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MANX ASSOCIATION
SEVENTH CONVENTION**



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CONVENTION ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETED

Happiest of Parties Planned. Make This Reunion Your Vacation.

A special meeting of the Convention committee chairmen of the Detroit-Windsor Manx Society was held at the Prince Edward Hotel, Windsor, Ontario, Saturday, June 23rd. This committee invited the following officers of the N.A.M.A. to confer with them to outline the final details of their Convention. Past President, John R. Cain, Cleveland, O. (representing President J. Y. Mann of Winnipeg); 2nd Vice President, R. J. Quayle, London, Ontario and A. B. Kelly, Cleveland, O.

J. W. Stephen, President of the local society presided, and after welcoming the visitors, turned the meeting over to Past President, John R. Cain.

Mr. Cain expressed the pleasure it gave the N.A.M.A. officers to attend and said they were glad to pass on to the local society, the benefit of their experience in arranging previous conventions. He believed from the interest shown, that this Manx gathering would be a great success.

A. B. Kelly spoke of his experiences with previous conventions and the things to be avoided which occur sometimes at these annual gatherings. He suggested to all members present that they write to all their old time friends personally inviting them to come to Windsor. This convention is sponsored by the most unique Manx Society in the world, the only society with a membership under two flags.

R. J. Quayle congratulated the local society and offered all assistance possible to make this convention even better than any of our previous meetings. The reports of the various committee chairmen proved very interesting.

Richard Mercer of the Ways and Means reported everything O.K. The pennants were selling splendidly and congratulated Cleveland on selling \$14.75 worth. He also stated that he had 150 books of raffle tickets out and appealed to all Manx friends (through the Bulletin) to sell same to help the good cause along and forward money as soon as possible.

Alex M. Cock of the Entertainment committee, who is combining with Louis J. Higgins of the Transportation Committee, assisted by Hugh Kellner and Miss Ivy Proctor, gave a very detailed report of what had been worked out for your entertainment. Every item had been gone into so thoroughly and worked out so that nothing would be left undone to make your visit to Windsor something that will be long remembered.

You can not visualize all in our tentative program. The bus ride through Detroit to the Edison Institute at Dearborn, Michigan (the eighth wonder of the world). The moonlight boat ride up the St. Clair flats to Sugar Island where you can dance for an hour before returning. The more unusual banquet and luncheons at the Prince Edward Hotel, and what wonderful meals that hotel can serve. The masquerade carnival dance with prizes. The Field Day with sports at Jackson Park, with prizes direct from the I.O.M. The happy Tuesday night get-together with moving pictures from the Island of the New Promenade, and of a "Manx Wedding." The special meetings to be held by the Juniors and the Breakfast Club. Aren't you interested, friends? We are, and are enthused as we think this is the best laid-out program yet offered and congratulate Mr. Cock and Mr. Higgins and their committees on their splendid effort.

R. H. Corkill, 3rd Vice President and Chairman of Publicity, reported the Border Cities Star was cooperating with him 100% and

CITY OF DETROIT EXECUTIVE OFFICE

To the Members of the North American Manx Association:
Gentlemen:

It has just come to my attention that your Association plans to hold its International Convention in Windsor on August 14 to 17, inclusive.

I am pleased to know that you have selected a location close to our City and I feel confident that many of your delegates will take advantage of the opportunity to visit Detroit while attending the Convention.

May I assure you the most cordial welcome to Detroit and of our desire to make your visit to our City a most enjoyable one? I want you to feel that all of our facilities are at your disposal and I am certain that you will enjoy our hospitality.

Sincerely,

FRANK COUZENS, Mayor.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

Headquarters:
Prince Edward Hotel, Windsor

Tuesday, August 14th

8:00 P. M. Get together meeting sponsored by the Detroit-Windsor Society, showing of Manx pictures, community singing, and program. Speaker, Vice President, T. C. Kelly of Chicago. Chairman, J. W. Stephen, President of local society.

Wednesday, August 15th

9:30 A. M. Opening of convention. Business session.
1:00 P. M. Luncheon at hotel.
2:30 P. M. Bridge party at hotel for ladies. Shopping tour for ladies Committee meetings. Suggested visit to Walkerville.
7:30 P. M. Moonlight boat ride to Sugar Island.

Thursday, August 16th

8:00 A. M. Breakfast Club party.
9:30 A. M. Business session.
10:00 A. M. Junior meeting.
1:00 P. M. Bus Ride through Detroit, visiting Ford Dearborn Institute and a conducted tour through village.
7:30 P. M. Annual N.A.M.A. banquet.

Friday, August 17th

9:30 A. M. Business session. Election of officers. Closing of Convention.
1:00 P. M. Luncheon at Hotel.
2:30 P. M. Field Day and sports at Jackson Park.
8:30 P. M. Carnival Dance.

REGISTRATION FEE:

Adult, \$7.00 Children under 14, \$5.00

had published several articles on the Convention which had been sent through the different cities of Canada. Also he had made arrangements for a Broadcast over radio station C.K.L.W. and hoped our Honorary

President, A. B. Crookall, Esq., would be present to deliver the broadcast address. Mr. Corkill also thanked the various Manx societies who had already subscribed to our Souvenir Book, and appealed to all readers of the Bulletin to be on the Patron's List to be published in same. If it were not possible to be at the Convention, this book will be forwarded to you. On a motion, the printing of this fine book was awarded to Cain & Oliver of Cleveland, who submitted the lowest of five bids.

Richard Wade, of the Badge Committee, presented a beautiful badge which you will be pleased to take home as a Souvenir.

Miss Phyllis Campbell of the Registrations, will be on hand all ready to relieve you of some of your loose cash and make you feel happy by telling you what a wonderful time you are going to have.

Mrs. C. Proctor of the Reception and her helpers, will meet and greet you with that happy smile which will make you feel at home right away. Mrs. Lamberton of the Hotel Reservations will see you are tucked in and if you don't sleep well, blame her.

All these reports were adopted and J. R. Cain thanked Mr. Stephen as general chairman and the Committee chairmen for a good job well done and the splendid cooperation shown. This assures the success of our Seventh Convention as with the support we are getting from the management of the Prince Edward Hotel and the enthusiasm shown at the meeting, it could not be other than outstanding.

Besides the 23 members present at this interesting meeting, we enjoyed having Mr. and Mrs. W. Kneale of Douglas and India with us. It was after midnight when we adjourned.

On Sunday, a very happy meeting and picnic was held at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Richey, at Cooley Lake, Michigan, with over 60 present. The committee chairmen and executives of the N.A.M.A. held a session and it was unanimously passed, after discussion, and going into all details of expenses, that the registration at the Windsor Convention would be \$7.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children under fourteen.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

The Prince Edward Hotel, our headquarters, is one of Canada's fine first-class hotels. We have been fortunate in procuring low Convention rates, and the management wishes to cooperate with us 100%. We can highly recommend this hotel to all our people and hope all will make reservations for a room that all will be "on the spot" able to participate in the "stunts" not planned in our program.

We can furnish the type of room or rooms you desire as listed below:

Inside singles	-----	\$2.00
Other singles	-----	\$2.50-3.50
Doubles	-----	\$3.50, 4.00 to 6.00
Twin beds, doubles	-----	5.00
Bedrooms with 3 or 4 single beds	-----	\$5.00, 6.00
Dormitory rooms with 6 beds	-----	6.00

Get your party together. Any further information will be furnished on request. Make reservations with

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

Automobiles may be garaged at the hotel garage during the convention at the special rate of 35c per day.

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Membership

The Executive officers feel we are now on the way out of the economic struggle which has tied up the finances of business, organizations and our Manx people. The N. A. M. A. has struggled valiantly through these last few years doing all possible with the finances you were able to donate to keep the good work of trying to live up to the constitution as planned when organized in 1928.

We appreciate the splendid support and encouragement received from many of our Manx Societies and friends through this stage and we will carry on to bigger things as conditions improve. We fully believe the Association is justified, because its foundation and principles are for things good in the building of an organization which is trying to preserve what our forefathers held so dear.

On this basis may we again appeal to you for your financial support. In our last issue of our Bulletin, we asked that if you were not interested in the N.A.M.A. or what it stands for, be fair to us and send in your name and we would take same off our mailing list. To date, we have not received any requests which leads us to believe you are interested.

Then may we expect your membership. We appreciate the spirit of our Toronto Society. For many years they have sent membership for all their members in good standing. Thank you Toronto! We cannot expect this support from all Manx Societies because of their constitutions and by-laws.

We appreciate the many memberships from these societies but may we appeal to our friends of the far west and Northern Canada. For six years we have been forwarding Bulletins in these districts without receiving the support we think we are entitled to.

Come in with us. It only costs one dollar a year. That dollar brings you closer to some old friend whom you used to know and would be glad to hear from you.

Come to Windsor for our Seventh reunion in August 14th to 17th. You will enjoy meeting your Manx friends again and will have the same good time you have had at our previous meetings.

Send Canadian Membership to:
R. J. QUAYLE,
859 Hamilton Road,
London, Ontario.

American membership to:
ART B. KELLY, Secretary,
2711 Dover Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

An Invitation

To our friends in the Island we cordially invite you to join with us this year at Windsor. We have made the dates possible so that you can sail on the Laurentic leaving Liverpool, August 3rd, arrive in Montreal, Saturday, August 11th. Spend the four days at the convention. Leave Windsor Friday noon. Sail again on the Laurentic, August 18th from Montreal. Arrive in Liverpool August 26th—3 weeks away—a wonderful and enjoyable vacation and meet your old-time friends who will be pleased to see you again.
COME ON OVER.

Personal Invitation From Our President

As the time of the year approaches convention week our thoughts naturally turn towards the place where it is going to be held. Windsor, Ontario being the chosen spot for 1934, may I extend to one and all a very hearty invitation to attend and enjoy yourselves to the limit—renewing old friendships and creating new ones, making stronger the ties which bind us all together forgetting for the time being our individual problems and the trials and troubles which some of us have had to go through.

Therefore, let us meet together as in the past not to discuss business only so far as it affects our own association, but to enjoy the society of one another firm in our belief that we shall benefit by the contacts we shall make.

Come and get amongst your own people if only for a few days possibly to meet childhood friends, school chums and more than likely relatives and realize that you will likely meet more people you know than you would if you were to pay a visit to the Isle of Man. We are anxious to have you come not only because we know you will enjoy yourselves but by your attendance you will be helping to further the aims and objectives for which the North American Manx Association was formed.

Give us your support. Let us have your membership. If you cannot come, send in a message along with your subscription and some remarks or suggestions as to how we can improve and expand. We want constructive ideas and the only way we can get them is to ask for them and appeal to your patriotic sentiments and now just before convention appears to be the right time to do it.

This year has been a very trying one and I wish to say your executive has not had an easy time, but we have come through and now we are going to meet for our "Seventh Reunion" as the guests of our good friends the Windsor and Detroit Manx Society who have been working for months to provide the entertainment for our pleasure.

We anticipate the pleasure of being able to welcome our Honorable President, Mr. A. B.

Crookall and our Honorable Vice President, Mr. Richard Cain. Let us hope that our members turn up in sufficient numbers to show our visitors that the long trip they made was well worth while and that when they return home they will be able to tell their friends that the Manx in America take as much interest in Manx affairs as they do themselves at home.

Last year at Chicago the Century of Progress Exhibition proved an added attraction to our convention. This year you are just across the river from that wonderful city of Detroit.

Canada on one side, America on the other and plenty to interest you in both places.

As a concluding remark may I remind you all that this year we are entering our seventh milestone in the history of the N.A.M.A. Six years of hard work and honest endeavor have gone into the efforts of your different executive committees to build up an association of which you ought to be proud. It was unfortunate that four of these years at least were depression years, hard to carry on, but carry on we have and who knows what the coming years may hold in store for us—better times, better business, brighter outlook on life, kinder thoughts for our fellow men and better still, a bigger and more useful future for our N.A.M.A.

My year's work as your president, has been a source of pleasure to me made more so by the wonderful support of our Past President John R. Cain, our Secretary A. B. Kelly and the other officers of our association and to them I say many thanks.

Again I say if possible "Come to Windsor," enjoy yourself. If impossible do the next best thing, join the N.A.M.A.

Send in a message of cheer along with your subscription and help to create happiness and goodwill for yourself and others and show our Windsor friends that we appreciate their efforts on our behalf.

Sincerely and Fraternally Yours,

JAMES Y. MANN,
President N.A.M.A.

World Manx Association

Westminster Bank Chambers,
Douglas, Isle of Man, 18th May, 1934.
To the Manx Societies.

My Dear Friends,

As President of the World Manx Association, I send you greetings and convey to you a unanimous expression of opinion from our members that some of you be able to attend our annual reunion which takes place on Tynwald Day, July 5th next, and in case none of your members are able to attend, that you will kindly send a message which will be read to the gathering.

I may say that in the absence of a delegation from a Manx Society, a message is very highly appreciated by the gathering, and we are very anxious to keep in personal touch with you, and will look forward to either a delegation or a message of goodwill.

With very kindest regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,
RICHARD CAIN, President.

Seattle

Since our last Bulletin many interesting Manx events have taken place in our local Society. At the April meeting slides were shown of the pioneer days in Alaska. These were most interesting.

Our May meeting celebrated our first anniversary and was held at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Hinds of New Castle. Thirty-eight members were present, and had a most pleasant evening.

Our June meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Paragher. Wonderful cats and a good time. We are planning an open air picnic July 8th with sports for the kiddies. All the Manx people in Seattle and district are invited.

MRS. LILY WADE ROBBINS, Secretary,
6016 18th Avenue, So.

N. A. M. A. Breakfast Club

If you have celebrated not less than 15 birthdays and not more than 95, and are not married, a cordial invitation is extended to you to join the Breakfast Club at the Windsor convention.

We have prepared many good times for this group who are still "happy though single."

Any information that you may wish with regard to this meeting, write to

ELINOR CAIN, Secretary,
N.A.M.A. Breakfast Club,
488 East 126th Street, Cleveland, O.

Junior Membership

We are pleased to report this membership is increasing. To date 26 memberships have been enrolled. May we congratulate Mrs. T. H. Corkan of the Winnipeg Manx Society who has forwarded 14 memberships. She also states a plan is being worked out for a Winnipeg Junior Manx Society.

Good luck Mrs. Corkan and may we again ask all Manx Juniors, between 12 and 18 years, to join up with this new Society.

Edmonton, Alberta

I attended a meeting of the Edmonton Manx Society which was held at the home of an old Andreas lady. I afterwards visited all the Manx families in Edmonton and I fully expect to see a pretty strong branch in Edmonton before the end of the year.

W. J. Christy, 64 Parliament street, Ramsey, has asked the Edmonton police to locate Thomas Kelly, one time rancher of Arizona and South Dakota, who is supposed to be in the Edmonton district for several years. They are cousins.

Can anyone furnish any information on the whereabouts of Mr. Kelly?

HAROLD BROOKE.

FROM OUR REGIONAL DIRECTORS

Detroit - Windsor

Mr. President and Dear Friends:

The first quarter of my duties as your Regional Director for Detroit has passed. Little did I think thirty-three years ago when I left the Isle of Man that it would ever become my official duty to have to call on Manx men, Manxwomen and their descendants to try and get them together "To preserve what-e'er is left to us of ancient heritage." But it is so, and I am proud of the honor bestowed upon me.

Many thanks are due the wives of Manxmen and the husbands of Manxwomen who have so nobly given us their wholehearted support, for it is to them and their descendants that we must look to carry on this great work.

We have in Detroit and Windsor, I believe, the making of one of the largest and best Manx societies on the North American continent. It is up to all of us to work together wholeheartedly to make a success of our own society.

WE MUST NOT FAIL! I might say as President Roosevelt said a short time ago. "If we cannot do it one way, we will try another way, but **DO IT WE WILL!**"

I am quite sure we were all pleased to see the fine turnout at our last few meetings, and none was more pleased than I.

Now that the convention is only two months away, and it is necessary to round up all the Manx that we know of, I believe that it would be a good plan to appoint two more Regional Directors for the city of Detroit; one to cover the West side, one to cover the North side, and I to continue my duties on the East side.

14 calls have been made at Manx homes during the first quarter.

Respectfully submitted by your Regional Director.

EVAN F. WADE,
2540 Manistique Ave., Detroit, Mich.

Chicago

We have not had the Manx together for some time, but are having a meeting this week-end at the home of a new member of our society, Mrs. Rogers.

Thirty-one Manx people attended a theatre party to honor a Manx actress who was the star in a play with Conrad Nagel a few weeks ago. Her name was Violet Hemming, formerly of Douglas.

The Chicago folks will enjoy the dinner given by the Cleveland folks at Windsor, and we are quite looking forward to it.

ARTHUR SHIMMIN,
Regional Director.

Seattle

I think we are doing well in Seattle. We have been able to hold our Manx people through the wonderful effort of our secretary, Mrs. Lily Wade Robbins, who has forwarded many memberships and we hope to in the near future to get more of our Seattle Manx interested.

Best wishes and good luck to the N.A.M.A.
CLAUDE CLAGUE,
Regional Director.

Los Angeles

I am sending three more memberships to the N.A.M.A. from our society.

I am leaving New York on Friday, June 22 on the American Merchant, and hope to arrive in London, July 2 so that I can get over to the Island for Tynwald Day. There will be a few less herrings in the I.O.M. and less strawberries and cream in Devon after I leave the British Isles. I am anticipating a grand time and many lovely walks over the Island. Hope that the convention at Windsor will be a wonderful success and that you thoroughly enjoy yourselves in the warm bond of brotherhood.

MARY ANN CAINE,
Regional Director.

Bon Voyage. A happy vacation and a safe return.

Lincoln, Nebr.

The Manx people of this district held an open air picnic at Pioneer Park, Saturday, July 1st. Mr. C. L. Kelly, County Treasurer, Otoe County, had charge of arrangements.

Toronto

May we sincerely thank the executive committee, the officers and members of the Toronto Manx Society for their loyal support again by sending in 65 memberships, and the Society membership. This is the spirit we wish was possible with all Societies affiliated with the N.A.M.A. May we also thank our Regional Directors of this district, Arthur Callow and James B. Kee, who worked so hard to make this possible.

Arizona

I am pleased to accept the appointment of Regional Director for this district. I must say I deem it a pleasure to be able to do all possible.

This camp has been hard hit and several of our Manx folks are still out of jobs.

However, we have good turnouts at our monthly meetings, and everybody is very much enthused with our local Society. W. H. Kelly, our secretary, will send you a brief report of our monthly meeting. The Irish have St. Patrick's Day to celebrate, why can't the Manx have one day each year that we could celebrate some event which would renew our memories of the 'il 'ol' Isle.

ARNOLD CORRIN,
Regional Director.

New York

I am very pleased to accept the office of Regional Director. Very interested in the N.A.M.A. and intend to do all possible to prove it. Several of my Manx friends have sent their dues direct. Enclosed find a membership. We hope again to get to the convention, and will bring a good party along with us. We were very sorry to learn of the death of our dear friend of many years, Mrs. C. C. Hudson of Chicago; also of a new friend whom we also met at the last convention and much admired, Mrs. Keig of Lockport, Ill.

Kindest regards to all our Manx friends.
WILLIAM KARRAN,
Regional Director.

Hamilton, Ontario

The article below is taken from the local Hamilton "Herald."

MAY ORGANIZE MANX SOCIETY
IN THIS CITY

A letter from the office of the secretary of the North American Manx association's headquarters in Cleveland, Ohio, to W. E. Kewley of this city suggests the possibilities of a similar society being formed to those now operating in Toronto, Winnipeg, London and other Canadian cities.

There are a considerable number of Manx people in and around Hamilton, and Mr. Kewley has been asked to get their views on the subject. Anyone interested should get in touch with Mr. Kewley, who was recently named regional director for the parent society. The phone number is Regent 6346J.

The association this year is holding its annual convention in Windsor-Detroit, when the members of those cities join to welcome visiting Manxmen from all over the continent.

We wish Mr. Kewley good luck in this endeavor. Anything the officers of the N.A.M.A. can do to help in the formation of the Hamilton Manx Society will be gladly given. Mr. Kewley's address is 420 Herkimer St."

Bisbee, Arizona

The third monthly meeting of the above society was held at the home of Mrs. Annie Watterson. The violin and piano duet, the vocal duet and the sketch provided were much appreciated. We sang all the old songs we knew and some of the new ones. We had a nice crowd and everyone was happy. Arnold Corrin presided.

One of the best meetings of the year was held Friday, June 1st, with a Motorcade to the Naco Waterworks on the Mexican border. We had a wonderful dinner, sports for the children and games for the grown-ups. Over 50 attended. Everybody had such a wonderful time that we are going again Friday, July 6th, so you see we have an interested crowd of Manx people here. Hope the convention at Windsor will be a glorious success.

W. H. KELLY.

Ladies' Auxiliary, N. A. M. A.

CLEVELAND

"Our hats are off" to the ladies of the Cleveland District for the splendid job they are doing. Their efforts in bringing together the Manx people to their homes for a good social time has been successful and very enjoyable. Their bridge party at the Cleveland City Ice and Fuel Co. netted \$21.00.

Miss Ada Christian, secretary, kindly donated \$5.00.

We traveled down to Akron and enjoyed a bridge party and good time together at the home of Mrs. Jack Bridson. \$7.00 was turned over.

Our final party at the home of Mrs. J. S. Cannell, 3915 E. 154th St. was very enjoyable, thirty-five being present, including Dr. J. J. Moore of Chicago, Past President of the Association, who enjoyed being with us and congratulated the ladies on the good work they were doing. \$8.50 was added to the funds.

The total amount turned over to the Association since these parties were inaugurated was \$63.00.

A wonderful effort—also everybody enjoyed the social time together.

The Association wishes to tender their sincere thanks to Mrs. J. R. Cain, Vice President and treasurer; Miss Ada Christian, Secretary; Mrs. F. P. Kneen, Mrs. A. B. Kelly, Mrs. J. S. Cannell, Mrs. T. Keig, Mrs. J. Edwin Kelly, and Mrs. Jack Bridson of Akron, who donated their homes, served refreshments and supervised these parties which all made for enjoyable times together.

We sincerely hope when the fall rolls round we will all meet again.

WINNIPEG

An enjoyable bridge party was held at the home of Mrs. J. Y. Mann, 399 Banning street. The hostess reported a good time was had by everybody and \$7.00 was collected and turned over to the Association.

TORONTO

Mrs. A. Callow, President of the Ladies' Auxiliary, has turned over \$10.00 from the Toronto district.

Cleveland

The Cleveland Manx Juniors again staged their annual play, "The Wild Oats Boy" at the Cleveland News Auditorium, Saturday, May 12th. This young society always does a wonderful job and this year the show was better than ever.

Everyone in the cast was delightful, which made this comedy so entertaining and interesting that the 300 who attended greatly appreciated and enjoyed the performance. Great credit is due the players and Mrs. Alfred Kinley who supervised the training and directed the play (ably assisted by Miss Elinor Cain) which made the play the success it was.

Dancing followed until midnight and everybody went home happy.

The third annual Manx Community Church service sponsored by the Manx Societies of Northern Ohio, was held at the Old Stone Church, Public Square on Sunday afternoon, May 6th, with over 300 attending. This service is one of the annual events our Manx people here look forward to and enjoy. Rev. R. F. Dickens Lewis of the Heights Presbyterian Church officiated and preached a wonderful sermon. He was assisted by Rev. H. A. Klahr of the Old Stone Church.

We enjoyed singing the old hymns. Mr. Joseph Clucas as soloist was fine as was the singing of the Forest Hill Male Quartette composed of Joseph Clucas, Karl H. Driggs, Robert Quayle and Fred Gorry and the Manx Mixed Quartette of Evelyn Christian, Claire Mylcraine, Robert Anderson and R. Alex Cannell.

The service was much appreciated and enjoyed by all present. Miss Eleanor M. Crebin was organist and John R. Cain was chairman of arrangements.

The annual Manx picnic of the Cleveland Societies will be held at Euclid Beach Saturday, July 28th. The committee planning this event states that same is to be "bigger and better" than ever.

You will always meet some old friend at the picnic and enjoy the sports. Pack a lunch. Bring the kiddies along and have another good time.

W. H. GORRY, Chairman.
MRS. F. T. GORRY, Secretary,
418 Dundas Drive.

Transportation

We are pleased to pass these rates to our Cleveland friends who wish to travel to Detroit by boat. Would suggest to leave Cleveland, Monday night, Aug. 13th—returning Saturday or Sunday.

We would be pleased to make up a party, also will get full information from any district if you will write our secretary.

Party rates Cleveland to Detroit via Detroit and Cleveland Navigation Co.

10 to 24 inclusive -----\$4.75 round trip
25 to 49 inclusive ----- 4.50 round trip

Outside rooms containing double lower and single upper \$4.00 each way.

Inside rooms containing double lower and single upper \$3.00 each way.

Outside lower berth for one or two \$2.25 each way.

Inside lower berth for one or two \$1.75 each way.

Outside single upper \$1.75 each way.

Inside single upper \$1.25 each way.

Don't Forget

—to bring your naturalization papers and Automobile Registration Card, as you will need them to enter Canada.

Winnipeg

I am enclosing copies of two of several talks I have delivered before the local Manx group—the others are still in note form. These are not sent to you for publication in the Bulletin for I realize you simply haven't the space. You should not take up space with my other article that you now have. My purpose, rather, is of a different nature. I anticipate that you are occasionally called upon for information, or articles for addresses, etc., dealing with the I.O.M. or some phase of its historic or cultural life. Because such matter is somewhat scarce and not always available, I venture to mail these copies to you in the sincere hope they will prove helpful. There is, as you know, a wealth of material upon which to draw but too few of us, I fear, concern ourselves with what "our heritage" really contains. If by chance these articles of mine stimulate thought in that direction I shall be very happy.

Best of luck to the Society.

T. E. MOORE.

Mr. Moore's article—"Early Man in Mann" is so interesting we wish we could publish some, but space does not allow. We would be pleased to pass this on to any of our readers interested if they promise to return same quickly.

The other articles we will take up later.

Los Angeles

On March 23rd, our local Society celebrated "Scotch Night," a very fine entertainment being presented by our Scotch friends. Refreshments typical of Scotland (food only) were served, followed by dancing till midnight. Good fellowship, plaids, bagpipes and dances all gave the proper atmosphere of the excellent program rendered. John Bain presided.

Much pleasure was given the society at the reading of a letter from Miss Marion Teare, The Vaish, St. Johns, I.O.M. and the display of Manx flowers which she had gathered and pressed. Longings to see another primrose, snowdrop and crocus from home were gratified. Fond memories of the fields and hedges in spring were recalled.

Young folks night was celebrated April 27th, with over 200 members and friends attending. The enjoyable entertainment was provided by the younger folks of our society. Mrs. E. M. Callister Harris presided. May 25th was Manx night. Entertainment was provided by Mr. Richard Callister, Mr. Edward Storey and Miss Mary Ann Caine. Also Manx songs by the choir and Manx solos by Mr. Joe Rodgers, Mr. Edwin Killip and Miss Betty Christian.

Everyone present enjoyed this truly Manx event.

MARY ANN CAINE, Secretary.

Welcome Home

We are pleased to welcome back with us W. D. Moore, of Montreal, and Frank P. Kneen, Regional Director, for our Cleveland District. They have been vacationing in the Isle of Man and we know they would have a wonderful holiday.

We expect both these gentlemen will be at our Windsor convention and we will be interested to hear of the good time they had.

From Here and There

Mrs. Alice M. M. Killip, 1020 Harwood Ave., Vancouver, B. C.: "Pleased to serve as an officer of the N.A.M.A. Ladies Auxiliary. Anything I can do to help will be pleased. Enclosed is my membership. Hope the Windsor convention will be a big success."

Alice Garrett, Eastman Kodak Co., Rochester, N. Y.: "Enclosed find dues for John Garrett, 489 Garson Ave. Have also been checking up on our Manx here and find many are members. We are hoping here to make the convention at Windsor this year."

Mrs. W. D. Moore, 324 Monmouth Ave., Mount Royal, Quebec: "Very pleased to act as a member of the Ladies Auxiliary and you can assure Mrs. Callow that I will at all times be glad to help all I can as I have been and am a great admirer of the N.A.M.A. appreciating the exceptionally fine Manx atmosphere which permeates throughout the whole of the Northern American Continent to my fellow Manx folk."

C. G. Kerruish, 272 Huntington Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.: "Any help I can render I will gladly do so and when things open up here we will be all back again with you. Hoping to have a good delegation from here to the Windsor convention."

James Moughtin, Sanford, Florida: "Enclosed find my membership. I am so sorry I cannot be of service as Regional Director as we have no Manx people in our district. Hope you will have a wonderful convention at Windsor."

Leroy E. Corlett, Oskaloosa, Iowa: "Enclosed find my membership again and send it with the very best wishes for the success of the Association."

Wm. Cowley, 110 Encelsior St., Ishpeming, Mich.: "Enclosed find my membership. Thanks for sending me the Bulletin which I always enjoy which makes it possible to ramble in thought over the beauties of our little Island home. Hope to be with you all at Windsor."

Mrs. Jessie Cubbon, De Groot, R. R. 1, Oakville, Ontario, Canada. "Thanks for receipt of membership. My brother and sister in Toronto have been members many years. Being Manx at heart I felt I had to join. What happy memories I have of my childhood days spent at Douglas and the Union Mills and although I have traveled in many countries none surpass the beauty of our Island home. With all best wishes for the success of the Association."

Harry Lace, 3001 Alcott St., Denver, Colo.: "Enclosed find membership and would suggest to all members an idea which worked so well in an old society which I belonged. Our password was "Get Another Member." Why not apply this to the N.A.M.A. Success to the Windsor convention."

Mrs. H. Corrin (Nellie Kinrade), 4 Alberta Villas, Onchan, Isle of Man: "Enclosed is membership for 1934. Hope convention at Windsor will be a great success."

Our Visitors

Mr. Charles Gill, M.H.K. and Mrs. Gill are making a short visit to Canada and the United States. They are visiting Montreal, Toronto, Buffalo, Albany, Philadelphia, and New York, sailing for home from there June 27th.

We hope they have had a wonderful vacation and a pleasant experience with the Manx folks they have met and are only sorry they could not stay with us longer and visit with us all. We wish them "Bon Voyage" and an enjoyable trip home.

The telegram below was received from them: "Will you please convey to the officers and members of the North American Manx Association and accept our sincere appreciation for their letter of welcome to us both and for their desire to assist us to enjoy our visit. Kindest greetings. CHARLES GILL."

We are also pleased to greet again Mrs. M. Faragher, 5 Kingswood Grove, Douglas. Mrs. Faragher is staying with her brother, Wm. Karan, our Regional Director of New York. She hopes to visit the Windsor Convention with Mr. Karan's party from that city.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kneale, of Douglas, and now resident of Punjab, India, are making a tour of the United States and Canada visiting relatives and friends and having a rare good time at Manx picnics and meetings en route. They will attend the Windsor convention before returning to the Island.

Toronto

At the last meeting of our Society, Tuesday, April 3rd, it was unanimously decided to send a cheque to the N.A.M.A., to pay the dues of those members who are in good standing. I herewith enclose their names and addresses, so that you may send them their cards, and have forwarded a cheque for \$63.00 to Mr. Robert Quayle, London, Ontario. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Callow paid their dollar each at the Chicago convention last year.

We have recently formed a choral society, under the conductorship of Mr. Robert Fick and are hoping to swell the crowd at Windsor convention this summer.

We are all looking forward to the next Bulletin, as already there have been many enquiries as to the program and registration.

With kindest regards, yours very sincerely,

J. G. DOWNWARD, Secretary,
Sparkhall Ave.

Milwaukee

I have received your letter stating that you had appointed me as Regional Director for the Milwaukee District. I will do whatever I can to bring our countrymen together.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kewley, Mr. and Mrs. William Clague were at my home for dinner a few weeks ago and we had a real Manx time. On Feb. 21, 1934, Mrs. Killey and I were invited to a Manx Band Concert given by the Salvation Army Citadel Band of our city. I was privileged to speak at this time. The leader of the band is James Kelly and he is a wonder and has a wonderful band consisting of 25 pieces of music. A Manx woman opened the meeting with prayer. Another Manx woman read the Scripture lesson. This was in addition to the Manx men in the band. I can tell you we had a fine time together.

JAMES H. KILLEY.

In Memoriam

We regret to report the passing on April 1st of our life member Alderman J. J. Quine, J. P., 12 Albion Terrace, Douglas, I.O.M. We remember his interest in our association at our Toronto convention and the good time he had visiting with us. We have been advised he enjoyed reading our "Bulletin" and often said he would love to sit down and write an article to his American and Canadian friends.

It is with deep regret we report the passing away suddenly April 13th, of that fine Manx gentleman, Louis A. Kelly, 2876 Fairmont Blvd., Cleveland Heights, son of Manx parents, born here 75 years ago. He was graduated from Western Reserve University at Hudson and was valedictorian and the only class orator to present his class day address in Greek. He was always interested in Manx affairs, but these later years was a member and very interested in our association. He always attended the birthday parties of his old friend the late Orrin Quiggin, at Painesville, and we all enjoyed his verse on the life of this old friend. We all cherish the movie pictures taken by him of our Manx events. He has passed on but his kindly memory will always be cherished by his many Manx friends.

We regret to report the passing away April 28th of our dear old Manx friend Leece Clucas, 1583 Fifth street, Muskegon, Mich. One of our fine Manxmen who was interested in everything for the better of his countrymen and friends. Has been a member of the association since its inception and attended all our conventions and enjoyed being with his own people. We shall miss him.

We regret to report the death of that fine old Akron Manxman, Robert Quine, 430 Summer avenue. He had resided in Akron for many years and was held in high esteem by everyone who knew him. Mr. Quine was a member of the Akron Society since its inception and was an interested member of the N.A.M.A.

To the families, relatives and friends of the above, may we extend our deepest sympathy.