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THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, SAINT JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, MAY 25, 1926

MANY COME HERE FOR MEETING OF PRESBYTERIAL

Sessions to be Opened To-
night in Portland United
Church

Delegates from Sussex, St. Stephen and vicinity arrived here today to attend sessions of the United Church presbytery of the Saint John district, which will be opened at 8 o'clock tonight in the Portland United Church. The sessions will continue tomorrow.

Mrs. P. J. Steel is the convener of the hospitality committee.

The delegates and their hostesses are as follows:

Sussex—Miss Hazel Myles and Miss Helen Dobson, with Mrs. John Sealy, Leinster street; Mrs. Harold Bell and Mrs. L. A. Putman, with Mrs. C. F. Sanford, 40 Orange street; Mrs. J. A.

Humphreys, with Mrs. C. F. Sanford, 40 Orange street; Mrs. Walter F. Lutz, with Mrs. George Teed, 114 Mecklenburg street; Mrs. Hugh Aiton, with Mrs. Charles Hutchings, 188 Carmarthen street.

St. Stephen—Mrs. C. R. F. McLennan, with Mrs. William Beville, 7 Charles street; Mrs. J. Henney and Miss Baskin, staying with friends; Miss Margaret Fulton and Miss Beulah McGeechay, with Mrs. W. A. Findlay, 222 Duke street; Miss Emma Robinson and Miss Harriet Strange, with Mrs. J. King Kelley, Burpee avenue; Miss Ella Veneay, with Mrs. Charles Christie, 12 Spruce street; Miss Lillian Diffin, with Miss Homer, 115 German street.

Scott's Ridge—Mrs. Silman Matheson, with Mrs. Dales, 196 Duke street; Mrs. Robert Scott, with Mrs. W. Beville, 7 Charles street.

Millstream—Mrs. George Smith, with Mrs. Ewing, 68 Queen street; Miss Della Parlee, with Y. W. C. A., guest of W. M. S. of St. David's; Mrs. Fred T. Penwick and Mrs. John Northrup, at Lansdowne House, guests of W. M. S. of St. David's church.

Lower Millstream—Mrs. Robert Wills, with Mrs. S. E. Logan, 275 Princess street.

DeWolfe and Lyndfield—Mrs. Albion Cook, with Mrs. George M. Calhoun, 78 St. James street.

Oak Hill—Miss Janie McMorran, with Mrs. G. M. Calhoun, St. James street; Mrs. Frank Kennedy, with Mrs. A. D. MacLeod, Carmarthen street.

McAdam—Mrs. C. L. Fischer, with Mrs. Scott, 69 Crown street; Mrs.

George Craig, with Miss Betts, 188 Queen street.

Harvey Station—Mrs. Norman Smith and Mrs. George Speedy, with Mrs. James Myles, Wright street.

Fredericton—Mrs. Alfred Spence, guest of Zion United W. M. S.

Heb. of Millstream—Mrs. S. O. Preece, at Y. W. C. A., guest of St. David's W. M. S.; Miss Alice M. Law, with Mrs. Blizard, 188 Princess street.

Hampton—Mrs. W. F. Morrison, to stay with friends; Mrs. Ives, with Mrs. James Brittain, German street; Mrs. H. Robb, with Mrs. George Henderson, 127 King street east.

Milltown—Miss Annie Black, with Mrs. George Barrett, 274 Prince street west; Mrs. H. J. Armstrong and Miss Greenlaw, at Lansdowne House, guests of Fairville United W. M. S.; Miss Lulu Brown and Mrs. George Carswell, with Mrs. Hugh Miller, Queen street; Mrs. Fred Graham, with Mrs. Fred Barbour, 123 Hazen street.

Norton—Mrs. S. N. Loughery and Mrs. W. A. Wood, with Mrs. H. W. Jones, 111 Princess street.

Smith's Creek—Mrs. T. J. Davis and Miss Mildred Hanning, with Mrs. J. W. Flewelling, East Saint John.

SLIGHT BLAZE

The fire department was called out at 12:20 o'clock Saturday afternoon for a fire in the basement of Robert Miles house on Waterloo street. The fire was among some sawdust around a pipe and was extinguished by the chemical. Only slight damage was caused.

N. H. S. HAS PLAN OF CATALOGUING ALL GIFTS RECEIVED

Scheme Will Recall Names
and Achievements of
Donors

Dr. William MacIntosh has decided upon a new plan of cataloguing for gifts received at the Natural History Museum, which will preserve a record of the donors of large collections of gifts as well as a record of the gifts which they have presented.

The museum possesses priceless collections, and the many men who made these collections and presented them to the society have long since died. It is only fitting that the products of their life time work, now stored in the museum, should recall their names and achievements.

The small space of the museum does not permit of grouping together all of the articles of a collection of miscellaneous gifts presented by one person or one family, and where the gifts in one collection are of widely different kinds this would not be desirable. Dr. MacIntosh has therefore hit upon the plan of preparing catalogues listing the articles, which have been presented as one collection, and prefacing each of these lists with a biographical sketch of the donor or donors.

Among the earlier collections which will be catalogued in this way is Professor Fowler's collection of botanical specimens from which the first list of New Brunswick plants was made. Professor Fowler left New Brunswick to become professor at Queen's University in Kingston, and at his death bequeathed his rare and comprehensive botanical collection to the Natural History Museum where it is preserved with the utmost care.

Dr. G. J. Hay's collection of botanical specimens ranks with Professor Fowler's, and it also is a treasured possession of the Natural History Society. A collection of mosses made by John Moser, another gift to the Society, had a world wide reputation.

John Moser attained eminence in the scientific world but lived so quietly and in such a humble way that few of those of his own day realized what he was accomplishing. He was a school teacher in a rural district of New Brunswick, and his means did not permit of his obtaining even the books of science which he needed to assist him in his research. The Natural History Society presented to him some of the books that he coveted and he presented to the society his unique collection of mosses.

The collection of fossils presented by Dr. George F. Matthews are also unique and Dr. Matthews himself was one of the foremost scientists that this province has produced. That his achievements, and those of members of his family, should be recounted as a preface to the catalogue which lists his collection of gifts to the museum will be a matter of general satisfaction.

The Delancy Robinson collection of arms is another of the very fine collections which it is hoped to have similarly catalogued and among the more recent collections which also will be listed in this manner, are those of the Mrs. J. V. Ellis estate, the Mrs. George F. Smith estate, the John Sears collection and the Patton collection.

LOGAN OF HALIFAX HONORED BY LAVAL

MONTREAL, May 25.—A special despatch to the Gazette this morning says that Dr. John Daniel Logan, of Halifax, N. S., has been named Doctor of Letters by Laval University of Quebec.

Dr. Logan is Dominion architect for Nova Scotia. He is a graduate of Dalhousie University, Halifax, and of Harvard University, Boston.

Dr. Logan has made many contributions to poetry and belles lettres, and is the author of several works on Canadian literature.

BEATTY WILL START FOR BRITAIN SOON

C. P. President Acting Over
Company's New Ship
Program

MONTREAL, May 24.—E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, will sail for England this week on the Empress of Scotland from Quebec.

Mr. Beatty is going abroad in connection with the construction program of the Canadian Pacific steamships and the general business of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Announcement was made some time ago that the steamship company intended to build this year two new passenger vessels similar to the Montclair, Montcalm and Montrose, and five new freight vessels of 8,500 tons with a sea speed of not less than 14 knots, all of which will be ready for service next year.

ORGANIZER IS BACK

Miss Barrington Returns
From Chatham — Miss
Joyne at F'ton Jct.

Miss S. A. Barrington, organizer of home nursing classes for the Red Cross Society, returned to the city on Saturday from Chatham where she had made a short visit in the interests of her work. She addressed a very enthusiastic meeting in Chatham when residents of neighboring centres were present also.

She was very greatly impressed with the splendid equipment and administration of the Hotel Dieu Hospital in Chatham. On Tuesday Miss Barrington will address the Women's Institute at Fredericton Junction. Miss Agnes Joyne, who did such excellent work in Campbell and Deer Island in instructing Red Cross home nursing classes, is now stationed at Fredericton Junction and is making that centre her headquarters, while instructing classes in several centres in the vicinity.

LUTHER TO VISIT U. S.

ESSEN, May 25.—Dr. Hans Luther, former Chancellor, is making plans for a trip to the United States in June. The trip will be incidental to a tour of the world.

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U. S. NURSE DENIES POLISH ATROCITIES

Says Sniping Prevalent But
Those Responsible Executed
When Caught

WARSAW, May 25.—Heinrich Bräuer, head of the Red Cross training school for nurses here, denied categorically yesterday that atrocities were committed by either side during Poland's "black week."

"I have heard reports from the United States," she said to the Associated Press correspondent, "that give the impression that M. Pilsudski's occupation of Warsaw was accompanied by atrocities. This is greatly to be regretted, because thereby the Americans have an erroneous impression of the Polish people among whom I have worked for five years."

"It is absolutely untrue that atrocities were committed on either side. My work took me to every hospital and if there were atrocities, I would have been in a position to know, but there was no trace of them."

"There was some sniping from windows, which always happens in such scenes, but Pilsudski's troops made short shrift of snipers, who were immediately executed when caught in the act."

BRITISH CONSUL IS ATTACKED IN CHINA

PEKING, May 24.—While the British consul at Swatow was engaged in removing Communist posters from the walls of the consulate yesterday seven pickets attacked him.

The consul defended himself with

his cane and retired inside the compound. Then he summoned a guard from a British gunboat and informed the Chinese foreign commissioner that the guard would remain until there was an official apology and satisfactory assurances were forthcoming.

The consul was not seriously injured.

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