

President's Message

I find it unbelievable that November is upon us. Soon we will be huddling around the fire as we prepare for the onslaught of the winter snows. Time to bring out those favourite slippers.

As you all know we lost former President, Roger Acreman last month and his loss will be felt by us all. He will be missed, and I am sure you all will join with me in sending our condolences to Nancy and their family.

October also brought us Thanksgiving, a time for us to reflect and give thanks for all of our significant blessings.

One thing of note is that for the first time in many years members of the Garrison Club attended an amazing buffet dinner at our sister Club in Saint John. The Union Club has made efforts to keep us apprised of their special events and based upon the experience in October, I would encourage all to consider attending the next event.

As for November, I know that Francis has a few events planned including an evening/dinner at the Rossmount Inn. Stay tuned for an announcement concerning the Club's Christmas Party. **All I can say now, is keep December 14 open.**

George Filliter

Saint John Union Club Visit

On October 26 the Garrison Club was well represented when 10 of us joined several members of the Union Club in Saint John for their monthly dinner. This month was a buffet dinner and based upon my conversation, that all in attendance enjoyed the meal. In particular, the lemon pie needs to be singled out! I am certain that those who had it will confirm it was delicious. Finally, based upon the decibel level during dinner, I can also confirm that everyone enjoyed themselves immensely. In fact, several members accepted the invitation to the Speak Easy Room where we were treated to a wee dram or two. I think this is the first time in many years our Club has received an invitation, but I also believe our Club will be kept in the loop with respect to other events at the Union Club. It is worthwhile considering these events if for no other reason than to have a tour of the Club premises.

Internment Camp Museum – Minto

Several of us took advantage of the beautiful fall day and made the visit on October 27, to Minto and the Internment Camp Museum. However, not before all of us stopping for a wonderful breakfast first in Pepper Creek. This museum, one of only two in Canada, is a hidden gem in our area! Between 1940-1945 (two phases) the camp had 52 buildings, 350 guards and held near 2000 men. Thanks to Ed Caissie and our own, Bob Dallison, for the educational and enjoyable day!

Message from the Club Manager

Yet another month in the books and as we settle into the reality that summer is over, it is time to begin planning for the winter and of course, the Holidays.

This month will have two of the Club's favourites; Lobster at Oakland Lodge and the Whisky Festival.

December will bring a few wonderful Club events: The 2nd annual Carol Sing on the 13th to get us in the Christmas spirit followed by our annual Christmas party on the 14th.

The Delta has again allowed us to use their Royal Suite for our Beat the Blues evening on December 28th. Please see the Mark on the Calendar area below for times and locations.

With winter fast approaching, it is time for us to GET OUT of the house! ☺

We would like to try a few new things; movie nights and a few Saturday nights trying out some new restaurants in Fredericton. This will begin on January 11th.

Francis Perry



List of Affiliated Clubs

Carleton Officer's Mess, CFB Gagetown, NB
Alma City Club, Moncton, NB
The Union Club, Saint John, NB
The Halifax Club, Halifax, NS
Officers' Club Crow's Nest, St. John's, NF
The Forest & Stream Club, Dorval, QC
Le Cercle de la Garrison de Québec, QC
University Club, Montreal, QC
Mount Stephen Club, Montreal, QC
The Hamilton Club, Hamilton, ON
Rideau Club, Ottawa, ON
The Albany Club, Toronto, ON
Ontario Club, Toronto, ON
The National Club, Toronto, ON
Royal Canadian Military Institute Toronto
Saskatoon Club, Saskatoon, SK
Cypress Club, Medicine Hat, AB
The Ranchmen's Club, Calgary, AB
Edmonton Petroleum Club, Edmonton, AB
Manitoba Club, Winnipeg, MB
Union Club of BC, Victoria, BC
The Terminal Club, Vancouver BC
The Vancouver Club, Vancouver BC
Embassy Club, Des Moines, IO
Seminole Club, Jacksonville, FL
The Royal Hamilton Amateur Dinghy Club,
Bermuda
The St. James's Club, London, England
City University Club, London, England
Kowloon Cricket Club, Kowloon, Hong Kong
Stephen's Green Hibernian Club, Dublin
Military Club of Stockholm, Sweden



DATES TO MARK ON THE CALENDAR

November 10th 6:00

Fall Lobster Boil/BBQ Oakland Lodge

November 19th 6:00

Spirits Festival's Rum Dinner at the Delta

November 13th

Movie night (possible movie Harriet) 7:00ish show.

December 13th 7:00

2nd Annual Carol Sing @ Francis & Greg's

December 14th 6:00

Club Christmas Party at Wolastoq Wharf (semi-formal dress)

December 28th 6:00

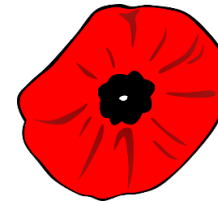
Beat the Blues – Delta Hotel (semi-formal dress)

January 11th – Trying a new Restaurant

Toyko Ramen – 6:00 (casual dress)



DISPATCHES *November 2019*



“With the going down of the sun, we will remember them!”



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