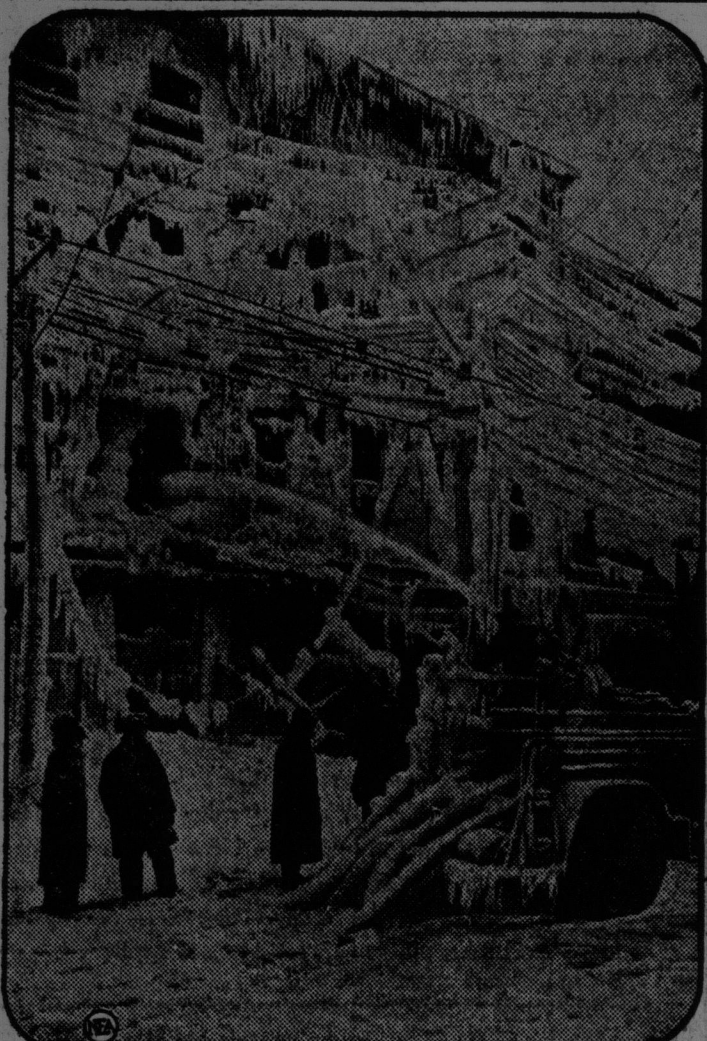
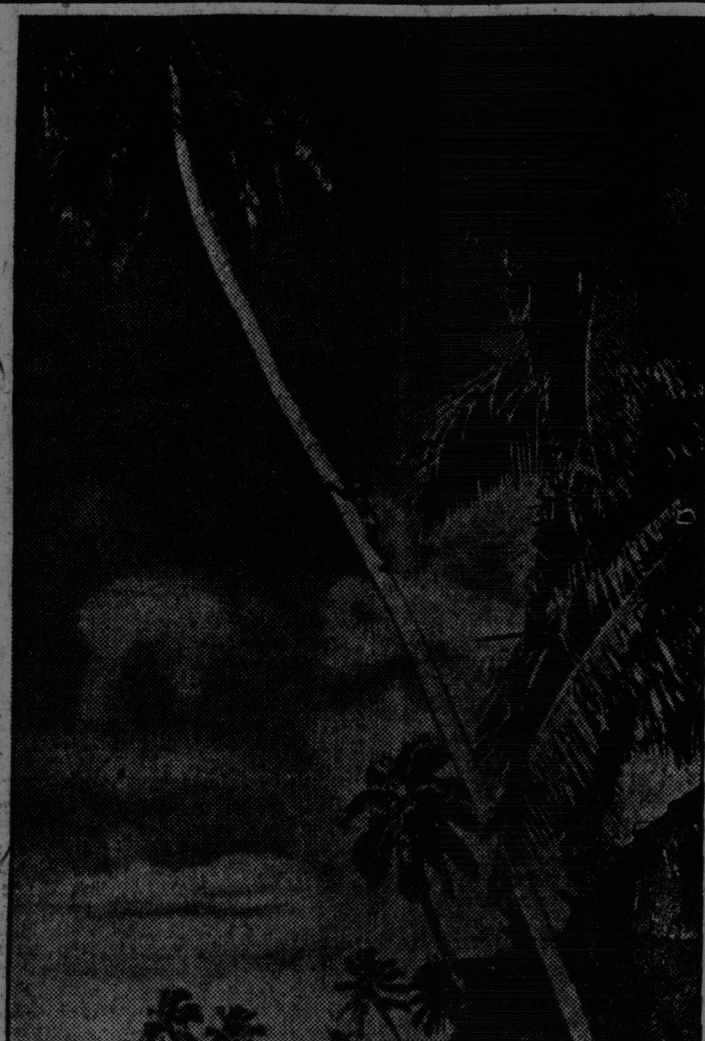


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Some Like It Hot—Some Like It Cold



It was two degrees below zero at Wheeling, W. Va., when the firemen had to turn out to battle this blaze. Even while the building was blazing great masses of ice formed across its front, and the hose lines can be seen wreathed in ice.



But it was 85 in the shade when this Polynesian householder set out to look for coconuts on a balmy South Sea island. Same time of year, too. His photo was taken by an enterprising movie camera man who has just returned from a trip through the South Seas.

Forke Catechizes King and Meighen; Replies Not Given

OTTAWA, Jan. 7.—A new shorter catechism has been projected into the political arena by Robert Forke, leader of the Progressives, in sending to Premier Mackenzie King and to Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Conservative leader, a letter requesting them to declare clearly their position on ten distinct public issues. Up to this evening replies had not been received. The Liberal reply will be in the Speech from the Throne, although the latter was written without the knowledge of Mr. Forke's letter, and Mr. Meighen's reply will be his own of confidence amendment next Monday.

Six of the ten points are understood to be the tariff, the admission of Canadian cattle to the United States, the equalization of freight rates, the Hudson Bay Railway, rural credits, and the return of the natural resources to the Western Provinces.

The other four are of lesser importance. During today's brief proceedings while most of the Progressive party took their places occupied in the last parliament, to the left of the Speaker, the two Liberal members, J. S. Woodsworth and A. A. Heaps, of Winnipeg,

MEMBERS ADDED TO ST. PETER'S CHOIR

Officers Elected at Annual Meeting—Planning For Winter Activities

Peter's choir enrolled Wednesday night as the result of a special plea made by the president of the choir at the weekly social of the Holy Name Society of the parish held in the society's rooms.

The annual meeting of the choir was held immediately after the social and the newly enrolled members were welcomed. Rev. J. Cloran, C. S. R., in an inspiring address made a plea for co-operation and greater interest in the work of the choir and promised to do all in his power to aid the choir. The officers elected were as follows: President, William J. Grannan; vice-president, Edward Corkery; secretary-treasurer, Robert Butler; additional members of the executive, G. C. Hanson and Patrick Graham. Arrangements were made for a meeting on Friday evening when plans for the winter activities will be made.

Helpless, Invalid Sees His Wife Die

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 8.—An invalid, William Schurr, 72 years old, was forced to sit in a chair at his home and watch his wife die.

The wife, Mrs. Florence Schurr, 51 years old, died from heart disease. Schurr was unable to rise to summon assistance. He was later found by neighbors in a critical condition, and is not expected to survive the shock.

HIS REFUSAL CONFIRMED.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The statement made in New York by Frank O. Salisbury, the English painter, that John Singer Sargent refused to accept the presidency of the Royal Academy was confirmed today by Mr. Lamb, secretary of the academy.

WANT ALLIANCE TO EVANGELIZE LOCAL CHINESE

Women's Missionary Union Ask That Men Now Take Over Task

MRS. A. MORRISSEY CHOSEN PRESIDENT

Rev. E. C. Hennigar Tells of Japan—Social Conditions Bad

A RESOLUTION urging the Evangelical Alliance of the city to take up missionary work among the local Chinese was passed unanimously at the annual meeting of the United Women's Missionary Societies of Saint John, held yesterday afternoon in the hall of St. Andrew's church.

Mrs. R. A. Jamieson, president, was in the chair and the large attendance taxed the capacity of the hall.

Mrs. Alfred Morrissey was elected president for the ensuing year. Rev. E. C. Hennigar was the speaker of the afternoon. An offering was given in aid of the New Brunswick Protestant Orphanage.

The opening devotional period was conducted by Mrs. W. J. Johnston, and prayer was offered by Mrs. H. A. Goodwin and Mrs. R. G. Fulton. Mrs. Hugh Miller gave a vocal solo that was greatly appreciated.

LOSS SUSTAINED.

Mrs. J. J. Gillies, secretary, made feeling reference to the death of two leading Women's Missionary Society workers, Mrs. George F. Smith and Mrs. John A. McAvity. Letters of sympathy will be sent to the bereaved.

Mrs. C. F. Sanford gave the report of the special committee on work among the Chinese in the city.

There are, she said, 100 Chinese in the city. In Trinity Sunday school, conducted for 25 years, there are now six enrolled, and in Central Baptist conducted for 80 years, there are ten enrolled. Because of differences in customs, between the East and West, it was difficult for women to reach Chinese men, and the Chinese Association meets at the same time as the Sunday schools, the committee advocated petitioning the Evangelical Alliance to take up work, believing that body any needed co-operation. This recommendation was made a resolution and carried unanimously.

INTER-PROVINCIAL HOME.

Mrs. Jamieson spoke of the opening of the inter-provincial home for women at Moncton on Feb. 2, and told of the immediate need of supplies of bedding for the home.

The home, she said, would take away a great reproach on the Protestant people of these provinces.

It was agreed in future the business of the meetings of the United Societies should be deferred until after the special program.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The nominating committee's report read by Mrs. Scott, was adopted and officers were elected as follows:

President, Mrs. Alfred Morrissey; vice-president, Mrs. R. A. Jamieson; second, Mrs. N. C. Scott; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. J. Gillies; denominational representatives, Anglicans, Mrs. H. Usher Miller, Mrs. C. F. Regan; United church, Mrs. H. C. Rice; Mrs. W. McMillan; Methodist, Mrs. J. S. Flagg; Miss Margaret Roberts; Continuing Presbyterians, Mrs. James Armstrong, Mrs. J. A. Morton; Baptist, Mrs. O. F. Clark and Mrs. Norman F. MacLeod.

Hearty applause was given Mrs. Morrissey as she spoke of her appreciation of the honor conferred on her.

In his address Rev. Mr. Hennigar said his own work was entirely evangelic and he had known the joy of founding little churches in about a dozen towns in Japan.

HIS PRESENT FIELD.

His present station was in a city, about the size of Saint John, where there is a Government college in which he conducted a Bible class. This has brought many converts. He found the students were meeting grave temptations in the drink evil and that the drink habit was universal in the homes in Japan, so he set about trying to remove this evil thing.

He had been able to organize forty-seven different temperance organizations in the province where he was stationed and recently a provincial temperance organization was formed to band the smaller ones together.

AFTER FIFTY YEARS.

Mr. Hennigar said that after fifty years of Protestant missions in Japan there were only 150,000 Protestant Christians in that country. In proportion to the effort he did not think the result was good and he found that another strong enemy of missionary work was the terrible vice conditions. There were 115,912 women in Japan registered as living a life of impurity and the Government licensed brothels. On the other hand there were only 370,500 girls in high schools in Japan and only 5,000 girls enrolled in lower university courses.

Mr. Hennigar had been organizing

IS SECOND MEMBER TO DIE SINCE VOTE

Death of F. L. Potts Causes Speculation About By-election

FREDERICTON, Jan. 7.—There is speculation in political circles already as to whether the by-election to fill the vacancy created by the death of the late F. L. Potts, one of the members for Saint John county, will be held before the approaching session of the Provincial Legislature.

Mr. Potts is the second member-elect of the new Provincial Legislature to die without having taken his seat, an almost unparalleled event in political annals in New Brunswick. The vacancy created by the death of the late J. M. Flewelling, member for St. Stephen-Milltown, was filled by the election by acclamation of A. R. Macdonald, of St. Stephen.

There is time to fill the vacancy created by the death of Mr. Potts, who was also Mayor of the city of Saint John, before the Legislature meets late in February or early in March.

THE GIRL SCOUTS

And the Campfire Girls are two national organizations working side by side in the cause of healthy, happy, intelligent womanhood. They are training the minds of eager girls for greater service, and their bodies to healthy and strong. Wise mothers of these girls in their early teens urge them frankly to depend upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound when they are assailed by woman's pains or ailments, as for three generations it has proved to be the most dependable medicine for women.

REGISTRAR HERE

Dr. T. Carleton Allen, K.C., registrar of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, is in the city and is staying at the Admiral Hotel.

secretary of a movement for doing away with this licensed system in his own province, and had been instrumental in having a petition brought before the provincial government on three successive years. The first year the petition had 1,500 signatures and the following year the number of signatures was 6,000, while in this present year there had been 11,000 signatures to the petition and 18 members in the Legislature had pledged themselves to support the measure, if it was brought before the House next year.

ANTI-T. B. WORK.

Another social educational work which he had undertaken as a step towards the bringing of Christ's kingdom was anti-tuberculosis work. Tuberculosis was the great scourge of Japan, he said, and the death-rate was three times as great as the tuberculosis death rate in Canada.

The missionaries, with their better heritage of hygiene education and sanitary ideals, could make a great contribution to Japan in the fight against tuberculosis. He had been preaching the gospel of the curative power of sunlight to the poor in Japan and he believed that tracking down sickness and the demon of strong drink, which were the roots of poverty, was more effective work than ministering to the poverty in the slums of Tokyo.

NOT FUNCTIONING TO UPLIFT.

Mr. Hennigar explained that although Japan was one of the five great nations of the world the native religions of Japan were not functioning to purify the nation and not one Buddhist priest could be enlisted in any of the work he had spoken of.

The leaders in Japan today, he said, were alive to the need of this work and were calling on the missionaries for their help.

A resolution of hearty thanks, was extended to Mr. Hennigar for his address.

Mr. Hennigar left last night for New York, where he will take a special course of study during the next two months.

Explosion On U. S. Warship Injures Five

SAN PEDRO, Calif., Jan. 7.—The explosion of a defective shell aboard the United States battleship Oklahoma, while the warship was engaged in anti-aircraft practice off Catalina Island today resulted in the injury of five men.

PROGRAM AT SILVER FALLS IS ENJOYED

Christmas Sunday School Entertainment Given at United Church Last Evening

The annual Christmas treat and entertainment of the Silver Falls United church Sunday school was held last evening and much enjoyed. There was a handsomely decorated tree, the room being attractively decorated with greenery. Fred Snodgrass, the superintendent, was in the chair. Rev. Hugh Miller, pastor, gave a short address and presented the prizes won by the various classes. Stuart Josselyn received a prize for perfect attendance and Ernest Snodgrass a prize for good attendance. Every one present received a bag of candy and an orange.

A pleasing program of recitations, solo, exercises and choruses by the school and choir was nicely rendered. The items of the program included the following: Hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name"; prayer by the pastor; welcome chorus by the scholars; recitations, Audrey Young, Bob Arthur, Gladys Armstrong, Barry Miller, Regina Armstrong, Ralph Shillington, Willie Douglas, Donald Garnett, Kathleen Alexander, Stuart Josselyn and Miles Arthur; choruses by the choir by six girls and by the choir; welcome exercise in chorus by a number of the school members and by seven boys and girls; vocal solos by Ernest Snodgrass and Hazel Hicks; duets, Donald Bustin and Freda Alexander; duet, Kathleen Alexander and Evelyn Alexander; trio, Vera Bustin, Helen Josselyn and Florence Hicks; and reading, by Mrs. Sidney Wyatt.

349,382 BUSHELS OF GRAIN IN CARGO

The steamer Kinghorn, consigned to Nagle and Wigmore, finished loading grain at No. 16 berth, Sand Point yesterday from the C. F. R. elevator and sailed last night for Italy. Her cargo consists of 349,382 bushels which is over 9,900 tons dead weight.

EACH VOTER COSTS 66 CTS.

OTTAWA, Jan. 7.—It costs the Dominion about 66 cents to obtain the vote of each elector in Canada. The estimate of the cost is about \$2,100,000. The popular vote was roughly 8,157,846. In the general election of 1921 the popular vote totalled about 8,121,844. The cost of the election to the Government was about \$1,700,000.

Tongue Was Coated Bad Taste In Mouth Every Morning

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GETS GOOD START

New Y. M. C. A. Club Has 100 Per Cent. Attendance at First Weekly Supper

The first of the weekly supper meetings of the newly organized club for young men of the Y. M. C. A. was held last night under most auspicious circumstances. The club has a charter membership of 25 and there was 100 per cent. attendance. The president, Edgar Peters, was chairman.

A lively sing song, interspersed the various courses of the excellent supper. Mr. Peters outlined the program and activities proposed for the coming year and W. B. Pearce, president of the Y. M. C. A., and honorary president of the new club, gave an address on the general work of the Y. M. C. A. as a world wide organization. A reading was contributed by Ronald Shaw and Leslie Bewick gave a vocal solo. Dr. F. T. Dunlop was the accompanist. The last three are members of the Y's Men's Club of the Association.

The supper was served by a committee of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. with Mrs. G. Wilford Campbell as convener.

She Was Weak, Thin and Nervous

One of the greatest strength givers and producers of good healthy flesh in the world is Cod Liver Extract—it's full of vitamins.

Thank goodness that now, when a woman is weak and haggard and doesn't weigh what she ought to, she knows where to go for help, as all druggists are now selling McCoy's Cod Liver Extract Tablets, sugar coated, and as easy to take as candy.

And it's a mighty good thing for skinny, rundown men and women to know that they can get the real Cod Liver vitamins in condensed form, that they can easily carry with them wherever they travel.

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One woman gained 15 pounds in five weeks and that's going fast enough for anyone.

Only 60 cents for 60 tablets, and if they don't put five pounds of flesh on any thin person in 30 days — why, money back and no quibbling about it, either.

But be sure and get McCoy's, the original and genuine "Wasson's" two stores, Ross Drug Co., Wm. Hawker & Son and druggists everywhere are selling lots of them.

ORGANIZE FOR 1926

Meeting of City G. W. V. A. Executive Held—Mayor's Death is Mourned

The executive of the city branch of the G. W. V. A. met last night to complete organization for the new year. J. G. Dryden, president, was in the chair and made feeling reference to the death of His Worship Mayor Potts. A resolution of regret at the passing of the Mayor and of condolence to the bereaved relatives was passed and will be carried forward to the general meeting for further endorsement. Copies will be sent to Mrs. Potts.

Those present at the meeting were president, J. G. Dryden, vice-presidents, F. Ashe and J. V. Shea and members, E. Ernest Carter, Harry Roberts, W. A. Dougherty, Jr., W. W. Donahue, George Cripps and S. C. Tippetts. Three new members were added to the executive, George R. Reid, F. Phillips and G. Robinson. Conveners were appointed for the following committees. Sports benevolent, ways and means, entertainment, hall and house, and employment. The naming of committees will be completed and they will be announced at the next meeting of the executive.

RETURNS HOME.

D. C. Clark, 341 Charlotte street, West Saint John, returned home Tuesday, after spending four months in Palo Alto, California, with Mrs. Clark, who has been in poor health. Mrs. Clark's friends will be pleased to learn that, although she is not yet able to return home, her health is greatly improved.

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