

**C. G. I. T. RALLY IS SUCCESSFUL EVENT**

**Algonquin Intermediate and Pollyanna Senior Group Are Awarded Cups**

One of the most successful of the contest rallies yet held by the C. G. I. T. in Saint John was that held last evening in the German street Baptist church, when the Algonquin intermediate group of St. Andrew's church and the Pollyanna senior group of Centenary church won the contest for dramatization of a missionary story.

The Pollyanna group having won the cup in the previous year will now hold it permanently.

The nature of the contest varies each year but the cups have been in annual competition. Mrs. J. S. Donnell, president of the Saint John Girls' Work Board, presided and led the opening devotions. Miss Marjorie Trotter, Maritime girls' work secretary, was present and gave a short address. The opening song was led by Miss Grace Marshall, who was also the leader for a game which was much enjoyed.

The program of the evening had been admirably arranged and reflected much credit on Miss Helen Smalley, secretary of the board who had devoted much time and pains to its preparation. There were six churches en-

tered in the contests. Four churches, Queen square, St. Andrew's, Centenary and German street had groups entered in both the senior and intermediate contests and St. Matthew's had only a senior group competing while Fort St. John had only a junior group entered.

In the intermediate contest for a missionary talk Miss Allister Smith represented the Algonquin group of St. Andrew's church and related the story of Madame Saller, the Swiss missionary. This story was awarded the cup which has been donated by Judge George A. Henderson and he made the presentation in person last night.

**SENIOR CONTEST.**

In the senior contest for the dramatization of a Bible story or a missionary story Centenary church Pollyanna group gave the dramatization of a missionary story showing how a little girl became interested in missions after seeing the people of missionary lands in a dream. Miss Mary Fulton was the soloist in the dramatization. The cup which Centenary group won was donated by Mrs. R. W. Wigmore and was presented last night by Mrs. Bonnell. It is now the permanent possession of Centenary C. G. I. T. The stories of the other dramatizations were those of the Ten Virgins, the Good Samaritan, Ruth and Naomi and the Call of Samuel.

Mrs. F. T. Bertram, Miss Blanche Myles and Mrs. J. D. Hunter were the judges in the intermediate contest. The judges for the senior contest were Mrs. H. C. Rice, Miss Crawford and Miss Marjorie Johnson.

**GETS INSURANCE ON LIVE HUSBAND**

**New York Woman's \$10,000 Fraud Detected by Police of That City**

NEW YORK, May 21—Captain John J. Gallagher and detectives of his command found letters in the home of Mrs. Sydney Denning at North Woodside, which they said she had received within the last three months from the husband on whose "death" a year ago she collected \$10,000 life insurance.

One of the detectives who accompanied Captain Gallagher and Mrs. Denning to the house said that as he was about to open a letter he had picked up Mrs. Denning reached for a razor which lay on a nearby table. Lieutenant Joseph Donlon seized her before she could grasp the razor.

One letter bore the postmark Groton, Va., and the other Shamokin, Pa. Both had been mailed within three months, the detective said. Mrs. Denning refused to comment on the finding of the letters. She has maintained since her arrest that her identification of the man who was found dead in Astoria in April, 1924, as her husband was made in good faith, and that she did not know he was alive until he appeared in Astoria recently.

Denning, a stone worker, was questioned last week by the police, and said he had passed the last year traveling through the South and herbs of the field, and in all these years, nothing has even been found to equal it in overcoming ailments of women.

**HEAVY FINES STRUCK IN CASE OF PARRSBORO LIQUOR BREAK**

AMHERST, N. S., May 20—The much-discussed Parrsboro liquor raid of last November was brought to a speedy conclusion in the County Court, before Judge Patterson, today. Five men implicated in the raid, Percy K. Atkinson, George F. Blanche, E. F. McKim, Roy Coates and Lloyd Pife, were each sentenced to ten days in the county jail with individual fines of \$1,000.

**TWENTY-FIVE OTHERS INVOLVED**

In making his charge, Judge Patterson stated that there were 26 others involved in the raid who had not faced trial, while there was no trace of proof that the five accused men had broken into the customs house. Blanche, Atkinson and McKim were charged with receiving stolen liquor, while Roy Coates and Lloyd Pife were charged with theft. The five men last week elected to be tried in the County Court and this morning pleaded guilty to their respective charges.

In continuing the sentence, Judge Patterson declared that in default of payment of the fines within the next ten days the delinquents would be subject to ten months' imprisonment. James A. Hanway, K. C. acted for the five defendants, while F. L. Milner, K. C., prosecuted the case.

In the preliminary hearings the drivers of four of the liquor laden cars, Messrs. Forbes, Dobson, Lowther and Cole, turned King's evidence and as a result of their statements, plus investigations by the mounted police and members of the Attorney-General's department, the five men were brought to trial.

**THE MAGIC OF THE MEDICINE MAN**

In the pioneer days of this country, the Indian Medicine Man knew a remedy in the roots and herbs of the field, and in all these years, nothing has even been found to equal it in overcoming ailments of women.

**SKYSCRAPERS BARRED BY COLOGNE COUNCIL**

The city of Cologne does not want another skyscraper, the city council has decided. One, a ten-story warehouse, is regarded as enough. The majority of voters influenced the council in its decision. Skyscrapers, it was said, would obstruct the view of the famous Cologne Cathedral, which towers above every building in the city and can be seen from a distance of several miles.

**J. K. ROSS DIES IN P. E. I.**

CHARLOTTETOWN, May 20—J. K. Ross, for many years provincial manager of the North American Life Insurance Company here, and lately head of the Ross, Miller Fox Biscuit company, Napanea, Ont., died here today.

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**WEARY BIRD REVIVED BY MUSIC'S CHARMS**

NEW YORK, May 21—A brown carrier pigeon, thoroughly worn out by its struggles through a rainstorm, fluttered down to rest in the yard of Mrs. Ava B. Curtis in the Bronx. The bird was close to death when Mrs. Curtis carried it into her kitchen to warm it.

It failed to give signs of returning strength and Ruth Block, who was calling upon Mrs. Curtis had an inspiration. Ruth is a violinist and she hurried to her home and got the instrument. The pigeon seemed to respond to the music and soon came around.

The steamer Hertha, discharging coal at the Consumers wharf, is expected to sail today for Sydney, C. B., to enter into the plaster carrying trade between Cape Breton and New York.

**WALL STREET BOYS ARE FINGERPRINTED**

The National Surety Company of New York has begun the fingerprinting and photographing of runners and messengers for about 100 of the larger Wall Street brokerage houses. Officials of the surety company declared that the plan has met with almost unanimous approval of the firms whose employees are bonded by the company as a precaution against thefts. Officials of the surety company declared was worked out primarily for the protection of the runners, many of whose credentials had been stolen or copied by swindlers and later used to obtain positions with Wall Street houses. The new system, it was said, would do away with a certain amount of "looseness" that now exists in the methods of employing stock brokerage messengers.

**CHURCH ORGANIST PRESENTED GIFT**

The presentation of a very nice hat box to Miss Lillian Bromfield, organist of Portland United church, took place last evening after the regular choir practice in the Y. M. C. A. hall. The gift was presented on behalf of all the choir members by Fred Jones, who extended best wishes to Miss Bromfield for a pleasant vacation trip. She will accompany her mother, Mrs. Herbert Bromfield, on a three months' trip to Bristol, England, and is leaving Saint John on Tuesday to sail on Wednesday from Quebec. Dainty refreshments were served and a pleasant social hour was enjoyed.

**F. I. WITHERS HEADS BOYS' WORK BOARD**

F. I. Withers was elected president of the Saint John Boys' Work Board at the annual meeting held last evening in the Y. M. C. A., with A. R. Crookshank, the retiring president, in the chair. The meeting was well attended, heard satisfactory reports and discussed some important phases of the work. Rev. W. C. Machum offered the opening prayer and the various officers and committee chairmen submitted their reports.

Mr. Crookshank reported on contemplated changes in the C. S. E. T. program. The meeting discussed thoroughly such matters as problems of leadership, relationship towards the Y. M. C. A., and towards the Boy Scout program. These matters were referred back to the incoming executive for action.

Mr. Machum urged the leaders and all interested to attend the co-operative camp that will be held at Big Cove, N. S., from July 2 to 10.

It was decided to hold a Boys' Conference in Saint John during the fall and if possible at the time of the visit of Taylor Station from Oct. 22 to 24.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, F. I. Withers; vice-president, R. H. Parsons; secretary, H. F. Hopkins; assistant secretary, R. W. Shaw; additional members of the executive, A. R. Crookshank, Rev. F. T. Unsworth and C. M. McCully.

Rev. Hugh Miller offered the closing prayer.

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**Deaths**

**Mrs. E. Patterson**

The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Patterson occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alberta Mallory, Midland, Kings county, on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Patterson was in the eighty-first year of her age.

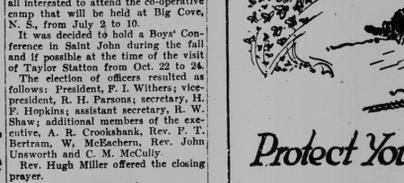
She was married three times and is survived by five daughters and two sons. The daughters are Mrs. Alberta Mallory, Midland; Mrs. J. A. Lord, Boston; Mrs. Sarah M. Grey, Mrs. Marjorie Cougle and Mrs. Kenneth

**NAVES (ADOPTED DAUGHTER), ALL OF SAINT JOHN. THE SONS ARE JOSEPH AND GEORGE BEST AND FRED GREENSLIDE, OF MIDLAND.**

The funeral was held in the Midland United Baptist church on Wednesday morning, the pastor, Rev. C. S. Young conducting the services. Interment was in the Midland cemetery.

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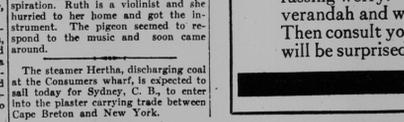


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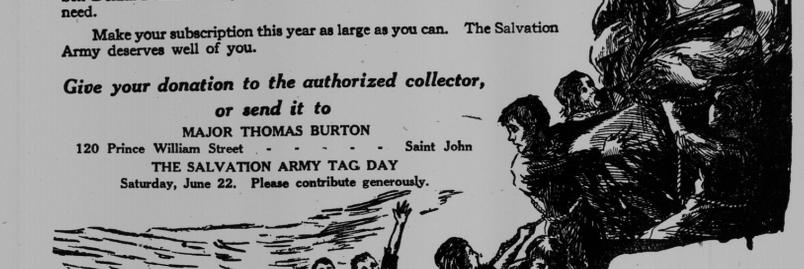
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