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Thirty-sixth annual meeting of the Caledonia Diocesan Board of the Women's Auxiliary began its three-day sessions at St. Andrew's Cathedral this morning with Holy Communion celebrated by Rt. Rev. J. B. Gibson, Bishop of Caledonia.

The sessions, attended by delegates from Prince Rupert, Terrace, Hazelton, Kitwanga, Smithers, Kincolth and Ocean Falls and the Peace River, will continue until Friday.

Chairman of the conference is J. B. Gibson, president of the Diocesan W.A.

Sessions opened this afternoon and this evening an open meeting is being held in the Church Hall with Bishop Gibson, Rev. Charles Lomas and Rev. Basil S. Prockter speaking on missionary work.

New officers will be elected during the conference.

Among delegates is Miss Queenie Calvert, of the Peace River who is attending as Bishop's Messenger. She arrived by train last night after flying from Fort St. John to Prince George.

Among delegates from outside points are Mrs. John Hayhurst, Kitwanga; Mrs. M. de Kergommeau, Terrace; Mrs. George Dover, Terrace; Mrs. E. V. Bird, Hazelton; Mrs. C. A. Hinchliffe, Smithers; Mrs. George Johnston, Kincolth, and an Ocean Falls delegate, expected to arrive this afternoon.

Local News Items...

Prince Rupert Liberal Ass'n. General Meeting, ladies' lounge, Civic Centre, Wednesday May 12, 8:00 p.m. (112)

Mrs. E. B. Bird, of Hazelton, who is in the city as delegate to the women's Diocesan convention, is a guest at the home of Mrs. A. T. Parkin.

Mrs. John Hayhurst, wife of the Anglican minister at Kitwanga is in the city as a delegate to the Caledonia convention of the Women's Auxiliary which opened today. She is guest of Mrs. C. C. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hanson and child left this week for road for Calgary where they will pay a visit with Mr. Hanson's parents. Mr. Hanson has been employed at the celanese construction project at Watson Island.

Mrs. M. deKergommeau, of Terrace, is visiting her son and daughter-in-law at Port Edward while serving as delegate to the Diocesan convention of the Women's Auxiliary which is being held at St. Andrew's Cathedral this week.

Dr. R. M. Lane, Mrs. Lane and family will leave on tonight's train for Edmonton where they plan to spend the summer months. Dr. G. W. Large will act as part-time medical officer of health, following Dr. Lane's departure for the east.

Mrs. C. A. Hinchliffe, of Smithers, wife of Canon Hinchliffe, of the interior town, is a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Basil S. Prockter while in the city as delegate to the thirty-sixth annual convention of the Caledonia Diocesan Women's Auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrow Gomez left this afternoon by air for Vancouver where Mr. Gomez will be invested with the Distinguished Conduct Medal for service overseas. He will receive the medal from Governor-General Viscount Alexander at an investiture at the Jericho Armed Services headquarters.

MOOSE NAME COMMITTEES

Prince Rupert Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose met in regular session Tuesday night with Governor C. H. Collins in the chair. Committees were appointed for the carrying out of various activities during the year.

The question of entering a float in the Kinsmen's May Day celebration was brought up and a committee was appointed for this purpose. Benny Windle reported that progress was being made in regard to formation of a baseball team which is to be sponsored by the Loyal Order of Moose under his management.

Governor Collins outlined plans for the promoting of entertainment following regular meetings which would be in addition to films now available to the lodge through the local Film Council.

Tentative plans were made for a lodge picnic to be held sometime in the summer months.

J. E. Ormheim returned to the city Tuesday on the Cardena from a business trip to Stewart.

AIR PASSENGERS

Bound—To Vancouver: E. N. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Bosworth, W. M. J. Buchan, C. B.

Bound—From Vancouver: A. Dyer, From Sand- W. Crosby, R. Ross.

FISHERMAN DIES ABOARD HIS BOAT

A Vancouver fisherman died aboard his boat at the Cow Bay floats Tuesday evening, apparently from natural causes.

He was Henry Joseph Edwards, who came north for the spring fishing two weeks ago. His son, Howard, was with him.

He is survived also by his wife and a daughter at Vancouver.

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

Q. When a man and a woman are to be married, and both are living in a distant city, should the announcements be sent from that city, or from the home of the bride?

A. Wedding announcements should be sent in the name and from the home of the bride's nearest relatives.

Q. When a woman is alone in a hotel, in what way should she call a taxi?

A. Ask a bellboy to attend to it.


Q. What is the popular time, or season, for giving a debutante her coming-out party?

R. Just before or after the winter holidays.

COUPLE ESCAPE DROWNING ON ROTTING ICE

BURNS LAKE—Eric Halgerson, Babine Lake sawmill operator and his wife had a narrow escape when their propeller-driven snowmobile, heavily laden with boom chains, crashed through the lake ice into 60 feet of water.

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Announcements

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Registered Nurses' Ass'n Tea, Nurses' Home, Wed., May 12.

Card Party, Catholic School Hall, 8 p.m., May 13.

S. O. N. Independence Day Celebration. Program, refreshments, dance. Music by Mike Colussi. Monday, May 17, 8:30, S.O.N. Hall.

Booth P.T.A. May 19.

Job's Daughters Tea, May 20, Mrs. Alex Mitchell's, 232 4th Ave. West.

St. Andrew's Anglican tea at the home of Mrs. W. S. Kergin, 324 4th Ave. West, May 27.

Eastern Star Tea, June 3, at Mrs. Wm. Watt's home, 435 4th West.

Junior Auxiliary United Church Tea, June 10.

Presbyterian Tea, home of Mrs. T. A. McMeekin, 512 Tatlow St., June 17.

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By NORMAN CRIBBENS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON—In the green, spacious grounds of Buckingham Palace thousands of home and oversea visitors, including Canadians, will be entertained by the King and Queen at five garden parties this summer.

The two main events are July 8 and 22. Among the 7,000 guests to be invited on both occasions will be the Prime Minister and cabinet, members of the House of Lords, the Diplomatic Corps, the Lord Mayor of London, mayors of towns and boroughs, famous judges and counsel, high officers of the Church of England and the three services.

High commissioners of Commonwealth countries resident in London will also be invited, in addition to large numbers of visitors from overseas.

Applications from Canadian visitors wishing to attend either of the July parties must reach the Canadian High Commissioner in London by the end of this month.

There will also be three presentation garden parties at the Palace May 12 and 13 and June 11, replacing the evening courts at which debutantes were presented in pre-war times.

"No further applications for these three events can now be considered," a Canada House official said. "The lists are closed, but I can say that many Canadian visitors will be presented."

Applications made to the Canadian High Commissioner are forwarded to the Lord Chamberlain, the Earl of Ancaster, who, with the consent of the King and Queen, issue invitations.

Fashion experts predict that many spectacular afternoon dresses will be seen at this year's parties and that the longer "new look" skirt will prevail although it is not favored by the Queen and Princess Elizabeth.

"As there were no evening courts during the war, there is such a large accumulation of debutantes that it is not possible for the Royal Family to meet them all," a Palace official said. "The King has therefore decreed that all debutantes invited may claim to have been presented."

Expression of Thanks

To all those who contributed, through their efforts and support, to the success of the Prince Rupert District Music and Drama Festival, the committee in charge, on behalf of the Parent Teacher Council, expresses its sincere gratitude.

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