

News Briefs

HERE FOR CHAMBERS

Mr. Justice Grimmer of Saint John arrived in the city this morning and is conducting chambers.

CHIMNEY BLAZE

The firemen answered a call to the home of Mrs. Hedley V. B. Bridges, last evening at 7:15 o'clock. It was a chimney fire and no damage done.

ARRIVED IN CITY

Hon. A. P. Paterson, Minister of Education, arrived in the city this morning from Saint John. He is on routine business.

DANCE HELD

A most enjoyable dance was held last evening at Castle Hall. The music was presented by George Olts' Orchestra and the extra numbers were supplied by Miss Doris Arscott.

J. S. C. M. TEA

Dr. Hans Simons expects to meet the students of the Students Christian Movement at an afternoon tea tomorrow at the apartments of Rev. J. D. Copp, Grape Cottage, Brunswick street.

IS RECOVERING

Lieutenant-Governor MacLaren, of Saint John, who painfully injured his foot in a fall on the sidewalk a few days ago is now able to be about again. The injury has kept him confined to the house and his recovery from the accident has been heard of with much pleasure.

WILL ATTEND MEETING

George W. Brown, president of the local branch of the Y.M.C.A., and Ralph J. Albrant, secretary, will attend the annual meeting of the National Council of the Y.M.C.A., which occurs Feb. 12 at Montreal. The local executive which met last night carried out routine work.

MEETING CONTINUES

The meeting of the district highway engineers of the province, which began here yesterday, was continued today. C. B. Croasdale, chief highway engineer, had nothing to announce at the conclusion of this morning's meeting. The conference will break up early this evening. Matters in conjunction with the highways are being taken up.

PELVIS FRACTURED

The condition of David Guthrie, of Lincoln, who suffered a fractured pelvis when he was kicked by a horse this week in the stable of the farm of his late brother, William J. Guthrie, was reported as unchanged today at Victoria Hospital. Dr. A. L. Gerow, local physician, who attended Guthrie, said today that his condition was satisfactory.

OPENING OF "Y" ROOMS

The official opening of the community "Y" rooms, situated over Mack's drug store, will be held this evening at eight o'clock. A short programme has been arranged at the end of which refreshments will be served by the Ladies' Auxiliary. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend this opening and acquaint themselves with the Community "Y" and its activities.

SPEAKS TONIGHT

A public address will be given this evening in the Normal School Auditorium at 8:15 p.m., by Dr. Hans Simon, former Director of Berlin School of Political Science. His subject will be "The Future of the League of Nations." Dr. Hans Simon is sponsored by the League of Nations Society, National Council of Education, Canadian Institute of International Affairs. A silver collection will be taken at the lecture.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the local branch of the Professional Institute of Civil Servants of Canada, was held yesterday, with the major business done being the election of officers for the year. These were as follows: President, A. Hope, Sackville; vice-president, C. F. Bailey, Superintendent of the Experimental Station here; secretary, J. L. Howatt, of this city. All the professional men of the Civil Service are included in this body. No other business was done at last night's meeting.

RE-ELECT PRESIDENT

The Canadian Legion held its monthly meeting last evening in the Legion quarters. The election of officers formed the principal part of the business meeting. It was also passed that the usual grant of \$25 to each of the leaders in the Academic divisions of Grades 9 and 10 of the Fredericton High School be given. The following officers were re-elected: President, W. A. Gibson; first vice-president, C. B. Burden; second vice-president, W. W. McCormack; secretary-treasurer, F. I. Haviland; Chaplin, Very Rev. Dean W. H. Moorhead. Additional members of the executive areas follows: J. D. MacKay, Dr. R. M. MacGibbon, A. B. Belyea, J. M. Gibson and R. V. Olive.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL FEATURES FULL DAY STUDY

W. K. Tibert, Director Voc. Education, on Inspection Trip Of Carleton County

Which Contributes Much to Rural Community

W. K. Tibert, Director of Vocational Education, returned yesterday from an inspection tour of the Vocational School at Woodstock and of Carleton County. The vocational school at Woodstock is the only school in the Province which feature a full-time day course in Agriculture.

The boys who study this course are brought in from Carleton County around November 15 and study until April 15. After April 15, the boys return to the farm where they are under the supervision of R. W. Maxwell. There is also a course in Home-Making and Commercial subjects.

These young ladies study the same length of time as the boys. Many of the girls then return to their homes. In all these courses the largest percentage of students come from the county outside of Woodstock. Since the school was established in 1919, over 1,000 students have graduated from the school. The contribution that Carleton County is making to the Rural Community cannot be over-estimated, was Mr. Tibert's opinion.

N. B. Guides, Others Leave For Boston Show

Approximately twelve guides left Saint John this morning for the Sportmen's Show at Boston.

Those making the trip included: G. S. Allan, of Penniac; Walter Wade of Penniac; Willis Norrad of Boiestown; William MacLeod MacDonald, of Saint John; William MacDonald, of Saint John; Harry Wanamaker, of The Range, Queens Co., and others.

These delegates embarked this morning on the Yarmouth, a ship belonging to the Eastern Steamship Lines, and are scheduled to reach Yarmouth this evening. They will proceed from Yarmouth tomorrow morning to Boston, arriving there tomorrow.

D. W. Griffiths, who is in charge of the exposition will go to Boston tomorrow night to prepare the booth of the N. B. guides.

The two carloads of materials which went this morning will be followed by another carload Thursday night. This car will consist of fish, game and literature.

Mr. Griffiths anticipates that fifty guides from N. B. will attend the Show in Boston.

At the close of the Boston Show, the N. B. exhibit will proceed to New York and thence to Hartford, Conn.

Mr. Griffiths will accompany the exhibit to all shows. The New York Sportsmen's Show will be held the week of Feb. 18 to Feb. 27 and the Hartford Sportsmen's Show will be held the week of March 6 to 13.

Fred H. Phillips of this city also accompanied the N. B. party and will be present at all three shows.

Special Meeting Of City Council This Afternoon

The Fredericton city council is holding a special meeting at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon in the city hall at which time further discussion will be held on the matter of securing legislation to abolish the Police Commission and to empower the administration of justice committee of the city council to take over the duties heretofore held by the police commission. Discussion on this important matter has been carried on for several weeks and at the present time the city solicitor, P. J. Hughes, K.C., is preparing a bill to be submitted to the legislature at its coming session, which would bring about these two things.

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CONCENTRATION ON WAR MENACE TO DEMOCRACY

Dr. Hans Simon, One-Time Reich Minister, Spoke Today To U.N.B. Students

Task of Democracy is Fraught With Danger on All Sides

Lecturing to the students of the University of New Brunswick this morning, Dr. Hans Simons, former director of the Berlin School of Politicians and one time a member of the Reich ministry, outlined the "Task of Democracy."

Dr. Simon believes his generation saw greater changes than our modern generation. He also stated that the modern concentration on wars are a very grave menace.

Back of all these war preparations are the Capitalists and Imperialism. An Imperialist nation of today devel-



DR. HANS SIMONS

ops a technique of training in education for wars. This training, said Dr. Simon, is "devilish."

The only solution to the problem is the League of Nations. Although the League has failed, it seems to be the only instrument which remains that can be used effectively.

Dr. Hans Simon will give a public address this evening at 8:15 p.m., at the Normal School auditorium.

N. B. EXHIBITS GO FORWARD TO BOSTON SHOW

First Corps of Guides Sail From Saint John This Morning --- Third Car Goes Next Week.

The first consignment of material for use in the erection of the New Brunswick exhibit at Sportsmen's Shows of 1937 went forward to Boston last night.

A corps of guides who will assist in the building of the exhibit in Mechanic Hall will embark at Saint John for Boston via Eastern Steamship lines tomorrow morning. Thus all will be in readiness when the New England Sportsmen's and Boat Show opens its doors on Saturday, Jan. 20. Yesterday's consignment included (Continued on Page Five)

PENGUIN BOOKS

20¢ EACH

READ THESE TITLES

CROME YELLOW by Aldous Huxley
SOUTH WIND..... by N. Douglas
HANGMAN'S HOUSE...Donne Byrne
ODD CRAFT.....W. W. Jacobs
MY MAN JEEVESWodehouse
PASSAGE TO INDIA.....Forster
THE SPANISH FARM.....Mottram
THE FOUR JUST MEN...E. Wallace
MURDER on the LINKS...A. Christie
ALMAYER'S FOLLY.....J. Conrad
AND MANY OTHERS

HALL'S

BOOK STORE

Friendship of Lodges Urged By Fraternity

A large number gathered at the annual banquet of the Court of Fredericton No. 778, Canadian Order of Foresters, which was held last evening in their hall. Among the many business problems which took place was that six candidates applications were passed, and four members passed their First Degree. Officers in charge were, Bro. John D. Chase, High Chief Ranger, assisted by Bro. Carl Vincent, High Marshal. The Degrees were presented in a very fitting style. Following the degrees was the election of officers which are as follows: Eldon Hagerman, Immediate Past Chief Ranger; Henry Miles, Chief Ranger; Frank Welch, Vice-Chief Ranger; H. A. Burt, Financial Secretary; Murray Hagerman, Treasurer; John Miles, Recording Secretary; Earl Gorman, Conductor; Vaughan Scott, Chaplin; Carl Griffiths, Senior Woodward; Gifton Burt, Junior Woodward; James Thompson, Senior Beadle; Ralph Boyce, Junior Beadle; W. M. Burns and F. S. Lister, Auditors.

Following the business meeting a banquet was held, followed by a programme. A toast on the Local Order Court of Fredericton, No. 778, was suggested by Chairman Frank VanStone. In speaking, Bro. VanStone stated "that the Courts would be kept alive by fraternal visits to other courts, which keeps up good friendship." "The protection and benefit offered by the court is second to none in the Dominion of Canada," stated Bro. John D. Chase, who replied to the toast. Bro. George Bolden rendered two solos "That Wonderful Mother of Mine," and "I'll Take You Home Again Kathleen," accompanied by Prof. Harrison Wade.

Bro. Ellis then suggested a toast to the Order of the Court in general. This toast was replied to by Bro. Carl Vincent, Organizer. In replying said, "how proud he was for the large increase of members, especially among the young men." In continuing his address, Bro. Vincent mentioned that the Canadian Order of Foresters was formed in London, Ont., and has now spread throughout the Dominion. There are 1,087 courts with 50,000 members in the Dominion. "New Brunswick," quoted Bro. Vincent, "have 67 Courts with 5,000 members. If we expect to go ahead in 1937 we must give support and co-operation to our officers," stated Bro. Carl Vincent.

Following Bro. Vincent's address, Jack Soane rendered a pianoforte solo, one of his own composition entitled "The Crusaders." A very delightful sketch was then given by Bro. Karl Vincent. Bro. John D. Chase was then called upon to render one of his magnificent solos entitled "Your are Welcome as the Flowers in May," which was appreciated by all. Chief Ranger H. Miles then gave an address on "The Loyalty of Officers to the Lodge." Bro. Miles then moved a vote of thanks to Merrit Colwell on behalf of the Court No. 778 for his assistance. The vote of thanks was seconded by Chairman F. VanStone. Bro. John D. Chase then moved a vote of thanks to Prof. Wade, who has so readily come to their assistance many times during the past years by assisting the musical programmes. The motion was seconded by Earl Gorman. The enjoyable evening was brought to a close by the singing of "God Save the King."

Celebrated 84th Birthday Yesterday

While visiting his daughter, Mrs. Frank Gatoombe of St. Stephen, A. T. Murchie of this city celebrated his 84th birthday. Mr. Murchie was born at Old Ridge, Charlotte County, on Jan. 21, 1853. He is in the best of health, and is well and hearty.

GRATIFYING REPORTS GIVEN CHURCH MEETING

St. Andrews' Presbyterian Church Had Successful Year

Increased Membership

Board of Trustees Are Unanimously Re-elected

In the Church Hall of Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church last evening was held one of the most gratifying annual meetings in the long history of Presbyterianism in this city. Rev. Dr. George E. Ross, presided, and as the various reports were presented it was evident that Saint Andrew's is prospering.

The report of the session showed increase of membership, large addition of families, marked devotion of office-bearers, and the diligent and faithful service of every department. The Sunday School has had an increasing attendance, the Canadian Girls in Training and the Girls of Saint Andrew's have been most active and successful in their work, the Women's Missionary Society has been devoted in its service and has surpassed its annual allocation, the Memorial Fund under the capable direction of Mrs. George W. Hodge has made increase, and the Women's Guild of whom Mrs. A. P. Crockett is President, has had a most prosperous year.

Reports were also presented by the Men of Saint Andrew's, the Tennis Club, the Boy Scouts, the Young People's Society, the Junior Guild, the Mission Band and the Girls of Saint Andrews. All showed commendable progress and prosperity. The Choir was specially thanked for its excellent service and the congregation was commended for regular attendance at worship and the devotional spirit manifest in their regard of sacred things.

The gift of a copper plaque of Leonard's famous painting of the "Last Supper" by Luther Rye of New York in memory of his wife Madge Kelly Rye, formerly of Saint Andrew's Church was referred to with great appreciation.

The Board of Trustees was unanimously re-elected as follows:

Dr. A. Pierce Crockett, Chairman; Arthur McE. Limerick, Secretary; Major John S. Scott, Treasurer; Major James Pringle; W. D. MacKay; W. M. Thurott; H. C. Moore; Geo. W. Hodge; Bryce M. Love; Dr. F. L. Miller; C. W. Hall; Hon. J. B. McNair.

The thanks of the congregation were conveyed to all office-bearers and the meeting closed with the feeling that it had been one of the best years in this historic congregation.

Branch of Elks Formed in This City

A branch of the organization known as the Elks was formed in this city during the week. It is expected that by tomorrow that the present nucleus of the branch will have enough members to secure a charter from the Grand Lodge. It is felt that with branches of the Elks in other places in the Maritimes, including Saint John, Moncton, Halifax, Dartmouth, Glace Bay and Sydney, that there should be one here also. The purpose is to have no fewer than 25 Elk Lodges formed in the Maritime Provinces. Those members in this city who will form the nucleus of the Elks branch here are, G. M. Byron, Walter Vail, D. W. Griffiths, Allen Ryan, Norman Edgecombe, Charles Scott, F. Cedric Cooper, Merrit Colwell, Bliss Wood and others. Mr. Miquelon is the Maritime organizer.

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