

Show Of Pulp-Based Fashions Scores Hit With City Women

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"I feel something like a sheik visiting his harem for the first time," Dan Dossell, Columbia Cellulose Company personnel manager said yesterday afternoon in Club 27, as he welcomed nearly 400 city women to two showings at which women's wear made from Columbia Cellulose Company pulp was displayed by Miss Madeleine Levason of Montreal.

Miss Levason, publicity director for the Canadian Chemical and Cellulose Company Ltd., Montreal, parent company to the firm at Watson Island, said she was overwhelmed by the number of interested people and the enthusiasm shown for the garments displayed.

What originally was to be a small showing, snow-balled to such a degree that local merchants loaned several outfits made of acetate which were included in Miss Levason's array of beautiful gowns, suits and lounging apparel brought from Montreal.

HISTORY OF FABRICS

Prior to the showing of fabrics, the attractive and charming publicity director gave the complete history of the discovery of synthetic fibres.

Miss Levason said that the Canadian Chemical and Cellulose Company Ltd., is the only company in the world that starts with trees and finishes with fibres.

From the pulp produced here it goes to Edmonton where it is made into fibres with the addition of chemicals from oil fields.

The finished garment goes through four stages, pulp, fibres, fabrics made in Canadian mills which go to the manufacturer to be cut and styled for wearing.

Ten models provided by the Prince Rupert Jaycee-Ettes assisted Miss Levason with the show.

Miss Levason said that acetate yarn, recognized today as one of the great textile fibres, is most outstanding for its beauty. It is

the most beautiful of high fashion materials, the sturdiest of suitings, the handsomest of home furnishings, she said.

Other attributes of this fibre are its softness and luxurious qualities, closer to silk than any other chemically produced yarn.

In the show, Miss Levason showed exquisitely-styled two-piece dresses, satin blouses, a blue and white flowered housecoat and a taffeta cocktail gown all made from acetate.

Other remarkable fabrics shown was the newest man-made fibre arnel, and celaperm. Arnel was shown in a two-piece yellow suit fashioned of soft light-weight flannel, featuring a pleated skirt which requires no ironing and a cruise-wear arnel linen suit.

Outfits loaned from local stores also made of acetate combinations included a lovely look-at-and comfortable to wear satin quilted yellow and black lounging pyjama-ensemble, high fashion taffeta cocktail casual-wear dresses, flannel suits, latest styled water repellent coats and lastly a shimmer-

ing blue satin house-coat. Jaycee-Ette models were Mrs. Vernon Cleone, Mrs. J. S. Burns, Mrs. R. B. Finlayson, Mrs. Derry Roos, Mrs. Gordon Poffenroth, Mrs. G. P. Woodside and Mrs. Benjamin Craft assisted by Miss Adeline Milewski, Miss Marilyn Deane and Mrs. Louis Campagnola.

Afternoon tea was served to all attending the enjoyable affair.

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FOR WINTER — This unusual combination of jumbo-knit wool sweater and detachable, striped, hooded collar is ideal for fall and winter outdoor wear. It features heavy ribbing and brightly-colored yarns. (CP Photo)

Brownies Get Promotions; Hear Story of Northland

The First Prince Rupert Brownie Pack had an active month in October when 12 Brownies were admitted into the "Magic Ring"; four Brownies were presented First Year Stars; five Brownies were presented Second Year Stripes; one Brownie was presented with her Golden Bar and one girl was enrolled as a Brownie.

On October 25, District Commissioner Mrs. Lionel Holby presented Judy Pinniger, Marie Davidson, Jeanie Richardson and Barbara Ayres with First Year Stars and Second Year Stripes while Gail Bartlett received her second stripe as Sixer of the Fairies.

The 12 Browniekins admitted to the Brownies "Magic Ring" were Jeanne Preus, Anne Alexander, Janet MacDonald, Judy Stubbs, Lyn Scherk, Raide Wilson, Susan Clibbett, Georgina Brochu, Anne Erikson, Lynn Mallett, Joanne Vickerson and Paddy Field.

At a meeting Tuesday in the St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral hall, Lynda Standring was presented with her Golden Bar and Laura Nesbitt was enrolled as a Brownie.

Highspot of the afternoon was the showing of slides taken in the far north by RCMP Constable Ross Gibson who was introduced to the Brownies by Canon Basil B. Prockter.

Constable Gibson, formerly of the RCMP Prince Rupert detachment is now on special Arctic duties in connection with a migration project in which Eskimo families are being taken from the shores of the Hudson's Bay 1,000 miles further into the north to Resolution Bay where Eskimos have not lived for 700 years.

Arriving in the city Friday after visiting at his home at Gibson's Landing, Constable Gibson left Tuesday night by train for Winnipeg from where he will fly back into the north.

At the conclusion of the meeting, the Brownies sang "The Christmas Song" and "The First Noel".

ing Brownies were reminded to be on time Sunday November 16, for Church Parade which starts at 10 a.m. at St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral.

It was announced that mothers were welcome to bring their friends when the First Prince Rupert Pack holds its annual tea November 19, from 3 to 4:30 p.m. in the church hall.

Civic Centre Teen-Age Dance Slated Tonight

First of the Teen-Age Dances will be held tonight in the Main Lounge of the Civic Centre, with dancing from 9 p.m. to 12 midnight. It was announced yesterday.

Novelty dances are being arranged. Mrs. John Thompson will play the piano.

Pipers Start Third Year, Hope For More Members

With the beginning of the winter training program for the 120th Troop, Harbor Defence Battery, RCA on Thursday, October 27, the troop's pipe band entered its third year of operation.

A recruiting and training program for the band has been arranged, which members hope will increase the present numbers of pipers and drummers.

Major portion of the band's training program will cover instruction in piping and drumming and the group hopes that enough recruits will be found to turn out a band next spring composed of a minimum of eight pipers and six drummers.

Plans for the band include extending training to members of the battery's Canadian Women's Army Corps reserve unit members with an ultimate aim of having a CWAC Pipe Band at some future date.

A band spokesman said that while training and music instruction is primarily intended for men and women of the reserve battery, instruction will also be given any other person who wishes to learn piping, but

who, for any reason is unable to join the reserve.

Instruments, however, will not be supplied and beginners will be expected to provide their own practice chanters or drum sticks.

Piping instructors will be James Munro, who is in charge of the band and Pipe Sergeant J. C. Ewart. Drumming instructors will be Gunnars Les Brain and W. H. Hill (side drumming) and Charles Michie (bass drumming).

Parades are held at the Sixth Avenue Armories each Monday and Thursday nights from 8 to 10 p.m. Piper Munro said that anyone wishing to join the band or take instruction is welcome to attend the bands' parades.

Delegate, Convener Set By Legion WA

One delegate and convener were appointed and one new member was initiated when the Women's Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion held a well-attended meeting last night in the Canadian Legion auditorium with president, Mrs. Fred Barber in the chair.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce was appointed delegate to the Prince Rupert Music and Drama Festival Association.

Mrs. C. E. Morrow was appointed convener for the children's "Christmas tree party."

New member initiated was Mrs. J. S. Sinclair.

It was announced that the Poppy day tag to be held tomorrow will be assisted by Poppy taggers from the Air Force Cadets, Wrennettes, Sea Cadets and Boy Scouts.

All committees were formed for Legion week activities.

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- Attention L.O.O.M. and W.O.T.M. Mooseheart Party Friday, Nov. 4, 9 p.m. Entertainment, dance, refreshments. Members and escorts only. No admission. (258)
- Song's Ladies' meeting, Monday, Nov. 7, 8 p.m. sharp. All members please attend. (259)
- Moose night Saturday November 5, 8 p.m. (259)

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