



May we add our welcome to the visiting delegates attending the 1948 Conference of the Rotary Clubs of District 192 Rotary International.

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Rotary 20 Years Ago

The above is believed to have been taken at the Rosa and Gray dining room above Reddin Bros. Left to right and continuing behind tables: R. E. Mutch, T. B. Grady, J. E. Harris, J. A. Clark, P. W. Turner, J. O. Hyndman, G. G. Hughes, Dr. A. B. Reid, J. A. Webster, W. S. Grant, J. G. Jamieson, W. M. Rowe, R. D. Quigley, Dr. I. J. Yeo, Archie Irwin, H. V. Buntain, W. A. Stewart. Standing: E. D. Nicholson, T. W. L. Prowse, Reuban MacDonald, D. F. Bethune, Ernest Coffin, A. E. Morrison, J. A. MacMillan, Dr. Bousefield, Dr. H. H. Shaw, Dr. H. D. Johnston. In front of tables: John H. Malcolm, Harry Jenkins, A. A. Pomeroy, George DeBlois, Judge G. S. Enman, Fred Burke, Mr. Robertson, R. L. Cotton, Cdr. Lewin, Tom Morris, S. A. MacLeod, C. H. Chandler, R. H. Rogers, C. H. Black, Miss Lillian Earle, Prof. Fletcher, Harry Gorbell.



S. Kendrick Guernsey
President of Rotary International

RAPID GROWTH

Rotary expanded rapidly from its first national convention at Chicago with 16 clubs and 1,500 members in 1910 to the 20th. convention in 1929.

EMBLEM OF ROTARY

The emblem of Rotary is the six-spoke, 24-tooth wheel of Rotary International one sees so commonly this week in Charlottetown windows and displayed prominently generally in the city.

EARLY DAYS RECALLED

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marsh, H. M. VanBuskirk, Allan Stewart and Walter Grant, Harry was the prime mover, who gathered information and brought back from the Halifax Rotary Club, not only enthusiasm and information, but two very outstanding pioneers in Maritime Rotary: Dr. Donald A. MacRae, then District Governor, and Charles Burchell, K.C., Past District Governor. These men addressed an informal dinner party at the Kory Corner Tea Rooms on the evening of September 6, 1917. A temporary association was formed and application made for a Rotary Club charter.

"The following week a second meeting was held, the membership committee had two additional names to add to the original 19. The constitution and by-laws as recommended by International Rotary were adopted. The following officers were elected: W. H. Tidmarsh, President; H. M. VanBuskirk, Vice-President; W. S. Grant, Secretary; W. A. Stewart, Treasurer; J. R. Burnett, A. A. Pomeroy and J. O. Hyndman, Directors; J. E. McLarty, Sergeant-at-Arms. Other charter members were: Dr. A. B. Reid, E. C. Saunders, Arch Irwin, F. T. Watts, J. A. Clark, C. H. Chandler, G. S. Tunman, Dr. I. J. Yeo, J. A. Webster, R. H. Jenkins, C. H. Black, A. W. Hyndman and E. J. Nash. The first midday luncheon was

held on September 20, and on November 8, with 14 visiting members from the Halifax club, including District Governor Don MacRae and Prof. H. L. Stewart, the Charter of this Rotary Club, No. 333, was duly presented and the third club in the district was well and truly started.

Rotary Activities

"The club has taken its full share in the Rotary work of our district. It has supplied one-eighth of the District Governors since the formation of the district 32 years ago, these four governors were: the late Judge George S. Inman, 1919-1920, Walter S. Grant 1922-23, Percy Turner 1935-36, and J. A. Clark, 1939-40. Three district conferences were held in Charlottetown in 1919, 1939 and 1941.

"There have been many changes in the membership of our club, as you have noted in the two group photos that were circulated. We started with 21 charter members, Alan and I are still here. In 1919 the club numbered 55 members, eleven are still with us. In 1939 we had 61 members, 34 of these are new members and may be here today. The club for many years maintained a membership of about 60; it has recently grown until it takes the accommodation of the 'Charlottetown' Hotel.

"In community service this club has rendered outstanding assistance to the Red Cross, which through the services of Rotarian Dr. T. B. Acker of Halifax, has helped many crippled children to become useful citizens. This is but one of many. Last week you heard how Rotary's baby, 'Children's Playground' had grown, from Mrs. Harry Cudmore.

"I am pleased to tell you that we are members of one of the 6,371 clubs of Rotary International. These had a membership, as of January 16, 1948 of 309,000 men. Several of us are very glad to learn that our old friend, Angus S. Mitchell, of Melbourne, Australia, is the nominee for President next year."

ROTARY PROGRAMME

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port of Resolutions Committee—Johnston Chew, Glace Bay. 3.50 p.m.—Sing Song. 4.00 p.m.—Introduction of Incoming Governor, Laurie Ellis, by James A. Ford, Moncton. 4.05 p.m.—Address—Laurie Ellis, Kentville. 4.25 p.m.—Final Announcements. 4.30 p.m.—"Points to Remember"—Charles E. Hunt, Past Director, St. John's, Nfld. 4.45 p.m.—God Save the King. Adjournment.

Wednesday Evening

6.30 p.m.—District Governor's Annual Banquet and Ball at "The Charlottetown". Address by Leo E. Golden, International Representative. Presiding in Dining Room A—James A. Ford, District Governor. Presiding in Dining Room B—John C. McMillan, P.D.G., Entertainment. (Dress informal.)



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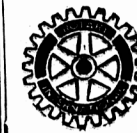
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