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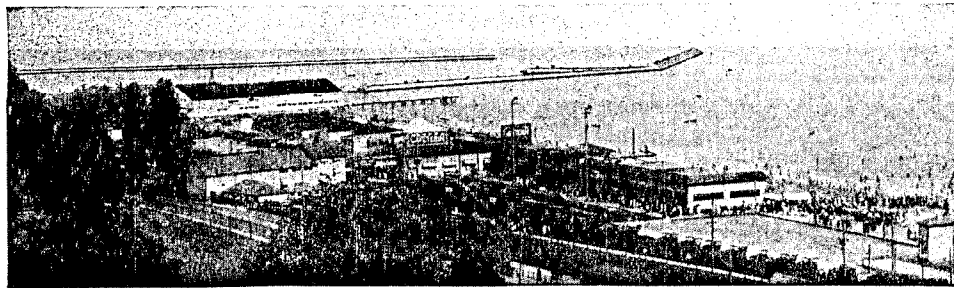
From coast to coast the call extends,
Come all you Manx and meet your friends.
Lay all your plans and pack your grip,
For now's the time to plan your trip.

Fun galore and joy supreme,
To far surpass your fondest dream,
The best as yet, and so 'twill be,
For many a year as you will see.

London's called the ideal place,
To hold the meeting of our race.
For here we all will meet again,
You come by car, by boat, or train.

Good fellowship's enjoyed by all,
So surely answer to the call.
Come join your kin, neglect them not.
"Lest auld acquaintance be forgot."

HARRY J. HOLLINS, London, Ontario.



PORT STANLEY, ONTARIO, WHERE WE PICNIC AND DINE AUGUST 29th.

We Are Planning The Vacation of Your Life!

Personal Invitation From The President of the London Manx Society, Committee Chairmen and Regional Director. They Expect You. You Must Not Fail Them.

The London Manx Society extends to you all a very sincere invitation to attend the N. A. M. A. Convention to be held in our fair city in August. As my thoughts drift back over our past Conventions and I think of the good times we have had together, it makes one long for the time to meet again, when you can shake the hand of a long lost friend and make new ones. What greater thrill can one get out of life. What seemed only a dream ten years ago is now a reality. Through the foresight and energy of a few great Manxmen, we are now able to meet once a year like one big family and spend a few happy days together. London, Ontario is calling and let her

name be on your personal calling list for 1932 Convention. I am sure you will not regret it. Our Committees are all working hard for your enjoyment. We have a good program arranged and it only needs your presence to make it a Banner Convention.

Yours very sincerely,
T. CRINNIN,
Pres. and General Chairman.

The committee chairmen are:
Ways and Means...Mrs. David Brown
Finance.....Mr. Tom Brown
Hotel Reservations...Mr. R. J. Quayle
Registration.....Mrs. T. Brown
Transportation.....Mr. Geo. Corkill

Entertainment.....Mrs. Thos. Kissack
Reception.....London Manx Society
Badges.....Mr. Chas. Hollins
Publicity.....Mr. Len Brown

The time is fast approaching when we will hold our Fifth Annual Convention, which you all know is to be held in London, Ontario, this year. We are only a few in number, but are all working very hard to make this a success, and counting on you and your friends to visit with us.

On behalf of the London Manx, let me extend a hearty invitation to all.
THOMAS BROWN,
Regional Director,
London, Ontario,

Winnipeg Manx Society

It is very gratifying to Canadian Manx to have this issue of the Bulletin placed at our disposal. It would seem that it is another step in cementing the band of our common ideals closer together.

While we in Canada realize that we are somewhat at a disadvantage to our kinsfolk across the line, our numbers being much smaller and we are scattered over a larger area, still we are "All Manx"—all no doubt anxious to do our bit towards helping along the N. A. M. A.

It would seem at the present that our greatest stumbling block is our lack of numbers. Repeated appeals have been made through the Bulletin and at Manx gatherings for support in this direction, but somehow it does not bring the desired results. Let us suggest that the old Manx saying of "Time enough" is perhaps at the root of the trouble. In all Societies of this kind I suppose this unfortunate condition arises, but it surely should be the exception in our case.

We have three or four different angles to contend with. (1) We have the loyal supporters who wish to mingle with their own kinsfolk. These we can always rely on for support. (2) Then we have the people who are only lukewarm as it were, and do not care whether we or them ever get together or not. (3) Then in the minority we have a few (luckily very few) who having left their lovely home have entirely shut the door to everything "Manx." Possibly because they have got a little ahead of the other fellow in this mad scramble for existence and possibly prefer new association and friends to the older and closer ties of the past. These are the people who need our deepest sympathy as the only persons they are fooling are themselves.

(4) Now we come to the big majority of good warm hearted people always anxious to extend the helping hand to others less fortunate than themselves. Those people whose hearts and homes are always open, some of whom no doubt get imposed upon at times. These people who always say to themselves that they will join the N. A. M. A. sometime. These are the ones whose membership we want.

It is of course not considered good form to refer to financial matters, but we must make an appeal to every member to try and get at least one new member to take a dollar out of his or her pocket and mail it in along with name and address to Mr. Robert Quayle, 859 Hamilton Road, London, Ontario, assistant treasurer of the Association. Your Canadian dollar will be kept in Canada and is worth 100 cents.

The London Manx Society who are responsible for the 1932 Convention are looking forward to fraternal and individual efforts to insure a large and successful gathering in August. Let everybody do their bit and show that the Manx people in Canada are just as loyal and energetic as their brothers across the line.

The Goal—1000 for London—1932.

JAMES Y. MANN,
Second V. Pres., N. A. M. A.,
399 Banning Street.

Ladysmith, B. C.

I am enclosing herewith one dollar, dues to the North American Manx Association. I am Manx, born in Douglas, where my father was for many years Gaoler in the I. O. M. Gaol. My wife, who was born on Vancouver Island, paid a visit to my homeland three years ago, and she says that if she ever leaves this Island, she wishes to live in Ellan Vannin.

We have quite a few Manx people here, including the Coovils and the Leeces. Shall be glad to have news of your Annual Convention. May say that I went to school with Mr. W. D. Moore of Montreal.

C. G. CALLIN,
Police Magistrate.

Edmonton, Alberta

I believe the N. A. M. A. to be the finest patriotic organization we Manx have ever had and am ever willing to do all in my power to help it forward.

Am very personally interested in the London Convention and hope all Canadian Manx will attend and make this the most successful meeting yet held. Unfortunately will not be able to attend, as I have to take my vacation in June.

Am enclosing some Manx names to add to your mailing list. Success to the N. A. M. A. We need the Bulletin.

J. CUBBON,
10950 Eightieth Avenue.

Vancouver

It would be a great pleasure to me to join my fellow country-men in Convention in London, Ontario, and as a Manx Canadian to welcome our cousins from across the border.

Owing to distance and lack of time, I am sorry I will be unable to join the Convention this year. I am sure, those who can go will have an enjoyable time. Old acquaintances will be renewed, and new friends made. It affords a pleasant way of spending a summer holiday. These gatherings can be helpful, and of mutual benefit. With the assistance of the Bulletin, it serves as a link that binds the Manx people together, and fills a need.

I appreciate the Bulletin, and hope it may continue.

Wishing the N. A. M. A. London Convention every success.

R. H. GREGGOR,
1452 13th Avenue West.

It was very pleasant news to hear the April Bulletin to be all Canadian. We in Canada look forward always to the monthly issue. We are highly gratified at the fact that the Annual Convention is to be held this year in London, Ontario, and no doubt a bumper gathering is assured.

In these days when conditions are not so prosperous as formerly, it is more necessary than ever that we keep our associations in closer affiliation. While Canada in accordance with the rest of the world has its troubles, you will find that it has grappled courageously with the difficulties entailed by the present-day conditions. The convention can feel assured of a hearty and cordial reception extending from coast to coast.

Wishing you every possible success in everything appertaining to the N. A. M. A.

Yours very sincerely,
A. W. GLEAVES,
656 Seymour St.

As one of the oldest members of the Vancouver Manx Society, the Secretary has asked me for a short paragraph which might be of interest to the readers of the Bulletin.

I was born on board the trader "Charlie Brewer" January, 1853. It was then sailing on the Hudson River, and was commanded by my father, Captain Charles Ward. Soon after with my parents we went to Quebec travelling across the ice by sleigh.

At the age of 4½ years we sailed for Liverpool on the "Constantine" which made the voyage in six weeks. We left for Douglas, Isle of Man, and proceeded to "Annacur" Cottage, Braddan, which was my mother's home, and there we lived for many years.

In 1905, I returned to Montreal, a widow with four children. After living in Seattle for several years, I came to Vancouver to live with my youngest son, Frank, who, after going through the war and having his leg amputated, passed away in Toronto, 1918, from effects of the war. He had travelled in the United States for some time, speaking in the interests of the Red Cross.

I am living alone now, and at the age of 79 I am in the best of health and able to enjoy life amongst my friends—I even won a prize at the Whist drive last week!

If any should recognize me from these few remarks, I shall be glad to hear from them.

Yours sincerely,
ELIZABETH BREWER METCALF,
2225 First Avenue, West.

Windsor-Detroit

Hello! London!

As President of the Detroit and Windsor Manx Society, it gives me great pleasure to send our best wishes for a very successful convention. We are looking forward to a good time and know well we will not be disappointed.

The members of our Society are anxiously waiting for the time to head for London. You can expect a good percentage to visit your lovely city. A number of our members have never attended a Manx Convention and, oh, boy, what a treat they have coming. It will be the topic for some time to come.

I feel sure the benefit of your convention will enliven the spirit of all Manx to carry on the good work.

J. LOUIS HIGGINS, President.

Montreal

On behalf of the Montreal Manx Society, I desire to express to our parent body, the N. A. M. A., our sincere appreciation at being invited to contribute an article in the April Canadian issue of their most essential, interesting and inspiring publication, viz. "The Bulletin."

As an Association, it is in reality the only channel through which we can communicate with our Manx brothers and sisters throughout the North American Continent.

Have we ever given serious consideration to the meaning, value and usefulness of the N. A. M. A.?

As Manx Societies, what did we ever accomplish collectively before the N. A. M. A. came into existence?

I think I can safely state, without much fear of contradiction, that we were all drifting along selfishly, concentrating on our own immediate needs, without a word of friendship, encouragement, or assistance to or from our sister societies throughout the Continent.

Someone has said that "The man who lives for himself has no soul," and the same applies to any Society working under a national atmosphere; we are aware what happened some years back when, through lack of understanding, the very roots of many Societies rotted to such an extent that they ultimately died out of existence.

Today, however, conditions have entirely changed, and through the formation and the diversified activities of the N. A. M. A., defunct Manx Societies have been reorganized. New Societies have been formed, and a chain of brotherhood and sisterhood has been securely linked together throughout the length and breadth of this Continent; a national chain second to none and of which all Manx Societies are proud of forming a part.

It behooves every Society, therefore, not only to affiliate as a Society to our parent body, but to see to it that as far as lies in their power, their individual members shall also affiliate as individuals.

Our location of residence has positively no relative bearing on our nationality. While we admire the country of our adoption, we cannot and must not forget that we are Manx and proud of it. There is no geographical distinction or separation to a true Manx man or Manx woman. Our glorious birth-right classifies us as one family throughout the world.

The N. A. M. A. Annual Conventions have cemented much more securely than heretofore the friendship of the various Societies; yes, and I would go even a step further, and say the friendship of the Manx people.

This year the London, Ontario, Manx Society is honored by being selected to hold the Convention in its City, and while we realize and appreciate fully the times of depression that we are passing through, nevertheless, all Manx folk who can possibly afford it, should, without fail, make a special point of arranging their summer vacation this year, so as to be able to take in the London, Ontario, Convention in August, and this applies more especially to those living in the East of Canada.

Canadian Manx folk must not fall down this year. We must let our kinsfolk over the border realize that we, in this Dominion of Canada, are behind the Convention one hundred percent.

We have had wonderful Conventions in the past in Cleveland, Toronto and Buffalo, as well as in the dear little Island itself, and those who were fortunate enough to be present at any of these conventions cherish memories which are absolutely priceless.

Next year, we believe there is a possibility of the Convention being held in Chicago; and how about coming down to Montreal here for the 1934 Convention? The Montreal Manx Society will gladly welcome the 1934 Convention in this old French-Canadian city, and in view of its most wonderful historical connections, naturally we have no hesitation in guaranteeing a most successful Convention, if it is decided to hold it in Montreal.

In conclusion, may I appeal, first as a Manxman, second as a Canadian Manxman, that all the Canadian Manx Societies in particular will get behind the movement and activities of the N. A. M. A. and see to it, without fail, that the Societies and the individual members of the different Societies become affiliated with the N. A. M. A., so as to insure its successful operation in our own interests in the future.

With the very best of wishes from the members of the Montreal Manx Society to all Manxmen throughout the Continent of North America, and elsewhere,

Yours very truly,
W. D. MOORE, President,
Montreal Manx Society.

Quebec City

I have been in Quebec City four years, and so far have not met a Manx resident, but once in a while I hear of Manx people who are passing through, either from or to the Old Country, and I always make a point of meeting the boat to have a little chat with them. This means a whole lot to me, but the Conventions mean a great deal more. To you folks everywhere who have never attended one of our Conventions, I must say you have missed something which is really hard to express. My first was Toronto, and what a welcome they gave my husband and I, it will always stay in my memory as it was my first impression of a real Manx gathering away from the island, and let me say, I am sure you find a kinder and more friendly feeling at these Conventions than you meet with living back home. I was new to this country at that time, and living in Quebec is very much different to living in any other part of Canada. Those who have visited Quebec City will fully understand me, I'm sure. Well, my first Convention certainly helped me to live the months after on those pleasant happy memories of having met with such kindnesses from so many people there and I just counted the time for the next Convention, and that is how I feel I shall go on as long as I live in this country.

There must be many more Manx people like myself living in lonely cities and if they would only make every effort to attend the London Convention, I'm certain they would feel so much happier in every way. These conventions are not only for the older folks, but the younger couples have just one grand time too.

What about all you folks I met on the boat on the Homecoming trip? I didn't see many of you at Buffalo last year. Let's hope we renew our acquaintance this year at London. They are a young society and need our every support, so let's give it to them good and plenty, for their trying work in planning for our enjoyment this summer.

Now is the time to plan your vacation around the Convention dates, and a word to the housewife—start in right away and put aside that little amount every week to help you get to our next Convention. I never think of Manx people being hard up, I think because they are thrifty like the Scotch, so why not break into that little hidden hoard and come along to London this year and have a real good time. I would like to relate some of my happy times and experiences at these Conventions, but space won't allow.

Here's hoping I shall be meeting new friends along with the old ones at London this summer.

O. K., LONDON! I'll be seein yer!

MRS. DOROTHY BENSON,
46½ Avenue de Salaberry,
Quebec City.

Sarnia, Ontario

I just wish to state that the Manx people of Western Ontario are experiencing a great thrill in anticipation of being called upon to entertain the N. A. M. A. at London this year. The Hotel London, which I believe is to be the headquarters for this convention, is one of Canada's finest Hotels.

I am hoping to be there and to have a wonderful time meeting again many old friends.

J. B. KEE,
112 James Street.

Matheson, Ontario

In extending my best wishes to the N. A. M. A. I sincerely hope to meet many old friends at the London Convention.

Manx folk anticipating a holiday this coming summer, could not do better than making London their choice. Think of the good time you will have, the sights, entertainments, and most important renewing old acquaintances and possible relatives whom you may not have met for years.

It was a great pleasure to me whilst at the Toronto Convention in meeting many of my old friends from Ramsey and Peel. Some of whom I had not met for over forty years, and I hope to have another good old coolish with them at London. Now, "Ramsey Town," buck up and let's have a hand-shake at London.

SYDNEY SMITH.

Port Hope, Ontario

Knowing of the good work being carried on by the North American Manx Association, it is rather disappointing to read of the comparative small membership, considering the many thousands of Manx in U. S. A. and Canada.

"To preserve what'er is left to us of ancient heritage," every patriotic Manx man and woman should join. Come loosen up and send your membership fee and help the good work along.

Things have changed since the advent of the visitor into the Isle of Man and the old Manx-speaking folks are rapidly passing away. We must not lose our identity along with our language. We hope in the near future to hear of a larger percentage of Manx teachers, teaching Manx children in the Isle of Man, and so preserve the pride of race and love for their native land. Let us all try to make this London, Ontario, Convention a success. We can do this if we pull together. Every other race is doing it, why not the Manx?

ROBERT W. KEWLEY, Box 235.

Northern Ontario

Having been to Toronto Convention and having a wonderful time, also to Buffalo and meeting so many friends there, I am hoping to have as good a time at London. I have seen a copy of the program and I feel sure everyone will enjoy it and will not regret their trip to London.

We have about a dozen Manx families in this district and expect to send in most of the names as members of the N. A. M. A. and I will do my best to get all the other friends to join.

We all look forward to the Bulletin and enjoy reading it very much.

Wishing the N. A. M. A. every success from the Porcupine Manx.

DAN G. HUGHES,
So. Porcupine, Regional Director.

Toronto

At the March meeting of the Toronto Manx Society it was decided to support the London Manx Society 100 per cent, with the Convention of the N. A. M. A. held in their city this year. C. H. McMEKIN, Secy.

You will have heard from J. Scott Kee, in regard to his being Regional Director for this district. I have advised him to take it and have pledged myself to assist him in the work. Am eagerly looking forward to a good time in London. I am sure we will have a large and enthusiastic gathering.

ARTHUR CALLOW,
54 Scollard Street.

We appreciate the spirit of co-operation of Arthur Callow and J. Scott Kee, Regional Directors of the Toronto district. They are very anxious of formulating a Manx Society in Hamilton, Ontario. With this idea in view they have taken the matter up with the executive committee of the London Manx Society and a meeting will be arranged very shortly. There are a goodly number of Manx people in Hamilton and if this Society could be inaugurated, we know they would have wonderful times meeting together. May this come to a successful issue and anything the officers of the N. A. M. A. can do to help along this project, it would be a pleasure.

Ottawa, Ontario

I am sorry my Dad, T. H. Moore will be unable to act as Regional Director to the N. A. M. A. for this district this year. He has been seriously ill for three months and went to the hospital Saturday. He has always taken such an ardent interest in all things Manx and is terribly disappointed he cannot act.

He always enjoyed the Conventions as much as I have, I being fortunate to be at both Homecomings, the Cleveland and Toronto Conventions, and had a wonderful time at each.

Don't neglect to send Dad his Bulletin as he enjoys it so much. Continued success to the N. A. M. A., and hope again to meet all Manx friends in London this summer.

MRS. A. J. KETCHUM,
408 O'Connor Street.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Tom with the hopes of a speedy recovery, and with an appeal to his many Manx friends to send him a cheery letter once in a while. He will be awfully pleased to hear from you.

Dates to Remember

The Cleveland and North Eastern Ohio Junior Dance and Entertainment at Cleveland News Auditorium, E. 18th and Superior Avenue, Friday evening, April 15th, 8 p. m. Tickets 35 cents. The Juniors will show you a wonderful time.

The Manx Community Service sponsored by all the Cleveland Manx Societies, the Akron and North Eastern Societies. To be held at the Pilgrim Congregational Church, West 14th and Starkweather Avenue, Sunday afternoon, May 8th, at 3:00 p. m. Speakers, Rev. Dan. F. Bradley and Rev. William Christian, Shreve, Ohio. This will be a meeting of good fellowship. More particulars in our next issue.

The invitation of the officers and members of the Los Angeles Manx Society to meet them and be their guest, August 4th, 5th, 6th. A glorious three days during the Olympic Games held in their city.

In Memoriam

The sudden death of Mr. James J. Clague of 3404 E. 113th Street came as a great shock to the Manx community of Cleveland, on March 31st, after an illness of only one day. Mr. Clague was forty-four years old, and had always enjoyed good health.

"Jimmie" Clague, as he was well and favorably known to all his Manx friends, was an untiring worker for the Manx of this city—always ready to work on every committee and keenly alive in forwarding the interests of everything Manx. He was a trustee of the Mona's Mutual Benefit Society and that Society had no harder or more enthusiastic worker. He was a prominent member of the now defunct Mona's Football Club, and in recent years served as a referee in this field of sport.

Mr. Clague was born at Port St. Mary and came to this country 26 years ago. He is survived by his widow, Helen, and two children, William and Dorothy, and also by one brother and three sisters in the Isle of Man. The funeral services on April 2nd were very impressive. A token of the respect he was held in was shown by the large number of Manx who attended—about 400.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to his widow, his children and his relatives and friends.

We regret to report the death of Mrs. Ann Jane Martin, of 3061 Essex Road, Cleveland Heights, who passed away on March 31. Mrs. Martin was one of the finest Manx ladies of this community. She was, until her illness prevented her, a keen worker in the Societies and a regular attendant at all the Manx affairs. Her cheery disposition made her beloved by everyone with whom she came in contact. Mrs. Martin was born at Ramsey 79 years ago, coming to this country at the age of 17. She married William Edward Martin, also of Ramsey. Mr. Martin passed on forty-one years ago. She is survived by one son, Thomas, and three daughters, Frances May, Elsie M. and Mona A. Bertsch, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Mona's Relief Society. To her family and friends we extend our deepest sympathy.

One of Cleveland's best-known and highly respected Manx ladies, Mrs. Isabella Kelly, of 13821 Ardenall Avenue, East Cleveland, passed on March 17th, aged 71 years. Mrs. Kelly was the daughter of Mary Waterson of Glenmaye. She married Mr. Robert H. Kelly, of Peel. They came to Cleveland in 1899. Mr. Kelly passed on in 1930. Mrs. Kelly's jovial disposition and cheery manner made her a host of friends. She was a strong supporter of everything Manx. She is survived by two sons, Fred and Robert, and two daughters, Beatrice, wife of Philip Cowell, and Francis, wife of J. R. Andrews. To the relatives and friends we extend our deep sympathy.

One of our "grand old Manxmen" of Cleveland passed on recently, in the person of Mr. Thomas Cowell. Mr. Cowell was born in Peel, 82 years ago, and came to Cleveland in 1899. He married Helena Faragher, also of Peel. Mrs. Cowell died in 1923. Both Mr. and Mrs. Cowell were always keenly interested in their fellow Manx people and loyal supporters of everything Manx, and were held in high regard. Three sons survive, Edward, in Manchester, England, Philip and Leonard of Cleveland, to whom we extend our deep sympathy.

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Teamwork That Counts

We appreciate the spirit of cooperation and good fellowship and say Thank You to our Canadian members who have contributed to this issue in making it all-Canadian.

We would like to impress on our Canadian Manx friends that the N. A. M. A. is not an American Manx Association as some of our people think, but for all the Manx people of the North American continent. We recognize no boundary line where our Manx people are concerned and it is our aim and purpose to be as strongly 100% Canadian Manx as 100% American Manx and so create that good Manx fellowship between us all on this continent. Your Canadian membership dollar will be spent in Canada and a good many American dollars too at our next Convention.

We are particularly interested in Canadian membership this year owing to our reunion being held there and invite your cooperation and support. This being our Fifth Anniversary, we hope it will be the best meeting yet held, and can feel assured of this by the plans laid out by our London Manx Society, whose members are heart and soul in this project.

The Executive of the N. A. M. A. do not begrudge the money spent on these Conventions and the Bulletins—both are needed when we consider the inspiration and determination of so many of our interested members that we should carry on. We have found by actual experience that these Conventions are good for us.

We get together once a year and talk over things that are near and dear to us.

Can we put a dollar value on these meetings? We are willing to do our part. Why not reciprocate? It only costs a dollar a year.

Send our Canadian membership to
 ROBERT J. QUAYLE, 859 Hamilton
 Rd., London, Ontario. American membership to

A. B. KELLY, Secretary,
 2711 Dover Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.



City of London, Ontario

Office of the Mayor

On behalf of the Council and citizens of the City of London, Ontario, I wish to extend a hearty welcome to the North American Manx Association who are to hold their convention in August in the City of London. We feel that there is much here of interest for visitors.

We are honoured by the acceptance of our invitation, and wish to assure you that every consideration will be given to your Convention.

Yours very truly,
 GEORGE HAYMAN,
 Mayor.

The London Chamber of Commerce

The London Chamber of Commerce joins with His Worship the Mayor, City Councillors, London Manx Society, and citizens generally in welcoming the Fifth International Manx Convention to the City of London, Canada, August 29th, 30th and 31st, 1932.

We are particularly happy to do this because we shall have the privilege of meeting a group of people who revere traditions.

The early settler who sought his new home in this part of the Premier Province of the Dominion brought with him as far as he could, the country of his birth, and he gave to his adopted home the familiar name of the old home, and surrounded it by such circumstances as brought most readily old country thought, ideas, and associations. Thus the names of the City, County, Township, Parks, Villages, River, Bridges, and the City streets remind one of old London.

It will give us pleasure to be of every possible assistance in making the visit of Manxmen to our City memorable and we assure you that we shall gladly endeavor to do everything within our power to be of assistance upon receipt of word from you.

W. H. Wood, Manager.

Tentative Program

Headquarters - Hotel London

August 29, 30 and 31, 1932

Sunday Evening, August 28th

Get together meeting, Hotel London, Concert and community singing.

Monday, August 29th

9:30 Opening of Convention.
 1:00 Luncheon at the Hotel London.
 3:00 Leave London for Port Stanley.
 6:30 Supper Port Stanley.

Tuesday, August 30th

9:30 Business session.
 Afternoon—Committee meetings, radio broadcast and shopping tours for the ladies.
 7:30 Banquet and entertainment.

Wednesday, August 31st

9:30 Business session. Report of committees. Election of officers.
 Luncheon at Hotel London.
 Visit to Springbank Park where sports will be held.
 Carnival dance at Hotel London.

Registration Fee

Adults	\$7.00
Children, 14 and under	\$5.00

We are working now with the Steamship Companies and Railroads for the best transportation to London. Will have full report and the costs of Hotel reservations in our next issue.

Canadian Regional Directors

The duties of the Regional Director shall be to make himself acquainted with the existing Manx Societies in his region, and with Manx people in his region who are not members of Manx Societies, and to inaugurate new Societies where none are now in existence.

TORONTO

J. Scott Kee, 20 Balmly Avenue.
 Arthur Callow, 54 Scollard Street.

MONTREAL

W. D. Moore, J. P., 324 Monmouth Avenue,
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James Y. Mann, 399 Banning Street.

LONDON, ONTARIO

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Mrs. Dorothy Benson, 64 1/2 De Salaberry Ave.

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SASKATCHEWAN

Fred Quine, Conquest.

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J. Cubbon, 10950 80th Avenue.

DETROIT—WINDSOR

Richard Corkill, 14903 Ohio Avenue, Detroit,
 Michigan.

If you wish any information regarding the N. A. M. A. write the director in your district. American directors will be published in our next issue.

St. Catherines, Ontario

My interest in things Manx is through my father who at present is living with me but was born at Balasalla. We are, however, delighted to know that the convention is to be held in Canada and at London this year and hope during the time it is in progress to be able to meet many of our Manx people.

J. P. HUDSON,

20 Merrit Street.