

CATHEDRAL ARMY HUT OPENED LAST NIGHT

Large Number of Soldiers Present at Y. M. C. I. and Enjoyed All the Comforts of the Institution.

The new Knights of Columbus Catholic Army Hut was opened last evening in the Y. M. C. I. street.

An additional bowling alley is to be added to the four already in the institution, so that the returned men may find ample accommodation in this line of sport to enjoy themselves.

Already the different committees, including a reception, refreshment or canteen, and entertainment committee, are on hand to handle the work in the different lines.

The canteen was in good running order last evening, and the staff of young ladies in the kitchen handled the order of the hut scheme in a praiseworthy manner.

All returned men are accorded a welcome invitation to visit the hut at any time and partake of the hospitality of the new hut—the first of its kind in the city, and a brilliant innovation.

Quinine That Does Not Affect Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE DROMO QUININE (Tablets) can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head.

THE YACHT CLUB ANNUAL MEETING

R. K. Y. C. in Session Last Evening—F. P. Starr Re-elected Commodore—Annual Cruise Aug. 17.

The annual election of officers of the Royal Kennebec Yacht Club was held in the club rooms last night with a large attendance.

Commodore F. P. Starr was re-elected for the coming year, Walter Logan is the new vice-commodore and Lieut. John H. Kimball is the rear commodore.

It was decided to hold the annual cruise on August 17 and 18, and the annual service at Crystal Beach on the 17th of August.

QUEBEC DOING GOOD BUSINESS

Opened up Several Employment Offices to Care for Returned Men.

Montreal, Feb. 4.—Provincial employment bureaus throughout the province are now being established for the purpose of securing work for the growing number of soldiers being discharged.

At all of these places returned soldier representatives of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-employment will be in charge of the soldiers' branch, looking specially after their interests, and all soldiers now seeking employment, and of employers looking for help, so that employer and applicant might be brought together through the medium of the employment bureau.

Mr. Joseph Almy, head of the employment service for the province, stated today that the policy of the new organization would be to register the applications of all persons seeking employment, and of employers looking for help, so that employer and applicant might be brought together through the medium of the employment bureau.

Everett centers on the League of Nations. All other questions are details, although some, like Russia, are big enough to wreck the whole machine unless it is handled successfully.

The League of Nations committee, under the presidency of Mr. Wilson, began its work yesterday. The fundamental principles of the league have been agreed upon by the five powers.

Dr. Charles A. Murray. Special to The Standard. Moncton, N.B., Feb. 4.—Death occurred at his home here this evening of Dr. Charles A. Murray, one of the best known medical surgeons in the province.

Dr. Murray was born in the town of West St. John, after a year or more, but only within the last week or two had his condition become critical. Deceased was a native of Queens County, being born at Long Creek, but had been a resident of Moncton for about thirty-five years.

Dr. Murray was a member of the New Brunswick Dental Association, being a former president, and was also widely known as an Odd Fellows, being a member of the Grand Lodge of the Maritime Provinces. Deceased was active in the business and social life of the city.

Dr. Murray was a member of the City Board of Health for several years, and occupied this position at the time of his death. He is survived by his wife, who was before her marriage, Miss MacGowan of this city; three brothers, James A. Murray, St. John; Chalmers of Long Creek; and one sister, Mrs. H. W. Murray, of Shediac, and one sister, Mrs. Menzie, also survive. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon.

Vernon Welch. Special to The Standard. Digby, N.S., Feb. 4.—Vernon Welch, of Westport, died yesterday at the age of 41 years. He was taken sick on New Year's Day. For some days it has been known he could not recover, but it was not until he was taken to the hospital that it was known he was unable to see his eldest son, Albert, who has been serving for three years in the C. E. F., but it was not to be. He leaves a wife and the one referred to, Melvin and Ivan, and a little daughter, mother and brother, Bernard Swift.

Special to The Standard. Digby, Feb. 4.—Bernard Swift, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Heintz Swift, of Westport, died yesterday. He was one of the returned men, having enlisted in the 112th and was taken sick with pneumonia while in England, and he was brought back to Canada and discharged. He leaves his parents, three brothers, Fred, John and Russell, and one sister, Daisy.

Donald Lee. The death took place yesterday morning at his residence, 50 Protection street, West St. John, after a brief illness, of Donald Lee, a well-known engineer and member of a West St. John family. Mr. Lee, who was in his 27th year of age, had been employed for some years past by his brother, R. R. Lee, contractor. He leaves two sisters, Misses Annie and Barbara Lee, and five brothers, John, William, Richard, George and Allen.

Mrs. Mary Kretz. The death of Mary, wife of Anthony Kretz and daughter of Frank and the late Bridget McGinnis, of New End, occurred in Michigan on January 29. Mrs. Kretz leaves her husband, three children, her father and two brothers, James of Winnipeg and Frank of this city.

Harry O. Budd. St. Stephen, Feb. 4.—Death came suddenly and unexpectedly this morning to a prominent and well esteemed young citizen, when Harry O. Budd entered into rest at the age of forty-one years. He had been the office employee of the St. Croix Soap Manufacturing Company for some years, and had been during the past two weeks in St. John attending to the shipment of soap for that concern on the docks. He contracted a severe cold and returned home Saturday evening, being very ill. Pneumonia followed, and though all possible was done he passed away at an early hour this morning. Few knew of his illness, and the announcement of his death came as a very sad surprise to the entire community. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Bertha Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Sullivan, and by two young children, to whom sincere sympathy is extended in the loss of a most kindly and devoted husband and father. He was a member of Miriam Lodge, I. O. O. F., and of Frontier Lodge K. of P. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon and will be conducted by Rev. H. S. B. Strohman, pastor of the Methodist church, the Oddfellows participating.

FOUNDATION LEAGUE OF NATIONS HAS BEEN LAID AND DELEGATES ASSEMBLE MACHINE THIS WEEK

The Climax of the First Phase of the Peace Conference Will be Reached Before the Week Ends — There is Every Reason to Believe the Machine Will be Operating at an Early Date—Everything Centres on the League of Nations, All Other Questions Being Details.

By Arthur S. Draper. (Special Cable to the N. Y. Tribune and the St. John Standard) (Copyright, 1919, by Arthur S. Draper, Inc.) Paris, Feb. 4.—The climax of the first phase of the Peace Conference will be reached this week. A great machine has been set up, and now the delegates will begin assembling the parts of the machine which they have made.

There is every reason why the machine should begin operating at the earliest possible moment. It is a fact that the world has been set up by the League of Nations, and the delegates will begin assembling the parts of the machine which they have made.

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SPORTING GOSSIP CANADIENS LOST TO THE ARENAS

Listless Exhibition in Toronto Last Night—Flying Frenchmen Defeated 6 to 3.

Toronto, Feb. 4.—In a rather listless exhibition in the National Hockey League game here tonight, Canada defeated Canadiens by the score of 6 to 3. The locals had a strong lead in the initial period and they were not forced to any extent by the visitors.

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SPORTING GOSSIP MATCHES CURLED IN LOCAL RINKS

Estabrooks Cup, Jones Cup and President Trophy Results Yesterday—Carleton and Thistle Today.

THE LADY CURLERS. In St. Andrew's rink yesterday afternoon there was competition between two rinks of lady curlers in the second round for the Estabrooks Cup. The scores by rinks follow:

THE JONES CUP. In the Jones Cup competition on St. Andrew's ice last evening, skips C. H. Peters and E. W. Willard met, resulting in a victory for the latter by a close score of 3-8.

THE PRESIDENT'S TROPHY. The second match of the President's Trophy series was curled at the Thistle Rink last night, the three rinks curling twelve ends each.

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FREDERICTON HAS COUNCIL TROUBLES

Discussion Over Condition of Roads Riles One Alderman Who Threatens to Resign.

Fredrickton, Feb. 4.—As a result of a heated discussion at the city council in committee last evening Alderman McKay, chairman of city roads and streets committee, threatened to resign his seat at the council board.

Alderman McKay, in discussing matters today, claimed that Mayor Hanson was trying to run the whole show at the council, and that the aldermen, while they were quite free in their talk on the streets, seemed to be afraid of His Worship when they came to the council chambers.

Alderman McKay has been a member of the council at different times for a long number of years, and took an active part in road matters last year. He came in for considerable roasting at different times during the year.

MUST SALUTE MARCHING TROOPS German Officers Made to Do the Grand to Soldiers of Occupation.

London, Feb. 4.—In the two months that the British have occupied Cologne there have been 3,000 arrests of German citizens on one charge or another, according to a despatch to the Daily News. One of the common charges is for stealing government property or recording in the British press anything that is derogatory to the rule that German officers and officials in uniform shall salute British officers, or British troops on the march.

CHATHAM HAS LIQUOR SEIZURES Two Cases of Rye Whiskey Taken from Express Office—One Man Fined.

Special to The Standard. Chatham, Feb. 4.—One of the methods of getting wine goods into Chatham was disclosed yesterday, when Prohibition Inspector Dickson seized at the Dominion Express Office two cases containing twelve bottles each of rye whiskey. The goods were packed in innocent looking cardboard boxes, one was addressed to a commercial traveller, in care of a hotel, and the other bore a fictitious name. One of the parcels was shipped from Newcastle and the other from Montreal. Further developments are looked for. Another man was caught with a bottle in his pocket Sunday, and today left \$55 with Judge Connors for this offence.

ARREST YOUTH FOR LARCENY Halifax, Feb. 4.—Fred Lleyo, 17 years old, who was arrested this morning charged with attempting to break into C. N. R. restaurant, pleaded guilty today to the charge. He was sentenced, Lleyo when arrested said he belonged to Grand Falls. Police think he has escaped from some institution and will investigate his case.

LOCAL BOWLING. ON BLACK'S ALLEYS. The Lions and Panthers met in the City League last evening on Black's alleys. Each team broke even, taking two points respectively. The game scheduled in the Commercial League between the Western Union and George E. Barbour aggregations was postponed until later at the mutual consent of each team.

LOGAN VS. BELVEA. It was announced last evening that in connection with the ice sports in the Victoria rink next Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. I., that a match between Fred Logan and Hilton Belvea, two of the best local performers on the ice will be arranged as a special event. Logan is a member of the Y. M. C. I., and Belvea is a member of the Victoria rink. Logan is a member of the Y. M. C. I., and Belvea is a member of the Victoria rink.

TO LEGALIZE BOXING. Albany, N. Y., Feb. 4.—A bill designed to legalize boxing, was introduced in the Legislature today by Senator Gibbs, of Erie. Under its provisions ten-round contests with 16-ounce gloves would be permitted and decisions also would be allowed. The bills would have to be held in building devoted entirely to athletic purposes. All bouts would be under the control of a boxing commissioner.

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FUR SALES ON WITH A RUSH

New Records Being Scored at the New York Fur Auction.

New York, Feb. 4.—Under the impetus of spirited bidding the record for the fur season has been broken. It was obtained at the second day of the annual mid-winter fur auction sale, now being held in this city.

Hot Rhetorical Shots Fired By French and Germans at Berne Labor Conference. (Continued from page 1) To this statement Eisner added that in the future "we shall act, act."

NEWCASTLE. Newcastle, Feb. 3.—Mrs. Danie Richards, who severed her connection with the Miramichi Hospital on the 31st ult., after taking a post-graduate course of three months in Boston, to resume her private hospital in Fredericton, was on Saturday presented with an address and a silver-etched dial by the hospital staff.

DIED. COREY.—On Tuesday, Feb. 4th, Burge Corey, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Burge Corey, 15 Victoria St., St. John, N. B., after a four days' illness, died at his home. The funeral will take place at Chipman's.

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