thousands of our readers.

(Illustrated)

GADSBY

Mr. H. F. Gadsby's political articles have been secured to appear exclusively in THE STANDARD. They command a great following of readers in Canada, the United States and Great Britain. Mr. Gadsby's articles will deal with topical subjects of paramount interest to Canadians at the present time.

(Illustrated)

THE DEAN

The Dean's Window is conducted by one of our most talented and cultured professors of English literature, whose articles have been a feature of THE STANDARD. The Dean will continue his literary causerie. Students and lovers of literature have pronounced it as being their favorite weekly article on literary topics.

GEORGE ADE

George Ade's quaint fables on all sorts of topics are enjoyed every week by STANDARD readers. The 1924 series of articles from the pen of this talented writer have been secured by THE STANDARD, and are fully up to the high average of his work.

"CAPPY RICKS"

Peter B. Kyne's popular character, "Cappy Ricks," will be discovered in many interesting situations, and will take part in many profound discussions at the Round Table of the Bilgewater Club during the year. This is

one of the most popular features in THE STANDARD, and the admirers of this series are constantly writing to the editor to secure the feature for another year. THE STANDARD has been successful in arranging a new schedule.

THE KHAN

The weekly articles from the Wigwag, penned by The Khan have long been a feature of THE STANDARD. Another interesting series has been purchased, and The Khan will be found discussing many topics of national interest during the year in a quaint and attractive manner.

SILAS SALT

Economic topics will be further discussed by Silas Salt in a new series of articles. The discussions on economics in this department of THE STANDARD are closely studied by a host of readers.

"B. C. L."

One of the most popular writers in THE STANDARD has embarked on a new series of articles dealing with the great figures of Canadian Parliamentary history. This series will be one of the best hitherto published, and will be welcomed by all students of Canadian political history. They will appear exclusively in THE STANDARD.

AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Sir Robert Baden Powell, Bart., Chief Scout of the World, will speak, by special arrangement, to the thousands of Boy Scouts in Canada every week through the columns of The Standard.

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